THE ASHLAND TIDINGS

FRIDAY ..... MAY 21, 1886.

Star Meeting.

A special meeting of Alpha Chapter No. 1, O. E. S., has been called for next Tuesday evening, and all members are requested to be present, as business of importance is to come up.

By order of W. P.

ANNA ANDERSON, Sec.

Memorial Day.

The usual observance of Memorial Day will take place on Monday, May 31st, under the direction of Burnside Post, G. A. R. An invitation is extended by the Post to the people generally to take part in the observances, and all who can contribute flowers for the occasion are respectfully solicited to do so. Full programme of the exercises will be published next week.

Grand Jury Report.

Following is the report of the grand jury empanelled for the May term: "We have diligently enquired into all cases that have come before us and reported on the same. We have also examined the offices of the County Clerk, Sheriff and Treasurer, as well as the county hospital and jail, all of which we find correctly kept and in good condition, as far as we are able to determine."

D. PININGER, Foreman.

C. & O. Construction Work.

The Redding Press of last Saturday had the following: "The railroad panorama has changed since our last. Headquarters is at Gibson's, and the "Flat" is in tears and mourning. The pot-hole men are as far north as tunnel 11, and the graders are close behind. Camps are moving north every day.....There is a report going the rounds of the camps that the company is preparing to hire about 500 white men on the grade. It is hoped that this report is true.

The Oregon and California Sale.

[Oregonian.]

Mr. Kohler, receiver of the Oregon & California railroad, who returned last week from New York, was questioned by an Oregonian reporter relative to the status of the proposed sale of the Oregon & California lines to the Central Pacific. Mr. Koehler stated that he was not at liberty to say more than this: Negotiations are still in progress between the owners of the respective roads, with every prospect of reaching a finality at a very early day.

Close of Public Schools.

The closing exercises of the Ashland Public Schools will take place on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of next week at Myer's hall, no room in either of the school houses being large enough for the purpose. On Thursday evening the programme will consist of exercises by pupils representing each grade in schools. On Friday evening the regular commencement exercises will take place, and on Saturday evening a concert will be given by the musical society of the schools. An invitation is extended to the public to attend each evening.

Mountain Park Stock Farm.

Mr. C. Cunningham, of Wood river valley, Klamath county, is establishing himself in the business of raising fine cattle to help supply the increasing demand for improved stock in Southern Oregon. Mr. Cunningham has had much experience in handling fine cattle in the eastern states and on the bordering plains of the Mississippi valley, and understands the business well. He has a good place and will soon make his Mountain Park Farm one of the finest in Klamath county. A herd of fine full blood shorthorns, and a large number of excellent half-blood shorthorn and Polled Angus cattle are already on his ranch, and he will soon add to the number of full bloods.

Sublimated Gall.

The Lakeview Examiner, in copying the dispatch announcing that Senator Stanford had presented to the Senate affidavits from "some of the best citizens of Oregon" to the effect that the O. C. M. wagon road had been well built according to contract, and the land fairly earned, comments as follows:

Well if this isn't gall, there is no such word. To think that this corporation that secured over 2,000,000 acres of some of the best land in Oregon by fraud, should call our best citizens liars and perjurers. Gall! There is no word for such high handed lying. A large number of our best citizens have made affidavits and were sworn before a proper officer, that not only did the O. C. M. W. R. Co. fail to make any road in eastern Oregon, but they (the settlers) swear on their oath, that it is impossible, *to even find a portion of the alleged road, without the aid of a surveyor with field notes.*

The people of Lake would give a good round sum to learn the names of the parties that swore that the road in question was built. The citizens would undoubtedly make it "hot" for them.

Langell Valley Items.

Following were received from our correspondent under date of May 13th:

Considerable rain has fallen within the past week, with slight frost, which has damaged the young grain somewhat, but the farmers are busy making gardens, and all are looking forward to good crops this season. The frost did not kill the apple blooms here, and we hope to have fruit in this country yet.

Grass is good, and stock of all kinds doing well. We will soon have plenty of beef in market.

Immigrants from all parts of the world are arriving in Klamath county, and quite a number of them will locate in this valley.

Misses Sada and Marchie Fulkerson are taking music lessons of Mrs. C. H. Hargadine, formerly of your place.

The young wild cat recently captured by Henry Vinson is doing well. It is now at the post office under the maternal care of a tame Tabby, who, having lost her own offspring, on hearing the little orphan's cry, picked it up and carried it off to her bed, and seems to think as much of it as if it were her own.

Yours, MARIA JANE.

Fine Stock.

A visit last Monday to the stock farm of W. C. Myer, the well known importer and breeder of Percheron horses, Jersey cattle and Shetland ponies, found the stock in excellent condition and everything progressing promisingly, to the entire satisfaction of the proprietor. A number of full blood young Percherons, colts and fillies, are rapidly growing into "big money" for their owner, and several Percheron colts with a strain of the Jenifer Arabian blood in their veins have to the size of the French breed added a marked degree of the beauty and action of the famous Oriental race. In the judgment of some of the best cattle fanciers in the country who are familiar with the importations to this coast, Mr. Myer has the finest herd of pure-bred imported Jerseys in Oregon. They are beauties and have milking qualities that would nearly drive a butter and cheese dairyman wild with delight. The cows are all from the famous families that have carried off the prizes in the big butter tests of recent years, and their offspring give evidence of being equal, if not an improvement upon them. A number of full-blood and half-blood Shetlands will be ready ere long for sale in matched teams or for saddle animals for little folks.

BREVITIES.

Only one blacksmith shop in town now.

New hay has been hauled into town this week.

The delinquent tax list will foot up some $6000.

H. Fox has a notice of interest to those owing him.

Boy's straw hats for 10c. at O. H. Blount's. x

Only about two weeks more till election is over.

"Mose" is straightening himself out for a lively run.

Gingham, alpacca and seersucker coats at O. H. Blount's. x

Mineral water from the Soda Springs at Hunsaker & Dodge's.

Early vegetables from California are in market here.

Sheep shearing is about over in this part of the valley.

Men's summer pants, neat cuts, $1.50 per pair at Blount's. x

W. M. Colvig has been speaking in Klamath county this week.

J. W. Hamakar, of Linkville has been reappointed a notary public.

Legal and real estate blanks for sale at the TIDINGS office at lowest rates.

Candidates and graduates find this the hottest season of the year in Oregon.

Holmes Bros. have sold their farm on Rogue river to Mr. Furman for $1800.

The Riddle House, of Medford, is open for the accommodation of the public.

Prospects are good for the largest grain crop raised in this valley for many years.

Reduced rates on clothing at O. H. Blount's to make room for fourth of July stock. x

The Siskiyou toll road, from Barron's over the summit, is in excellent condition.

Had no idea there were so many candidates loose in Oregon as we have seen in the past week.

O. H. Blount will move into one of Johnson's new brick stores about the first of June.

W. H. Shook and C. T. Payne will drive a small band of cattle to Klamath county from this valley.

Ben Beall has been appointed administrator of the estate of his father, the late T. F. Beall.

School houses and academies are beginning to close their doors for the summer vacation.

This valley is looking its prettiest now. The hills and mountains never wore a brighter green.

In the case of Elsie Becker vs. A. W. Becker a decree of divorce was granted by the Circuit Court last week.

B. F. Crouch is proprietor of an addition to the town of Linkville, and offers a number of building lots for sale.

No ice was put up in Jackson county last winter, and the luxury will have to be imported from the Portland factory.

Some land near Linkville that was bought of the state a year ago at $1 25 per acre, is now in demand at five dollars an acre.

The Ashland Prohibition Club will meet at Myer's hall Friday, May 21st, at 4 P. M. All members are asked to be present.

J. B. R. Hutchings gives notice that he is again prepared to buy hides and furs, and will pay highest prices for the same.

All goods sold strictly for cash at O. H. Blount's, and no money loaned. This accounts for his low prices, which never fail to suit purchasers. x

The hot days of this week were sprung upon us so suddenly that everyone complained of the attendant oppression and discomfort.

Messrs. Buick & Hall drove a band of 200 head of cattle through town last Saturday, on the way from Douglas county to Silver Lake.

James M. Antrim, a book agent, was drowned at the mouth of the Klamath river last week, while attempting to cross the stream in a canoe.

A full line of handsome tinted glassware of new designs and delicate and varied tints just received at Farlow & Miller's. Call and see it.

A contract for running a tunnel to tap the Johnson ledge will soon be let by C. C. Beekman, the owner, so we are informed.—[Sentinel.

Go to the White Sulphur Springs Hotel for hot and cold baths. Bath rooms open every day of the week.

T. W. PRICE, Manager.

Call and see the new stock of stone and glassware. Also examine the quality and price of groceries before purchasing else where. CLAYTON & GORE.

Fine all wool light colored suits for $12 at O. H. Blount's. These are the best bargains ever offered in Ashland, and will be in stock but a short time. x

County Treasurer Fisher has called in for redemption a few more county warrants, those protested up to July 6, 1881. About six years interest is due upon them.

Representatives of the Kansas City News, San Francisco Examiner, San Francisco Chronicle, and the Alta-California have been in Ashland within the past week.

A big stock of velocipedes or tricycles, boy's wagons and baby coaches received this week at H. S. Emery's and for sale at bottom prices. Call and take your choice early.

The court and attorneys made a trip up to the head of the Tolman, Dunn and Houck ditch Wednesday, to make a personal inspection of the ditch and surroundings.

The frame of the new dwelling house of L. A. Neil, south of Ashland, is up, and the building will soon be well on toward completion. A. L. Willey has the contract.

The Pullman palace cars now run through on every train between Ashland and Portland, having been again placed on the line between Albany and Portland this week.

Those new sleeve buttons, collar buttons, studs, scarf pins, watch chains, etc., just opened by O. H. Blount, are goods which cannot fail to please the most fastidious. x

Mr. Furry, of Klien precinct, has rented a portion of the Minus Walker place of A. W. Bish, the present tenant, and will pasture a large number of cattle there during the summer.

Mr. O. Ganiard has one of his farms along the Rogue river bottom almost entirely in alfalfa, having seeded about 140 acres this spring. It is choice land for alfalfa, and will bring big crops.

Mrs. Emma H. Adams, of Cleveland, Ohio, special correspondent of the Leader of that city, spent a good portion of last winter in Ashland, and the TIDINGS is in possession of papers containing some of her interesting letters sent from here, extracts of which will be given in some of our future numbers.

Five hundred head of cattle were shipped from Medford for Montana yesterday.

A. L. Willey has the contract to build the brick block on the corner of Main and Oak street for Messrs. Butler, Thompson and Billings.

A. F. Snelling has been appointed register of the land office at Lakeview, vice Judge Truitt. He will make an excellent officer, and his appointment will suit the people of the district.

In the entries for trotting races at the next state fair a number of Altamont colts are named by Jay Beach and others, and C. J. Tolman's s. g. Quebec is among the entries for running races.

Elijah Williams, one of the old pioneers of Oregon, well known to nearly all early settlers, died last Monday at his home in East Portland. Ex-Congressman Richard Williams is his son.

Republicans in Klamath county will not yet agree with the estimates made by the Democrats of a party majority of seventy-five for the latter. They say, "wait till the votes are counted."

Mr. C. Cunningham, of the Mountain Park stock farm near Fort Klamath, advertises for sale a number of choice stock cows and some young grade shorthorns and Polled Angus cattle. See his "ad."

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

John Roach has sold his interest in the quartz ledge in the location of which he had an equal share with H. T. Bragdon. A party of seven, composed of High & Taylor, R. M. Garrett and others were the purchasers, at $350.

Says the Yreka Journal of last Saturday: Messrs. Baden and Kerr, of the U. S. Geological and Topographical Surveyors, are in town making arrangements for a summer tour in Southern Oregon, the remainder of the party to be here in a few days.

Mr. J. E. Houston of Ashland has been suffering from being poisoned from eating canned blackberries.—[Eugene Correspondent. Pennoyer says he didn't do it and Cornelius has no reason to resort to such base methods to get the governorship.—[Ex.

"Judge Webster intends clearing the docket as completely as possible, so that his successor will not have a great deal of old business to commence with.—[Times. Oh, well, a man doesn't deserve much credit for being "good to himself," does he?

The notice in the TIDINGS concerning the meeting of the grand lodge of the I. O. O. F. at the Dalles this week contained a typographical error, making the order that of the I. O. G. T. The I. O. G. T. grand lodge will meet in Portland Tuesday, June 15th.

Heaton Fox has sold his blacksmith shop and outfit of tools to G. High for $2500, taking in exchange as part pay the lot recently bought of H. B. Miller by Mr. High, at $1050. Mr. Fox will give his attention now to the sale of agricultural machinery.

Jackson county Republicans are expecting to see a gain for their party this year over the vote of two years ago, owing to the immigration having been chiefly from Republican states. Just how great the gain will be, is an interesting matter of speculation.

Baldness may be avoided by the use of Hall's Hair Renewer, which prevents the falling out of the hair, and stimulates it to renewed growth and luxuriance. It restores faded or gray hair to its original dark color, and cures nearly every disease of the scalp.

W. M. Colvig, Democratic candidate for prosecuting attorney, and J. T. Bowditch, candidate for the legislature, were announced to speak at Myer's hall last evvening. To-day at 1 P. M. they speak at Phoenix, and this evening at 7:30 they will speak at Medford.

McConnell, who bought the Neal Bros. mining claim on Wagner creek, washed out a 19-ounce nugget, worth $304, one day this week. The gold was not far below the small vein of the Walsh & Bragdon mines, and carried quartz of the same character as the ledge.

Dr. Gross, physician at St. Vincent's Hospital, Baltimore, Md., consider Red Star Cough Cure perfectly harmless, being purely vegetable and entirely free from opiates, poisons, and other narcotics. Other professionals also endorse it as prompt, safe and sure. Price 25 cents a bottle.

Robert McLean has been placed upon the Republican ticket for joint representative of Klamath and Lake counties, to fill the vacancy caused by the refusal of Jerome Knox to accept the nomination. Mr. McLean is a speaker of marked ability, and will no doubt make an active and open canvass of the counties.

Bids will be received at the county clerk's office up to Wednesday, June 9th, for the contract to furnish material and build a new bridge on the county road across the True gulch south of Ashland. Plans, specifications and strain diagrams must accompany the bids. Further particulars may be had of the clerk.

A prominent butcher told a News reporter the other day that Oregon would ship 100,000 head of cattle to Montana this year. The cause of this large demand from Montana is the severe winter which has just passed, and stock suffered greatly. Consequently the stock of good beef cattle is short and Oregon is called upon to supply the deficiency.

The test recently made at the mill here has proven conclusively that the quartz ledge in Willow Springs district owned by Swindon & Sons will pay to work. The five stamp mill formerly owned by N. DeLamatter has been purchased by L. D. Brown of this place and it will be in position and ready for work at this mine as soon as it can be set up.—[Sentinel.

Jacksonville Times: "The Post Office Department has taken another penurious freak and this time discontinued Willow Springs postoffice, which for a long time has been one of the most important in the country. It is hardly possible that Postmaster-General Vilas comprehends the situation." ["Economy and retrenchment" doesn't suit the Times, it seems, when it interferes with the distribution of its papers.

A lady who was one of a party of three families who arrived in Ashland this week from the East says that the conductor and a baggeman or brake man on the train between Portland and this place took considerable interest in persuading them not to come to Ashland, as the place was dead, etc., and recommended that they go back down the Willamette valley toward Portland. Wonder if the O. & C. R. R. Co., pays these employes extra wages to discourage people from riding over the road?

W. H. Parker, the present county clerk, says an injustice was done him by the THINGS in last week's issue, by the assertion that Nickell has full swing for his scrip operations in the clerk's office. It may be that Mr. Parker has made some effort to restrain Nickell within the bounds of propriety, but people who have noted the grip that the latter has upon the county scrip factory and scrip market would consider it a blessing if a clerk of the opposite political party, or of some anti-Nickell faction of the Democratic party, could be elected.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Murray, of Central Point, was in town yesterday.

H. E. Spencer was in from Klamath county this week.

Dr. S. Harmon, the oculist, arrived in town Tuesday evening from Linkville.

J. N. Shook and bride started Sunday evening for their home in Klamath county.

Miss Susie Hill, who has been teaching at Cole's station, has returned home for the summer.

Mr. C. Cunningham, of Fort Klamath, is in the valley this week, after a load of supplies for his cattle ranch.

Geo. F. McConnell who has been sick for several weeks past, has gone up to Soda Springs to recuperate and rest.

J. P. Woodson and wife came in from Klamath county the first of the week, for a stay of a few days in the valley.

John Roach started Tuesday evening for Missouri, to visit his former home, and expects to remain there through the summer.

J. W. Johnson intends to make a trip to England soon, to look after some property to which a title comes to him by inheritance.

"Harry" Oatman, the Portland broker, one of the old pioneers well known in this part of the state, has been visiting friends in this valley this week.

Messrs. C. C. Low, Jas. Brown and George Cross, of Phoenix, went over to Butte creek valley, Cal., this week, to locate land claims.

Mrs. Chas. H. Kline, formerly Miss Flora Woodson of this place, came up from Portland the first of the week, for a short visit with friends here.

Mr. Rosenthal, of Medford, made a trip up to Soda Springs last Sunday, in company with M. Regensberger, the well known commercial traveler.

Jesse Parker and family will move out to their ranch on Sprague river within a week or two. Danl. Walker will then take personal charge of his farm in this valley.

George Deal, of Henley, was in town Tuesday, having come over after a load of mill stuff. He has been ailing for sometime with heart disease, and is still under the care of his physicians.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lofland, of Jacksonville precinct, came up to Ashland last Sunday, and Mrs. Lofland will spend a week or more here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs Jesse Dollarhide.

J. B. Russell, wife and baby came over from Yreka Monday, for a visit of a few days in Ashland. Miss Nellie Russell and her sister, Mrs. J. S. Eubanks, Jr., returned with them to Ashland.

Mr. B. B. Beekman and his sister, Carrie, of Jacksonville, were in town Wednesday and yesterday. The Misses Linn have also spent several days here within a week past.

Frank Huffer, of Jacksonville, will be the valedictorian of the graduating class at the state university this year. George Dunn of Ashland graduates in the same class, and Frank Anderson will take the degree of B. A. at Willamette university.

Mr. A. Ustick, D. M. Osborne & Co.'s general agent, is in town again this week. He reports business excellent in his line this spring, and says the farmers of Oregon have money to buy, and pay for, improved agricultural machinery, if times are hard.

Col. Cornelius, candidate for Governor, H. L. Marston, candidate for State Treasurer, and Frank C. Baker, candidate for State Printer, on the Republican ticket, arrived in town on Wednesday morning's train, and in the evening started by carriage for Jacksonville.

Ashland was full of Democratic candidates last Saturday evening: Sylvester Pennoyer, candidate for Governor; N. L. Butler, for Congress; Nickell, for State Printer; J. R. Neil, for District Judge; W. H. Parker, for county clerk; W. M. Colvig, for District Attorney; J. T. Bowditch, for the state legislature; B. W. Dean, for Sheriff and Newman Fisher, for County Treasurer, were all with us. Besides these were seen the faces of several who were candidates before the county convention met, but retired about that time.

Activity in Railroad Building.

[Oregonian May 19th.]

There is every indication of great activity in railroad matters the present season. Numerous parties well known to be connected with various railroads are seen around town, but they are very reticent as to their intentions. It is understood that the Oregon Short Line is negociating for grounds here for depot purposes. In fact, it was stated a few days since that the necessary grounds had been secured, but the statement has not been confirmed. The great object of every transcontinental line seems to be to reach salt water. Parties in the interest of the Short Line are looking for an outlet to the coast and it is expected that they will in a short time secure harbor holdings, possibly at Yaquina. The Northern will soon connect with the shore at Tacoma. The O. R. & N. is building thirty-one miles of road. The California road is rapidly advancing to the Oregon line and the O. & C. must soon start out to meet it. The narrow gauge will be into the city in a short time. The Oregon Pacific has parties in the field away out near the Idaho line, and are also getting ready to extend their road to Albany. All these things indicate that railroad building will be more active than it has been for two years.

Cattle Drowned.

A large shipment of young cattle which came in on the Oregon & California road yesterday morning were being driven to Albina for reshipment over the Northern Pacific to Montana in the afternoon. They ran in on the upper floor of Shafer's wharf, near the ferry landing. A number of those in the lead were crowded off the wharf and falling about twenty feet on to the deck of the steamer Twins and then into the river, drowned, evidently having been so injured by the fall as not to be able to swim. Four or five head which plunged directly into the river swam ashore.—[Oregonian May 18.

Double Funeral.

[Courier.]

The double funeral at Kerbyville on May 9th was the first ever known in that portion of the country, so we are informed.

The deceased are Clarina White, (nee) Tyler, wife of Jas. R. White, ex-county commissioner and Dr. Jerome L. Sullivan.

Mrs. White's death was the result of typhoid fever in the worst form. Dr. Sullivan was attending Mrs. White at the time he was taken sick.

From what we can learn Mr. Sullivan was probably insane, as there is little doubt that he committed suicide by taking large doses of poisonous medicines.

Now is the time to procure bargains in men's and boy's clothing, furnishing goods, hats, caps, boots, shoes, tobacco, notions, etc., at O. H. Blount's, as he desires to reduce stock, before moving into his new quarters, which will be one of those elegant stores just being finished in Johnson's new block. x

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

The class and commencement exercises of Ashland College and Normal School were held at M. E. Church on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evening of this week.

On Monday evening the pupils of Miss Alena Weber's music class rendered a pleasant programme in the way of a class recital, in which nearly everyone could fairly be complimented for proficiency in the grade and status represented.

The church was beautifully decorated and prepared in excellent taste for the occasion, and the large audiences were accommodated to the full capacity of the building each evening.

On Tuesday evening the exercises consisted of the Middle Class orations, and the presentation of promotion certificates by the President, the orations being alternated with selections of instrumental and vocal music by Miss Weber's pupils. The members of the Middle Class of the Normal Department were Misses Millie Giddings, Dotia Russell, Dora Anderson, Ella Dunn, Emma Vining and Jessie Pannerth, and Frank T. Howell. All of the speakers acquitted themselves well, and to the satisfaction and admiration of their friends. The themes treated, as well as the character of the musical entertainment are shown in the following record of the full programme of the evening:

Inst. Duet "Rose Pompon" *Leyback;* Alena Weber, Katie Chitwood. Oration, "The Duties of Citizenship," Frank T. Howell. Guitar Solo, "Whisperings of Love," Alta Naylor. Oration, "Literature, Its Benefits and Evils," Millie Giddings. Inst. Duet, "La Traviata," Anna Mayer Alena Weber. Oration, "Queen Elizabeth," Dotia Russell. Vocal Solo, "When the Violets Bloom Again," Hattie Thornton. Oration, "Under the Shadows of the Siskiyous," Ella Dunn. Inst. Solo, La Dame Blanche" *S. Smith;* Belle Wagner. Oration, "Popular Education," Dora Anderson. Inst. Solo, "Flash and Crash, *Snow;* Mamie Judge. Class Promotion, By the President. Inst. Solo, "Whispering Wind," *Wollenhaupt;* Anna Anderson. Benediction.

On Wednesday evening the regular commencement exercises occurred. There was one graduate from the Normal Department, Eugene L. Freeland, who passed a very creditable examination and carried off his diploma with due honors. His oration was of more than ordinary merit and gave evidence of much thought and careful preparation. Its theme was timely and interesting—not so threadbare as that of many a school and college essay read this month in Oregon and other states—"The Relations of Capital and Labor." The rest of the programme of the evening was as follows, and was much enjoyed by the large audience, which crowded the church to discomfort:

Inst. Duet, Serenade. *J. Low;* A. Roper, Anna Anderson. Salutatory and Oration, "Springs," Emma Vining. Inst. Solo, "The Mill," *Joseffy;* Grace Houck. Vocal Solo, "The Workingman's Child," Mamie Judge. Oration and Valedictory, "Labor and Capital," Eugene L. Freeland. Presentation of Diplma, By the President. Inst. Solo, "Genevieve de Brabant," *Kuhe;* Dora Anderson. President's Address. Benediction.

MEMORIAL.

WHEREAS: "The Grim Monster" has invaded our ranks and removed from our midst our worthy brother Franklin Meditan across that river whither we all must soon follow, and the truth is again pressed upon our minds, that dust we are and to dust we must again return: Let us pause in our labors, let us drop a tear to his memory while we plant the sprig of Acacia, and accept the moral that but a few more years we, too, shall lay down the "working tools" and go to our reward. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That by this dispensation of Providence Ashland Lodge, No. 23, A. F. & A. M., has lost one of its faithful and valued members, a brother full of good words and works, and we remember him, with sorrowing hearts, as one who was an upright and worthy member of our order, a loving husband and father, an honest, industrious and conscientious citizen.

Resolved, That we extend our deepest sympathy to the family of our deceased brother in this, their great trial, and may the "Grand Architect of the Universe" console them in their affliction, and may we all be resigned to the will of Him who careth for all things.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family of our deceased brother, and a copy published in the ASHLAND TIDINGS and that these resolutions be inscribed in the minutes of this Lodge.

J. R. CASBY,
E. C. KANE,
M. L. MCCALL, } Com.

Another Life Saved.

J. C. Gray, of Dadeville, Ala., writes us: "I have been using your DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS, and I can say, of a truth, it is far superior to any other lung preparation in the world. My mother was confined to her bed for four weeks with a cough, and had every attention by a good physician, but he failed to effect a cure; and when I got one bottle of your DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS, she began to mend right away. I can say in truth that it was the means of saving her life. I know of five cases that DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM has cured, and my mother is better than she has been for twenty years."

School Report.

Monthly report of the school taught in Independence District, No. 15:

Number of pupils enrolled, 21; average daily attendance, 18. Following is the average standing of the pupils in the recitations of Spelling, Arithmetic, Geography and Grammar, respectively, on the basis of 10 as perfect: Jennie Mills, 9, 9, 9; Effie Mills, 9, 10, 9, 10; Lillie Edsall, 9, 10, 9; Minnie Coleman, 10, 9, 10; Bertha Purdin, 10, 10, 9; Will Coleman, 9, 9, 10; Ten Mills, 9, 9, 9; Arta Anderson, 9, 9; Nancy Riggs, 8, 9, 9. The following received 100 in Deportment: Jennie Mills, Lillie Edsall, Effie Mills, Lena Hamlin, Minnie Coleman, Belle Mills, Bertha Purdin, Olive Richardson, Gussie Purdin, Will Coleman, Ten Mills, Arta Anderson, Will Mills, Rin Coleman, James Purdin, Percy Purdin, Eddie Ham in, Fred Edsall, Fred Hamlin. The following is the standing in Vocal Music: Minnie Coleman, 99; Jennie Mills, 98; Belle Mills, 98; Lillie Edsall, 96; Effie Mills, 98; Bertha Purdin, 95; Nancy Riggs, 90; Will Coleman, 98; Ten Mills, 98.

H. I. C., TEACHER.

A man who has practiced since 1870 and has met with great success. My way is to do in the way of an oculist. Cases that I cannot cure there will be no charges. Anyone suffering from sore eyes, weakness of eyes, or eyes that run water or granulated lids, where the case is possible I guarantee a cure.

DR. S. HARMON.

A Call to Temperance Workers.

Having been appointed by the State Temperance Alliance to organize county Alliances as auxiliary to the State Alliance, I hereby make a call for delegates to meet in Ashland in the Baptist church at 2 P. M., Saturday, May 29th, for the purpose of effecting such organization.

Each temperance society of any kind and each church and each sabbath school in the county is entitled to send one delegate to said meeting. It is hoped that as many temperance workers as possible will be present and lend their aid to the work.

A. M. RUSSELL, Chairman.

Ashland, Or., May 19, 1886.

Dr. E. Wadsworth, of Yreka, died at San Francisco last Monday, of paralysis. Chas. Beaudriot, of Little Shasta, another old resident of Siskiyou county, died last Saturday.

Hot and cold baths in the famous white sulphur springs water at the White Sulphur Springs Hotel. x

NEIGHBORING COUNTIES.

KLAMATH COUNTY.

Following are from the Linkville Star of May 15th:

Gen. John F. Miller has sold his fine stallion, Black Stranger, to Jas. Tobin. Consideration, $500.

Dent Noel killed last Monday the largest pelican of the season. It measured eight feet seven inches from tip to tip.

Sealed proposals for furnishing 100 barrels of flour to Fort Klamath will be received at the quartermaster's department up to 12 o'clock noon, on Friday, May 28, 1886.

Fairchild & Peterman have gone to work on Baldwin & Forbes' new warehouse. McCulloch and party, the former contractors, will go to the Klamath Agency to build a residence for the Indian agent.

H. L. Webb has purchased of Baldwin & Forbes the corner lot on the west side of the river and facing the bridge, formerly known as the Carrick property, for the consideration of six hundred dollars.

A new residence for the Indian agent at the Klamath reservation will be built during the summer. Professor Emery, we understand, has procured the service of O. S. McCulloch and a Mr. Crookshanks to do the work.

Messrs. Hudking and Dunn, of Yamhill, arrived in Linkville with their families Monday on their way to their new homes, recently located in Alkali valley, this county. The gentlemen were out here last fall securing locations, and will now permanently settle here.

J. N. Summers has purchased from Sam Daniels the noted stallion Emperor, of which so much mention has been made in the California papers of late. This is undoubtedly the best horse ever brought to this county. Mr. Summers paid $2,000 for the horse, and considers it a good investment.

J. T. Arrant, who left here last winter on a visit to Florida, the land of flowers and oranges, returned one day last week. He reports having had a splendid time, but says that beautiful land is no country for him, and that the flowery descriptions given of it are all written by interested parties to advance some private scheme. As he was in nearly every portion of the state, if it was half as good as represented he certainly would have been able to discover it.

LAKE COUNTY.

Following are from Lakeview Examiner:

"Doc" Snelling's dwelling house in Paisley was burned to the ground May 4th.

The Lakeview merchants have been out of kerosene the past few weeks, and candles are in demand.

W. D. Arnett, one of our county commissioners, has sold his ranch in Summer Lake to the Foster's. He claims the range is too limited to run horses.

A number of Paisleyites will start this week for Silver Creek to make settlements while others will extend their journey to Harney Valley. Among them J. Banyard and family, Miss Ada Withers, J. Hannan and C. E. Randall.

JOSEPHINE COUNTY.

From the Grant's Pass Courier of the 14th, we take the following:

Lumber for the bridge across Rogue river at this place is being put on the ground. Construction will begin early in June.

Grant's Pass is to have a brewery. Mr. Fred. Grob, of Jacksonville, is one of the parties interested and has been engaged this week in digging the cellar

The work of removing the wooden building of Messrs. J. W. Howard & Co. has commenced. The building will be replaced by a large brick.

W. J. Rogers has commenced work on his new house opposite the county clerk's office. We doubt not Mr. Rogers approves of getting the cage first.

The business manager of the Courier, Mr. W.J. Wimer, has removed to Grant's Pass and will hereafter be found in the newspaper harness.

Robert Fry has sold his barber shop and good will to W. T. Coburn recently of Ashland. Mr Presley and Coburn have formed a co-partnership.

The tax-payers of Jackson county are somewhat anxious to know just why their bridge on Rogue river at Bybee's ferry should cost $16,000, while the one over the same stream at Grant's Pass—which will be just as good—can be built for only one-half that amount. Tis kind of queer ain't it?

SISKIYOU COUNTY, CAL.

From our Yreka exchanges:

A Chinese company at Scott Bar own a mine which pays $2000 a week.

The fruit is all killed at Scott Bar. In Scott valley there will be less than a half crop and Shasta valley will fare but little better.

The Klamath river miners are crowding along the work of wingdamming as rapidly as possible, but have some difficulty getting lumber hauled fast enough to suit, in consequence of the stormy weather making the roads heavy.

At Oregon slough Wednesday a Chinese cook put off the right index finger of Clarence Prather. The Mongol refused to obey orders and Mr. Prather was putting him out of the house. Mr. Prather arrived in the city yesterday for medical treatment.

Stockholders' Meeting.

[Portland Telegram May 14th.]

Yesterday the adjourned annual meeting of the Oregon & California Railroad company's stockholders was held. No business whatever was transacted and a further adjournment was taken until June 14. The English stockholders do all the business of the Oregon & California, and the Oregon stockholders ratify their actions to make it legal, as the company is an Oregon organization. The Britishers have transacted no business lately, and consequently there was none to ratify.

Horses, Cattle and Chickens.

For colic, grubs, lung fever, cough or hide-bound, I give Simmons Liver Regulator (liquid) in one ounce doses; or, one teaspoonful of the powder in a mash twice a day. Recommend it to every one as the best medicine for these complaints. In using it with chickens, for cholera and gapes, I mix it with the dough and feed it to them once a day. I have lost none where the Regulator was given promptly and regularly.—[E. T. Taylor, Agent for Grangers of Georgia.

DR. KELLOGG'S WORM TEA is entirely free from all Mercurial properties, can be given to the weakest constitution without danger, is palatable and easily administered to children, is mild in operation, and never fails to effect a cure. Price 25 cents. Sold by Chitwood & Son.

Still groceries left which will be sold below first cost by Caro Bros., in Reeser's Block. x

Chipped and corned beef, island and Carolina rice, Eagle chocolate, and a fresh supply of blank books, stationery, etc. Call and see; at Clayton & Gore's

Safe insurance of all kinds at lowest rates. G. F. Billings.

For wool sacks and twine, go to Willard & Eubanks's.

NEW THIS WEEK.

DR. S. HARMON,

Oculist and Optician, of Atlanta, Georgia.

—Is stopping at the—

ASHLAND HOUSE,

Room No. 5; will remain here for ten days.

TO STOCKMEN AND RANCHERS!

FOR SALE NOW, forty to sixty head of good stock cows. Will also have for sale this fall a few **high grade** shorthorn bull calves and half-blood Polled Angus. Prices reasonable. Correspondence solicited. Address

C. Cunningham,

MOUNTAIN PARK STOCK RANCH,

P. O., Fort Klamath, Or.

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Bottom Knocked Out of Sewing Machines!

I will sell the New York Sewing Machine and the Canadian Singer Sewing Machine for $10 and $15.

W. H. WICKHAM,

Gun Store, East side of Main street, next door to the gunsmith's. 49

For Sale.

A FINE Stock Ranch of 230 acres, situated 1 mile N. E. of Phoenix; all under fence and all set in clover; no rough or broken land on the place. Good house and barn, orchard, good spring and water. Terms:—Part cash, balance on time. Price, $22.50 per acre. W. H. WICKHAM.

FORTY Acres of choice fruit land, situated within ¾ mile of postoffice; 20 acres under plow; good house of five rooms, large barn, living water; some fruit now growing on the place and wood enough on the remainder to pay for clearing. Price, $35.00 per acre. Terms, part cash, balance on time. Enquire of W. H. WICKHAM.

Settlement Wanted.

The undersigned, having sold out his blacksmithing business in Ashland, is compelled to call upon all persons owing him to come forward immediately and make settlement either by cash or note. HEATON FOX.

Ashland, Or., May 21, 1886. 49

Hides and Furs Bought.

The undersigned will pay the highest market price for hides, skins and furs of all kinds, from this date until further notice.

J. B. R. HUTCHINGS.

Ashland, Or., May 21, 1886.

For Sale.

A nice home on Bear creek 2½ miles north of the town of Ashland, containing 108 acres of good land, all under cultivation and well fenced; a new house of three rooms and summer kitchen; a never failing spring at the door, barn, and young orchard. For particulars apply to P. LYTTLETON, Ashland, Oregon.

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.

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.

Will you suffer with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. For sale by J H Chitwood & Son.

Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us on guarantee. It cures consumption. J H Chitwood & Son.

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.

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.

Rockford Hosiery.

The best cotton and woolen hosiery to be had for the money is that made at Rockford, Ill.—for ladies, children and men. Full line just received at McCall's. [48.

Piano for Sale.

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

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

M. E. CHURCH.—Regular services every sunday, at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday School 9:30. Rev. W. C. 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, past