

THE ASHLAND TIDINGS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 1877

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

BEUF.—Wholesale price of beef in San Francisco on the 18th 4 1/2 to 7 1/2 cents according to quality.
Do not forget to patronize the new artist, Mr. J. W. Riggs. He is now prepared to take your picture in the best style.
Rev. J. B. Donaldson will hold divine service at the District School house, on Sunday next, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and at 7 o'clock (sharp) p. m.
The Agency farm on Malheur reservation will produce 2000 bushels of grain this season. The Indians are now harvesting the same with hand cradles.
STILL ANOTHER.—We understand that a gentleman named Elmore, who resides down about Rogue river, is to open a jewelry establishment in Ashland, soon.
BORN.—In Lake county, the wife of W. H. Roberts, a son; weight 11 1/2 pounds. Lake county will eventually win an enviable reputation for its natural productions.
"Berthie," our new Willow Springs correspondent mentions a case which calls for genuine good Samaritanism. We hope the good people of Willow Springs have ere this, done their duty by this unfortunate stranger.
ATTENTION SINGERS.—It is the wish of the Committee on Programme for the Pioneer Re-union that all individual singers and musical societies come prepared to take part in the exercises of the day.
THE DAY.—The Pioneer Reunion, at the "Old Camp Ground" below Phenix will be held on the second Thursday in September next. This will be the 13th. We heretofore stated the second Tuesday was the day but we were mistaken.
Our correspondents have come to the front in good style this week, for which they have our thanks. This will add much to the interest of the paper. We regret having to lay aside for the future some excellent communications.
An exchange says these are the kind of verses they read at Kentucky school exhibition:
"Go my son and shut the shutter,
This I heard a mother utter,
"Shutters shut," the boy did mutter,
I can't shut the shutter shutter."

The campmeeting now going on 1/4 of a mile below Eagle Point will continue till next Monday. In consequence of this I will not fill my appointment at this place next Sunday.
J. R. N. BELL, Pastor.
The following item we clip from the Oregonian of the 20th inst.
PERSONAL.—We acknowledge a call from Adam Klippel, E. q., who has just arrived in Oregon from Holt county, Missouri. He is a brother of Henry Klippel of Jackson county, and has a son at Ashland who came to Oregon last February and is at present in the Tidings office. He is Mr. Klippel's first visit to Oregon. He thinks it likely he will make our state his future home. He is an old editor, and as strong a Republican as his brother is a Democrat. On Saturday he started for Jackson county.
THE CORNER STONE.—On Tuesday last we found the masons just laying the corner-stone—an immense grayish slab—of Capt. McCall's new brick. As we stood contemplating the work we could not help thinking of the brief time which has elapsed since a few rude cabins nestled among the pines and bays of Gilead on Ashland Creek; that they had taken the place of the Indian wigwags which faded in the early dawn of civilization; that the cabins gave way to more pretentious buildings of wood, and that we find them already being replaced by more substantial structures of brick and stone. Thus "time keeps ringing his changes" and soon in this land so lately emerged from its log cabin days, will—
"Fly of the brick-redended, mortar stained hands,
With shoulders of gray and steel and snowy arms,
Builders of cities and builders of homes,
By and by the sky with noise and danger,
Writing thereon with their tread and mace
Legends of to be for the eyes of time."

APPLAGATE ITEMS.

WILLIAMS CREEK, Aug. 13, 1877.
Campmeeting continued through two Sundays—the Rev.'s Stahl, Bell and Burghs officiating; a large congregation attended—always does when your Ashland preacher is announced. His sermons are pulpit prodigies.
We had a case of poisoning last week. Mr. S. Kinsey came home hungry and ate some pudding. The test of the pudding wasn't satisfactory—it made him sick. He fed the chickens on the same, and it is said suspicions of foul play are prevalent.
Mr. Layton's clean up was not fully up to expectations, but did very well for these hard times. It amounted to 200 ounces of the precious metal, or about \$1800 clear of all expenses. Work on his ditch extension still continues, and has not been laid over, as has been reported. When water comes, with both his large ditches in operation, and two or three giants at work, he will be prepared to do some substantial spouting—more "ground and lefty tumbling"—than all the stump orators in the State.
The noise of threshing machines is heard in our midst—likewise the wail of the husbandman, because grain does not yield as it gave promise to.
The Messrs. Loudens had a smash-up with their separator last week. The wagon came uncoupled some way, while going down hill and capsize the machine, demolishing it and badly bruising two men—a Mr. Jones and one of the Akers—at the same time. F.

LANGELE VALLEY ITEMS.

Aug. 16, 1877.
Weather warm and sultry.
Harvesting going on at full blast and crops are yielding better than ever known before in this valley.
Born to the wife of H. S. Goddow, a daughter—another thousand dollars in that family.
Joseph Langell has been very sick for some time but, at last accounts, was improving slowly.
We were pleased by a call from our old friend J. Backmaster, who informed us that a party of enterprising individuals are erecting a saw mill, near Bald Butte, between Sprague river and Langell valley, which will be a great benefit to the country.
It seems that the load of fruit flour and bacon, that we heard was coming from Ashland, has failed to make its appearance, much to the disappointment of everybody.
This is the place for all to come who have horses and cooking utensils to trade. We judge so at least from that huge kettle we saw at the post office. RUTH.

ROCK POINT ITEMS.

Smoky.
Times Dull.
Rogue river lower than ever known to be before.
Nobody has died, took sick, or got married since I last wrote you.
The "Cook" train of emigrants, are resting their teams at Boise City, will be here in Sept.
Telegraph line-repairers will reach this point Friday the 24th inst.
Mr. F. G. Birdsey, Louis Orme, and their families, including the Misses Addie and Dora Birdsey, left last week headed towards Crescent City. F. G. Birdsey will visit his old home in Ohio before returning.
Charley, you had better look a "leedie out," your gilt-edged notes to that "fair yet fickle" one in J—ville are not honored as they should be. I'd serve her like the greedy pig did the hot potato.
The Irving saw mill recently located in Sam's Valley, will be moved to Sterling this week.

LAKEVIEW ITEMS.

August 13.
"One by one" our little joys go out, etc. This time it was Henry Herriford to Miss Mary Parker. It occurred at Crooked creek, Judge Mason officiating.
Mr. C. Hagerhorst has gone East—to Indiana.
Harvesting in full blast. Headers get \$1.50 per acre.
A band of 400 cattle passed here last week for Chico.
Walter Myer and C. T. Payne have sold their beef cattle to Tipton Bros.
Jos. Robinett makes 200 lbs of butter per week, at his dairy.
A sewing machine agent came near losing a wagon load of machines, together with his wagon, by fire. While driving along some matches were accidentally ignited, damaging his machines and burning his hands badly. OKLOFF.

BONANZA ITEMS.

BONANZA items are scarce.
Weather warm and pleasant.
A portion of grain in this vicinity is harvested, and I think the rye will go thirty bushels to the acre.
We have also wheat, barley and oats here as fine and plump as any on the Pacific coast.
Vegetables of all kinds have done well this year.
Mr. Kagle, the great violinist, has settled here with the intention of making this his home.
The Bonanza school is closed for the present.
Long live the Tidings is the wish of Aug. 11th. BACHELOR

WILLOW SPRINGS ITEMS.

August 19, 1877.
Thinking you may be anxious to secure items for your interesting paper, I take the privilege of communicating the following:
Harvest is over.
We are having very warm weather at present.
Emigrants still going "to the Willamette to see their wife's people."
"Pete" the toll-keeper at Dardanelles, is going to have his house papered. It looks rather suspicious for Pete is a bachelor.
Charles Hensley is lying sick with a fever, near this place, in an open shack. He has no relatives here; no one to take care of him; no one to hand him a drink of water to cool his parching lips. Our humdrum friend says: "Let him kick the bucket." Is that humanity! O why should a human being be so neglected? Is not this a civilized country?

FROM ALI PASHA.

Since the day when I first glared out in the literary world as a bright particular star, illuminating the clouded brain of the average man with the scintillations of the great central sun of my intellectual system, I have always been accused, and I admit with some faint shadow of good reason, of being what the world calls personal. But I have earnestly struggled against this spirit until I think I have well nigh conquered this characteristic inclination. It, however, in any of my future communications, I should ever mention the names of my neighbors, all will understand that it is done with no evil design—that in the heart of Ali there is no guile. I realize only too well that some of us are so unfortunately constructed that we are perpetually concerned about other people's affairs, when a closer attention to our own would not only be more proper, but vastly more profitable. In my wanderings up and down the world I have often been for long periods of time, out of hearing of the pleasant voices of civilization, of friendship—away on the still and solemn verge of the distant frontier, but life, even for me, without the communion and fellowship of my race was insupportable. I was not only on the verge of civilization, but on "the ragged edge of despair" as well. How often, when wandering alone amid the sage and cactins of some arid waste, have those words of the long ago welled up from the very soul of Ali:
O for the sound of a ring vial
To gladden a desert strand,
To wash the mantle of a fawn shed soul
With the luster of a master hand.

You would have thought that one seemingly ever annoyed by the failures and shortcomings of his neighbors, would have enjoyed this dearth of sociability, that in the realization that I was "monarch of all I surveyed" I would have gathered my regal rags about me and sat down complacently by the side of the horned toad and run-faltered lizard and blessed my stars that I could not there be annoyed by the bickerings and foolishness of my own boisterous species. There were kindly remembrances of home, of friends that I could not bury even in the sands of the desert, voices that sounded in my ears despite the echoes of the mountains, and I returned dusty and travel-worn again to the marts of civilization. Mayhap it was as much through a desire to indulge my old habit of fault-finding as through the influence of wretched and holier motives that I at last turned my back upon the desert, bade goodbye to the interminable forests of the mountains, bated my aching brow for the last time in the spray of thundering cataracts, and at last sat down happily in the midst of a bright civilization in the Granite city. Here I find time beside the daily labor which furnishes me the staff of life, to consider the peculiar situation of things around me. I am conscious that destiny has thrown into this rare and beautiful place, where Fountain's play, Flowers bloom, and life is indeed Real and earnest, a class of citizens who, if fortune does not at once open to them the road to success, have the Talent to Gibb and Russell and Rod on through life until their brief sojourn is done; that in a place apparently little more than a hamlet, industry brings to millions a sure and abundant livelihood; that even the soap man Halloway may to achieve financial success. It is satisfaction itself to a generous soul like Ali's to know that morality and temperance reign in the city of Granite; and it is safe to assert that many a Good child of Ashland, under the influence that wells up from the hearts of her moral populace, guided in the Ways that are straight and True, will some day make a shining Mark high up on parchment of fame. The solid granite foothills on which the city is built give little indication of "swamp land," except in the sweep of the water-ditches, and yet the Myers and Marshes of Ashland have gained a wide reputation. Only a few years ago the hills were steep in their wildness and the dense forests of red barked magnolia and fragrant shapal were filled with wild beasts innumerable, and even howl Poles make their homes "inside the city walls," and Bucks Daily walk unmoled through the principal streets, and no whistling Bull is sent to cut them off. But the Bell rings and Ali must go "Over the Hill to dinner." Ashland Aug. 15. ALI.

THE REUNION.

The committee on general arrangements for the Pioneer Reunion will meet in Jacksonville on the 25th inst., to take action in regard to completing the programme. It will be published as early as possible. We hope every body in the country who can possibly attend the first meeting of the Southern Oregon Pioneers, will do so; not only those who are left of the men and women who came "in the days that tried men's souls" but the many, who have come after them to develop the resources of our mountain land. Let us do what we can to assist and encourage an organization which proposes to gather up the historical traditions of Southern Oregon before they have faded out for ever, and to keep bright the fires of friendship which were lighted in our valley while yet the whole land was a howling wilderness. Remember the day and let us all rally at the "Old Camp Ground."
PROBABLE CHANGE.—Since writing the foregoing item we have been informed that all the committee will meet in Jacksonville on the 25th to perfect their arrangements for the Reunion, and that there is a probability of a change being made in the place of holding the meeting. We expect to give a report of the proceedings of the meeting, also the programme, in the next number of the Tidings.

MARRIED.

WILSON-HAMLEN.—Aug. 13th at the residence of a minister, by Rev. M. A. Whitman, Mr. Jesse W. Wilson to Miss Rosanna Hamlin. Alfred Jackson county.

DIED.

STEWART.—At his residence on Bear Creek, August 18th, of consumption, James A. Stewart, aged 46 years.

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Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an execution and order of a 4th day's writ of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lake, on the 6th day of August, 1877, to me directed and delivered, in favor of James Miller and Henry Ammerman and against George S. Shaver, for the recovery of the sum of eleven hundred and twenty and 42/100 dollars, I do hereby offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Lakeview, Lake County, Oregon, on Wednesday SEPT. 20th, 1877, at 10 o'clock p. m., of said day, all the right, title and interest of the said George S. Shaver, of his and of the following tract or parcels of land, to-wit: The N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 16, T. 33 S., R. 9 E., containing 160 acres; the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 16, T. 33 S., R. 9 E., containing 160 acres; also all the interest of the said defendant in the S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 17, T. 33 S., R. 9 E., containing 160 acres; also all the interest of the said defendant in the N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 23, T. 33 S., R. 9 E., containing 160 acres; also all the interest of the said defendant in the N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 23, T. 33 S., R. 9 E., containing 160 acres; also all the interest of the said defendant in the N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 24, T. 33 S., R. 9 E., containing 160 acres; also all the interest of the said defendant in the N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 24, T. 33 S., R. 9 E., containing 160 acres. Aggregate number of acres, 1120 and no more. The interest of said defendant being the undivided half interest in said lands. Said property is situated in Lake County Oregon and is described in the 4th party of the said do. and B. C. Shaver, to satisfy the above named execution. Lakeview Oregon 4 (11-55) Sheriff Lake Co., Oregon.

Decree of Distribution of Estate.

In the Probate Court of the County of Lake State of Oregon:
In the matter of the Estate of a Decree of Distribution John Dick deceased. J. of Estate.
GEORGE NURSE, the Administrator of the above named estate having on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1877, filed in this Court his statement of account due the said estate with the inventory of the property belonging to said estate and the sale thereof; It is hereby ordered, directed and decreed by this Court that the said Administrator pay to the creditors of the said estate out of money now in his hands and belonging to the said estate, twenty per centum on each and every of such said claims.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Lake County, sitting in public August 4, 1877.
In the matter of the estate of John Dick deceased.
GEORGE NURSE, Administrator of said estate for and in lieu of his final account for settlement, and also paying for and settling the time for settling the same; therefore notice is hereby given that said final account will be heard and decreed in said Court on Monday the 21st day of SEPTEMBER, 1877, at which time all persons having any objections to said final account and settlement must then and there make the same.
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