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EDITORIAL.

Our thanks are due to the American Type Founders' Co., of Portland, for a copy of the "Pacific Coast Blue Book," a handy little volume of type, machinery and material kept in stock by the Company at their establishments in Portland and San Francisco.

The Newsboys' Calamity Howler, of Portland, comes to us this week in enlarged form, eight three column pages. For its publishers, we will say that they turn out a most creditable sheet. To the Howler's success, the ADVERTISER extends congratulations and best wishes.

LOCAL SQUIBS.

Next Saturday is the day we celebrate. Fish every Thursday at Poley & Co's.

The bicycle picnic on Rogue river last Sunday was not very largely attended.

Remember us for JOB PRINTING.

An inspection of Co. D, O. N. G., was made by Major C. H. Gillette Monday night.

Hard wood for sale. Leave orders at the ADVERTISER office.

The W. C. T. U. will give a grand Fourth of July dinner in the Opera building.

White labor only at the Ashland Steam Laundry.

A young man about twenty years of age, by the name of Palmer, employed on the Walker ranch, had the third finger of his right hand crushed while unloading hay last Saturday noon.

Don't forget to call around when you want anything in the Job Printing line. We turn out, WITHOUT EXCEPTION, the best work in the city at the lowest price.

Saturday morning, about four o'clock, King's "Free Coinage" saloon, situated across the street from Hotel Nash, Medford, was burned, with a loss of about \$1500. It is not known how the fire originated.

Virgin's Granulated Patent Flour—seldom equalled; never excelled.

For quick, first-class service, go to the Ashland Steam Laundry. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mail orders solicited.

Millfeed \$12.50 per ton, wholesale; \$14.00 per ton, retail, at Ashland Mill's.

Plain washing 25 cents per dozen at the Ashland Steam Laundry.

Central Point Pointers.

Rev. Jenkins, of Medford, made us a call last Monday.

A. S. Jacobs made a business trip to Jacksonville Tuesday.

Rev. J. Merley, of Medford, will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist church next Sunday.

F. T. Fradenburg—well known in Ashland—I am sorry to say intends setting up in the saloon business here.

D. P. Walrad, of Ashland, returned home Monday from Central Point, where he has been attending the camp meeting.

Misses Stalla Stidham, Edna Gibson and Mand Downing, of this place, who have been successfully teaching school, returned home Friday.

Booth Lee and family, of Central Point, left Saturday morning for Applegate to spend the summer, where he and others are working on the mining ditch that is being made from the Applegate river.

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GRAND

FOURTH OF JULY

Celebration

—IN—

ASHLAND, : OREGON,

Under the Auspices of the Firemen.

GENERAL OUTLINE OF PROGRAM.

President of the Day, Hon. C. B. Watson, of Ashland.

Vice Presidents, Hon. W. I. Vawters, of Medford, Hon. W. M. Colvig, of Jacksonville, W. C. Leever, of Central Pt.

Orator of the Day, Hon. W. S. Crowell, of Medford.

Reader, Miss Agnes Devlin, of Jacksonville.

Grand Marshal, G. W. Dunn.

Aids, J. E. Pelton, G. W. Barron, G. S. Butler.

Salute of thirteen guns at sunrise.

A GREAT PARADE.

The parade will form at 9:30 A. M. in the following order as near as practicable:

Advance Brigade of Mounted Bicyclists.

Ashland Band.

Company D, O. N. G.

Cadets, Companies A, B and C.

Artillery Company A.

Ashland Hose Company No. 1.
Ashland Hose Company No. 2.

Orator, Reader and Officers of the Day in carriages.

G. A. R. float, followed by floats of other societies.

Public and Normal School floats.
Oregon float.

Display of the different merchants and trades.

Citizens in carriages and on foot.

TABERNACLE PROGRAM.

Music, Ashland Band.
Invocation.

Vocal Music—Trio—"To Thee, O Country," Ashland Lady Quartet.

Music, Ashland Band.
Reading Declaration of Independence, Miss Agnes Devlin.

Vocal Music—Solo and Trio—"Old Glory," Ashland Lady Quartet.

Oration, Hon. W. S. Crowell.

Vocal Music, Ashland Lady Quartet.
Benediction.

AMUSEMENTS.

The afternoon exercises will include a long string of interesting and thrilling amusements. At three o'clock will take place the

GRAND BURLESQUE PARADE

and the Grand Mammoth Band of 25 pieces will be heard for the first time by the delighted listeners; also, in the parade will be the troupe of Performing Minstrels, who will give a free exhibition. Following these will come a great band of Wild Comanche Warriors in full war paint and celebrating a recent victory in the style of savagery. The burlesque parade will be a feature of the day and contain many new and interesting attractions.

RACES FOR BOYS,
RACES FOR GIRLS,
RACES FOR MEN,

with Cash Prizes for each.

Egg Gathering Contest, Sack Racing, Jumping, Rope Climbing, Etc., for which liberal prizes will be given.

Race between Bicyclists and Horsemen for liberal purse. Course will be from Boulevard corner to Normal School and return, distance about 2 1/4 miles.

Music during the day will be furnished by the unrivalled Ashland Band, under the leadership of Prof. O. O. Helman.

Grand Illuminated Bicycle Parade in early evening.

A GRAND BALL

Will be given in the evening at the Opera House, under the auspices of the Firemen. Music by Helman's Ashland Orchestra. Supper will be served at Hotel Oregon. Tickets \$2 per couple, including supper; spectators 25c. Floor Director—J. Edw. Thornton. Floor Managers—F. D. Wagner, S. G. Eggers, H. S. Evans, A. L. Helman, C. C. Chitwood. The grand march will begin at 9 o'clock sharp.

The people from far and wide are invited to come to Ashland and partake freely of the entertainment of the day. Fine picnic grounds, pure cold water, all free as air. A most attractive literary and musical program, interesting amusements and a general good time promised all around.

Reduced railroad rates for those who desire to come by train. Train will arrive in Ashland about 9:00 A. M. and leave about 11:30 P. M.

Firemen's Executive Committee in charge of the Celebration—F. D. Wagner, H. J. Hicks, H. S. Evans, G. W. Vaupel, J. Edw. Thornton.