

JONES FAMILY VERY EARNEST

Two Members Thankful to Journal for Carrying on Educational Contest.

YOUNGSTERS SEEK HIGHER EDUCATION

Clay Finished Course at Portland High School, Turning His McMinnville Scholarship Over to His Brother Buford.

The liberal manner in which the schools and colleges treat those who come to them from the educational contests of The Journal is set forth in letters from Clay Jones, one of last year's contestants, and from his brother, Buford Jones, who was permitted to attend McMinnville college upon the prize scholarship.

Members of the Jones family are earnest in their desire for higher education. They have helped one another attend school, several of the children having spent some time in the classic precincts of McMinnville. The letters of the two boys follow:

"The Journal—I am glad to learn that the Journal management will give another scholarship contest. I was one of the 27 who remained in the race to the finish last year and I came under the wire No. 9. But I got the prize I entered for just the same—a scholarship in McMinnville college. I wanted to complete my course at the Portland High School, so my brother is using the scholarship at the McMinnville college, that being agreeable to the management of the college.

"I learned a great deal about the newspaper business by being in the contest and I have been making money out of it ever since last September. As a result of being in the contest I am offered a position as soon as high school closes.

"I hope that a large number of brave boys and girls will take advantage of The Journal's liberal offer and take subscriptions this summer. I can assure them of just and liberal treatment in making award at the close of the contest and a square deal all through. Very truly yours,
CLAY JONES,
409 East Twelfth St."

"Contest Manager Journal—Dear Sir: I am a student at McMinnville college. I have been here three years. During the past year I have been using The Journal's scholarship won by my brother in The Journal's educational contest of last summer.

"The college is well situated at McMinnville, Oregon. There are two long

Badly Mixed Up.
Abraham Brown of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me, so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaint, by Red Cross Pharmacy, 50c.

courses of study, the scientific and classical, leading to degrees which rank well in the larger eastern institutions, as the success of our graduates who have gone there show. There is also the business course, which is also the most practical. It is also the most liberal board of education, the commercial department, an important growing part of the college, and the conservatory of music, which needs no special mention to anyone at all acquainted with it.

The surroundings and influences are all that can be desired. The town people showed their loyalty this winter by raising \$2,700 more than they were asked for, while the college was a strong factor in driving out the saloons at the last election, the college glee club and student speakers assisting in the prohibition campaign in this county. The faculty is composed of earnest teachers, who give all of their time and efforts to the success and advancement of the college and each one takes an intelligent and conscientious interest in the students under them.

"I do not believe that I could have spent the time in any better school to better advantage in any way. Very truly yours,
BUFORD JONES."

STUDENTS OF CIVICS TURNING TO OREGON

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, Or., June 22.—Not only are hundreds of immigrants attracted by Oregon's splendid resources and undeveloped territory, but diplomats and publicists are looking to Oregon as the best place to live in the world, and to turn toward pure democracy. This is exemplified in a communication received by Governor Chamberlain from Mr. Sweden, asking for information on the great governmental reforms inaugurated by the state of Oregon.

The letter comes from Otto Grundlund of Stockholm, who is connected with the central bureau of statistics for Sweden. He states that he is compiling a treatise and wishes to know more of the practical workings of the initiative and referendum and its effect on political parties.

Many from various sections of the United States have come to the secretary of state for information on the initiative and referendum measure and have been answered as fully and correctly as might be. Copies of the laws have been sent, methods used have been explained at length and magazine and newspaper articles have been recommended to inquirers.

ROGUE RIVER FRUIT MEN HOLD PICNIC

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Grants Pass, Or., June 22.—A fruit-growers' picnic under the auspices of the Rogue River Fruitgrowers' union was held at Martin's grove on Rogue river, five miles below Grants Pass, yesterday. The picnic was primarily for the purpose of getting the fruitgrowers together to exchange experiences, as well as to enjoy a day of social intercourse. Speeches were made by prominent fruitgrowers of the state.

M. J. Anderson of the United States forestry service spoke of the value of forests to the fruitgrower. Austin T. Buxton, master of the state grange, spoke on the relation of the grange to the horticulturist and farmer.

These picnics are to be a regular feature of the union. Another will be held somewhere on Rogue river this fall after watermelons are ripe.

LAWYERS VS. MEDICS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Roseburg, Or., June 22.—The liveliest game of ball at Roseburg this season will be the one to be pulled off here Sunday afternoon. The contesting teams are composed of members of the medical profession and of the legal profession, respectively. Each team is betting down to hard practice and the game will be first legally prosecuted and then prescribed for.

ATHENA FAIR IN SEPTEMBER

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Athena, Or., June 22.—The following officers have been elected to serve the Athena Livestock association, which has been finally organized: Dr. J. D. Plamondon, president; J. B. Froome, vice-president; B. B. Richards, secretary; E. F. Wilson, assistant secretary; Charles Batts, treasurer. The fair for holding the fair this year will be September 19, 20 and 21.

FARMERS' UNION CAUSES SCARE

Possibility of Big Organization Entering Politics Alarms Leaders.

TO WORK DOUGLAS LIME MOUNTAIN

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Roseburg, Or., June 22.—A lime and cement manufacturing plant that will employ over 300 men and cost over \$250,000 is to be constructed here this summer, five miles south of town, at Limestone mountain. The purchasing parties are a number of capitalists of whom Mr. Riedel of Portland, Mr. Moore of Ogden, Utah, and Mr. Nibley of Salt Lake, Utah, the latter also a director of the Oregon Short Line railroad, are members. The new owners will incorporate.

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The property they have just purchased consists of a mountain of a lime formation, of which about 50 acres is rich with mineral. Some mesage development work has been done to prove the worth of the property. Now that it is in the hands of able capital it is expected to yield great wealth and prove one of the foremost sources of lime supply in Oregon.

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8. That the members of the union have seen fit to construe the next clause of the constitution to their own liking is evidenced by the fact that in Mississippi and in other states the local branches are planning for representation in the legislative assemblies.
9. An idea of what the results might be if the organization as a whole decided to go into active politics may be had from the statement that in five years it has gained a membership of 1,000,000 men and it is still growing at a rapid rate. At the present time state and local unions, organized on a firm basis, exist in all the southern states and in Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Oregon, California and Illinois.

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LITTLE GIRL FATALLY INJURED IN RUNAWAY

Eight-year-old Child of Mrs. Krout, Living Near Junction City, Thrown From Vehicle.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Harrisburg, Or., June 22.—The eight-year-old daughter of Mrs. Krout, who lives five miles west of Junction City, was fatally injured in a runaway Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Krout, accompanied by another woman and Mrs. Krout's little daughter, were on their way home from Lebanon.

One of the lines had been tied in a knot and thus became untied. The team thus uncontrollable, took fright and ran, throwing out the little girl, who was riding behind the seat. She alighted on her head. The team came down Smith street and turning south went to the mill-race, on the north side of which a gate barred their way. They kept the road and practically no damage was done the outfit.

A little later the woman and little girl were brought to town by farmers who picked them up on the road. The little girl was rendered unconscious when thrown out and died a few hours later without recovering consciousness.

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Student Body Treasurer.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
University of Oregon, Eugene, June 22.—A. B. Tiffany, an alumnus of the university, has been appointed graduate treasurer of the student body. L. T. Goodrich, the former treasurer, has resigned, after several years of successful administration.

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NOMINATE A FAVORITE
Or several, if you like. If you nominate more than one, select your nominees from different localities.

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