

THE COURIER.

Official Paper of Josephine County, Oregon.

FRIDAY, AUG. 13, 1886.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

We invite correspondence from all sections on subjects of local and other interests.

EDITORIAL NOTES AND NEWS.

W. S. and W. C. Dunnaway have retired from the 'New Northwest.'

The 'Undaunted,' the 'Abner Coburn' and the 'St. James,' are all on the way with steel rails and fastenings for the P. & W. V. R. R.

We can't see how Linn county keeps Miss Allison confined. We always thought it impossible to shut a woman up.—[West Side.]

It all depends on the sharpness of the nose.

The Rogue River Courier has been much improved recently and is now one of the most neatly gotten up papers in the state.

The most notable improvement in any of our exchanges has been with the Grant's Pass Courier.

Governor Sylvester Penneyer rode up Morrison street, Portland, a few days ago in an express wagon to which the Daily News says: 'Three cheers for Penneyer.'

We shall publish no pretended communications in the COURIER. Whenever a correspondence or any portion of one appears in these columns, our readers may rest assured we have received such a correspondence and can, if necessary and proper, produce it.

Congressman Hermann's recent debate in the house in which Weaver, Symes, Truste, Baker and Hill took part was an able effort on the part of Mr. Hermann.

Cutting has been sentenced to two years imprisonment. He is charged by the Mexican authorities with having published articles in Texas, libelous and criminal toward Mexico.

We were in error last week in saying that two years ago Mr. Colvig withdrew in favor of Mr. Kent. It was six years ago instead of two.

The mail contractors are circulating a petition, the main object of which, is to get out of their contract with the department at Washington over route No. 4417.

The citizens of Jacksonville are now agitating a branch R. R. to Medford with splendid prospects of success.

Since the 'Times' got in the habit of clipping so much news from the COURIER, it is getting to be a pretty fair paper.

We are in receipt of several letters since our last issue, relative to the Kent-Colvig controversy, some of which are private.

The County was compelled to build a court house, and we think the building of the Applegate bridge very proper, but we are not compelled to buy a Poor Farm.—[Ed.]

We learn from W. L. Record, under whose supervision the body of Mrs. John Parks, was disinterred and removed to Smith River, that upon opening the coffin at the above place, very much to the surprise of all present, the body was found to be in a perfect state of petrification.

Mr. Kent promised Mr. Colvig that should he ever want the place it would afford him great pleasure to assist him in getting it.

McCaister's Soda Springs, Situated on the North Fork of Butte creek, 22 miles from Jacksonville, in a cool canyon near Mt. McLoughlin, are a delightful resort for INVALIDS!

These waters are highly medicinal, curing in a short time DYSPEPSIA And all Summer Complaints, as well as many CHRONIC DISEASES!

Water for sale at J. B. Marshall's and Wm. Newhall's, Grant's Pass, 25-30c.

Keep the ball rolling and build the Railroad. It was a great oversight that the O. & C. R. R. proposition was not accepted and that road secured to Jacksonville.

WILDERVILLE LETTERS. WILDERVILLE, Aug. 24. ED. COURIER.—I saw a letter concerning the Kent-Colvig controversy.

Why, Mr. Kent seems to think the COURIER is his only opponent in Josephine county.

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MRS. M. HYDE. MAIN ST., in front of the Factory. Has a new line of GLOVES, CORSETS, RICHINGS, PLUMES, HATS, etc.

Board of Equalization. NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Equalization will meet at the County Clerk's office in Grant's Pass, Oregon, on Monday, August 30th, 1886.

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By order of J. R. Webster, Judge of the Circuit Court, Josephine County. This 5th day of August, 1886.

E. A. ESTES. FRONT STREET, Grant's Pass, Oregon. Tropical Fruits, Staple and Fancy GROCERIES, TOBACCO, CIGARS, CANDIES, NUTS, ETC.

S. A. GREENE & SON. Main St., - - - Grant's Pass, Or. (One door west of the Courthouse office) GUNSMITHS.

Guns, Revolvers, Pistols and AMUNITION. Fishing-Tackle, Cutlery, Fire-Works, &c., &c. REPAIRING, A SPECIALTY.

JOHNS & WOODWARD. GRANT'S PASS, - - - OREGON. -Dealers in- Saddles and Harness, COLLARS, BRIDLES, WHIPS

JEWELER. Grant's Pass, - - - Oregon. ALL WATCH WORK WARRANTED FOR ONE YEAR.

REDLAND NURSERY. Six miles South of Grant's Pass, Josephine County, Oregon. A. H. CARSON, Prop'r.

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New Store New Goods. J. B. MARSHALL & SON. Wish to inform the people of Grant's Pass and surrounding country that they have opened a new stock of Groceries, Candies, Tobaccos, -AND CIGARS-

Flour and Provisions. JOHN H. ROBINSON, Principal. Good produce taken in part pay. Patronage Solicited.

NOTICE! NOTICE!! NOTICE!!! THOSE DESIRING TO SETTLE IN

Towns of Southern Oregon Will do well to consult the undersigned at CENTRAL POINT, Jackson County.

GO TO THE SUPPLY STORE. For Dry-goods and Groceries, General Mining Supplies Etc., Etc.

DECKER BOARDING HOUSE! KEPT IN FIRST-CLASS STYLE, AND THE TRAVELING PUBLIC WILL MEET WITH EVERY KINDNESS AND ATTENTION.

GRANT'S PASS ACADEMY. This well-known School will be open for the Fall Term on the First Monday in September, 1886.

An Extensive High-Grade Course of Study. For Particulars, Address HENRY L. BENSON, A. M., Principal.

LIMESTONE CAVES. And Natural Curiosities of Josephine County. -OWNED BY- HARKNESS & BURCH.

SUGAR PINE DOOR & LUMBER CO. Lumber, Doors, Windows, Brackets, and Mouldings.

House and Store Finishings. -The Introduction of- The Latest Improved Machinery, HAS ENABLED THEM TO REDUCE PRICES FIFTY PER CENT. BELOW ALL FORMER RATES.

EUREKA HIGH SCHOOL. Thorough and Practical Instruction, near Wilderville, Josephine County, Oregon. Will commence its first session, October 4, 1886, To Continue Six Months.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Josephine county, Oregon, sitting as a Probate Court, Administrator of the estate of said William W. JUSTUS, deceased.

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Flouring Mill and Farm FOR SALE

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