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Miss Fannie Fox entertained the following friends at her home Friday evening: Dr and Mrs Parson, Mr and Mrs J R Norris, Mr and Mrs F M Drake, Mr and Mrs H L Whitehead, Mr and Mrs Otto Winter, Mr and Mrs John Coleman, Mr and Mrs John Pierce, Mr and Mrs D L Rice, Mr and Mrs T F Kershaw, The Misses Esther Silsby, May Tiffany, Genevieve Tiffany, Clara Mingus, Daisy Mingus, Lutie Holburg, Mamie Barnes, Maud Barnes, Mary Leslie, Elsie Patterson, Maud Patterson, Eva Taylor, Ethel Walrad, Lora Colton, Alice Applegate, Emma Russell, Mrs Frank Shideler. Messrs. Elmer Pafrick, Carl Ellis, Will Mitchell, Fred Fngle, Tom Hammond, Frank Simpson, Victor Lowe, Sam McNair, J Syd McNair. The hostess was assisted by Misses May Tiffany, Elsie Patterson and Mrs Kershaw. In the contest for poetic honors Sam McNair captured "the Missouri prize" and Miss Mary Leslie took the capital prize.

The Chewaucan Post makes its apperance at Lakeview today with Otto Metzker as editor. Wm. Harvey, W. P. Heryford, and S. B. Chandler have incorporated a company and will put in a telephone between Lakeview and Paisley, to be extended to other points later on.

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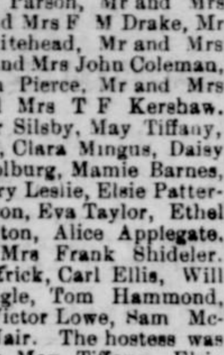

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Administrator's Notice.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, County of Jackson.

In the matter of the estate of Edward W. Piland, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of Jackson county, Oregon, sitting in probate, administrator of the estate of Edward W. Piland, deceased.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle the same immediately and those having claims against said estate will present them to me at Ashland with proper vouchers attached, within six months after date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated Jan. 31, 1901.

GEO. W TREFREN,
Administrator of the estate of Edward W. Piland, deceased.

Sidney Richardson of Willow creek was in Yreka recently and said that during the snowstorm on January 1st a hog was completely covered up and remained under the snow for thirteen days before being discovered. The animal apparently suffered no inconvenience. John Meamber of Scott Valley also reports that 20 head of his sheep were in a snowbank for two weeks without food or water.—Yreka News.

Two hundred and fifty horses were driven from Cottonwood Creek, Fairchild ranch, Little Shasta Valley, a few days ago to Willows, Cal., where they will be shipped to San Francisco. These horses were the property of Churchill & Son of Yreka.—Yreka News.

U'REN-MOORE ENGAGEMENT.

Mrs. M. E. Moore Resigns as Teacher to Become the Bride of the Clackamas County Lawyer.

Mrs. M. E. Moore, for several years a popular teacher in the public schools of Ashland resigned her position last week and left Monday evening for Portland, her home. The directors elected Miss Louise Ganiere to take her place and she assumed her new duties Monday.

It is an open secret among all of the teacher's friends that she is soon to be married to Hon. W. S. U'Ren, of Oregon City, well known all over this state as a politician and who is engaged in the practice of law at Oregon City. Mr. U'Ren returned recently from South Africa.

Miss Rosa Dodge gave a very pleasant afternoon tea at the residence of Ex-Mayor J. P. Dodge last Saturday in honor of Mrs. Moore, and it proved an interesting occasion to the following ladies: Mrs. M. E. Moore, Mrs. E. E. Washburn, Mrs. T. F. Kershaw, Misses Anna Luster, Alice Applegate, Julia Taylor, Edith Brown, Jessie Wagner, Margaret Byers, Carrie Bently, Nellie Ewan, Mary B Leslie, Luella Carey, Lida Lottridge.

APPREHENDED IN ASHLAND.

E. King Thompson, Wanted at Santa Rosa, Is Located in Ashland Through an Item in This Paper.

The following item appeared among the general news in last Thursday's issue of the VALLEY RECORD:

A warrant was sworn out charging E. King Thompson, formerly a collector for the Pioneer laundry of Santa Rosa, with larceny. King disappeared some time between midnight and dawn Sunday morning, taking with him $80 in cash belonging to Miss Josie Walker, an employe. The money had been deposited in the company's safe.

A man giving this name was at that time employed at the Depot hotel, as a dish washer, and when Landlord J. A. Gross read the item in the RECORD he concluded he didn't want that kind of a man in his house. He paid him off and discharged him, telling him the reason and showing him the article. Thompson denied he was the man. Clerk A. H. Pracht informed the local authorities and also wired to Santa Rosa. After satisfying themselves that he was the party Chief-of-Police W. H. Brunk and Constable N. M. Long arrested him Friday evening at the White Sulphur Springs House. He intended leaving town early the next morning. Sheriff Grace of Santa Rosa arrived in Ashland on Sunday morning's train and left for California with his prisoner on the afternoon train. Thompson is a distinguished looking individual not over 30 years old and would be taken for an actor. He claims to have well-to-do relatives in Missouri.

He is a despicable scoundrel and took the $80 he robbed the laundry girl of and blew it in at a bawdy house. The $80 was the girl's savings from two years of hard work.

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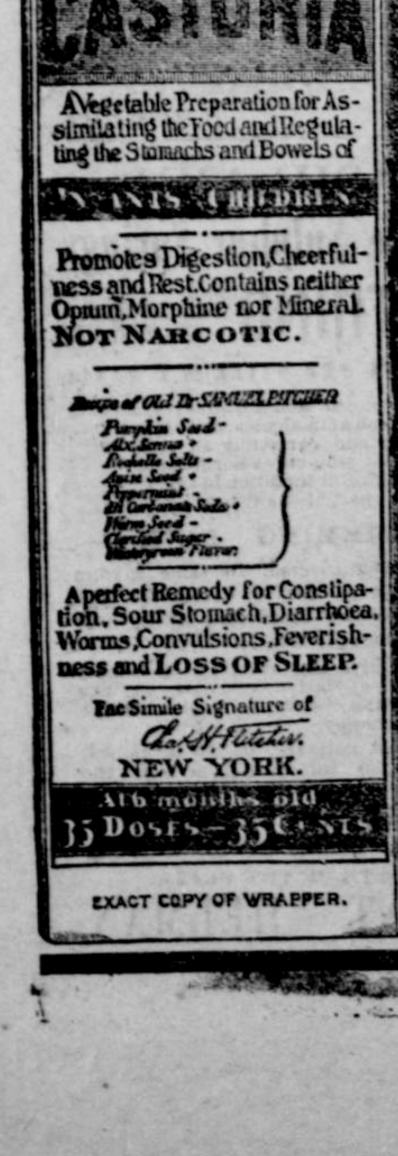
GRANTS PASS IN LINE.

Follows Medford and Ashland in Organizing a New Bank.

Grants Pass Mining Journal.]

That Grants Pass is to have another bank now seems assured. Our reporter had heard some talk of such an institution being formed, and found upon inquiry that nearly the full amount of capital stock of $50,000 had already been subscribed by home parties. Among those who are subscribing for stock are O. S. Goodnow, L. L. Jewell, Dr. J. S. Moore, Hair-Riddle & Co., J. H. Ahlf, W. H. Hampton, C. W. Thompson, Lonnie Moon and A. C. Hough. They expect to incorporate and organize about Feb. 15. This shows enterprise. Medford has two banks and so has Ashland. Why should Grants Pass take a back seat?

Grants Pass, Feb. 2.—A new bank will be organized here February 15 with a capital of $50,000. The principal stockholders are: O. S. Goodnow, L. L. Jewell, J. H. Ahlf, Hair Riddle Hardware Company, Carey W. Thompson, W. H. Hampton, L. Moon, Dr. J. S. Moore, and A. C. Hough. The bank will be ready for business about April 1. Just where the business will be located is not known. There is but one bank doing business here now, the First National Bank of Southern Oregon.



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PRESSED BRICKS.

Mrs. J. W. Jordon of Pendleton is visiting Mrs. A. F. Eddy.

Mrs. Oscar Goodell went to Yreka Saturday to visit relatives.

Conductor and Mrs. E. H. Bristow are now living at Hotel Oregon.

F. V. Medynski of Medford starts for Alaska again in a short time.

Miss Lizzie Sutherland returned from Hornbrook Friday to remain some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Storms, sr., and children left Saturday for Oakland, Cal.

Mrs. Ella Million returned Sunday from a visit with her daughter in Portland.

Mrs. Warren Dodge returned to Medford Friday from a visit with Ashland relatives.

Vaupel, Norris & Drake will begin receiving their new spring line of goods this week.

Mrs. E. M. Young has gone to Minneapolis, Minn., on an extended visit to relatives.

Katie Emmett in "The New Waif's of New York" at opera house next Saturday, Feb. 9th.

Mrs. H. E. Davie of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting her folks, S. P. Jones' family, at Jacksonville.

Co. Supt. P. H. Daily returned this week from a visit with the Oregon legislature at Salem.

Bert Barnes returned to Grants Pass Monday after an over Sunday visit with his folks in Ashland.

Miss Gertrude John returned to Williams creek last week from a two months visit in San Francisco.

Mrs. W. A. Patrick and daughter, Miss Ora, returned Monday from a visit with Central Point relatives.

Ralph Lozier, who is braking out of Roseburg, is spending a vacation in Ashland where his parents reside.

P. B. Whitney returned Monday from a visit with Mrs. Whitney and Miss Louise at Salem and Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Taylor and daughter left Saturday for Marysville, Cal., to visit their sons who are located at that place.

You can have your choice cheap—medium or high grade furniture. Prices according to quality but always low. J. P. Dodge.

Wm. Fox and A. E. Graham are the newly elected chief and assistant chief of Ashland Hose Co. No. 1, elected Friday evening.

Carpets of all kinds and descriptions at Vaupel, Norris & Drake's. Give them a call before you get ready to put down your new carpets.

E. C. Luger who has been visiting his brother-in-law, Elder John Arnold, for the past three months left Sunday for his home at Reno, Nev.

Supt. P. H. Daily will hold the Jackson county teachers examination for certificates at the state normal school in Ashland beginning Feb. 13th.

Mrs. Wm. Lyttleton and two daughters returned to Coles Sunday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Million, in Ashland.

Hon. and Mrs. Nat Langell of Jacksonville have taken up their home at Medford. They had lived in the same house at Jacksonville continuously for 42 years.

Will Satchell, Dick Roper, Jesse Ferren and other Ashland boys and Dale Hazle and Sidney Cole of Medford have gone to Klamathon to engage in lumbering again.

Mrs. C. F. Gegax, of Riddles, has rented rooms in the Taylor & Wilson block in this city and will put in a line of ladies' furnishing goods at an early date.—Roseburg Review.

A full line of upholstering material—lounge and couches made to order. Everything guaranteed as represented. J. P. Dodge.

L. W. Rodgers left Friday for Spokane Falls and other eastern Wahington points on a business trip in connection with an estate of his uncle. Mrs. R. is visiting her sister at Grants Pass during his absence.

Jesse Vertrees came out from the Willamette last week and visited Ashland Friday while en route to Oro Fino, Cal., to visit his folks. He will again take up his residence in southeastern Oregon and intends living a less turbulent career.

Thirty minutes is all the time required to dye with Putnam Fadeless Dyes. Sold by McNAIR BROS.

Engineer Joe Poore, wife and two children and Mr. and Mrs H. F. Cole took Saturday's train for Santa Cruz, Cal., to remain in the south to benefit the health of Mrs. Poore and Mr. Cole. Joe will return after getting his family settled.

Blankets, quilts, rugs, go carts, porcelain ware at Hooker's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kinney, Jos. W Kinney and Miss Lydia McCall left for Redding, Cal., Sunday, the former to make their future home and Miss Lydia to make an extended visit to her brother, John McCall, who is employed in Wells-Fargo's express office in that enterprising town.

Dr. J. G. Goble, the optician, will be at the Hotel Oregon on Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 11th and 12th. Those wishing glasses fitted or their eyes examined please call at hotel. Glasses fitted perfectly to all cases of failing or defective vision that glasses will remedy. Consultation free.

The most effective little liver pills made are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They never gripe.—McNAIR BROS.

Miss Carrie George, the postal telegraph operator, at this place, has leased building room adjoining the T. G. Kinney property, corner of Seventh and D street, on which is being erected a building for use as a telegraph office. She expects to handle cigars and perhaps confectionery in connection therewith.—Medford Mail.

Buy the Peerless Improved Plows of Emil Peil. It will scour in any kind of soil and is guaranteed to give satisfaction in every way. For sale by Emil Peil, blacksmith and dealer in all kinds of agricultural implements, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McDowell and Miss Irene McDowell are down from Dunsmuir to attend the funeral of A. D Kilborn.—Oakland, Cal, Tribune. Engineer McDowell returned to Ashland Friday and reports the funeral of the esteemed and highly respected master mechanic of Dunsmuir is being an impressive event in keeping with the best possible respect that could be shown by men to a faithful co-laborer and upright man.

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NAMING OF GRIZZLY PEAK.

Was Baptized So in Memory of the Thrilling Experience of the Henry Chapman Party with a Band of Grizzlies in 1855, When Chapman was Literally Chawed and Clawed to Pieces and Left for Dead by a Monstrous Grizzly—Equals the Events of Daniel Boone and Kit Carson.

Grizzly Butte is a prominent projection of the the Cascade range overlooking Bear creek valley, opposite Ashland, which attains a height of 6000 feet. Seen by the traveler from Ashland station, with its bald southern face flecked with the light and somber tints as the sun is nearing the crest line of the mountain range on the west, the origin of its name is easily suggested from the garb with which nature has clothed the mountain mass. But the traveler would be in error. It was named for the grizzly bear, and the name dates from a terrible encounter with one of the big plantigrades on this mountain 45 years ago, in which Henry Chapman was shockingly mangled, and nearly lost his life.

That portion of the Cascades east of Ashland was once the favorite haunt of the grizzly bear; they were the kings of the wilds there, and old settlers say they were more numerous than in the adjacent Siskiyou range. Mr. Chapman, an aged and respected pioneer citizen, now resides on his ranch a few miles south of Ashland, and it was from him the narrative of the battle with the bear is obtained, and of which his body bears the scars of the cruel wounds he suffered.

The year 1855 was marked by an Indian war in southern Oregon, and the few pioneer settlers in Upper Bear creek valley were placed in great peril. They were always watchful for Indians, and hence when on September 5th of that year Henry Chapman, W. F. Songer, E. Wells, Joe Wells, Frog Wells, Frost and Coyote Johnson started out on a bear hunt, they were prepared to fight Indians as well. They camped the first night on Frog creek, above where the "sweat" house now is.

Erastus Wells was put on guard. He discovered a signal fire of the Indians at Boone ranch, now known as the Mickelson ranch, which aroused the party who then stood guard until daylight. After breakfast Chapman, accompanied by Erastus and Joe Wells, went out to look for bear. They went over to the foot of the mountain (Grizzly) and discovered the tracks of five or six grizzlies. Taking up the trail, they followed the bears into and through a thicket of firs, hearing them run out on the upper side. Thence they tracked the bears around and up the east side of the mountain to the summit of Big Prairie, where they separated, Erastus going down next to Antelope creek, Chapman along the south side, and Joe about midway between them, all going west.

"After some little time," said Chapman, "not seeing the other boys, I began to feel uneasy. Directly I looked to my left I saw something in the thick fir brush, and on hearing a bear squall, I worked around cautiously to get a view a little further around the bush, when I saw two old grizzlies and four cubs feeding on berries. I was armed with a double-barreled, muzzle-loading shotgun. I had previously loaded it heavily with buckshot for Indians. I now put an ounce ball in each barrel, and aiming carefully off my knee, let go at one of the old bears. He fell, and the other big fellow and the cubs ran away, but there were others, for, glancing to my right, I saw another one running down through the prairie. I ran out on the prairie and shot at this one as he went by. He fell down, rolled over, then got up again and made off in his original course across the opening.

"Turning my gun down to reload, I heard the first one I had shot, and which I supposed dead, coming my way. The bear made directly for me, and I started on a run for three trees which I saw standing in a bunch on the prairie. Making tracks as fast as my legs would carry me, one of my shoes came off and I lost my shoe, hat and gun all in the same place. As I ran on some distance, I saw Erastus and Joe looking ahead as if they thought I was in pursuit of something. Glancing over my shoulder, I saw the bear within ten feet of me, and I cried to them that it was a bear. Just then the bear roared, which so terrified the boys that they dropped their guns and ran, Erastus making for some neighboring brush and Joe climbing an old stump about 10 feet high. Now the bear was all but on me; I had powder and shot in my coat pocket, and in running the coat flew back, and as the bear came within reach of me, the first swipe he made caught the coat pocket and tore off the flap. This gave me a little start of the bear, and I reached one of the trees, the bear close after me.

"I did some active dodging as I ran around the tree. The bear raked at me first on one side and then on the other with her paws, and it was plain I could not last long there. I then called to the boys for help and made a dash for another tree, but had to keep an eye on the bear all the time to avoid a blow. I had not gone far when she struck me on the head, splitting the flesh to the bone from the top of my head to my eyebrows. I was knocked down and the ferocious beast was on top of me. She first caught me by the right thigh, mashing the flesh from the bone. I made a desperate effort to get up, when she seized me by the shoulder, mashing it, then snapped at my throat, cuttung the leaders all off, and for a miracle just missing the jugular vein. I continued in a blind way trying to do something, and thrust my hand in the bear's mouth. She bit through my hand and then caught me in the shoulder and bit into the hollow, which made me faint, and I could not see.

"I suppose the bear thought me dead, for she now gave her attention to Erastus and Joe. Each had a navy revolver tied over his shoulder with a buckskin string, but in the excitement and hurry they pulled them so tight they could not get them untied. Joe fired at the bear with the pistol tied to him, and yelled to Erastus that the bear was coming. The latter made up a limb on a log, the bear scraping his foot as he went up. The bear now appeared to be master of the field. I was plainly a goner, and Joe and Erastus were in a mighty tight place. But good luck was to turn the tide for us; Joe fired at random with his pistol and broke the bear's back; another shot broke her neck, and Erastus now turned loose on her and emptied his revolver into her body.

"By this time I had regained my senses and tried to get up, but I could not do so. I sat up and put my hand to my throat. I thought my jugular vein was cut, and supposed of course, I could not last long. Joe came to me, asking how bad I was hurt, and I told him my jugular vein was cut. Then Erastus came up and immediately turned to go away. I called out not to leave me, as I could not live long. When he came back and I said all I asked of him was not to write to my folks. They then took their silk handkerchiefs and bound them around my neck. Erastus then asked how many bears there were, and I said about 15 or 16. Then bears and Indians would both be upon us soon, he said, and he grabbed me up, threw me over his shoulder and started on a run, calling to Joe to bring the guns. After a time Joe said I was dead, and Erastus laid me down, face to the ground. I had fainted again, but with the shock on the ground I recovered, and told them I was not dead, whereupon Erastus picked me up again and threw me over his shoulder, but this I could not stand, and insisted on being left in the brush, as I could not live anyway. They declared they would take me out, and after further delay so much time had elapsed that I concluded my jugular vein was not cut, and that there was a chance for me.

"Well, they finally raised me to my feet, and, supporting me, one on each side, we got to the foot of the hill, where we found some others of our party, who helped us to camp. The desire of this party for bearhunting had been fully satisfied, and the boys broke camp and hastened to get me home. I was carried to Daddy Wells'. The old man sewed up the wounds, and the only available doctor at Jacksonville was sent for to dress my wounds. He came the next day, cut open, probed and sewed up my wounds. I laid helpless about six weeks in bed, being fed on soup with a spoon. It was a year before I was well."

So we have the story of Grizzly Peak, which, together with other well-accredited tragical and adventurous incidents in the pioneer life of the Oregonians, should be gathered and collected by those interested in the work of the Oregon Historical Society. Mr. Chapman has passed the 45 years since his hard day with the bear on Grizzly Peak as a successful rancher, and has seen the pretty city of Ashland grow up almost in sight of that summit plateau where big grizzlies and hostile Indians were to be looked for at every step. W. F. Songer, who constituted one of the party, is now a well-known resident of Ashland.

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Ashland Public Schools Report.

Number of days taught, 20: Number of holidays, 0.

Days of attendance, boys, 5141; girls, 5616½. Total, 10757½.

Days absence, boys, 661; girls, 665½. Total, 1326½.

Cases of tardiness, boys, 8; girls, 15. Total, 23.

No. enrolled on register, boys, 294; girls, 319. Total, 613.

New scholars, boys, 10; girls, 20. Total, 30.

Average daily attendance, 538.

Per cent of attendance, 89.

Number of visitors, 53.

Tardiness of teachers, 0.

Days absence of teachers, 1.

The per cent of attendance for this month is very low—lower than since March, 1899. The absence is due to the prevalence of colds, mumps and measles. The average daily attendance is precisely the same as for the corresponding month of the previous year though the average number belonging is 40 greater. The tardiness is somewhat greater than usual though Miss Dodge, Mr. Washburn, Miss Brown, and Mr. Burnham had no cases.

Nearly all of the thirty new scholars entered the first primary grade.

C. A. HITCHCOCK,
Principal.

An Editor's Life Saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

During the early part of October, 1896, I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient state. I was constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.—B. S. EDWARDS, Publisher of The Review, Wyant, Ill. For sale by McNAIR BROS.

January 1901, Weather Summary

Following is a summary of weather observations at Ashland during month of Jan., reported by F H. Carter, local observer for the Oregon State Weather Service:

Date.	Temp. Maximum.	Temp. Minimum.	Temp. Mean.	Precip'tion in inches.
1	41	18		......
2	36	31		.85
3	40	32		.24
4	39	29		.30
5	35	23		......
6	40	27		......
7	42	22		......
8	37	26		.17
9	35	24		.05
10	34	12		......
11	41	33		.02
12	55	38		.25
13	57	42		......
14	56	37		.02
15	39	27		.53
16	53	25		......
17	57	41		......
18	54	31		......
19	55	31		......
20	45	34		.03
21	53	33		......
22	47	29		......
22	39	29		......
24	34	28		......
23	38	27		.28
26	43	23		......
27	48	24		......
28	49	24		......
29	47	23		......
30	52	27		......
31	44	28		......

Mean temp. 36 5; Max temp 57 on 13-17; Min. temp. 12 on 10; total precip. inches, 2.74; Total snowfall, inches, 16.7. No days clear, 11; partly cloudy, 3; cloudy, 17; prevailing direction of wind, SE. Mean temp Jan. 20 years, 37.1; below normal, 5; rainfall 20 years, 2.58 in; above normal, 21 in. Snowfall this month, 16.7 in.

Hillsboro, Or., Jan. 31.—Several weeks ago oil was noticed floating on top of a spring on the Trumbe ranch, seven or eight miles north of this city. The oil was carefully gathered and taken to a Portland chemist, who pronounced it A1 petroleum. The ranch has now been leased for development purposes, and a company of Hillsboro men are making arrangements to prospect and develope the region.

"But why is it?" asked the thoughtful Chinese, "that I may go to your heaven, while I may not go to your country?" The American missionary shrugged his shoulders. "There is no labor vote in heaven!" said he.

St. Helen's Sanitorium at Visalia was destroyed by fire recently. The loss is $5000. The building which was not quite completed, was owned by Drs. Cross and McSwain. The former had just left for San Francisco to purchase furniture for the place. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary, although it is stated that a defective flue was the cause.

The gasoline schooner Barbara Hernster was blown ashore near Point Arena a few days ago, and may become a total wreck.

SICK HEADACHE absolutely and permanently cured by using Moki Tea. A pleasant herb drink. Cures constipation and indigestion, makes you eat, sleep, work and happy. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. 25cts. and 50cts. McNAIR BROS.

John Charles Duchow, founder and proprietor of the Tuolumne Independent, died at his family residence in Sonora, after a lingering illness. Mr. Duchow published the first newspaper at Columbia in the early 50's, and afterward removed to Sonora, publishing the Independent. He was 68 years of age, and leaves a wife and two sons, Arthur and J. C. Duchow, Jr., who have been conducting the paper for several years.

The most soothing, healing and antiseptic application ever devised is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It relieves at once and cures piles, sores, eczema and skin diseases. Beware of imitations.—McNAIR BROS

Supreme lodge of the Knights of Pythias is to hold its next annual conclave in San Francisco during August.

There is a potato famine in British Columbia, and the scarcity of the necessary article is so keenly felt that old potatoes are being shipped in large quantities from California. Local potatoes have doubled in price in the past four weeks and are difficult to get at any figure, so that there is a great demand for California olds.

EXPERIENCE IS THE BEST TEACHER. Use Acker's English Remedy in any case of coughs, colds or croup. Should it fail to give immediate relief money refunded. 25cts. and 50cts. EUGENE A. SHERWIN.

The electorial vote of California has been delivered to the authorities at Washington by S. M. Shortridge. Mr. Shortridge also presented to President McKinley the gold-mounted ballot box in which the electortal vote was cast.

The merited reputation for curing piles sores and skin diseases acquired by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, has led to the making of worthless counterfeits. Be sure to get only DeWitt's Salve.—McNAIR BROS

Regular work was begun a few days in the new Santa Fe shops at Point Richmond. Forty machinists, who have been working in the Stockton shops, have moved there with their families and are to be given steady employment. There have been 250 men employed in the Stockton shops, and they will all in time be transferred to Point Richmond. Fifty dwellings, however, are under course of construction, and others are to be begun within a short time.

While on the way to Redwood City Joseph de Benedetti, the driver of a vegetable wagon, was sandbagged and robbed of $25 and his team. Three men attacked him and all escaped. Benedetti is in a serious condition.

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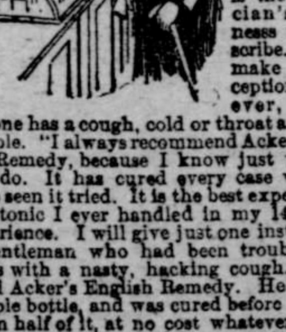
F. V. McCarthy pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary in department one of the superior county at Los Angeles, and was sentenced to five years at San Quentin.

He Tried a Sample Bottle



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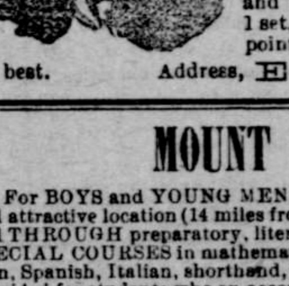

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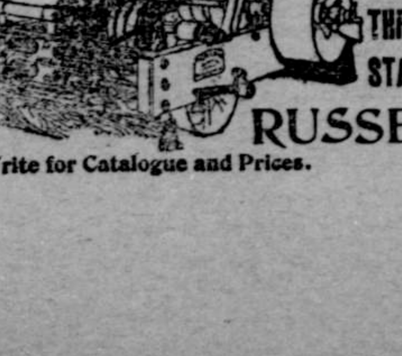

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