

**LOCAL NEWS NOTES.**

Cool weather and frequent showers.  
 For first-class dentistry go to Dr. Little of Oakland.  
 Call on Gaddis Bros. for hay and oats, at the Boshey barn.  
 At Barkers: A carload of Champion mowers, binders and rakes.  
 O. A. Ohlsen of Olalla, made this office a pleasant call Wednesday.  
 The Morrow Coaster brake on Rambler bicycle is not an experiment.  
 Cam Cox who has been visiting friends in this county will return to Sumpter this week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Ireland, of Olalla, visited friends and relatives in this city, Wednesday.  
 The PLAINDEALER now has the most complete job department in Roseburg. Call on us for job work.  
 Phil Beckley and Bob Medley of Oakland were in this city yesterday; Bob has discarded his crutches and is now using a cane.  
 The whole world pays tribute to the merits of McCormick's roller bearing binders, mowers and hay rakes. Sold by S. K. Sykes.  
 Subscribe for the PLAINDEALER. Sixteen pages every week for only \$2 per annum. Many new names are being added to our list daily.  
 Tom Brown, of this city, brother of Dist. Atty. Geo. M. Brown left on this morning's local for Portland to take passage on the Elder for Cape Nome.  
 Notwithstanding the predictions that the prune crop of this vicinity would be almost a total failure, it is now expected that in this county there will be quite a yield.  
 Churchill & Woolley have received a notice from the S. P. Co. that their car of those Lever Fly Wheel binders and Chain Drive mowers has passed Ogden and will arrive this week.  
 E. L. Fisher, who at one time conducted a laundry in this city, and is now employed as fireman on the Shasta division of the S. P. Co., was a passenger on this morning's local for Portland.  
 Some people brag on their large line of cheap goods; Churchill & Woolley are pleased to point to a stock of the best goods that will fill any three stores in their line in this city. A great many people buy the best.  
 Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Crane of Los Angeles, arrived on Tuesday's overland for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bristol of Edenbowen, after which they will make an extended tour of the eastern and southern states.  
 Roseburg hotels are crowded with men in quest of land investments, principally timberlands which are in great demand. Then there is a sprinkling of homebuyers, with not a few aliens on their way to our mining districts.  
 Mr. David Fox our genial revenue man of Ashland was shaking hands with his many friends in our city Wednesday. Mr. Fox is a faithful official and a gentleman and is making a host of friends in this part of the state. The PLAINDEALER acknowledges a pleasant call.  
 The S. P. pay car was a welcome visitor to this city yesterday, but most all of the boys are complaining of being paid from two to four dollars short; it's all right though boys, we guess Uncle Collie didn't have enough to go clear around this month; he'll fix it next time.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marsh in company with Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Williams of Looking Glass were doing business in our city last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Williams were recently of St. Paul Minn. and are excellent people; we would be pleased to see a host of such people locate in this vicinity.  
 George Stewart, of Myrtle Point, arrived in town last evening by private conveyance, accompanied by Hon. Geo. M. Brown and Judge Benson who have been holding circuit court at Coquille City. Mr. Stewart readily made up a load of passengers for his return trip. He reports the roads muddy yet in many places. We acknowledge a pleasant call from our old friend.  
 We understand that in the near future the greatest aggregation that has ever been seen will appear in this city. The press agent has not yet arrived, but we understand that the advance manager is here and making arrangements for the appearance of this great combination, which will far eclipse anything that has ever faced an intelligent audience on the Pacific Coast. We understand that in connection with the big show there will also be one of the finest street parades ever seen in this section of the country. We do not know just how many animals will be in the parade, but understand they will create a sensation.

**BREVITIES.**

Ride a Rambler.  
 Be ready for harvest. Order Champion extras at Barkers.  
 Roy S. Wilson of Portland, representing the Omaha Packing Co., is in the city.  
 Mrs. H. C. Slocum and her sister, Mrs. E. L. Butler are spending today in Oakland.  
 If you want a squirrel poison that will kill both coming and going, call on A. C. Marsters & Co., for it.  
 At Barkers: A complete line of road wagons, top buggies and spring wagons. See our styles and get our prices.  
 S. K. Sykes has received three carloads of goods in the past thirty days. He is the largest shipper in his line in Roseburg.  
 Did you see that runaway, the buggy wasn't hardly scratched. The reason? Certainly. It was a Racine, bought of S. K. Sykes.  
 E. DuGas, M. D., member Board of Pension Examiners, Office, Marsters Building residing corner Douglas and Jackson street.  
 Miss Robey Baker, of Cottage Grove who has been visiting her brother, Clair Baker of this city for the past 3 weeks, returned home this morning.  
 A. Morse, an invalid inmate of the soldiers home hospital, left this morning for a visit with friends and relatives at Walla Walla, Washington.  
 Simon Caro, the popular and bustling Oakland merchant, is in town today looking after business matters. We acknowledge a very pleasant call from Mr. Caro.  
 Frank R. Gorman, of the Wells, Fargo office, says the drone in abee-hive is synonymous with a woman on a tandem therefore he has just purchased a common Baker & Hamilton bicycle, of S. K. Sykes.  
 It will be noted that U. S. Grant, Jr., of California, son of the great general, who was an ardent free silver exponent in 1896, is back in line with the republicans and is numbered among the delegates at large from California.  
 A. Fraley and family, accompanied by his nephews Forrest and Elmer, arrived at Roseburg this week from Chicago, and have decided to locate permanently in this vicinity. Mr. Fraley is an uncle of S. C. Barron, who accompanied him in a pleasant visit to this office Wednesday. Mr. Fraley expresses himself as being very favorably impressed with this section of Oregon and says there is more ground to the acre here than any place he ever saw. We welcome these estimable people to our county.  
 Attorney I. B. Riddle, wife and little boy returned home last Monday evening for a brief visit with friends after which Mr. Riddle will again take up his official duties under the direction of the general land office commissioner. Bob is looking hearty and Mrs. Riddle and little son have both enjoyed good health while sojourning in Idaho, Utah and other sections of the Northwest, where official business has called Mr. Riddle during the past two or three months.

**Died.**

HENDERSON—At 376 Ross street, Portland, May 13, 1900, Mrs. Lela Henderson, aged 24 years and 8 months, of cerebro spinal meningitis.—Oregonian, May 16.  
 Mrs. Henderson was formerly Miss Lela Donnel of Wilbur and was married to John Henderson of that place about six years ago, and she leaves two children. Mrs. Henderson spent the greater part of her life in this county and has a host of friends who remember her sweet, gentle disposition and many acts of kindness, and deeply regret her sad and untimely death, and drop a tear of sympathy for the bereaved family in their unconsolable sorrow.  
 "One by one the leaves are falling,  
 Fading, falling day by day,  
 And in silence, Heaven is calling  
 One by one, our friends away."  
 H.

**UNION SIDE-SHOW ABROAD.**

**The Fusion Candidates at Looking Glass, Rice, Ringmaster, Abraham, Clown.**

The union party held a meeting here at 3 o'clock p. m. Saturday, May 12, 1900, at which a lot of speeches were made of a poor quality.  
 Dexter Rice was the first speaker. He said he was sorry he was in such a poor condition to speak while at the head of such a great party. He didn't say what great party, but we supposed he meant the great-union party. He said he was in favor of the legislature passing a law prohibiting a person from catching fish on his own property. But nevertheless he was out here fishing for suckers, but he made a complete failure this time. He compared the trusts with the San Jose scale and codlin moths, which are found in our orchards. He said, how would you destroy them? Why, of course you would get you a force pump and mix some wind and Paris green with water and spray them with it. Well, he said the way he would destroy the trusts would be to spray the people with wind and something else and sometimes "water," but in about all cases something "stronger" than water is the best for that purpose.  
 Albert Abraham was next to speak. He said he was well loaded up when he left Roseburg, but had lost his load on the road out here. He failed to state what he was loaded with. We just supposed it was cigars (?) He might have explained a point or two, but he talked so loud that we failed to catch but few of his words. He also stated something about the motto "In God we trust," on our coin. Their motto is "in the office we trust."

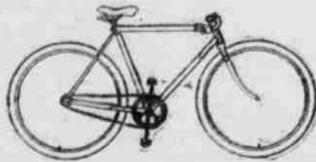
J. L. Dewey said he wouldn't talk very much as he couldn't make a speech if he wanted to. He said his opponent, Eugene Parrott, was a friend of his, and would make a good sheriff if elected.  
 J. F. Gazley was next to speak, and he said he had a sore throat and of course that bothered him so couldn't speak. [How about that \$500?—Ed.]  
 E. H. Lenox was called upon next to speak. He stated that he didn't feel as though he could make a speech, but said he was doing all in his power for himself. He stated that Geo. Dimmick, his opponent, was a friend of his and filled the office just as well as he would, but nevertheless he would like to get there.  
 O. F. Theil got up and said he wasn't any speech maker either, but was simply on exhibition, and then took his seat.  
 The speakers made a point of stating that they would not in any way make their speeches personal or speak to the disadvantage of our republican candidates. They said that the republican nominees were gentlemen of dignity and honesty, and as well fitted to fill the offices as they were, and they were friends of them all. These statements were well and enthusiastically received by their audience.

**ONE WHO WAS THERE.**

Joe Sykes has purchased a house and lot of Mrs. Chas. Hadley.  
 Children's hats, caps, bonnets, in pretty varieties at the Novelty Store.  
 Joe Boyle the deputy assessor of Canyonville is shaking hands with Roseburg friends today.  
 Examination for the non-commissioned officers of Co. E, Fourth Regiment, O. N. G., at the Armory tonight.  
 The census enumerators for Roseburg, West Roseburg, Deer Creek and Umpqua precincts are: N. T. Jewett, Nathan Fullerton, J. L. Stratford and Green Mathews.  
 Mrs. J. C. Twitchell, wife of Dr. Twitchell, the republican candidate for coroner left on the local this morning for a few months' visit at her old home in Wisconsin.  
 Remember May 25, 1900, Woodman's campaign picnic, at Oakland, Oregon. All candidates for office will be on hand with a short talk. Basket dinner. Good program. Everybody invited.  
 A. W. Martin and his brother, J. M. Martin, arrived today from the McClallen mine in the Myrtle Creek district, after a very successful clean up. Will be displaying several fine nuggets.  
 H. G. Housholder desires to announce that he will formerly open Oak Grove Park to the public Wednesday April 30. Best bicycle track in Southern Oregon and other accommodations for the public will be added from time to time.  
 Miss Mable Van Buren of this city received this morning by express, three more Belgian hares. This last shipment cost her \$50 which shows that the young lady will keep nothing but the finest stock; she now has five old hares and about 30 young ones.

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**PUBLIC SPEAKING.**  
 Hon. R. A. Booth, republican candidate for joint senator of Josephine, Douglas and Lane counties, and Dr. Wm. Kuykendall, of Eugene, will address the citizens of Drain, on the political issues of the day, Saturday evening, May 19th at 7:30 o'clock.  
 A. M. CRAWFORD,  
 Chairman Republican County Central Committee.  
**To the Public.**  
 Believing we can do better by our patrons and ourselves by selling strictly for cash, we have decided to keep no books from May 1, 1900. Hoping this may suit the convenience of those who wish to deal with us, also at all times soliciting a fair share of patronage we are  
 Respectfully yours,  
 GADDIS BROS.