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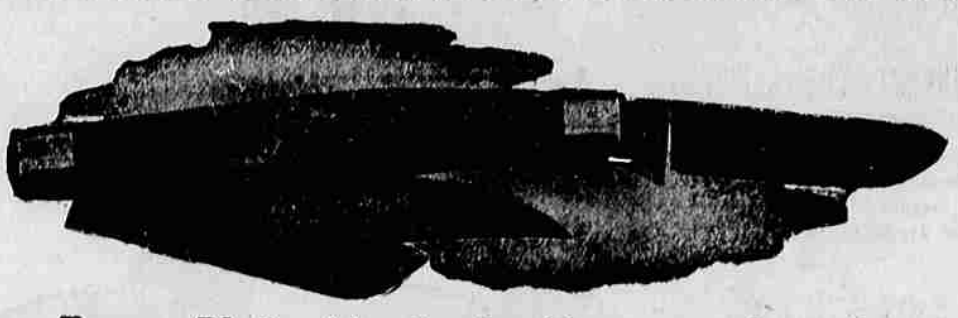

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## OUR COUNTY . . . Correspondents

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

### Jacksonville News.

BY S. N. E.

Mrs. C. Reuter is at The Dalles.

Rev. S. H. Jones is at Reno, Nevada.

C. L. Reames was at Grants Pass Saturday.

Mrs. H. E. Ankeny arrived from Eugene Tuesday.

Hon H. E. Ankeny has returned from Klamath Co.

Mrs. Silas J. Day is at Walla Walla, visiting her father.

Judge Prim was at Medford professionally one day last week.

Mrs. J. C. Whipp, of Ashland, was in Jacksonville Decoration Day.

O. Harbaugh made a trip into the Butte creek section last week.

Geo. Birdsey has returned to his home on Foots creek for the summer.

John Devlin and wife, of Applegate, spent Thursday in Jacksonville.

Miss Gertrude McCallen, of Ashland, attended the Gale–Colvig wedding.

Deputy County Clerk Williamson and J. W. Myers visited Ashland last week.

Timothy Dugan, of Eagle Point, visited relatives and friends here Tuesday.

Walter Applegate, deputy recorder, was at Ashland the latter part of the week.

Mrs. A. E. Reames has been visiting Mrs. Geo. E. Howland, of Grants Pass.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Cameron, of Medford, attended the Gale—Colvig wedding Thursday.

F. K. Bolton, of Ashland, and daughter, Miss Winnie, were visitors here Memorial Day.

Gus Newbury is in charge of the law office of Wm. Colvig during the absence of the latter.

Mrs. P. J. Bannon, of Granite, Oregon, is visiting her mother, Mrs. N. A. Dowell, of Portland.

Ralph Dean and family, of Willow Springs precinct, visited Jacksonville friends Saturday.

Hon. E. A. Reames delivered an address at the Soldiers' Home, Roseburg, Decoration Day.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Humason, of Medford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reames Sunday.

Misses Mary Colvig, Bertha Prim and Kate Plymale were Medford visitors during the past week.

Judge and Mrs. H. K. Hanna, with their son Herbert, arrived home Sunday from California.

T. D. Ross and family, of Central Point, were among the many in Jacksonville Decoration Day.

Wm. Bybee, the well known pioneer who has been quite ill, is somewhat improved at this writing.

Senator Hunt was in Jacksonville last week inspecting the Reames gas plant, which has been out of running order.

Misses Ethel Flory and V. Stansell were delegates from Jacksonville to the Jackson Co. Sunday school convention held at Medford last week.

Mrs. A. H. Russell, of Ashland, was in Jacksonville last week, having come down to oversee some work being done by her in the cemetery here.

The annual recital of the puplis of the musical department of St. Mary's Academy, of this city, will take place on the evening of Friday, June 5th.

A special school meeting has been called for June 8th by the directors for the purpose of authorizing them to issue negotiable interest bearing bonds to the amount of $550.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Dorris, of Eugene, announce the engagement of their daughter, Stella Pitt, to Dr. Chas. A. Macrum, of Portland. The wedding will take place early in June.

Mrs. John S. Taylor, of Princeton, Indiana, who has been visiting her uncle, S. R. Taylor, and family, left for Pocatella, Idaho, where she will visit her brothers before returning home.

Hon. Wm. M. Colvig left Friday for St. Paul, Minn., to attend the Supreme Lodge of the A. O. U. W., which meets in that city on June 9th. Mr. Colvig expects to be absent a month.

W. C. Deneff has been at Ashland circulating a petition to the county court, asking for the building of a new county road up the Big Applegate. The petition meets with the approval of a great number.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Fred Reese and Fannie C. Birdsey, Rowe G. Gale and Helen M. Colvig, Wm. C. Kenney and Cora B. Little, Adam M. Shutt and Laura M. Amidon, S. M. Stone and Diania Wulfe.

The entertaiment last Thursday evening by the Jacksonville Public school, to defray the expenses of the commencement exercises, netted $61.75 for the sale of seats, quite a sum of which will be added to the library fund.

There were no public exercises here on Memorial Day. Many persons from different parts of the county visited the cemetery here to decorate the graves of their loved ones and Jacksonville's cemetery never looked more beautiful with its profusion of beautiful flowers.

Following is the program of the commencement exercises Friday evening:

Chorus, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep"
Invocation
Instrumental Duet, "With Wind and Tide," Mrs. Gus Newbury and Delia Reuter
Oration, "Benefits of Inventions to the Laborer" — Bertha I. Prim
Oration, "Character of the Germans during the Middle Ages" — Mary Emma Grimes
Piano Solo — Wm. Muller
Oration, "The Philippine Islands" — George O. Henry
Vocal Solo, Selected — Mrs. Frank Otis Krause
Oration, "The Isthmian Canal" — Jesse Carr Applegate
Vocal Solo, Selected — Miss Margaret E. Krause
Oration, "The History of Jacksonville" — Jessie Beulah Wilson
Presentation of Diplomas
Class Address — Prof. J. Percy Wells
Chorus, "There's a Lonely Cottage by the Seaside"

GALE–COLVIG WEDDING.

One of the prettiest weddings that Jacksonville has seen for some time, was solemnized at high noon on Thursday, May 28th, at the residence of Hon. and Mrs. Wm. Colvig, when their daughter, Helen, was united in marriage to Dr. R. G. Gale, Rev. T. A. Daughters, pastor of the Episcopal church, of Grants Pass, officiated, following the impressive ring ceremony which was witnessed only by relatives and a few immediate friends of the contracting parties. The Colvig home was tastefully decorated with ivy and a profusion of roses. As the bridal party entered the parlor, the beautiful strains of the wedding march from Mendelssohn was played by Gertrude McCallen, of Ashland. The bride was attired in a pretty gown of white organdie over cream taffeta and carried Bride's roses. After congratulations the bridal party and guests sat down to an elaborate luncheon, after which Dr. and Mrs. Gale left for Portland, where they will spend a few days, going to San Francisco by steamer and spending sometime there. Many beautiful presents were received by the bride who is a very charming and popular young lady. The bride's bouquet was caught by her sister, Miss Mary Colvig. Many good wishes and a shower of rice accompanied the happy couple. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Birdsey, Mrs. C. A. Birdsey, R. G. Harrison, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Miller; Misses Margaret Krause, Edith Webb, Certrude McCallen and Ernest Welch.

Following is the entertainment and graduating exercises of the Jacksonville public school: The Jacksonville public school closed a successful year with an entertainment Thursday evening, participated in chiefly by the pupils of the primary, intermediate and grammar grades, with choruses by the High School scholars. Miss Stella M. Case, teacher of elocution at the Ashland Normal, and Goldwin Herndon, a student of that same institution, contributing not a little to the success of the evening. Miss Case is no stranger to a Jacksonville audience, as was evinced by the persistent encores she received, gracefully responding each time. Mr. Herndon is a pianist of rare ability and his selections were great treats. A pleasing feature of the program was the piano selection by Frances Kenney and a violin solo by Leon Hanna with piano accompaniment by Donald L. Colvig. A recitation, "Little Miltiades Peterkin Paul," by Della Wilson showed marked ability of the young miss. A doll drill by the little girls of the primary department, a scarf drill by the intermediate and a drill and song, "The Red, White and Blue," by the grammar department were numbers of especial interest on the program. The several choruses by the High School scholars, with Ruth Peter as accompanist on the piano, were heartily applauded. Friday evening the U. S. Hall was thronged to witness the graduating exercises of the High School. On the stage, decorated in the class colors, pink and green, the five graduates received their diplomas from their principal. The class of 1903, composed of Bertha Prim, Emma Grimes, Jessie Wilson, Geo. O. Henry and Jesse C. Applegate. Clara, Elmer and Grace Raypholtz, graduates of the eighth grade, were also awarded diplomas. The orations of the graduates, one and all, showed much thought and research. This class certainly acquitted themselves splendidly. A profusion of beautiful flowers were presented to the graduates by admiring friends. The address to the class by Prof. J. Percy Wells was replete with counsel and wise admonitions to these beginners in life's battle. The principal, Prof. E. E. Washburn, and the teachers of the different grades of the Jacksonville public school were the recipients of much favorable comment for the success that has attended the school throughont the year.


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### Central Point Items.

The famers are now hauling in the first crop of alfalfa hay.

Miss Ella Hoover, of Jacksonville, spent a day here last week.

Mrs. O. C. Purkeypile, of Gold Hill, spent last week with relatives here.

The frost did considerable damage to the gardens on Bear creek lately.

F. M. Amy shipped a large quanity of wheat from here the past week.

Robert Newman left for Fort Klamath Wednesday to spend the summer.

Mrs. T. A. Newman and children and Miss Bessie Lee, were at Medford Tuesday.

G. W. Little and Lee Ingram left for Lake county the first of the week to spend the summer.

Clinton Purkeypile, of Gold Hill, is spending the week with his Grandmother Mrs. Maria Purkeypile.

Mr. Eldridge, of Seattle, is here looking for a home, and when he finds a place to suit, he will send for his family.

Chas. Tompkins who has been herding sheep for J. W. Merritt, left for Tehama, Calif., Wednesday, to pay his sister a visit.

Mrs Wm. Moreland, of Indiana Territory, arrived here last week. Mr. Moreland has been here some time, and has concluded to locate

The Central Point school directors have elected the following teachers for next year's school: Principal, A. J. Hanby; grammer school, Miss Haley; intermediate, Mrs. A. J. Hanby, primary, Miss Zuda Owens.

Prof. B. J. Mulkey, President of the Southern Oregon Normal School, delivered the Buccalaureate address to the graduating class last Sunday evening, it was very able, and most eloquent, and nothing but words of praise are spoken by those who were there.

Rev. M. L. Darby, of Medford, delivered the address here on Decoration Day. The W. R. C. gave a musical and literary program, after which the G. A. R. accompanied by the citizens marched to the cemetery and strewed flowers on the graves of the loved ones.

On Sunday, at the residence of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Little, Miss Cora Little was united in marriage to Mr. William Kinney, Elder Thomas M. Jones, of the Christian church officiating. The bride was beautifully gowned in white silk, the groom wore the customary black. Only relatives and a few intimate friends were in attendance. The young couple are well known here, and their many friends extend congratulations.

GRADUATING EXERCISES.

The following is the progrm for the graduating exercises, of the Central Point High School, Friday evening, June 5th 1903, at the Brick hall.

Song Chorus — Class
Invocation — Rev. E. B. Lockhart
Vocal Duet, "Beautiful Moonlight" — Mrs. Maude Boswell, Miss Lula Beall
Salutatory — Mary Yocum
Instrumental Solo — Selected — Miss Stella Pleasants
Recitation — Drafted — Ada Ditsworth
Mandolin and Guitar Duet — Lenree Fay and Glenn Pleasants
Oration — The Negro and The South — Nora E. Beebe
Vocal Solo — Will I Find my Mamma There — Fay Pleasants
Essay — The Beauty of Nature — Cordie Gilmore
Instrumental Solo — Selected — Mrs. W. H. Norcross
Recitation — The Rival Painters — Maud Van Vleit
Vocal Solo — Believe — Mrs. J. W. Merritt
Class History — Lottie Kincaid
Instrumental Solo — Belle Bennett
Class Prophecy — Myrtle Corum
Piano and Violin Duet — Norma Mrs. W. H. and Eva Norcross
Oration — Marc Antony Valedictory — Julia olson
Presentation of Diplomas
Class Address — Prof. E. E. Washburn
Instrumental Duet — Selected — Mrs. Stella Purkeypile, Miss Lula Beall


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### Woodville Items.

Henry Laws left Tuesday for Roseburg, on business.

Election day was very quiet there being only 45 votes cast.

Mr. and Mrs. Dusenberry, of Sardine creek, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex Schindler.

Miss Hattie Van Order, who was sent as a delegate from Woodville to the Sunday School Convention held at Medford, returned home Tuesday evening. She reports the Convention a decided success.

E. C. De Armond went to Grants Pass Monday on business. His sawmill is now ready to run.

Mrs. J. L. Cox and Miss Hattie Van Order went to Ashland Thursday on a visit to Miss Bertha Cox.

George Birdseye, who has been attending school at Jacksonville, has returned home to spend his vacation.

Mrs. Geo. Magerle and Mrs. D. Ball have returned home from Eagle Point, where they have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Heckathorn.

M. Burkhart, who has been employed by Miller & Howland at Jump-off Joe, has returned home to take charge of loading the lumber cars for Welter, Pracht & Schmidt Bros.

Wm. Dailey, of Eagle Point, has been down visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. Jones, and helping to search for her husband, who so mysteriously dissapeared at Grants Pass over two weeks ago, and who, we are sorry to say, no trace has been found of.


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### School Notes.

Misses Earheart, Jeffrey, and Wilson leave Thursday, June 4th for San Francisco.

Marie Good and Ione Flynn were neither absent nor tardy during the past nine months.

Miss Bernice Carder, of the Fifth Grade, received a general average of 94, the highest in the room.

Miss Jeffrey presented her pupils with a booklet and her picture.

Those of the Fourth Grade who received a general average of 90 per cent or over are: Maud Jones, 96; Jennesse Butler, 96; Murvil Brumble, 95; Ivy Boeck, 94; Selden Hill, 93; Gertrude Fay, 92; Grace Dent, 92; Hazel Rowland, 91; Genevieve Wortman, 91; Hazel Cox, 91; Maud Ling, 90; Etta Bish, 90; Ethel Harden, 90; George Baker, 90.

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Sixty-five years ago Oregon was composed of what is now Oregon, Washington and Idaho, and Governor Chamberlain says it would be an extremely difficult matter to locate a family in such a territory as that or even in such a large state as Oregon is now, and the only thing which he could do would be to turn the matter over to the newspapers.

He also remarked that he would like to learn more about this family himself, and said that it was to bad that President Roosevelt could not run across the entire family in his travels over the continent, for the sight of ten pairs of twins in one household would certainly do his heart good.


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### Memorial Day.

May 30, 1868, the first Memorial Day was designated as such by Gen. John A. Logan, at that time commander-in chief of the organization of the Grand Army of the Republic. The 30th of May has continued to be observed through most of the states of the Union.

Some of the states, however, appoint their own Memorial Days. April 6 is the day observed in Louisiana, and April 26 is designated in Alabama, Florida, Georgia and Mississippi. The second Friday in May—in 1903 this falls on 8th—is Confederate Day in Tennessee and May 10 is observed as Memorial Day in North and South Carolina.

Six hundred and ninety-five immigrants were denied admission to the United States along the Canadian border alone, during the month of April. Most of those excluded were afflicted with some form of contagious disease.


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