

# THE ASHLAND TIDINGS.

FRIDAY, JUNE 13, 1879

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Base ball has subsided.  
P. L. Fountain was in Ashland the other day.

Frank Slade has gone to Sprague River, Lake county.

Col. W. S. Stone and wife will hereafter reside in Yreka.

Mr. Coolidge furnished 100 boxes of strawberries for the festival.

The Eagle mill is grinding some little wheat for the home trade.

Capt. Thos. Smith sold his big bay gelding to J. H. Mayfield for \$20.

Among the amusements for the 4th at Ashland, a tournament is mentioned.

The miners of Sterling will close down soon, after a prosperous season's run.

John Fountain, with his mother and brother, paid Ashland a visit last Monday.

Geo. W. Stephenson has bought John Orth's farm, near Jacksonville for \$3,500.

Mr. K. K. Harris is hauling stone from the Tolman place for the new Masonic Hall.

Trout fishing is in order. Some fine large trout have been taken from Bear creek.

John Chandler has a shingle mill in operation up the valley near Houck's ranch.

The frame of the woolen factory, from the fall to the bank is being repaired.

The heavy rain last Monday night did some damage to grain down the valley.

We are informed that all of Colwell's real estate is to be sold for the benefit of creditors.

We noticed Messrs. Sargent and Roberts, of Puerco, on our streets the other day.

We understand that Hon. Geo. Conn. will come in from Lakeview about the 4th of July.

It is estimated that the wool clip of Jackson county this year will exceed 300,000 pounds.

H. L. Webb has bought a half interest in Manning's livery stable at Jacksonville for \$2,000.

John Freley is not afraid to match his work for neatness of fit against that of any tailor in the state.

A pling hat has made its appearance in Ashland. Does the wearer belong to the H. B.'s of California?

The Ashland Woolen Mfg. Co. have bought wool enough to last them until the next clip comes into market.

Mr. Mace, of Bear Creek sold 520 pounds of goat's hair in Jacksonville the other day at 36c per pound.

Read, under special notices, what Geo. T. Baldwin of Linkville, has to say to those who are owing him.

Joachim Miller passed through town last week with his daughter Mand whom he was taking to a school in California.

There is no shoemaker at Lakeview. We are informed. Rev. Geo. Nutley has received orders for work to go to that place.

E. F. Rockfellow returned from San Francisco Tuesday morning. He will be followed soon by a large invoice of new goods.

A miner from Portland and F. L. Mace are preparing to wadam the Illinois river at some distance from Keshville.

The Bee says W. C. Griswold is getting back some of the money collected under execution issued by the U. S. District Court.

Mr. Marks, of Little Applegate, offers for sale 9000 Angora goats, upon good terms. Notice his advertisement in another column.

For bargains call at Butler & Rock fellow's, where goods are being sold off cheap to make room for the new stock which is on the way.

Mrs. Tovar, Mrs. Thornton, Mrs. Coolidge and Mrs. Drake went down to Jacksonville to attend the strawberry festival last Tuesday.

Several Ashland gentlemen have been in attendance at court as jurors. Job Tovar, E. Farlow, B. F. Resser and J. B. Millison.

G. W. Ford, who is finishing Houck's Hall, is only able to put in a day's work now and then; having to wait for lumber from the saw mills.

Simon Caro, who has been across the Atlantic to visit friends in the Fatherland, passed through Ashland to Jacksonville on yesterday morning's stage.

Miss Ella Anthony and Miss Beam, two young ladies of Crescent City who have spent several months in Ashland, started upon their return home last Sunday.

There was born to the wife of Rev. J. R. N. Bell a son May 30th, and on June 2d the earthly remains of the little one were buried in Masonic cemetery at Roseburg.

The revenue of the Jacksonville school district is about \$600 in excess of expenses this year, leaving that amount in the hands of the clerk to be given the next year with.

The Circuit Court adjourned on Monday in respect to the memory of the late James D. Fay, formerly of the Jacksonville bar. Appropriate resolutions were passed and spread upon the journal, and a copy under the seal of the court, ordered to be given to the widow of the deceased.

We are informed that Calvin B. MacDonald has gone to Washington Territory from the Willamette valley, and his visit to this section will consequently be postponed.

Chas. Adams has sold his house on the corner of Main and Oak streets to J. M. McCall, and has removed with his family to the dwelling house adjoining that of Amos Willits.

Hay harvest is upon us. We will have to appeal to the almanac before we can make ourselves believe it though, the April showers and March breezes confuse our reckoning.

An Indian who was working in the saw mill at Klamath Agency, fell across the revolving saw one day last week, and received fatal injuries, living only a few hours after the accident.

The committee appointed to procure an orator and a reader of the Declaration of Independence on the Fourth have selected Prof. L. L. Rogers for orator and J. D. Fountain as reader.

The body of Gain Davis, who was drowned in the Umpqua, was found floating in an eddy about a mile below the scene of accident early last week and the funeral took place on Wednesday.

We understand that W. A. Wilshire, who is now out at Willits' saw mill, intends returning to town soon, and will build a house on Granite street. We suppose it will be large enough for two.

The Del Norte Record is the name of a new weekly newspaper published at Crescent City by J. E. Eldridge. It is a diminutive sheet, three columns to the page, but it has a chance to grow.

Rev. J. H. Mayfield started for Lake county again last Tuesday. He intends to gather up a drove of horses from his hand and drive them to Virginia City, Nevada. He took a few horses from this place.

The American Agriculturist for June has reached us, filled, as usual, with interesting reading matter for everyone, and information of much value to the farmer. Every farmer in the land should take it.

H. M. Thatcher came in from Linkville on Wednesday evening. He reports affairs in a flourishing condition in Lake county. Mr. Thatcher informs us that there is about \$100,000 worth of beef for sale in the Klamath basin this year.

J. Q. Willits has removed from the Academy cottage to the house on Granite street belonging to the estate of the late I. A. Miller. Professor L. L. Rogers will occupy the Academy cottage sometime in the early part of August, perhaps sooner.

The picnic party which went from Ashland to Mr. Sheppard's soda springs last Friday returned in the evening and drove through town with flying colors. A good time is reported. The printers who didn't go return thanks for the excellent lunch sent them.

The Linkville mail comes in on time every day. Mr. McCurdy, who has the contract between Linkville and Lakeview, has been making tri-weekly trips while perfect arrangements for regular service, and is about ready now, we learn, to carry the mail on schedule time.

At the last term of County Commissioners Court a view was ordered of the proposed road from Armstrong's mill to the divide between Trail and Evans creeks, and M. Dickenson, J. A. Satterfield and M. A. Huston were appointed viewers and C. J. Howard, Surveyor.

A correspondent of the Douglas Independent says: "The Scab Flat base ball club had better be on the look-out for the 'Shot guns,' of You-calls intend challenging them for a match game in a short time." If it should turn out, after all, that there is something in a name either of those clubs would be hard to beat.

At a meeting of the Grave Creek Ditch Company, held in Jacksonville recently, the following directors were elected. Jay Beach, H. Kelley, Dan Cronmiller, E. F. Walker, and S. S. Martin and Jas. Cheoweth of Douglas county. E. F. Walker was chosen President and Treasurer; H. Kelley, Vice President; Dan. Cronmiller, Secretary.

The Presbyterian church festival was very well attended and quite a pecuniary success, the receipts amounting to over \$56, with very little to pay out for expenses. A number were in attendance from Jacksonville, among them were Mrs. Shipley, Mrs. Beekman and daughter, the Messrs. Litt, Miss Vinine, and Messrs. Ladd, Savage and Wm. Kinney.

At a school meeting held at Phoenix last week the citizens resolved the fifteen mill tax voted at a previous meeting, and levied a tax of one mill to meet present liabilities. The idea of building a school house is not abandoned by the progressive people of the place, and an earnest effort will be made to raise money enough for the purpose by voluntary subscription.

THE WOOL MARKET.—Quotations from San Francisco are as follows: Choice Northern, 22@24c; Barry, 19@22c; Inferior, 17@19c; Southern, good to choice, 13@15c; Barry and 84-day, 12@14c; B. B. The demand is active, and shipments find ready sale.

OFFICERS OF PIONEER SOCIETY.—At the meeting of the Jackson County Pioneer Society, held at Jacksonville last Thursday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: David Linn, President; Capt. Thomas Smith and B. B. Griffin, Vice Presidents; Wm. Hoffman, Secretary; K. K. Kahl, Treasurer.

TRIP TO LAKEVIEW.—Last Monday morning Mrs. M. W. Hargadine, with her two daughters and one little boy, started for an excursion to Lakeview. J. S. Eckbark, Jr., goes with them as protector and chief man of the party. They drove two teams, and will camp out during the trip. The party expect to celebrate the Fourth at Lakeview.

LEAVES US.—Mr. H. P. Valpey left on Wednesday's stage for his old home at Harrisburg, about eight miles from San Jose, Cal., intending to reside there permanently. Mr. Valpey has gained many friends during his residence in Ashland, all of whom send with him their best wishes for his health and prosperity at his California home.

STRAWBERRIES.—Mr. Coolidge has strawberries enough to supply all who may want to purchase. The fruit berries we have seen this season were several boxes which Mr. C. brought to our office the other day. There were four varieties, the Jacunda, Peabody Seedling, Wilson's Albany and Triumph de Grande, and we are afraid to tell how large they were—our veracity would be questioned.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Circuit Court met on Monday, with all the officers present. The State cases against Archie Christman and Jas. Wells were continued and those against James Hard, Oliver Harbaugh, Andrew Elliot and Frank Williams were dismissed on motion of the District Attorney. The case of the State vs. Dan Duty, for assault with dangerous weapon, was postponed, and civil cases were taken up.

ON A VISIT.—W. C. Daley was surprised last Saturday morning to see approaching him his brother, Willard, from Illinois, whom he had not seen before for more than fifteen years. The gentleman had come from the Mississippi to spend three weeks in Oregon, visiting his brother in this place, his father on Butte creek and another brother in the Willamette valley. He had given no intimation of his coming, wishing to give the family a complete surprise.

CHANCE FOR A RACE.—Jus Taylor, of Portland, publishes the following in the Standard, under date of June 21: "Having read a challenge in the Standard from the owner of Scamp-john to the effect that he wanted to run his horse for \$5,000, I wish to state that I am ready to accept the challenge offered on the following conditions: To run at the State Fair next Fall for \$2,000, or at Portland, his expenses to be paid by me at any time agreed upon, or I will meet him at Jacksonville after the State Fair, he paying my expenses to that place. Now put up if you mean business."

FROM LAKE COUNTY.—On Monday evening Capt. O. C. Applegate and wife Miss Jennie Anderson arrived in Ashland, for a visit among their many friends and relatives here. They left the Agency about two weeks ago, and have been spending some time in Swan Lake valley. Mrs. Applegate has almost entirely recovered from her long illness, and this journey will no doubt improve her health still further. It is a real pleasure to see the Captain on our streets again. His duties at the Agency will be attended to during his absence by G. G. Anderson.

SERIOUSLY INJURED.—On Wednesday last week Janet Ford, father of G. W. Ford of this place, was seriously injured at his home about seven miles from Dallas, on the Luckiamute. The *Times* gives the particulars as follows: He was engaged in chopping down a tree, when it fell struck another tree and a large limb breaking off descended and hit him a terrible blow in the back, breaking two of his ribs, partially dislocating his spine and injuring him internally. Dr. Smith was called to attend the injured man, but there is slight prospect of his recovery, as he is aged over seventy years and his injuries are very dangerous.

RUNAWAY.—Last Sunday afternoon H. T. Cuitwood took his mother out for a drive behind the fast mare which the Doctor has recently sold. Having returned home and let Mrs. Cuitwood out of the buggy, Ham was turning around to drive down to the stable when the king-bolt of the buggy broke, throwing Ham out and frightening the mare. With the two fore wheels the frightened animal dashed through town, and out toward the base ball field, where she was captured. While going up Main Street she ran across Reeser's porch in front of the store, breaking through the boards and scratching her legs slightly. Damage to buggy only about \$5.

THE SCHOOL BOOK QUESTION.—At a meeting of County School Superintendent in Salem last week says the *Mercury*, a majority of the Superintendents of the State were present. Propositions were received from the different publishing companies, and sealed ballots were cast and deposited with the Superintendent of Public Instruction, which will not be opened until the 20th of this month. There is no doubt that a large majority of the persons present prefer any other series of Readers to the Hancroft series, and it is safe to predict that a change will be made in this respect. It is thought all the County Superintendents will be heard from before the 20th. The meeting was a very pleasant and harmonious one, and there will be another meeting held at Portland August 19th, at the time of the convening of the State Teachers' Institute.

## Fourth of July Celebration.

Pursuant to call, a meeting of the citizens of Ashland was held in McCall & Baum's Hall last Tuesday evening, to consider the matter of a Fourth of July celebration in this place.

The meeting was organized by calling Capt. J. M. McCall to the chair. On motion W. H. Leeds was chosen Secretary.

A resolution that the citizens of Ashland celebrate the Fourth in appropriate style was carried with demonstrations of enthusiasm.

Moved and seconded that a committee of general arrangements be appointed by the Chair; carried, and the following named gentlemen and ladies were appointed: J. D. Fountain, A. V. Gillette, Jesse Honck, G. F. Billings, Mrs. J. S. Russell, Mrs. O. Coolidge, Mrs. B. F. Myer.

On motion a committee on finance was appointed, consisting of Messrs. C. K. Kium, Gain Butler and A. D. Helman.

On motion, a committee of three, consisting of A. G. Rockfellow, E. J. Farlow and Dr. Chitwood, was appointed to procure an orator and reader of the Declaration of Independence.

On motion, a committee on vocal and instrumental music was appointed, consisting of Rev. Geo. Nutley, Miss Belle Drake and Miss Rachel Applegate.

On motion, the meeting adjourned sine die.

We shall publish the programme of the day in due time.

## WEATHER REPORT.

The following is the local weather report for the week ending June 11th, at 6 A. M. and 12 M.

DATE.	WEATHER.	TEMPERATURE.
5	Cloudy	53 73
6	"	45 60
7	"	46 60
8	"	49 65
9	Clear	48 68
10	Hazy	47 62
11	Cloudy	53 62

TO THE PUBLIC.—F. B. Fulow has sold his interest in the store at Eagle Point, Jackson county, Oregon, to Eber Emery who will take charge of the store and transact the business of the new firm of H. T. Inlow & Eber Emery at the old stand in Eagle Point, where goods will be sold for a reduced price for cash or produce at cash price, unless by special contract satisfactory to parties concerned.

DR. H. T. INLOW, EBER EMERY.

INSTRUCTION IN MUSIC.—Prof. E. T. Kugler, of Jacksonville, has made arrangements to come to Ashland twice each week to give instruction to a class in music, beginning yesterday (the 11th). The Professor, of whose success as a teacher in Jacksonville we have heard much commendation, is a graduate of the Conservatory of Music of Munich, Germany, and has high testimonials of ability and efficiency. He will be in Ashland on Monday and Thursday of each week, and will give lessons upon the piano and organ and also in vocal music. We understand the Professor already has a class of ten or twelve pupils. His terms are: For a term of 24 lessons, \$30; single lessons \$1.50 each.

FEARFUL STORM.—Eugene Watters, who has a brother-in-law living at Blue Rapids, has received an extra published by the Blue Rapids *Times*, containing a description of the terrible storm that swept over that portion of Kansas. At Irving, a neighboring town, thirteen persons were killed and forty-nine wounded. Two distinct cyclones struck the town, one about fifteen minutes after the other. The terrible whirlwinds swept everything from their path. The account says: "Where stood fine dwellings at one moment there could not be found a perfect piece of board or plank six feet in length, ten seconds afterward. Fences were removed as completely as if done with spade and hammer. Posts set two feet in the ground were, in some instances, drawn out. Of some houses and their contents, not one tenth of one per cent can be gathered up. Not only surplus clothing was lost, but many—hundreds of those who were lost and those who escaped—were deprived of nearly all the clothing on their persons."

INSTRUCTORS ELECTED.—At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Ashland College and Normal School last Friday morning, the President nominated W. J. Nicholls, A. M., for Vice President and professor of mathematics, and Mrs. Jennie B. Nicholls, teacher of music and French. Both were unanimously elected by the Board, and those who have knowledge of the gentleman and lady regard the choice with great satisfaction. Mr. Nicholls is a popular and efficient educator, well known in Siskiyou county. Speaking of the faculty, the *Yreka Journal* says: "The Trustees have secured the services of Prof. Rogers of the M. E. Church in this place, a graduate of one of the Eastern Universities, to take charge of it; who will be assisted by W. I. Nicholls, a well known educator of ability in this city and county, in conducting the school. Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Nicholls and other competent instructors in the various branches of education, including music, will also assist, rendering an educational force unequalled in any college on this coast. \* \* \* \* \* The surroundings, as regards morality and beautiful location, make Ashland the most desirable place on the coast for parents to send their children to, in attending school."

## Pioneer Society.

The annual meeting of the Pioneer Society of Southern Oregon, was held at the Court House in Jacksonville on Thursday the 5th day of June 1879. David Linn, Vice President of the Society presiding, in the absence of the President. The minutes of the last meeting and also of the reunion of the Society, were read by the Secretary and approved.

On motion of H. J. C. Duncan, the members present, proceeded to elect the officers of the society for the ensuing year. The chairman appointed Kaspar Kahl and L. J. C. Duncan, tellers.

The following persons were elected to the respective offices named: David Linn, President, Capt. Thomas Smith, Vice President, Capt. Barrell B. Griffin, Vice President, William Hoffman, Secretary, and Kaspar Kahl Treasurer.

The secretary presented a statement of the account of the late Treasurer, U. S. Hayden, deceased, as the same appears on the treasurer's books, showing the amount on hand \$10.65. The report was accepted and approved.

C. C. Beckman moved, that on the death of a member of the society, the president be requested to take such action thereon as he may deem proper; the motion adopted.

Silas J. Day moved, that the secretary be authorized to procure a suitable book in which to record the resolutions which may be passed in reference to deceased members of the society, which motion was adopted.

L. J. C. Duncan moved, that the president appoint a committee of three members in Jacksonville, to report resolutions in relation to the death of U. S. Hayden, late treasurer of the society, also a committee of three members in Ashland and vicinity, to report resolutions on the death of Isaac Miller and James M. Sutton, members of the society, which motion was adopted. Thereon, the president appointed L. J. C. Duncan, C. C. Beckman and Silas J. Day on the first mentioned committee, and John M. McCall, Lindeas, Applegate and E. K. Anderson on the last mentioned Committee, said resolutions to be placed in the hands of the secretary.

The following motion was presented by J. A. Carlwell: That the next annual reunion of the society, be held at Ashland and that the president appoint a committee of three members residing in Ashland and vicinity, whose duty it shall be to appoint sub-committees and to devise ways and means and make all necessary arrangements with reference to said reunion; motion adopted. The following persons were appointed as said committee, Jesse Honck, John M. McCall and E. K. Anderson.

L. J. C. Duncan offered the following motion: That the next annual reunion be held on Thursday the 11th day of September next; adopted.

On motion of C. C. Beckman, it was ordered that the secretary draw an order on the treasurer for the sum of three dollars and sixty cents for a scrap book for the use of the society.

L. J. C. Duncan offered the following motion: That the voting members of the society pay each the sum of fifty cents as the yearly dues, to defray the expenses of the society, which was adopted.

And thereon, the society adjourned.

WM. HOFFMAN, Secretary.

## Apportionment of School Funds.

Following is the June apportionment of the county school funds as made out by Superintendent Fountain:

Name of Dist.	Amount Received
Jacksonville	\$261 50
Halter Grove	86 00
Lugtown	45 00
Phoenix	50 50
Ashland	245 50
Mazandria	42 25
Frederal	74 50
Moore	30 50
Little Butte	49 00
South Prairie	25 25
Anderson	43 00
Chimney Rock	17 25
Willow Springs	39 75
Independence	33 75
Moond	41 75
Dardanelles	36 25
Antioch	33 25
Upper Butte	33 00
Santa's Creek	35 00
Missouri Flat	22 50
W. gner Creek	61 50
G. nts Pass	17 25
N. nts Pass	38 25
Reck Point	15 25
Erath Creek	45 00
Lower Town	43 00
Upper Applegate	18 50
Prairie	29 75
Unity	10 75
Green Mountain	41 75
F. nts Creek	42 25
Stirlingville	37 75
Thompson Creek	14 00
4-h hill	37 00
Meadows	38 25
Rogue River	29 75
Freephie	29 75
Reynolds	27 75
Brid e Point	29 00
North Sans Valley	25 75
S. nts Butte Creek	21 00
Forest	22 00
Tabl e Rock	20 00

## Real Estate Transactions.

The following have been recorded in the County Clerk's office since our last report:

F. M. Smith to Louisa G. Hubert, lot in Jacksonville. Consideration, \$45.

Jos. Dandlen to Mitchell Dandlen, 40 acres in Table Rock Precinct. Consideration, 500.

O. Gantlen to S. F. Chadwick, 35 45 acres in Table Rock Precinct. Consideration, \$106 35.

G. W. Rutte to Silas J. Day, one-half interest in premises in Jacksonville. Consideration, \$200.

## Court Docket.

Following is the Circuit Court Docket for the June term, which began last Monday:

STATE CASES.  
State vs. Arch. Christman; assault. State vs. Jas. Hards; murder. State vs. Wells; murder. State vs. Daniel Doty; assault. State vs. O. Harbough; larceny. State vs. A. Elliot; larceny. State vs. Frank Williams; larceny. State vs. W. H. Parker; larceny.

ACTIONS AT LAW.  
Kahl & Bolt vs. Wm. Bybee, A. W. Hawlett, E. C. Robinson and Jesse Robinson; to recover money. Wm. Bybee vs. A. W. Hawlett, E. C. Robinson and Jesse Robinson; to recover money.

CHANCERY CASES.  
Cayote Mining Company vs. Wm. and Walter Kahl; to annul sale and for conveyance and injunction. Kahl and T. J. Farris vs. J. W. Hay et al., suit in equity. Martha Lander vs. Robt. Linder, divorce. Jas. B. rnes vs. R. E. Bybee, to quiet title. Susan E. H-man vs. M. G. Helman, divorce. Louisa Earl vs. Geo. Earl, divorce.

State News.

Hon. John M. Mitchell will deliver the Fourth of July oration at Junction City.

Over \$5000 worth of wheat was destroyed by the late hail storm within a radius of two miles from Salem.

The Coast Mail says that work has been entirely suspended at the Black Sand gold mines near Randolph.

Ladies of Junction have organized an equisarian club, and will appear in the procession on the Fourth of July.

The following named persons will graduate from the State University this year: J. N. Pacey, J. C. McQuinn, H. C. Condon, Mary Hays, Carrie Cornelius and Julia Adams.

R. L. Lane, falsely representing himself as nephew of Gen. Jos. Lane, bilked the Bank of British Columbia, Ltd. & Titon, Light Ferry and other Portland men, out of about \$1000 by forgeries. He will go to the penitentiary.

The Bar of Roseburg and other committees managing the proposed celebration of the 4th of July, have selected Gen. Joseph Lane for president of the day, Rev. J. N. K. Bell as marshal, Sydney Debas orator and Mr. Criss as well as reader.

A man named Charley Starr was recently pardoned from the penitentiary on his promise to leave the state and remain during the period for which he was sentenced. He failed to do so and was arrested a few days ago at Albany and returned to the prison.

Religious Notices.

M. E. CHURCH.—Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. Sabbath School at 2:30 with Bible classes for old and young. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30. A general invitation and a cordial welcome to all.

W. T. CHAPMAN, Pastor.

MARRIED.

THOMAS BAILEY—In Santa Valley, June 8th, by W. A. Childers, J. P., Thurston Thomas and Miss J. Bailey—all of Evans creek.

COLVIG—BIRDSEYE—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 8th, by E. Dimick, J. P., M. J. W. M. Colvig and Miss Ada Birdseye.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

For Sale.

I have nine hundred Angora goats for sale, which are, I think, as good a flock as can be found in the state, being well bred from the best imported bucks. I find it necessary to change my business in order to school my children. For particulars apply at my ranch on Little Applegate, or address J. M. MARK, ASHLAND, OGN.

Notice to Debtors.