THE PLAINDEALER

MARCH 19, 1896.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

ROSEBURG, ORE., March 18, 1896.

BAROMETER {5 a. m. Pacific time—30.12. {5 p. m. Pacific time—29.99.

Maximum temperature, 69.

Minimum temperature, 39.

Rainfall for the 24 hours ending 5 p. m., 0.00.

Total rainfall since 1st of month, 2.14.

Average rainfall for this month for 18 years, 3.37.

Total rainfall from Sept. 1, 1895, to date, 28.25.

Average rainfall from Sept. 1, to date, 26.94.

Accumulated excess from Sept. 1, 1895, to date, 1.31.

Average precipitation for 18 wet seasons, 37.36.

The weather flags displayed represent the forecast applying to the 24 hours ending at 8 p. m. to-morrow. (If more than one kind of weather is predicted for that period, the conditions first named in the forecast will be represented by the uppermost weather flag.) A white flag indicates clear or fair weather; a blue flag, rain or snow. The flag of which the upper half is white and the lower half blue, local rain or snow. A black triangular pennant indicates the temperature and when displayed above a weather flag indicates warmer, and when displayed below, cooler. The temperature flag is never displayed alone. Its absence indicates stationary temperature. The cold wave flag, white with black square in the center, when displayed on the Pacific coast, indicates frost.

THOS. GIBSON, OBSERVER.

PORTLAND, OR., March 19, 1896; 8 a. m.—Weather forecast for the next 36 hours, for Roseburg and vicinity:

This afternoon, tonight and Friday rain. Cooler.

PAGUE, Local Forecast Official.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Go to A. C. Marsters & Co. for school books.

County claims and warrants bought by D. S. West.

A good farm to trade for city property. Inquire at this office.

Munyon's Homeopathic Remedies at A. C. Marsters & Co.'s drug store.

Buy one dollar's worth of groceries at Allison's and get the $5.00 in gold.

Bring your clocks and watches to Slow Jerry the reliable jeweler for repairs.

Myrtle Creek flour, only 80 cents per sack. Delivered free. A. C. HOXIE.

A full assortment of cigars of all qualities, tobaccos and pipes at H. Easton's.

Hay; choice oat hay, $8.00, timothy, $9.00 per ton, delivered. Cawlfield's Feed Store.

Extracts of all kinds, teas, coffee of the best qualities. Orange and lemon peel at Easton's.

Printers' ink, quantity, quality and prices, are moving goods from the shelves at Allison's.

Safe for sale, as good as new, in good order. A bargain for cash. Call at H. Easton's grocery store.

Call and examine the new goods at the Variety store, one block east of the depot, corner of Pine and Lane Streets.

E. Du Gas, Physician and Surgeon, office in Marsters' building. Calls in town and country promptly answered night or day.

Call on Slow Jerry and examine his Seth Thomas clocks, watches and gold bowed eye glasses. Cheaper than ever offered in this city.

The finest line of pants goods in the city will be found at J. P. Jackson's. Give him a call and look over his line. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Don't forget that T. L. Stubblefield, opposite the depot, makes and mends boots and shoes on most reasonable terms and guarantees satisfaction.

Gold! Gold!! Gold!!! $5.00 in gold will be given away at Allison's grocery on April first. One dollar cash purchase gives you a number. Call and see.

Dr. F. W. Haynes, the dentist, does allkinds of dental work in a most scientific manner. His work speaks for itself. Dental parlors in Mark's building.

Slow Jerry the jeweler has 14 carat filled gold ladies watches now on sale. Prices reduced from $25 to $15, decided bargains. Don't fail to examine them before purchasing elsewhere.

The old reliable hostelry, the well-known McClallen House of this city "Still lives." Its table is supplied with the best the market affords. Charges reasonable. Free bus to and from the train.

A lady stepped in at Allison's the other day, and priced a few groceries, then exclaimed: "Why, they have been charging me more for everything I have bought; I guess I know where to go now." See.

Good pastureage for stock at reasonable rates by the month. All stock taken absolutely and entirely at owner's risk in every particular. For particulars enquire of C. A. Blackman, Roberts creek.

The cheap rates of five dollars cabin and two-fifty steerage including meals and berth are still in effect on the O. R. & N. Co's. steamers from Portland to San Francisco.

Steamer leaves Portland every five days.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands Chilblains, Corns, and all skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded Price 25 cents per box. For sale at A. C. Marsters & Co.

"Liverine.

"Liverine," manufactured by the Anchor S Chemical Co., the great Liver, Kidney and Constipation cure. An infallible remedy for all curable forms of diseases of those organs. The greatest known remedy for Indigestion. Try it. For sale at M. F. Rapp's drug store, Roseburg, Oregon.

BRIEF MENTION.

The gentle rains are falling.

Prices marked in plain figures at the Racket Store.

Sam'l. Whitsett of Deer Creek is in the city today.

Miss Smythe of Eugene is registered at the Van Houten.

Chas. Davis of Oakland is registered at the McClallen.

S. W. Kelley of Oakland is registered at the McClallen.

J. Beckley of Oakland is registered at the Van Houten.

A. F. Brown of Oakland is in the city today on business.

Ed Browning of Myrtle Creek is registered at the McClallen.

Hiram Gallas of Myrtle Creek is a guest at the Van Houten.

Mrs. W. A. Mulkey of Myrtle Creek is a guest at the McClallen.

The total amount of 1895 taxes collected to date is $4049.68.

J. A. Sterling, County Assessor, is a guest at the Van Houten.

Capt. Geo. W. Peters came over from Oakland on yesterday's local.

Rev. I. D. Driver will deliver a course of lecturers in this city, beginning next Thursday evening.

Out of weakness comes strength when the blood has been purified, enriched and vitalized by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

LOST—An order book; also I. O. G. T. pin. Finder please leave at post office. MRS. J. E. LEE

We have had several days of dry weather, but today we are having a warm shower that will greatly aid vegitation.

JAR OF MONEY given away to advertise our goods and prices. 50 cent purchase entitles you to a guess at Richard's Cash Racket Store.

The funeral of Hyman Abraham, who died at Portland yesterday, will take place at 10 o'clock tomorrow, under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity.

Mr. Fred Tolles, the painter, has executed a very fine piece of ornamental lettering on the window of John Beard's cigar store. It is the cynosure of all pedestrians who pass that emporium.

J. P. Jackson has received another large assortment of samples, which he invites the public to come and inspect. For quality and prices he can't be beat. A PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED.

Parties desiring to buy shrubbery or plants from the greenhouse of the late Dr. Bunnell, will have an opportunity on Saturday, March 21st. Some one will be there during the day to show the same.

Illustrated health talk to mothers and daughters, will be given under the auspices of the Viavi Co., at the M. E. Church, Saturday, March 21st at 3 p. m. by the State Manager of Oregon, Mrs. Mary Brazil. No admission charged.

A pleasant time was had at the residence of Miss Clara Hein yesterday, on the occasion of her birthday. The usual festivities were indulged in, and all was innocent hilarity and enjoyment for the young people who participated therein.

A course of lectures will be given by the pastors of Roseburg in aid of the Roseburg Academy. The first lecture will be delivered by Rev. G. Kennedy on "Pioneer Camp Life," at the Presbyterian Church on Friday, March 20th at 7:30 p. m. Admission 25 cents.

Let those interested (and all good citizens should be) be present at the court house Thursday night and help to organize in good shape a board of immigration. An organization of that kind is very much needed and now is the time to start the ball rolling. See call elsewhere.

There is an old pioneer in Roseburg who sleeps upon a bed, the feathers of which were plucked from geese in Missouri in 1844, brought across the plains and slept upon in 1845, packed in a deer skin and conveyed to California in 1847, brought back to Oregon by water in the fall of 1848, and now is stirred up every morning for the old pioneer to sleep on at night and dream of the good old times when "Oregon was new, my boy." The last news received from Missouri in relation to those geese, they were still being plucked of feathers without making a squawk.

From Wednesday's Daily.

E. E. Palmer of Drain is in the city today.

J. B. Riddle of Riddle is at the McClallen.

G. H. Carter of Portland is at the McClallen.

E. N. Ewart of Winchester is in the city today.

W. F. Sutherlin of Oakland is at the Van Houten.

H. Dean of Camas Valley is at the Van Houten.

James Cox of Canyonville is a guest at the McClallen.

Dave Comstock of Deer Creek is in the city today.

N. M. Daniels of Portland is a guest at Hotel Van Houten.

J. R. Sutherlin of Umpqua is regietered at the Van Houten.

Geo. B. Wallace of San Jose, Cal., is registered at the McClallen.

G. W. Kimball left on this morning's overland for San Francisco.

J. G. Wright of Looking Glass made the PLAINDEALER a pleasant call today.

L. Bilyeu of Eugene, a prominent attorney of that city, is a guest at the Van Houten while a counselor before the circuit court.

Married, at the residence of W. L. Deardorff, Oakland, March 12, 1896, Jesse L. Tooley and Ida M. Spoon, B. J. Bovingdon, J. P., officitaing.

Mr. Robt. Anlauf of Comstock, who had a cause in court against the S. P. R. R. Co., got judgment for $50 damages for killing some of his stock by a verdict of the jury. He left for home today on the freight tolerably well pleased with the result of his case.

Mr. Sol Abraham of this city received a telegram this afternoon that his brother, Hyman, of Portland, dropped dead about 1 p. m. on the street near the corner of Third and Yamhill of heart failure.

Today a Californian, boasting in the sobriquet of "Tennessee Bill," and who had imbibed quite freely in bourban, alias corn juice, till his patriotism became exuberant braced up against a wall and began to yell at the top of his voice, "Hurrah for James H. Budd!" Marshalls Cannon and Slocum soon tackled him and led him off to the cooler, where his ardent Budd partisanship can gradually subside.

Tuesday evening just after the PLAINDEALER went to press an alarm of fire was rung and the Hook and Ladder companies quickly responded. The fire was in the house of Chas. Clements on Douglas street, nearly opposite the court house. No material damage was done by the fire, which originated by a lamp flame catching in the window curtains while Mrs. Clements was heating some curling irons for crimping her hair. The fire company was soon on hand with a couple of babcock extinguishers and soon the distructive flames were mastered and a possible conflagration averted.

A NEW COLONY.

From J. W. Newman of the Oregon Fruit Colony of Columbus, Ohio, who made this office a pleasant call yesterday, we learn that the colony has perfected all arrangements and will soon begin active operations on their 2200-acre tract on the North Umpqua, recently purchased from Sheridan Bros. known as the old Tipton ranch. The colony, which comprises fifty steady and industrious men and their families, purpose setting out this coming fall, 500 acres of choice fruit trees, principally prunes, and another 500 acres in the near future. Some of the colonists are now here and more will follow as their labor is required. From a hasty glance at the plans of the colony, as printed in pamphlet form, each of the fifty colonists will have a deed to twenty-two acres—two acres near the center of the tract on which neat residences will be erected, ten acres planted to prunes and ten acres to other fruits or production at the option of the owner. The remaining 1000 acres will be devoted to general farming purposes under the management of a board of directors chosen by the colony. The young colony starts out with every prospect of success, and will, we trust, realize their most sanguine expectations. We cordially welcome the new comers.

Protection From Fire.

In view of the fact that fires are becoming numerous the people are beginning to feel uneasy as to the possible result for the future while the hydrants are disconnected from the mains. There ought to be something done to protect our city in case of fires in the future. Dry weather is now approaching and in case of a fire breaking out the city might be laid in ashes in an hour or two if water or other means for extinguishing them be not provided. We would suggest that a mass meeting be called to consider the matter and if thought advisable to ask the city council to take some active measures to provide against a possible calamity by fire. The city council and the Water Co. should either come to some understanding about water for fire purposes or they should provide other means of protection. Further delay is delay is dangerous.

God's Regular Army.

This little band of zealous religious workers are still holding meetings at the barracks. A new feature has been added to their programme, a violin has been added to the musical part, with an agreeable effect. It is not fiddle—it is violin—yet it is catgut music all the same, and the dancing is of a worshipful character, one at a time, male or female, moving up or down the stage pleading with sinners to shun the broad and crooked road to hell and seek the straight and narrow path that leads to life eternal. Though their work pertains to man's eternal happiness or misery, yet they seem very little concerned about it.

Church Entertainment.

Following is the programme to be given at the Christian church Saturday night March 21st, 1896:

Quartette, Messrs. Shupe and Hooten, Misses Mettie Rapp and Maud Ragon.

Bachelor's Budget, Mr. J. H. Shupe.

Solo, Mrs. Minkler.

Recitation, Leona Shupe.

Duet, Misses Rapp and Ragon.

Five minutes talk on bachelorism, C. A. Sehlbrede.

Quartette.

All are cordially invited to attend. Supper will be served for 10 cents by the gentlemen of the church.

The Driver Lectures

Will begin at the M. E. church in this city, March 26, (next week, Thursday night) and will continue through the following nights of the week. His first lecture will be entitled, "What made the Yankee." The proceeds of these lectures will be added to the building fund of the church.

A Board of Immigration.

EDITOR PLAINDEALER:—Will you please say that there will be a meeting of the citizens of Roseburg at the court house Thursday night March 26th at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of meeting Mr. B. S. Pague, and organizing a local board of immigration.

D. S. K. BUICK AND OTHERS.

TELEGRAPH NEWS

A Fruitless Session.

FRANKFORT, Ky., March 17.—When the usual ballot was taken for United States senator today, the last day of the session, there was no election.

When the clerk called the roll the democrats refused to vote. The ballot was then ordered for United States senator. Neither the democrats nor the republicans voted, and the joint assembly then adjourned sine die.

In the house Mr. Barnett offered a resolution indorsing the action of the governor in calling out the militia.

Howard moved the previous question. Almost every democrat in the house was demanding to be heard. The speaker ruled the previous question ordered, and no speeches were in order. At least half a dozen democrats were speaking in the greatest confusion: "Bayonet rule," "Carpet-baggers," "Military," "Anarchy," "Cowardice," and such epithets being thrown at the republicans.

The resolution was adopted by an aye and no vote, 51 to 44.

Colonel E. H. Gaither met Jack Chinn near the Capitol hotel today and said: "How are you Jack?"

Chinn replied: "G—d d—n you, don't you speak to me," and made a movement for his hip pocket.

Before a weapon could be drawn General Hardin pushed in between the two men and succeeded in preventing a fight.

Colonel Gaither said to Chinn: "I am ready for you any time, sir. It don't matter whether you speak to me or not."

W. A. Dunlap, to whom was given Kaufman's seat in the house, arrived from Lexington today. When asked whether he would vote in the joint assembly, Dunlap said: "I will not. I am here on other business."

A meeting of Blackburn democrats is to be held tonight, which will be the opening of the free-silver campaign in Kentucky.

War Credit Voted.

ROME, March 17.—In the chamber of deputies today the new premier, Marquis di Rudini, announced that the government would continue hostilities in Abyssinia until peace could be concluded on honorable terms agreeable to Italy.

The announcement was received with cheers, and a credit of 140,000,000 lire for expenses of the campaign in Africa was unanimously voted.

When the news came to be known the populace cheered heartily for the government and for the Italian soldiery.

The Uruan Incident.

NEW YORK, March 17.—A dispatch to the Herald from Caracas says:

Important cable messages about the Uruan incident have passed between the Venezuelan minister at Washington and the goverment officials here; also between minister Thomas and Secretary Olney. There is good ground for believing that Venezuela has been told that she must separate the incident from the boundary dispute. It is reported that Venezuela has accepted the advice.

La Guayra and the capital are excited over the report that a British fleet is due here tomorrow to enforce the claim.

Filibusters Sentenced.

PHILADELPHIA, March 17.—The officers of the steamer Horsa, recently convicted of carrying an armed expedition of Cuban insurgents, were today sentenced as follows, by Judge Butler, of the United States district court: Captain J. S. Wilberg, one year and four months in the penitentory, and to pay a fine of $300 and costs; Mate Jens P. Petersen and Hans Johannsen, eight months in the county prison and a fine of $100 and costs each.

More Battle Ships.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The house committee on naval affairs decided today to provide in the appropriation bill for four new battle ships and 15 torpedo-boats. The battle ships are to be 11,000 tons and cost not more than $3,750,000, exclusive of armor and armament. Ten torpedo boats are to cost $800,000 each, and five $850,000 each. The proposition to build six battle-ships was lost by a vote of 6 to 7, only one republican voting for that number.

Endured Terrible Tortures.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—The true story of the tortures and privations endured by the crew of the sealing schooner Mattie T. Dyer, which was wrecked on the French Frigate coral reef, on February 22, was not known until the castaways arrived here from Honolulu on the cruiser Bennington.

No lives were lost in the disaster, but the seal hunters say it was only a merciful dispensation of Providence that prevented every one of them from dying on the sea under a broiling sun, of starvation and thirst. Six members of the crew spent eight days and nights in an open boat without a drop of water and but six small cans of preserved fruit.

The Election of Senators.

WASHINGTOE, March 17.—Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, is preparing his report in favor of an amendment to the constitution providing for the election of United States senators by a direct vote of the people. At its last meeting the committee on priviliges and elections by a vote of five to four, ordered a joint resolution looking to a change in this particular to be reported to the senate. It is Mr. Mitchell's intention to press the resolution for consideration.

"The house once passed a similar resolution," said Senator Mitchell, "and I believe is ready to pass another. There is a very strong feeling in the senate in favor of the change, and Senator Palmer, of Illinois, and others are anxious to have the matter brought up. I am satisfied we have in the senate a majority in its favor, but whether or not we have the required two-thirds is in doubt. We may have enough votes to pass it, and if we have, I believe the proposed amendment will be ratified by three-fourths of the states in the manner required by the constitution."

OAKLAND.

Stearns & Chenoweth ordered three more bicycles the other day.

Mrs. Bainbridge and Mrs. Whitiker are expected home from England some time in the forepart of April.

Our city marshal had a tussel with an unruly customer the other day, and took him down to the place of safe keeping.

Ed. Settle has the agency for the Eclipse bicycle. It is a wheel that is highly recommended for strength and durability.

Mr. C. M. Eppley a representative of Wm. Staiger's marble works of Salem was in town Friday of last week solicitting orders for the firm.

Prof. Hamlin of Roseburg was in town Saturday, and is offering himself as a candidate for school superintendent since Prof. Underwood has declined to become a candidate.

Henry M. Copland has on exhibition at Stearns & Chenoweth's a patent rocker for working in placer mines to save gold. We understand he will send some of them out south on trial.

The brass band has received a new cornet, ordered for them by Antone Law, our jeweler. Their leader, H. Mahoney, informed us that it was a good instrument and the band is progressing nicely.

Mr. E. C. Stewart of Portland, the owner of the Chenoweth Park property, was in town Saturday on business. He expects to have fifteen teams and some twenty men commence work on the fruit farm this week. His son D. W. Stuart will have charge of the work.

E. G. Young & Co. shipped a car load of beef cattle to Portland last week; they also made a shipment of chickens and dressed turkeys to San Francisco. This firm has received a shipment of new goods lately. They report last Saturday the best business day of the season.

We were interested the other evening in a description by F. W. McKechnie, the affable S. P. R. R. agent of our town, of the Sunset Limited train running between San Francisco and New Orleans carrying only through passengers for first class fare. It is a complete hotel on wheels, and is provided with sleeping berths and state rooms for those that wish them, parlor, drawing rooms, bath room, library room, barber shop and dining car. An excellent meal can be had for seventy-five cents, and if you want to pay a higher price you can do so by ordering accordingly. The trains leave San Francisco on Tuesdays and Saturdays and arrive in New Orleans on Saturdays and Wednesdays. These cars are dust proof and well ventilated, and in going through the hot desert they are kept cool. Parties wishing to travel with comfort should go by the Sunset Limited. TRILBY.

SCOTTSBURG.

F. Wells and C. Beckley of Elkton were down on Long Prairie recently, endeavoring to locate a coyote or two, and although reinforced by aids most numerous, his mutton loving lordship still remains, and many are the imprecations cast at him consigning him to the seas or someother region remote.

A little child of Jacob Sawyers who has been sick for some months, died on Sunday, the 15th inst., and was buried on the following Tuesday. The most deep and heartfelt symyathy is extended to the sorrowing parents, as this is the second time in 3 years they have laid a little one from their flock, away in the cold embrace of mother earth.

Eli Copeland will take charge of the Patterson Hotel in the near future. E. Patterson and wife will locate elsewhere.

Mr. PLAINDEALER, do allow the Review man to relieve his over burdened mind now and then, without catching him up so quickly. It amuses him and does'nt hurt any one else, not a bit.

Dr. W. Strange has advertised largely to be with the people of this burg, and attend to their molars or anything in his line. It is to be hoped for the benefit of those who need his services, that he will not make a failure of putting in an appearance as he did once before.

To the Voters of Douglas County.

By request of a large number of residents of my section of the county, I submit my name to the republican county convention as a candidate for the office of county commissioner. I have been a resident of Douglas county for twenty years and never have asked for recognition of any claims for office before. I believe I can give the taxpayers good and faithful service and will feel greatful to the convention should they place my name on the republican ticket for commissioner. A. W. HART.

To the Voters of Douglas County.

GENTLEMEN: I announce myself as a candidate before the republican convention for the nomination of representative to the legislature. If nominated and elected I *promise* on the *honor* of a *man*, to do everything in my power to lift the *heavy tax burdens* from the shoulders of the over-taxed people of the county and state. GEO. T. RUSSELL.

Dated at Oakland, Oregon, this 9th day of March, 1896.

A FEW QUESTIONS.

What's the matter with the Review? Editorial after editorial is poured out through its classical columns. Shades of Milton! There is an old Greek saying, that runs something like this, "Whom the gods desire to destroy they first make mad." The evil genii has touched the brain of the Review man with his infernal wand, and he rages like a caged beast, and threatens dire things to the American Protective Association. Is the Review American? Does it believe in the great fundamental doctrine, of free speech, free press, and free conscience? Macauley says: "Reformations never go backward, but always forward, with accelerating force." Pray how is the Review going to stamp this "curse" this "infamy" out? Will he and his force, armed cap-a-pie with "pop guns," "toy pistols," fully "accoutered like a knight of old" ride us down and utterly annihilate us? We thought we had a right to exist by a great fundamental law of the land, for which our fathers fought, but taking lessons from the causistry of Rome, the Review has learned that we ought to be "purged from the earth" and it proposes to cease not in its battle until the A. P. A. is no more forever. Then the language of the Review is delectable as well as its ideas. Read and be convinced. Say, Mr. Review, do you know that one of the laws of polemics is to state the principle you are fighting just as it is, and then show its inconsistancy with truth? Say, did you ever study logic? I trow not, from your editorials, or much of anything else. But let me put this principle of A. P. Aism to the Review.

1. Loyalty to true Americanism which knows neither birth place, race, creed, nor party, is the first requisite for membership in the American Protective Association.

I want an answer, "yes" or "no." Does the Review believe this? Don't equivocate. Don't squirm out of it. Say "yes," or say "no," or forever be silent in the future on A. P. Aism.

2. The American Protective Association is not a political party and does not control the political affiliation of its members, but it teaches them to be intensely active in the discharge of their political duties in or out of party lines, because it believes that all problems confronting our people will be best solved by a conscientious discharge of the duties of citizenship by every individual.

What is wrong about this, eh?

3. While tolerant of all creeds it holds that subjection to and support of any ecclesiastical powers not created and controlled by American citizens, and which claim equal if not greater sovereignty than the Government of the United States of America, is irreconcilable with American citizenship. It is therefore opposed to the holding of offices in the national, state or municipal governments by any subject or supporter of such ecclesiastical power.

Is this not American? What is wrong about it? Say.

4. We uphold the constitution of the United States of America, and no portion of it more than its guaranty of religious liberty; but we hold this religous liberty to be guaranteed to the individual, and not to mean that under its protection any un-American ecclesiacticism can claim absolute control over the education of children growing up under the Stars and Stripes.

What is wrong about that? Is not that American?

5. We consider the non-sectarian free public schools the bulwarks of American institutions, and the best places for the education of American children. To keep them such, we protest against the employment of subjects of any un-American ecclesiastical power as officers or teachers of our public schools.

Do you believe that it is sound American to turn over the public schools to sectarian control, be that control in the hands of Baptists, Methodists, Congregationalists, Presbyterians or popists? Or do you believe in public schools at all? Answer.

We will drop this for the time, and notice one of your correspondents from Roseburg signing himself "C". Of course we are pretty well satisfied who this protestant is that raves about the "bigoted, noisy and silly A. P. A." for his speech "bewrayeth" him. Of course two wrongs never made a right. Roger Williams was a patriot, and a benefactor of humanity, but as has been said, suppose the Baptist demand that his statue in the attitude of immersing a candidate shall be placed in a niche at the capitol and at the nation's or state's expense, thus to bespeak for all generations the Baptist faith, "C" would strenuously object, and justly. Marquette! Who is he? What did he do, that he should be enshrined in the American heart? What great idea did he give to the world? What great achievement did he perform? Wherein did his greatness lie, "C"? Did he make any discoveries? Who and what was he? Simply a Jesuit priest, who sought to give the Indians the Catholic religion, which he had a right to do. But who believes that he is "one of the noblest men in American history." Shade of Patrick Henry, spirits of the departed Washington, Webster, Clay, Lincoln, behold thy peer, thy equal, in the immortal Jesuit Marquette! Who knows this greatness, save "C"? Study history, "C", and acquaint thyself with facts. Don't take fancies for facts. MORE ANON.

To Trade.

Two lots in Marshfield for hogs.

Two and one half lots in North Roseburg, for stock; hack or buggy in part payment. Call on I. F. Rice & Co.

RIDDLE.

George Catching has gone to Merlin to help erect a saw mill for the Sugar Pine Manufacturing Co.

Sam Bolsinger was seen in our midst a few days ago.

Rev. Gillette filled his appointment here Sunday morning and evening. He will not hold a protracted meeting here this month.

Wright Gilmore has gone to Los Angeles, Cal., where his wife now is. He will remain indefinitely.

No newspaper yet. Wonder if our editor is going to wait until after the election to know which way to shoot.

This is beautiful weather to have your picture taken. Call on Mr. Hunt here in town.

Several of our citizens are in Roseburg this week as jurymen.

Mr. Bassett and Mr. Leet are the possessors of a partnership bicycle, and are becoming quite expert in riding.

Miss Ethel Riddle celebrated her 22d birthday at Glenbrook farm last Sunday. Quite a number spent a very enjoyable day there.

Mr. Summers has moved his family on the Fred Sanderson fruit farm.

George Frater has accepted a position with the railroad fencing gang. He went to Phoenix the 17th inst. where he will begin work.

Riddle's pie social has failed to materialize so far.

Miss Clara Stearns of Canyonville has been spending the week here with her sister, Mrs. Hattie Dyer.

Mr. W. Q. Brown, who has been very sick the past week, is reported some better.

Lawyer Willis of Roseburg was in Riddle one day last week on business.

Dr. Harris of Canyonville was called to Riddle to see Mr. Brown a few days ago.

Agent Basset was viewing the nickel mine Sunday. ENID.

Religious.

Monday night, Elder G. W. Ketchum preached at the Armory Hall to a rather small congregation. While the elder does not indulge in lofty flights of oratory, he is quite a ready speaker. Mr. Ketchum treated mostly of historical data as a means by which to establish certain eras mentioned in the Bible regarding the ages and dynasties of governments predicted by the prophet Daniel.

He also stated that while there are a great many more good people today than in days past there are also a great many more wicked ones, and that the percentage of wickedness is greater than that of goodness. Mr. Ketchum also preached Tuesday night in the hall.

Notice.

The county court adjourned to meet on the 6th day of April next. At that time all claims made by the circuit court now in session, will be allowed, that the warrants may be turned in to the sheriff on taxes for 1895, where they do not exceed over one-half the tax. All taxes will be delinquent on the 30th day of April, 1896, when cost will be added on all taxes not paid. No warrants will be taken on taxes after that date.

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Another Healer.

In Tuesday's Telegram is an account of a Wm. Putnam, another Mesiah or spiritual—magnetic healer, now domiciled in Portland. He is another Francis Schlatter. He claims to be inspired by the Almighty to work marvelous cures of the sick, lame, halt, blind and deaf.