A New School District.

Chas. Loveless who now resides on the Huff place at the mouth of Warner canyon, which he recently purchased, was in town last week circulating a petition to have the Lakeview school district divided. The petition prays to have that part of the district north of H. R. Heyford's place to Warner canyon set apart and made a new district and known as district number 10. It is claimed that 15 pupils permanently reside within this proposed district, and 11 pupils whose parents reside on rented places are also within the boundaries. People living in that vicinity claim that it is too far to send their children to the school in Lakeview, and think they are entitled to have a district of their own.

There is some opposition to this proposition and should the petition meet with sufficient success as to warrant the granting of the request, a remonstrance is talked of. The fact that the Lakeview school district is bonded for a debt, it is thought would be sufficient reason for not granting the petition. But some authorities claim that the bond would hold the original district whether divided or not. The Examiner is not in a position to give an opinion as to the legality of the proposition at the present time.

Tot Causes Night Alarm.

One night my brother's baby was taken with croup," writes Mr. J. C. Snider, of Crittenden, Ky., "it seemed it would strangle before we could get a doctor, so we gave it Dr. King's New Discovery, which gave quick relief and permanently cured it. We always keep it in the house to protect our children from Croup and Whooping Cough. It cured me of a chronic bronchial trouble that no other remedy would relieve." Infallible for Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung troubles. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Lee Beall's Drug Store.

A Good Cow.

What is meant by a good cow? is sometimes asked. Here is the record: A noteworthy milking record has been established by the Red Poll cow Crocus, which belongs to the famous Norfolk dairy herd at Whitlingham. She gave birth to her third calf May 11, 1890; since that date she continued uninterruptedly in milk till September 28, 1899, at a period of over nine years. Her milk yield in the last year of her life was at the daily rate of 44¾ pounds or nearly 4½ gallons. During the nine years and four months that she was continually in milk she yielded altogether 50,428 pounds, or nearly 23 tons of milk. Over the last five years the average quantity of butter fat in her milk was as high as 4.3 per cent. Her live weight when sent to market after being fed on grass for the last six months of her life was 1159 pounds. In the nine years since her last calving she gave something like forty-five times her own weight in milk, and her average production during that period was 5403 pounds of milk, or considerably over 500 gallons per annum.—California Cultivator.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Colner of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, or sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at Beall's Drug Store.

Another Railroad.

[Yreka Journal.]

Thos. B. Walker and sons, who have secured about 300,000 acres of timber lands in Siskiyou, Modoc, Shasta and Lassen counties, California, and in Klamath and Lake counties, Oregon, are likely to build a railroad from the S. P. Co. in order to secure an outlet for the lumber manufactured. It is probable, as the greatest portion of the land is most accessable to railroad connection in Siskiyou, that the branch line will be connected with the McCloud River Road, or else be run to Mott between Dunsmuir and Sisson. By this connection, all of Eastern Siskiyou, Modoc county, the northern parts of Shasta and Lassen counties and Southern Oregon would be most accessible, by reason of shortest distance and entirely through the timber sections from the base of Mount Shasta as far as the vast timber regions extend.

Stepped into Live Coals.

"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Eads, of Jonesville, Va., "which caused horrible leg sores for thirty years, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed." Infallible for Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Sores, Bruises and Piles. Sold by Lee Beall, Druggist.

When you have no appetite do not relish your food and feel dull after eating you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 25 cents. Samples free at Lee Beall's drug store.

GAMBLING FOR OFFICES.

Religious People of London Scandalized by a Recent Occurrence in Politics.

Some of the ultra religious people here are expressing astonishment that a tie in the vote for member of the borough council was decided the other day by tossing a penny, says a London paper. They insist that the element of chance ought to have been eliminated from English politics long ago. As a matter of fact, there is still a corner left in the British constitution for King Chance to build his throne in, and it is not many years since the house of commons deliberately sanctioned the appeal to chance in certain emergencies. When city councils were being established in Scotland the question arose in parliament as to the choice of a chairman of the joint committee in case of an equality of votes, and it was proposed that the final decision in that case be taken by lot. Serious members objected to such a frivolous method of deciding an important matter, but the mover of the resolution reminded the house of the apostolic precedent, and it was decided by a majority that what was good enough for the election of a successor to Judas Iscariot was good enough for the chairman of a joint committee. So that the Camberwell election is likely to stand in law.

GREAT MOUNTAIN OF MUD.

Costa Rica's Leading Railway Is Engaged in the Labor of Washing It Away.

The principal railroad of Costa Rica, now but 117 miles long, is just being extended to reach from San Jose to the Pacific coast. The general manager of the road in speaking of the enterprise recently said:

"There is one place on the road which has given the engineers a great deal of trouble, and which has cost many thousands of dollars every year since the road was built. This place is about 45 miles from Port Limon, and is called Bluemud. For about 600 feet the track runs along a ledge on the side of a mountain, with the river Reventa Zon below. The mountain is composed of a bluish clay, which turns into mud during the rainy season and keeps constantly sliding down on the tracks. We have to keep a big gang of men at work day and night cleaning the road of this blue mud, and when the rains are very heavy traffic has to be suspended. In July so much of the mud slid down over the roadbed that we could not run trains there for three weeks.

"To add to the difficulty there is a lake back of the mountain and the water from this lake percolates through the mountain and keeps it constantly wet. The lake was drained by the engineers, but they discovered that it was fed by springs, and still the mountain was kept in a wet state and the mud kept sliding down over the tracks.

At last they obtained what is known in California as a hydraulic giant, and which throws a very powerful stream of water with great force. They rigged up this hydraulic giant, and when I left Costa Rica they were actually washing the mountain away with it into the river."

WORST HORSE ON RECORD.

Lincoln Thought He Was Not Even Fit to Draw a Hearse to the Cemetery.

Lincoln used to be fond of telling a story which he got from Mr. Connant of a lawyer in a western town who desired the nomination for county judge, says the San Francisco Argonaut. On the morning preceding the evening on which the county convention was to meet he applied to the livery stable keeper in his village for a horse and buggy in which to drive to the county town, 16 miles distant, where the convention was to be held. "Give me the best and the fastest horse you have, Sam," said he, "so that I will have time to go around and see the boys before the convention comes in." The liveryman, however, was supporting a rival candidate, and gave the lawyer a horse that outwardly appeared perfect, but which broke down entirely before half the journey was completed, so that when the candidate arrived the convention had adjourned and his rival had been nominated.

On his return to the stable late the following afternoon, knowing that it was useless to resent the trick played upon him, he said to the owner: "Look here, Smith, you must be training this horse for the New York market. You expect to sell him to an undertaker for a hearse horse, don't you? Well, it's time wasted. I know from his gait that you have spent days training him to pull a hearse, but he'll prove a dead failure. Why, he's so slow he couldn't get a corpse to the cemetery in time for the resurrection."

Silken Garments in Ancient Days.

Silken raiment has a standing among the oldest garments in the world. Robes of that material were worn by men and women alike 2,500 years before the birth of Christ.

American Enterprise.

A wideawake American has erected steam pumps on the Jordan and is supplying churches all over Europe with genuine Jordan water.

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