

VALLEY RECORD.

ASHLAND, OREGON, TUESDAY, SEPT. 4, 1890.

THE DISTRICT FAIR.

The District Fair which will begin at Central Point September 22, 1890, is fast approaching and the time has come to definitely settle the question of exhibiting at the fair.

Since the Presidential election of 1888 nineteen votes have been added to the Electoral College, including six which Idaho and Wyoming will contribute.

Felicia Holt, a magazine writer quotes a little girl as asking her mother "if she might take off her dress and play in her underclothes like the ladies did on the beach?"

The protest of the American ministers and consuls in Europe, against the passage of the McKinley tariff bill which has caused considerable uneasiness among the people, is attributed to the fine Italian hand of Secretary Blaine.

Why is it wheat is quoted in Chicago at \$1.01 and only 66 cents here? We are as near the markets of the world as Chicago. Our wheat growers should watch the Eastern markets just now.

Henry Villard, the eminent financier, is writing his autobiography for the use of his children alone. He was born in Germany, and the story of his early years is described in French. His business and social life in America will be recorded in English.

East Oregonian: One of Governor Penney's "crank" ideas is that he should not leave the state of Oregon to attend any sort of performance or meeting, industrial, political or otherwise.

Peter, the genial poet, who never says aught but pleasant things about everybody and everything, now owns a half interest in the Linkville Star. Peter's writings get quoted further than any other local writer's, and he should be proud of some of these writings which will be appreciated by the readers calling him a genius.

In this valley every summer there is burned and destroyed a sufficient quantity of straw to feed all the cattle, sheep and horses in the eastern part of the state through the hard part of the winter.

Washington, Aug. 30.—The secretary of the interior to-day decided the case of the Central Pacific road against S. D. Valentine, involving a question of exception of mineral lands from railroad grants.

Our Moths and Turtles. Mrs. S. L. Cooper, of Pine Grove is doing well in the entomological business. She is now collecting moths for a scientist whose general collection up to date is worth \$30,000.

The Oregon Land Company of Salem, Oregon, is offering some choice bargains in fruit lands. This land is situated from 3 1/2 to 5 miles from the State Capital, with its excellent shipping facilities, cannery, etc., and is especially adapted to fruit raising.

Five acre tracts from \$55.00 to \$75.00 per acre all cultivated and ready to set to fruit. Ten-acre tracts partially cultivated for \$80.00 per acre.

Twenty acres light timber land with good spring brook, \$30.00 per acre. Twenty-five acres, fifteen acres in cultivation, spring brook running on the place, for \$35.00 per acre.

Forty acres of choice land all cultivated, small house, some young fruit already set out, \$70.00 per acre. Forty acres of land all cultivated, in wheat this year, for \$30.00.

THE FRUIT INDUSTRY.

The grape crop in Rogue river valley is filling out fine, and the vintage will be unusually good.

Southern Oregon's sharp competition with California in the production of peaches, melons and grapes is noted in the surplus of these products that have been placed in Northwestern markets during the last week.

California fruits are being sold in Chicago and New York by carloads. Peaches, peaches, and grapes are the kinds offered, and many lots reach those places in poor condition, owing to the warm route, and the long time on the route.

The prune crop of California for the present season is estimated at about 15,000,000 bushels. There is no danger of glutting the market opened by the extensive growing of prunes.

Real Estate Transfers. L. A. Sackett to Jas T Abbott—all of block 2, Woolen's add to Ashland; \$200.

Mining Items. A company of Portland capitalists have been prospecting in the Gravel Creek locality over two weeks and have bonded the Gulf and Chapin hydraulic placer mine for \$10,000 and are now in Portland making arrangements to commence the work.

Klamath County Items. Earl, the 14-months son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lerman died Aug. 31st.

Linkville's school opens Sept. 8th, with Prof. D. A. Eckert and Miss Lucy McMillan as principal and assistant.

There are twenty-one members of the L. O. O. F. order in Klamath county, and a lodge will soon be organized here.

L. B. Kester died in Poe valley August 24th, aged 64 years. He came to California in 1840 and to Klamath county in 1850.

Joseph Henry, an army veteran, who had his feet frozen on Klamath lake while in Uncle Sam's service in 1861, appeared on our streets one day this week after an absence of nearly twenty-five years.

Prof. Ira G. Holt, superintendent of California's schools, pronounced Capt. O. C. Applegate's act of July 19th patriotic and says, in a letter to John Uerlines, "I am surprised that such a man should be living in obscurity. He is in the staff of which statesmen are made." Its in the whole family.

Klamath's assessment shows 5670 horses and mules, 13,970 cattle, 220 sheep and \$36,847,122.282 acres of land valued at \$770,111, 125,335 acres improved land at \$81,788, 113,142 acres improved land at \$102,331, and 189,802 acres of unimproved land at \$85,892.

The new state treasurer, Phil Methan, in his official freshness, is holding back part of the state school fund, taking the legal ground that he is justified in his action by the little tax debt which Klamath owes the state.

China pheasant has become the game bird of this valley. They appear to be thoroughly established and make themselves at home. The hens are now laying, (or incubating) their third hatch for the season.

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POPULAR WHITE LIES. "Truth crushed to earth will rise again," "Tell the truth and shame the devil," "Truth is mighty and will prevail," and a hundred other catchy sayings, most of them plainly lies themselves, have been familiar to the world for something over a thousand years.

Among the several distinct species of lies now in vogue, some of which serve to make the world run smoothly and others to retard it, the most common is the white lie, or the society lie, upon which all human intercourse is founded, is first and foremost. The ability to handle this particular species of the matter of a special gift, and he or she who possesses it to a marked degree is entitled by the laws of society. It is emphatically called "black," and it consists in making the deceived person feel at ease with himself and with others.

It does not necessitate always a direct verbal falsehood, but a manner, tone, expression or implication from which but one conclusion can be drawn. A blunder in this art is justly viewed with contempt and even suspicion.

There is the harmless lie which arises from vanity, and which nobody believes excepting, perhaps, the narrator himself. The harmless lie seeks to magnify himself by the relation of anecdotes and instances which may or may not be true, but which are told in a manner which is not intended to deceive.

The business lie is a necessity, a cogwheel of trade, which every body expects and accepts. It is not uncommon that a special agency has long thriven merely by publishing the truth about the real standing of business houses. The fact that the agency is often wrong shows only that the world which truth inhabits is getting unusually deep.

The family lie is another common form, so firmly rooted as to withstand all attempts at removal. The laughable discussion a few years ago as to whether Santa Claus should be abolished or not will readily be called to mind.

The ministerial lie, which consists mainly in a half statement of the truth, is common on Sundays. This is highly objectionable, and the pastor who indulges in it should be called to mind.

The malicious lie, which is told with the intention of injuring another, is the form most commonly signified by the world. For this there is no excuse. It is and always will be the badge of a cowardly and untrustworthy character, the commonest and most convenient resort of treachery. It is the detestation of the great mass of the people, who prevent them from forming an opinion, the scientific liar is not held in the detestation which he deserves.

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Southern Oregon District Fair.

WILL BE HELD AT—Central Point, Jackson County

Beginning Monday, Sept. 22d, 1890, and Continuing Six Days. OVER \$7000 OFFERED IN PREMIUMS AND PURSES.

The Fruit Growers Annual Exhibit will take place on Monday, Sept. 22d. Everybody invited. All the gates will be open and free on Monday, the first day of the fair. Every facility offered to those wishing to camp on the grounds.

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