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GRANTS PASS, JOSEPHINE COUNTY, OREGON, THURSDAY, AUGUST 28, 1902.

No. 40.

DIRECTORY

JOSEPHINE COUNTY OFFICERS.
Judge..... J. O. Booth
Commissioners..... C. P. Lovelace
Clerk..... R. L. Bartlett
Deputy Clerk..... T. P. Judson
Sheriff..... Geo. W. Lewis
Deputy Sheriff..... Ernest Lister
Treasurer..... J. T. Taylor
School Supt..... Lincoln Savage
Assessor..... Chas. Crow
Surveyor..... H. C. Perkins
Coroner..... W. F. Kremer

CITY OFFICERS.
Mayor..... W. F. Kremer
Auditor and Police Judge..... R. L. Davis
Treasurer..... Col. W. Johnson
City Attorney..... C. E. Maybrey
Marshal..... John Lockhardt
Street Supt..... John Patrick
Councilmen..... Geo. H. Binns
A. C. Honan, H. Williams, C. E. Harmon, J. A. Bekkop, Will C. Smith, Herbert Smith, Henry Schmidt

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES.
Grants Pass Lodge A. F. & A. M., No. 84, regular communication first and third Saturdays. Visiting brothers cordially invited. W. C. BOZREN, W. M. A. J. PIRK, Sec'y.

Royal Arch Masons—Reamers Chapter No. 28 meets second and fourth Wednesday Masonic hall. L. L. JEWELL, Sec'y.

Eastern Star—Josephine Chapter, No. 99 meets first and third Wednesday evenings of each month in Masonic hall. Mrs. H. ZOLLER, Sec'y.

L. O. O. F.—Golden Gate Lodge No. 78 meets every Saturday night at L. O. O. F. hall. C. H. MARSHALL, Sec'y.

Pan Encampment L. O. O. F. No. 1 meets second and fourth Thursday at L. O. O. F. hall. FRED SCHMIDT, Sec'y.

Rebekahs—Etna Rebekah, No. 40 meets second and fourth Monday, L. O. O. F. hall. Mrs. J. H. DENISON, Sec'y.

United Artisans—Grants Pass Assembly No. 49 meets alternate Tuesdays at A. O. U. W. hall. F. E. WERTZ, Master Artisan.

Woodmen of the World—Rogue River Camp No. 50 meets second and fourth Wednesday at Woodman Hall. JAS. SLOVER, Consol. Commander.

Women of Woodcraft—Azalea Circle, No. 182 meets first and third Mondays at Woodman hall. ESTELLA BERRY, N. G. W. E. DEAR, Clerk.

Modern Woodmen of America—Grants Pass Camp No. 807 meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday evenings at Woodman hall at 7:30. Chas. H. Marshall, V. C. N. Reynolds, Clerk.

Foresters of America—Court Josephine No. 28 meets each Wednesday except the first, at A. O. U. W. hall. J. P. HALE, C. R. G. N. BOET, F. S.

Josephine Lodge, No. 112 A. O. U. W. meets in A. O. U. W. hall, Dixon building every Monday evening. J. H. MEADE, M. W. B. A. STANARD, Recorder.

Hawthorne Lodge, No. 21, D. of H. A. O. U. W. meets every alternate Tuesday evening in A. O. U. W. hall, Dixon building. Mrs. Lydia Dean, C. of H. Recorder.

Knights of Pythias—Thermopylae No. 50 meets each Tuesday night 7:30 L. O. O. F. hall. J. T. CHAUSSE, C. C. TOM WILLIAMS, K. of R. and S.

Grand Army of the Republic—Gen. Logan Post No. 20 meets first Wednesday at A. O. U. W. hall. J. E. PETERSON, Aho AXTELL, Adjt. Com.

American Order of Steam Engineers, Oregon Council No. 1 meets first and third Saturdays, at A. O. U. W. hall. Bess, F. MYRICK, Chief Engineer.

Order of Pendo—White Rock Council No. 100 meets in A. O. U. W. Hall first and third Friday nights. C. E. MAYBE, Secretary.

United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America Union No. 148 meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month at A. O. U. W. Hall. J. E. WIDOMAN, Pres. D. A. FITZGERALD, Sec'y.

A. C. HOUGH,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Practices in all State and Federal Courts
Office over First National Bank.
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U. S. DEPUTY
MINERAL SURVEYOR,
GRANTS PASS, OREGON.

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The way to be fat and well is Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil. A little: only a little. Not any, if healthy and plump already; "let well enough alone."

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SOUTHERN OREGON MINES.

Reed & Fletcher have suspended operations at their mine, located in Forest creek district, until they can arrange some of their machinery more satisfactorily. The property is showing well.

Broad & Reid, owners of the Oregon Belle, which is situated in Forest creek district, have a force of men employed in putting ore on the dump. They have one of the best properties in the State, and are making regular cleanups, each one of which yields many hundred dollars. Certain parties are inspecting it, with intentions of purchasing at a big figure.

J. W. Opp has a force employed in the Gold Standard mine, located a few miles west of Jacksonville; but is unable to operate the mill on account of the scarcity of water. He has made several satisfactory cleanups. The last one yielded about \$1400, the result of crushing 25 tons of ore. Negotiations are pending for the transfer of the property, and if consummated the property will be operated on a large scale.

The Yellow Jacket Mining Co., began work, Frank Jordan the foreman, sending a crew of men out to the mine Monday. The Yellow Jacket is well situated; on the west is the old Gold Hill mine that produced in the early 60's a fortune to its owners. The Maybell and Nellie Wright on the east, the Hagan which in its early history produced a large amount of gold, are all on the same ledge and show a wonderfully long chute of gold bearing rock. On the south are the rich ledges of the Braden-Graham, Wing and Ross groups. Dr. Hamilton of Los Angeles has become interested in this property and means to develop the property and with foreman Jordan to manage the developing. It will be another big producer for this district.

OREGON'S RICH INDUSTRIES.

Over \$25,000,000 will be added to the wealth of the State of Oregon this year from five of her principal industries. The showing is by far the best on record.

Lumber will probably lead the list this year, and conservative estimates place the cut of the year for the entire state at 1,000,000,000 feet, valued at approximately \$10,000,000. Next on the list is a wheat crop which, at the present prices, will not the growers over \$8,000,000. The largest wool clip ever sold in the state has practically all reached market, or at least has passed out of the hands of the growers at better average prices than have prevailed for a number of years. The clip was something over 20,000,000 pounds, and at the prices generally paid has probably added \$3,000,000 to the wealth of the state.

With hops the yield promises to be near the record, with practically a certainty of 80,000 bales, which, at present prices, will amount to about \$2,500,000.

The returns are not quite all in on the salmon pack, but enough is known to warrant an estimate of over \$2,000,000 as the value of the canned, frozen and pickled product.

Frail last year was a pretty close running mate with hops and salmon, and this year, if complete returns were obtainable, might make a showing fully as favorable as either of the other great staples which have made Oregon famous.

BAD IDOLS.

European enterprise is furnishing Africa with its heathen idols! It is an actual fact that the hideous images which the African savages worship are now being made at factories in England, at Nimco in France and at Griez in Germany. The firm that deals in these strange gods has its headquarters at Zanzibar, where it does a thriving business. The natives pay for the European made gods with ivory, palms, maize, nuts, gold and cattle. They pay at the exorbitant rates, too, which the white man has always exacted from the unsophisticated savage.

The merchandise paid for a single god varies in value all the way from \$20 to \$5000.

The tribes of the Senegambian district in Africa, particularly, believe that they propitiate their gods by having their images made in rich metals. A chief will readily pay 500 barrels of palm oil, worth \$125 a ton, for a fetish in the shape of a gold monster with a fenshish head or for a serpent with three heads affixed to a long pole of ivory.

The livestock industry as a wealth-producer will probably stand very close to the head of the list, and were accurate figures obtainable would astonish people unfamiliar with the magnitude of the industry. Pigs and goats will also help in piling up these millions of money for the agriculturalists to distribute, and the value of dairy products this year cannot be expressed without the use of seven figures. Oats, barley, rye, flax, corn and other similar products, while not approaching wheat in prominence, are in the aggregate sufficiently important to help out in localities where other collateral is not so plentiful. Considering the population, it is doubtful if there is another state in the Union that can make such a remarkable financial showing.—Ex.

\$100 REWARD, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is internally acting on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is the list of letters remaining uncalled for in the Grants Pass post office Saturday Aug. 23 1902:

Ladies—
Mrs. Susie Smith (2),
Miss Jessie Trask,
Mrs. Ida Threshers,
Mrs. Daisy Coughlin.
Gentlemen—
Edward Aekloy,
Frank Buckles,
G. M. Shelden,
Mister Gohill,
Mr. William Hawley,
S. D. Johnson,
Fred. A. Kilton,
A. F. Mackley,
Mr. Chas. Penny,
R. P. Truesdale,
Warren Wade,
C. E. Harmon, P. M.

TO CELEBRATE GREAT EVENT.

The magnificent dam and ditch enterprise, which has been inaugurated by Dr. C. R. Ray and his associates, says the Southern Oregonian, will be dedicated in grand style on Monday, Sept. 1st, which is also a public holiday—Labor Day.

Extensive preparations are being made for the event, and it will be one that long will be remembered. Every body favorable to public prosperity and progress and the upbuilding of Southern Oregon is invited to participate. The exercises will take place on the Keesterson & Waite ranch, one mile north of Toke, and will include a basket picnic, addresses by prominent speakers, including A. E. Reames, W. I. Vawter, W. M. Colvig, R. G. Smith, C. B. Watson. The Medford High School Band will furnish music for the occasion. A grand ball at night will end the festivities. The S. P. Co. will grant reduced rates.

It is intended simply as a demonstration of good will toward this great enterprise by the people of Southern Oregon and the occasion of a social reunion. The company has no stock for sale; no one to grind. Col. F. H. Ray of New York, who is at the head, is expected to be present, accompanied by other prominent citizens of the metropolis of the United States.

No intoxicating liquors nor games of chance will be permitted on the premises. The managing committee consists of W. I. Vawter, Dr. J. M. Keene, Hon. E. V. Carter. The general committee is A. E. Reames and W. M. Colvig of Jacksonville; A. S. Hammond and R. G. Smith of Grants Pass; Dr. J. E. Shearer of Medford; M. Stewart of Talent; J. D. Olwell of Central Point; Geo. Brown of Eagle Point; W. A. Carter and J. L. Hammersly of Gold Hill.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the District Boundary Board of Josephine County, Ore., will, at their next session, to be held at the Court house in Grants Pass, Ore., Sept. 6, 1902, act upon a petition now on file to form a new school district from territory now included in school districts No. 11 and 15, Josephine County, Ore.

The description of the territory petitioned to be set off as a separate and new district is as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of Sec. 36, Township 33 south, Range 6 west; thence running south 3 1/2 miles to the center post between sections 28 and 33; thence south to the summit of the Grave Creek Mountain, said point being in section 21, near the section line, between sections 21 and 28, Township 34 south, Range 6 west; thence east along said divide to the line between Range 5 and 6; thence north to place of beginning.

Dated at Grants Pass, Ore., August 30, 1902.

Lincoln Savage,
County Supt. and Secretary of Board.

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The description of the territory petitioned to be set off as a separate and new district is as follows: Commencing at a northwest corner of Section 15, Township 40 S; Range 8 west, Josephine County, Ore. thence south to the boundary line between California and Oregon; thence east along said boundary line to the east line of Range 8 west; thence north along said line to the northeast corner of Section 24, Township 40 S, Range 8 west; thence west along the north line of Sections 24 and 25 to where the same intersects the east fork of Illinois River; thence following the meanderings of said river northerly to where the same intersects the north line of Sections 14 and 15; thence west along said line to begining; all in Josephine County, Ore. Dated August 20th, 1902.

Lincoln Savage,
County Supt. and Secretary of Board.

THE UNIVERSITY OF OREGON.

The University of Oregon will open its twenty seventh session at Eugene, Wednesday, September 17th. The outlook for the year seems at present very promising. A number of new men have been added to the faculty, all thoroughly fitted both by preparation and experience, for their work. The University buildings are being repaired and improved during the summer, the dormitory, gymnasium, and Ledy Hall receiving special attention.

Students intending to enter this fall are invited to correspond with the president, relative to their work. Catalogues will cheerfully be sent on application.
Hoso! Hoso!! Hoso!!! at Cramer Bros.

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BAPTIST SERVICES.
On Thursday, 28th inst., at 7:45 p. m. prayer meeting at the residence of Mr. E. B. Brown, on 6th street.
On Sunday, 31st inst., services will be held at the Seventh Day Adventist meeting house.
Bible School at 10:30 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. by Bro. R. M. Eberle in the absence of the pastor who preaches Sunday morning and evening at Merlin.

Robert Leslie, pastor.

ELKS' CARNIVAL AT PORTLAND.

For the Elks' Carnival the Southern Pacific Co. will sell tickets from all stations in Oregon to Portland, and return, on August 31st, September 1st and 2nd to 11th inclusive, at greatly reduced rates. Account "Elks' Day" tickets will be sold on September 3rd and 4th at one fare for round trip, with a maximum of \$9.00.

Special attractions have been provided, which will make this Carnival the finest ever held on the Coast.
Grand Parade every day, in which the beautiful queen of the Carnival will appear before her admiring subjects.
Don't fail to visit the Midway Plaisance, the German Village and Jabour's Oriental Extravaganza. If you stay at home you will spend the rest of your life regretting it.

PASTEST IN NAVY.

The new first-class battle-ship Maine need around the Cape on her trial course to prove her right to fly the United States ensign. Her contract calls for a speed of 18 knots an hour for four continuous hours of steaming, and though on one six-mile leg she dropped to 17.30, on her fastest she reached 18.9, and this was followed by other speeds equally agreeable. Thus at the end, her mean speed developed, without the ideal allowances, was given out as 18.3. This is not official, as the Navy board has not completed its figuring and will not for some time, but this is the statement made by one of the Cramps.

There was a feeling that she was expected to go over this mark, but as it is, she stands today as the fastest battle-ship in the American Navy, for the Illinois, which up to this time has held the record, did only 17.8 on her fastest leg.

When the Maine was coming over at one time she is understood to have been pushed to 18.95, but it is explained that this is the first time a trial of this sort has been given under service conditions with unpicker coal and with an ordinary crew of stokers.

HOP PICKERS WANTED.

Five hundred hop pickers wanted. Apply to or address John Ranzau, Grants Pass, Oregon.

SOUTHERN OREGON NORMAL.

The Southern Oregon State Normal School is making thorough preparations for the coming year's work. The buildings are being remodeled and repaired, and extensive additions to the chemical and physical departments are being made. The faculty is composed of strong teachers consecrated to the work, and each department is in the hands of a specialist.

A year's course in Latin and in Economics has been added to further prepare teachers for high school work. The training department will be especially strong. A man of splendid education and wide experience will be at the head of this department. Much attention will be given to oratory, and athletics will be made prominent. The citizens of Ashland have guaranteed some \$200 as prizes for excellence in these lines. The City Library of 3000 well selected volumes is thrown open to students of the institution. Board and lodging can be had at from \$2.50 per week to \$4.00. Climate healthy. Course of study practical and exhaustive. For catalogue of announcements write R. F. Malkey, president, or Clifford Thomas, secretary, Ashland, Oregon.

RUNAWAY NEAR MERLIN.

One day last week the horse driven by Mrs. John Havens, of Merlin, became frightened and running away, succeeded in doing much damage before being checked. Mrs. Havens was thrown from the buggy and sustained severe injuries, the vehicle was badly wrecked and the harness riddled.

Mrs. Havens was visiting Mrs. Cooper at the Kelly ranch, the runaway occurring on a steep grade near there.

Thomas HOUSE FURNISHER



To Make Room

We are about to make extensive alterations in the store. Must have room to work. You can help us clear the floor. Besides, our New Goods are on the way; some already arriving. An immense stock—larger, better than ever. No hold-overs here. Everything new and up-to-date. These prices will help you decide to clear off these floors; but you must do it NOW, don't wait.

Sideboards—Solid Quarter Oak, Solid Brass Hinges, Large Mirror, usually \$35.00. This sale, \$25.00.
Chiffoniers—Large New Stock, \$13.50. " " \$ 9.95.
Suites—Solid Quarter Oak, Heavy, Large French Plate Mirror, usually \$45. " " \$37.00.
Fir Dressers " " " " 5.75.
Solid Quarter Oak Dressing Table, Round Top, 6 foot extension, \$14. " " 11.75.
Baby Go-Carts, Reclining Adjustable Rubber Tires, usually \$12.00. This sale " " 8.95.

This will give you an idea of what we're doing. This reduction applies to Ranges and Hammocks also.

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Complete—Everything.

Blankets—5 pounds, \$2.90.
Tents—\$3.45 up.
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Cots, Mattresses, Cooking Utensils, Camp Stoves.
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Tea Pots, 5c.
1 Gallon Pans, 5c.
Vegetable Cookers, 15c.
6-Qt. preserving Kettles, 20c.
White Table Cloth.

These prices Spot Cash Only.



W. C. T. U. Column

(Articles for this column are contributed by the Women's Christian Temperance Union.)

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. E. A. Wade, Aug. 29, at 2:30 p. m.

MADE PERFECT THROUGH SUFFERING.

"Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial among you, which cometh upon you to prove you." Temptation is not sin. It shows us our weakness, and humbles us. Yielding to the suggestion of evil is sin, as sin is an act of the will. The discipline of temptation tends to develop what is best in us. There is great comfort in it, as it shows us the measure of our goodness. Doubt yourself if you are not tempted. Despite yourself if you yield. Those not tempted are dead to sensibility, or have a non-accusing conscience which tells of sinning past redemption. "He was tempted on all points like as we are, yet without sin," because He stifled the suggestion with which all sin begins. It is not necessary to sin. No one is tempted above that they are able, and power is always given to enable us to obtain the victory if we desire it. As the Captain of our salvation was made perfect through suffering, so must we overcome self and selfishness at any cost whatsoever. The poor truly says: In the still air the music lies unheard; In the rough marble beauty hides unseen; To make the music and the beauty needs The Master's touch, the sculptor's chisel keen.

Great Master, touch us with thy skillful hand; Let not the music that is in us die; Great Sculptor, hew and polish us; not let Hidden and lost thy form within us lie! Spare not the stroke! Do with us as thou wilt!

Let there be not unfinished, broken, marred; Complete thy purpose that we may become Thy perfect image, thou our God and Lord. Rev. William Acton.

GAMBLERS ARRESTED.

A moral wave struck Centralia Aug. 23, when George Kerstetter swore out a warrant for the arrest of all proprietors of saloons in the city, four in number, for permitting gambling to be carried on in their places of business. Sheriff Duggler had all gambling paraph