THE ASHLAND TIDINGS

FRIDAY.....MARCH 15, 1878.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The man that dares traduce because he can
With safety to himself, is not a man.
—COWPER.

Several excellent communications lie over.

Always a chance for bargains at the Pioneer Store.

Watters & Gaby will attend to your land business promptly and efficiently.

Subscribers who receive Ashland Foundry notices will please post them conspicuously.

An elegant assortment of autograph albums expected at Chitwood & Atkinson's in a few days.

The *Sentinel* informs us that Thatcher & Worden have purchased the large safe formerly used by Glenn, Drum & Martin.

Ashland Lodge No. 23, A. F. and A. M. has filed articles of incorporation in the office of Secretary of State; capital stock, $5,000.

Dr. William Jackson remains in Ashland for a few days longer. Do not neglect this opportunity to have your masticating machinery repaired.

We are informed that O. Coolidge is disposing of a great many of his shade, ornamental and fruit trees. He has plenty more—give him a call.

On March 8, a Mr. Wilson, late an Academy student, had a thumb dislocated while scuffling with "the boys." Our friend desists from muscular exhibitions for a few days.

HEARD FROM.—The *Standard* says: "Dr. Busby, the blind business inspector, is at Marshfield, Coos county.' Wonder why he don't send for those handsome posters we printed for him?

It is rumored that Mrs. James Ewing has disposed of her millinery business in Ashland to Miss Ida Danforth of Jacksonville, and that the latter will take charge of the establishment in a short time.

Two parties of young men who were hurrying in opposite directions collided on the side walk near the post-office on Sunday evening. Result, a broken pane of plate glass and a pain in a young man's arm.

Special State Deputy Jno. B. Rigdon informs us that, in accordance with instructions from Chief Dunbar, he will undertake the organization of some more lodges of Good Templars in this section of the State, soon.

J. W. Riggs, the photographer, now has his rooms so arranged that he can regulate his supply of light to suit every occasion, and it is wonderful how handsome he is making the people appear. Call and give him a trial.

We learn that some very rich gold-bearing quartz has been found on or near Ashlond creek, a short distance above the town, by some California prospectors, but whether there is a well defined lead of it deponent sayeth not.

We learn that Mrs. Modisette's residence on Main street came near burning on Thursday morning. The shingles on the kitchen addition caught fire from a defective flue, but assistance arrived in time to nip the conflagration in the bud.

Our old friend J. M. Sutton writes us from San Francisco, under date of March 6: "My hand is no better; the incessant wet weather of this country keeps it swollen and painful all the time. There have not been over four days of dry weather since New Year."

We learn that a club of stock men living south and east of Ashland is offering $16 each for panther and about $5 each for coyote scalps. Their district extends from Ashland creek and Mrs. Hargadine's mountain ranch, southward to the head of the valley.

AWAY UP.—We have it on the authority of the Yamhill *Reporter*, that McMinnville boasts a tender urchin of fifteen summers who already stands six feet and two inches in his stocking feet. We apprehend that this delicate stripling, if properly nurtured, may yet reach the altitude of our new Public School Principal.

THE MIDDLE CREEK MINES.—From Hon. J. C. Tolman, who returned from the Middle Creek Mines on Friday last, we learn that operations have been resumed there, after a temporary suspension. About nine miles of ditch have been constructed and all necessary arrangements made to give the gravel fields a thorough test in a short time. Indications thus far are favorable and the company confidently expect to succeed in their enterprise. Judge Tolman will return early next week to resume the management.

We learn that Tom. McKay and John Brunette of Lake county were employed in the Middle Creek mines this winter on the big ditch, a mile of which the stalwart Tom "scooped out" on contract. It is rumored that Tom has his eye on a rich quartz ledge up in the Cascades somewhere.

MUSIC.—We learn that the examination of Miss Weber's Academy music classes, on last Saturday, was highly entertaining to the visitors, and that much progress was evinced by the pupils. Miss Weber is justly entitled to her reputation as a first class teacher, and we are pleased to know that she is quite liberally patronized.

Asher McCord, well and favorably known to the old settlers of this section, has returned, after an absence of several years to make his Ashland friends a visit. He came up with Judge J. C. Tolman from the Middle Creek mines, where he has for some time been employed, and returns with the Judge to the mines in a few days. Be good to yourself, Asher.

PROGRAMME.—Elsewhere will be found the programme for the musical and literary entertainment to be given at Linkville on Monday evening the 18th inst. in the interest of the hall building enterprise. We learn that no trouble or expense has been spared to make it a highly enjoyable affair, which we doubt not it will prove, as also a decided success financially.

A CLOSE CALL.—Last Saturday night at about 8 o'clock, as Isaac Costello, was passing John Weiss' premises, some one shot at him with what was evidently a pistol; the bullet passed through his coat and came near inflicting serious injuries. The night was very dark and the would-be assassin escaped detection. It was a very close call, to say the least.—*Jacksonville Times.*

Jasper Houck, of the Ashland House, furnishes us the item relative to the 10-inch railroad track. Jasper thinks this would be just the thing to bend over the vertebre of the Siskiyou and of the other mountain walls, which separate us from the "barbarians of the outside world," and suggests that as a tree felled across a gulch or stream would be wide enough to lay the track on, no costly bridges would be necessary.

Weather Report

From observations taken at 6 A. M.:

March	8,	24,	clear;
"	9,	34,	cloudy;
"	10,	44,	rain;
"	11,	32,	cloudy;
"	12,	48,	"
"	13,	49,	"
"	14,	58,	"

The figures after the date indicate the number of degrees above zero.
H. C. HILL.

YAINAX:—A friend writing from Yainax station on the Klamath Reservation, says: "Affairs are passing along quite pleasantly here. Quite a rush in the fish-spear department at present, preparatory to a raid on the suckers of Lost River. I suppose they will, as usual, get *hi-u* fish. This correspondent also says: "Will you please publish the Legend of Chemeketa in the TIDINGS? You will greatly oblige some that I know of if you will."

THE ROADS.—We are gratified see to that our efficient road supervisor, Wesley Mitchell, is making some very decided improvements in the roads through and about the town. Too often the main object of the annual gathering upon the roads is somewhat lost sight of in the opportunity it gives for conviviality and the discussion of general and local news, and it is refreshing to see the occasional out-cropping of a disposition to "mend our ways."

PLEASANT.—One of the most enjoyable affairs of the season occurred at Hon. J. C. Tolman's place of residence in Ashland, on the 12th inst., that being the birth day of both the Judge and of his son Crittenden. A number of the old settlers, who were associates of Mr and Mrs. Tolman "in the days of the trail and the foot-log," were present to partake of the splendid dinner and to join with the Judge and his estimable lady in discussing the experiences of "auld lang syne."

A BRAVE BOY.—We learn that a son of Mr. Durkee, aged about fourteen years, went out onto the bald hills nearly opposite Ashland, a few days ago, to look after some sheep, and found a large panther acting as shepherd. The boy fired, wounding the animal, when it lifted its bristles and started for him with the evident intention of making short work of him. The boy had but one cartridge left for his Henry rifle, but he had pluck and stood his ground until the beast came within a short distance of him, when he made sure work with his rifle. The beast was a large one, measuring five feet and eight inches in length and two feet three inches high.

I. O. G. T. ENTERTAINMENT.

The following is the programme for the entertainment to be given by the Independent Order of Good Templars, at Linkville, on Monday, March 18th, for the purpose of helping to build a hall for their use at that place:

Opening Song: Come into the Temple
Brother—Glee Club.
Address: Our Cause—Capt. O. C. Applegate
Song by Miss Frankie Corpe.
Tableau—two scenes: The Drunkards Home and Home of Peace.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC.

Drama—To Oblige Benson: *Dramatis Persone*—Mr. Benson, Samuel Parker; Mrs. Benson, Miss Estelle Moore; Mr. Meredith, Dr Boyd; Mr. Southdown, C. H. Dyar; Mrs. Southdown, Miss Frankie Corpe.
Song—Quartette: Come where my love lies dreaming.
Dialogue—Whiskers: Miss Ettie Moore and Mr. William Taylor.

INSTUMENTAL MUSIC.

Declamation—The Rum Maniac: C. H. Dyar.
Song—Nearer Home—Quartette.
Recitation—Am I my Brother's keeper? Miss Bertie Moore.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC.

Farce—A pantomime.

Doors open at 6:30; entertainment to begin a 7. No complimentary tickets given and positively no dance afterwards.
C. H. DYAR, Manager.

Lake View Items.

FEB. 28, 1878.

Fine weather, and health good.

Ducks and geese have made their appearance on the lake, helping the swans make the air resonant with their cackle.

The snow has disappeared except on the mountains; in fact the ground has been bare most of the time during the winter.

Stock generally look well. Sheep have not required feed, and fat ons can be found for mutton that have foraged all winter.

Am told that not more than sufficient snow to track a rabbit has fallen in Chewaucan valley.

B. M. Cobb captured a deer (the first for him) recently on Crooked creek. He lassoed it, cut its throat with a penknife, beat it with a club, and finally caused its quietus by drowning it in a spring.

Dances are of frequent occurence in the vicinity. There was one in town on the 22d inst. when the usual festivities were varied by a wedding: David Fisk was married to Miss. Lillie Tenbrook by Thos. Lofton J. P.

Lake trout have begun to ascend the inlets.

Our school has closed; the one on Crane creek closes to-morrow.

Hatton, Walters & Fitzgerald have bought the livery stable formerly owned by Snelling Bros. & Lewis.

There are 25 families within the town limits. The Register and Receiver have commenced building a new Land office. They intend to have a hall overhead for secret orders. Many others are waiting for good weather and lumber to build.

Protracted meeting have been held at the Grange Hall, a few miles above Willow Ranch, for several weeks. There were a number of accessions to the church.
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Chewaucan Items.

Feb. 25, 1878.

Health generally good.

The zephyrs recently have been rather heavily charged with aerial momentum.

Miss Allia Elliott had her arm broken about three weeks ago. She was coming from school with her brother, and in attempting to walk on his stilts, fell and broke her arm. Also, Geo. Avery had his collar-bone broken last week, by being thrown from a horse, while riding after stock.

The weather has moderated some. The grass has begun to start a little. The tillers of the soil have commenced to plow. The herders are keeping a weather-eye out for the lark spur. It is liable to peer from its winter's couch at any moment, to tempt the bovine fraternity, as they roam over the Chewaucan hills.

School has been running in Chewaucan this winter; it closes next Friday for the purpose of giving a vacation to recuperate the mental faculties of the teacher and pupils. There are two schools running in the Summer Lake country.

There is a Good Templar's Lodge in full blast in Chewaucan; also, one at Summer Lake. Temperance stands thick through all the ground. We hope it may spread indefinitely. As a little stone makes a great bruise, we are going to try to wield the Temperance Cause so as to bruise the head of the serpent of the still. CHEWAUCAN.

SAUCETO SAGE.—We expect to begin the publication, next week, of a series of articles from Sauceto Sage, now of San Francisco, a versatile, racy and experienced correspondent, who may be expected to throw a flood of light upon the mysteries of every-day life in the metropolis of the Pacific.

Letter From Eagle Point.

MARCH 11, 1878.

ED. TIDINGS:—I thought a few items from this part of the country would not be amiss. Eagle Point is situated on Little Butte creek, about 17 miles from Jacksonville. It consists of two stores, a flouring mill, a black-smith shop and several private residences. There are good prospects for our village to increase considerably in population and importance in the near future. Mr J. J. Frazer has laid off some of his land into town lots, all of which are sold. There will be a fine church built here in the spring; also some dwelling houses. Immigrants seeking homes should come over in this county. We have plenty of land to spare.

The citizens of this precinct met at Eagle Point, on Saturday the 9th inst., for the purpose of organizing an Independent Green-back club. Attendance fair and prospects flattering.

Death visited this part of the country on Sunday night, the 10th inst. The victim was a son of Mr. James Miller of Brownsborough. The young man was kicked by a mule, on Saturday night, the 9th. He was going into the barn of Mr. Burton, for his horse. The mule was standing by the door, and as the young man stepped in, kicked him on the side of the head. He was carried to his home, and at 2 o'clock, they sent for the doctor. The doctor arrived Sunday evening, but the patient was beyond the reach of medical skill, and died at a little past 12 o'clock on Sunday night. Yours Truly, ASHER.

More About That Pedigree.

FORT KLAMATH, MAR. 9, 1878.

ED. TIDINGS:—Two weeks ago I wrote a short article for your columns on the pedigree of "Nat," not for the purpose of "detracting from other horses," but to elicit some facts in regard to "Nat's" breeding. I have succeeded in drawing out some statements, but they are made in so general and indefinite a manner that they do not carry conviction with them. Surely the sons and daughters of Lexington are not so plenty on this coast that they cannot be located by the publishers of "Nat's" pedigree. Mr. Cardwell says there are two Longfellows, and I will add, there are dozens, but only one of any note. When a horseman puts the name of an obscure horse in a pedigree, it is necessary, if selling to a wide awake buyer, to give his breeding and some evidence of its correctness. Lexington has no son old enough to be the sire of "Nat." His dam may have been by Lexington. I have no doubt that Mr. C. has been informed that such is the case, but he gives no evidence on that point. The reliability of his "CREDIBLE INFORMATION" will be realized when we notice that he states on that information that the Longfellow named in my last article was a TROTTER. That is rich!! Long before Mr. C. saw fit to promote me to the honorable position of "would-be horse oracle," I knew in common with all the other and younger boys that Longfellow by Leamington was a competitor of Harry Bassett, and the fastest running horse of his day, making one of the miles, in a four mile heat race, in 1:40½. If "Nat's" pedigree is correct as given, a full and conclusive showing will ENHANCE his value instead of DETRACTING from him.

My former article was written without knowing who was responsible for the pedigree. Mr. C. seems to think he is the man, but I don't think his knowledge of the subject justifies him in such a belief. As to the motives assigned to me in writing of "Nat," his idea is not only absurd, my horses being trotters, but it has no bearing on the case, and will not receive my consideration. Personalities, or the cry of "detraction from other horses," will utterly fail to mislead or deceive any intelligent breeder.
JAY BEACH.

Chicago, March 5.—Three prominent citizens of Chicago, who have been closely indentified with her progress and development died to-day: Maj. E. H Mulford, Wm. Gooding and Capt. J. W. Tuttle.

Washington, March 5.—The Senate confirmed Albert G. Porter of Indiana as first comptroller of the Treasury; also, Adolph Drimbrosky receiver of public moneys at Shasta, California.

CHEYENNE, Mar. 10.—The Union Pacific is still blockaded by snow. The Western division is open beyond Laramie, but nothing has passed that point eastward.

ST. PETERSBURG, Mar. 10.—The general impression produced by the Czar's remarks at his reception to-day of the diplomatic corps, is decidedly peaceful.

LONDON, Mar. 19.—A special from Constantinople states that 700 Circassians perished on the steamer *Sphinx*, which burned near Cape Elia.

OMAHA, Mar. 10.—Sergt. James Ford of Co. D., 5th Cavalry, stationed at Sydney, was driven into a canyon a mile from that town and covered with 20 feet of snow. Efforts to rescue him so far unavailing. Drifts between Cheyenne and Archer, very heavy.

☞The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Rulofson for the best Photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world.
429 Montgomery Street, San Francisco.

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.
no27tf. B. F. REESER.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between R. P. Neil and H. B. Mace, is this day dissolved, by mutual consent, H. B. Mace withdrawing from the firm. R. P. Neil will assume the indebtedness, collect the amounts due and continue the bussiness at the old stand.
R. P NEIL,
H. B. MACE,
ASHLAND, Feb. 7, 1878.

W. A. McPHERSON.
Justice of the Peace
For Ashland Precinct.
Particular Attention given to drawing up
LEGAL PAPERS
And making Conveyances.
☞Collections promptly made. Will also write communications for publication, and private or business letters for parties desiring his services. [38-m3

GEO. NUTLEY.
OF THE
Ashland
BOOT & SHOE STORE.
—Next door to the Post-office—
THANKS TO THE PUBLIC
For their Liberal Patronage, which he accepts as testimony their appreciation His purpose is to
"Grow With the Place."
HE IS IN FAVOR OF THOSE WHO WEAR GOOD BOOTS AND
Pay For Them.
Materials of all kinds, such as
FRENCH GOODS, ALLIGATOR, ETC.,
And any thing else the public may require,
ALWAYS ON HAND,
And all work gotten up in the
VERY BEST STYLE.
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Fits Epilepsy, OR FALLING SICKNESS.
Permanently Cured no humbug—by one month's usage of Dr. Goulard's Celebrated Infalible Fit Powders. To Convince sufferers that these powders will do all we claim for them, we will send them by mail, **post paid, a free trial box.** As Dr Goulard is the only physician that has ever made this disease a special study and so to our knowledge thousands have been **permanently cured** by the use of these **Powders, we will guarantee a permanent** cure in every case, or **refund you all money expended.** All sufferers should give these Powders an early trial, and be convinced of their curative powers.
Price, for large box, $3.00, or 4 boxes for $10.00, sent by mail to any part of United States or Canada on receipt of price, or by express, C. O. D. Address,
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Positively Cured.
All sufferers from this disease that are anxious to be cured should try **Dr. Kissner's Celebrated Consumptive Powders.** These Powders are the only preparation known that will cure **Consumption** and all diseases of the **Throat and Lungs**—indeed, so strong is our faith in them, and also to convince you that they are no humbug, we will forward to every sufferer, by mail, post paid, a **free trial box.**
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Treasurer's Notice.
LAKE VIEW, OREGON, Jan. 30, 1878.
I am now prepared to pay all Lake Co. Warrants that were presented for payment up to, and including Oct. 9, 1877; and interest on them will cease from this date.
ANDREW McCALLEN,
35w4] Treasurer Lake Co., Oregon.

J. D. FOUNTAIN.
DEALER IN
General Merchandise,
Dry-Goods, Groceries, School Books, Blank Books and Stationery,
Candies, Nuts,
—AND—
NOTIONS.
LIVE AND 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 good wheat. Will sack and brand the sacks—customers furnishing the sacks. My brother
G. F. BILLINGS.
Will have charge of the business, being assisted be competent millers.
Everything as represented or no sale.
26-1y July 16 Mrs. S. A. FARNHAM.

MILLINERY STORE
On Main Street
Ashland - - - - - Oregon.
We have now on hand a beautiful assortment of
Hats, Bonnets, Shades, French Flowers, Wreaths, Plumes, Neck Ties, Linen Suits, Jute, Ladies' Finishing Goods, etc., etc etc.
BUTTRICK PATTERNS
☞All orders from a distance promptly filled.
☞Agency for Dr. Warner's Health Corset. Every thing sold cheap for Cash.
☞Bleaching, Pressing and Coloring, in the very neatest manner. *v2n16tf
Mrs. Jas. Ewing.

Ashland Barber Shop
William Mayfield
Having purchased the Barber Shop on Main street, lately kept by James K. Leabo, will always be found on hand ready to
SHAVE YOU, CUT YOUR HAIR, AND
Fix you up in the most approved style.
☞Give me a call and try me.
v2n35tf] WILLIAM MAYFIELD.

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. no28tf.

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. Branded 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.

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
v2n14tf] GEORGE NURSE,

ASHLAND BAKERY
AND
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. [9 3m] W. S. SAYER.

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Selling Out!!
Great Reduction in
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A new and excellent aassortment of fine gold and plated jewelry.
☞Please call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.
☞Great pains taken in repairing gold or silver watches and all kinds of jewelry.
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☞Watches and clocks cleaned at from $1 50 to $2 00. All other work done at the very lowest prices.
Sewing Machines.
ALL WORK WARRANTED!!
Be sure to call, and rest assured that you shall have satisfaction.
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