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MARDI GRAS DURING FAIR

All Ready for Big Doings in Medford From September 9 to 13.

The fair directors are holding meetings every week and are making big preparations for the third annual fair at Medford, September 9 to 13.

The exhibit building has been moved up close to the amphitheatre, another building for stock and poultry erected and a suitable place fixed under the grand stand for the children's exhibits, that are in charge of the Greater Medford club and promises to be very numerous and interesting.

A platform will be erected in the alley between Ritter & Dunlap's and J. W. Dressler's office for the band and there will be free dancing and Mardi Gras on the paved street on Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

A big special feature that has been secured is the wild horses and bucking bulls used at the Klamath Falls Elks Rodio July 4; also several of the champion riders for the coast have been secured, which promises plenty of bucking broncho sports.

The ladies relay race of two miles changing horses every half mile for a purse of \$200, will be a big special event.

Secretary Streets of the Commercial club who is making a special effort to get the orchardists to make good exhibits of fruit says the display will be the finest in Southern Oregon. This is a big pear and apple country and as there are about \$300 in cash offered on each of these fruits as well as liberal exhibits on all other fruits, the growers should make a special effort to see the valley has a creditable showing at the fair. The association will furnish cold storage for fruits and vegetables. Get a premium list and prepare to make an exhibit of something.

Burcom Reports.

Wilbur Cameron was in the city last week.

A. S. Kleinhammer and wife were in town last week.

Hazel Hamilton spent several days with relatives in Medford.

Frank Cameron was in town Saturday.

Frank Crump and wife are now visiting Crater Lake.

Hollis Parks, the cream hauler now runs twice a week.

Frank Stephenson spent Sunday night at Joe Goldsby's.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. George Wolf Sunday.

Miss Dora Saltmarsh and Mollie Kleinhammer was the guest of Mr. Ansel Gilson last week.

Mrs. C. C. Buck and daughter Letha, were visiting home folks near Buncom Tuesday.

Vincent Kasshafer of Jacksonville was visiting Bert Goldsby last week.

Wilbur Cameron steps high over the arrival of a new automobile.

Mrs. Frank Cameron was taken to the hospital Saturday and is reported doing well, we are glad to say.

Mrs. S. A. Cantrall was visiting her son John and family this week.

Lee and Dean Saltmarsh were in Medford on business Wednesday.

Hollis Parks was in the city Tuesday. W. O. Garrett was on the streets the first of the week.

George Wolf has sold his place and will move to Medford.

Ora Goldsby and Daisy Whelpley were the guests of Dora Donahue last Saturday.

William Anderson is working for A. S. Kleinhammer at present.

John Cantrall was in town this week. Joe Hall tarried in the city the first of the week.

Debenger Gap.

By Norman Gage.

Mr. Florence Walker of Antioch left last Tuesday for Crater Lake with a load of melons and returned Saturday. He met one of his Aunts Mrs. H. Welch, whom he had not seen for twenty years. She returned home with Mr. Walker and expects to stay for some time.

Mr. Russel Trombine of Central Point has returned from the marsh where he spent the summer.

Grain thrashing began on the Debenger Gap ranch, last Wednesday.

Mr. Jasper Rodgers and son, Lester of Beagle have begun work on their store building, which will be a great accommodation to the travel as it is on the cross roads of Gold Hill, Debenger Gap, and Meadows Central Point roads.

The American Bonding Co. of Baltimore will go on your bond and write burglary insurance.

D. W. BAGSHAW, Agent.

Here is a woman who speaks from personal knowledge and long experience, "I know from experience that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is far superior to any other. For a cough there is nothing that excels it." For sale by all dealers.

ADVISES REST

Letter From Suffragette Leader Partially Confirms Report that Truce is Made.

London, Aug. 25.—Rumors which have been current of a truce between the militant suffragettes and the British Government seem to find support in a letter written today by Mrs. Pankhurst to her followers advising them to take a holiday for the present. She says:

"I am gathering up strength for a renewed battle when the holiday season is over. I hope that everyone of you also will take advantage of the present lull in political activity to take the rest and change you have all so richly deserved."

Another indication that an agreement has been reached is the cessation by the authorities of the enforcement of the "cat and mouse" act. Out of 43 suffragettes sentenced to imprisonment for various offenses, only one now is in jail.

It is widely believed that Mrs. Pankhurst has at least agreed to a truce in order to strengthen the hands of those members of the British Cabinet, who are working to make the enfranchisement of women a Government measure.

Berry Juice "Keeps"

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore., Aug. 25.—Among other remarkable qualities loganberry juice has the property of retaining its freshness for several weeks without any sterilization whatever, according to recent investigations conducted by Professor C. I. Lewis, horticulturist of the Oregon Agricultural College. About the first of July Professor Lewis took considerable quantities of loganberry juice, without heat, sweetened it to taste and poured it into bottles which he set away to the basement rooms of the Horticultural building. The bottles were not sealed, nor was the temperature of the room cooled below normal. At the end of six weeks an examination of the juice showed that its appearance was unchanged and that fermentation was just beginning to set in. Upon tasting, the juice was found to be sweet, with more than just a "sparkling" taste to enrich its flavor. Professor Lewis considers its self-sterilizing power very unusual and desired to make it a popular beverage wherever loganberries are grown.

FOR SALE at a Bargain—House a lot on Oregon street, near City Hall. Must be sold soon. Call on Rogue River Realty Co. Adv.

THE EFFECT ABOARD.

Policy of the Administration Has Changed European Sentiment in Our Favor

An editorial writer in the Portland Telegram discusses the effect of the Wilson policy as follows:

"There is yet uncertainty about the outcome of the Mexican situation, but with all the rapidly changing prospects there is much encouragement that the policy of the Administration at Washington will win, and that some plan will be adopted that will tend to bring about peace in that long distressed country."

But whatever else may come, there certainly has been a change of European sentiment regarding the attitude of this country, and that change is to our credit and is due principally to the fact that we have a policy and have taken a definite and rather determined stand concerning some of the things essential to be done in Mexico before there can be any hope for peace.

Until President Wilson seriously turned his attention to affairs in Mexico, we were merely drifting and apparently unable either to direct or to influence the course of events. Chaos continuously threatened down there, and apparently we could not lift a hand to prevent it. Our attitude was one that commanded little or no respect abroad.

We now have assurance that the positive stand taken by this Government in meeting with appreciation on the part of the most powerful foreign interest, and, as a result of that, pressure is brought to bear in Mexico to induce the favorable consideration of that which the Government at Washington proposes.

This attitude goes a considerable way toward winning success for the Wilson policy. It is the victory for peace through the agency of diplomacy if won at last, and that without abandoning the high moral ground that the Wilson Administration has assumed from the first with regard to Huerta's incumbency. A straightforward declaration of principle and American manliness have been the chief factors in winning commendation, and the chances are that they have won respect in Mexico as elsewhere."

Fires in Pine Timber

The effect of light surface fires on pine timber is to kill or damage more than half of the mature trees, according to findings just announced by the U. S. forest service.

The studies were made on the Wal-lowa and Whitman national forests in the Blue Mountains of eastern Oregon. Several typical stands of western yellow pine were selected, where surface fires had recently burned. The region had been periodically run over by such fires for a long time. The most recently burned areas were carefully surveyed and all the trees individually studied to find the effect of the fire.

As a result of this survey the following facts were verified: A surface fire kills from one to three merchantable trees per acre, by eating out basal fire scars; it makes fire scars at the base of 42 per cent, or nearly one-half, of all the merchantable yellow pines; it actually burns to death more than 3 per cent of the trees—that is, they are killed by the heat of the light surface fire at their bases. In short, of the mature trees more than one-half of the stand suffer more or less damage.

The stands were selected to insure results representative of the region, according to the forest service investigators, who draw the conclusion that deliberate light burning in such localities to remove brush and undergrowth is distinctly uneconomical, particularly since successive surface burnings only heighten the injury to the trees and make it cumulative.

NEWS OF OREGON

Brief Account of Recent Events, Gathered from Our Exchanges

Burns Presbyterians have awarded the contract for a new church building to cost \$11,000.

Klamath Falls has sold its issue of \$75,000 worth of city bonds to a Cleveland bank at par.

Ashland is trying a public market, the first opening of which was Saturday, August 23.

Ground is being cleared at Seaside for the erection of a new sawmill of 60,000 feet capacity, with box factory in connection.

Eugene has passed an ordinance forbidding all racing on Sunday. This includes auto and motorcycle racing.

Stanfield has begun its peach harvest. It is estimated that the Page ranch alone will yield 20,000 boxes.

Contracts totaling \$39,069 have been let for the construction of new high school buildings at Cottage Grove.

Domestic science, manual training and a physical laboratory are to augment the curriculum of the Sutherlin schools the coming year.

The Tumbulo Times is the latest paper to be launched in Crook county. It is published at Laidlaw, by S. R. Brown, and is printed at Redmond.

Scott Cornelius former assessor of Clatsop county, permits the Astorian to quote him as pointing with pride to 95 tons of the finest hay from 15 of his fertile acres.

W. L. Smith of Hood River has an exhibition just to show what that region can produce, seven peaches weighing eight pounds.

The editor of the Burns News describes a field of Harney county barley that will make 75 to 80 bushels per acre.

A syndicate of Chicago and Pittsburg capitalists have purchased 500 acres of land south of North Bend, in Coos county, paying \$250,000 for it and will start both iron and wood-working factories on the site.

The Oregon Power Co. has closed a contract with the P. E. & E. railway company to supply power for the lines now in operation and all lines as far north as Salem. The power is to be supplied from the Springfield plant.

Text Books for Public Schools.

Following is a list of the text books to be used in the grades of the public schools according to the new course of study which has just been issued by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction. A copy of the course of study will be placed in the hands of each teacher under contract to teach in Jackson county as soon as a supply is furnished by the State Department, which will be in a few days.

FIRST GRADE
Wheeler's Graded Primer, Sloan's Primary Reader, first book.

SECOND GRADE
Wheeler's Graded First Reader, Wheeler's Graded Second Reader.

THIRD GRADE
Wheeler's Graded Third Reader, Hicks' Champion Spelling Book, Writing Lessons for Primary Grades, Numbers Step by Step.

FOURTH GRADE
Wheeler's Graded Fourth Reader, Hicks' Champion Spelling Book, Writing Lessons for Primary Grades, Numbers Step by Step, Kimball's Elementary English Book 1.

FIFTH GRADE
Wheeler's Graded Fifth Reader, Hicks' Champion Spelling Book, Palmer's Method of Business Writing, Complete Arithmetic by White, World Geography, Kimball's Elementary Book 1, Introductory American History by Bourne & Benton, Primer of Sanitation, by Ritche.

SIXTH GRADE
Wheeler's Graded Sixth Reader, Hicks' Champion Spelling Book, Palmer's Method of Business Writing, Complete Arithmetic, World Geography, by Tarr & Murray, Kimball's Elementary English Book 1, Introductory American History by Bourne & Benton, Graded Lessons in Physiology and Hygiene by Krohn.

SEVENTH GRADE
Elson's Grammar School Reader, Book 3, Hicks' Champion Spelling Book, Palmer's Method of Business Writing, Complete Arithmetic, World Geography, Kimball's Elementary English Book 2, A School History of the United States by Mace.

EIGHTH GRADE
Elson's Grammar School Reader, Book 4, Hicks' Champion Spelling Book, Palmer's Method of Business Writing, Agriculture for Beginners, Complete Arithmetic, Keinsch's Civil Government, Kimball's Elementary English, Book 1, A School History of the United States by Mace.

J. Percy Wells,
County School Superintendent.

Big Surprise to Many in Jacksonville

Local people are surprised at the QUICK results received from simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Acler-i-ka, the German remedy which became famous by curing appendicitis. The City Drug Store states that this simple remedy draws off such a surprising amount of old foul matter from the body that A SINGLE DOSE relieves our stomachs on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY.

DEPARTMENT GRANTS PERMIT

To Use Water Power for Lumbering on Wind River, Wash.

Acting secretary of agriculture Gal-lowsay has just granted a final water power permit to E. P. Ash and Sam Samson of Stevenson, Washington, the power to be used in logging operations in the vicinity of Wind River. This final permit succeeds a preliminary one granted to the same parties on March 1, 1912.

The water power project, which utilizes the flow to Wind River, is located entirely on national forest land of the Columbia forest, and is about 30 miles northeast of Stevenson.

By means of a timber crib dam, about 16 feet in height, water will be diverted into a wood-stave pipe 4 feet in diameter, in which it will be conveyed a distance of about one mile to the pressure pipes and the wheels. At the power house there will be installed one 750 kilowatt unit, direct connected to a Pelton wheel.

Commemorate Fall of Napoleon

Kelheim, Aug. 25.—All the German overlords, including Emperor William and the heads of the city republics of Hamburg, Bremen and Lubeck, have assembled here as the guests of the Prince Regent of Bavaria to commemorate in the great Hall of Liberation the defeat of Napoleon in 1813. Besides the rulers, this little town of only 4000 inhabitants is entertaining nearly 70,000 visitors, who have traveled here over the single railroad or in automobiles from all parts of Germany.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

For Issuing Road Bonds for Jackson County, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given, that on Tuesday, the 9th day of September, 1913, a special election will be held in Jackson county, Oregon, to determine whether the county court for Jackson county, Oregon, shall issue bonds of said county, and provide for permanent road construction to the amount of Five Hundred Thousand (\$500,000.00) Dollars, to mature:

One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars, par value, ten years from the date thereof.

One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars, par value, fifteen years from the date thereof.

One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars, par value, twenty years from the date thereof.

One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars, par value, twenty-five years from the date thereof.

One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars, par value, thirty years from the date thereof.

The total amount thereof to be issued in one year if the county court shall so order, and to bear interest at the rate of five percent per annum, and all of the funds so raised shall be expended in building and improving one permanent road in said county, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the corner between fractional sections thirteen (13) and fourteen (14) in township forty-eight (48) north of range seven (7) west of the Mount Diablo Meridian, California, connecting with the survey of the state highway of California; thence northerly along the route as now staked out to present county road; thence following as near as practical the main county road into and through the city of Ashland, a municipal corporation of Jackson county, Oregon; thence following the main traveled county road through the towns of Talent, Phoenix, Medford and Central Point, in a northwesterly direction; thence following, as near as practical, the county road in a northwesterly direction to a point at or near the stream known as Rogue river; thence following the main traveled county road along said stream in a westerly direction and terminating at a point where the main traveled county road on the south side of Rogue River crosses the county line between the counties of Jackson and Josephine, Oregon, and at or near said stream known as the Rogue river. The terminal of said road, as herein directed, is definite and permanent. The line above described between the terminal thereof shall be as herein ordered, and shall follow the most practical route for a permanent road, and said road shall be a permanent road and highway through said county.

G. A. GARDNER,
County Clerk for Jackson County, Oregon.

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