

## Eagle Valley.

An Interesting Letter From One of the Loveliest Valleys in Union County.

### THE FOURTH OF JULY.

Your correspondent is a regular subscriber to the SCOUT, but weekly looks in vain for any special notice of the very important doings in this thriving locality.

We are necessarily a somewhat scattered population, but we come together occasionally, and it is then that tongues wag, in resentment of the fact that our items remain unchronicled.

Persons who have never visited this neighborhood or who lack acquaintances here may not feel very profoundly interested in the little things that go to complete the life of Eagle Valley, but those who reside in it, together with many who have gone to seek "fresh fields and pastures new" will be gratified to find your paper speaking of the place once in a while.

The writer of these remarks has recently observed one or two strangers about and thought that they resembled the gentlemen, whom Scotland's poet described as a "chief among ye takin' notes." Your correspondent would naturally wish his own native hearth to bear a good reputation and to that end if no others do, he may now and again refer to such sins of commissions or omission as may from time to time be brought before him.

In every place where a Sunday school is established, there you have a centre around which infinite good may cluster, and great credit is due to men and women who give up their time teaching others as much as they themselves have learned—perhaps by sad experience of how best to steer the human bark down life's rapid river. Our school has done useful work in this direction, and it is with the best possible intentions that we counsel the managers to keep eye ever on the alert for more opportunities.

Quarry.—Cannot a portion of "Dadville" be induced to quit poker on the Sabbath day and spend their time in something more elevating? Men do not as a rule get so many chances of cultivating the higher life, that they can afford to waste them. Let us hope that our young men will take the hint, and change their usual first day occupation. You want news and not sermons—and what led to the above reflections was an intention to report the temporary absence of Mr. and Mrs. William Bensley at Sparta. They are energetic supporters of the Sabbath school and their presence is much needed.

Our people are stirring in the matter of July 4th. celebration, having already combined business and pleasure in arranging for a dance, and at a meeting which took place at Mr. Lester Holcomb's on the 17th inst. I am told that many of those present enjoyed the splendid supper immensely. John Betanchoff is to read the Declaration of Independence, and Miss Edith Young will entertain the entertainment by recitations in her usual correct style. Providing Mr. Bassett's contemplated store is ready in time the indoor proceedings will take place there, but as yet there seems some doubt as to whether it will be finished before the celebration of 1900. With a continuation of the beautiful weather that we are now experiencing—weather which has started the cutting of hay in earnest, a good time ought to result, and when the great event has come and gone, let me suggest a really useful and necessary piece of voluntary labor for "the boys." Decoration day is never observed in Eagle Valley, because no dead warriors repose in its graveyard, but that is no reason why God's acre should be neglected. As long as the fences are left broken down and the cattle allowed to roam at will over desolated mounds, that cover what should be sacredly enshrined, there is discredit and dishonor. See to it, boys and remove the stain.

From a burial ground to a wedding feast is an abrupt change, but one must not forget to speak of a marriage that was duly solemnized in our midst quite lately. To use a diplomatic phrase, "the high contracting parties" were Miss Laura Barnard and Jeff Laird.

Our Shepherd King, Mr. R. A. Whitaker, reports speaks of as having gone to join the jubilee of England's Queen. The lady has been good enough to sign her "Victoria R" and draw an enormous salary for fifty years, and her devoted subjects are proportionately grateful. Some folks are easily pleased.

Talking of the mother country reminds me that an English friend of Mr. W. R. Usher is staying just now at that gentleman's Eagle Valley ranch, viz: Mr. David Heap, who has already filed his intention to become an American citizen. He has expressed his appreciation of true American hospitality, and we are able to assure him that all good men and true, wherever they hail from, receive a hearty welcome in this land of the free.

I hope that these jottings will not be found too voluminous for insertion, and I cannot close them without giving just two more items of news, equally weighty in import.

There is much travel on the road between Union and Cornucopia.

Mr. B. F. Fewell is on Summit creek, greatly improving his ranch.

BEAKS AND TALONS.

### NOTICE TO STOCKMEN.

New Bridge, Union Co., Oregon.  
To ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—North of Powder river and east of Eagle creek, the stockmen are to be on alert in their salt on the range for their horses and cattle, and parties that are dealing in stock that is poisonous to, had better be careful where they drive their stock.

4-19-01.

STOCKMEN.

### Notice of Application to Purchase Timber Land.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OREGON.

April 26, 1887.  
Notice is hereby given that, in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," DAVID EYLES, whose post-office address is North Powder, Union county, Oregon, has this day filed in this office his application to purchase the E. 1/4 of SW 1/4 and W. 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 34, Township No. 6 South, Range No. 41 E. of the Willamette meridian. All persons holding any adverse claim thereto are required to present the same at this office within sixty days from the first publication of this notice.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE, AT LA GRANDE, OREGON.

May 23, 1887.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on July 6, 1887, viz: BERNARD LORSDON, Hd. No. 209, for the SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 1, N. 1/2 of NW 1/4, and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 12 Tp 4 S R 40 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John W. Minnick, Josiah Wilson, William Wilkinson and Thomas Wilson, all of Union, Oregon.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

### To Delinquent Tax-payers:

BE IT REMEMBERED, That at a regular term of the County court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Union begun and held at the court house in the city of Union in said county and State, on Wednesday, the 6th day of April A. D. 1887, the same being the first Wednesday in said month, and the time fixed by law for holding a regular term of said court, when were present: The Hon. O. P. Goodall, judge, presiding; John F. Chrisman, commissioner; Ellis Leep, commissioner; A. T. Neill, clerk, and A. S. Hamilton, sheriff.

When, on Monday the 11th day of April A. D. 1887, or the fifth judicial day of said term, among others, the following proceedings were had, to wit:  
In the Matter of a Special Order to the Sheriff: At this time, it appearing to the court that several years' delinquent taxes have been uncollectible, and that names of tax-payers occur on the delinquent tax roll who are well able to pay said taxes. It is therefore ordered by the court that upon the receipt of the delinquent tax roll of 1886 and previous years, from the clerk of the sheriff proceed at once to collect all delinquent taxes outstanding, by levying upon and selling property if necessary; and it also appearing to the court that heretofore for several years the sheriffs of this county have not been requested to take notice required by statute upon the return of a delinquent tax roll, it is here now ordered by the court that the sheriff be notified that when he makes settlement with the court at the July term thereof he will be required to take said oath as provided by statute. (Signed) O. P. GOODALL, County Judge.

### Notice of Application to Purchase Timber Land.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OREGON.

June 8, 1887.  
Notice is hereby given that, in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," STEWART EYLES, whose post-office address is Union, Union county, Oregon, has this day filed in this office his application to purchase the SW 1/4 of Section No. 31, in Township No. 5 South, Range No. 41 East, of the Willamette meridian. All persons holding any adverse claim thereto are required to present the same at this office within sixty days from the first publication of this notice.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

### SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Union.

W. P. Goldsberry, Plaintiff,

vs.

Isabella Goldsberry, Defendant.

To ISABELLA GOLDSBERRY, THE ABOVE DEFENDANT:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county; or, if served in any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you; and if you fail to answer, or want thereof the Plaintiff will take judgment against you for the dissolution of the bonds of matrimony existing between the parties hereto, and such other relief as may be just in this suit in which W. P. Goldsberry is Plaintiff, and Isabella Goldsberry is Defendant.

The above summons is published by an order made at chambers on the 3rd day of June, 1887 at Pendleton, Oregon, by Hon. G. W. Walker, Circuit Judge, that the above summons be published for six weeks in the OREGON SCOUT, a weekly newspaper published at Union, Union county, Oregon.

A. MEACHEN, P. M.'s Atty.

### Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been appointed by the County court of Union county, State of Oregon, administrator of the estate of R. A. Nance, deceased, late of Elgin, Union county, Oregon, and that all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same, duly verified, to me at my office in Summerville, Union county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 11th day of June, 1887.

F. B. COLLINS, Administrator.

### Notice of Administrator's Sale.

In the Matter of the Estate of Willis Skiff, Deceased.

By virtue of an order of sale made and entered by the County court within and for Union county, Oregon, on the 4th day of April, 1887, ordering and directing the undersigned administrators of the estate of Willis Skiff, deceased, to sell the real estate hereinafter described, to wit: The south-east 1/4 of section 7 and the south-west 1/4 of section 8 in township 3 south range 39 east of the Willamette meridian, and the east 1/2 of south-west 1/4 and south-west 1/4 of south-east 1/4 of section 33 township 2 south of range 37 east of the Willamette meridian, and the north-east 1/4 of north-west 1/4 of section 4 township 3 south range 37 east of the Willamette meridian, in satisfaction of a mortgage of J. E. Davis and the Board of School Land Commissioners, we will, on the 8th day of July, 1887, in front of the court house door in the town of Union, Union county, Oregon, sell said above described land at public outcry, to the highest bidder. The terms of sale are one-half cash and one-half on a credit of six months, the purchaser giving his note for the deferred payment, with mortgage on said land to secure the payment thereof.

Dated at Union, June 1st, 1887.

MARY C. SKIFF, Administrator.

D. A. MCALLISTER, Administrator.

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Dated at Union, June 1st, 1887.

MARY C. SKIFF, Administrator.

D. A. MCALLISTER, Administrator.

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### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Application for a U. S. Patent. Survey No. 37. Claim No. 37. Mineral application No. 8.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OREGON.

May 4th, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that E. E. Clough and C. H. Duncan, whose post-office address is Sparta, Union county, Oregon, have this day filed their application for a patent for the "Golden Eagle" quartz mine, situated in the fourth mineral district in Township 7 S. Range 43 E. Willamette meridian, and described by the official plats and field notes on file in this office as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point at the south-west corner of the claim from which the corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11 T. 7 S. R. 43 E. bears S. 17 deg. 02 min. W. 75 feet dist. the post being marked "Cor. No. 1 G. E. M. C. Survey No. 7," and running thence S. 82 deg. E. 250 feet to a post marked "Cor. No. 2 G. E. M. C. Survey No. 7," thence S. 8 deg. E. 150 feet to a post marked "Cor. No. 3 G. E. M. C. Survey No. 7," thence N. 88 deg. E. 150 feet to a post marked "Cor. No. 4 G. E. M. C. Survey No. 7," thence S. 8 deg. E. 150 feet to the place of beginning, containing 12.65 acres. Location being recorded in Vol. D, page 330 of records of quartz locations, Union county, Oregon. Adjoining claims are the "Summit" quartz mine, on the east, and the "Knight" quartz mine, on the north. Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said "Golden Eagle" quartz mine, as above described, are required to file their adverse claim with the register of the U. S. land office at La Grande, Union county, Oregon, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the statute.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

It is hereby ordered that the foregoing notice of application for a U. S. Patent be published for a period of sixty days (ten consecutive weeks) in the OREGON SCOUT, a weekly newspaper published at Union, in Union county, Oregon.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

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Beginning at the NE corner post of the "Golden Eagle" quartz mine, post being marked "Cor. No. 1 K. M. C. Survey No. 9," and running thence north 82 deg. west 1500 feet to a post marked "Cor. No. 2 K. M. C. Survey No. 9," thence north 8 deg. E. 600 feet to a post marked "Cor. No. 3 K. M. C. Survey No. 9," thence south 82 deg. E. 1500 feet to the north-west corner of the "Summit" quartz mine, which corner post is marked "Cor. No. 4 K. M. C. Survey No. 9," on south-west face of post, thence south 8 deg. W. 600 feet to the place of beginning, containing 20.65 acres. Location being recorded in Vol. D, page 330 of records of quartz locations, Union county, Oregon. Adjoining claims are the "Golden Eagle" quartz mine, on the south, and the "Summit" quartz mine, on the east. Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said "Knight" quartz mine, as above described, are required to file their adverse claim with the register of the U. S. land office at La Grande, Union county, Oregon, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the statute.

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HENRY RINEHART, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Application for a U. S. Patent. Survey No. 38. Claim No. 38. Mineral application No. 8.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OR.

May 4, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that E. E. Clough and C. H. Duncan, whose post-office address is Sparta, Union county, Oregon, have this day filed their application for a patent for the "Summit" quartz mine, situated in the fourth mineral district in Township 7 S. Range 43 E. Willamette meridian, and described by the official plats and field notes on file in this office as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point at the south-west corner of the claim from which the corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11 T. 7 S. R. 43 E. bears S. 24 deg. 30 min. W. 1010 feet distant, the post being marked "Cor. No. 1 S. M. C. Survey No. 8," running thence S. 82 deg. E. 250 feet to a post marked "Cor. No. 2 S. M. C. Survey No. 8," thence north 8 deg. E. 1500 feet to a post marked "Cor. No. 3 S. M. C. Survey No. 8," thence N. 88 deg. E. 1500 feet to a post marked "Cor. No. 4 S. M. C. Survey No. 8," thence S. 8 deg. W. 1336 feet to the place of beginning, and containing 10.71 acres. Location being recorded in Vol. D, page 348 of records of quartz locations, Union county, Oregon. Adjoining claims are the "Golden Eagle" quartz mine on the west, and the "North Star" mine on the north.

Any and all persons claiming adversely any portion of said "Summit" quartz mine, as above described, are required to file their adverse claim with the register of the U. S. land office at La Grande, Union county, Oregon, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, or they will be barred by virtue of the provisions of the statute.

HENRY RINEHART, Register.

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HENRY RINEHART, Register.

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## WIND

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There was a time when "nervousness," and that class of disease known as nervous affections, were apparently confined to ladies; but at the present day it is an undoubted fact that as large a portion of nervous diseases exist among men as among the gentler sex; and their distressing effects and lasting and curvating results are a thousand fold more serious, as they extend to posterity and are productive of a weakened and enfeebled race, nervous and physical debility, caused by

## Exhausted Vitality

is a frequent and distressing disease, its depressing influence being felt alike on both sexes and all ages. Among the first symptoms of this affection are usually a derangement of the digestive organs. A feeling of languor will be experienced, and a gradual falling of strength, with general weakness and pain in the back. More or less exhaustion is experienced on waking in the morning. There is often a bad taste in the mouth; the vision becomes dim, the memory is impaired, and the patient is troubled with frequent dizziness. Persons thus affected are often despondent, and suffer from gloom and depression of the mind. The nerves become so weakened that the least excitement or shock brings on a tremor or trembling, often attended by palpitation of the heart.

## LADIES

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