

THE COURIER

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STATE AND COUNTY OFFICIALS

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The finest selection of flowers and the best arrangement which has been received at this office during the season, was by Miss Carrie Green. They were supported by a pasteboard back descending to the water which served to keep them damp.

J. D. Spencer, travelling salesman for Liggett & Myers, St. Louis tobacco house, gave us a pleasant call yesterday. He is familiar with quartz mining in the Black hills, and says that \$6 per ton is about an average of the rock out of which so much money is being made in that camp.

Wm. Nitty, who has been in the employ of John W. Bennett near Waldo, came over from there Wednesday. He informs us that Mr. Bennett is again feeling badly. He also stated that Simmons, Decker, Payne & Co., had concluded to relinquish their purchase of the Scotts galeh mines.

Elder M. Peterson, in a card dated June 20th, says: "Please announce my appointment for Jump-off Joe, with Josephine congregation on the 10th of July at 11 o'clock. Expect to have dinner there and have two meetings. Haying is progressing nicely; the crop remarkably good. Grain looks well. Health good."

W. J. Rogers, operator at this place for the Postal telegraph company, informs us that his beat, or repair section, has been shortened about ten miles by the placing of a than at Wolf creek. The company has also placed pocket instruments in the hands of all its operators for examining and testing the line at any point.

By an oversight this week, our foreman failed to correct the time card of the O. & C. R. R. Trains now leave Portland at 4 p. m., arriving at Grants Pass at 6:40 a. m. and at Ashland at 8:38 a. m. Leave Ashland at 6 p. m., Grants Pass 8:05 p. m., arriving at Portland at 10:40. Buffet cars are also announced in the table.

Billy undertook to overdo things a little last week by arranging to take two girls buggy riding at one and the same time. Now that's going to be a nice affair thought he and O. went we. We will just distance Miller, Van Dyke, Beacom and quartz Smith. All set. The conserved beat wouldn't "budge a peg," mutters Billy.

Developments on the "Spring Mountain" ledge goes steadily on. The lode is fast running into silver the assay now reaching 75 per cent of that metal. A sample of the rock may be seen at this office which shows decomposed galena in considerable quantities. Wm. Platt, J. S. Plaster, S. M. Keenan and H. H. Kiessling are the lucky owners of the property.

Next Monday is the Fourth of July, the 11th anniversary of American independence. The reading of the declaration of our forefathers which cost the war of the revolution, but which brought us liberty, will, as is our custom, be read on that day in every hamlet under our flag, and the hearts of 50,000,000 people will be swelled with pride at the recurring thought of the wisdom of our forefathers.

One of the whistles at the S. P. D. & L. Co.'s works ought to remind us of else quite whistling. It reminds us of the boy who, when ever provoked, would say "Hush your gosh darned month gosh darn your gosh darned soul to gosh darn your gosh darn you." A bystander remarked to his Pa one day, that "if that was my boy I swear I would either make him swear or else by the nippen je-ho-saphat I would make him quit swearing." So we feel about that whistle. Lets not choke anything to death three times a day.

We have been informed that a spirit of progress has of late prevailed in the item of hog catching by some of our enterprising boys who have been capturing hogs on the wing and turning them over to the city marshal, simply charging a small fee for catching them, inside the incorporate limits of course. But our informant saith that these boys have gone away beyond the town limit and caught hogs and wheeled them inside the limit on a wheelbarrow, then and there arresting Mr. hog for violating city law by getting over the line, and turned him over to the authorities in accordance with certain penalties made and provided. How is it?

T. W. Leh, general agent for Tunnison's matchless historical county railroad distance and index maps of the United States and the World, has located at this place and is engaged canvassing for subscribers. Persons wishing to engage in light and profitable work will do well to address him. We have examined these maps and pronounce them the cheapest maps of the kind we have yet seen. They are 35x5 feet, elegantly mounted, printed in high colors, and show, in addition to the contents of ordinary maps, over 100 illustrations of the world's scenery, the solar system, flags of the nations, architecture, etc. Every family should have one of these maps which, at the price, are dirt cheap.

We visited the grounds selected for the celebration at this place yesterday and were greatly surprised at the extent and splendor of the preparations. As we have said before, the several committees are sparing no pains to carry out all the details of their respective branches. It now looks as though we are to have by far the grandest celebration ever held in Southern Oregon. We know our orator is the best; our band cannot be surpassed; the orchestra of Mr. and Mrs. Ganiard, of Ashland, has no equal, and our dinner will by far surpass anything ever attempted in this end of the state; therefore we think we have the right to anticipate a gala day for our little city on next Monday.

Teachers' Institute. The teachers' Institute for the First Judicial District, and Josephine county will be held at Grants Pass, July 13, 14 and 15, 1887. This district comprises the counties of Jackson, Josephine, Klamath and Lake.

All teachers and friends of education in the above and adjacent counties are cordially invited to be present.

The more the subject of public school education is considered in conference by the teachers, the greater does its importance become. It remains for the teachers and school officers to carry forward and develop this important work to higher degrees of excellence, and in order that we may be able to secure for our public schools that attention and aid which their importance demands, all are earnestly urged to attend and co-operate in the great work of popular education in our state. The Oregon and California Railway Company will make a liberal reduction to those attending and traveling over their line.

No injurious effects can follow the use of Ayer's Eye Cure. It contains an unfailing antidote and specific for miasmatic poisons, together with remedial agents which purify and re-invigorate the system.

Correspondence. KERBYVILLE, June 26.

ED. COURIER—I wish to correct the false impression conveyed to the general public by your correspondent of last week, viz: "Lillian Dudley," concerning the "awfully rude" conduct of some of the young folks toward the Rev. Mr. Riddle while ministering to the spiritual wants of the people at Kerbyville.

Now, I was present and heard Mr. Riddle's sermon, and I know whereof I speak; while to "Lillian Dudley" it seems it was only hearsay, which is never a reliable source of information. Lillian Dudley complained that "some of the young folks were very rude during service," that "they mocked the minister and laughed and talked aloud," all of which is utterly false and unjust. The only cause that I can see for anyone to make such a statement, originated from the fact that Mr. Riddle appeared to address to a certain young gentleman, and, among other things the minister said, looking the above mentioned gentleman square in the face and gesticulating toward him, "young man, are you satisfied with the past? are you satisfied with the present? are you hopeful for the future?" To all of which the young man answered, "Yes Sir." And there was also some noise and disturbance among some small boys, but not sufficient to disturb or interrupt the speaker. The only real cause for Lillian's complaint is from the fact that Mr. Riddle's saddle was found on the ground under his horse's feet, which was the work of two small boys, and was not approved of by anyone who heard of it. I presume the reason that no one invited the minister home with them was because there was no members of the church present except the two young ladies referred to by Lillian Dudley. But here are two hotels in Kerbyville, for the benefit of the traveling public, and Mr. Riddle would have