VALLEY RECORD.

ASHLAND, OR.....THURSDAY, May 29, 1890

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Chas. Kahn returned to Portland Friday.

L. L. Woods and wife left Tuesday for Corvallis.

Try Lucas for one of those popular drinks—a milk-shake.

Miss Jessie Slocum left Tuesday for a visit in San Francisco.

M. L. Whitsett leaves this week for Klamath county for a short trip.

Joe Lynch, formerly of Ashland, is running a tailor shop at Roseburg.

Hon. Theo. Cameron, candidate for state senator, was in Ashland Sunday.

Chas. A. Miller left Saturday for a business trip to Albany and Corvallis.

Mrs. J. E. White was among the pleasant callers at the RECORD office Monday

Miss Helen Strang, of Medford, has been visiting Mrs. N. A. Jacobs, in Ashland.

Marion Loosley and Miss Dett Vaughn were married recently at Fort Klamath.

Miss Sadie Anderson is teaching a subscription school of 30 members, at Talent.

Miss Lizzie Flock of Central Point and Jay Sechrist were visiting in the city yesterday.

Dr. C. Minnis, formerly of Medford is the Democratic nominee for coroner of Douglas county.

N. B. Adams, of this place, who has been at Glendale for some time, returned last Sunday.

Hon. C. C. Beekman was on Sunday's train for a business trip of several days in San Francisco.

S. E Redden and wife, and Mr. R.'s sister of Medford, spent a couple of days at Colestein this week and continued on to Fresno, Cal.

Prof. S. F. Longbottom, the Phœnix pedagogue, was visiting the public school closing Friday.

Mrs. M. E. Tyler, the photographic artist, is convalescing after a siege of several weeks' illness.

Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Stone were up from Jacksonville this week canvasing for "Sea, Land and Air."

Mrs. L. V. Wells, of the Ashland public schools, left Saturday for Oakland, Cal., to join her husband.

Miss Rose Rowe was up from Central Point the first of the week, the guest of Miss Corda Smith.

C. C. Ragsdale, one of the prominent Democrats of Willow Springs precinct, was in the city Tuesday.

Dr. Edward McGlynn, the humane Catholic priest of New York, is in California to recuperate his health.

John Loosley and wife and their three younger children, of Fort Klamath, are visiting relatives in Idaho.

Wm. Swope, a brother of Edw. A. Swope, and Mr McCaffery were aboard Sunday's train for San Francisco.

W. M. Holmes Democratic nominee for recorder, was in the city again Friday interviewing the festive voter.

Wm. Lyttleton has been appointed section foreman on the S. P. R. R., with headquarters at Cole's station.

Mrs. Chas. Millsap and children were visiting the family of James Goodrich at Hornbrook the past week.

Mrs. Judge Webster returned from Oakland, Cal. Tuesday, and is the guest of Attorney Hammond and family.

A. T. Kyle left Tuesday for Bellingham Bay, Wash., where he goes into a prominent real estate firm as a partner.

M. L. Alford is out on a tour of the county making himself pleasant to the people, while they vote for him for recorder.

Frank E. Cosgrove, who has been conductor on the freight, is back on the Ashland—Red Bluff passenger run again.

Samuel B. Putnam, the free thought lecturer and writer, arrived last evening. He will be at Granite Hall next Sunday.

The wife and family of John Clint, the railroad foreman, arrived Tuesday to join him and make their home in Ashland.

Uncle Nelson Grimsley was up from Central Point Monday arranging with the woolen mill for the sale of his spring clip.

J. B. Carlisle and S. H. Dunlap are hauling great loads of alfalfa to town from the Robinson place. It commands $10 per ton.

Mrs. Chas. Byron, of Spokane Falls, Wash., formerly Miss Anna Evans of Ashland, is visiting with her people in this city.

Mrs. B. F. Snyder and children and Mrs. Snyder's mother took their departure Saturday for their future home in Portland.

Corlies Merritt, of San Francisco, was on board Sunday evening's train for Portland, being now engaged with Peaslee Bros., stationers.

John S. Sims, of the firm of Sims & Kearney, the Central Point contractors and builders, was in the city on a business visit Tuesday.

W. J. Schmitt, the able assistant of A. W. Scott in his contract work, is again at his home in Ashland, having arrived with his wife last week.

Capt. A. D. Helman and N. A. Jacobs have returned from the grand lodge meeting of the I. O. O. F. A. D. was elected grand senior warden.

M. Sleeper, of Yreka, was on board Saturday's train, having been called to Seattle on account of the dangerous illness of his daughter, May, now Mrs. Johnson.

Crit Tolman, deputy collector of customs at Kodiak, Alaska, has been heard from by last steamer. Mrs. Tolman and Miss Dora Anderson will return to Ashland in September, on a visit.

Belva Ann Lockwood, the woman's righter, will visit the Josephine county caves this summer. Mrs. Lockwood made the trip from Crescent City to Grants Pass while making her presidential campaign in 1888.

County Clerk Max Muller, was in the city yesterday seeing the sovereigns. Mr. Muller has filled the position the past two years and his Democratic friends will concede that he has given the public a good administration.

Miss Carrie and Ford Roper returned home Saturday from California. Miss Carrie has been attending Irving Institute in San Francisco, and Ford, the military school at San Mateo. They are home to spend their vacation.

Col. Jas. Scobie, the masonry contractor, and his wife are up from San Francisco for a brief business visit. They will come up again during the summer to spend some time at their farm and about the watering places of Southern Oregon.

Hon. W. K. Price, nominee for sheriff, was up yesterday shaking hands with the people. Mr. Price is a courteous, genteel and clever citizen and makes friends wherever he goes. He is undoubtedly the most popular nominee on the Democratic ticket.

J. C. Sheridan of Central Point was interviewing his old time friends by the score last week, while on a visit to his parents in this city. Welcome, Joseph, we are glad to see you, and hope you will not stay away so long hereafter that your friends won't know you.—[Roseburg Plaindealer.

Chas. Michaelson, of the San Francisco Examiner, was in the city Friday and telegraphed that paper several columns of descriptive matter concerning this place, its beauty and resources. It did not cost the town anything, that paper being enterprising, and takes this means of pushing its circulation.

Dr. Chas. Hill, son of H. Cicero Hill of East Portland, (a brother of Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Gillette and Mrs. Dunn) and Dr. Sadie Marquam, daughter of the Portland millionaire, are to be married on June 4th. They are both this year's graduates of the medical department of the Willamette university, and Mr. Hill and bride will go to Fairhaven, Wash., to grow up with the place.

Phil. Loosley came in over the Dead Indian route from Ft Klamath last week, reporting only about five miles of snow, which lies on the north side of the mountains between Lost Prarie and Lake of the Woods. He came in on horseback in two days. Mr. Looseley's wife is visiting her sister, Mrs. John B. Williams of Medford, and they will probably make their home over on Antelope hereafter

Once in Seven Years—The body is renewed. The blood must have the elements of vitality. Wright's Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla cleanses and enriches the blood, and gives a new impetus to life. Sold by T. K Bolton.

For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster 25 cents at T K Bolton's.

OFFICIAL COURT NEWS.

Reported for the RECORD.]

Probate Court.

May term.]

In matter of the estate and guardianship of Eva Cook, minor—M J McKee appointed guardian, and letters of guardianship issued upon her, giving bonds of $350.

In matter of the estate of Isaac Constant—inventory and appraisement examined and approved by court, May 13, 1890.

In matter of estate of Lucinda Constant—inventory and appraisement examined and approved May 13, 1890.

In matter of estate of John Watson—inventory and appraisement examined and approved May 16, 1890.

In matter of estate of Wm Wooley—inventory and appraisement examined and approved May 21, 1890.

In matter of estate of Isaac Constant—order for sale of personal property. Ordered that all personal property be sold at private sale.

In matter of estate of Wm Turnham—order of final settlement. Report of administrator be in all things confirmed, and administrator and bondsmen be exhonorated from further liabilities.

In matter of estate of Wm Wooley—order setting apart property to widow. Ordered that certain property be set apart to Catherine Wooley, widow of Wm Wooley.

Real Estate Transfers.

Geo H Bayley to G W Stephenson—lot 39 in Miner's add to Ashland. $200.

Chas Nickel to board of school directors of School Dist No 62, Wimer dist—1 square acre out of the S W corner of the N W ¼ of S W ¼ of sec 3, tp 35 S, R 4 W. $1.

Wm S Barnum to C W Skeel—land in Medford $4,000.

C W Skeel to Wm S Barnum—lot 11 in block 22, Medford. $200.

C W Skeel to Wm S Barnum—lot 10 in block 24, Medford. $400.

Martin Laist to C C Beekman—the undivided one-half interest, right and title in a certain water ditch. $100.

B F Myer to M N Long—N ½ of lot 1, Ashland. $1. Q C D.

Chas and Minerva Meeker to O F Paxton—lots 1, 2, 3 in block 2, Meeker's add to Medford. $250.

R D Dickson to Ollie Brentano—lot 17 in block 20, Medford. $200.

Jas H Barnum to Bertha Barnum and husband—property in Medford. $1,000.

Nettie and Samuel McGee to C W Skeel—lot 11 in block 22, Medford. $65.

John W Dollarhide to H C Dollarhide—the undivided half interest in and to the S ½ of N E ¼, and the undivided half of the N ½ of the S E ¼ of sec 21, tp 40 S, R 2 E. $200. Assignment of bond.

Carrie L Lumsden to W I Vawter—lot 10 in block 66, Medford. $65.

Minerva A Meeker to P F Benson—E ½ of N W ½ and lots 1 and 2 of sec 7, tp 36 S, R 2 W. 152.83 acres. $1.

Jacksonville Jottings.

Gen. J. M. McCall and W. H. Leeds called at the county seat during the week.

Wm. Ulrich, the rustleing insurance agent of Medford, spent Monday in town.

Miss Ella Drake, of Ashland, is visiting friends in this place, the guest of Miss Issie McCully.

Dr. Will Jackson and wife have been spending a week at the Pass. They are preparing to move there.

Frank R. Neil and wife, who have been paying relatives and friends in Ashland a visit, returned home Tuesday.

J. H. Stewart and Francis Fitch will speak upon the political issues of the day at the court house at 8:30 Saturday.

The teachers' quarterly examination is being held at the court house this week. Several applicants are in attendance.

The members of the M. E. church will give a strawberry festival at Mrs. Chappel's dining parlors Saturday evening, May 31.

Messrs. Day, Kubli, Boyer and Parker and Mrs W. J. Plymale have returned from Portland where they attended the Odd Fellows Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Farlow, of Lake creek, were in town the first of the week on a business visit. They report that the summer travel to the Tyler soda springs, in that section, is commencing and promises to be large this year. Dr. Adkins and party were the first there this year.

Mrs. Rhoda Cardwell died last Thursday of consumption at the residence of her mother Mrs. E. Kinney. The deceased was aged 30 years 9 months and 28 days. Mrs. Cardwell leaves a husband and two small children bereft of a mothers care. The family has our sincere sympathy in their sad bereavement.

Klamath County Items.

Ed. Grubb has returned from Ashland.

The veteran pioneer, Lindsay Applegate, is now dwelling in Linkville.

Weeks, the Indian so horribly stabbed by another Indian at Modoc point several weeks ago, is pretty well, having played base ball Sunday with other Indians against a mixed nine. The scar on his neck shows that his assailant meant considerable business.

Messrs. Woodward & Bunn have bought the Keno flour mill, machinery, millsite and all, and will have the fine 75-barrel concern in readiness for this year's crop. As this is a good year for cereals of all kinds, the enterprise starts auspiciously. It has our best wishes.

Mr. H. L. Webb, democratic nominee for sheriff, is well acquainted with all the old settlers, but to the new ones, we will say he is the right man for that place always up and coming. Curly would tackle a "grizzly" if duty required.

P. L. Fountain has worked hard and faithfully for the interests of the county schools. We need only point to the result. Our schools are in a healthy and flourishing condition all over the county. Pleas. will be elected and don't you forget it.

Mr. A. Snider, of Lakeview, candidate for the office of state senator, called on the Star this week. Mr. Snider says the time is near at hand when Lake and Klamath counties will be receiving their supplies from Portland instead of San Francisco. "There is absolutely no reason why Portland should not sell as cheap as San Francisco," said Mr. Snider, "and as for getting goods over the road, let me tell you that Lakeview can get goods from Portland at a cheaper rate than from San Francisco, as goods coming here by way of The Dalles from Portland bring smaller freight bills."—Linkville Star.

Commencement Exercises

The annual commencement exercises of the Ashland State Normal school occurred upon last Thursday and Friday evenings. The Opera House was literally packed both evenings. The gold-medal elocutionary contest, which occurred upon Thursday evening, brought forth a program which was an honor to the school and reflected much credit upon the participants. Eight students of the school took part in the contest for the gold medal, all of them having won silver medals at the series of contests held during the school year. The names of the participants are as follows: Misses Etta Johnson, Clara Mingus, Mary Andrews, Lydia McCall, Agnes Devlin, and J. W. Rees, Geo. L. Helms and W. T. Dement. The judges appointed to decide upon the contest were Mrs. Engle, Mr. W. H. Leeds and Dr. J. S. Walter. Where all did so well, it was very difficult for the judges to decide, but after adding the markings, it was found that Miss Agnes Devlin had received two credits the most and was therefore awarded the gold medal. The evening's program was interspersed with choruses, an instrumental duet by Freddie Brightman and Miss Giddings, a vocal duet by Mabel Goodyear and Daisy Mingus, and a very pretty vocal solo by Miss Gertie Van Tassel.

On Friday evening occurred the regular graduating exercises of the senior class. The following is the program: Chorus, Farmer's Song. Salutatory and oration, "Self-Reliance," Edward A. Sutton. Oration, "Recollections," Miss Agnes E. Devlin. Solo, "Sing, Sweet Bird," Miss Gertie Van Tassel. Oration, "The True Hero," Miss Maud Berry. Class history, "Juniors and Seniors," Miss Clara Mingus. Oration, "Value of Time," John H. Devlin. Oration, "True Education," Miss Alice B. Sutton. Solo, "When the Leaves Begin to Fade," Miss Etta Johnson. Oration and valedictory, "The Marble Waiteth," Miss Jennie M. Oliver. Quintette, "Moonlight Dance." Presentation of Diplomas by the President. Closing chorus, "My Native Isle."

After the programme was completed, Prof. Sweet in a spirited speech referred to the prosperity of the school and took occasion to say a few words regarding its friends and its enemies. The graduates from the Ashland state normal school this year number nineteen. Six from the Advanced course, five from the Elementary course, and eight from the Commercial course. This ends the most successful year in the history of the school.

No that is a mistake; they have not quit the business—Atkinson at the Woolen Mill office or Carter at the Bank will insure your property in the best and most reliable companies, and at the lowest rates.

See the challies at Hunsaker's, 12 yds for $1—going like hot cakes

THE BIRDSEY—LEEDS COMBINATION.

The True Inwardness of a Newspaper's Attacks on W. K. Price.

One of the Stumbling Blocks of Party "Organs" and the Way They "Cinch" the People

Editor Holmes brought out the worst knock-down and drag-out article of the county campaign. Here it is:

That was a somewhat unfortunate reference in the local columns of the Tidings, last week, to the importance of the sheriff's office to the public-hing fraternity. Leeds thought that he was biting hard when he stated that "the office of state senator and that of sheriff are more important to the publisher of the Times, in this election, than all the rest of the ticket put together." There never was a prettier illustration of the lack of wisdom displayed by those who dwell in crystal palaces, in the matter of hewing "derricks." The unfortunate expression—more unfortunate for Birdsey, perhaps, than for Leeds, even—paves the way to recounting an "ower true tale," that will very much interest the people at this time. It is quite true that the patronage of the sheriff's office is of great importance to the partisan county newspaper that happens to be in accord with the sheriff in politics, and it is also true that the LEGITIMATE patronage of the office should be quite enough to satisfy any reasonable man. During hard times, like the present, there are enough unfortunate men who go to the wall by force of circumstances to cause an undue number of foreclosures and sheriff's sales, and ordinary justice would seem to demand that, in the interest of the unfortunate debtor, the expense of selling him out under the hammer should be made as light as the law will sanction. The matter rests largely with the sheriff, in advertising the sale, to what extent the costs will pile up. In getting up his notices of sale the sheriff is in duty bound to make them as brief as possible consistent with accuracy in the matter of description of property, title of case, etc. The sheriff may, if nobody objects, have the whole execution included in the notice of sale, and the unfortunate debtor will have to pay for it—if he doesn't happen to know any better than to do so. Leeds evidently believed in putting a very liberal construction on the sheriff's discretionary powers in such matters, or else he some months since concluded that certain unfortunate occurrences in Birdsey's administration precluded the possibility of his re-election, and concluded he would emulate the breachy steer, which endeavored to gobble everything in sight before being turned out of the clover.

The knowing ones among the legal fraternity, and others about the court house, were somewhat astonished a few months ago at the appearance of two sheriff's sale notices in the Tidings in each of which the whole execution was included in the publication, a proceeding for which the records of Jackson county furnish no precedent. Of course, it was understood that these notices were to be charged up as costs, at regular printer's rates, and it was quietly whispered around that Birdsey had found a new way of paying his newspaper election assessments at the expense of helpless litigants. It so happened that when the first sale occurred under execution issued out of the circuit court, in the case of Beekman & Reames vs. Hanley, et al., the judgment creditors were the purchasers, and were astounded when Bro. Leeds presented his affidavit of publication with a bill for printing of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN DOLLARS. Picture it, think of it, laboring men; one hundred and fifteen dollars for publishing a sheriff's sale! Leeds evidently thought that the judgment creditors would be indifferent to this imposition, or that the expense would fall on the defendants, and he kicked around lively when they told him gently but firmly that they would not pay him more than $75, certainly a liberal allowance. With pig-headed persistency, the irate publisher concluded to "go to law" over the matter, but concluded not to do so when Judge Webster assured him that he might as well publish the ten commandments in a sheriff's sale as to reproduce the execution entire. So he learned a lesson in subtraction and charged the balance up to Birdsey, pocketed his chagrin and the $75 and went back to his tripod. At the time this disclosure was made, the sheriff's sale notice in the case of H. C. Stock vs. The Oregon Refrigerating Company was also running in the Tidings, and it also included the execution entire, but was not so long a notice, owing to the greater brevity of the execution. The sheriff's return in this case shows Leeds' charge for publishing the advertisement to have been $70. Doubtless, had the execution been longer, the charge would be stronger—in proportion. As the company had no one to protest against the imposition this time, Leeds was enabled to get away with the spoils.

Voters of Jackson county, do you sanction this species of extortion? Do you not think that Birdsey should pay his debt to the Tidings out of his own pocket, instead of compelling unfortunate people to do so? We have merely stated the facts in the premises, as regards a subject that deeply interests all litigants, and we purposely give the opposition ample time to make due explanation, if they are able to do so.

EAGLE POINT NEWS.

EDITOR VALLEY RECORD:—

The young folks had a high old time last Friday night, at the dance at this place.

H. C. Lewis has moved his family from the farm to the mill to spend the hot days of summer.

Crops are looking, generally, very well, and the prospect is that there will be a very large crop of corn raised this summer.

I understand that Mrs. John Telling has returned from Portland, and that the physicians of St. Mary's hospital pronounce her case incurable.

The machinery for H. J. Daley's mill has arrived, and it will not be long before we have a first-class roller mill here and a good prospect for another in the near future.

Mr. Worthington is building a house and barn for Thomas Riley on a tract of land he purchased from Mart Hurst. Mr. Riley is also preparing to build considerable fence, as he has engaged 20,000 feet of fencing lumber from H. C. Lewis & Co.

Dr. W. W. Rivers expects to start to his old home in Arkansas next Thursday with his wife and children to visit Mrs. R.'s mother, thereby leaving us without a physician. So if we need any assistance in that line we will have to go to Central Point or Medford. He leaves a good field for an M.D.

Our village has been thronged with office-seekers and their friends (you know "money makes the colt go") and we have had lively times for the last few days. Cameron, Alford, Charles Nickell and George Bloomer may be mentioned as among the office-seekers that have been trying to convince the dear people that they are the very ones to be their servants; and by the time this reaches you, Sam Holt, of the union party, will be here and address the citizens on the leading issues of the day.

The calculations are that Cormach & Jacops will start their sawmill by the time this reaches you, and we expect to have good lumber, as they are men who understand the sawmill business. Speaking of sawmills, your correspondent took the time last week to spend a few hours in and around H. C. Lewis' mill, situated on Bear creek near Central Point, and found the mill doing excellent work, as it is run up to its full capacity, turning out from 12,000 to 15,000 feet of lumber per day, of a very good quality considering that the logs are all "bull pine." The mill was visited last Friday by a number of experts in the mechanical line, and they pronounce it and its management a complete success.

One of our prominent citizens on Butte creek is advocating the idea of having the successful candidate pay each one of the voters for the time it takes from his business, paying in proportion to the amount of his income from the office that he fills, as the candidates are selected by the "bosses," and the voters have nothing to do but walk up to the polls and vote for the men that are put on the ticket. By this means a large number of voters might vote that stay at home because they feel that none of the candidates are their choice. I remember that four years ago next election, we (I mean the clerks and judges) counted some ninety voters that did not come to the polls to vote, because they did not feel interest enough in the election to lose their time. But have it understood that every voter who votes is entitled to a fair compensation for his time, and then the laboring classes would vote and put down this "Ring monopoly." DICK.

Eagle Point, May 25, 1890.

The Calithumpian Parade.

Chairman Powers of the amusement committee of the 4th of July celebration, has called a meeting at McCall's Hall next Sunday afternoon, at which all wishing to take part and discuss the plans of the great Calithumpian and Plug-ugly parade, should be present.

The amusement committee wish to inform everybody that this parade will not interfere with the regular 4th of July program but will be a regular part thereof, and takes place on schedule time.

Milk-shakes, ice cream, oranges, lemons, and all kinds of popular confectionery at The Soda Fountain.

BREVITY BASKET.

The 4th comes on Friday.

Don't forget the picnic June 4th.

Use Holden's Ethereal Cough Syrup.

Come to the picnic and get strawberries and cream.

Go to the picnic and get a cup of coffee for 10 cents.

The Ashland public schools closed Friday after a successful nine months session.

Engineer Hays and Conductor Jamieson were up north all last week with the cattle train.

Cold lunches have been introduced at the Soda Fountain stand, to be served at all hours.

Lake county sheep are not expected to shear within fifteen or twenty per cent as much wool as they did last season.

Strawberry and ice cream social at the home of Mrs. Saxman, Tuesday evening, June 3d. Everybody invited to attend.

B. Beach, and W. A. Cordell, the boss carpenters, have erected a fine new dwelling for Newt Shook, on the old Woodson property.

Prof. H. C. Faber, who has been appointed as census enumerator for Ashland and Shake precincts, is thoroughly efficient and will do the work well.

Samuel B. Putnam lectures at Granite Hall Sunday on free thought Mr. Putnam lectured here on the Sunday preceding the June election two years ago.

Mrs. J. K. Charlton, wife of ex-Sheriff Charlton, of Linn county, is very sick and not expected to live, at their home on Beaver creek, northeast of Lebanon.

Lucas drew out nearly 250 glasses of soda water Saturday and an equal amount Sunday. This, besides the milk-shakes and ice cream, is a fair starter for summer.

The Rev. W. S. Holt, 12 years a missionary in China, now of Portland, will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath. There will be a union service in the evening.

Al. Sherfin, who killed Pope at Lakeview two years ago, and was sentenced to the Oregon penitentiary for that length of time, has been released, and is now in Alturas, working for Joe Frank.

The Young Ladies Mission Circle of the Presbyterian church will give a strawberry and ice cream social at the residence of Mrs. Saxman, next Tuesday, June 3. A good time is assured all who attend.

I. W. Burris has been taking in the leading towns of the valley this week, selling them some of his superior ice, manufactured in Ashland creek canyon by the raw material in the elements last winter.

If W. K. Price is elected sheriff, the ladies, gentlemen and children of Ashland and vicinity will be allowed the privilege (the dear privilege) of paying their taxes, and transacting their business outside of a gin-mill.

Hon. W. K. Price, the candidate for sheriff, is a capable man, is energetic and thoroughly qualified to fill that office. If the voters of Jackson county elect him next Monday the sheriffs office will be in good hands and will be well conducted.

David Allen and wife (nee Miss Susie Fox) returned Saturday from their wedding trip to San Francisco, Santa Cruz, San Jose, and other prominent places in California. They have since gone to the farm at Tolo to commence housekeeping.

D. C. Ingram and a party of lumbermen from Fresno, Cal., were in Ashland this week with their big teams. They are looking for a location, and are well pleased with the appearance of things hereabouts. They will go on to Roseburg before locating.

Ashland's 4th of July ball will be the event of the social history of Southern Oregon. Under the joint management of the Ashland Fire Department and Co. D, O. N. G., with the new Ganiard opera house to give it in, there will be no doubt of its success.

Henry Wise, son of Hon. John S. Wise of the firm of Christie & Wise, San Francisco wool and sheep buyers, and Milt. Martin of Little Shasta, engaged some 2000 head of sheep from the Ish place and have an understanding for the purchase of more in this valley.

Rev. F. K. Van Tassel preached the memorial address at the Presbyterian church Sunday, and Rev. Mr. Strange conducted the religious exercises. The members of the post formed into line in front of the altar and the audience shook hands with the brave boys.

Judge L. L. Angle, of Medford, with a party representing the Pennsylvania Lumber Co. have been making a two week's tour in the timbers up on Rogue river and Butte creek. Mr. Angle says this company will undoubtedly put in a mill at Tolo with a capacity of 50,000 feet per day.

M. L. Whitsett showed the RECORD an oddity in the sea shell line this week. It was that of a mussel on the back of which had grown myriads of sea-insects, sea moss, pebbles, etc. Mr. Whitsett picked it up at the mouth of the Siuslaw river some time ago, and when found the mussel as well as the insects attached to it, were alive and kicking.

Mrs. Affie C. Cawley, of Rock Point, has been appointed census enumerator for Foots creek, Woodville, Rock Point and Gold Hill precincts. This is the first appointment of a lady to this kind of a position that we have heard of. It is a rocky district to get over, but the appointee is an adept equestrienne, and is well qualified to do the work required.

A vote for Birdsey is a vote compelling the ladies, gentlemen and children of this community to pay their taxes and transact their business with the sheriff's office over the bar of the Alhambra saloon. This is a daisy of a dose for a civilized community. It does well enough in the buccaroo country of eastern Oregon, and answers the purpose in parts of Arizona.

Oscar Ballou, who took a number of epileptic fits and reported himself robbed a number of times while "working" the people in this section, made an attempt at suicide in Seattle some days ago. He is a thief, bulk and everything in the line of badness, but he possesses a faculty of making the average person sympathize with his story of woe. He should be hung.

J. T. Flynn is having a memorial to congress circulated, asking for the forfeiture of the Oregon and California railroad grant between Roseburg and Ashland. Mr. Flynn has facts in his possession, (which are to be made the basis of the petition) showing that freight charges are higher now than when the country was reached wholly by freight wagons and stages.—[Grants Pass News.

John F. Caples talked at Granite Hall for the republicans yesterday afternoon. He is a great success at shaking hands and telling stories—but his memory must have slipped him, as he told the same identical set he told here once before. If Mr. Caples' party can't keep on hand fresher yarns than those he spun here six years ago, Thompson should be beaten, or Bro. Caples taken from the track.

The Examiner special train, on its return southward, was on exhibition in Ashland Monday evening. A social dance was given at Granite Hall in honor of the event. David Ritchie, the manager, says the Examiner cleared over $200,000 last year. There is no law preventing men "tooting their own horn." The Examiner, however, deserves credit for being the most pushing paper on the coast.

Anacortes, the Washington town which has been so incessantly boomed by the Oregonian, was named after the townsite owner's wife, Anna Cortes, now Mrs. Boman. Mr. Boman made $210,000 this spring selling Anacortes town lots. This gentleman lived in Ashland for some months and invested in the Tolman springs and other property. But the town did not move fast enough for him and he sold out and went to Seattle, where he has made a mint of money.

Bro. Leeds and Deputy Sheriff Taylor are good men as men generally go. But what have they done that the ladies and gentlemen of this community (whether they are that way inclined or not) are compelled to transact their business with the sheriff's office over the bar of the Alhambra saloon? In the pioneer days, when there were few ladies about and the men were "wild and woolly and full of fleas," this would have anwered the purpose. But at this age, it seems like asking too much.

A NEW GROCERY FIRM.

McConnell & Eubanks will open a new grocery store in Ganiard's Grand Opera House block in about 10 days. Capt. G. F. McConnell, Wells, Fargo & Co.'s popular express agent, for many years in the Red House, is now in San Francisco selecting the finest stock of groceries ever brought to Ashland. John S. Eubanks is the other member of the firm and has had considerable experience in the mercantile business. Jos. W Hockersmith's fruit shipping and berry business will be also conducted in the same block. The new firm will start off with a good trade, the members having many friends in this section.

THE GIN-MILL ADMINISTRATION.

Will Sheriff Birdsey be Foisted Upon the Community for Two Years More?

Mr. Robt. Taylor, of the Alhambra saloon, and Mr. W. H. Leeds are working hard to re-elect J. G. Birdsey as sheriff. It is a question of dollars and cents with them and nobody blames them for such action. But the citizens of this community are disgusted with the appearance of at least one feature of Mr. Birdsey's administration. His deputy sheriff in Ashland, Mr. Taylor, has his office in his saloon, a saloon that does a large business and that has almost constantly a typical saloon crowd before its bar. This saloon is recognized as the chief citadel of the rum power in Ashland. It is the saloon, and its proprietors the men, who for years have led the attack, successfully fought down the opposition and planted the saloon business in Ashland. And Sheriff Birdsey selects as his chief and only deputy in Ashland the gentleman whose skill and cunning has accomplished that great success.

But Ashland and its surrounding country contains a large population of all classes and all sexes. Some of this element would sooner pay their taxes and transact their business with the sheriff's office over the bar of the Alhambra saloon than anywhere else. Some are indifferent whether they do their business over the bar of the Alhambra saloon or not.

There are a large number of others (particularly ladies), to whom it is not only an annoyance, but to whom it is particularly offensive and disgusting to transact their business over the bar of the Alhambra saloon, or any other saloon.

The past two years, Sheriff Birdsey's administration has been compelling all classes of people doing business with the sheriff's office to do it with Mr Robert Taylor, his deputy, at the latter's gin-mill in this city.

Sechrist—Flock.

J. R. Sechrist, the popular commercial man representing the San Francisco glove house of Fred H. Busby, and Miss Yetta Flock, one of the handsome young ladies of Yreka, but now of Central Point, were married at Jacksonville this morning by Rev. W. Skipworth. The happy couple took to-day's train for a wedding trip to San Francisco and other points in California. The RECORD wishes them all the joy and happiness in their career together.

Sudden Death of Dr. McCoy.

Dr. J. M. McCoy, of Gold Hill, was found dead in his bed at his office Sunday A. M., at 7 o'clock. He had been laboring under a nervous prostration for several days. On the table was found a phial of chloral anodyne, a teaspoon lying near by bearing traces of the chloral. On the handle of the spoon was found particles of morphia. Dr. W. L. Colvig of Rock Point, was summoned to examine the body. He certified the cause of death was from an overdose of the above preparations. There was no marks of violence to cause anyone to believe it was suicide. The doctor was a man that was highly esteemed. He has a family residing in East Portland to which place his body was shipped on Monday evening's train, for interment.

Picnic.

The Loyal Legion will have a picnic in the grove next Wednesday, June 4. The parents are all invited to come with their children. The ladies will have a strawberry and cream stand, also coffee and sandwiches. Everybody is cordially invited to attend this picnic. Rev. M. C. Aleridge will deliver a short lecture in the grove. Will lecture in the M. E. church in the evening. A cordial invitation to all. SEC. W. C. T. U.

Those fine white blankets at the woolen mills will make a splendid present for your wife. They beat anything yet seen in the state.

Catarrh Cured, health and sweet breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal injector free, at Bolton's

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Kept on hand at T K Bolton's.

The very latest novelties in Vandyke laces and embroidery at Hunsaker's.

Men's working pants from $2.00 up, at Blount's.

Condition and Loss of Sheep.

Capt. W. F. Songer, Jackson county's efficient stock inspector, called on the RECORD Monday, after his month's tour inspecting the sheep of the county. He examined this year, lambs and all, 18,994. Of the old ones examined this year, 10,619 were sound and 3,180 diseased. Last year's report showed 15,428 sound and 9,814 diseased, showing a decrease in the amount of scabby ones. Although last winter was wetter than for many years, and wet winters are scab-breeding, the sheep are uniformly in far better condition than a year ago.

From Inspector Songer's report a correct idea of the loss of sheep in this county can be had. The total number of sheep examined last fall was 25,242. The total old sheep examined this year is 13,799, a death of 12,443, or less than one-half. But this can hardly be called an average loss throughout the county. Up on Rogue river and Butte creek sections the loss was extraordinarily heavy, whole bands being nearly all wiped out, while in the balance of the county the loss was not particularly severe.

The stock-inspecting law is one of the most useful and beneficial ones on the statute books, and in the hands of Inspector Songer and his deputies has materially decreased the diseased sheep in this county every year.

Plenty of Fish.

The high water in Rogue river this month has increased the annual run of salmon over any previous year, making that stream and its tributaries swarm with a robust lot of the finest fish in the world. A number of fords in Rogue river are about impassable with teams in consequence of their large number blocking the passage. This last statement sounds "fishy," but our informant expressed a willingness to make affidavit to the fact, and as he is not a candidate, it must be so.

Liberal Lecture.

Samuel B. Putnam, the free-thought lecturer, will be in Ashland next Sunday and deliver two lectures, the first at 2 p. m. and the second at 7 p. m. These lectures are free, will be at Granite Hall, and everybody is respectfully invited to attend, especially the ladies. Mr. Putnam is a liberal in the true sense of the term, and orthodox Christians can go and listen to him without being abused or insulted.

Afternoon subject—The Religious Conspiracy.

Evening subject—Christianity and Liberalism.

Real Estate Sales.

W. N. Luckey, real estate agent, reports: George Crowson, one acre of brush land south of town, to Edw. Albright. $100.

R. K. Sutton, three lots in railroad addition, on 4th street, to Henry Brockman, $330. Mr. Brockman is from Josephine county, and will start a wood-sawing machine.

BORN.

DEUVAL—In Ashland, May 27, to Mrs. Minnie Deuval, a daughter.

They know how to cure rheumatism in Pennsylvania. J. F. Meighan, a Pittsburgh cigar dealer awoke one morning with an attack of rheumatism in his right arm. Working around the store during the forenoon made it worse. By noon the pain was so severe that he could not raise his hand to his head and had to carry his arm in a sling. One of his customers, on learning the fact went across the street to E. E. Heck's drug store, and at his own expense procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain balm and persuaded the cigar dealer to try it. It eased the pain and reduced the swelling so that by the next morning he could use his arm and by the second morning was entirely well. This is only one of the many severe cases of rheumatism that have been cured by this valuable remedy For sale by Chitwood Bros.

The White is king. Buy a White sewing machine from Jackson & Sowden of Grants Pass. All kinds of sewing machines repaired by J. W. Sowden.

THE NEW STORE.

We wish to announce to the people of Ashland and vicinity that the C. O. D. Emporium is now ready for business in Reeser's Block, Ashland. The articles we carry are too numerous to mention. We aim to keep everything usually found in a variety store, in prices from 1c to 25cts. Soliciting an inspection of our goods at your earliest opportunity, we are,

Most Respectfully,
WILSON & WALSWORTH.

Dressmaking Establishment.

EAST SIDE OF MAIN STREET, (South of Breeden's grocery store.)

FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING and repairing done in a neat and satisfactory manner. Our work and price will suit you. Please give us a call.
HETSCHEL SISTERS.
3-1-tf Ashland, Oregon.

BALDWIN & WIMER
—Will run a HACK to—
SODA SPRINGS
On the Wagner place, 10 miles from Ashland, this summer for the accommodation of the public.
Regular Trips Every Sunday.
Leaving Ashland between 8 and 9 a.m., and leaving the Springs for Ashland at 3 o'clock p. m.
FARE EACH WAY.....50 cents.
THROUGH THE WEEK DAYS the rig—a good thoroughbrace and team—will do a general delivery and job-wagon business. Promptness and satisfaction guaranteed. The public patronage is respectfully solicited.
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TO THOSE
—LOOKING FOR—
City Property.
As I have business which requires my attention elsewhere, I have concluded to place on the market
FOR THE NEXT SIXTY DAYS
—A FEW CHOICE—
RESIDENCE LOTS
Situated on Main St., Alida avenue and the Boulevard, all of which is nicely located and mostly set out to choice fruits. Look at this property and secure
A BARGAIN
Before buying elsewhere, as I will sell at one half its value, and on easy payments.
Enquire of E. E. MINER,
Cor. Main St. and Alida av.

Water Stock to be Sold.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following stock in the West Ashland Ditch Co. No. 2 is delinquent, and will be sold according to by-laws of company in Ashland, Saturday, June 21st, 1890, viz:
Stock No. 18, due $3.85.
Stock No. 8, due $4.35.
The sale to cover all costs.
By order of the directors.
A. B. CHAPMAN,
Ashland, Or., May 22, 1890. Sec'y.

Pioneer :-: Hotel
Oak Street, Near Main.
Re-Opened May 18th, 1890,
—Under the managent of—
Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Springsted, Props
Board and lodging by the meal, day, week or month.
GOOD ROOMS, EXCELLENT MEALS,
A fair trial solicited, and satisfaction guaranteed.
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