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Meet in Masonic Hall, on the 1st and 3rd
Saturdays of each month. Visiting Com-
manders cordially welcome.

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BURNSIDE RELIEF CORPS NO. 24.

Meet in Masonic hall at 2 o'clock p. m.
the first and third Fridays of each month.

MASONIC.
GRANITE LODGE, NO. 23, Knights of
Pythias, Ashland, Oregon, meets every
Friday evening. Visiting Knights in good
standing are cordially invited to attend.

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A New Paper for Klamath.
W. E. Bowdoin went to Portland Sun-
day to purchase newspaper plants. He
will soon start the Klamath Republican
at Klamath Falls. Capt. O. C. Applegate
will be its editor and the paper
starts out with good financial backing.

Leg Amputated.
E. V. Mills went to San Francisco Fri-
day accompanied by Grant Cray. Mr.
Mills has been undergoing operations
for the relief of a bad leg, and on Sunday
his leg was amputated just below the
hip joint by Dr. Lane at the Lane hospi-
tal in that city.

Josephine County Politics.
The Josephine county democratic con-
vention last Saturday
elected W. F. Krenner, A. R. Yantiss, J.
W. Howard and J. O. Booth delegates to
state convention. The convention then
adjourned to April 17 when the people's
party convention meets. A large
element of the republican party will also
meet in conference at the same time, all
with a view of placing in the field a
county ticket to defeat the Grants Pass
banking gang nominated by the republi-
can convention. Two years
ago the republicans and democrats
carried the county by a partial fusion
and deal. The people are apparently
sick of it.

The Time for Building.
Up the system is at this season. The cold
weather has made unusual drains upon the
vital forces. The blood has become im-
purified and impure, and all the func-
tions of the body suffer in consequence.
Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great builder,
because it is the One True Blood Purifier
and nerve tonic.

Hood's Pills become the favorite cathar-
tic to all who use them. All druggists
sell.

List of Letters
Remaining unclaimed for in the Ashland
P. O., April 8, 1896:

Dahlberg, A. W. Mack Donald, Mike
Gibson, Lew Swift, H. V.
Williams, Fred Wagonblast, B. F.
Persons calling for same will please
advertise." W. H. Bruzek, P. M.

BORN.
WOLGAMOTT—In Talent precinct, March
31, 1896, to Mr. and Mrs. John Wolgamm,
a daughter.

BRIGGS—In Ashland, March 27, 1896, to
Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Briggs, a son.

WHITE—In Dunsuir, March 28, 1896, to
Mr. and Mrs. W. White, a son.

GREEN—At Medford, April 1, 1896, to the
wife of A. F. Green, a son.

SCOTT—At Woodville, March 27, 1896, to
the wife of M. C. Scott, a son.

March Weather Summary.
Following is a summary of weather ob-
servations at Ashland during month of
March, as reported by F. H. Carter, local
observer. Visiting Knights in good
standing are cordially invited to attend.

MASONIC.
SHEKTOV CHAPTER, NO. 21, E. A. M.
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next after the full moon.

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PRESSED BRICKS.

Dr. Barr, Dentist I. O. O. F. Block.
Miss Mollie Barnhart of Medford visited
Ashland friends this week.

Geo. Deal and wife of Langell valley are
visiting relatives at Henley.

Hot and cold baths at Storey's barber-
shop. Opposite town hall at Roseburg.

The Josephine People's party county
convention meets at Grants Pass, April
18th.

Big stock of 25 and 50c paper Novels re-
ceived at 10 and 15c at D. L. Minkler &
Sons.

Taylor & Walls have leased the Lucky
Bart mine on Sardine creek and will oper-
ate it.

Mrs. J. C. Bewick, who is engaged in a
millinery store at Medford, spent Sunday
at Ashland.

Here is a Silver Lake item: Prof. J. R.
McDonnack and Mr. M. Egli killed 250
ducks, 70 geese and 6 swan today.

Followed by a heavy rain which fell upon
an eight day run of their art. The Josephine
county and expect to put up a mill this
summer.

The Klamath county democrats elected
V. A. Dunlap, Geo. W. Smith and John F.
Miller delegates to state convention. They
adopted a free coinage of silver resolution.

Conrad Minges vs H. L. Oliver; same.
Chas. Nickell vs R. Moral; same.

Register of the Lakeview Land Office
W. A. Wislizenus, accompanied by his wife,
passed through Ashland Sunday for Port-
land where Wislizenus has a full of profits
for the democratic state convention.

Lake county's full delegation to the state
and congressional conventions—A. Sailer,
E. M. Bratton and A. C. Auden were on
Sunday's northbound train. Representa-
tive Virgil Gons went with them. He as-
pires to the joint senatorship.

With Simon the leader of one faction
and Sol Hirsch the other, James Gold-
smith bossing the democratic ranch and
another Jew named Clarno, leading the
socialists, the children of Isaac Hirsch
sided in it in controlling the politics of Port-
land.

Jones and Miller, the cattle buyers, have
purchased 30 head of best cattle in Klamath
valley, besides 100 head in this valley.
F. S. Miller passed through Lakeview
Sunday on his way to Brantford, Ore. He
with which he drove the cattle—Lakeview
Examiner.

The Lake county democrats have put
out the following ticket: Commissioner,
P. M. Green; sheriff, F. P. Lane; clerk, I.
W. Vernon; school superintendent, Mrs.
C. A. Knox; treasurer, A. H. Oliver; as-
sessor, F. B. Houston; coroner, J. W.
Howard; surveyor, John O'Farrell.

Dr. For first-class dental work see Dr. A.
Hinman, Masonic block.

Sheiff Patterson attached the real estate
of E. G. Sabstrom of Medford on a judg-
ment secured against him in the case of
Washington and by the widow of S. D.
Garrison for \$8000 damages for the death
of Garrison's son, Scholastic, who was
killed at Seattle. W. I. Vawter was appointed
administrator of the Garrison estate and
sues for the money.

Capt. O. C. Applegate and S. S. Nickerson
arrived Sunday and Judge C. S. Moore
and Rufus Moore went through Monday
for Albany and Portland republican con-
ventions as delegates. Klamath will push
dunlap for joint state senator.

Mrs. C. H. Pierce, formerly from Jack-
sonville, Or., who has been a resident
of Buffalo, N. Y., for nearly a year, has
been warned by physicians that she must
leave the rigorous eastern climate at once
on account of the weak condition of her
lungs. Mr. Pierce expects to spend the
month for New Mexico and Arizona in
search of a new business location in a
suitable climate—Klamath Falls.

Boys' and men's overcoats below cost at
J. R. Baltimore's.

Klamath county is having a small land
boom. The law which went into effect
last Monday, and which provides for set-
tlement by homestead, of the Fort Klamath
has reserve, caused a lively move-
ment of squatters to that locality, and
there is much life around Fort Klamath
again. The reserve contains about
10,000 acres of fine hay land, nearly all
of which has been sold, with the
short space of three days. The for-
tress of one mile square, is withheld
from settlement. Settlers are limited to
80 acres, and the manner of settlement
is on the hay lands of that locality
speaks the rush which will be made
when the Klamath Indian reservation
is thrown open for settlement.

PEOPLE'S PARTY CONVENTION.
A People's Party county convention
for Jackson county is hereby called to
meet at Medford, Friday and Saturday,
April 17 and 18, 1896, convention to con-
vene at 1 o'clock p. m., April 17, 1896,
for the purpose of nominating a county
ticket, viz., three representatives, clerk,
recorder, treasurer, sheriff, assessor,
school superintendent, surveyor and
coroner.

The Populists of each precinct are re-
quested to meet at the various meet-
ing places on

Saturday, April 11th, at 2 o'clock p. m.,
in accordance with the following ap-
pointment, and also elect one alternate
for each delegate.

Applegate 2 Meadows 2
N. Ashland 10 Medford 10
W. Ashland 10 Mount Pitt 9
W. 10 Pleasant Creek 6
Big Butte 2 Pleasant Creek 6
Central Point 2 Rock Point 2
Chimney Rock 5 Steamboat 3
Eagle Point 9 Sterling 1
Eden 2 Table Rock 3
Edwards 2 Talent 3
Fours Creek 2 Trail Creek 3
Gold Hill 3 Uniontown 3
N. Jacksonville 3 Willow Springs 4
Lent Creek 4 Woodville 5
Total 160

This gives one delegate at large and
One delegate to each ten votes cast for
N. Pierce for governor in 1894.

Each club is requested to elect their
precinct committee in accordance with
the purpose of selecting by ballot an
alternate.

1. The plan of organization shall be
that of the party club.

2. One or more clubs shall be organ-
ized in each precinct or ward.

3. When a precinct or ward is organ-
ized the members of all the clubs in the
precinct or ward if there be more than
one shall meet in general convention at
a place and on a date specified by the
county chairman or appointed organizer,
for the purpose of selecting by ballot a
precinct or ward nominating and four
(4) others who, with the committee
as chairmen shall constitute a precinct,
or ward committee of five (5).

4. The precinct or ward commit-
tee so selected shall be by virtue of his
office as precinct or ward committee,
a member of the county central com-
mittee. FRANK WILLIAMS,
Chairman P. P. Co. Central Com.
A. M. FORD, Secretary.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Joseph Boland to M. Graham—the Pot-
tich mining claim in tp 38 s, r 1 e, s 1.
P. Parker to Mark Boker—lot 7, blk 7,
Gold Hill; \$250.

D. H. Hawkins to W. B. Kincaid—15 acres
in tp 38 s, r 1 w, s 14 n.

Edward Brace to E. C. Carter—land in
Galway addition to Medford; \$100.

James N. Dennis to C. B. Nimmer—65
acres in tp 39 s, r 1 e, s 1.

E. E. Nimmer to E. I. Churchman—same;
\$1.

W. W. Walters to J. S. Rogers—lots 22, 23
and 24 and blocks 25 and 26, Woolen's ad-
dition to Ashland; \$1250.

J. Rogers to Mrs. Lizzie Norris—same;
\$1000.

A. V. Hurt to Ella J. Cole—lots 11 and 12
blk 56, Medford; \$1100.

W. W. Woolf to Anna L. Overbeck—land
in Jackson county; \$1.

Thos. F. Fish to Augustus Moore—14.60
acres in tp 38 s, r 1 w, s 14 n.

Chas. Sharp to S. W. Westcott—100 acres in
tp 35 s, r 1 e, s 10.

John P. Dodge to Ira C. Dodge—1/2 acre in
tp 30 s, r 1 e, s 31.

J. D. Whitman to O. C. R. Co.—right of
way for fence in tp 31 s, r 1 w, s 14 n.

MINING LOCATIONS.
C. W. Mullen on February 9th located a
placer claim of 20 acres in Gravel creek
district.

C. W. Mullen on February 9th located
1500 inches of water, to be taken out of
Albright creek.

Thos Winslow on March 15th located a
quartz claim in Applegate district.

Wm. W. Woolf on March 15th located a
quartz claim in Gull's creek district.

James McLaren on March 15th located a
placer claim in Big Applegate district.

Geo. Tetherow on March 15th located a
placer claim of 20 acres in Big Applegate
district.

Geo. McLaren on March 15th located a
placer claim of 20 acres in Big Applegate
district.

W. H. White on January 8th located a
quartz claim in their own lands with a
pocket machine while the machine was
in process of delimitation, "the time
will seem to pass very quickly," as Te-
la says. It is always known beforehand
when any pet bore in the United States
senate is to orate, and it will be easy
enough for the presiding officer and
those whom decorum forbids to remain
to sily apply the Roentgen rays. Nay,
the Roentgen ray machine may even be
taken to church.

Health, Work and Wages.
George B. Waldron has compiled for
The Arena some figures showing the dis-
tribution of wealth production and con-
sumption among the families of the
United States. The figures are from the
census of 1890.

It appears from the list that over
4,000,000 families, nearly one-third of
the whole population, must live on in-
comes of less than \$400 a year, though
it does not seem possible. Going one
step higher in the income list, more
than half the families of the United
States, 53.26 per cent, live on less than
\$600 a year. Two-thirds of the Ameri-
can families exist on incomes below
\$800 a year, while nineteen-twentieths
of all the families, 95.06 per cent, have
annual incomes of less than \$5,000.

There remain, therefore, less than 5
per cent of the families of the United
States with incomes above \$3,000. The
favored 4.04 per cent remaining include
the millionaires, among whom there are
of the country 4,047. Not one of these has
an income of less than \$60,000 a year.

The incomes of many of them reach mil-
lions of dollars a year each, while more
than half the families of this enlighten-
ed country must struggle on and pay
schooling and doctors' bills on less than
\$600 a year each. That is to say, mak-
ing the calculation another way, nine-
teen-twentieths of the families of this
nation get only twice as much money
per year as the other twentieth.

The Best Cough Cure.
is Shiloh's Cure. A neglected cough is
dangerous. Stop it at once with Shiloh's
Cure. For sale by E. A. Sherwin.

A St. Patrick's Day Banquet.
One hundred and twenty-five years
ago, before American independence was
declared, before the battle of Bunker
Hill, before the Boston tea party in 1778,
a club organization was formed by some
Irishmen in Philadelphia. They called it
the Hibernian club. They loved the
old country, and they hoped devoutly it
would secure its independence.

The organization was perpetuated. Its
members lived to help fight for the
freedom of the American colonies, lived
again to see the brush between the Uni-
ted States and England in 1812. Other
members took their places and handed
down the good old club. Still other
members helped to fight the war of the
Union in 1861 and succeeding years,
and those who returned entered again
the familiar doors of the old Hibernian
club, which has continued its honorable,
pleasant existence to this day. Every
year, on St. Patrick's day, from 1771
till 1896, the Hibernian club has held a
banquet in honor of the saint and of old
Ireland.

The old club has seen the population of
this country grow from 2,000,000 to
70,000,000. It has seen the sons of Ire-
land and their sons in turn rising to
hold every office of honor and dignity
in this government, becoming million-
aires, famous lawyers and orators, great
newspaper editors, statesmen and sol-
diers, loving with passionate devotion
the new land which received them kind-
ly and gave them the opportunity for
free development.

All this the creators of the ancient
and honorable Hibernian club of Phila-
delphia have noted year by year on St.
Patrick's day as the decades came and
went. And there is no home rule for
Ireland yet.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.
The best salve in the world for Cuts,
Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever
sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains,
Blisters, and all Skin Eruptions, and pre-
vents cure of Piles, or on any part. It is
guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction,
or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.
For sale by E. A. Sherwin

Ladies' and misses' low cutshoes 75 cent
at J. R. Baltimore's.

Men's cotton underswear 25 cents and 5
cents, excellent value, at J. R. Baltimore's

The U. S. Gov't Reports
show Royal Baking Powder
superior to all others.

Children Cry for
Pitcher's Castoria.

They Make Time Pass Quickly.

One of Tesla's experiments with X
rays should not be lost sight of by the
American people or anybody. He and
his assistants as well as find that if
these mysterious rays are directed, pow-
erfully upon the human head the top of
the head gets warm, and there super-
venes throughout a pleasing, soothing
sensation and a tendency to sleep. While
the experiments do not seem to have
progressed to the point of actually put-
ting the patient to sleep, they make him
feel sleepy. Most and best of all, while
the Roentgen rays are streaming upon
your head, the time seems to pass away
very quickly. Both Tesla and his assist-
ant noticed that fact.

Exquisite and wondrous are the possi-
bilities to be deduced. The nervous ir-
ritability of the American people can be
brought down and tempered to the point
where they will be the gentlest, stead-
fastest people in the world. When the
little emperor of Germany shows a dispo-
sition to make a break, all the court
physicians will need to do will be to sub-
ject William to the sweet and soothing
influence of the Roentgen rays. He can
do this without his majesty's knowledge.

Again, when American congressmen
begin to shout and rant and roar and
say things that set the teeth of Euro-
pean newspaper editors on edge, a mild
application of Roent