# OREGON SENTINEL.

JACKSONVILLE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1885.


FRUIT TREES.—J. Lusk and Son of the Oakland Nursery, Cal. have fruit trees here for sale cheap. Apply to G. A. Hebbell. *

LECTURE. — Archbishop Gross of Portland, Oregon, will deliver a free lecture in the Jackson County Court House, Monday evening, November 16th. The public are invited.

SOLD OUT.—Frank Lewellen has sold out his interest in the Medford livery stable to Ed. Harman, a newcomer from the East for $2,000 and will give possession on the 16th inst. Mr. Lewellen has not yet decided on the business he will follow from now on.

CHILD'S SNOW FLAKE.—Every lady, wishing a clear, delicate complexion, should use Child's Snow Flake. It nourishes and freshens the skin, removes Tan and Sunburn, and, the natural appearance imparted, renders it impossible to detect its use. Warranted perfectly harmless. Sold by all druggists, or by the manufacturers, John A. Child & Co., Druggists, Portland, Oregon. Mail orders promptly attended to, Price 50 cents.

PROBATE COURT.—The following business was transacted in this court last week....In the matter of the estate of Wm. Justus, deceased. Sale of realty confirmed....Estate of John Bateman. Inventory and appraisement filed by W. Beeson, administrator, and authority given to sell personal property....Estate of Wm. Briner, deceased. B. C. Goddard, Sr., appointed administrator, and Wm. Plymire, F. Barneburg and Arthur Wilson appraisers....Estate of C. Sarrallet, deceased. Hearing of petition to sell real estate set for January 5th, 1886....Estate of Sarah C. Simpson. Sale of real estate confirmed....Estate of Lewis McDaniel. Final settlement heard and approved....Estate of M. Vrooman. Hearing of petitions for letters of administration postponed.

RAILROAD ITEMS.—The late heavy rain storm has greatly impeded building operations, and if it continues, the work expected to be completed before the rivers rise to high water stage, may be suspended until next Spring. The force of masons expected to be able to build the abutments, piers and foundations of culverts, trestle work, etc., before the heavy storms commenced, so that the remainder could be finished speedily to permit the putting up of iron bridges, trestle frames, etc., to run trains to tunnel 11 by Spring. The railroad work of building above low water level for the bridges and wings has been finished as far up as tunnel 10, and when the rain stops, work will be resumed by the force of masons under Scobie. Work has also been commenced in tunnel 11. So we learn by latest report.—"Journal."

RELIGIOUS ITEMS.—Rev. W. P. Williams will preach at Grant's Pass next Sunday....Rev. J. R. Roberts preaches at the Antioch school house on Sunday....Rev. M. A. Williams will hold services at Eagle Point Sunday morning at the usual hour....Archbishop Gross will hold mass and deliver a lecture at Eagle Point on Sunday at 10:30 A. M....Elder H. C. Fleming preaches at the Mound school house on Sunday next at the usual time....Elder M. Peterson will hold services at Central Point Sunday morning and at the Lone Oak school house in the evening....A meeting will be begun at Mount school house on Friday, Nov. 20th, at early candle light ing, to continue through the 21st and 22d. Elders J. H. Mayfield, Thos Moore and Jas. Hummer, and perhaps others, will be in attendance. All are cordially invited to attend....Rev. A. R. Bickenbach will hold services at the Presbyterian church in this place next Sunday, both morning and evening. Owing to the illness of Wm Hoffman, Esq., the sacrament of baptism and the Lord's Supper will not be administered until the third Sunday of December. Sunday School will be held at 2:30 P. M., Prof. G. H. Watt superintending.

JOSEPHINE COUNTY ASSESSMENT.—The following is a summary of the assessment made for the year 1885 by J. T. Bryan, assessor of Josephine county: Acres of land, 69,393, valued at $298,424; O. & C. R. R. Co.'s property, $96,975; town lots, 1,496, valued at $30,743; improvements, $54,085; merchandise and implements, $75,598, money, notes, etc., $104,177; household furniture, etc., $31,705; horses and mules, 1,056; valued at $40,655; cattle, 3,220, valued at $51,415; sheep, 2,398; valued at $2,414; swine, 2,928; valued at $5,923. Gross value of property, $792,114; indebtedness, $161,459; exemptions, $76,736. Total taxable property, $553,919. Number of polls, 350. Legal voters, 756; foreigners, 216; males under 21 years, 665; total males, 1637. Females 18 years old and upwards, 548 females under 18 years, 544; total females, 1092. Total population, 2,729. Pounds of wool, 11,214; number of sheep, 3,067; hogs, 3,441; horses, 1,163; mules, 116; cattle, 3,600; acres in cultivation, 13,448; wheat, raised during preceding year, 20,636 bushels; oats, 18,451 bushels; barley and rye, 8,595 bushels; hay, 4,536, tons, corn, 17,965 bushels; butter and cheese 27,885 lbs; tobacco, 245 lbs; hops, 4,070 lbs; potatoes, 26,120 bushels; apples, 32,385 bushels; prunes and plums, 2,322 bushels; gold dust, 3,836 ounces; lumber, 4,490,000 feet.

## *Local Items.*

Evan R. Reamer of Linkville is in town.

Late rains have made roads quite muddy.

The 26th inst. will be celebrated as Thanksgiving day.

Circuit Court meets on Monday next to try the Mrs. McDaniel murder case.

Plenty of rain since our last issue and our farmers are satisfied for the present.

At Portland, many hotel and restaurant proprietors are discharging their Chinese help.

Read the new hog ordinance published in another column and govern yourself accordingly.

Dr. Will Jackson can be found at his office again having returned from his trip to Josephine.

Masquerade Ball at Holt's Hall, New Year's night and an enjoyable treat can be looked for.

Mensor Bros. sell goods cheaper for cash than anybody. Watch for their new advertisement next week.

George Stephenson's daily stage line between here and Ashland has been withdrawn for the winter.

Attend the school meeting next Tuesday afternoon. A tax will be levied and a new director elected.

Jeff Howell, recently taken to the insane asylum from here, is said to have died in that institution this week.

Miss Nellie Luy and Miss Emma Hutchings are employed in the millinery and dress-making establishment of Mrs. Prim.

The heaviest wind and rain storm came on Sunday last and numerous signs in town changed places in consequence.

Capt. H. Kelley is at Salem attending the meeting of the Legislature as clerk for the judiciary committee of the Senate.

The Red Men's ball on Thanksgiving night promises to be a fine affair with a large attendance. Tickets are only $1 each.

The Bybee Newman litigation over a mining claim in Josephine county has been settled and Wm. Bybee is now sole proprietor.

A new brick building will soon be erected at Medford by Geo. S. Walton on the lot formerly owned by M. Mensor of this place.

A prominent Chinese Doctor from Portland has been here several days this week looking at our mines with the intention of investing.

California mail for Portland will hereafter go by way of Ogden and Umatilla, as staging between California and Oregon is very bad.

37,000 pounds of freight arrived at Medford for Jacksonville on last Wednesday's freight train. Quite a good showing for a town that is dead.

Since cold weather has come John Orth's meat market is always well supplied with sausage of all kinds which is of excellent make and sold cheap.

A special term of the Commissioner's Court will be held next Tuesday to examine bids for the gravelling of Tice's lane on the route from here to Medford.

Besides running the Soda Springs hotel Jacob Wagner will also engage in stock raising. He purchased a band of cattle from Holman Peters of Grant's Pass this week.

Sunday's storm caused considerable damage at the Sterling mines. A large number of trees were blown down falling across the company's ditch, breaking it in numerous places.

Drs. R. Pryce and E. P. Geary of Medford have formed a partnership for the practice of medicine. They will make a strong team as both are acknowledged as fine physicians and surgeons.

Judge Webster, District Attorney Kent and attorneys Kahler, Prim, Hanna, Kelley and Neil have all returned from Josephine county, the regular term of court having adjourned at that place.

The last spike of the Canadian Pacific Railroad was driven on Saturday with simple ceremonies, in great contrast to the display made by Villard over the completion of the Northern Pacific.

The stock in Baruch Fisher's store at Woolville was attached by creditors on Tuesday last since which time the store has been closed. The proprietor's many friends here hope to see him come out all right yet.

Balloting for U. S. Senator begins in the Oregon Legislature on Tuesday next. Several complimentary votes will probably be cast before an election will be had but some one will be elected before that body adjourns.

The Portland "News" reports that E. H. Autenrieth, of Yreka, has returned to Portland from the East with his eyesight completely restored by an operation performed by an occulist of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Some villain entered the barn of J. C. Ducket, at Medford, a few days ago and poisoned five head of horses, valued at $1,000. There is no clue to the perpetrator, but is supposed to be a party with whom Mr. Ducket has had trouble.

Ed. Hendricks brought in a monster head of cabbage this week weighing 39 pounds. He says he has larger ones, but R. N. Baker, who bought the one brought in, says that it will make enough sauerkrout to last him during the winter.

## *At Rest.*

At 8:45 o'clock this morning Wm. Hoffman Esq., one of Southern Oregon's most honored Pioneers departed this life after a short illness, aged 84 years, 2 months and 7 days. Mr. Hoffman has been in failing health for two years past and had retired from business about a year since although he continued his active duties in the church and sabbath school until attacked with his last fatal illness. He was born in the city of Baltimore, Maryland, Sept. 7th, 1801, where he lived until 1814 and where he received both an English and German education, his parents having been of German descent. In 1814 he removed with a sister and brother-in-law to Boone county, Maryland, and began his business life as clerk in a mercantile establishment, being then but 13 years of age. Here he realized the great advantage of his German education, as almost the entire population were of German descent and generally spoke in that language. In 1816 he removed to Middletown, Maryland, and in partnership with a cousin, began merchandising on his own responsibility. In 1817 he was [illegible] German reformed church by the rite of confirmation. In 1820 he removed to Urbana, Ohio, and in 1821 to Cincinnatti, where he became business manager of a large mercantile business, in which his brother in law was engaged, and in which he gave such entire satisfaction by his prompt and conscientious discharge of duty that he was taken into full partnership in the firm and remained until 1824. At the earnest solicitation of relatives in Maryland he returned to his native state in that year, and again engaged in merchandising. Here he was elected one of the trustees of the German reformed church being then but 23 years of age, and here he began his labors in the Sabbath school and prayer meeting which he continued with untiring zeal and devotion until stricken down with his last fatal illness. In 1832 his father died and two years later his mother, and being no longer drawn by the endearing ties of home life, he again moved west in 1835, and settled in Attica, Fountain county, Indiana. In 1836 he again visited Maryland and was married September 22nd that year to his estimable wife Caroline B. Shaffer who still survives him. They began their married life in Attica, and in 1840 he was elected recorder of Fountain county for a six year's term, and was re elected in 1846, serving the county for 12 years. In 1841, having removed to Covington, the county seat, he and his wife united with the new School Presbyterian church, of which he then became a ruling elder. In 1853, Mrs. Hoffman being a sufferer from asthma, they decided to remove to the Pacific Coast for the benefit of her health, and with their two children, in company with Dr. McKennett of Portland, they made the six months journey across the plains, arriving in Southern Oregon in October of that year. Here he engaged in farming for two years. In 1855 he was elected county auditor under the territorial government, and held the office until state organization, when he was elected county clerk, and was continued in the office by re election until 1866. In that year he was appointed a notary public, and held the position until he retired from business. He was also a U. S. Commissioner by appointment of Judge Deady, and the agent of several different life insurance companies, and also land agent. In 1866 he engaged with Hon. Henry Klipple in the hardware business and continued it for 5 years. He was a member of the Presbyterian church of Jacksonville, and during his entire life he was the leading spirit of the church and Sunday school work, having been superintendent of the Presbyterian Sunday school since its organization, and before that superintendent of the Union Sunday school. He was a member of the Pioneer society of Southern Oregon and had served it faithfully both as president and secretary, and although in poor health he attended the annual re-union in Ashland this year. The life work of a good and useful man is finished, and the earthly habiliments are exchanged for the robes of righteousness that await times faithful laborers on the shores of Eternity. Just as the joyous sunbeams of the bright autumn morning were gilding the mountain tops his spirit took its flight for eternity, lighting up the dark passage across the mystic river, and wafted back to us over the turbulent waters comes the glad voice of the unseen angels, as heaven re echoes the joyful strains, "well done good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of the Lord." He leaves a wife and six daughters, five of whom are married, and a host friends to mourn his loss. He was attended in his last hours by his family every member being present, and we extend to them our sincere sympathy in their hour of bereavement, trusting that the magnitude of their loss may be the measure of their consolation, for he leaves behind him the good will of the entire community and not a heart but is saddened by the blow of the merciless reaper who has this day garnered a full ripe sheaf, and left us only the memory of a pure and upright life, and we feel that the world is the better for his living in it though the home altar is desolate and the voice of the devout christian forever silent in the dreamless sleep of death. Rest his soul in peace.

Archbishop Gross of Portland held several meetings in the Catholic Church here this week and at no time was the Church large enough to hold all that wanted to hear him. He is an eloquent and convincing speaker and we look for a large audience to greet him at the lecture to be delivered in the Court House next Monday night.

## ORDINANCE No. 85.

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO KEEPING SWINE WITHIN CERTAIN LIMITS, AND PREVENT SWINE FROM RUNNING AT LARGE, WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF JACKSONVILLE.

*The People of the Town of Jacksonville do Ordain as follows:*

SECTION 1. That there shall be, and hereby is, laid off and designated an extent or area, at present including the business portion of Jacksonville, bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the junction of First and Pine streets, running thence with the North line of Pine street to Third street; thence with the East line of Third street to A or main street; thence with the South line of A or main street to Fourth street; thence with the East line of Fourth street to C street; thence with the South line of C street to First; thence with the East line of First street to the place of beginning: that, within said area or business portion of this corporation no hog or pig shall be kept or fed, under penalty of a fine of not less than one dollar nor more than two dollars per day for each hog or pig so kept, to be recovered from the owners of said hogs, or from persons occupying the premises on which said hogs may be found.

SEC. 2. Outside of the foregoing described area or business [illegible] of Jacksonville, but within [illegible] of the corporation, hogs [illegible] subject to the following r[illegible] that when any complaint s[illegible] made to the Board of Trustees, or the President thereof, that the keeping of swine by any one is productive of nuisance, or injury, to any neighbor of the same, the President shall have the same examined, and if he is satisfied that the charge is well founded, shall order the removal of the swine within the next twenty-four hours, under the same penalty as in Section 1, for any further delay.

SEC. 3. Any hog or hogs, pig or pigs, found running at large, within the corporate limits of the Town of Jacksonville, shall be taken up by the Marshal of said Town, and impounded in a pound, or enclosure, provided by said Marshal for such purposes; such hog or hogs, pig or pigs, shall be provided with proper care, food and water, while so confined.

SEC. 4. The Marshal shall give immediate notice of the taking up of such hog or hogs, pig or pigs, with a description thereof, by posting the same in three conspicuous places within the corporate limits of the Town of Jacksonville, and he shall state in such notices that the hog or hogs, pig or pigs, will be sold at the pound within three days from the date of such notice, if not redeemed by the owner thereof before the expiration of said three days.

SEC. 5. Any hog or hogs, pig or pigs, taken up under this ordinance, and remaining in the pound three days after the date of posting the notices of the taking up shall be sold by the Marshal, at the pound, to the highest bidder, for cash, without further notice, and after deducting his legal fees for taking up, posting, feeding and selling the same, he shall pay the remainder of the proceeds of such sale into the town treasury.

SEC. 6 If, at any time before such sale, the owner of any hog or hogs, pig or pigs, taken up under this ordinance shall claim the same, he or she, shall be entitled to the possession of the same upon the payment of all legal charges and expenses incident to such taking up and keeping.

SEC. 7. One sow with a litter of suckling pigs shall be counted as two hogs under this ordinance.

SEC. 8. If the owner of any hog or hogs, pig or pigs, sold under the provisions of this ordinance, shall, at any time within thirty days from the date of such sale, make satisfactory proof to the Board of Trustees that he, she or they are the owners of such hog or hogs, pig or pigs, he or they shall be entitled to receive the net proceeds of such sale on deposit in the town treasury.

SEC. 9. The fees of the Marshal for taking up, posting, feeding and selling hogs or pigs under this ordinance, shall be as follows: For taking up and posting, one hog he shall receive one dollar and twenty-five cents, and for each additional hog belonging to the same band, he shall receive fifty cents per head. For feeding such hogs he shall receive twenty-five cents per day, for each hog fed by him and any fraction of a day shall be counted as a whole day. For selling such hogs he shall receive for one hog fifty cents; for selling two or more hogs at one sale he shall receive twenty-five cents per head.

SEC. 10. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SEC. 11. As an emergency exists, this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Read third time and passed Nov. 3d, 1885.

QUARTZ MILL.—L. D. Brown, proprietor of the St. Charles Hotel at Portland, is with us again and with certain considerations, which are very reasonable, declares his intention to put up a ten stamp mill here comprising all the latest machinery invented up to this time. The mill that Mr. Brown proposes putting up, for the time will be a custom mill, ready to crush any rock brought there, thus giving an opportunity to test all the numerous ledges in this vicinity. The well-known reputation of Mr. Brown as a mill to do citizens [illegible] Portland, and his willingness to [illegible] proportion of the amount [illegible] to start it up, ought to convince everyone that there is no brag about it and our citizens should all join in and make it a success. There are plenty of paying quartz ledges in this section and the working of some of them would make better times than we now enjoy.

CLOSE CALL.—J. R. Johnson and John X. Miller have been in charge of Wm. Bybee's sheep in Klamath county during the summer and returned with the band on Wednesday last. When coming through the Dead Indian country they encountered a snow storm, where they were delayed several days in three feet of snow. Altogether they were in snow eight days with 1,900 head of sheep and when it is related that only eleven head were lost on the trip some may doubt it. Such is the fact however a warm rain coming to their rescue just in the right time.

This is one of the curious things floating about. Take a piece of paper, and upon it put in figures of your age in years. Multiply it by two; then add to the result obtained the figures 3768; add two, and divide by two. Substract from the result obtained the number of your years on earth, and see if you do not obtain figures that you will not be likely to forget.

## *Circuit Court Proceedings.*

The following proceedings have taken place in the circuit court for Josephine county since the last report of the SENTINEL.

State vs D. Stonebraker; three indictments for killing deer in violation of law. Continued.

State vs. Hay Ung; indictment for robbing sluices. Verdict of guilty and defendant sentenced to three years' imprisonment in penitentiary.

State vs. Thos T. Bybee; indictment for an assault with intent to kill. Continued.

State vs. M. L. Woody and Blake Baldwin; indictment for selling liquor without license. Same.

State vs. High Acres; indictment for killing deer in violation of the law. Same.

State vs. Avery Ferrin and D. Stonebraker. Same.

State vs. Chas. and Daniel Agee and ——Gates. Same.

Wm. Newman vs. Wm. Bybee; to recover possession of real property. Settled and dismissed.

T. T. Bybee vs. Wm. Bybee; to recover money. Continued.

Wm. Bybee vs. T. T. Bybee; action for damages. Same.

Grave Creek Ditch & Mining Co. vs. John Rast et al; to recover damages. Verdict for $11 65.

Sophia Duncan vs. Chas. Duncan; divorce. Decree granted.

J. Bourne, Jr., vs. the County Commissioners of Josephine county; injunction. Continued.

J. T. Layton vs. O. F. Topping; injunction. Settled and dismissed.

Kerbyville Lodge of Odd Fellows vs. Wm. Griffin; to foreclose mortgage.

Pollard & Thurston vs. Henry Smith; equity; continued.

State vs. Geo. W. Lewis; indictment for an assault with intent to kill. Continued.

State vs. L. Leonard; indictment for marking another's animal. Continued.

Adjourned to Feb. 1, 1886.



SUMMONS.

In the Circuit court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Jackson.

Mary A. Donegan, plaintiff.
vs.
John Donegan, defendant.

To John Donegan:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF Oregon and by order of L. R. Webster Judge of said court dated 24, October, 1885. You are required to appear in said Court, and answer the complaint of said Plaintiff filed against you, on or before the 11th day of January, 1886. And you are notified that, if you fail to answer said complaint as above required, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein, to wit: For a decree against you for a divorce and the care and custody of the minor children.

Given under my hand this 21st day of October A. D., 1885.

B. F. DOWELL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.