

THE ASHLAND TIDINGS

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1876

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The prodigal robs his heir, the miser robs himself.

Several very excellent communications lie over until next week.

It is proposed to erect a public hall at the village of Bonanza, in Lake Co.

Dr. Atkin, of Jacksonville, was in Ashland a few days ago on professional business.

Wm. H. Roberts, of Whittles ferry, is putting aprons on his boat so as to make it practicable to cross stock.

We are glad to learn that Uncle George Nurse, of Linkville, is again around, after his spell of sickness.

The name of Whittle's Ferry Post-office in Lake Co. has been changed to Plevna, with Wm. H. Roberts as Post-master.

H. H. Magruder, of Rock Point, is suffering from erysipelas in the face. His case is not thought to be dangerous, however.

The "genial Thatcher" has been heard from. He is at home in Linkville looking after the wants of his many customers.

A friend writing from Lake under date of the 14th inst., says: Weather moderating; snow nearly all gone; cattle doing well.

The Corvallis Gazette, one of the old substantial Oregon papers, has entered upon its 15th volume. Continued success to you, Bro. Carter.

We call attention to the beautiful little poem by William Angus McPherson, on the outside, written in answer to Mrs. Victor's "Beautiful Soul."

Thanks to Himes, of Portland, for an elegantly gotten up calendar for '76. Himes is a champion of the "art preservative," as all who try him can verify.

On the fourth page will be found a short poem, entitled "Frost-Fairies." The author is our Corvallis correspondent, one of the most elegant writers in the State.

C. B. Watson Esq., of Jacksonville, made us a call on Saturday last. Chancellor is a talented and energetic young lawyer and we confidently expect him to "climb" in his profession.

The display of courage on the part of the boys, during the prevalence of the snow-balling fever, was truly admirable. The score who attacked one full-grown man was a decidedly valorous set.

Capt. J. M. McCall has been quite sick for several days past and is still confined to his room. Physicians pronounce his case more favorable now, and we confidently expect to see him around in a few days.

Kegel & West, musicians, will play for a dance at Ashland, in Miller & Patterson's hall, on Tuesday evening the 22nd inst. They are experts in their profession and will give abundant satisfaction. Come and hear them.

Rev. A. Hardison informs us that the protracted meeting, which was in session at Ashland for about two weeks, has closed. Quite a sensible effect was produced on the community and nine persons enlisted as "Soldiers of the Cross."

John Conway offers his present residence, in Ashland, for sale on very easy terms. It is situated on high ground in the western part of town, affording a splendid view, and is really a pleasant and cosy home. See his ad. in this number.

Geo. Hill, son of President H. C. Hill, left Ashland on Monday last, to act as a salesman in the store of Inlow Brothers, at Eagle Point, in Jackson county. George is a very practical and capable young man and will please the Eagle Pointers.

From a note received from J. M. Sutton under date of Jan. 9th we learn that his general health is somewhat improved, but that he is still suffering severely from inflammatory rheumatism in his right arm, having entirely lost the use of that member.

A two horse team was stampeded on Main street a few days ago, by the unexpected arrival of Crit. Tolman's huge foot-ball under them. The result was an impetuous and protracted run up Main street, with a hack, causing considerable excitement but no damage.

Our friend E. J. Farlow, Co. Sebber Superintendent, who has for a long time been an efficient employe in Mrs. Hargadine's Pioneer store, has entered into partnership with Dr. H. T. Inlow in the drug business in the Doctor's new building. Good luck to thee, Edward.

It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns that the old and well known firm of Helman & Fountain has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Fountain will remain as sole proprietor of the Postoffice Store and we sincerely hope to see him do a "land office business."

The parsonage of the M. E. Church South has been sold to Hon. Silas J. Day, of Jacksonville, and the Church has purchased a place in Phoenix to which Mr. Hardison will remove. The people of Ashland will regret to learn of the removal of the parsonage, but will be gratified to know that Judge Day has become an owner of real estate in the Granite City.

John S. Shook, Andrew Kregel and John West of Bonanza and I. Newton Shook of Alkali Lake, came in on Monday last on horseback, to remain some days in the valley. They report things quiet in the sage-brush country and the people prospering. A cattle buyer named Ramsay, is now in that part of Lake county gathering up a band of beavers to drive to Nevada. The cattle are still in good order in Lake, there being but very little snow.

And now it appears that the celebrated Dr. Busby, who came among us a short time ago as a phrenological and psychological lecturer, was once a minister of the gospel—a D. D.—but through the sinful snares which beset his way had been won over to the "Antagonist." At the late revival at Phoenix, he enlisted again under the banner of the Master, and proposes hereafter to occupy the pulpit instead of the platform and make the heart, rather than the head, the target of his eloquence.

We wish every head of a family could realize that his imperative duty demands that he should always keep on hand an ample supply of stove-wood. In a "wooden country" like this there is absolutely no excuse for a dearth of this necessity. We were led to these reflections by seeing a poor woman gathering up chips on the side of one of the principal streets of Ashland and in the near vicinity of an elegant residence, even in the severe rain storm of Wednesday.

The "oldest inhabitant" is sanguine that the wind storm which prevailed here several days, from Saturday last until Wednesday noon, was the heaviest ever known in Rogue River valley. Several old barns and sheds were unroofed, many fences blown down, and about ninety per cent of the people badly frightened. Our old friend Claiborne Neil is the only one who suffered any material loss, so far as we have been able to learn. The roof of his barn was taken off exposing his hay and grain to the rain and snow, which came immediately after the wind subsided, on Wednesday.

On Saturday last, Mr. A. T. Wright, an Ashland Academy student from Ft. Jones, dislocated his shoulder while practicing the "manly art of self-defense," with Mr. Howard McBride. Mr. Wright struck with immense force with his left arm, but, failing to reach the active McBride, the arm was thrown entirely out of place. He suffered great pain until the bones were readjusted, which was not, perhaps, until two hours after the accident. Better put up the gloves, boys, unless you can be a little more temperate in the use of them. We hear it suggested that we Americans are such a spirited and impetuous people that it is necessary for us to be ever on the alert lest we put too much life into everything we do. There is doubtless, much truth in this, and yet it is rumored that many American youths who display an inordinate degree of spirit in base-ball, or with the gloves, may be able to saw wood or handle the maul and wedge with great calmness.

Beautiful Snow.

O the snow! the beautiful snow! How the flakes gather and laugh as they go! Whirling about in the midwinter fun; Fligs in its glee with every one; Chasing, laughing, hurrying by, It lights up the face and sparkles the eye; And even the dogs with a bark and a bound, Snip at the crystals that eddy around. The town is alive, and its heart is aglow To welcome the coming of beautiful snow.

Began snowing at noon on Wednesday; at night subsided—snow then five inches deep. Sun arose in a clear sky on Thursday morning and "beautiful snow" soon began to disappear.

Latest from the Temperance Missionary YAINAX, OR. Jan. 12, 1876.

EDITOR TIDINGS:—Just a moment to write by the way-side. Please report the organization, on the 8th inst., at Summer Lake, of Crystal Fountain lodge of Good Templars, with 23 charter members. Also, on the 9th, at Chewaucan, of Morning Star lodge, with 13 charter members. From here I go to confer the degrees on Bonanza; then to Linkville for the "closing ceremonies." Yours in haste, RIGDON.

An Old Work.

Through the kindness of R. Ball Esq., we have been permitted to examine the collections of the "Dorchester Antiquarian and Historical Society" of New England, a rare and interesting old work, containing the "Memoirs of Roger Clap," from a manuscript dated 1630, and published in 1731; also the "Annals of the town of Dorchester" first published in 1750. The original manuscript of the "Annals," giving a faithful sketch of the ecclesiastical and civil history of the ancient town of Dorchester, is still extant, in a good state of preservation, and is still preserved with jealous care. A perusal of this old work is intensely interesting and is calculated not only to give one a more intimate knowledge of the inner history of "ye olden time," but to increase his admiration for the handful of persecuted pilgrims, who, for conscience sake, exiled themselves to the wilderness of a new and strange land, where they might put to a practical test the truth of those doctrines, civil and religious, which had been ridiculed as visionary or denounced as dangerous in the old world.

Siskiyou Hermit Caught at Last.

It is currently reported that our old friend, Andrew J. Walls, the "Hero of the Green Siskiyou," whose "life hopes," we fancied, had long ago almost "faded out," has ceased to brood over an unsatisfactory past and that he is again in full sympathy with the great throbbing, emotional world around him; that he has at last placed his neck in Hymen's yoke to walk side by side with one who can appreciate the kindness of a heart still filled with generous impulses, though lacerated and scarred by the disappointments of by-gone days.

"Let the old log cabin molder,"  
And the tent-straw, fall to dust,  
From the long Kentucky hills,  
Hang upon its peg and rail:  
No more among the whistling darts  
Will our Andrew take his place,  
Burying memories, sad, distressing,  
In the clamor of the chase.  
Let the screaming panthers terrify,  
"Thro' the mid-night," by the door  
Of the rugged Siskiyou lover  
Where A. J. will come no more;  
Undisturbed, may squirrels burrow  
And the spiders spread their snares,  
And around the hermit's cabin  
Let the grey-wolves chase the hare.  
No more, at night, will he hear the echo  
Of his ox-yoke or his shout—  
Stead the ox-yoke in the corner;  
Turn the saw-tooth oxen out;  
Let them leave, at last, a respite  
From their labor rough and hard,  
For a brighter day is dawning  
On the claved and built-scarred.

The School House Question.

We much regret that the legal voters of Ashland school district did not harmonize better at the meeting held on Saturday last to take action relative to building a new school house; and yet, we fancy, notwithstanding the chaotic character of the meeting, some facts were elicited which will be of use in determining upon a rational plan of operations. Agitation is what is wanted to bring the subject properly before the people, and we offer space in the TIDINGS to those who wish to express themselves on the subject. It seems to us that there is no escaping the conviction that the district has far outgrown its school-room accommodations and that a new school house is an absolute necessity. The district is certainly as able now as at any time past to build a house, sufficient for its wants, and we believe it can do so without its being a great burden to any one. We learn that it has been suggested that the wants of the people can be better subserved by the division of the district and the erection of houses in different parts of the town; that the expense of daubing would be no greater and that the schools would be more convenient for the pupils. We fail to see the rationality of this plan. The people can already see the importance of grading the school into several departments and we conceive that this would be much more practicable with a single building, containing rooms for the several departments. Take the example of Salem for instance: There they have several school houses, in each of which we believe a distinct department is taught. Thus, a primary student, though he live within a stone's throw of the house in which a higher department is taught, must go to a remote part of the city in order that he may be with his peculiar class; and so with those belonging to other departments. We dare say that the people of the Capital have long since discovered that nothing has been gained in convenience by the distribution of the schools over the town, and that it would have been not only cheaper but more convenient for a majority of the scholars, to have built a house in a central part of the city, for the accommodation of all, which would not only have afforded better opportunities for the government and discipline of the pupils through the aid which the teachers could have given each other, but have been a credit and an ornament to the city as well.

FORT KLAMATH ITEMS.

Jan. 12th, 1876.

EDITOR TIDINGS:—News of a different character this week. Last week it was an elopement and a consequent marriage; this week it is a death. Late Sergeant Menbannat's only child, a bright and fine boy two years old, died of convulsions on the evening of the 7th inst. The funeral took place on the 9th, nearly all the people of the garrison attending. The Rev. Mr. Nickerson officiated. The grief-stricken parents have the heartfelt sympathy of all.

The eloping party have returned from Yreka, where they went to get married, and, where Judge Rosborough performed the great feat which, in five minutes, made two hearts, like one, beat.

Since my last letter the weather has changed. It was thawing, raining and snowing in succession and now we have fine weather again, but not so cold as it was.

We are expecting the paymaster in a few days. He will pay the boys six months' pay due them and that will "liven things up a little," as there will be a few thousand dollars in circulation.

An accident occurred a few days ago—the fly while of the wood-sawing machine burst while in operation. There were eight men working on it at the time. Luckily no one got hurt, though the debris came within six inches of some of them—but who ever knew a soldier to get hurt while working? OBSERVER.

The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Balfour for the best photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world.

THE best of flour and fresh ground Graham and corn meal delivered in any part of Ashland, at mill prices, by the Eagle Mill.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A new two inch Iron Axle Wagon. DO27f. B. B. RESEEL

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between A. D. Helman and J. D. Fountain in the city of Ashland, is hereby dissolved, and the business there carried on, closed at the usual place.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County, sitting in public.

In the matter of the estate of A. F. Barnham deceased.

SARAH A. BARNHAM, ADMINISTRATRIX

Of real estate having filed in said court her final account for the same, and also praying for an order for settling the time for the same; Therefore, notice is hereby given that said final account will be heard and do be returned in said court on the 5th day of February, 1876.

At one o'clock P. M., on which time all persons having any objections to said final account and settlement will then and there make the same.

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Neil & Mace,

(Successors to Chapman & Neil.)  
ARE NOW CONDUCTING  
THE  
MEAT MARKET  
Of Ashland, Oregon,  
Having built a large and commodious shop, and furnished it with everything necessary to the business—not forgetting the very choicest  
MEATS OF ALL KINDS.  
They are better than ever prepared to accommodate their numerous customers.  
Call and see us, if you like good meat. [2-25tf.]

GREAT

REDUCTION

In Prices of  
SEWING MACHINES!

AN \$80 SINGER FOR \$60!

BOX TOP, 2 DRAWERS & DROP LEAF.

\$60! \$60! \$60!

And Liberal Discount for Cash!

READ  
The list of Sales for 1876 and testimonials from the very best judges in the country:  
"We, the undersigned, residents of Jackson County, overlooking having used the Singer Machine sufficiently long to satisfy us that it is in every respect a first-class machine for all kinds of family work, would cheerfully recommend it as being the best machine a first-class sewing machine."  
Mrs. Geo. Wilson, Mrs. E. J. Archer, Mrs. S. J. Grier, Mrs. E. Lay, Mrs. J. Phigge, Mrs. John Orth, Mrs. E. R. Bonnes, Mrs. N. Fisher, Mrs. W. P. Fyde, Mrs. M. Rigg, Mrs. J. Rutter, Mrs. M. P. Aimer, Mrs. L. Young, Mrs. H. Helms, Mrs. C. W. Savge, Mrs. T. J. Bell, Mrs. E. McDaniel, Mrs. Alice Ulrich, Mrs. T. R. Arkinson, Mrs. J. C. Over, Mrs. E. F. McKenzie, Mrs. J. Ritter, Mrs. Myer, merchant tailor, John Erney, A. Mervin, Geo. Nuley, shoemaker, Mrs. Mary J. Filman, Mrs. J. F. McDaniel, Mrs. Benj. Eaton  
Needles, oils and all kinds of attachments on hand or orders.  
THE SINGER MACH'G CO.,  
Cor. First and Yamhill sts. Portland Oregon.  
J. W. RIGGS, AGENT, ASHLAND.  
SEWING MACHINE SALES FOR 1876.  
THE SINGER M'FG CO. SOLD 262,316  
Howe Machine Co., 166, 87  
Wheeler & Wilder M'g Co., 168, 97  
Dimes & Co., 25, 82  
American B. H. & S. M. Co., 17, 94  
Wool Sewing Machine Co., 14, 23  
Wilcox & Gibb Co., 12, 78  
Purdue, 2, 78

FOR SALE!

My present home in Ashland, adjoining the lot of R. P. Neil, Esq., Good house, with four rooms; also a good woodshed, orchard and garden spot—choice selection of fruit trees. 1½ acres in the lot, surrounded by a good picket fence. Terms:  
Six Hundred Dollars—Cash down.  
Inquire at my shoe shop, near the Post-office no25f. JOHN CONWAY

Notice.

Mr. P. Moore,  
WILL open his DANCING ACADEMY Monday and Saturday evenings, at 7 o'clock at  
MILLERS HALL;  
And every Saturday afternoon, from 2 to 4 o'clock, for ladies and children.  
All who wish to attend, will be diligently instructed. no25f.

LOST.

Five Hundred Sheep  
Marked as Follows:  
Swallow-fork in right ear; half undercrop in right ear. Swallow-fork and upper bit in left ear, and right ear split. Swallow-fork in both ears; under bit in both ears. Half under crop and upper bit in left ear. Braided with a triangle on the nose.  
Any information leading to the recovery of said sheep will be suitably rewarded.  
25tf. C. C. WEBB, Yreka, Cal.

ASHLAND

FEED AND LIVERY STABLE!  
MAIN STREET.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD respectfully inform their friends, and the public generally that they have purchased the above establishment, and having thoroughly cleared the obnoxious part from the premises, they can assure their patrons that stock entrusted to their care will be well and safely cared for.

GOOD TURNOUTS

Of carriages and buggies supplied at any time.

BALED HAY FOR SALE!

In quantities to suit purchasers. They will also, in connection with their stable, run a  
TRUCK-WAGON  
At reasonable rates. D. CHAPMAN & NEIL. 31tf

LET US

Settle UP!

This is the season of the year ALL should settle up and compare accounts. So please call for your bills and let us settle up, and if there are any mistakes in the accounts, rectify them.  
With many thanks to our customers for their past generous patronage, with a sincere desire for a continuance of the same, we wish one and all health and prosperity and  
A HAPPY NEW YEAR!  
29tf.] J. M. McCALL & CO.

PLANING MILL

—AND—  
Furniture Factory,  
Granite Street,  
Ashland, - - - Oregon

L. S. P. Marsh

ALL KINDS OF PLANING, MOULD  
Ing, Circular and Scroll-Sawing done to order.

SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS,

House, Sign and Ornamental Painting and Gilding done to order in the Mill, or in the country. Canvassing ceiling, Paper-hanging, Calomining, Whitewashing, &c. on shortest possible notice.  
L. S. P. MARSH.  
Ashland, June 17th, 1876. [nl.2-18

Linkville Livery Stables.

GEORGE NURSE  
Would inform his friends that his Stables at  
LINKVILLE  
LAKE COUNTY - - - OREGON  
Are in excellent repair, amply provided with feed and that customers will be waited on promptly and in the best style.  
A GOOD HACK EXCELLENT BUGGIES and No 1 RIDING HORSES always on hand  
Horses promptly cared for, and  
Tourists and Others Outfitted  
On the shortest notice  
Do not fail to give the Linkville Stables a trial [2514f.] GEORGE NURSE, 72b25]

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER

Something New! Something New!  
Selling Out!!  
Great Reduction in  
PRICES OF JEWELRY!  
A new and excellent assortment of fine gold and plated jewelry.

Sewing Machines.

ALL WORK WARRANTED!!  
Be sure to call, and rest assured that you shall have satisfaction.  
G. W. SMITH, 72b25]

Notice.

ALL PERSONS OWING THE

Wagner, Anderson & Farmer's Mill Company

Are hereby requested to call and settle with either cash or note, by February First, 1876. WAGNER, ANDERSON, & FARMER'S CO.

BARGAIN'S, BARGAIN'S, BARGAIN'S.

AT THE

Ashland

Boot & Shoe Store,

To increase the joy of hearts this Christmas and New Year. All goods marked only one price.  
COME, COME, COME.  
Next door to Postoffice. GEO. NUTLEY. [no26mf]

PIONEER

TIN SHOP

Of Lake County.  
LINKVILLE - - OREGON.

GEO. T. BALDWIN, Proprietor.

Always on hand a large stock of tinware at the following prices:

2 quart Coffee Pots	- 50 cents.
2 " Covered Buckets	- 37½ "
10 " Water Pails	- 75 "
1 pint Dippers	- 25 "

All kinds of Tin, Sheet-Iron and Copperware on hand and made to order. GEO. T. BALDWIN. [72b25]

MILLINERY STORE

On Main Street

Ashland - - - Oregon.

We have now on hand a beautiful assortment of Hats, Bonnets, Shades, French Flowers, Wreaths, Pillows, Neck Ties, Linen Suits, Jura, Ladies' Fishing Goods, etc., etc.

BUTTRICK PATTERNS

All orders from a distance promptly filled.  
Agency for Dr. Warner's Health Corset. Every thing sold cheap for cash.  
Dress-making, Pressing and Coloring, in the very latest fashion.  
Mrs. Jas. Ewing.

MISS M. A. SWINGLE & SISTER

Have Opened a First-Class

Millinery Store

On Main Street, Ashland,  
Next door to the Post Office, up stairs in Dr. Lohew's New Building.  
WE HAVE NOW ON HAND A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF HATS, BONNETS, FLOWERS, PLUMES, SACK TIES, JURE, LADIES' FURNISHING GOODS, ETC., ETC.  
BUTTRICK & SMITH PATTERNS.  
Dressmaking done to order.  
All orders from a distance promptly filled. Goods cheap for cash. [no25f.]

LIVE & LET LIVE

THE EAGLE MILL

Situated 15 miles South of Jacksonville and 1½ mile North of Ashland, is prepared to do general Custom and Exchange Business  
—Flour and Feed at the—  
LOWEST CASH PRICES.

36 lbs of flour, 2 lbs shorts and 8 lbs bran per bushel for gold wheat. Well scked and brand the sacks customers furnishing the sacks. My brother

G. F. BILLINGS.

Will have charge of the business, being assisted by competent millers.  
Everything else represented as no sale.  
29tf.] July 15] Mrs. S. A. FARNHAM.

ASHLAND BAKERY

RESTAURANT

THE Undersigned is now prepared to furnish WHITE and BROWN BREAD, Pies and Cakes, at the lowest prices. Families supplied and produce taken in exchange. At the  
RESTAURANT  
Meals 25 cents; Tea and Coffee Extra.  
The patronage of the public is solicited and satisfaction guaranteed. [93m] W. S. SAYER.

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