

OUR COUNTY . . .
Correspondents

Communications from our several correspondents must reach this office not later than Wednesday noon to insure publication.

Jacksonville News.

Judge H. K. Hanna left Monday for Oakland, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lance, of Footh Creek, paid Jacksonville a visit Monday.

Mrs. P. W. Olwell and daughter, of Central Point, visited Jacksonville Monday.

Rev. S. H. Jones returned Saturday from a trip to Vancouver, Seattle and Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Kenney and Mrs. Minnie Obenchain left Wednesday for Sprague river valley.

Attorney Robert G. Smith, of Grants Pass, was in Jacksonville this week upon legal business.

Geo. H. Himes, secretary of the Oregon Historical Society, spent several days in Jacksonville recently.

Rev. J. T. Summerville, presiding elder of the M. E. Church, held quarterly meeting in this city Sunday.

Mrs. A. M. Berry has returned home from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Mary DeLamatter, at Gold Hill.

Mrs. Newbury and daughter, Mrs. Chas. A. Moore, have returned home from Coolestu, where they spent a week.

Miss Kate Cronmiller, who has been visiting relatives at Crescent City for the past month, returned to Jacksonville Saturday.

Henry Ireland, one of the forest rangers, was in Jacksonville last week after supplies. Harry Luy returned with him for a week's outing.

Rev. Holt, of Portland, Presbyterian synodical missionary, and Rev. A. Haberly, of Medford, visited Rev. S. H. Jones, of this city, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Saltmarsh and daughter arrived from Portland recently and are visiting Mrs. W. H. Venable. They will locate in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Newber, Miss E. O'Brien, Mrs. Harrison and son and Mrs. Chas. Pierce returned last week from a two months' outing at Cinnabar.

The Jacksonville public school opened Monday with a good attendance, notwithstanding the fact that a number of families are absent from town.

Mrs. Wm. Colvig returned Tuesday from Portland, where she has been for several weeks receiving medical treatment. She is much improved in health.

Sheriff Alex. Orme and Geo. F. Merriman, of Medford, left Sunday for Salem, where they took Hector, alias Willoughby, who was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary for forgery, and J. S. Preston, sentenced to five years for highway robbery.

Married—At the county judge's office, in Jacksonville, Judge Chas. Prim officiating, on September 2d, A. T. Rowe and Georgia A. Ford; September 3d, Frank Norton and May Belle Hollanback; September 7th, M. C. Steward and Edsel Cortbell.

The pioneer reunion, held at Ashland last Thursday, was a success in every particular. Among those who attended from Jacksonville were Senator and Mrs. Cameron, S. J. Day and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beckman, Mesdames John Miller, Callender, E. Lang, T. J. Kenney, M. Obenchain, A.

Ulrich, V. Helms, Elizabeth Kenney, J. O. Whipp, Chas. Prim, M. Ogleby, J. R. Neil, Misses Lillie Taylor, Mollie Britt, Mabel Prim, Emma Armstrong, Mesars. S. Taylor and John Miller.

Your Face

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Gold Hill Items.

BY SPECTATOR.

Miss Nellie Ray spent Saturday in Medford.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Landreth, of this place, Monday, Sept. 2, 1901, a boy.

Harry Harvey is having lumber, for a new cottage, placed on his lots in the south side of town.

Mr. L. A. Roberts of Sams Valley was in town Tuesday. He was on his way to Waldo, where he will locate.

Mrs. Vose, who has spent two weeks visiting relatives and friends in Roseburg, returned home last week.

Mrs. G. R. Hammersley returned last week from her extended trip to Iowa, where she has been visiting relatives.

Miss Floy McNeill, of this place, is employed at the Dardanelles district in "teaching the young idea how to shoot."

Mrs. J. Owens and Mrs. S. Fleming, both of Hornbrook, Calif., are visiting their mother, Mrs. Wyatt, at this place.

Mr. A. Cunningham, formerly of this place has purchased property in Grants Pass and moved his family there to reside permanently.

Mr. W. E. Darling and Ed Lemming returned, Tuesday, from their extended trip in Klamath Co., where they have spent the summer in the harvest fields.

Mr. Lee Minkler, of Ashland, has purchased the confectionery stock and business of McDonough & Samuels, at this place, and will take possession immediately.

Field & Co. have purchased the entire stock of dry goods and groceries from N. G. Rogers, at this place, and moved them to their store. Mr. Rogers will move his family to Oregon City, where he has a position awaiting him.

Mrs. Chas. Stacey, of Medford, accompanied by her sister, Miss May Kellogg, tarried awhile with us Tuesday on their return trip from Grants Pass, where they have been visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kellogg.

Prof. J. P. Wells came down from Ashland last Saturday, to assume the duties as principal of our school. But school which was intended to have commenced last Monday, was delayed one week on account of the nonarrival of the school books which will not be here until Friday.

Mrs. W. T. Reames, who has spent the summer at Crescent City, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marhofer, returned last Friday. She, in company with her father and mother, spent several days in San Francisco, while on their way. Mr. and Mrs. Marhofer will extend their trip to Eastern states.

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Central Point Items.

Henry Gregory is quite ill at the family home in this precinct.

Dr. Cole is spending the week at his homestead on Big Butte creek.

Mrs. D. J. Stidham fell from her wheel last week and broke her left arm.

A. Heatherly and family, of Lake Creek, have become residents of our town.

Wm. Carey, of Gold Hill, spent a day here this week looking after his property.

Mrs. Mark Welch, who has been visiting relatives in Kansas, arrived home Tuesday.

Albert Pankey, clerk at Hotel Oregon at Ashland, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Edward Foster, of Beagle, is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Cornish.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pankey, of Bly, Klamath County, are spending a few weeks here with relatives.

J. A. Mann and family, who have been working in the hop yard near Grants Pass, returned home Sunday.

Rev. F. O. Bumpus, of Medford, is holding a revival meeting in the Baptist Church this week. All are cordially invited to attend.

Fred Peninger and family have moved to the Merritt residence, on

Railroad street, and will remain in town for the winter.

Olwell Bros. and W. H. Norcross have a large number of fruit packers employed at each of their respective orchards and ship several carloads of apples each week.

Prof. A. J. Hanby is building some additions to his residence and raising the old building on a higher foundation, and when finished will be one of the neatest little cottages in the town.

C. G. Duncan and family will leave for Iowa next week, where they go to make their future home. These are good people whom we are sorry to see leave us, but wish them success wherever they go.

At the home of David Grim in this city last Wednesday, a happy wedding party gathered to listen to the words which united the hearts of George E. Wilcox and Miss Clara Grim, by Rev. J. C. Gregory. Both these young people have many friends who wish them much happiness in their new relation.

Rev. J. C. Gregory closed a three years' pastorate as minister of the M. E. Church here this week and himself and family left for Hillsboro Tuesday, where he will attend the M. E. Church conference, and will receive his appointment for next year's work. Whatever congregation gets him for their minister will be fortunate, as nothing but good words can be said of Mr. Gregory and most estimable family, and they leave a host of warm friends here.

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Connation Creek Items.

Born—On August 30, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winkle, a son.

Mrs. Belle Winkle visited her aunt, Mrs. Eli Dahack, one day last week.

Mrs. E. M. Cox and daughter, Edith, of Big Butte, were visiting friends here last Thursday.

John Maham, who has been staying with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Winkle, has returned home.

O. H. Winkle, who has been at Montague, Calif., for the past six months, returned home last week.

Miss Rosetta Maham has returned home from a week's stay with Mrs. John Smith, who has been quite ill.

Miss Lottie Conover, accompanied by John Winkle, is paying a visit to her uncle, Frank Johnson, and family, on Rogue river.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Williams, of Yreka, Calif., accompanied by Mr. Williams' mother, are here on a visit to Mrs. Williams' father, D. B. Winkle, and family.

Misses Lottie Conover, Samantha and Vera Menter and Rosetta Maham and Messrs. John, Edward and D. B. Winkle were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winkle last Saturday.

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Brownsville Items.

BY REBECCA.

C. E. Terrill is moving his hay to town where he is storing it for sale during the winter.

Delbert Terrill drove a fine band of cattle through town Wednesday on his way to the valley.

J. C. Geer is running an express wagon between the Fish Lake ditch camp and Medford.

Wm. Martin, of Lake Creek, returned home a few days since, after spending the summer east of the mountains.

Miss Edith Cox, of Big Butte, accompanied her brother to Central Point Monday, where she is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Praul.

Our town is busy with the motion and commotion of wagons—men with their families jostling on towards the ditch line; parties going to or from the various places of resort; besides our own people hauling and delivering their produce or taking it on to a further market.

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D. ANDERTON.

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MEETING OF ROGUE RIVER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

The Rogue River Baptist Association was called to order in its twenty-fourth annual meeting September 5th, at 10 a. m., at the First Baptist Church. After prayer, Rev. A. M. Russell, of Ashland, was chosen moderator; Leon Howard, clerk, and Arthur Conklin, treasurer.

Rev. A. Merley, pastor of the Talent Baptist Church, preached the opening sermon from L. Kings, viii:44, 45. The Church of Christ is confronted by an enemy as real as ever confronted the people of Israel. The enemy that confronts the church is tenacious, persistent, relentless, and pushes its work with sleepless vigilance. It can be resisted and overcome only by the aid of divine wisdom and power. God's power is tendered his people. Faithfulness to him will bring ultimate and glorious triumph. This sermon, which closed the morning session, was listened to with deep interest.

Thursday afternoon Arthur Conklin read a paper on "How to Make the Sabbath School Most Efficient." The paper was well prepared and full of suggestions. In the discussion that followed Rev. Merley said the paper was adapted to schools where they had abundant facilities but did not give any practical information for the little country school. What would you do where you have not enough Christians to teach the classes? Rev. Crandall said that for 1900 years people had been trying to become like the ideal man but no one had yet succeeded; that the paper presented the ideal Sabbath school. We may not be able to reach the model and the wise thing for us to do is to use the material at hand according to our best ability. The teacher of a class may become a Christian because of the feeling of inability to teach others. Miss Russ called attention to the fact that the difficulty of finding teachers is not peculiar to the smaller places. Dr. Blackburn said that the attempt to instruct and interest the entire school with the uniform lessons was impracticable. We would not expect to succeed in the public school with any such system. Lessons should be given adapted to the different classes the same as in the public school. He would rather have a teacher that was not a Christian who had ability to teach than a Christian who had no such ability. The next subject was "Women's Work in Missions." Mrs. S. L. Bennett read a paper on "Women's Mission." Your scribe did not succeed in getting the topics but most helpful papers were read by Mrs. Blodgett, Mrs. Paddock and Miss Russ. Remarks were made by Rev. Crandall. A beautiful duet was sung by Misses Artie Bennett and Otie Kame.

At the evening service Rev. Moore read the Scripture lesson and Rev. Haberly led the congregation in prayer. The choir sang some inspiring selections and Miss Webb rendered the beautiful solo, "Come Unto Me," with such subdued spirit as to awaken the tenderest emotions in every heart. Rev. Alexander Blackburn, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, Portland, was introduced as the preacher of the evening. He took as his text Col. 1:27, "Christ in us the hope of glory." The doctor said in part: "Things without life have their glory from without. This is seen in sculpture: the outline, the pose, the form, the likeness are all outside. In painting: the form, the color, the tone, are on the canvas. The glory of things with life is from within. The seed germs from which spring the beauty and glory of the flowers, the trees and the ripening grain are within the seed. The glory of man is from within, and the best in man is the Christ life, the Christ character, the Christ power. Environment may have, does have, much to do with us, but with correct principles and noble aspirations a person may become practically independent of evil environment. For illu-

stration, what is more beautiful than the water lily? But run your hand down the stalk and there is scum and slime and noxious weeds. Why did so beautiful a flower come up through that mass of drift and decay? It is because of life in the bulb, and so in the very slums of society there is the possibility of noble manhood and womanhood if Christ is formed within the heart. Christ in the Christian is the hope of glory for the individual, the home, the community, the nation, the world." The sermon was simple in arrangement, pleasing in language, deep in thought, earnest and convincing in delivery, and the large audience listened with unflagging interest from beginning to close. Friday forenoon the first subject for consideration was "Foreign Missions." Rev. A. M. Russell, of Ashland, was the first speaker. The reaching out to take in the whole world has been the cause of our rapid development. The confining of our work and our sympathies to ourselves will so narrow us that we will exhaust ourselves. The true missionary spirit is the world wide missionary spirit. To work for the home field alone is to be a respecter of persons; this is unlike God, who is no respecter of persons. At Pentecost every language was spoken. Pentecost means that the gospel is for the world. Sisters Satterfield, Davis and Russ and Revs. Slover and Crandall also spoke upon the subject. Rev. H. L. Boardman, president of McMinnville college, being introduced, gave an address upon "Home and State Missions." The spirit of home and foreign missions is one spirit. The true spirit of work is "beginning at Jerusalem." Some people neglect their own homes in their efforts to reach their neighbors. Beginning at Jerusalem is essential to reaching out to the uttermost parts of the earth. The law is from the center to the circumference; Christianize America if you want to be of the largest use in Christianizing the world. No Christian has a right to be a pessimist; no man has a right to say we cannot do anything until Christ comes in person. The great gospel principles have their vital power today truly as in the ages past. Organization is necessary, but organization is not the assurance of success; there must be the spirit or else there will be failure. What we need is a spiritual revival. This closed the morning session. Soon after the association met in the afternoon word came that President McKinley was assassinated, and a hush of consternation and inexpressible sorrow came over the gathering. The afternoon session was devoted to the young people's work. President Boardman gave an address, taking as his subject, "Bondage to Christ." The supreme need in the young people's work is consecration. The slave of Christ is absolutely the only free man. We glory in the abolition of human slavery, but slavery in itself had some remarkably beautiful phases, as for example, the kind master and the slave that could not be stolen away because of his affection for his master. This illustrates a great truth that ought to be realized in the life of the Christian for Christ—a blessed bondage, because it is a bondage in Christ. The great curse of human slavery is its involuntariness; Christ will have none but voluntary slaves. The slave is not bothered with the cares of the plantation, so the child of God is to do the service required and leave the weight of management with the Master. The man who belongs to Christ is respected; the man who belongs to nobody is not respected. Everyone, however, belongs to somebody, Christ or a worse master. The question is, whose slave, Christ's or a worse master's? R. M. Eberle read a paper on "The Modern Temperance Movement." The paper was requested for publication. At the evening session the following resolutions were adopted by a rising vote, the entire audience voting:

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hour of the nation's sorrow, therefore, "RESOLVED, That we join all who in our great nation desire to express their deep sympathy with the wife of our beloved president and all who are near and dear to them. "RESOLVED, That we express our deepest disapprobation at the diabolical conduct of the would-be assassin. "RESOLVED, That we sincerely pray that our beloved president may be spared to carry forward the affairs of our nation over which he has been twice chosen to preside." Several hymns were sung by the choir at the evening service. Rev. Merley led in prayer, and Mrs. Vawter sang "He Shall Lead Me Like a Shepherd." The sentiment of the selection, the spiritual fervor, the full, rich, sweet tones of the soloist enraptured the audience and impressed every heart with the wondrous truth of the gracious leadership of the divine Christ. President Boardman delivered a sermon from Isaiah vi:1-9, taking as his theme, "The Making a Prophet." A sight of God reveals man's imperfection and need; a sight of God creates a desire to be like him. The likeness to God can be produced only by divine cleansing. This divine cleansing creates a desire to serve him. Though President Boardman had spoken twice through the day he seemed fresh and unwearied. He is a deep, clear thinker and seems to have inexhaustible resources from which to draw. Surely there are no sluggards in the McMinnville college. The Association closed Saturday at noon. The attendance was remarkably large throughout, the entire meeting was crowded with good things, and all the delegates proclaimed it the best associational gathering for many years.

Report of Grand Jury.

To the Honorable Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County. The Grand Jury, duly drawn for the September, 1901, term of the above entitled court, respectfully submit the following report of its labors as such Grand Jury: The Grand Jury has investigated all of the cases brought before it by complaining witnesses, and in each of said cases has carefully and diligently looked into all the facts concerning the alleged commission of crime. That it has returned "not a true bill" in one case for the reason that it felt the public interest required that it should make a report upon the same, and for a further reason that such report was desired by the parties concerned. As to the other cases investigated by the Grand Jury, there was not sufficient evidence produced by the complaining parties to justify indictment. In some of the cases the Grand Jury believes that time may develop sufficient evidence to justify the district attorney in proceeding further in the matters. The Grand Jury has inspected the county poorhouse, and respectfully suggests that it has found the building in which the county poor are kept in a dirty and untidy condition; that the inmates thereof complained to all members of the Grand Jury that their beds were unclean; that they were so troubled with bedbugs that many of them could not sleep at night; that the food with which they are supplied is poor; that they are provided with very little fresh meat and that is frequently unwholesome; they are provided with very little fresh fruit and with no sugar for such as is provided for them. The Grand Jury criticises severely the manner in which said poorhouse is conducted. The Grand Jury has made the accustomed inspection of the county records and files, but this inspection has necessarily been so hurried and incomplete that the Grand Jury is unable to say more than that the records appear to be neatly kept and in good order. Respectfully submitted, O. K. KLUM, Foreman, J. M. DEWS, A. L. VINCENT, MICHAEL SIDLEY, JAMES MCDUGGAL, R. H. WHITEHEAD, JOHN S. ORTH. Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

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