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## INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

**Jacksonville Lodge No. 10 installs officers Saturday night.**

Jacksonville Lodge No. 10, installed officers for the ensuing term, Saturday night. About 150 visitors from Medford and other lodges were present and witnessed the installation ceremonies. After the ceremonies were concluded a banquet spread in the dining room was partaken of by some 300 people. The following are the names of the officers installed: Past Grand, Louis Eaton; Noble Grand, Peter Fick; Vice Grand, John Ensel; Rec. Sec., H. L. Getchell; Fin. Sec., C. D. Abbott; Treasurer, J. M. Cronmiller; Warden, C. P. Stinson; Conductor, Wm. Ensel; Inside Guard, Harry Spencer; Outside Guard, F. McElroy; R. S. N. G., J. R. Norris; L. S. N. G., J. A. Norris; R. S. V. G., Chris Ulrich; L. S. V. G., J. M. Rock; R. S. S., Merton Coffman; L. S. S., John Matney.

## Buncom Reports.

We are having a spell of warm weather.

Frank Cameron was in the city Wednesday.

Hollis Parks was in Medford last week.

John Cameron is busy ploughing.

Miss Ora Goldsby of Buncom is going to school in Jacksonville.

We are glad to say that Mrs. Pat Swayne who has been seriously ill is recovering under the care of Dr. W. L. Cameron.

The neighbors on Little Applegate are all glad that W. R. Garrett has been put in as road boss for he is the right man in the right place.

J. D. Daly made a business trip to Jacksonville the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pursell were doing business in town recently.

## Walkins Wireless

Ray Faucett who has been in the Coast country for several years, returned recently and is with his brother E. C. Faucett at the Penn mine.

E. W. Anderson made a business trip to the metropolis the first of the week.

R. Phillips, and family spent Sunday with friends in Watkins.

J. McCloy, visited Jacksonville the first part of the week and took the overland for Medford.

Z. J. Collins is working for D. H.

## Parents and Teachers Meeting

The monthly Parents and Teachers Association meeting was held Friday afternoon, January 12th, at the High School Assembly. In spite of bad weather a goodly number of mothers were present. A very commendable programme was rendered as follows: Miss Nellie Collins, Piano Solo. Mrs. Harrington, The Trained Parent. Open Discussion, Choice of Literature for Children. Miss Mary Hurst, The Normal Child. Mrs. Abbott, Special faults of the Child. Miss Nellie Collins, Piano Solo. All joined in singing Old Folks at Home. The meeting was adjourned.

## Working Men!

The evening services in the M. E. church are devoted to your interests. The sermon in future will be limited to ten minutes. The subject for Sunday evening will be "Law" Service at 7.30 sharp, special singing. All welcome.

For the very best in cigars and tobacco C. Shaw.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

(Seal.) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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## BASKET BALL

**Central Point High School defeats High School. 37-21**

On Friday January 12th, 1912, the local High School aggregation of basket ball tossers met defeat at the hands of the Central Point High School, in a well played game of basket ball by a score of 37 to 21. Although the score indicates a poorly played game it was not, as the game was interesting to the players as well as to the fans. Throughout the game until the final whistle blew. Although the opposing team was much heavier than our local boys they failed in many ways to show the speed and form of the local team.

Willie Henry was quite the star of both teams in last Friday night contest having made 15 of the points made by the High School this being more than two thirds of the total score made by the home team.

While Rowell Hines played good ball he was not up to standard, Ivan Collins was quite the star guard of the evening holding Freeman the Central Point forward down to 3 field baskets. All the other boys played well but still have lots of room for improvement in the departments of the game.

Although it was advertised that there would be two contests last Friday evening the Y. M. C. A. team failed to arrive, through some misunderstanding on the part of the management of the Y. M. C. A. team. But the fans can rest assured that in the near future they will have the opportunity of seeing these teams mix.

Frank Coleman one of the stars of the Alumni team was much more disappointed than any one else as Frank said he had been in training for some time before the game, that is he had been on athletic diet had been retiring early and declared he would show a boost of speed in the opening game of the season.

While Willie McIntyre said but little it is a fact that he will show his share of speed in any of the contests. It is a thoroughly decided fact upon the Alumni that they will wallop that aggregation from the Point in the near future.

**MINERS NOTICE—Notice of Location** both Quartz and Placer, for sale at this office, JACKSONVILLE POST.

Here is a woman who speaks from personal knowledge and long experience, viz., Mrs. F. H. Brogan, of Wilson, Pa., who says, "I know from experience that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is far superior to any other. For croup there is nothing that excels it." For sale by all dealers.

## PORTLAND LETTER

**Logged-Off Land Congress Will be Benefit to Whole State.**

Portland, Or., Jan. 16(Special)—One of the important conferences of the new year will be a logged-off land congress, to be held in Portland within the next two months. This will be the most exhaustive study of the subject ever held and will be under the auspices of the Oregon Development League. The Portland headquarters is making the arrangements.

Statistics are now being collected that will be a logged-off land census showing the extent of such lands in each county. These figures will be used in attracting settlers to these idle acres. Another purpose of the coming congress is to teach the best methods of clearing the land of stumps and making it productive. The latest investigations along this line will be given for the benefit of settlers and the best method of removing stumps thoroughly explained. It is believed this meeting will be of state-wide benefit.

Medford will welcome mining men of the Northwest on Feb. 3 and 4, when the Southern Oregon Mining Congress will be held. Mining experts will give talks and practical miners will participate in the discussion. Demonstrations of gold-saving machinery will be made.

Klamath County is going in for agricultural education in its schools. A tract of 86 acres has been bought and an experiment station will be established, where students will practice agricultural methods under the direction of an expert from the Oregon Agricultural College.

Hearings before a board appointed from the reclamation service on the much-mooted question of the extension of the Umtilla project will begin Jan. 24. The board will sit in Hermiston, Pendleton and Stanfield to hear objections made by the various sections in regard to sources of water supply for carrying out the proposed work and after getting all possible information on the subject, the board will make recommendations to Secretary Fisher of the Interior Department.

Railroad mileage in Oregon has increased at a remarkable rate during the past few years and the outlook for 1912 is most encouraging. According to the report of the State Railroad Commission there were 2385 miles of railways in Oregon at the end of June 1910. By the end of December 1911 this had grown to 2883 miles.

Forest supervisors, the heads of 26 national forests of the Pacific Northwest and Alaska, will meet in Portland Jan. 22 for a week's conference on the administration of lands under their jurisdiction. Chief Forester Graves, of Washington D. C. will give addresses.

After five years of preparation, ground was broken the past week for the first building of the Reed College, the new \$3,000,000 University to be built at Portland. The college will open next September. It is expected to rank with the similar institutions in the country.

Portland hotels are being swamped with reservations for Elks week next July, when the Grand Lodge reunion will be held. Every section of the country is represented and the Pacific Coast lodges will send very large delegations. San Francisco expects to have 1,000 delegates, Sound cities have asked for 600 rooms at local hotels.

## CONTESTS IN SCHOOLS

**Supt. Wells announces contests in spelling and arithmetic under the following rules.**

1—Four regular contests in spelling and arithmetic to be held on the following Fridays in the afternoon; Feb. 9, March 8, April 5, and May 3, and a special contest for the schools making the highest average in the regular contests to be held May 17.

2—All schools maintaining more than one room shall constitute Class "A" and all one-room schools shall constitute Class "B".

3—All grades from the fourth to the eighth inclusive are entitled to enter these contests, each grade competing with respective grades in the same class throughout the county.

4—In both spelling and arithmetic the standing of the schools and of each grade shall be computed on the

percentage basis. For example; if there are 20 pupils in a class and 50 words are pronounced, 20 times 50 or a thousand words will be used as the basis. If 900 are spelled correctly the average is 90 per cent. The same plan will be used in computing arithmetic grades. To find the final average of any class or school in any contest, add together the spelling average and the arithmetic average and divide the result by 2.

5—Mention will not be made of the standing of any school until after the fourth or last regular contest. After the result of the last regular contest is announced, the three schools leading in Class "A" and the five schools leading in Class "B" will be given a special contest to determine the winners.

6—The school in Class "A" and the school in Class "B" making the highest average in the special contest shall be given a pennant with suitable inscription. A pennant of smaller size will be given to each grade making the highest average in the series of regular contests.

7—No school shall be a candidate for the pennant unless all the grades from the fourth to the eighth inclusive represented in the school, shall participate in all contests. Should any pupil absent himself from school on contest day, or for any cause fail to participate, he shall be deemed to have missed all the words in spelling and all the questions and problems in arithmetic, and his grade for that contest shall be zero; provided that no school shall be required to participate in any contest unless such school has been in session for at least three weeks immediately preceding the contest; provided further that no pupil shall be required to participate with any grade or class unless such pupil has been in attendance for at least three weeks.

8—No class of less than three pupils shall be a candidate for a pennant. Small classes may combine with other grades to form a class, but where two or more grades are combined into one class such combined class must compete in the highest grade represented in that class. For example; if the seventh and eighth grades in any school are combined into one spelling or arithmetic class, such class must compete on the words and problems prepared for the eighth grade.

9—Schools that are not in session during the entire series of contests will be graded on the basis of the number of contests held during the time such schools are in session, provided that no school shall be admitted to the special contest unless such school has participated in at least two regular contests; provided further that no class shall be a candidate for a pennant unless such class has participated in at least two contests.

10—At four weeks before each regular contest the County School Superintendent will furnish to teachers a list of 150 words each for fourth and fifth grades, and 200 words each for sixth, seventh and eighth grades. Teachers will use their own methods for teaching the words, and select their own material for drill in arithmetic, which will include operations in the four fundamental principles only, the object being to secure accuracy and rapidity. In any contest after the first the test words for spelling may be selected from words previously given. The words for the special contest will be selected from those submitted for the regular contests.

11—Before each contest the County School Superintendent will give to teachers a list of words for each grade, 55 words each for the fourth and fifth grades, and 53 words each for the sixth, seventh and eighth grades; also a list of questions or problems in arithmetic. Upon the day set for the contest the teacher shall, in the presence of the class, after they are seated and ready to write break the seal and pronounce the words. The teacher may define the words or use them in sentences, but shall not by syllabication or otherwise indicate the spelling of any word. Full instructions for conducting the contest in arithmetic will accompany the questions for the same.

12—The teacher will grade the papers in both spelling and arithmetic and report the result to the County School Superintendent upon blanks furnished for that purpose, not later than Monday following the day of the contest. If a word is not properly capitalized, or if an apostrophe or hyphen is omitted or incorrectly used the word shall be counted as missed. In grading problems in arithmetic, the result only shall be counted. The manuscripts in both spelling and arithmetic must accompany the report to the County School Superintendent and will be kept on file in his office for inspection.

## ELECTION OFFICERS

**Appointed by County Court for ensuing two years.**

The county court has appointed the following named persons to serve as election officers for the ensuing two years, viz:

North Jacksonville: J. W. Bybee, chairman; W. C. Kitto 2nd. Judge; G. N. Lewis, 3rd. judge; E. E. Oman, 1st. clerk; Roy Ulrich, 2nd. clerk; W. H. Bowen, 3rd. clerk.

South Jacksonville: Emil Britt, chairman; Chris Ulrich, 2nd. judge; W. C. Deniff, 3rd. judge; Leslie Stanwell, 1st. clerk; Joe Wetterer, 2nd. clerk; David Cronmiller, 3rd. clerk.

## MINING CONGRESS

**Of Southern Oregon and Northern California will be held at Medford Feb. 2-3**

The committee in charge of the mineral exhibit which will be displayed at Medford during the convention of the Southern Oregon and Northern California Mining congress on Friday and Saturday, February 2 and 3 have undertaken and will make it far superior to anything of its kind ever held in the state of Oregon. It is their desire that no district in Southern Oregon or Northern California fail to be represented. The exhibit will have a far reaching effect in stimulating the mining interests of those portions of the two states. All mining men are earnestly requested to send their collections of minerals at an early date so the same may be properly placed in the exhibition room. Be sure and mark your samples plainly giving the name of the property, the location of same and the name of the sender. Fully 6000 feet of floor space will be devoted to mineral exhibit, which will be the largest and most imposing in history of mining in this portion of the west.

A novel souvenir of the congress will be a prospector's pick made of wood in the shape of a walking stick or cane. The whole of the pick proper will be covered with gold leaf while the handle or stick will be painted black and highly varnished. At first glance one would naturally suppose it was a beautiful gold headed cane, but upon closer inspection it will be found to represent a prospecting pick. Across the gold head the word Medford will be beautifully painted. A number of unique and interesting surprises are in store for those who attend the congress.

## Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt and sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors and to the members of the I. O. O. F. for their sympathy and assistance rendered in our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Mary Bouten and family

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