

CURRENT HAPPENINGS

Flying Sparks From the Rapid Wheel of Time.

Items Definitely Caught and Spun into the Fleeting Story of the Week.

The farmers are busy haying this week.

Martin Hart, the Westport constable, is in town this week.

Ed Gibson and wife, of Covelo, were at the Grand last Sunday.

Rev. S. L. Sanford is sojourning at Duncann's springs this week.

N. P. Anderson came over from Mendocino on business this week.

A number of the valley schools have closed for the summer vacation.

A. and John Linser came down from Cummings on business this week.

Geo. E. Chittenden and daughter are visiting at the county seat this week.

H. W. Nell and wife of Potter were visitors to the county seat last Saturday.

Jerry Lierly, of the famous Lierly Resort, was down on business last Saturday.

Johnna Grindle and wife were among the constables registered at the Palace this week.

Fred Perkins, the Innkeeper of Mendocino, is a guest at the Palace this week.

The trial of Lambert for rape is slowly progressing in the superior court this week.

Sam McCune, the boss of the Greenwood woods, was registered at the Grand Monday.

The hop yards are in excellent condition this year and the hop men expect a large yield.

John Lane, of Manchester, is building political fences around the assessor's office this week.

A cement sidewalk is being put down in front of the express office and Whelan's Saloon.

Polk Shelton and W. T. Hopper and wife were among the Potter visitors to our busy this week.

A. M. Nuckolls closed the Willis school last Friday and is spending his vacation in this city.

Walter Hargrave has closed his school at Christine and is now busy at work on the Board of Education.

J. K. Bagwell and W. H. Goforth, of the Bolero Valley ranch, were seen on our streets last Monday.

Mrs. Stella Grinicki (nee Tarwater) of Stockton is visiting her niece, Mrs. Mattie Rhodes, this week.

John Flanagan, of Mendocino, attended the meeting of the Democratic State Central Committee last Saturday.

E. F. DeCamp, Johnny Rupp and D. L. Sawyer, prominent citizens of Willis, were down on business this week.

Robt. Roche of Ft. Bragg is enjoying life at the county seat this week. Robt. does not need an overcoat over here.

John Spencer and James and W. T. Eddie, prominent Potter citizens, were registered at the Grand last Saturday.

A. L. Gibson is down from Potter attending the meeting of the Board of Education. His school closed last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Marks of San Francisco are visiting friends in town this week. They are guests at the Grand.

Benjamin Zayner and Miss Lillie Kinball, of Mendocino, were married at Caspar last week by Rev. J. S. Ross.

Geo. Conrad and G. R. Redwine, of Covelo, are among the list of Round Valleyites in town attending court this week.

Mr. Albert Miller, of Riverside, and Miss Freda Yonke, of Willis, were married June 3d, by the Rev. G. W. Disher.

Scrofula, hip disease, salt rheum, dyspepsia and other diseases due to impure blood are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Miss Etta McGinnis, of Sonoma, after visiting friends in Roundville and Ukiah for a few weeks, returned home last Sunday.

R. X. Ryan, of the S. F. & N. P. R. R., was a pleasant visitor to our city this week. He was accompanied by his son and daughter.

H. E. Frost and James Byrnes, two prominent and influential democrats of the south coast, were pleasant callers at this office this week.

P. B. Westerman came down from Covelo Sunday to be on hand at the meeting of the Board of Education of which he is president.

H. A. Eldred, W. F. Whitney and L. D. Montagu, prominent citizens of Covelo, were doing jury duty at the county seat this week.

Ed Porter, who has been spending a few weeks at Upper Lake, returned to Ukiah Wednesday and will go over to the coast in a few days.

Fort Bragg is to have a grand 4th of July celebration this year. John O. Riddick, of this city, will deliver the oration on the occasion.

Do you suffer from weak eyes, ear trouble or catarrh of nose and throat? Consult Dr. McLeod at the Grand Hotel, Ukiah, June 27th and 28th.

Geo. Marshall, of Mendocino, who has been undergoing medical treatment in San Francisco for some time, has returned much improved in health.

Mrs. R. T. Bogue, Mrs. Mary Howard, came up from San Jose last Friday, and expect to spend some two months in the city visiting friends and relatives.

Sam Wilson, who took a trip to the Humboldt coast, returned to the city last Saturday and will be in town this week.

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A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

Thad Bowles Kills C. De Spain and Fatally Wounds Jas. Skiffington.

A Row at Petersen's Dance Hall Ends in a Fatal Shooting.

Thad Bowles, while under the influence of liquor last Saturday evening shot and killed C. De Spain, his brother-in-law, and fatally wounded James Skiffington. The affair took place a little beyond Comptche at Petersen's dance hall. It seems that Bowles was at the dance and was using vile and profane language in the hall in the hearing of ladies. Skiffington and young De Spain tried to get him to desist and finally got him to leave the hall.

When Bowles got outside he drew his revolver and ordered Skiffington to throw up his hands. Skiffington said, "Why should I throw up my hands?" At that moment De Spain attempted to prevent trouble, whereupon Bowles turned suddenly and shot De Spain dead and then shot Skiffington through the left lung, fatally wounding him.

Bowles then returned to Comptche where he was employed as a blacksmith and remained till Constables Connolly and DeWolfe arrived. He was then taken to Mendocino where he awaits his preliminary examination. Latest reports from Mendocino state that Skiffington is not expected to live. De Spain was a highly respected young man and was industrious and peaceable. He was away from school studying law, but was out on a vacation working to get money to complete his education. Skiffington was also a peaceable man. Bowles has been a number of years before going to Comptche.

The local Rebekah Lodge held a reception Monday evening last in honor of Mrs. H. N. Carpenter, celebrating her election as Vice President of the Rebekah Assembly. The following officers were elected for the term beginning July 1st: Emma Donohoe, N. G.; Mattie Rhodes, V. G.; Celia Lobree, Sec'y.; Mary Orr, Treas.

Pen S. Aldred, a former Ukiah boy, has enlisted with the "cow boy" regiment of Arizona (Territory). He passed his physical examination in San Antonio, Texas, with high credit and received the appointment of steward of hospital. He is in excellent health and is now on his way to Cuba. That Pen will "do" a splendid job is the wish of his many friends here.

W. M. Peery's announcement for Coroner and Public Administrator will be found in another column. Mr. Peery is known in almost every section of the county and needs no introduction. He has served the county in an able manner in years past, being elected Recorder for two terms, and would make a competent and reliable official. His wide acquaintance would make him a strong candidate.

The entertainment to be given at Mason's Lyceum, June 17th, by the Ukiah branch of the Associated Department of the Western Conservatory of Music promises to be a rare treat. The proceeds of the entertainment will be given to the Red Cross Society for the use in purchasing supplies for the American soldiers at Manila. All should turn out and swell the proceeds. Tickets at Keller & McClure's.

In another column will be found the announcement of D. M. Gibson for County Treasurer. Mr. Gibson was County Treasurer for two terms from 1888 to 1892, besides filling out the unexpired term of James Fowler. He made an excellent officer and was always honest, upright and was always elected by large majorities. His previous good record will make him a formidable candidate and should he receive the nomination there will be no doubt as to the result of the election.

During the summer of 1891, Mr. Ghas. P. Johnson, a well known attorney of Louisville, Ky., had a very severe attack of summer complaint. Quite a number of different remedies were tried, but failed to afford any relief. A friend who knew what was needed procured him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which quickly cured him and he thinks, saved his life. He says that there has not been a day since that time that he has not had this remedy in his household. He speaks of it in the highest praise and takes much pleasure in recommending it whenever an opportunity is offered. For sale by J. R. Mathews, City Pharmacy.

Miss Emma English returned from Santa Rosa Monday, where she had been attending the Epworth League conference.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm has no equal as a household liniment. It is the best remedy known for rheumatism, lame back, neuralgia, while for sprains, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds and sore throat, it is invaluable. Works like magic. For sale by J. R. Mathews, City Pharmacy.

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The Hop Market.

Markets are virtually dead, as far as wholesale trading is concerned, and there is little doing in a retail or jobbing way. Offerings from first hands do not make much of a showing, but small as they are, they are almost wholly neglected. It will be surprising to have any special activity or firmness developed during the balance of the season. New hops will be on market in about 90 days. Good to choice, 1897 crop. . . . 10 @ 13

A New York authority gives the following review of the hop market, the advice being furnished by mail or late date:

The weather has been rainy almost every day this week, which has seriously interfered with the movement of stock and caused an exceedingly dull trade. The absence of business has not changed the ideas of holders, however, and there has been no anxiety to sell, except, possibly, the poor Oregon, which are still a drag on the market. This latter class of stock has been a burden ever since it began arriving here, and it is certainly a misfortune to the trade that it was picked. Some of the lots are entirely without lupulin, nearly every barrel at 6c, and perhaps 5c would be accepted. Outside of these, the Pacific coast stock is held at 9@14c for ordinary to really prime, and a few growths of choice main in first hands, for which 10c is asked and obtained when anyone wants them. The stock is largely of grades worth, say, 10@14c; a really choice article can hardly be found. Advice from the hop sections of this State and from all points in the West do not indicate any material change in the condition of the yards. —Rural Press.

Real Estate Transfers.

H B Mason to M Ouchling—land in sec 30, tp 23 r 17. \$1400.
N Wagenseiler to R A Ohm—lot in Ukiah. \$1400.
J J Miller to E Emphfield—88 acres adjacent to Ukiah. \$1400.
A Snuffin to G E Jamison—lot in Ukiah. \$1400.
W M Wilson to E Holbrook—lot in Centerville. \$1400.
R McGarvey to H Barker—lot near Hopland. \$1400.
M Mauritzen to J Borgeon—land in sec 6 tp 23 r 17. \$1400.
Union Lbr Co to H A Waller—13 acres adjacent to Ft Bragg. \$1400.
R O Gates to J Hays—lot in Ft Bragg. \$1400.
B F Gates to Same—lot in Ft Bragg. \$1400.
H Hobb to Same—lot in Ft Bragg. \$1400.
F W McEwen to E A McEwen—lot 4 sec 18, tp 23 r 17. \$1400.
J J McEwen to E A McEwen—lot 5 sec 22 tp 23 r 17. \$1400.
F W McEwen to A S Jardine—ne 1/4 of sec 19 tp 10 r 15. \$1400.
N Carlton to W N Dutton—sw 1/4 of sec 20 tp 20 r 15. \$1400.
B F Day to J W Mosler—land in sec 12 tp 13 r 14. \$1400.
F E Armstrong to F C Albertson—lot in Ukiah. \$1400.
J P. Jaram at deceased (by sheriff) to Bank of Ukiah—Eden valley ranch, \$40,000.
Geo Mast (by sheriff) to J A Cooper—e 1/2 of sec 20 tp 18 r 13. \$1400.
L Pullen to W S Pullen—frac sec 17 tp 16 r 17. \$1400.
C Stewart to G G McMath—lot in Fort Bragg. \$1400.
S Hornbrook (by sheriff) to G Hagans—nw 1/4 sec 7 tp 22 r 12. \$1400.
F Standley to F Curtis—lot in Ukiah. \$1400.

How to Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look. If your stomach be disordered, you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys be affected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health, and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good alternative and tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys. Purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at J. R. Mathews' Drug Store. 50 cents per bottle.

For Sale or Rent.

Nine room residence, 2 acres of orchard in bearing and 5 acres farming land, about one-fourth mile north of Court House in Ukiah and near High School building, known as "Poage Place." This property is for sale or for rent by the year. Apply to W. G. Poage, Ukiah, Cal.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who are indebted to me upon either notes or bills not to pay the same to any other person except myself, unless such person has an order for the payment of said note or bill dated subsequent to the date of this notice.

Dated this 31st day of May, A. D. 1898.

J. B. J. CARP.

Strayed.

From Eden valley about two months ago, a light gray driving mare, unbranded, light built, with fresh mark on breast, and formerly owned by Bert Gibson. Any one having information or the mare with Bert Gibson, or the undersigned, will be suitably rewarded.

G. W. GIBSON.

Wanted.

1,000 hogs and 500 head of cattle. J. A. KATZING, Ukiah, Cal. \$1400.

Carriages For Sale.

One nice survey and one nice phaeton left in my care to sell. Apply to W. H. MILLER.

The pastor of St. John's M. E. church

will preach the annual Temperance sermon on Sunday morning in connection with Children's Day services. In the evening the young people will present a unique program entitled, "Picture of Heroic Methodism."

Walter A. Wood Mower to exchange

for Hay by J. A. Gibson.

Smith & Gibson are buying sheep and cattle for the San Francisco market.

Stockmen will do well to consult them before selling.

For Rent.

Nice front room in the DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT Building suitable for office. Terms reasonable. Apply at this office.

Up-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed to cure hemorrhoids, piles, itching, burning, blood pur. 50c. All druggists.

Wool Sale.

Wool sale day will take place in Ukiah Tuesday, June 28th, 1898. \$1400.

Now Wanted.

For family use, giving from 18 to 20 quarts of milk per day by W. A. Hoffman.

Occupation positively cured.

MR. P. B. GIBSON, proprietor of Ukiah, has given up his occupation of a physician and has become a druggist. He has been cured of his occupation and has become a druggist. He has been cured of his occupation and has become a druggist.

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Special Notices.

Every Line of Special Notices to the Reader.

Abbe Marks' new style hats are beautiful. For fine shoes go to W. A. Hoffman's. Remember you can buy, sell, rent or exchange books at Murphy's.

Get Miller's three-seated survey for funerals.

For a stylish, cheap and durable hat try O. Hoffman.

If you want to get the best goods at the lowest prices go to the Great Eastern Bargain House, Ukiah, Cal.

New line of matings just received at Murphy's.

The only up to date stock of shoes in Mendocino county is at W. A. Hoffman's Emporium. He sells them as cheap as the other shoe stores in Ukiah have gone out of business.

Read what the San Francisco Business College says on page 1.