VALLEY RECORD.

ASHLAND, OR....THURSDAY, Jan. 24, 1895

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

F. L. Camp's photos advertise his work.

Miss Lena Casey is visiting Eugene relatives.

Miles Cantral was here the first of the week.

A good piano to rent, inquire of C. F. Shepherd.

Sam Clarey the Henley miner, was here this week.

Wagon and fruit trees for sale. See T. W. Bryant.

J. F. Ramsey of Central Point made us a call Tuesday.

For the very best photos go to F. L. Camps, opposite Hotel Oregon. Don't forget the place.

Sheriff Patterson was up from Jacksonville Tuesday.

For the latest styles in hats and caps go to Myer & Gregory's.

Henry Kessler is in town representing the Brown Bros. Nursery.

Friendly, the hide and fur dealer, is in the valley this week on business.

Fine line of furnishing goods and neck wear at low prices at Myer & Gregory's

Dr. J. L. Wood and son, Prof. Clark Wood, leave this week for Texas via Portland.

Rev. Thos. Neil Wilson conducted Episcopal services in Masonic hall Tuesday evening.

Lee Inlow, who has been down for several months with lung troubles, is in a critical condition.

Thos. Huse a special pension agent of Washington is doing Jackson county on an official mission.

A good 2nd hand piano for sale cheap. Address C. F. Shepherd, Ashland or Jacksonville, Or.

Joe. Purdom, ex-sheriff of Douglas county, has been appointed S. P. station agent at Grants Pass.

The Portland Sun printed good likenesses of the members of the legislature and state officials in recent issues.

Rev. Dr. Gwynne, synodical evangelist of the Presbyterian church, is making a tour of southern Oregon.

For a clean shave or neat haircut and bath go to I. E. Debov, who repairs watches and jewelry. Gold Hill.

Ex-Governor Waite, of Colorado, announces his intention of criticising the president in a lecture at Washington.

Hood's Sarsaparilla, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, and in this way positively cures catarrh

Mrs. Brockway the Inspired Poetess will deliver a lecture in the City Hall Tuesday eve Jan 29. Admission free. all come out.

W. M. Colvig and daughter were in Ashland the first of the week the former on business and the latter visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. S. Emery.

Chinese tramps are comparatively unknown and unheard of yet a hobo Chinaman was put off the overland passenger in Lane county last week.

Conductor Lee Hendricks was taken down with catarrhal fever in Ashland a few days ago and took last evening's train for Roseburg, his home.

Frank and Henry Robinson of Talent went to Dunsmuir Monday to visit friends and relatives, after which they go to Phoenix, Arizona, to locate.

To make the hair grow a natural color, prevent baldness, and keep the scalp healthy, Hall's Hair Renewer was invented, and has proved itself successful.

Conductor Al Morris and the worktrain have been hauling train loads of railroad wood from Latham and Divide, near Cottage Grove, Lain county, to Ashland.

It is reported that Gov Pennoyer commuted the sentences of Harvey Martin and Frank Younians from 12 and 15 years, respectively, to 4 and 2 years, respectively.

Gentlemen's washing and mending; flannels, socks, etc, and darning a specialty, by Mrs. Manuel Miller, back of the north school house.

John F. Kelley, a Grants Pass republican of the plutocratic degree, was in town yesterday advocating Dolph's re-election has resigned his position with the S. P. D. & L. Co.

Barrett Scott, defaulting treasurer of Holt county, Neb., was hung by a mob Monday. We'll bet a hat that Holt county won't have another defaulting official for years to come.

The Armour Packing Company has made a test of wheat fed hogs which gives an advantage of 26 per cent to those thus fed, also that the flavor is as good if not better than those fed on corn.

The Odd Fellows were wonderfully surprised after their meeting Saturday evening by their wives, sisters and sweethearts who came on the scene with a lot of grub and had a big time until midnight.

Nils Ahlstrom is expected back from the Bellamy colony in Sonoma county, Cal., as soon as the railroads open. He writes that the colony was as represented and expected and he will undoubtedly join them.

A felon went into the county clerk's office at Astoria and offered to trade nine dozen eggs for a marriage certificate and 20 cents to boot. He was accommodated, and buying his prospective bride some candy, departed for home.

Note the ad. of W. O. Johnson who has reopened his blacksmith shop at the old stand on Water street and is prepared to perform the work of his customers at living prices. Bud is a first-class horseshoer and his work speaks for itself. Call on him.

Thos. Morcom and bride, who were married back east last week are in Portland and will be in Ashland soon and the "mysterious disappearance" of Tommy as reported in the dispatches will be explained by the fair bride to Tom's intimate friends.

Geo. H. Tyler has become possessor of the Wirth Photo Co's gallery in Medford as well as the plant which he owned, in Ashland. Mr. Wirth is badly involved. Miss Cora Baldwin is in charge of the gallery in Ashland and Tyler is running things at Medford.

The Portland Daily Sun will on or about February 15th commence the publication of a weekly issue. It will contain 12 pages and the price per year will be $1 in advance The Sun is emphatically independent in all things, newsy, wide awake and its editorials fairly snap with wit and humor. It employs a large force of workmen, and the Sun should be in the household of every person desiring a metropolitan paper.

Karl's Clover Root, the great Blood purifier gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures Constipation. 25 cts., 50 cts. and $1. Sold by Ashland Drug Co.

The sale of the O. P. railroad to Benner and Hammond of Montana for $100,000 has been confirmed, and they have also bought the Astoria & South Coast concern. This insures the building of a branch from Corvallis to Eugene and extending the road over the Cascades into eastern Oregon. Benner & Hammond have secured a $5,000,000 railroad for $100,000 and have the means to extend it in a season of falling prices very cheaply. They are well acquainted with southern Oregon, and as merchants in Montana paid out thousands of dollars for Ashland peaches. They intend connecting the O. P. with some transcontinental line.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says, "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver or Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cents. Sold by Ashland Drug Co.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, druggist, Catskill, N. Y. says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Ashland Drug Co's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00.

Employment Wanted

In a nursery or orchard near Ashland. Have had about 15 years' experience, and can give referencces if necessary.

Address F. J. B.

VALLEY RECORD office.

GOLD BUGISM ROASTED.

The Ashland Free Coinage Club on the Senatorial Caucus, Corporation Influences and Gold-Bug Plutocracy.

The Ashland branch of the National Bimetalic League which in a rousing meeting two weeks previous had strongly protested, by resolution, against the election of a gold-bug senator to misrepresent Oregon in the U. S. senate was undismayed by the weak and vacilating course of the silver republican legislators who allowed themselves to be roped into a machine caucus that bound them to do a dishonorable act by which their constituency was so thoroughly misrepresented. The League held another public meeting at the city hall Saturday evening. President M. F. Eggleston made a strong, convincing and able speech in behalf of the white metal as a money unit and it was listened to with close and undivided attention. Hon. C. B. Watson, another prominent republican who has held many influential positions from that party including the trust of carrying to Washington as a presidential elector, the vote of Oregon in the Garfield presidential election, made an address and arraigned the ringstering political bosses who unscrupulously defeat the wishes of the people with such unholy instruments as the party caucus. He described the workings of electing a U. S. senator and compared the innocent county members who were led into a political bosses caucus with the story of the band of pigs that through custom took the tail of the pig ahead of him and thus came home following the tail of a blind pig. When the owner found out the advantage of this custom he killed the blind pig and substituted a trickster of a little sorrelder than his class, and the whole fraternity blindly followed the corporation hoss who had his eyes open. Mr. Watson declared the republican party voters were sick of being ridden any further by corporation and Wall street jockeys and believed the 32 anti-Dolph legislators should have stood up and manfully carried on their fight and received the commendation of the party for duty well performed.

Judge Lackey, an old time republican who assisted in the first organization of the grand old party in Oregon, denounced the caucus system as the root of the rottenness in our political affairs and pointed out that in the early history of the republican party one of its principal counts against the slave-holders democracy was their efforts of throttling the freedom of action by the caucus knout.

The following resolution introduced by Hon. C. B. Watson, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved: That we, the members of the Ashland branch, Oregon National Bi-Metalic League, denounce the senatorial caucus system and favor the enactment of such a law as has recently been introduced in the U. S. senate by Senator Mitchell of Oregon, for the election of U. S. senators by the direct vote of the people and we view with disfavor and distrust the growing tendency towards complete surrender by legislatures to moneyed corporations, as has been emphasized by the late republican caucus action at Salem, Oregon, Jan. 16, 1895.

That we reiterate our declaration in favor of the free coinage of silver and gold at the ratio of 16 to 1 irrespective of the action of other nations, and urge all regardless of party affiliations to prepare to push the fight for future legislation along this line.

After further remarks a program committee—J. H. Coallen, W. N. Luckey, C. B. Watson, Robt. Taylor and E. J. Kaiser—was appointed to arrange for the next meeting.

To Bond Us Some More.

A special school meeting for Ashland district for the purpose of bonding the district for $3 100 at 6 per cent per annum, for the purchase of the Normal school property, has been called for Saturday afternoon, Jan. 26th.

Every tax payer in the district should be on hand as this is a matter of importance and it may be that the tax-payer who is not on hand at this meeting will be afterward kicking himself.

Ashland city is now bonded for about $65,000 and any suggestion of further using up our credit should be seriously considered. The plutocrats are running the country and just when falling prices are to end will not be definitely known for a few years. There had better be a public meeting held to arrange to liquidate for what is now bonded

The Depot Grocery

E. F. Loomis has bought the Depot grocery of A. C. Rice and is carrying a stock of first class groceries and provisions which are for sale at living prices from a clean and attractive place. Don't fail to call and see Loomis in his new headquarters.

The R. R. Blockade South.

Since Sunday night there has been no trains between Edgewood and Delta, which county is blockaded with mountains of snow and one big miscellaneous slide. A train may go south tomorrow, though the blocade will not open until Monday.

A local train between Ashland and Portland has been running steadily on time.

Sisson, Cal., Jan 23.—Sunday's southbound passenger train is still imprisoned in the drifts, numerous snowslides blocking the track between Sisson and Dunsmuir. While workmen were cleaning the big slide near Soda Springs, another avalanche came down the mountain. The workmen escaped, but all tools were lost. The second slide is 1500 feet long, averaging 60 feet deep, and is composed of snow, debris and big pine trees. All wires have been down for the last two days, but telegraphic communication was re-established this morning. Numerous slides throughout the day have broken the wires in many places. The imperia. Japanese consul to Port and with his wife is among the snowbound passengers. Indications are that the blockade will continue for four days more, as snow is falling. In the last 96 hours 10 feet of snow fell, making 15 feet of snow now on a level. The fall for the season is 32 feet, which is unprecedented in this country.

Business Properties Sold

The room in I. O. O. F. block now used by Wm Havenel's grocery, was sold by W. G. Holmes to T. K. Bolton for $2500.

Frank Williams has bought the Thornton block lots on main street, the frame buildings on which recently burned down, and contemplates the erection of a two story brick on the site with two store rooms on first floor and rooms on second story suitable for a millinery store and residence.

Mining Items.

The engineer representing the English capitalists whom T. F. Chapman has interested in his extensive Blackwell district placer mining deal is snowed in in California, but is expected soon after the railroad opens up.

A high wind near Hornbrook last week wrecked the buildings just completed over C. B. Gilson & Co's. 10-stamp mill on the big gravel mine, causing a damage of $500.

Two of Them Still In a Battle Which Has Lasted Two Months.

Two months ago a crowd of coal miners near Newport, Pa., took two snapping turtles into a cockpit, and forcing open their jaws poured some whisky down their throats. Then they were turned loose on each other, $800 being wagered on the outcome, but with the understanding that no decision would be made until one of the snappers gave up or was killed. The turtles fought fiercely, each tearing his antagonist's head and neck with his horny beak until one obtained a grip upon the other's flipper.

After a brief but ineffectual struggle to break his antagonist's hold the turtle whose flipper was caught seized the other by the neck. Aside from a steady "weaving" motion there was no further demonstration for several hours. The crowd of miners watched them from early evening until long after midnight, when the two turtles, each retaining his viselike grip on the other, were carried from the pit and placed in the cellar of a deserted house.

This was two months ago, and since neither of the snappers has shown any symptoms of weakening his hold upon the other, and the bets have not yet been decided on.—Chicago Herald.

THE DATE CHANGED.

The Great Fruit Convention at Portland Feb. 6th—The Low Round Trip Rate.

The Oregon Horticultural Society and the Northwestern Fruit Growers Association hold a joint Meeting at Portland Feb. 6th, instead of earlier, as heretofor announced. Many prominent eastern fruit merchants have promised to be present and every fruit grower in this valley will be interested in the proceedings.

The Horticultural society has secured from the Southern Pacific the very low rate of nine dollars for the round trip, providing sixty tickets can be sold between Ashland and Grants Pass. People who wish to go must deposit the money in the Bank of Ashland, Jackson County bank, Medford, First National of Grants Pass, or with Beekman & Reames, Jacksonville, on or before Feb 2nd. I expect to do so at that time, the tickets will be issued and a special coach will be provided here on the evening of Feb. 5th. Holders of tickets may board the train at any point between here and Grants Pass on the 5th and will have about four days in Portland.

People who are not interested in the fruit question can go to Salem or other Northern Oregon points and return with the excursion, all at less cost than the regular single fare to Portland. Mayor Casey will have general charge of the matter and will gladly furnish information.

Dr. Jay Guy Lewis, of Sparta, Union county, was on Friday's train from the Pomological society meeting at Sacramento where he went to invite the members to visit Oregon. On account of better railroad rates through southern California they will not come as a body though a great many are coming to see Oregon on their own hook. Dr. Lewis was superintendent of the Oregon exhibits at the world's fair and to his skillful management is due the brilliant record made for this state by the exhibits from Oregon. While other states were "blowing in" all their appropriations and hypothecating their exhibits for more "stuff" on chimpanzee supposititious lions with the Duke of Veragua and other equally worthless and useless bums the state of Oregon had no use for, Dr. Lewis was quietly but constantly at work among the plain, frugal, thrifty, honest and industrious that are wanted. Besides disseminating and creating a wide and beneficial interest in Oregon, Dr. Lewis's management saved a third of his appropriation and captured more prizes than all the other coast states. The S. F. Examiner contained a full sized cut from a sketch by Davenport of Dr. Lewis addressing the Pomological society.

Medford Items.

Mrs. P. W. Olwell of Central Point goes to San Diego this week for her health.

Chas. Neustram and Maggie Nusbaum of Lake creek were to be married this week.

C. M. Talbott has been appointed agent for the State Insurance Co.

Postmaster Howard of this city is in Ashland again rejuvenating himself with the medicinal Sulphur springs in the Granite city.

W. L. Badley and Miss Effie Laws daughter of Henry Laws were married near Woodville on the 17th inst. The grandparents of the bride acted as bridesmaid and best man.

The survey for the proposed extension of the Rogue River Valley railway from near Jacksonville to Sams valley via Central Point is completed and Engineer Coulter is now figuring on the estimated cost of construction, etc.

Misses Kate Hansen and Fannie Ralph, two Ashland belles, returned home Monday from a visit with Miss Ida Naylor and Mrs. Lippincott, respectively.

L. D. Ward and Miss Maggie Manning, both of Klamath county, were married on the 20th at the residence of Miss Kate Lemberger in Jacksonville.

Brooks, lying in the county Jail at Jacksonville until April term of court for maliciously destroying Engineer McFarlay's house near Talent, attracts lots of attention by his mouth. He has a strong voice and sings all classes of religious hymns with a great deal of lyrical cadence and noise. He declares that he will not remain in jail until April and is allowed an extra feed in jail as he is such a cranky lunatic as not to have any more sense than leave the jail these hard times and in this weather.

"Am I Married or Not?"

asked Mr. A., despondently. "I declare, my wife is so nervous and irritable that I don't stay in the house a moment longer than I can help. My home isn't what it used to be." "Mrs. A. is suffering from some functional derangement, I presume," said R. "Yes, she has been an invalid for years." "Exactly. Her experience is that of my wife, but she was cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Get this remedy for Mrs. A., and the happiness of your home will soon be restored." Mr. R. was right. For prolapsus, painful periods, irregularities—in short, all "complaints" peculiar to the female sex—the "Favorite Prescription" is a sovereign specific

Rupture, or Hernia, permanently cured, or no pay. For Pamphlet and references address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo N. Y.

MARRIED.

WHITED—COLTON—In Ashland, Jan 23, 1895, at residence of W. R. Colton, by Rev. F. G. Strange, H. L. Whited and Miss Bertha Ooiton

The young couple took last evening's train for Portland on a wedding trip.

BORN.

WALTERS—In Ashland Jan. 20, 1895, to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walters, a daughter.

HOTEL OREGON

F. T. Fradenburgh, Prop.

THURSDAY—
Dell S Lassier Port
C A Hermann, Or Cy
Jay Gould, Port
C F Shepherd, City
W N Luckey, do.
E P Tynan, Gr Pass
R P Williams, Rsbg
J J Sullivan, S F
F W Johnson, do.

FRIDAY—
C F Shepherd, Jville
A Walsh, Roseburg
F W Gibbs, Medford
F F Plowden, Port
Chas Whitmer, do
Ed Tynan, Glendale
F S Rogers, S F
J Quirk, Steinman
J F Welch, K Bluff
J H Pinkston, Duns
F L Southwick, Mayfield
E C Murray, S F

SATURDAY—
C F Young, G Hill
F A Davis, do.
W N Luckey City
E O Parrott, R Bluff
W I Vawter, Med
Geo Reeser, do.
Mrs A Punkett, Pokegama
J C Tolman, Tolman's Springs
J H Boyd, S F
A S Ward, Oakland

SUNDAY—
Jas C Murray, Port
A Christensen, do.
O C Riches, do.
R P Williams, Rsbg
R Donahue, Port
Geo P Walliban, do.
L D Henderson & wf Port and
G H Broughton, N Y
W A Hemphill, S F
Jas Myers, Gridley, C
Tom R Wilson, S F
J E Lockwood, Memphis
A Walsh, Riddle
J M Hansbrough, Fargo
" Morris, Roseburg
F Peebler, do.

MONDAY—
W M Welch, Port
G A Piper, do.
W N Luckey, City
H Hilgard, Balto
Lew A Davis, Oak
S W Clarey, Henley
G H Neilston, Birmingham
E Rhinelander, Spokane
Chas McReynolds, Wardner
H Hieronymus, Denver

TUESDAY—
H H Howard, Port
H G Blackwell, Detrt

WEDNESDAY—
Wm Ulrich, Med
C A Hermann, Ore C
J M Hansbrough, Roseburg
W F Knapp, Chicago
Emil Engeth, S Car
J F Kelly, Gr Pass
A J Barlow, G Hill
R P Tynan, Glendale
R Williams, do.
W N Luckey, City
Wm Lucas, do.
I C Quigley, S F
Chas Whitmer, do.
N C Wood, City
J L Wood, do
W I Bennett, Med
E E Thompson, do
C O Major, Port
W H Meeker, do

Use it in Time.

Catarrh starts in the nasal passages, affecting eyes, ears and throat, and is in fact, the great enemy of the mucous membrane. Neglected colds in the head almost invariably precede catarrh, causing an excessive flow of mucus, and if the mucus discharge becomes interrupted the disagreeable results of catarrh will follow, such as bad breath, severe pain across forehead and about the eyes, a roaring and buzzing sound in the ears and oftentimes a very offensive discharge. Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for these troubles.

Don't forget the "Oregon Kids" minstrel company, about Feb. 1st.

DOLPH FAILS AGAIN TO-DAY.

Judge Howell's Mission Untolded—Other Items from the Capital.

The populist caucus on the senatorship demonstrated that the saying that "a prophet is not without honor, save in his own country," for the Coos and Curry sophists wanted Pierce of Umatilla, the eastern Oregon men wanted Wakefield of Jackson and the Jackson county delegation wanted Judge Hare of Washington.

The first ballott for senator in the separate houses Tuesday was largely attended and an anti-Dolph sensation was launched. The galleries were wild with excitement when the anti-Dolph republicans ignored the caucus and presented the name of Supreme Judge Frank A. Moore and Burleigh, in the best speech of the session presented Hon. W. B. Hare of Hillsboro on behalf of the populist party. Holt presented Hare in the senate. Jeffrey will present Hare to the joint convention. The vote in the house stood: Dolph 29, Moore anti-Dolph republican, 22, Hare, populist 7, absent 1. There are no Democrats in house. In the senate Dolph received 19, Bennett, dem., 8 and Hare 3. Great excitement prevailed. In the evening bands were playing a rally of Judge Moore's supporters was inaugurated at which stirring speeches were made and Moore was eulogized as "the people's choice." Everybody went wild.

In the joint convention yesterday Dolph fell down lacking two votes of an election, losing four from vote of previous day. The vote stood, Dolph 44, Moore 17, Hermann 1, Lord 5, Williams 1, and Hare and Bennett 10 and 8 respectively. Great anti-Dolph excitement and demonstration with predictions of Dolph's defeat.

This afternoon's vote stood:

Dolph 44, Moore 19, Lord 2, Moody 1, Williams 1, Hare 10, Bennett 8.

Representative Dunn voted for Gov Lord for senator. He explained his vote by saying the people of Jackson county were overwhelmingly opposed to Dolph and he voted their sentiments and was favorable to any other republican. His remarks were loudly cheered by the house and gallery.

Representative Dunn is not a free silver coinage man but knows that the people of Jackson county don't want Senator Dolph. The gold-bug wing of the party have been telegraphing, writing and urging him to stand by Dolph while the Bimetalists are much pleased with his position and yesterday afternoon wired him:

Hon. Geo. W. Dunn;—Republican members of Bi-metalic League have observed your votes in senatorial caucus with great gratification as opposed to a compromising gold standard. The League directs me to extend cordial greeting with promises of hearty support and commend your patriotic attitude. M. F. EGGLESTON Pres.

The local gold-bug ring were very much discomfitted over his vote yesterday and declared him a mugwump and that he is paying too much serious attention to the speeches of the populist orators in the house who seem to have connected Farmer Dunn's business affairs with his politics and that he has been hoodooed into populist belief that the cause of falling prices of farm products was through the national bank and gold-bug contraction.

Dolph's supporters threaten the recalcitrant republicans with Joe Simon for senator.

His dignity, Judge Howell, who left Ashland for the seat of war before the scene of battle, was presumed to be afflicted with a parkering after a senatorial toga to be placed upon his shoulders and over his entire body except his magnificent bald head and whiskers. He was anti-gold bug, anti-Dolph, anti-boss and like the Irishman just from Ireland his politics was terminat everything when he left home. Upon his arrival at Salem he assumed a silence as sombre as it was deep and mysterious. But when it began being rumored around that the Judge was only fooling and was merely fishing for a female clerkship the ponderous dignity and silence was broken and Judge T. J. Howell's campaign was begun. He is after the position of state fish and game warden.

G. F. Merriman of Medford is driving sledge-hammer blows in behalf of his application for warden of the penitentiary. He is being chaperoned by Jim Whiteside, who is acting as his trainer, bottle holder and backer. Whiteside is in the meantime palling for one of those "female clerkships," though some of his friends are jealously telling him he is not properly built.

Jeffrey introduced a resolution for a committee to investigate reform school, getting in ahead of the machine republican who was to introduce it. Speakers Moores will either have to appoint Jeffrey chairman or set aside a time honored precedent. This move created a deal of a stir and a surprise out at the reform, as according to the ring's arrangements the investigations of state institutions are to be conducted with a white wash brush. Jeffrey has a bill ready embodying Gov. Lords suggestions as to reform of state institutions. Therefore the administration will either be compelled to expose themselves or have a populist shoved down the necks of the heelers.

In the house Dunn is chairman of the committee on mining and a member of agriculture com. Newson is on alcoholic traffic and manufactures committees. Jeffrey is on Education and chairman of com. on rules and joint rules. Connis on assessment and taxation, irrigation, and education. Smith of Josephine is on Judiciary, and chairman of railways and transportation. This ensures Dunn, Jeffrey, and Smith with female clerkships, about two apiece.

The report that the S. P. had not issued passes to the members of the legislature was an error. Passes were issued to all of them up to April 1st. Representative Dunn, rep., says he is using his and will accept all such favors that he could get his hands on. Representative Conn of Klamath and Lake and Representative Smith of Josephine, two other republican members received their passes with open arms. It is said the populist legislators from southern Oregon will not use their passes though they are much less able to spare the amount of the railroad fare. The legislature should either make this pass business to public officials either a crime or compulsory by the railroad companies. Sensitive persons will refuse it, others are glad to get them. One half of the people say you are a knave if you accept and the other half declare that you are a fool if you don't accept. The question should be settled.

Some people who should be in bigger business have a mania for going to the legislature and begging for a job. They seem to prize a little money thus obtained from the state far more than a larger amount honestly earned. One man who has this disease came over to Salem all the way from British Columbia, where he is in business. He wanted to get within sound of the machine, and put his paw under one of the little spouts.

D. W. Coolidge failed for the 1st assistant chief clerk of senate and is working for a minor clerkship.

Mrs. C. W. Ayers has captured an important clerkship at $5 per day.

There is an impression about the state that Senator Cogswell, a gold-bug democrat, can be induced to vote for Dolph if needed

D. B. Worthington, editor of the Klamath Falls Express, has joined the lobby. His wants have not been made public as yet.

Gen. John F. Miller was extended the courtesies of the senate this week.

Holt has introduced a bill concerning the appointment of Judges and clerks of elections.

Jeffrey has a bill to create the office of state assessor, wine out the present board of equalization and create a new one.

Senator S. H. Holt is a member of the committee on engrossed bills. This committee needs a large list of useful clerks during a session.

The populist central committee of Linn county met at Lebanon last week and resolved to organize populist clubs throughout the county, and to establish a free circulating library of "reform" literature and populist papers at some central point in the county.

You cannot serve two masters, said the man of Nazareth, and this is just as true today as it was two thousand years ago. A man cannot be in favor of the silver cause, the corporations and the people, at the same time.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says, "Shiloh's Vitalizer SAVED MY LIFE." I consider it the best remedy for a debilitate system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver or Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cts.

Tom Marcom's Mother-in-Law.

[St. Croix, Minn., Republican.]

The St. Paul Pioneer Press, on Tuesday morning gave its first column and a quarter space to a little episode in which New Richmond remotely figured, and which might have been more briefly told. Tom. Marcom, a wealthy gentleman from Ashland, Oregon, (where The REPUBLICAN has a good circulation and where W. J. Virgin and W. E. Jacobs now live,) years ago met and fell in love with Miss Mary Eugenie Giddings, of Glenwood, Minnesota, who reciprocated, and while her father was willing to have them marry, her mother kicked. Only a week ago, the marriage was consented to and guests were invited, but the mother at the last hour recanted, withdrew her consent and entered a strong protest. Mr. Morcom took the first train for St. Paul, feigned sickness, telegraphed to Miss Giddings to come to St. Paul. She post-hasted to the saintly city, but was accompanied by her parents. Her presence cured him. But how to get rid of old folks? He could not get a license there because he did not reside in Ramsey county. The city passenger agent of the Northern Pacific was on to the situation, and by hook and crook, got the parties except the bridegroom, away from the Merchants hotel, hustled them over to New Richmond on the 12:15 Central train, where it meets the westbound passenger train and where the dining car is transferred to the westbound train. Meanwhile Agent Cummer, of this city, was wired to have a proper person at the depot to perform the ceremony. Judge E. D. Odell was elected, who boarded the train while the happy and expectant parties were comfortably seated in the dining car which much was speedily hooked on to the westbound train and were off toward the setting sun. Mr. P. L. Higgins, of this city, was a passenger and well acquainted with M. Giddings and after a cordial greeting the business of the hour was made known. The party assembled in a compartment of a sleeping car where the marriage ceremony was performed by Judge E. D. Odell between this city and Somerst, with Mr. Chas. Giddings and P. L. Higgins as witness. Then the car was voted down by the majority on their arrival to St. Paul, and at 4:15 the happy couple were speeding towards the Pacific.

Fine Place to Rent.

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BUTTE CREEK NEWS.

I. N. Thomas is here visiting his son Charles.

Henry Booth of Salem was at the Pioneer hotel last week.

Lin Clemens was the guest of the Rader family last week.

Cass Higenbotham was transacting business here last week.

D. P. Mathews is feeding a large lot of cattle at the home place.

Last Saturday we had a shooting match for turkeys and horse racing.

Geo. and John Daley have gone to Applegate to look after mining interests.

Mr. Hunt, of Ashland, one of our leading stock men was here looking after his stock interests.

Mr. Elsa Dahack and wife passed through our town on their way from British Columbia to visit his parents.

Married at the residence of the brides parents, on Rogue river, by Rev. A. C. Howlett, Jan. 18, 1895, Mr. Henry Ireland and Miss Olive E. Waldon.

Adelbert Apger and his sister Mariah got quite badly hurt last week while trying to put on a back log in the fire place. Fears were entertained that Adelbert would have the lock-jaw.

We had two very interesting social gatherings here last week, one at the Eagle hotel and the other at J. J. Fryer's. The latter was a complete surprise party. There were 32 of the neighbors came in and spent the evening very pleasantly.

Settle Up.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to Mrs. L. A. Millsap, milliner, should settle up immediately as the accounts will be placed in the hands of a collector Feb. 1st for forced collection.

THE WILD HORSES OF NEVADA.

They Are a Nuisance to the Ranchers and Are Being Shot Wherever Found.

R. L. Fulton of Reno, for a number of years agent of the land department of the Central Pacific railroad, is at the California and tells a strange story of the myriads of wild horses now roaming over Nevada and of the steps that have been taken to get rid of them.

"There are now in Nevada more than 200,000 head of these horses," said Mr. Fulton, "and they are increasing so fast that they are getting to be a great nuisance. Cattle and sheep owners are killing them wherever they can.

"The last legislature passed a law permitting any one to shoot any stallions that were found running wild, and the ranchers have in consequence been killing them off wherever they could. They do this as well to get rid of them as to keep the wild horses from increasing.

"The trouble is they are eating off the grass so that sheep and cattle owners are having a tough time of it in certain sections. More than this, the stallions are in many cases leading off the domestic horses from the ranches. So the ranchers have it in for them and are making it very lively. Many is the stallion they have killed, and some of them are very fine too.

"And what do you suppose they do with them afterward? Why, they turn them over to the swine to eat. They figure that in this way each stallion is worth about $2, which is the top notch figure that can be realized from them. Horses are very cheap now the world over, but probably not since the settlement of America have horses been so cheap as they are in Nevada.

"Most of the wild horses are in the neighborhood of Elko and Iron Point. A few years ago there was turned loose from the Evans ranch, near Iron Point, a fine thoroughbred stallion. He joined the neighboring bands of wild horses and could not be got back again.

"The result has been that the quality of the herds was greatly improved. He left many colts that were much superior to the old stock. The various bands have increased much since then. While many of the horses would not be called first class, others are very fine, and all are as tough as pine knots and as fleet as there is any use in having horses."—San Francisco Examiner.

Remember I am at the front again this year with a complete stock of fruit, shade and ornamental trees that are larger and thriftier than ever before, and my prices are still lower than last year.

G. W. PENNEBAKER.

Trees kept on exhibition at my office on West Main street, corner of First Avenue, Ashland, Or. Correspondence solicited. Special prices quoted on quantities at request. Now is the time to plant, too. G. W. PENNEBAKER.

Gullible Americans.

In spite of the recent conviction of Jacques and Thomas for conspiracy in obtaining money from credulous Americans by means of the unclaimed estate lodge, the game is being tried again, this time in connection with the so called Hyde estate. An agent recently came from America to prosecute the pretended claim. An official of the English high court of justice has notified the United States embassy that there is not the slightest basis for this claim.—London Dispatch.

Go to Tyler's Gallery and take your choice of Miss Emma Tolman's oil sketches, the "Chautauqua Building," "Ashland Creek" or "Stankeen River," for one dollar; and ask for information concerning the large Alaska view to be given away on March 1st, 1895.

New Shop Opened.

Emil Peil, the well known blacksmith, has concluded to remain in Ashland, and has opened a new shop near the central part of town, in Judge Howell's block on Hargadine Avenue, just across main street south of Oregon hotel corner. All work done in the best manner at lowest prices.

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Does Irrigation Pay?

In discussing the question as to whether irrigation pays, Secretary Coburn of the Kansas irrigation commission said: The average value of products on irrigated lands ranged from $8.25 per acre in Wyoming to $19 per acre in California, making a general average throughout of $14.89. They also produced statistics to show that the average first cost of bringing water to the lands was $8.15 per acre, the value of the water rights thereafter becoming $26 per acre; that the annual expenditure for maintenance varied from 10 cents to over $5 per acre, with an average of $1.07; that the first cost of the systems was about $30,000,000, with an estimated value of $100,000,000, and that the value of the irrigated lands had increased from $80,000,000 to $300,000,000.

An Ancient Egyptian Deed.

In modern deeds it is not usual to describe the personal appearance of seller and purchaser. But in Egypt, in Cleopatra's time, B. C. 107, a conveyance describes both minutely. Thus: "There was sold by Pamonthes, aged about 45, of middle size, dark complexion and handsome figure, bald, round face and straight nosed, and by Semmuthes, aged about 22, of middle size, sallow complexion, round faced, flat nosed and of quiet demeanor, children of," etc. Then the situation of ground is described: "It was bought by Nechutes the Less, the son of Asos, aged about 40, of middle size, sallow complexion, cheerful countenance, long face, straight nose, with a scar upon the middle of his forehead, for 601 pieces of brass," etc.

An Unappreciative Valet.

It is doubtless difficult for a conscientious valet to determine where perquisites end and theft begins, but the valet of Professor Lenbach, the famous Austrian portrait painter, seems to have been more conscientious than most valets. He loved order, and no place is so difficult to keep in order as an artist's studio. So he invariably cleared away all the sketches which he found messing about the place and sold them cheap to picture dealers or bartered them for tobacco. Professor Lenbach, having the untidy instincts of the painter, no sooner discovered this than he raised objections. The valet explained that he regarded his master's sketches as worthless. The explanation does not appear to have mollified the professor, for he is prosecuting his valet.—Pall Mall Budget.

When on a visit to Iowa, Mr. K. Dalton, of Luray, Russell county, Kansas, called at the laboratory of Chamberlain & Co., Des Moines, to show them his six year old boy, whose life had been saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it having cured him of a very severe attack of croup. Mr. Dalton is certain that it saved his boy's life and is enthusiastic in his praise of the Remedy. For sale by Ashland Drug Company.

Professor Remy advises feeding wheat to hogs in the straw, scattering it over the ground. He claims that the results would be just as good as if feeding the wheat thrashed.

The irrigation movement is accumulating a tremendous impetus, which is visible not alone in the west, but throughout the country. The work of organization and agitation, through national, interstate, state and county associations, will go forward with renewed energy from now until the next great international congress assembles at Albuquerque, N. M., in the autumn of 1895.

Northwestern flaxseed from the 1894 crop is turning out much poorer in quality than promised earlier in the season. This trying crop has long since been banished from the soil of Ohio and adjoining states and pushed to the new countries.

Alfalfa is having a tremendous boom in the central west, and especially in Kansas and Nebraska.

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