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Dated this 8th day of March, 1887.
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ROSEBURG, OREGON, THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 1897.

A Batch of Newsy Letters from Various Localities,

### Drain Items.

Howard Smith of Tin Pot is on the

Your correspondent visited the Jesse Applegate family cemetery a few days since. Uncle Jesse and his wife lay in graves side by side, also his sons, Robert and Dan and a short way off is the grave of Gertrude, his eldest daughter, wife of Hon. J. D. Fay of Jackson Co. Their son James, is still at Jacksonville, a typo in the Times office. I noticed also the graves of Susan and Elijah Estes, who for many years kept the old stage station at Estes, some 4 miles north of Drain, at the foot of the Calapoola mountains. The tombstones in the grave yard are good, but the grave of the grand old pioneer, Jesse, the father of our state constitution, should be cared for and kept by the state of Oregon. A marble shaft should be erected that could be easily seen from the railroad by persons on passing trains near to the wagon road. The yard is situated on the old Jesse donation claim, and he reserved 1½ acres for the family plot and it is on a small flat and easily seen from all sides. It is finely located. A new there is to be built located. A new change relative to a political cause, but WOODWARD fence is to be built—lumber and material now on the ground. Yes, I say again, the noble old pioneer should be remembered by Oregonians. He was the Henry Clay of Oregon.

Boswell Springs, two miles south of Desire the state of the state of

Boswell has made many improvements. His hotel has at least 20 rooms, and close by is another building for billiard room, etc., are four good sleeping apartments, a large hall, 26x78 feet, the lower floor for a dancing room and upper story is partitioned off into large roomy bedrooms. And at the hotel a large building full of bath tube; you can have hot or cold baths of the mineral water. Many come from a distance for rheumatism and kidney trouble, etc. The culi-

Roads are all the talk. A petition is junction, one to go to Hayhurst and the other to John Allen's.

## Elkton.

Considerable snow to be seen on the currounding mountains the first of the There is still quite a number of horses on the sicklist in this neighborhood.

Mr. A. Binder has been quite ill for broom in her hand and send him to witthe past few days and his friends hope ness its use. Such things are important, that he may soon be restored to health

A. J. Huddleston and Frank Kent have bid adieu to farming and farm associations and gone to Roseburg, court-

this place last Saturday, and went to and temptations teset him and he needs A SPECIALTY. Center Bend Sunday. Just ask E. O. and Charles Huddles-

San Francisco. Mrs. Sprague moved last week from the Levin's house on Elk creek to a house on the hill in the north part of the People of Douglas County

Mr. J. A. Culey, the genial knight of the reins on the stage line between here and Scottsburg, was on the sick list last

week, and Mr. A, L. Smith assumed command of the cayuses.

attractive residences in this locality.

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I had pantries, and we hope they may soon be brought to justice. If by no other means, by running up against the business end of a shot-gun. A strong suspicion is resting on a certain party, and they had better look a little out.

SCRIBE.

I stractor at my beck and call, or salary to get descriptions right, and if I hired a man I had papers served on me to discharge him, but Jallowable charges since my time of office. I had no township maps to check off as should have been done in '91 or since. Things are different now days, don't you see.

Late of the control of the co

## Calapoola.

Snow and rain and then it snows. Oh when will it quit? Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Winniford were the guests of Mr. Bishop of the upper Calapooia, last Sunday.

wood, last week.

C. A McNabb made a flying trip to Roseburg the first of the week. R. O. Lehman is going to build a fine house on his farm on the Tyee this sum-mer. We will miss R. O. from our midst

when it comes blackberry time, so the ladies say. Frank Garrell, one of our near neigh-bors, has lost several head of stock sheed Spring must surely be close at hand, for the grouse hoot on the hill tops and

the Chinamen crow in the wheat fields. You are welcome, beautiful spring.

bles, and invented by Master Thomas Leatherford. It is one of the most in-teresting games of the day. It is a large ring made on the mill floor and the one that knocks the most marbles out of the ring gets the game. Name it for them,

#### Prosperity Visible,

Already, after the restoration of confidence, the effects have reached Western Oregon and more especially the fertile and productive valleys of Douglas county and the people who inhabit the many beutiful valleys of our county, striving to make advancements, feel confident under the new administration that a prospective striving to make advancements. perous time is not far distant and confi- July. dence has really been restored and pros-perity is now being restored.

forded by our own production and the enormous amount of money paid out for the same heretofore will remain with a

Our mines, both placer and quartz, are being developed by putting in hydraulic machinery and stamping mills,

These improvements may not be changes relative to a political cause, but we know they are of recent origination

maintaining permanent effects.

In spending a few days in the flourishing village of Wilbur and vicinity, I find the cultivation of hop yards and pruning complete fruit evaporator that has ever been constructed. The way in which the heat is generated and equalized, the simplicity in rotation of tray carriers and the manner in which the fruit is pre-sented at the door, are all points of important consideration. These have all been perfected in the J. W. Mote evaporator, now complete and on exhibition. Again it will meet the demands of the people in respect to size, which are conveniently arranged for evaporation of all kinds of fruit, a number of sizes with

sizes being shipped complete. Roads are all the talk. A petition is out for a road to Boswell Springs on the north bank of Elk creek. I understand but make them an absolute necessity a remonstrance will be circulated too.

And the people of lower Drain want a bridge and road on the south bank of this machine or address J. W. Mote, of Elk creek to intersect the old road to Wilbur, who will give you any information of the creek to intersect the old road to the creek to intersect the creek to i Boswell Springs and a road down Elk tion desired, as he has made this busicreek to Morningstars, and there from a a life study.

T. D.

## Why a Man Needs a Wife.

To Our Old Bachelors: It is not to that a man wants a wife. If this is all he needs, hired help can do it cheaper than a wife. If this is all, when a young man calls to see a lady, send him into the pantry to taste the bread and cake she has made; send him to inspect the needlework and bed making, or put a look after them; but what the true man wants with a wife is her companionship, sympathy and love. The way of life has many dreary places in it and man needs a companion to go with him. A man is sometimes overtaken by misfortune; Mr. T. J. Wilson, attorney at law, of Oakland, was interviewing friends at one to stand by and sympathize. He has some hard battles to fight with poverty, enemies and with sin, and be needs ton what they did with the skin of the bear that they treed in a large hole in a around her he feels he has something to fight for. She will help him to fight all Mr. A. E. Ozonf and wife of Scotts-burg, and Miss Wade of Gardiner passed through here last week on their way to man needs a woman's love. Happy he who finds it. Rosesup.

DRAIN, Or., March 12th, 1897. Assessor Britt says that the roll of 1896 has many wrong descriptions of land and town lots, and some not listed. No doubt of it. But it seems queer after Mr. W. H. Stark has the roof on his a \$7500 abstract of 1891 such errors ocnew residence which he is building cur. For these errors owners are often near town, and when it is completed it to blame, and assessors in field and will be one of the most commodious and office make errors; but I tried hard to attractive residences in this locality.

There are some miscreants living in or near this town who seem to make a livilistractor at my beck and call, or salary to

## Two Contests.

Tony Noltner, the veteran newspaper man, becomes a little reminiscent in a ecent issue of his paper, the Dispatch 'Retribution is sometimes slow but sure It is a quarter of a century since Senator time friends on the upper Calapooia this week. Ed says he had a fine visit with W. B. Clark, the Nasby of Mill-wood, last week. re-election. That memorable contest is still fresh in the minds of many. Now Senator Corbett has his revenge in the defeat of the man who then caused his own. While Mr. Mitchell then suc-ceeded, he has met with a greater defeat at the hands of his antagonist at this time. The senatorial contests of 1872 and 1897 form an interesting history in Oregon's politics. Senator Mitchell and his followers have no grounds for com-plaint. It is only an act of long delayed retribution."

A California man named Moon was presented with a daughter by his wife. That was a new moon. The old man was so overcome that he went off and Miss Alice Bishop was visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Winniford of lower Calapooia last week,

The old married men that live near the Rochester Mills have a new game running; the game is played with mar-

### Neighborhood News.

Since the postoffice has been changed a robbery which occurred nearly a year since has leaked out. It was kept a hopes of capture. The amount lost was made good by Postmaster Black, aggre-gates several hundred dollars. The principal amount was in United States stamps,—Marshfield Sun.

The cold weather of the past few weeks is generally acknowledged to be of bene-fit to the fruit crop,—Coquille Bulletin. The Coquille River Life Saving Station at Bandon will be increased from seven to eight members the first of next

E. Pannenberg, who in the past has "jumped" from nearly every state in the union and who at one time "jumped" the office of county clerk of Cooe county, Our industries are all brightening up the office of county clerk of Coos county, with a vast improvement to what they were formerly, moreover new ones have been introduced which include the best been introduced which include the best ing Co.'s mining claim on the sixes. It ing Co.'s mining claim on the sixes. It whereas the proper cultivation is all that is rumored that other prominent and in-is necessary for the production in abun-fluential members of the pop party are dant quantities. By the establishment of factories the many tons of sugar control in our county annually will be af-

enormous amount of money paid out for the same heretofore will remain with a free circulation in our immediate vicin- Portland and San Francisco, calling at Eureka and Coos bay.

There is a law in this state against the destruction of song birds and their nests and it should be enforced.—Answer to query of Libby correspondent.-Sun.

### To Prevent Forest Fires.

One of the most important acts enacted by the last congress to those settlers liv-ing in the timbered sections in the Pacific Northwest was the one which re-Drain, is every year becoming a noted resort for health and pleasure. Captain complete fruit avaporator that he was the one which resort for health and pleasure. Captain complete fruit avaporator that he was the one which reest fires on the public domain. Follow-ing is the full text of the new law:

"Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled. That any person who shall wilfully or maliciously set on fire or cause to be set on fire, any timber, underbrush or grass upon the public domain or shall carelessly or negligently leave or suffer fire to burn unattended near any timber or mary department is first class—good means and beds. Mrs. Boswell, the hostess, has many paintings of her work and they are excellent. As I said once before, it is a pleasant place to recreate a few days from the cares of business. Stately caks and a fine flower garden.

Received are all the deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be deemed guilty other inflammable material, shall be

years, or both.
"Sec. 2. That any person who shall build a camp fire or other fire in or near any forest, timber, or other inflammable material upon the public domain, shall, before breaking camp or leaving said fire, totally extinguish the same. Any person fairing to do so shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner, and, upon conviction thereof in any district court of the United States having jurisdiction of the same, shall be fined in a sum not more than \$1,000, or be imprisoned for a term of not more than one year, or both. "Sec. 3. That in all cases arising under this act the fines collected shall be sweep the house, make the bed, darn der this act the fines collected shall be the socks, and cook the meals chiefly, paid into the public school fund of the county in which the lands where the offense was committed are situate.'

# The Next State Fair.

President Looney, of the Oregon state board of agriculture, from Jefferson, was in Salem Friday to confer with the governor relative to the condition of the funds for the next state fair, and, incidentally, meet with Secretary Gabrielson and the local members of the braid. On being interrogated concerning the prospects for a fall exhibition, he said in part: "The law creating the board makes provision for an annual appropri-ation of \$5000 to be used in the payment of premiums awarded by the state board of agriculture; we expect to proceed im-mediately in the matter of negotiating for the advancement of the necessary money and a meeting of the board will be held about the last of the month to prepare the premium list and arrange such other preliminary business as is necessary in holding such a fair. We will make the next fair the finest, and largest one ever seen in this state."

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of a mother who leaves her new-born babe shivering on a door step unguarded mercy of strangers, we won-der at her cold heart and lack

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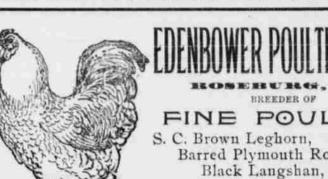
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