



Valley Of The Rogue

The great Rogue River valley can be seen in all its splendor and magnificence at this season of the year. The trees with their heavy mantle of green foliage, the clear, crystal-like streams laden with their finny family combine to make this valley the envy of the storm-ridden people of the eastern states.

A ride on the train from Jacksonville to the Grays Harbor country in Washington will carry one through several sharp changes in climate.

One, in making this trip, will pass from under cloudless skies in the Rogue River valley through the great gorge of Cow Creek canyon into the Umpqua valley. It is slightly cooler north of the canyon with slight winds and fog until the Calapooia divide is reached. Here the Willamette valley heads where the fog is replaced with rain and the wind grows stronger as the traveler proceeds to the northern state.

The trip from Portland, north is very pleasant but one must be equipped with his winter's clothing in order to enjoy the ride.

The towns, we must call them towns, although several have a population of over 5000, are backward in municipal improvements in Washington until Elma is reached. Elma is a lively little city of about 3000 people and is the first evidence of a city between Portland and Grays Harbor. One city, with 7000 souls, with all the advantages possible, has no paved streets, the water system is poor and the business houses are equipped with farm lanterns to hang out when the electric lights are not burning, which is about half the time, according to one business man. This town supports two small weekly newspapers with job plants in connection and three banks. The hotels, well, there is a sign in almost every block, but from the outward appearances of these buildings it is about as comfortable to get a chair and sit on the sidewalk over night.

The towns of this state are more advanced in many respects than the towns of Washington although the Washington towns are backed up by large manufacturing interests.

Miss Katherine Chapman went to Hornbrook Cal., Wednesday, where she took another stock of milliner goods to dispose of.

Edward Donegan returned to San Francisco last Saturday after being present at the death and funeral of his mother.

BLUE LEDGE CLOSED DOWN

The Blue Ledge closed down and payed off all hands last week. The cessation of work at this property throws a considerable number of men out of employment, and means at least a temporary loss to Jacksonville, as this town is the nearest available market point. It is stated, however, that the work so far done has been merely to develop the resources of the mine. The property it is claimed, has proven itself to be of such value that a smelter capable of handling 1000 tons of ore a day will be installed and preparations will be made to operate the mine on a larger scale.

It is almost an assured fact that the mine will soon be running again with a greatly increased force.

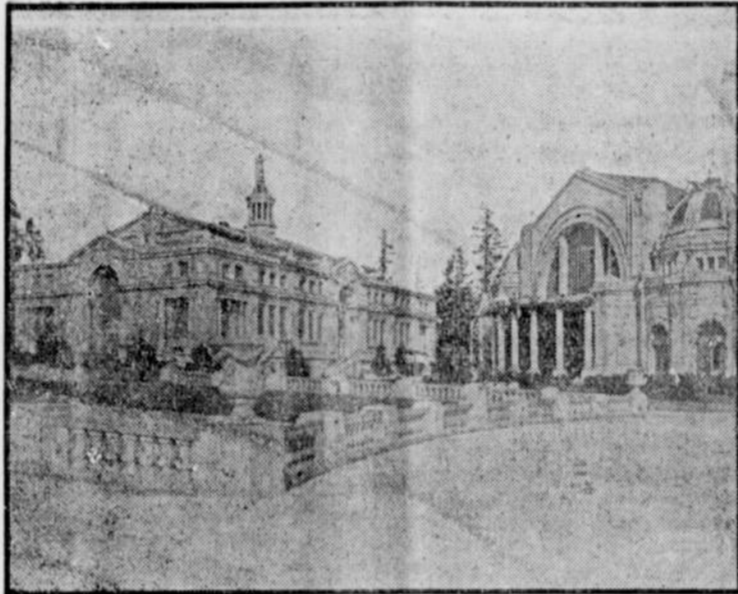
GOOD GAME HERE SUNDAY

McIntyre Proved Too Much for the Pass Bunch—Osbourne Easy Mark for the Local Hitlers—Slais Saved Shut-Out.

Jacksonville defeated Grants Pass last Sunday by a score of 8 to 2 on the local diamond.

McIntyre pitched good ball, holding the visitors down to three hits. The Grants Pass boys touched Osbourne (of Casey's Colts) up for ten hits in the game played at Grants Pass between the Portland team and the Pass.

Only by an error did Grants Pass



A PORTION OF THE CASCADE COURT.

The Palace of Oriental Exhibits forms one of the twelve mammoth display buildings first completed by the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. Its lines are in pleasing contrast to the Agricultural and Manufacturers buildings, with which they are grouped, and their position overlooks the beautiful formal gardens and water display of the Cascades and Geyser Basin.

The exhibit placed within the walls of the Oriental building constitutes one of the most gorgeous displays of Far Eastern art and manufactured articles ever shipped from the Orient, and is bewildering in beauty and extent. Not a country of Asia is without representation, and treasures of old and modern art, never before permitted to leave the lands in which they were created, will be seen for the first time in the land of the Occident. The matter of arrangement of the Oriental exhibit has been placed in the hands of the most competent and artistic men at command and its display will be worthy of the magnificent collection.

About the Oriental building are gathered the great buildings housing the United States exhibit and the Alaska, Hawaiian and Philippine displays. One of the largest bandstands is within close distance, and from its doors the most noted musical organizations of the world will be heard daily.

City Dads Met Tuesday Night

The city council met last Tuesday night to take up several matters that have been before the board for some time.

After granting a license to E. H. Helms for the sale of liquor the board settled down to consider a telephone franchise presented by the Citizen's Telephone company. After going into the matter thoroughly the Citizen's company was granted a franchise to operate a system in this city. Free service will be granted subscribers to Medford, Central Point and other small towns in the valley.

WATER SYSTEM STARTED

The board ordered the water committee to begin work on the water system at once. Tools and machinery was ordered by the committee and work will soon be started on a well in the lower part of the city. They expect to sink to bedrock and then run cross-cuts. If sufficient water is found the committee will build a reservoir on some high point near the city where the water will be stored.

As a result of the action of the water committee a permit was asked to build a brick block in the heart of the city. The interested parties do not wish to have their names mentioned at this time.

That the city will grow when the water system is installed is a matter that requires no comment and the prospects of a system has brought activity to our city. Several new residences will go up this summer and the future of Jacksonville is assured.

BOY NARROWLY ESCAPES DEATH

Leslie, the 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawk, while playing ball with several other boys last Saturday afternoon met with a serious accident under peculiar circumstances, says the Herald. A horse that had been tethered out to graze near where the boys were playing became frightened at an auto and started to run, pulling the stake, when the rope with which it was tied became taut. The horse ran directly past little Leslie and the rope in some manner became entangled about the boy's feet, throwing him to the ground and breaking his left leg just above the ankle. The supposition is that the stake attached to the rope was impelled toward the boy by the momentum and quickly became wrapped about his ankles. The breaking of the rope probably saved the boy's life.

Post says in a dispatch that he has been informed from an excellent source in Yildiz Kiosk that the Sultan has sent his chamberlain, Rifaat Pasha, and his secretary to the Grand Vizier with orders that the Government make peace with the Young Turks on any terms in order to prevent general bloodshed. According to the correspondent, the Sultan declared that if his person was a hindrance to peace, he was willing to offer himself in order to save the Fatherland from catastrophe.

Don't forget the dinner in the I. O. O. F. banquet hall May 1, at 5 o'clock p. m.

Whiskey is a good friend but a poor master. Used in moderation it cheers, inspires and strengthens men. In this gray world why may we not touch elbows with our neighbors occasionally in a social glass? Why may we not make reasonable use of that prince of whiskies, I. W. HARPER. Sold by E. H. HELMS.

SLIGHT ACCIDENT AT QUARRY

Gus Mitchell, employed at the quarry was the victim of an accident Tuesday morning. Following the discharge of a number of blasts a fragment of rock rebounded from the wall of the quarry and struck Mr. Mitchell on the head cutting through the band of his hat and inflicting a scalp wound. Fortunately Mr. Mitchell was not seriously injured, and was able to return to work Wednesday morning.

ONE WEAK SPOT

Most Jacksonville People Have a Weak Part and Too Often It's The Back.

Everyone has a weak spot. Too often it's the back. Twinges follow every sudden twist. Dull aching keeps up, day and night. Tells you the kidneys need help—For backache is really kidney-aches. A kidney cure is what you need. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys, Cure backache and urinary ills. Jacksonville people recommend the remedy.

A. Z. Sears, living on 5th & H. Sts., Medford, Ore., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and am glad to say that the results were most gratifying. I suffered for a long time from pains in my back and I found it difficult to stoop. My kidneys were too free in action. Doan's Kidney Pills were so highly recommended to me that I procured a box. I had only taken them a short time when I found that they were the remedy I required. I continued using them, my general health improved and I felt better in every way. I take pleasure in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills to other sufferers."

Plenty more proof like this from Jacksonville people. Call at The City Drug Store and ask what customers report.

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

OREGON PLAN IS THE BEST

WASHINGTON, April 20.—After a conference between Joseph N. Teal and Forester Pinchot, Conservation Secretary Shipp said the national conservation commission would follow the Oregon commission's plan almost without change, as the Oregon body had worked out the most practicable theory yet devised. Teal conferred with Pinchot at the latter's request, as a member of the committee to formulate plans for nation wide application of the conclusions of all past conventions and conferences.

TURKISH SULTAN IS DEPOSED

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 19.—The Sheik ul Islam, head of the church, is preparing a written declaration to the country pronouncing the fall of the Sultan.

It is rumored here this afternoon that the Sultan has fled, but the report cannot be confirmed.

BERLIN, April 19.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Morgon

score two runs. Wilson in left field made an easy fly scoring two runs.

McIntyre passed one man and Osbourne passed three. This is not a bad record for either team. Grants Pass is considered heavy at the bat, and Mac was forced to pitch from the start. His support was good and the locals worked nicely.

Following is the score:

GRANTS PASS										
	AB	R	IB	SH	PO	A	E			
Williams ss	4	1	1	0	3	0	2			
Thrasher 2b & c	2	1	0	0	3	1	0			
H. Faubian 3b	4	0	1	0	1	3	3			
S. Faubain c&cf	4	0	1	0	5	1	0			
Woods rf	4	0	0	0	2	0	0			
Stevenson 1b	3	0	0	0	8	0	1			
McCloud cf&2b	3	0	0	0	1	1	0			
Cook lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Osbourne p	8	0	0	0	7	7	0			
	31	2	3	0	24	13	6			

JACKSONVILLE

	AB	R	IB	SH	PO	A	E
Sexton 2b	5	2	0	0	2	2	0
C. Wilson cf	3	0	1	0	11	0	0
E. Wilson rf	5	0	2	0	0	0	1
Dunford lf	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wendt cf	4	2	1	0	0	0	0
McIntyre p	5	1	2	0	1	1	0
Ulrich 1b	3	2	2	0	10	0	0
G. Stout 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0	0
F. Stout ss	4	1	1	0	1	2	0
	38	8	10	1	27	15	1

Stolen bases, C. Wilson, H. Faubain; two base hit, Ulrich; three base hit, S. Faubain; double play, Stevenson; bases on balls, off McIntyre, 1; Osbourne 3; hit by pitched ball, Thrasher, McCloud, Ulrich; struck out by McIntyre 8; Osbourne 5; passed balls, S. Faubain, Thrasher; left on bases, Jacksonville 10; Grants Pass 6. Umpire, Toke Brouse; scorer, Stansell.

Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Jacksonville	0	3	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
Hits	2	2	3	0	2	1	0	0	0
Grants Pass	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hits	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0

Oh Mister! How good that ice cream is at the Boss.

Spring Oxfords

We now have on exhibition at our store the swellest line of Men's Ladies' and Misses' and Children's Oxfords ever shown in Southern Oregon. All the new shades including

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At all prices. We sell shoes that fit your feet and a positive guarantee goes with each pair

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