THE ASHLAND TIDINGS

FRIDAY..... .....MAY 7, 1886

Piano for Sale.

A fine upright piano, nearly new. Enquire at office of G. F. BILLINGS.
Ashland, May 7, 1886.

Bank Election.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Ashland, held last Saturday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. H. Atkinson; Vice President, F. H. Carter; Cashier, E. V. Carter. Board of Directors, W. H. Atkinson, Thos. Smith, F. H. Carter, Henry Ammerman, E. V. Carter.

Commencement Programme.

Following is the programme of the commencement exercises of Ashland College and Normal School:

Sunday, May 9th, 11 o'clock A. M., Annual Sermon, by Rev. W. G. Simpson.

Tuesday evening, May 18th, Middle Class Orations, and class promotions.

Wednesday evening, May 19th, Senior Orations, Graduating Exercises and President's Address.

Property Sales.

Billings reports the following propety sales in Ashland this week:

A. M. Ruddick to H. C. Messenger, house and 9 acres land on Granite street; consideration, $800.

H. C. Messenger to A. M. Ruddick, two acre lot on Granite street, consideration, $200.

H. B. Miller to G. High, lot on Main street between Caton & Garrett's saloon and Butler, Drake & Co's. building; consideration, $1050.

Card of Thanks.

The W. C. T. U. tender thanks to those who so kindly assisted at their annual meeting in songs, reading and addresses also to the Brass Band for making our hearts glad with beautiful music at the door and last, but not least, those who sent us on our way rejoicing by giving us the promise of funds to build a Public Reading Room, which we hope to make a credit to our city.

MRS. J. H. RUSSELL, Pres.
MRS. J. D. CROCKER, Sec.
Ashland, Or., May 6, 1886.

Two More Brick Stores.

Mr. A Johnson has let to Byars & Guerin and C. W. Ayers the contract for the building and finishing of two more new brick stores of the same size and style as those now under construction, and will be built on the lot adjacent to these. The blacksmith and wagon shop are being moved from this lot. The front building, nearly new, has been bought by Thompson & Stephenson, and will be moved by Wm. Patterson to their lot just south of the Ashland livery stable. Mr. Johnson is making a valuable addition to the business part of town in his brick blocks.

Drowned in the Klamath.

[Yreka Journal, May 1.]

Gustave Doenitz, an old and well-known river miner, who formerly resided at Salmon river, was drowned in Klamath river last Tuesday, near McConnell's Bar. He was engaged with Dominick Lunde in putting in a crib for wingdam, and starting to cross the stream in a boat, his feet became entangled among some rope in the bottom of the boat, so that he lost his balance and fell into the stream. When recovered by Mr. M. Sleeper and others, the rope was found circled around his body a number of times. He was a native of Germany, aged 47 years, and had the reputation of being an honest, hard working and worthy citizen, highly esteemed by all his acquaintances.

The First Gun.

The openning gun of the election campaign was fired in Ashland Tuesday evening, Hon. G. M. Miller, of Benton, county, Prohibition candidate for Congress, being the speaker. He had a fair audience at Myer's Hall, considering the few hours' notice given of the meeting and the unpleasant, stormy weather which prevailed. Mr. Miller proved to be a spaker of much ability, and held the attention of his audience for over two hours, speaking without manuscript or notes, and making his points of argument with directness and force. The TIDINGS was unable to obtain the usual abstract of the argument. On Wednesday evening Mr. Miller spoke at Jacksonville, and yesterday afternoon, at Medford, whence he goes direct to Roseburg, to participate in the Prohibition demonstration to take place there to-morrow.

Gone to His Rest.

On Friday morning last, Franklin McHattan, whose sad affliction was reported in the last week's TIDINGS, departed this life at the state asylum in Salem. The physicians who knew of his condition when he was taken from Ashland thought he had but a short time to live, and, though rallying somewhat from the effects of the journey after his arrival at Salem, he afterwards sank rapidly and died early on Friday morning. The funeral was taken in hand by the Ashland Masonic lodge, of which he was a member. The casket arrived on Sunday morning's train, and the funeral services were held at the home of deceased on Granite street at 2:30 o'clock of that day, Rev. M. G. Royal officiating. A large number of friends and neighbors followed the remains to their last resting place in the north cemetry, and members of the Masonic fraternity to the number of over thirty were in line.

Fruit Badly Damaged.

On Friday night last the mercury went down to 25° in Ashland, and a large portion of the growing fruit crop in this valley was destroyed. It is impossible to ascertain yet anywhere nearly the exact extent of the damage, but it is estimated that from 60 to 90 per cent of all the peaches, plums, cherries, apricots and almonds in the valley have been killed, and the apples and pears have also been badly damaged. Strawberries in bloom were killed, but there will be plenty of new blooms. Whether the blackberry crop is hurt is not determined yet. This was not a frost, but a freeze, such as destroyed the entire orange crop of Florida this year. Everything was dry at the time, and any ordinary frost would have done no damage whatever, but a cold wave that sent the mercury down seven degrees below the freezing point was something that nobody expected to see here on the last day of April. The loss on the fruit crop in this part of the valley will amount to thousands of dollars, but there will be no serious check to the fruit interests, as our climate has been thoroughly tested during twenty-five years past, and has shown a better average production of delicate fruits of the temperate zone than that of the most favored fruit regions of the Eastern states.

After the first surprise of the blow had passed, people began to investigate, and it was found that in some of the high hill orchards in and near town the peaches and other fruits have received really slight injury. On the Hargadine ranch, several hundred feet higher than town on the east side of Bear creek, scarcely any damage is perceptible, and on the steep slope west of town the trees on the highest altitudes have escaped remarkably.

The cold wave extended southward into the Sacramento valley and northward through western Oregon, and injury to fruit is reported from most places over this whole area.

BREVITIES.

No late railroad news of local interest.

Two more brick store buildings in Ashland.

Sheep shearing has begun in this valley.

Farmers are pleased with the May showers.

Republican primaries will be held to-morrow,

To-morrow the effectual returns from the primaries will come in.

An excellent piano, nearly new, is offered for sale. See notice.

The Star Bakery and Restaurant has been moved to its new quarters.

The Prohibitionists fire the first campaign gun in this part of the state.

Col. Currey has moved his law office to the old library room in Masonic building.

The question of greatest present interest is: "How much fruit is there left?

Another interesting letter from Mr. Branch on the first page of this week's TIDINGS.

B. F. McMillen was awarded the contract to build the crosswalks on the line of new sidewalk.

The city council will begin to think it is earning its salary if it catches a few more resolutions.

J. B. Thomas has the contract to carry the mail between Gold Hill and Table Rock at $400 per annum.

Roads were pretty good over the Siskiyous before the rain of this week, and will soon be entirely dry again.

Parties from Michigan have been negotiating for the purchase of Thos. Chavner's large farm on Rogue river.

Baseball will not make any stir in Ashland this season. The players of the old nine are too much scattered.

A couple of young men from California are in the valley after a band of wethers to drive to bunch grass.

Read the new ads. of the Ashland Mills, Soda Springs hotel and the transfer business of J. H. McBride.

It was reported last evening that Lewis, one of the principals in the recent fight was indicted by the grand jury.

Parker for clerk and Plymale for sheriff carried the primaries in Jacksonvile precinct by a vote of about two to one.

The grand jury was at work yesterday investigating the prize fight charges, but had reached no conclusion at last report.

Plymale, Nichols and Ingram seem to be foremost in the fight for the nomination for sheriff at the convention to-morrow.

About every first-grade certificate in Jackson county is represented in the list of candidates for county school superintendent.

The C. & O. Stage company want to begin running on summer time between Ashland and Slate creek by May 10th, if possible.

A rabbit hunt in the vicinity of Bonanza, Klamath county, on April 23 resulted in the killing of 1,117 of the long-eared pests.

Roberts & O'Neil have sold their farm near Medford to a Pennsylvania man for $10,450, reserving this year's crop for themselves.

When election comes remember that you will have to keep 100 feet away from the polls, except when voting. That's the new law.

"No market" in this country. Dried beef, hams and lard from Chicago are sold in Ashland grocery stores—also butter from California.

The annual sermon of Ashland College will be delivered by Rev. W. G. Simpson at the M. E. Church next Sunday morning, May 9, at 11 o'clock.

Parker will be re-nominated for clerk to-morrow, it is said. His ability as an exhibitor seems to be appreciated by the machine that set up the primaries.

A campaign of three or four weeks is not very long, but will probably seem long enough for the candidates who are "on nettles" during its continuance.

The Ashland Band complimented Dr. Songer and bride with a pleasant serenade last Saturday evening, and were handsomely received and entertained.

The mild and pleasant voice of the candidate is heard in the land, and the sovereign voter will be swelled with his own importance for about three weeks.

The Oregonian is beginning to take an interest in the wagon road connection between the Rogue River valley and the isolated southeastern portion of the state.

A man in from Spencer's place in Klamath county says there was no frost out there last Friday night, but it was cold in the mountains between here and there.

A train load of cattle will be shipped from Medford within a few days—something over 500 head, probably—cattle that have been bought for shipment to Montana.

Prof. Sweet is mentioned as the probable candidate for county school superintendent on the Democratic ticket. He is a normal graduate and a wide-awake, progressive educator.

Dr. Pilkington, the skillful surgeon and specialist, will be in Ashland next Sunday, May 7th, and may be found at his rooms at Fraley's as usual. See his announcement on 4th page.

A rumor of a triple wedding at the M. E. Church last Sunday evening brought out an audience that crowded the building. The rumor was erroneous, but some people will try it again next Sunday evening.

There is a splendid chance for some public-spirited individual to run on an independent ticket for coroner of Klamath county. Both the regular nominees for that important office decline the honor.—[Star.

The city authorities say that the "curfew" ordinance is to be strictly enforced hereafter. This means that boys under eighteen years of age will not be permitted to loiter about the streets after 8:30 o'clock P. M.

Mr. L. Martin's orchard, and that of H. C. Hill, W. L. Baltimore and others of the same high altitude seem to have escaped serious injury from the freeze. Wickham reports that his fruit trees and garden on upper Granite street also escaped well.

Among the new ads. this week is that of the fine horse, "Sir Walter, Jr.," owned by Mr. D. R. White and in charge of Isaac Wolf, of Medford. The horse is a handsome black, of good size and action, and is much praised by horsemen who have inspected him.

The Oregon supreme court has "received its reward," and no doubt is happy. Last week's "Times" had the following: "The Supreme Court has decided that circuit judges must be elected at the coming June election. We are compelled to admit that we have done the above lady an injustice—as we thought one or both Republican members thereof incapable of doing justice on a political question—and hereby make the amende honorable. We give them the credit of being better men than we thought they were."

A postal inspector from down in Virginia is looking through the Oregon offices, and made Ashland a visit yesterday.

E. K. Anderson reports the peaches about all killed down about Wagner creek, but says there will be many a bushel of apples in his big orchard.

L. H. Adams, who has charge of Miller & Co's warehouse in this place, is agent for the Sugar Pine Door and Lumber Co., of Grant's Pass, and all orders for lumber of any kind will be promptly filled by him. [40

The "constantly tired out" feeling, so often experienced, is the result of impoverished blood, causing enfeebled vitality. Ayer's Sarsaparilla enriches the blood, increases the appetite, and promotes digestion. The system, thus invigorated, feels new strength and energy.

Says the Jacksonville Sentinel of last Saturday: "Wm. Nelson of Elliott creek came down to town this week in answer to the challenge for a prize fight offered by Geo. Edwards. The latter being still in jail for a similar offense committed not long since no arrangement for the new mill have yet been made."

For eight years Col. D. J. Williamson, Quarter-Master, U. S. A. and ex U. S. Consul at Cailao, was crippled with rheumatism. He got no relief until he used St. Jacobs Oil, which cured him. No remedy on earth equals it for pain. Price, fifty cents a bottle.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills are the best that can be employed to correct irregularities of the stomach and bowels. Gentle, yet thorough, in their action, they cure constipation, stimulate the appetite and digestive organs, and strengthen the system.

J. H. McBride, proprietor of the City truck and transfer business, announces that he is prepared to attend to all business in his line better than ever before, since he has received his handsome new truck. He makes a specialty of moving pianos and household goods for families. Look out for the bell truck.

A Portland paper of last week has the following. "A gentleman of Lexington, Kentucky, a well-known breeder of short horn cattle, is among the latest inquirers at the state board rooms for a location for the same feature in this state. He has some idea of Jackson county, though he will look over the valley generally."

A Gold Hill correspondent of the Courier says: "Rey & O'Donnel will receive a small test mill by the freight train this week, with which they will work rock from different portions of their ledge; if it proves as good as they have reasons to believe it will, a quartz mill of large capacity, will be erected on Rogue river just below the mine."

The annual meeting of the Ashland W. C. T. U. occurred last Wednesday evening, and was well attended. Besides the business transacted, there was an attractive programme of exercises, consisting of recitations, speeches, music, etc. This programme was handed in for last week's issue of the TIDINGS, but in some manner was mislaid and lost before being put in type.

People who have been in Rogue River valley only two years may conclude that our climate is rather precarious for fruits, but it should not be forgotten that for many years there was not a single failure of the peach crop here, and the average is better than in Delaware. The apple crop, although shorter last year than ever before, has never been an entire failure here yet.

Rev. Abraham Miller, one of the old settlers and a pioneer minister, died at his home on Antelope last Friday, after a lingering illness from the gradual failure of his physical powers. He was buried on Sunday in a spot near his home which had been selected by himself, and a large concourse of friends and neighbors assembled to pay the last, sad tribute of respect.

Richard Kingsley, who has bought and is improving a tract of state land on Spencer creek, Klamath county, has found a deposit of iron or some other valuable mineral on the land, and intends to prospect it thoroughly. If it prove to be a genuine bank of iron ore it will be a valuable find, and it may be something of greater value than iron—possibly platinum, iridium or some metal of that kind.

Notice is given that a petition for another saloon will be presented to the city council next month. It is hardly probable that any attempt will be made to beat the petition by a remonstrance this time, as most of the remonstrators made the fight upon the principle of keeping saloons out entirely, and will not take much interest in the question as to whether there shall be two or three, or four.

Andy Davison, one of the old settlers, and a well-known resident of Jackson county, died suddenly at his place on Rogue river last Friday afternoon. His remains were sent up to Medford Sunday morning, and were buried in Jacksonville cemetery. Mr. Davison was about 55 years of age. At one time he was a large land owner and supposed to be well fixed financially, but had been unfortunate during the past few years and lost all his property.

Anderson Clubb, who came out to this valley last fall from Iowa, has taken a fancy to the fine stock ranch of Robert Neil, at the Cove near the Dead Indian road, and offered a fair price for it and the stock interests of Neil Bros. The latter, however, concluded they had too good a business to dispose of, and refused to sell. Mr. Clubb started this week for a trip through California, clear to the Mexican line. He may return to Ashland to remain.

The Democratic primary convention in Ashland last Saturday was the largest ever held here, nearly a hundred votes being cast. The large attendance was called out by the contest over the votes for the county clerk's office. Matters had been quietly arranged to sit down on N. A. Jacobs, but his friends heard of it a few days before the convention and turned out in force. The Jacobs party elected their chairman, W. F. Songer, by a majority of two votes, but when it came to the election of delegates they lost enough to be beaten by just one vote.

A Portland paper of last week says: William Mackey, of Josephine county, whose father, Martin Mackey, is in the penitentiary under life sentence for murder in the second degree, gives notice that he will apply to the state board of pardons for the release of the latter. The old man has served but a few months of his sentence and a pardon would cause the expense attendant upon two trials and an appeal to come to naught, besides furnishing a very strong argument in the public estimation for the execution of men who are proved, to the satisfaction of a jury, guilty of having taken life.

After May 10th the C. & O. stages will be expected to make the run between Ashland and Slate Creek, 121 miles, in eleven hours and a half. They will leave Ashland at 5 A. M. Breakfast at Kingsbury's; take dinner at Laird's at 11.30; reach Yreka at 2:45 P. M.; arrive at Butteville for supper, and reach Slate Creek at 4:30 next morning. Coming north, the stage will leave Slate Creek at 9 P. M.; breakfast at Butteville; arrive at Laird's, this side of Yreka, for dinner; arriving at Kingsburry's at 6:30 P. M. for supper, and reach Ashland at 8:15 P. M.

One-eighth, or 10-lb., box crackers 65c. at the Red House. x

HERE AND THERE.

Berries have been damaged by frost at Walla Walla.

James Thorn, of Salem, is an applicant for the office of register at Lakeview.

James. R. Garfield, a son of the late President, is visiting San Francisco. He is about 25 years old.

The two companies of U. S. Infantry stationed at Seattle since the riots there were orderd back to Vancouver this week.

Used Red Star Cough Cure effectually. Dr. C. Fawcett, Union Protestant Infirmary, Baltimore, Md. No depressing effects.

Persons ordering packages from the East will save time and money by calling at the express office for shipping instruction stickers. [26.

Reames, Martin & Co. have sold their band of cattle, some 200 head of fine graded stock, to Mr. C. Cunningham, of Fort Klamath.

Mrs. Mollie Floed, a daughter of Sol. Abraham of Roseburg, has commenced suit in the Douglas county circuit court for a divorce from Creed Floed.

Miss Ella C. Sabin has been nominated for school superintendent by the Democrats in Multnomah county. She is said to be well qualified for the position, and has a good chance for election.

The new cathedral to be built at San Francisco will cost $200,000, exclusive of the lot and grading. This would build a large number of country churches and school houses.

McMinnville Reporter: Kirk Connor's mule died on the 17th. The first mule in this country that was ever known to die a natural death. Lindsey Delashmutt lost one which sucided about a year ago.

A citizen of Adair county, Missouri, writing to the state board of immigration under the date of April 22d, says that upwards of seventy families in this neighborhood are getting ready to come to Oregon. He says these are well-to-do people and practical farmers.

George Kirkham was shot and killed by J. M. Gonzales, at Smith River Corners, Del Norte county, Cal., on Tuesday of last week. Gonzales is in jail at Crescent City on charge of murder, and Mrs. Kirkham, mother of the murdered man, is also in jail, charged with being an accessory to the crime.

The Portland Telegram is confident that the lady nominee for school superintendent in Multnomah will be elected. It says: "The prospect that Multnomah county will have the best superintendent of schools in the state is made doubtful only by the possibility that Miss Sabin will withdraw her name from the ticket."

Says a Yreka paper: The C. & O. railroad company has issued orders to clear the right of way, as far north as Fish Rock, fifty-six miles south of Yreka. Col. Scobie and his force of masons have left Portuguese Flat, and are now quartered at Southern's. All the railroad tunnels south of Strawberry Valley are completed.

The Roseburg Review of last week says: Hardy, Seiben and Swett of Montana will ship from Southern Oregon between the 5th and 20th of May about 6,500 head of cattle, leaving about $150,000 in cash in this section. Other parties have expended thousands of dollars in this county for cattle this year. So this business is providing a splendid source of revenue.

Grant's Pass Courier: Alex. Anderson, a resident of Althouse precinct, is missing, and is supposed to be drowned. He left his cabin for the purpose of fixing a foot-log across Sucker creek, near his place and has not been seen since. A large number of the residents of that vicinity have searched the creek, but in consequence of high water are unable to find his body.

The Yreka Union, which for some time past has labored under the difficulty of trying to print a paper with much worn-out type and on a poor press, is now one of our neatest exchanges, having come out in a new dress last week. Excellent taste has been displayed in the selection of the new type purchased, and any printer would be proud of the appearance of the paper.

Roseburg paper: Last Monday a young man near Comstock, while out in the woods hunting, came across a panther, which he fired at and wounded. Meanwhile another one jumped at him from her lair, and striking against the muzzle of his gun, got a fatal shot from his last cartridge. The animal measured between eight and nine feet. He then beat two cubs to death with his gun. In the meantime his two young dogs treed the wounded male, but while he went home for more ammunition the dogs allowed the panther to escape.

The San Francisco Chronicle of the 1st inst. has a long account of the great fire at San Francisco. The only mention made of Oregon matters is the statement that a large edition of the History of Oregon, volume 1, was destroyed. It is to be feared that the labors of W. Lair Hill, in the matter of the Oregon code, have been burned up. A Bush's complete file of the Oregon Statesman, also D. W. Craig's complete files of the Oregon Spectator and of the Argus, loaned to H. H. Bancroft, the historian, are probably safe in the fire proof edifice, on Octavir street, in which that gentleman keeps his books and papers of reference. The firm has already resumed business, and will rebuild at once.—[Statesman.

Quincy A. Brooks, at present a resident of Salem, has received a letter from Congressman Hermann, of which the following is an extract. It will be interesting to people of southern and southeastern Oregon: "Klamath Lake has not escaped my attention. I secured a place for it in the river and harbor bill, which provides for a thorough survey and examination of Wood and Link rivers, with a view to the connected navigation of Lower and Upper Klamath, to be made under the authority of the U. S. engineer department. So far, Oregon comes off with flying colors, and my great anxiety now is to hold what we have. We shall have a bitter opposition to the river and harbor bill."

A Druggist's Story.

Mr. Isaac C. Chapman, druggist, Newburg, N. Y., writes us: "I have for the past ten years sold several gross of Dr. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. I can say of it what I cannot say of any other medicine. I have never heard a customer speak of it but to praise its virtues in the highest manner, I have recommended it in a great many cases of Whooping Cough, with the happiest effects. I have used it in my own family for many years; in fact, always have a bottle in the medicine closet.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

DUNKARD CHURCH.—Rev. Wm. Pullen will preach at the Dunkard church in Ashland next Sunday, at 11 A. M.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES.—The Rev. J. W. Selwood, of Portland, will hold Episcopal services in Ashland on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week, May 10th, 11th and 12th.

M. E. CHURCH.—Regular services every Sunday, at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday School 9:30. Rev. W. G. Simpson will preach at Medford on the 3d Sunday in each month.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Preaching morning and evening at the usual time. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M.
Rev. J. V. Milligan, pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Preaching at Ashland morning and evening every Sunday except the first in each month. Preaching at Medford on the first Sunday in each month.
Rev. A. M. Russell, pastor.

LIBERAL HALL, TALENT.—Liberal Sunday School meets for Bible study and discussion every Sunday at 11 A. M. Cordial invitation to everyone.

PERSONAL.

D. W. Stone, of this precinct, is one of the grand jurors at this term of court.

Mr. Asa and Miss Clara Fordyce, of Medford Precinct, were visiting Ashland yesterday.

Messrs. C. Mingus, of Medford and H. B. Oatman of Phoenix, made the TIDINGS a short call yesterday.

Jerome Knox, Esq., was in town again Tuesday of this week, on his way home to Lakeview from Portland.

E. J. Farlow went down to Portland the first of the week as one of the delegates to the state convention.

Mr. Protzman, a prominent business man of Portland, came out to Ashland this week on a trip of recreation.

H. H. Blecher, of Klamath county, who has been in the valley for several weeks, returns home this week.

Mrs. C. J. Tolman, who, with her husband, spent most of the winter in San Francisco, returned to Ashland last week.

Rev. W. G. Simpson started yesterday for Kerbyville, to deliver the oration at the dedication of the new I. O. O. F. hall.

Mr. G. W. Howard, of Medford, agent of the State Insurance Co., went out to Linkville this week, in the interest of that company.

Judge DePeatt, S. B. Galey, J. T. Bowditch, C. W. Logan, H. T. Chitwood and other Ashlandites have been at the county seat this week.

L. F. Willits, having finished his term as principal of the Lakeview school, returned last week to Ashland, to spend some time in this valley.

Will B. Rice, genl. agent of the Oregon Pacific R. R., is in town. His brother, Lyle Rice, came up with him from Grant's Pass yesterday.

Sanford Marsh has gone out to Paisley, having started out this week with his younger brother, Dave, who came in after a load of freight for his father.

Ben. Haymond, of Rock Point, is mentioned as likely to be one of the Democratic nominees for County Commissioner. He would be one of the strongest candidates that could be named.

Prof. G. M. Miller, of Benton county, the candidate for Congress on the Prohibition ticket, arrived in Ashland Tuesday morning, to open the campaign here.

Judge G. W. Smith, of Linkville, returned home last week from San Francisco, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Martha, who had been in California for some time.

Evan R. Reames and family came in from Linkville last week, and it is understood that they will go to Oakland, Cal., to reside, after a short stay at Jacksonville.

Mr. Bartlett has relieved Frank Guthrie as one of the passenger conductors between Ashland and Roseburg, and Mr. Jamison has taken Casteel's place as baggage master.

Capt. J. L. Fowler and wife, of Fort Klamath arrived in town yesterday in the ambulance, from the Fort. Mrs. Fowler is on her way East for a visit at her former home.

Mr. F. Roper returned last Saturday evening from a trip to Gilroy, Cal. He reports that Californians are enjoying the prospect of the biggest grain crop ever raised in the state.

Messrs. Chas. S. Moore and J. W. Hamakar, of Linkville, were in town over Sunday, on their return home from attendance at the Republican state convention in Portland.

Volney Pattee, Esq., of Des Moines, Ia., arrived in Ashland Tuesday evening on the stage from California, and is looking about over Southern Oregon to find a location for himself and other Iowa people.

D. W. Matthews and family of Medford, formerly of this place, will move to Salem this week or next. Mr. Matthews formerly had a prosperous drug business at the Capital city, and will again open a drug store there.

A Washington friend writes that Miss Odeneal, who is the guest of the Dolphs, is to be married next month to a son of Col. Gillem, who was out here in the Modoc war. Gillem is in the treasury department.—[Welcome.

Willie Booth, of Jacksonville, who was so dangerously wounded in the head by his saddle horse, seemed to be recovering until a day or two ago, when he grew worse and was taken with a spasm. At last report he was better again.

Harper's Bazar for May 3d says: It has been rumored for several weeks that Miss Mitchell, the popular and handsome young daughter of Senator Mitchell, had accepted a proffer of marriage from one of the most agreeable and impoverished of French noblemen, the Duc de Rochefoucauld. But there seems to be little truth in the rumor, and it is well understood that Senator Mitchell is opposed to any such arrangements.

The Yreka Journal of last Saturday says: "Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McConnell will leave for the East on Saturday, if possible, or probably wait until Monday. Bill says he will visit Illinois, Kansas, Ohio and Dakota, to see relatives and old friends. After doing these places, he will go to New York, and also Washington, expecting to have no other chance to go to Congress, with possibility of attending Cleveland's wedding, to act as his best man if desirable."

Dr. S. T. Songer and Miss Belle Slade (daughter of Mrs. W. F. Songer) were quietly married at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. M. A. Williams, in Medford precinct, last Thursday afternoon. The Doctor was very sly about keeping his friends out of the secret, and walked about the street the next day trying to look as much like a confirmed single man as ever, but it wouldn't keep, and he was soon compelled to go through the regular hand shaking programme. The bride has lived from childhood in and near Ashland and has many friends in the valley who wish her much joy and prosperity in married life.

Episcopal Methodist.

Warranted not to contain a particle of any injurious or mineral substance. This is the reason Simmons Liver Regulator is so effectual yet harmless.

"This medicine is acknowledged to have no equal as a liver medicine, containing those Southern roots and herbs which an allwise Providence has placed in the countries where liver diseases prevail.—[Baltimore Episcopal Methodist.

Climax tobacco 40c. per plug at the Red House. x

Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. For sale at Chitwood & Son's.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. J H Chitwood & Son.

For lame Back, Side or Chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster Price 25 cts. For sale by J H Chitwood & Son.

Why will you suffer from ague and malaria when Gilmore's Aromatic Wine will cure you? For sale at the City drug store.

Catarrh cured, health and sweet breath secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price fifty cents. Nasal injector free. J H Chitwood & Son.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Following are the proceedings of the City Council of Ashland at the regular meeting held May 3, 1886:

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of street committee was read and adopted.

On motion, ordered that the contract for building aprons to bridge on Chigar street be let to C. Payne for the sum of $50, his being the lowest bid.

Quarterly reports of the City Treasurer and City Recorder were read and adopted, as was also the monthly report of the street commissioner.

On motion, the petition of C. W. Ayers asking the privilege of removing a wooden building from one lot to another within the fire limits was referred to the street committee.

The following bills were audited and paid:

J. L. Pennington, nightwatch	$23.35
J. M. McCall, hall rent	12.50
M. L. Alford, fees as Treasurer	51.82
Dennis Porter, for lumber	17.28
J. S. Eubanks, Recorder's fees	63.65
Total	$168.60

The following bills were read and referred to finance committee.

J. T. Bowditch, fees as city Attorney	$40.00
S. D. Taylor, Marshall's fees	90.20
Total referred	$130.20

Adjourned. GEO. ENGLE, Mayor.
J. S. Eubands, Recorder.

The recorder's report shows the receipts from licenses and fines for the quarter ending May 3, 1886, to be $810, and orders drawn on the treasury during the quarter amounted to $781.40.

The treasurer's report shows the total receipts, from tax, licenses and fines, during the quarter to have been $1928.44; and disbursements, in payment of orders, $1472.27; balance on hand, $456 17, exclusive of amts in the fire, road and cemetery funds.

Wild Cherry and Tar.

Every body knows the virtues of Wild Cherry and Tar as a relief and cure for any affections of the throat and lungs, combined with these two ingredients are a few simple healing remedies in the composition of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup, making it just the remedy for hard times. Price 50 cents and $1. Samples free. Sold by J H Chitwood & Sons.

The wife, mother and maid who suffer from female weakness, will find Gilmore's Aromatic Wine a positive cure. For sale at the City drug store.

James Sullivan of Salem, Oregon, says he was cured of the asthma by Gilmore's Magnetic Elixir. For sale at the City drug store.

Anson Houch, of Blackberry, Ills., says he owes his life to Gilmore's Magnetic Elixir. Try it. For sale at the City drug store.

Gilmore's Neuralgia Cure is a positive cure for Neuralgia in the the face, side and stomach. For sale at the City drug store.

Middle-aged men who lack vigor and vitality can be cured by Gilmore's Aromatic Wine. For sale at the City drug store.

Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all other symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. For sale by J. H. Chitwood & Son.

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. For sale by J. H. Chitwood. & Son.

Hard Times.

While money is close, wages and prices low, expenses should be cut down in every household. Economy, the watch word for mothers, head off doctor bills by always keeping in the house a bottle of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup. Stops a cough instantly, relieves consumption, cures croup and pain in the chest in one night. It is just the remedy for hard times. Price 50 cents and $1. Samples free. Sold by J H Chitwood & Son.

Good Results in Every Case.

D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs: had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all coughs and colds with best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this wonderful discovery. Trial bottles free at J H Chitwood & Son's drug store.

Pasture to Let.

Good pasture to let on the Bauers place at the foot of Oak street, Ashland. Apply to the undersigned.
JOHN REAL.
Ashland, Or., July 30, 1885.

Pasture to Let.

Pasture to let on the Hargadine ranch at $1 per head per month. Apply to A. T. Kyle, Jr., or George Hargadine. Ashland, Or., April 16, 1886.

A Rare Bargain.

Two acres of land on Granite street, set in a variety of the best fruit trees and berries. Place will produce enough fruit for several families. Good house and out buildings. A good home for someone. Apply to G. F. BILLINGS.

Piano Tuning.

The undersigned will be in Ashland about May 15th, for the purpose of tuning and repairing such pianos as may be entrusted to his care. Orders left at Mrs. Houck's hotel will receive careful attention. I will not canvass the town.
PAUL SCHOEN.
San Francisco, April 20, 1886.

Notice.

Having given sufficient time, etc., we now give positive notice that all accounts not paid within the NEXT THIRTY days will be collected with costs added. MILLER & CO.
Ashland, Or., April 29, 1886.

To the Ladies!

Come and see our stock of ladies underwear, infant's robes and cloaks; also velvets, emb. felt, chenilles, arasenes and emb. silk. And don't forget our large stock of hosiery always on hand.
GILLETTE SISTERS.

Sheep For Sale.

One thousand head of good sheep and in good condition; 600 head stock sheep and 400 head mutton sheep.
45-tf. J. S. HERRIN.

Happiness and Health

Are important problems, the former depending greatly on the latter. Everyone is familiar with the healthy properties of fruit, and no one can afford to be sick and miserable while the pleasant concentrated liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs, may be had of our enterprising druggist. For sale by J. H. Chitwood & Son.

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Nerve-life and vigor restored in men and women by using Gilmore's Aromatic Wine. For sale at the City drug store.

ASHLAND
City Transfer and Dray Business.
(Bell Truck and Dray.)
J. H. McBRIDE, PROPRIETOR.

FREIGHT and lumber of all kinds transferred promptly in or near town.
☞ Moving household goods, pianos, etc., a specialty. 19-47.

RESOLUTIONS OF CENSURE.

At an adjourned meeting of the "remonstrators" held Saturday evening, May 1, Mr. B. Eggleston was chosen chairman.

Committee appointed at last meeting made the following report:

We, your committee, appointed to consider the report of former committee relative to the late action of city council in granting certain liquor licenses, respectfully present the following: Not having yet been able to obtain the legal counsel sought in relation to the case, we recommend that you postpone for the present any attempt at legal redress. Deeply impressed with a sense of the great wrong done the citizens of Ashland by the act of the city council in granting said licenses contrary to the expressed wish of a majority of the legal voters of the place, we recommend the enactment now of such suitable expression of feeling as in your judgment may seem pertinent to the occasion. For this purpose, therefore, we submit the following:

WHEREAS, The city council of Ashland, at its adjourned meeting on the 12th day of April held for the purpose of hearing the testimony of the contestants in regard to the legality of the voters of the challenged parties, after hearing the testimony and finding, that it gave a clear majority of all voting on both sides in favor of the remonstrators, refused to consider the testimony submitted and counting all on both petition and remonstrance excepting those who made affidavit that they were not citizens of Ashland did grant the licenses as prayed for. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, 1st. That in refusing to investigate the case the city council forced the responsibility of the investigation upon a tribunal that have no proper jurisdiction in the matter, thereby evading itself the performance of a manifestly plain personal duty.

2d. That having referred the case to the contestants for the purpose of taking the evidence the city council violated every principle of propriety by refusing to consider the testimony when submitted to it.

3d. That in counting all the names on both petition and remonstrance, save those of the nine persons who made personal affidavit that they were not citizens of the town to give their action an apparent show of fairness is only a cheat and a delusion unworthy the approval of any right minded person.

4th. That counting on the petition the names of the seventeen (17) irresponsible tramps who have no abiding home here or elsewhere, is a violation of all proper methods of arriving at justice, an outrage against any seventeen of the oldest, most respected and permanent citizens of the place, their votes being thus cancelled or overcome by the said seventeen irresponsible tramps and is an insult to the intelligence of every true citizen of the place whether male or female, and that in so counting them the city council have proven themselves the unworthy servants of an outraged constituency.

5th. That it is the duty of all lovers of law and order in every proper way to discountenance such high handed betrayal of trust and as responsive to the claims of law and order and of good government we pledge ourselves that when the proper time shall arrive for action in any direction whoever tramples those sacred principles in the dust will be arraigned and tried and if possible convicted of the crime and made to suffer its penalty.

Signed { A. G. ROCKFELLOW, J. H. RUSSELL, J. D. FOUNTAIN, C. H. GILLETTE, W. S. GOBE.

On motion the report was adopted and the proceedings of the meeting ordered inserted in the Ashland TIDINGS.
B. EGGLESTON, Chn.
W. B. Colton, Sec.

MARRIED.

SONGER—SLADE—At the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. M. A. Williams, in Medford precinct, April 29, 1886, Dr. S. T. Songer and Miss Belle Slade, both of Ashland.

GILBERT—EGGLESTON—In Ashland, April 15th, by Rev. G. W. Simpson, Wm. H. Gilbert of Josephine county and Miss Cora Eggleston.

BORN.

WISE—In Lakeview, April 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wise, a daughter.

HARTLEY—On Williams creek, April 22d, to Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hartley, a daughter.

WALZ—Near Jacksonville, April 22d, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Walz, a daughter.

DIED.

MILLER.—At his home in Antelope precinct, April 30, 1886, Rev. Abraham Miller, aged 74 years and 4 months.

BANKS.—In Medford, May 2, 1886, Eva May, daughter of J. N. and Annie Banks, aged 16 years and 29 days.

Red House ahead. x

Fresh candies received this week at Burckhalter & Hasty's. *

Fine assortment fresh candies at Clayton & Gore's. x

Six pounds Arbuckles coffee for $1 at Hunsaker & Dodge's. x

$1 buys 13 lbs. of best island rice at Hunsaker & Dodge's. x

Climax tobacco 12 oz., 40c. per plug, at Hunsaker & Dodge's. x

Deviled ham, turkey, chicken and tongue at B.