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PROVOLT FARMERS PLAN FOR BIG DAY

Will Have Dinner and Three Sessions at Their Institute in February.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lewman from Provolt were in Grants Pass Monday to market produce and to do shopping. Mr. Lewman is a young farmer of progressive ideas and is a strong believer in farmers institutes. He attended the institute held at Provolt last September and he is very enthusiastic over the one that is to be held at that place in February.

Mr. Lewman, when in the city, called at the Courier office and requested that arrangements be made with Dr. Withycombe for holding a session in the forenoon as well as in the afternoon and evening at Provolt, for they were planning to have a basket dinner and make a big day of it. Where the distances are not so great between the places for holding institutes as preclude it, Dr. Withycombe always prefers to hold three sessions at a one day institute. The Doctor will doubtless favor Provolt with the three sessions, as he will all the other places, where the February institutes are to be held, that desire to have a dinner and to arouse such interest among the farmers that they will all attend, provided he can arrange to give more time to his Southern Oregon trip, so as he can make the appointments.

These farmers institutes have become permanent institutions it is customary to have a dinner and make the day a big event. The social side of the farmers life is quite as important as the other conditions, and it is the plan to make these farmers institutes gatherings where the neighbors can meet in a delightful, social time. With a good dinner and musical and other features in the program the young people can the better be induced to attend the institutes, and to gain an interest in the regular addresses of the session. The dinner and the social hour that follows is equally helpful to the older people, for it breaks down the feeling of reserve that so often is a characteristic of people residing in isolated sections where there are few public gatherings.

Neuralgia Pains.

Rheumatism, lumbago and sciatic pains yield to the penetrating influence of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It penetrates to the nerves and bone and being absorbed into the blood, its healing properties are conveyed to every part of the body, and effect some wonderful cures. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. At Rotermund's and Model Drug Store.

LELAND

Some new quartz strikes are reported below Leland.

Some new business houses are being erected here. As business grows, more business houses are demanded.

Mrs. Browning runs the Placer Hotel. She is very obliging to her guests as she has had long experience in the hotel business.

Reports from Placer are that times were never better. The quartz ledges, which are numerous, are all being worked with a full force of men.

Our hotel is doing a good business, as this is a central point for Upper Grave Creek also for Mt. Reuben district. It makes Leland a lively town.

Henry Ball took a spin out into the country to the steam shovel near Tunnel 9 delivering freight for T. J. Mackin, who has quite a big trade at that place.

Col. Bladell was in town last week. He reports lively times down Grave creek. He has 60 men working on his ditch and room for more. He wants to complete the ditch by the time the heavy rains come.

The steam shovel is getting along nicely. They are crowding the work as hard as they can. They are working Sundays and every day. They have spent a large amount of money in this vicinity since they started work.

We have had a nice rain with the appearance of more. Now the ground is sufficiently wet to enable the farmers to plow. They have been busily engaged during the fall getting up their winter's wood and doing other necessary work on the farm.

We have no sickness to report. Wide Awake had a severe cold but is better at the present writing. He may go up Williams creek. He understands there are lots of pretty girls up there. He won't marry a girl unless she is pretty.

The amount of capital that is expended in this district is very large. Years ago the miners only worked the creek and low channels. Big, heavy channels have been found that are rich and long ditches bring the water up on the high channels to give them pressure to work the hydraulic pipes.

As we have so many ledges that are not free milling ore, this locality would be a good place for a smelter. Then the cost of shipping the ore to other points could be saved, also it would stimulate more prospecting. Very often we hear of miners finding ledges that are sulphurets so will not work the ledges for they cannot handle the rock here. We have plenty of timber, water, everything that is required and one of the healthiest

places on the Pacific coast. Very little use for doctors and no use for lawyers. Henry Ball can draw up all contracts that are needed as we are peaceful citizens. We get along nicely as a community of people, we have a good school, so our children's education is looked after. Wide Awake.

FREIGHT TRAIN SPEED FOR PASSENGER TRAINS

Is the Time Schedule of Southern Pacific--Faster Trains Wanted by Southern Oregonians.

"The run of the Portland business men's excursion train from Salem to Ashland Tuesday night was the fastest time ever made on the Southern Pacific between the points. The train left the Capital City at 9:30 o'clock and promptly at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning rolled into Ashland, covering 288 miles in 10 1/2 hours, about 27 1/2 miles an hour. At times the speed was much greater. The Overland leaves Salem on schedule just an hour later, and is due at Ashland at 12:35 o'clock the following day. The excursion train had left Ashland Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, and was ready for its passengers to depart for Jacksonville by the time the Overland reached there southbound. This beat the regular train by over three and a half hours."

The above is the Portland Telegram's comment on the speed of the Southern Pacific trains on the Shasta route. The 20-mile an hour service that the Southern Pacific gives on this road does not meet the needs of the big traffic that its trains get from Southern Oregon towns. If the running time of the passenger trains between Grants Pass and Portland and also to San Francisco could be shortened two hours it would be a convenience greatly appreciated by all residents of this section, who have occasion to travel by the Southern Pacific. Freight train speed for passenger trains is too slow for the hustling people of Southern Oregon.

When You Have a Bad Cold.

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Typewriter supplies, ribbons, paper, etc., at the Courier office.

WILDERVILLE

Born--To Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd, November 11th, a 12-pound son.

The recent rains have set the farmers to work plowing and putting in fall grain.

Rev. George Hoxie preached at the M. E. church at Wilderville Sunday at 11 also at 7 o'clock in the evening. Rev. George Hoxie and wife of Williams creek spent Sunday the 19th, with Mr. and Mrs. Lovelace and Mrs. H. D. Jones of Wilderville.

Some of the young folks of this neighborhood went to a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong Friday evening of last week.

Married--At the home of W. S. Robinson, November 16th, by Rev. George Clark, Ethel Robinson and James McCann. Both are well and favorably known through the entire neighborhood. We all join in wishing them a long and happy life.

There will be an entertainment at the Wilderville school house on the night of December 2. An interesting program will be rendered composed of recitations, dialogues, songs and instrumental music, after which cake and coffee will be served, also a cake containing a gold ring will be sold at 25 cents per piece. Come one, come all, everyone is cordially invited. Admission 10 cents, cake and coffee, 10 cents. Uncle Fuller.

President Favors Equal Suffrage.

President Roosevelt does not limit his doctrine of a square deal to any class or classes of citizens. He includes in it all persons, women as well as men. As Governor of New York, he recommended to the legislature that women be given the right of suffrage. He has, on more than one occasion since then, reiterated his belief in giving women equal rights with men. During his recent southern trip he once more put himself emphatically on record. Mr. Sanders, President of the Progressive Union of New Orleans, himself a believer in equal suffrage, in introducing to President Roosevelt, during his recent visit to that city, Miss Jean Gordon, called her a "believer in woman suffrage." "Yes, I do believe in it, from the crown of my head to the soles of my feet," said Miss Gordon, and added, "So does President Roosevelt." He answered characteristically and heartily, "You bet I do!" A little later, when he was about to leave the room, and the ladies were asked to stand aside, President Roosevelt said to Miss Gordon in passing, "If you women had equal right you would not be asked to stand aside; you would be able to share in the whole thing."

GAIL LAUGHLIN.

A. U. BANNARD--UNDERTAKER.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE MAKES FINAL REPORT

Gives Financial Statement and Vote of Thanks to Citizens for Their Assistance.

The general committee, made up of Rev. J. B. Travis, president of the Municipal League, County Judge J. O. Booth, Mayor George Good, C. L. Mangum, president of the Miners Association, and B. Thomas, president of the Board of Trade, that had charge of the arrangements for the reception to the Portland business men's excursion to Rogue River Valley, have audited all accounts and Chairman Travis submits the following that shows the amounts received and disbursed:

Amount collected by special committee	\$41 00
The expenses were--	
For ribbon for badges	\$ 5 25
Printing badges and placards	6 25
For street sprinkling	9 50
For cream for strawberries	4 00
For drayage	2 00
For hall and band	7 50
For apples	3 85
Total	\$38 45
Balance on hand	\$2 25

The committee wish to extend a vote of thanks on behalf of the people of Grants Pass to Messrs. Kinney & Truax for their generous assistance in donating the free use of the Opera House and in contributing the fine strawberries for the banquet; to the ladies for their efficient assistance in arranging the details for the banquet and entertaining the guests; and to all citizens of Grants Pass who assisted in making the reception the splendid success that it was.

DO YOU VALUE YOUR EYES

Worth More to You Than Price of a Pair of Glasses.

If you value your eyes, have them properly fitted at once. Delay, and your eyes may become so bad that no glasses will help them; then you will regret it all the rest of your days.

That is true--every word of it. Do not trust traveling opticians and spectacle peddlers to fit you with glasses. They get your money--and you get experience. This we know, because it is told us by people that come to us for glasses after having bought of the spectacle peddler.

We have the best lenses made, each lens being ground for each eye defect. We will examine your eyes free if you will come in--Alfred Leteber, Registered Optometrist, Front St.

Wood--\$1.25.

Cook stove and heater wood for sale at \$1.25 a tier delivered. Harry Smith's sawmill. Leave orders at Sugar Pine Store.

M. O. Warner will be in Grants Pass within the next few days. Parties wishing tuning done can leave orders at the Music Store.

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