The Oregon Scout.

UNION, OREGON, SAT. FEB. 5, 1887

Brief Bulletins,

Down to freezo. Overcoats \$4.00 at Drake.a. Mails arrive very irregularly, Minstrels at Wright's hall to-night,

New milch cow for sale -- R. H. Drake.

Sleigh riding is the principal amusement now. On account of removal, things "red-

hot" at Drake's. J. W. Shelton returned from Salem

on Tuesday last. Rev. Watson, of La Grande, made

us a visit this work.

We will yet be able to pack sufficient ice for use next summer,

County Clerk Neil has been sojourning for some days past at Salem.

Our thanks are due to U. S. Senator Dolph for valuable public documents. Your Cove drug store account is long

over due. Call around and settle at The bill creating the County of Wallows will be found elsewhere in this

\$750.00 outside of the sheriff and clerk's fees.

George Stafford, house painter and sign writer, will take contracts from any part of the valley. See his ad. It is reported that Sheriff Hamilton

has bought the famous Sisley orchard on Shake river. Consideration \$8,500. All those indebted to me are bereby notified to settle immediately. I need

Mrs. D. P. McDaniel and her daughter, Mrs. Harlan Stewart, returned each week. The following named from their trip-to California, last

the money and must have it .- F. S.

Ped Smith, who took a band of horses to San Francisco a few weeks ago, has not sold them as yet. The market appears to be dull.

Jimmy Johnson has fitted up a neat bath room in connection with his barber shop, When you want a clean shave or bath, call on Jimmy.

Several laches of snow this week, and colder than at any time during the winter. Enough ice will probably be secured for use next summer, after

competition. We may look for "razorin the air.'

going on at that point. About 100 made about it. men are employed with teams, grading side tracks, and a round house with a stall for twenty engines is in course of erection.

The Weary Nine Minstrels will give commencing on the 21st inst; an entertainment at Wright's hall tonight, Admission 50 ets; children 25 ets. After the entertainment a free social dance will be given for the benefit of those who attend. Good music. Turn out and hear them.

In order to get the Eagle creek peo- B W Davis ple to sign the petition for annexation. out the indusment that they will J II Boins, build a road down Powder river. What A Buchanan. Pine Valley, would be left for a bankrupt to do if he could not make promises?

Mr. A. Mitchell has completed his map of the Pine creek mining district H McDonald, Summerville, in this county. It is a most excellent piece of work, and will be of great value to those desirous of information | J C Christianson concerning that country. One of the maps may be seen at this office,

Anything in the way of harness and saddles can be bought as cheap at Union as any place in the county. Those desirous of anything in that line shoul I call on Dan. Beidleman, who has a large and varied assortment. Read his advertisement which ppears clsewhere.

From the Chieftain we learn that the subject of railroad building is being agitated in the Wallowa valley, and that meetings are being held for the purpose of discussing the subject. What the ultimate object is, and what these discussions are calculated to bring about, we are not informed.

Frank Benson has sub-let the contract to carry the mail between this city and the Cove, to E. P. McDaniel.

The time will probably be changed,

180 First Street, Pordand, Oregon. Frank Benson has sub-let the conshortly, and the stage will leave Cove in the morning and return in the evening. This arrangement will be more convenient for the people of the Cove.

A grand prize ball will be given on Feb. 8th., 1887, (it being full moon,) at is this the case with Green's August Flower my hall in Cove. Everyone buying a and Boschee's Gorman Syrup, as the raduc ticket will be entitled to draw for a \$5.00 and \$2,50 cash prize, to be drawn on the night of the ball, previous to extended to all .- H. J. GEER.

Ed. Parker, who has been a hangeron around the official cribs of this county for some time past, is now engaged in the interests of Baker City and La Grande, in circulating a petition among the people of the Pine creek country, trying to get their signatures for the aunexation of that portion of the courty to Baker. Things look omnious. Of course we don't care anything about the loss of that section of country, but to have Parker stray off would be a misfortune, indeed.

Norwithstanding the fact that ninebeen out of every twenty men in the North Powder country signed the remenstrance, the editor of the Revelhe gays: "We found the people of North Powder and vicinity mani- dience Thursday eve, mously in favor of being annexed to Baker county." Abboth should be awarded a medal as the boss liar of the present epoch.

We see that Baker county has presented a bill to our county authorities for the keeping of "John Drake, a pauper of Union county." The bill amounts to \$135.00. As they had Drake in charge but ninetwen days, it would seem that such charges are out of all reason. What action will be taken on it we are not informed. No to see her looking so well. wonder that Baker is a bankrupt county when its officials allow such bills as that.

The people here will be surprised to hear that E.S. McComas has entered into a co-partnership with the Su-preme Ruler of the Universe, In writing to an Eastern paper he says; "My business is at present to help God, 'reveal the mysteries of his will, according to his own good pleasure which he has purposed himself," to make known the wonderful virtues of his Medical Lake Salts." When we have succeeded I shall be glad to once more turn my face to the west." This last combination that Me has entered into is a powerful one, and swe have no doubt the two of 'em will The registry law cost Union county make the Medical Lake Salts boom.

North Powder Lodge No. 88, L O. O. F., was instituted last Saturday by Grand Master R. Alexander. The officers installed were as follows: J. W. Kimbrell, NG; A. A. Scott, VG; D. W. C. Nelson, Sec; H. Rothschild, Treas; W. S. Grones, per sec; H. O. Gorham, I G. Following is a list of appointed officers: G. Venerable, R. N: Frank Spicer, L S N G; F. Huff, RS V G; Edward Moran, L S V G; J. A. White, conductor; Andrew Lun, O G; J. C. Travillian, R S S. The lodge meets Saturday evenings of gentlemen from this city attended and assisted in the ceremonies: A. E. Mr. W. J. Snodgrass, who is now in Eaton, J. B. Thompson, A. Levy, Jas. attendance at the legislature, has our Galloway, Chas. S. Miller, Win. Raithanks for numerous legislative docu- ley, A. J. Goodbrod, L. B. McPherson and A. N. Hamilton.

A paragraph concerning the man Wait, who was at North Powder on the night of the disappearage of Willis Skiff, has been going the rounds of the papers which has a tendency to mislead. Wait was at North Powder on the night of the supposed murder, and a day or two afterwards passed through Union and was last seen, so far as his movements can be traced, at Island City in company with Tibbetts, one of the alleged murderers, and from that day he has dropped as completely from the knowledge of men as did Mr. McFarren has opened another Willis Skiff. Strengous efforts and barber shop in this city. This makes much time was spent in trying to limit three, and no doubt there will be lively him, but to no effect. His disappearance is equally as mysterious as the disappearance of Skiff, but as he had Reports from Glenn's Ferry state no friends to interest themselves in that quite extensive improvements are | the matter, but little stir has been

LIST OF SURORS.

Following is a list of jurors drawn for the February term of Circuit court, Prairie Creek, Farmer. E E Hayden Bladen Ashby, Antelope, Juseph, Hotel keeper. F M Fme, W S Locke Farmer. N C Kennedy Alder, Stockman. W W White. Farmer Thos O'Bryen. 2.2 Wallowa, E H Clingan A J Hughes, Island City. Egburt Vandermullia ., J & Clark Clerk F R Collins L Blanchard, Indian Valley, Farmer. 1.5 Albert Ohen Peter Kuhn, La Grande, Mill man. A Gangioff Farmer. J B Ewing Henry Wildy Union, Robert Shaw, Farmer. William Dobbs .. Hotel keeper. A C Craig Shoemaker. A Dickson R C Dunlap, Imuaha,

C C Cofflaberry, Cove, Blacksmith, Ninth Sate.

Stockman

Our ninth annual clearance sale of Dry and Fancy Goods and Gent's Furnishing goods will commence on Wedne-day, January 5th, 1887, and contains twenty eight days. Our ENTIRE stock, without beserve will be offered AT COST. We shall enduryor to make this sale, if possible, more the terest at to our patrons than our ERGHT

Free Trade. The reduction of internal revenue and the taking off of revenue stamps from Proteletary Medicines, no doubt has largely benefited the consumers, as well as relieving the tion of thirty six cents per dozen, has been added to becrease the size of the bottles containing these remedles, thereby giving one-offth more medicine in the 75 cent size. supper. Price of tickets, including the August Flower for Dyspensia and Liver supper, \$2.00. A cordial invitation is complaint, and the German Syrup for Coughs and Lung troubles, have perhaps. the a gest sale of any medicine in the world. The advantage of increased size of the bottles will be greatly appreciated by the sick and afflicted, in every town and village in civilized countries. Sample bot-tles for 10 counts remain the same size.

Wild Cherry and Tar.

Everybody 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 or Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup making it just the article you should always have in the house for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Bronchitis. Price 50 cents and 51. Samples free. Sold by J. T. Wright, Union, Oregon.

Cove Cullings,

Feb. 3, 1897.

The Weary Nine Minstrel troups appeared before a delighted Cove au-

A. F. Benson has sub-let the mail contract between Cove and Union to Jac. S. Elliott. Dave Layne, the popular driver handles the ribbons,

Advertised letters remaining to Cove post-office Feb. 1st: Miss Nangie Ad-Wm Tohrman and L. J. Wheeler.

from Walia Walia, where she has been the impression abroad is, that the extaking a course in music. The many friends of the young lady are pleased for prospects are a check to develop-

Our skaters and dance-loving people connot complain at lack of amusement or this month. Geer gives a prize our camps, ball the 8th, and Mrs. Magann a skating carnival and ball on the 14th.

The item last week concerning a dinner party to Mr. Phy was samewhat premature. A small party of friends alled on Mr. Phy and was entertained with an elegant dinner, but the gentheman's birthday was several days

Vivian Kennedy met with a severe misfortune, Tuesday, by slipping and falling on a hay knife. He received a long gash extending from the eye to the ear, but by prompt treatment the flow of the blood was arrested and his life saved.

The long talked of rifle match between Cove and High valley was contested at this place last Saturday-209 yards off hand, Creedmore target, six men on a side, for a purse of \$12.00. The vanquished club proved themselves to be crack shots, but lacked the practice of the home team. The score stood, 5 shots each, Cove, 105; High Vailey, 92. It is likely a return match will be shot soon.

Just wait till my new rifle comes .--Chas. And mine too.-Alex. I best my man .- Sam. And I downed mine. -Alex. Mine got away.-Q. I had to smile, audibly.-Andy. For goodness sake, pard, leave a little of the target for me to shoot at .- A. I was afflicted with a very large boil, Satur- Oregon will not take much if his mus- in Pine. More Anon, day .- Jo. I wasn't very particular about going to Union, Thursday .- J.M. When you are out sleighing you want to take a supply of feed.—Chas.

Summerville Siftings.

The beautiful snow still continues. The infant child of Wm. E. Rinehart is seriously ill.

J. C. Wilson starts to Pendleton, today, to "look out" a farm. Dr. W. E. Rinehart returned from

the Willamette on Saturday. F. B. Collins and wife paid the

Cove a visit on Wednesday last. Several of our citizens were called o Elgin to attend a law suit, on Tues-

Several Summervillians will take in the Empia Abbott concert at Portland

The minetrels gave a performance at the city hall on Tuesday evening, Feb. 1st.

The trio of hunters that went to the Cove, last week, report sleighing a drag on the market in that vicinity. The county is divided and office seekers in the Wallows will "work the wires" for a pull at the public

Mr. Sulley, representing the Phonix Insurance Company of Brooklyn, N. Y , was in town on Friday of last

week. The Summerville mills are shipping large orders of flour to Idaho at present. Farmers are hauling in their wheat at 55 cents per bushel.

The debating society is flourishing. Question to-night, Resolved: That the charcater of Washington is more worthy of praise than that of Lafay-

A new mail route has been estabwe earnestly hope that service may ing a trans-continental line. begin at once. CRANK.

High Valley Happenings.

Mud all gone and the ice crop grow-

A Valentine dance will be given here

From the present outlook the win-

ter wheat will get a "heave up." Rev. Beebe preached here on Sun-

day to a large audience. He left an appointment for Feb. 7th. The High valley grangers with their muzzle-loading flint-lock pumpkin-

slingers appear to have knocked the wind out of the Cove nimrods' hightoned target guns. The bold move of the Baker county

strance and don't you forget it. News reached us recently, from the old hills of Ohio, where our boyhood days were spent, of the murder of one and intelligent, but he drank, then

Don't drink. Номо. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts,

From Cornneopia,

The following extracts from a private letter written to us by Mr. Joseph Luce, General Superintendent of the Oregon Gold Mining Co, of Louisville, Ky., will be of interest to our readers

I am pleased to see that the work done during my absence has improved very much our future prospects. I feel confident of a very busy season, and if our friends-sowners of mines now idle. and prospects in Eastern Oregonamson. B. Fewell, Jno. C. Gilmore, were taking a good business view of the matter, our camps would be visited the 27th. The party was cordially Miss Pearl Payne returned Taesday by investors and mining men. But received, Dancing and eating apples agerated and unnatural prices asked ments. Some "wild-cat" schemes might be started by unscrapulous parties, but investors will keep away from

A great drawback to development is the roads. Our county commissioners should exact of the road overseers better work, and systemize the work of repairing. I will try and visit you before spring-get acquainted with our county officers, and if possible get them to repair the road from the valley so as to make it passable for the heavy machinery that we will bring into older and more thoughtful people, camp this spring."

Telocaset Tattlings.

Oh the snow, the beautiful snow! Stock looking very well, considering

the rough and disagreeable weather. Everybody is busy, from the lazy gossiper to the industrious old farmers. aimed at its very foundation.

Pyle canyon's public school is progressing finely, under Miss Ida Davis' careful direction. Success to the young

Mr. Brooke & Tombinson informed as that they will move their band of lambs from Ladd canyon back to their ranch in Antelope. Sevreal of our influential citizens are

a warmer climats. We regret to see ening mentioned will soon, no doubt, them go, indeed.

cels will prevent it. Lots of talk about dividing the county. Gosh! We'll get left yet, if we

are not careful. Baker is very enthusiastic over her faint prospects, Mr. C. H. Prescott, of our valley, has been circulating a petition for having the road moved down into the canyon again. Capital idea, ch? Good

roads are a very essential feature of a

prosperous community. Baker City Brevities. Feb. 1, 1887.

Baker City is blessed with about four inches of the "beautiful."

Nineteen couple from this city at tended the G. A. R. ball at Huntington, Jan. 28th. Considerable damage was done here

Sunday by water filling up all the cel-

lars on Main street. Wm. Warren was in the city last week. He says stock is doing finely SPURS WHIPS, AXLEGREASE on the whole. He has lost 5 head by black-leg.

It is reported that quite a number of tin horn gamblers have been given notice by the Com. of Public Safety to leave. "Let the good work go on.

Several members of the L.O.O.F. went to North Powder, Saturday eve. to aid Grand Master Alexander administer the "grand bumper degree" to the officers of the lodge just started

The "lords" have been on a spree for several days. One of them was brought before the recorder and fined \$25.00 and costs. Not thinking this enough the "lord" became enraged and called the recorder names not fit to put in print, for which he was fined \$10.00 more for centempt of court.

Chief Engineer Eckerslon of the O. P. railroad was in the city last Thursday. He reports work on the road going on as well as could be expected. lished between this place and Union, The company has 125 men at work a with a post office on the Sand Ridge few miles from Ontario. This road named Larch. Geo. W. Ruckman is runs from Yaquina bay, and across the appointed post master. This route Cascades, and will connect with the has been needed for a long time, and Chicago North-western, thereby mak-

The Verdict Inantmous.

W. D. Sult, Druggist, Bippus, Ind., testifies: "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles, and was cured of Rheumatism of 10 years' standing. Abraham Hure druggist, Beliville, Ohio, affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever hamiled in my 20 years' experience, is Electric Bitters." Thousands of others have added their testimony, so that the verdict is ununimous that Electric Bitters do cure all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys or Blood. Only a half dollar a bottle at J. T. Weight's drug store.

Syrup of Figs. Manufactured only by the California Fig.

Syrup Co., San Francisco, Cal., is Nature's Own True Laxative. This pleasant California liquid fruit remedy may be had of all druggists, at fifty cents or one dollar. It is representatives to annex a part of Union county was such an exhibition of "gall" as we have never before seen. Everybody here signed the remontion, and kindred illa.

Cheap Boots and Shoes. Ladies' Franch kid shoes, \$3.52; mens'

boots, \$2.75; mens' two-buckle shoes, \$1.15 man by his companion-this last was at Vincent's. He is closing out h's goods a playmate of ours. He was inocent regardless of cost before getting in his drank again, grew brutal, cold and prices. Now is the time to get bargains.

heartless. He is a murderer now, and Independence, Oregon. his parents are stricken with sorrrow. Both myself and wife have been for some years afflicted with disease of the Kidneys. and had tried many remedle; without ob-Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Pever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilbialus, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 ceuts per box. For sale by J. T. Wright, Union, Oregon. talning any permanent relief. About three

Pine Vale Pickings.

Jan. 30, 1887.

Thawing and raining. Thermometer at 48-above-has not

been below zero this winter, here, Professor Luce, of the "Whitman" mine, has returned from the East, and the talk is now that he will soon commence the construction of a milt, and furnish employment to many who are

A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Greener on the evening of was indulged in, and the evening passed very pleasantly.

Married .- At the residence of the bride's mother, on the 28th inst., by Rev. Morris, Miss Bessie Lloyd and Mr. Henry Clark, both of Pine valley A dinner was given the young comple and their intimate friends at the residence of the groom's mother, after which the party proceeded to the residence of Mr. Ged Brown where they now reside—and "tipped the light fantastic toe" until the "wee small

Spelling schools and a literary society have lately been inaugurated in the valley, to the gratification of the and a number of young people, who rejoiced that now we have these more intellectual annucements in our midst. However the concert and egotism of a certain individual and his clique, who can never by any possibility be in the wrong, have succeeded in terminating the last spelling match in a row-doing harm' where much good might Our post-office still exists, notwith- have occurred, and leaving one, who standing it has had a fearful blow only took part in the affair upon the urgent request of the head of the contending parties, to bear the unjust hlame and lying reprots that have been circulated concerning it. The whole affair is a disgrace to the community. Instead of a civil, agreeable, pleasant spotting match, we are informed that parties went there carrying dirk knives, revolvers, &c., intent upon mischief, instead of trying to subdue such inclinations. The same talking of selling out and moving to mulish disposition shown on the evkick the literary to pieces. "It takes Several fights have occurred in our all kinds of people to make a world" quiet little valley this winter. Young and we think we have a little world

"CARRIE R. Dove."

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Administratrix Notice.

(Of Final Settlement.)

Notice is hereby g ven that J mimi Boley, administratrix of the estate of Andrew Po-ley, decrayed, has first her final account of the administration of said estate, in the County court of the State of Olegon, for Union county, and that March 8th., 1837. at 10 o'clock a m. has been appointed by

thereto, and for settlement thereof.
Union, Oregon.) JEMIMI BOLEY,
Janr 31, 1887. Administratria

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the under signed having this day filed in the County court of Union county, Oog on, his final ac-Peter Carrico deceased, and praying for discharge and that Tuesday the 8th day March, 1-27, at 10 o'clock, a. m. of said day, the same being a day of the regular term of said court, has been appointed as the time, and the court house in Union, Union county. Oregon as the place for hearing ob-jections to said account, and for showing o cause, if any there be, why an order be not made discharging the understance from further duty as such administrator, and role sing his sureties from further liabilities on his undertak ng. and that this notice he published by ord r of the Hon. O. P. Good-all, Judge of the County court of Union county, State of Oregon.

Male and dated this 29th day of Jan. 1837.

A. L. COBB.

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ESTRAY NOTICE.

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Washington and Idaho Territories

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