

JACKSON IS FOR MEDFORD

Publisher of Oregon Journal Has Many Complimentary Things to Say

In the course of an interview appearing in the Oregon Journal Monday, Colonel C. S. Jackson has the following to say of Medford:

"Medford is one of the best and most enterprising cities in Oregon and conservative old Jackson county is very much disturbed over the energies of Medford. The easy-going old timer of that section is a little bit worried for fear he is being hustled along a little too speedily, and deprecates any display of energy that is unusual. But in spite of this, the new blood of Medford will not be suppressed. Paved streets and sidewalks and better roads, better institutions, good newspapers, are the order of the day, while the taxpaying moshack bestirs himself for self preservation if for nothing else.

"As an example of Medford's progressiveness, a gravity water works system is about to be installed at a cost of \$300,000. And, to show that the people who have the work in charge are 'live ones,' they propose to meter every service pipe, the meters to be paid for by the water users and the charge for water to be so much per thousand gallons with a minimum rate of not less than 75 cents for households.

"The progress that has been made in horticulture is wonderful, yet the ground has as yet hardly been scratched. He it said to the credit of a few Portland people who are almost pioneers in this great industry, many of the best orchards are owned and conducted by people who were once residents of Portland.

"What the near past is to the present, the present is to the future in the Rogue River valley. The fame of this wonderful fruit will be spread to the four corners of the earth. In short, the Rogue River valley's market is the world, with no diminution in the demand, no matter how great the supply.

"And there are other sections of Oregon engaged in fruit production and to engage in it that will be as great beneficiaries as Rogue River with no chance of the supply ever catching up with the demand for these particular products. The people of Oregon have only to wake up and keep a going."

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the city recorder will receive sealed bids up to 12 M., August 17, 1908, for the construction of an artificial stone sidewalk 14 feet in width on Seventh street along the north side of block 68, from 11 street to 1 street, and an artificial stone sidewalk 8 feet in width along the north side of block 77, from the ends of the present walk to the curb on 1 and 3 streets.

Said walks to be built according to the ordinances governing such construction. The price bid shall be per square foot of walk, which shall include all excavation and filling.

Advertised by order of the city council.

HENJ. M. COLLINS, City Recorder.

MANY FRIENDS COME TO RESCUE OF YOUNG MAN

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., August 12.—Railroad surgeons attending Phillip Redmond, a young fireman who was terribly burned in a wreck at Navato July 3, today announced that the young man has a chance to recover from his burns because of the heroic sacrifice of two dozen railroad men who yesterday gave pieces of skin to save their comrade's life.

Redmond was burned about the face and limbs. The right arm and both legs were so badly scalded by steam that they wouldn't heal, and Redmond was about to die after a hard struggle with death.

J. J. Hyde, his uncle, called for volunteers to lend him some skin, and two dozen railroad men appeared for the operation. They stood the operation of taking skin from their backs with out a murmur.

Miss Mary Redmond, a niece of the sick man, appeared as a volunteer, but the surgeons refused to allow her to undergo the operation.

OBTAINED MONEY ON FALSE PRETENSE AND IS IN JAIL

SEATTLE, Wash., August 11.—Geo. E. Little, who has posed in several cities on the coast as a secret service man, government inspector of telegraphs and army reports, was today taken to McNeil's island to serve two years in a prison for having duped Mrs. Josephine Dabney into giving him \$600 on promise of marrying her.

FOREST FIRES STARTING UP NEAR WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, Man., August 12.—Fires starting in the same manner as the one that destroyed Fernie and other villages and burned up property valued between \$5,000,000 and \$8,000,000 a week ago are today raging near Sullivan and Kimberley. The flames originated in bush heaps and today are approaching the two towns. Scores of men are fighting them. Unless the wind becomes stronger it is thought the fire will die out before it reaches any homes.

Social and Personal

Sheriff Jones was in Medford again Tuesday on official business. Booth Lee of Central Point has gone to Newport to be gone a few weeks. W. H. Jackson of Applegate was in Medford this week on land business. J. H. Dyer of Douglas county is in Medford visiting with relatives. L. C. Hill is among his Medford friends again. He will go north soon. E. L. Jones, the genial miner, is down from the copper belt. Dr. J. P. Roidy is making Portland a business visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bellinger of North Jacksonville visited relatives living in Medford the fore part of the week. A. B. Cornell and W. M. Cheshire of Grants Pass spent several hours in Medford Tuesday.

Professor J. Percy Wells, school superintendent of Jackson county, was a Medford visitor Tuesday.

Miss Kate Reed has returned from San Francisco for a visit with her mother and sisters in Jackson creek district. Captain and Mrs. W. Rawlings are at Central Point, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. G. E. Fox.

George H. Merritt came down from Jacksonville Tuesday to attend the ball game.

Mr. Gallagher, a prominent citizen of Hogniam, Wash., was in Medford Monday on land business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dana of Grants Pass were in Medford Tuesday on their way home from a visit in Jacksonville.

Mrs. George E. Neuber and her daughter were down from Jacksonville on Tuesday.

M. Bellinger, the well known real estate agent, and his wife have gone to Newport to spend the heated term.

J. S. March was on the southbound train Tuesday, en route from Central Point to Ashland.

W. J. Dean of Talent, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cary of Stringtown have returned from a short sojourn at Newport. They report the weather unusually cool there.

The regular semi-annual examinations of applicants for teachers' certificates is being held at Jacksonville and the county seat is filled with schoolma'ams.

Dr. E. R. Seely returned this morning from Newport, where he was called by the illness of his wife. Mrs. Seely is much improved in health.

W. S. Chapman, N. D. Firestone, W. Benson and other residents of Talent precinct transacted business in Medford news visit Tuesday.

Robert B. Renne, who has been employed in Ward's creek district, assisting in the clearing of streets and Hugley's big orchard, was in Medford the first of the week. He has since gone to Wimer precinct to put up a saw-mill.

Hon. and Mrs. A. N. Gilbert of Salem made Jacksonville a short visit this week, the guests of Miss Essie McCully, who is the latter's cousin. Mr. G. was a delegate to the republican national convention and also attended the democratic convention.

G. C. Culy was in Medford Tuesday. He has sold his extensive stock ranch in Steamboat district to a company located in Portland and will probably locate in Ashland with his family. Mr. Culy, representing the new owners, is on the premises at present.

J. E. Olson informs us that he will rebuild the sawmill that was burnt a short time ago, but it is not certain that he will relocate it on Big Butte. He thinks that the conflagration was not the result of an accident. His loss was nearly \$2000, with no insurance, we are sorry to learn.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the state board of normal school regents held at Salem Monday morning Professor Cunningham of Palouse, Wash., was elected professor of the department of science of the Ashland normal school; H. W. Pines of Cheney, Wash., to the department of English, and Miss Blanche E. Stedman of Berkeley, Cal., to teach the fifth and sixth grades of the training department.

A San Francisco newspaper prints the following about a young lady well known in southern Oregon in its musical column: "Miss Bula Howard, the distinguished pianist of this city, returned from Los Angeles on Friday. She played before the most prominent musical organizations of the south during her stay at Los Angeles and won high praise for the remarkable skill that has been discussed in the musical journals as far away as New York, although the girl made her debut only last season and has not yet been heard in the east. Miss Howard was extensively entertained in society and musical circles of the southern California cities."

It seems as if none of Ringling's citizens will show at the smaller cities of the Pacific coast this year. The advance crew of Barnum & Bailey's big show, which now belongs to them, passed through the valley one day this week, southbound, and did not stop anywhere between Portland and Sacramento. This circus will give a fine street parade as one of its features at Portland August 25 and 26. It is now learned that the omission of this feature for the past several years was owing to the scarcity of strange attractions to be found throughout the world. Rather than repeat itself the circus decided to drop the parade until some time as something new and more wonderful could be devised. That time has come this season after three years' hard labor by corps of artists, designers, mechanics and the foreign artists of the show in Christian on the English.

AND THE GIRLS WON THE GAME

Medford Team Proves Conclusively That It Is Not Even in a Girls Class

"Ain't it awful, Mabel? What the Chicago girls (I) did to the Medford boys Tuesday?" The most aggregation of also-ran ballplayers from Medford, Jacksonville, Central Point, Idaho and other places could do was to accumulate 13 runs, and they had to "show" the scores before they could get the 13th, while the ladies accumulated 14. It is true that the umpire stood in with the visitors, but what more man could help it, when his vision was distorted by the sulphuric fumes and fair faces of the Chicago Ladies' Baseball team. The errors were so numerous that the scorer quit marking them, and both sides were equally guilty.

If there was ever a farce of a ball game, that was it. There were enough bonehead plays thrown into it to have started a good sized fertilizer factory in business, and what the players didn't supply the umpire did. But five errors by the Medford first baseman out of seven made by the team may be considered as a record. The initial sack for each team were about on a par. Sexton, who had been borrowed from Jacksonville, led in the hitting with two three baggers and a double out of five times at bat.

MAY BE LIVELY SCRAP IN EAGLE CONVENTION

SEATTLE, Wash., August 12.—One of the most important questions that will come before the tenth convention of the Eagles here is to organize the state series. Judging from present indications the matter may start a lively wrangle, as it is not unlikely that the convention will be divided on the question.

A committee, consisting of Frank Brew of San Francisco, W. E. Brown of Duluth and J. A. Tutill of Omaha, has had the subject under discussion and will report its decision to the convention. President Bell and Grand Treasurer Herring were closeted with the committee until a late hour last night, but their views on the matter were not generally known. It was reported today that many of the grand series are against the movement to organize state series. The delegations from Oregon, California, Indiana, Pennsylvania and Maryland have adopted resolutions declaring their opposition to the proposition.

DICKERSON AT WORK ON BILL TO PROTECT DEPOSITORS

RENO, Nev., August 12.—Governor Dickerson is today preparing a new banking law which he will ask the next state legislature to pass to protect depositors in every bank in the state.

Following the recent failure of the Bank of Austin, the attorney general of the state rendered an opinion that the state couldn't intervene in the management of private banks. Even the state bank examiner cannot examine the books of private banks, says the attorney general.

Governor Dickerson is examining the banking laws of Oklahoma with a view to patterning his new law after them.

FOUR'S HARNESS MEETING OPENS AT EMERYVILLE

OAKLAND, Cal., August 12.—Every thing is in readiness for the opening of the four's harness meeting at the Emeryville race track this afternoon. This is the first harness meet that has been held at Emeryville for eight years and it has attracted some fast horses.

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