

## WILL GET SETTLERS.

Several Families on their Way to Jackson County.

MANY OTHERS TO FOLLOW.

FRANK O'NEILL, OF THE N. P. AND J. P. JONES, OF THE S. P., TELL ABOUT IMMIGRATION.

Railroad agents claim that Southern Oregon will get its share of new settlers for this year. J. P. Jones, traveling passenger agent for the Southern Pacific, and Frank O'Neill, district passenger agent for the Northern Pacific, were in the city this week and desired that the SOUTHERN OREGONIAN announce that their respective roads were doing everything possible to encourage immigration to Southern Oregon.

"I shall return in a few days," said Mr. O'Neill, "with a number of families from Illinois who intend to settle in Jackson county, either in Medford or Ashland. Others will follow. I have arranged with Palm & York to send us advertising matter for distribution where it will do the most good. There is a big immigration moving west this year, and there is no reason why Southern Oregon, as well as other parts of the northwest, should not get a large percentage of the settlers. This movement amounts almost to a stampede. The blizzards, the droughts, cyclones, floods and other disadvantages which cover some part or other of the Middle West and East, are principal agents instrumental in driving people out of these populous centers.

Immigration agents were looked upon with suspicion when they were told about a land free from all such plagues. They were not believed. The people preferred to cling to their old homes in spite of the attractiveness pictured in the new land towards the setting sun. Their children and dearest ones were resting in the old churchyards. Then came the railroads with their cheap rates. The agents said to them, 'We shall show you the wonders of this new land. You can see for yourself.' Those who took advantage of the cheap rates saw things which astonished them beyond measure. They returned home and told their friends about the new Wonderland. They sold their farms. They left their old homesteads, their churchyards and other things that can lead up to both painful and joyful memories, and turned and followed the track of the sun. They are being whirled along in cushioned cars at the rate of 50 miles an hour over the same route where their forefathers fought their way inch by inch against fearful odds. Some wonder some day will see in the movement good material for a novel. It is there."

J. P. Jones said that the Southern Pacific has already sent a number of settlers to Southern Oregon and would go as far as it could in encouraging such immigration. He emphasized the fact that the commercial organizations of the different cities should co-operate in getting out advertising matter about the country. This the Board of Trade is doing in as rapid manner as possible.

### A QUEER FANCY.

Fred Hardy, who is in jail in Nome for the murder of Con Sullivan, on Unimak Island, last June, is speculating as to whether the authorities will use a silken rope when he is "worked off." Although an appeal has been taken in his case to the Supreme Court of the United States, local attorneys of Nome do not think a new trial will be granted.

Two charges of murder still remain against him, namely, the murder of F. Sullivan and P. J. Rooney. In his defense Hardy set up that he left the schooner Argo on June 10 and landed at Unimak Island. District Attorney McGinn ascertained that Hardy left the vessel June 7 instead of June 10.

### Strikes a Rich Find.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by City Drug Store.

### Wanted to Know

The whereabouts of John H. Clair, of St. Clair. He is 74 years old, five feet, nine or ten inches high, crooked nose, caused by a fall when young, eyesight very poor. Last time we saw him he wore a white whiskers; is a miner by occupation and was seen in the vicinity of Lakeview, Lake county, Oregon, in September, 1900. Any information will be very kindly appreciated by his relatives.

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**PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION**

## MEDFORD SQUIBS.

Miss Bessie Nickell, of Jacksonville, was in Medford Thursday.

Hon. W. A. Carter of Gold Hill and his wife are visiting in Salem.

Mrs. Nute and her sister, Miss Boone, were in town recently.

Hon. W. K. Price of Tolo was doing business in Medford Tuesday.

Miss Ella Orth, one of Jacksonville's belles, made our town a visit Thursday.

Miss Ora Adkins and Miss Pickens visited in Ashland one day this week.

Horace Pelton, one of Sam's valley's leading citizens, was among us this week.

W. R. Dickinson and E. C. Pomeroy, of Beagle, spent a day in our city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Coss are at Grant's Pass looking after their piano business.

W. J. Virgin of Ashland, the well-known miller, was in Medford during the week.

J. A. Thomas, Socialist candidate for representative, was a visitor Thursday.

W. T. Kinney and J. G. McCallister, of Lake Creek, were with us this week.

Harry Langell and Jim Adams tarried at the county-seat Thursday night.

W. M. Holmes, manager of the Snowy Butte mills, was on our streets Monday.

Miss Mabel Jones, one of Oregon's sweetest singers, visited in Ashland last week.

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J. D. Heard, the genial mining and smelting expert, left for San Francisco one day this week.

M. J. Donaldson-Selby of Sterlingville tarried with us a short time during the past week.

S. D. Biden, of Evans Creek, and his daughter, Miss Violet, were recent visitors in Medford.

I. L. Hamilton, the genial boniface, was at Ashland this week on business of a non-political nature.

H. C. Mackey, the genial photographer, went to Gold Hill this evening, accompanied by his wife.

Morris Howell has returned to Ashland, after a residence of several months in Wheeler county.

M. S. Damon, the veteran who has been spending several months in California, is among us again.

Dr. R. T. Burnett, Ashland's leading dentist, and his wife are visiting their many friends in Medford.

J. A. Kirkham, the energetic representative of Bishop & Co., is among us. He is as irresistible as ever.

Frank O'Neill, the clever traveling agent of the Northern Pacific R. R., spent a few days in the valley this week.

E. R. Cardwell, of Sam's Valley, one of our thriftiest young farmers, tarried in Medford a few hours Thursday.

Mrs. E. W. Calkins has gone to Seattle, Wash., having been advised of the death of her brother-in-law, W. F. Wing.

The many friends of Rufus Cox are pleased to notice him on our streets again. He has had a long siege of severe sickness.

C. C. Presley, Wells, Fargo & Co.'s agent at Grant's Pass, was in Medford lately. He is the Republican nominee for treasurer of Josephine county.

One of the late arrivals in Medford is E. M. Jenkins, formerly of Brownsville, Mo. Mr. Jenkins is an expert woodworker and expects to work up a large trade in this city.

John B. Rinehart, formerly of Medford, but now of San Francisco, is visiting in Eugene. His son Eugene holds a position in the freight auditor's department of the S. P. Co.

At the Republican primary meeting recently held in East Medford, one of our capitalists moved that none but taxpayers be chosen as delegates to the county convention. The motion was lost.

The Southern Oregon Pork Packing Co.'s butchery has been closed permanently. This leaves two meat markets in Medford—Arnold & Harnburg's and Puttenger & Co.'s—both of which would be a credit to any town.

W. B. Jones and his son Wilbur, whose fine farm is located near Medford, will hereafter devote considerable attention to the raising of apples. For several years they have been among our most successful grain raisers.

Thomas McAndrew has sold 155 acres of his fine farm, situated near Medford, to J. G. Hodges, who has sold more land than nearly anybody else not engaged in the real-estate business. The price paid was in the neighborhood of \$7,000.

Mrs. E. E. Gore, Jr., the popular instructor of music, returned from Jacksonville yesterday, where she has quite a number of pupils. In addition to that class Mr. Gore teaches a larger one in Medford. She is thorough in her profession, which accounts for her success.

The Presbyterian church congregation last Sunday issued a unanimous call for Rev. James Robinson of Reading, Pa. The minister was highly recommended, and is considered one of the leading preachers in his district. It is understood that he will come immediately.

## SOUTHERN OREGON NEWS

A BRIEF RESUME OF HAPPENINGS AND PROGNOSTICATIONS OF INTEREST.

E. B. Myer and wife have returned to Ashland from California.

Captain Kellogg is visiting with his son, A. E. Kellogg of Gold Hill, this week.

Miss Mabel Bell, daughter of the postmaster of Brownsboro, is visiting Mrs. Wiley of Ashland.

Mrs. May Haskins of Central Point has accepted a position as apprentice on the Gold Hill News.

Miss Nellie Dickey has arrived home from attending the State University at Berkeley, California.

Miss Isa Duncan, who has been visiting in San Francisco, has returned to her home in Ashland.

Miss Anna Schallhorn has returned to Grant's Pass from visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Buettel of Ashland.

John E. Pelton of Ashland, ex-sheriff of Jackson county, has applied for a divorce from his wife, who has twice been denied legal separation by Judge Hanna.

W. A. Massingill and E. M. Brattain, who are delegates to the Republican state convention, passed through the valley Saturday, en route to Portland from Lake county.

It is reported that W. W. Edington, who recently returned from Missouri, has purchased the Cardwell place, located in Sam's Valley. The price is stated to be \$4,500.

The shipment of trees to Rogue River Valley has been enormous this year, according to the statement of A. H. Carson, horticultural commissioner. The majority of the trees he says are apple sprouts.

John Simons, a miner of Paddy Hill, Kane's creek, states that himself and partner are running a tunnel on the Miner ledge and that the showing made is very encouraging.

W. H. Stewart, the energetic horticulturist, has returned from San Francisco, where he spent some time in the Lane Hospital. He underwent a second operation for skin-grafting, which seems to be entirely successful.

George Von der Helien, youngest son of H. Von der Helien of Antelope who has been going to school at Jacksonville, cut his foot severely with an axe Friday morning. We hope that his injuries are not as serious as reported.

Frank S. Goud and John J. Vis, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are here this week looking around, with the intention of locating. They were very much pleased with the weather and the general appearance of the country. Once people are persuaded in coming to Southern Oregon, it is not hard to get them to remain. The resources of the country as seen at first sight are the best advertising agents.

O. B. Gates of Hillsboro was in Ashland recently to arrange for the construction of the Ashland, Klamath and Lakeview telephone line, an enterprise started by his father, H. V. Gates. A carload of wire and tools have already arrived. The destination of the new line as already published is Alturas, California.

W. H. Derby, a respected citizen of Big Butte creek, aged 75 years, was brought to Jacksonville by A. B. Chartraw and John Higinbotham. He lost his mind several months ago, and it was deemed proper to send him to the insane asylum. Dr. Robinson conducted the examination in Judge Prim's court, and he was committed. John S. Orth and J. B. Wetterer took him to Salem Friday.

Ruth Rebekah Lodge No. 4, Jacksonville, is preparing for a grand ball to be given Friday evening, April 4. First-class music will be a feature of the affair. The general committee consists of H. C. Maury, C. Ulrich, H. Ireland, and L. Ulrich will be floor director. The floor managers will be M. M. Taylor, P. Donegan, F. Voyle, L. L. Jacobs and C. Kenney. There will be a fine supper afterwards.

Ely's Liquid Cream Balm is an old friend in a new form. It is prepared for the particular benefit of sufferers from nasal catarrh who are used to an atomizer in spraying the diseased membranes. All the healing and soothing properties of Cream Balm are retained in the new preparation. It does not dry up the secretions. Price, including the spraying tube, 75 cents. At your druggist, or Ely Brothers, 50 Warren St., New York, will mail it.

The following county ticket has been nominated by the Republicans of Klamath county: A. Castel, clerk; J. W. Siemens, sheriff; L. F. Willis, county judge; O. A. Stearns, commissioner; H. H. Van Valkenburg, treasurer; Chas. Drew, assessor; A. C. Lewis, surveyor; Dr. Reames, coroner. Delegates to the state convention: C. R. Delap, A. Kershner, W. F. Arant, H. F. Murdock, who will also represent the county at the congressional convention. They are favorable to the nomination of Geer for governor, Moore for treasurer, Tongue for congressman and Emmett for representative.

## NEXT MINING BOOM.

Will Send the Tidal Wave to Southern Oregon.

HANDWRITING ON THE WALL.

SHOWS THERE IS PLENTY OF GOLD HERE, AND THAT IT WILL BE UNCOVERED BY DEEP DIGGING.

"Some day there will be a big mining boom in Southern Oregon."

The speaker was J. C. Metcalf, a shrewd observer, who prefaces his remarks with sound reasoning. Several gentlemen were discussing the Thunder mountain stampede, which called forth the remarks.

"Thunder mountain district is all right," continued Mr. Metcalf. "The gold is there all right; but none of those places, Thunder mountain, Alaska, or any other place, can beat Southern Oregon. The millions of placer gold that have been already taken from the ground, and the gold that is being mined today from almost every gulch in Southern Oregon, is positive evidence that there are large store-houses from which so much gold has been washed. The rich pockets already discovered have shown how rich is the quartz."

"But the very fact of finding these pockets has given Southern Oregon the name of a pocket country. Indeed, most of the miners operating in the district have been pocket hunters. Only within a few years have been made efforts toward deepsinking. When on it is shown, and mark me it is bound to happen, that steady values increase with depth, you will see a bigger gold excitement in this part of the country than there has been in other places boomed."

There are plenty of others of the same opinion as Mr. Metcalf. They believe the time is not far distant when Southern Oregon will claim its own. Because a few mining engineers have given the country the reputation of a pocket country should be taken as a good sign rather than otherwise. The history of mining is perforated with the mistakes of mining engineers. They at times try to apply their knowledge of one district to another, where the conditions are totally different, and when at fault blame the country rather than their own limited knowledge.

The best experts in South Africa sent to British Columbia by English syndicates declared the country a poor field for investing; yet mines like the Le Roi, Black Bear, etc., have paid their millions in dividends and are still first-class producers. The same may be said of Colorado, Montana, Eastern Oregon and other mining districts which have made their reputations by becoming producing districts.

The same thing will prove true in the case of Southern Oregon.

**Women and Jewels.**

Jewels, candy, flowers, man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman will risk her health to get a coveted jewel, then let her fortify herself against the insidious consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes, and drive the bread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at City Drug Store. See Green's Special Almanac.

**SETTLERS STILL COMING.**

Still the stream of homeseekers for Southern Oregon pours through Portland, says the Telegram.

This morning a special car came in with the regular Northern Pacific train containing 25 families from Alexandria, Ind. They were bound for the country near Roseburg, where they had been already provided with homes, having all bought farms together. The little colony of new settlers were delighted thus far with all that they saw. They declared that Portland was a much larger and finer city than they had anticipated seeing. The travelers from Indiana had a very comfortable and pleasant trip overland.

Sixty-five passengers rated as settlers were on the morning train on the O. R. & N. As there has been no congestion on the O. R. & N., the travel of the Easterners who are taking advantage of the rates to come to the Far West is not noted so much, but they are on every train, both via Huntington and Spokane.

**Blown to Atoms.**

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure constipation and sick headache. Only 25 cents at City Drug Store.

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I then saw your advertisement, and read in a New York paper, and ordered your treatment. After I had used it only a few days, according to your directions, the noises ceased, and to-day, after five weeks, my hearing in the deaf ear has been entirely restored. I thank you heartily and beg to remain Very truly yours,

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