

STAKES FOR RUNNERS AT FAIR THIS YEAR

Fair Board Management Creates
New Features For the Rac-
ing Season

The racing program for the state fair, which opens for the week beginning Monday, September 13, issued by Secretary Frank A. Weleb, of the state fair board, contains many new and attractive features over the program of previous years and, judging by the entries in the early closing stakes, the talent represented in the harness events will surpass that of any previous meeting held on Lone Oak track.

One of the new features introduced is the offering of three stakes for runners, with an aggregate of \$1000 in premiums. Heretofore it has been the rule to arrange the running events by over-night entries, and no entrance fee was charged. The only revenue obtained by the fair management under that system was a small percentage of the earnings of the winner. This year, however, the runners desiring to participate in the running stake races will have to enter on or before September 1, and pay a small entrance fee. The rules governing these stakes are the same as apply to the harness events. Besides these stakes, there will be two or more running races each day of the fair made up with over-night entries, and these will be sandwiched in with the other events.

All of the early-closing stakes, harness events, 11 in all and including some of the fastest classes on the coast circuit, have been filed. Besides these there are a total of 10 other stakes posted, embracing both harness, consolation and the three running events. Entries for these close September 1. Among the fast events which have been filled, and in which it is expected that some coast records will be smashed all conditions being favorable, are the 2:12 pace, Capital City stake, \$800; 2:15 trot, Farmers' purse, \$1000; 2:08 pace, Greater Oregon purse, \$5000; 2:12 trot, Lewis and Clark purse, \$5000; 2:05 pace, Rapid Transit purse, \$1000; 2:15 pace, State Fair purse, \$1000; free-for-all trot, Rural Spirit purse, \$1000; two consolation purses, for non-winners in the big trotting and pacing events, of \$1000 each, and the Oregon Derby, 1 and 1-16 miles running, \$500.

Orchestra music during dinner each evening at the Nash Grill.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Notice is hereby given that the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, will receive sealed proposals for the construction of lateral sewers as follows, to-wit:

- A 6-inch lateral sewer along Riverside avenue a distance of 450 feet.
- An 8-inch lateral sewer along Rose avenue a distance of 600 feet.
- An 8-inch lateral sewer along North Oakdale avenue from Hamilton to Third street.
- A 6-inch lateral sewer along Summit avenue a distance of 600 feet.
- A 6-inch lateral sewer along West Third street from North Oakdale avenue to Holly street.
- A 6-inch lateral sewer along Hamilton street from west end of street to North Oakdale avenue.
- A 6-inch lateral sewer along alley through block 25.
- A 6-inch lateral sewer along alley between d'Anjou street and Central avenue from Eighth street to Ninth street.
- A 6-inch lateral sewer along Orange street between Eighth street and Tenth street.

All bids must be filed with the city recorder on or before 4:30 p. m. September 7, 1909, and accompanied by a certified check payable to the city treasurer of said city equal to five per cent of the contract price; check to be forfeited to the city of Medford in case the successful bidder fails to enter into contract for same. Contractor to furnish all labor and materials necessary to complete said sewers. Plans and specifications may be had for said improvement by calling at or addressing the city engineer's office.

Done by order of the city council of the city of Medford, Oregon, this 23d day of August, 1909.
ROBT. W. TELFER,
City Recorder.

REAL ESTATE

Ole Hoode to Maxey Inv. Co. 160 acres in section 13, township 32, range 2 east. 500
Jackson County Building & Loan Association to A. S. Wells lot 4, block 6, Medford 1500
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R. B. Dow to V. D. Harris lots 3 and 4, block 26, Medford 16
United States to Alfred E. Volek 120 acres in section 14, township 37, range 2 East patent
United States to Gusav A. Volek 160 acres in section 14, township 37, range 2 east patent
Edmonds Land Co. to Sarah J. Myratt land in section 36, township 35, range 2 west. 50

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Wilson Alvin Davies and Carrie Griffith.

TWO TIMBER CLAIMS BRING RECORD PRICE

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 26.—William Bremner has sold two timber claims, taken by himself and his wife, for \$21,000. The timber is on the Calapooia river, and each claim will cruise 15,000,000 feet. Recently five Seo people formed a pool and placed five claims on the market, receiving an offer of \$50,000 for them.

Granulate Sore Eyes Cured.

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HOOD RIVER APPLES BRING TOP PRICE

HOOD RIVER, Aug. 26.—The first apple sale of the season was made today by the Hood River Apple Growers' Union, consisting of five ears of Kings, Wealthies and Gravensteins. The sale was made to Portland and Seattle firms for Alaska trade. One of the members of the board of directors of the union stated that the apples brought a price that was in advance of any that has been paid previously for these varieties.

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