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PRESIDENT BILLINGS TELLS OF CHAUTAUQUA

Says Assembly Will Have Fine Program, Grants Pass May Have Special Train.

Among the veteran boosters of Rogue River Valley at the Development League meeting Saturday was G. F. Billings, one of Ashland's leading real estate dealers. Mr. Billings is president of the Southern Oregon Chautauqua and he has held that position since it was organized 14 years ago. To Mr. Billings is due more than to any other one person the success of the Ashland Chautauqua, as it is locally known. From a small beginning dependent on attendance from a sparsely settled country it has grown until the Southern Oregon Chautauqua assembly now ranks in attendance and high class of talent on program with the assemblies held at Gladstone Park near Oregon City and at Long Beach, Cal. President Billings stated that the assembly for this year will have stronger talent than at a previous assembly and the program will embrace features that will please all. The assembly for this year will convene on Wednesday, July 11, and continue for nine days. The auditorium has been enlarged to seat 2000 persons and its acoustic properties are perfect. The park has been greatly beautified and the grove on Ashland creek made more attractive to campers.

The present train schedule precludes residents of Grants Pass, Gold Hill, Medford, Jacksonville and other Rogue River Valley points from attending the Chautauqua for a day or an evening except they stay over night in Ashland. President Billings has taken up the matter with the Southern Pacific and hopes to secure a special train during the session of the Chautauqua to make the round trip daily between Grants Pass and Ashland, making the return trip at the close of the evening session each day. To secure the co-operation of the citizens of Grants Pass in securing this daily train was the object of President Billings' visit to this city Saturday. He met with the most hearty encouragement and he expects to also secure the help of the other towns of the Valley and that he can make such a showing of traffic as to warrant the Southern Pacific in putting on a local train during the Chautauqua assembly.

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A MINING CONGRESS FOR GRANTS PASS

One Being Planned for by Dr. Reddy and this City May Get It, and the Doctor Too.

Dr. J. F. Reddy and Mrs. Reddy were among the visitors from Medford to Grants Pass last Saturday. Dr. Reddy is the well known Spokane mining man who with associates handled the famous Blue Ledge copper property on the Upper Applegate and placed it with New York capitalists who now have 125 men putting it in shape for installing a big smelter in the near future. And the Doctor brought about the development of the Opp mine near Jacksonville into one of the biggest gold producers in Southern Oregon.

Dr. Reddy believes that there is a great future for the mines of Southern Oregon and that the development of this resource will be one of the biggest factors in the prosperity of this section of Oregon. Dr. Reddy is one of the original boosters that made Spokane a great mining center and now that he has become a Southern Oregon fixture he is turning his attention to the development of the immense mineral wealth of this section. With that end in view the bustling Doctor is planning to get up a mining congress for Southern Oregon. As to where it will be held has not been decided though either Medford or Grants Pass will get it. Dr. Reddy rather favors Grants Pass as this city is more of a mining town and center than Medford, where fruit is the leading industry. If the business men of this city would take up the matter Dr. Reddy thinks that a great gathering of the leading mining men of the Pacific Coast could be had and that the congress would do much to advertise this section and to bring in investors. Dr. Reddy has traveled extensively and is familiar with all the great mining districts and he is confident that Southern Oregon and Northern California will become one of the greatest gold and copper producing districts in the world.

Dr. Reddy may become a resident of Grants Pass as he is contemplating leasing the Josephine hotel and one of the objects of his trip here Saturday was to look over the property. Dr. Reddy recently sold the Nash hotel in Medford, which he had made one of the best hotels in Southern Oregon, and which under his management has become the rendezvous of drummers and mining men. With the first class service and courteous treatment that Dr. Reddy would give the traveling public he would make the Josephine one of the most popular hotels in Southern Oregon and a money maker for himself and a large factor in the prosperity of Grants Pass.

The Jackson county newspapers were well represented at the Rogue River Development League convention Saturday. Of the two Ashland editors present the Tidings was represented by F. D. Wagner and the Record by E. J. Kaiser. The Medford Daily Tribune was represented by R. R. Byram and the Mail by A. S. Bliton. The Southern Oregonian of Medford was not represented. The new paper at Central Point, the Herald, was represented by the editor, S. A. Pattison. Jacksonville had no representative as that town has the lone distinction of being the only county seat in Oregon without a paper. Editor Purdin of the Gold Hill News was unable to be present owing to a rush of work in his office.

seases. Buy a bottle and try it. B. B. Loughter, Byhalia, Miss., writes: "I have two children who had croup. I tried many different remedies, but I must say your Horehound Syrup is the best Croup and Cough medicine I ever used." For sale by National Drug Co. and Rotermund.

DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE HOLDS BIG RALLY

Meets in Grants Pass and Elects Officers—Next Meeting in Ashland, July 17.

Saturday the third of the meetings for organizing a development league for Rogue River Valley was held in Grants Pass, the first one having been held in Medford and the second in Ashland. At 11 a. m. a special train of eight coaches arrived bearing nearly 400 Jack-on county bustlers, there being delegates from Ashland, Talent, Medford, Central Point, Eagle Point, Gold Ray and Gold Hill, the largest delegation was the Ashland of 187 and the next largest was Medford of 115. Jacksonville did not have even one lone delegate. On arrival here the delegations headed by the Ashland and Medford brass bands and the boys' drum corps of Medford marched to the G. A. R. park where addresses were made. O. S. Blanchard, president of the Grants Pass Commercial Club, presided and speeches were made by Prof. B. F. Mulkey, Capt. M. F. Eggleston and Hon. E. D. Briggs of Ashland and Judge M. Purdin, of Medford. As no preparation had been made no response on the part of Grants Pass was made.

At 1 o'clock a business meeting of the delegates representing the Ashland, Medford, Central Point, Talent, Eagle Point, Gold Hill and Grants Pass commercial clubs was held at the opera house to elect permanent officers of the Rogue River Development League. Capt. M. F. Eggleston of Ashland was made temporary chairman and R. L. Coe of Grants Pass, temporary secretary. On election of officers Dr. C. R. Ray of Medford was chosen president, H. C. Kinney of Grants Pass, vice-president, Capt. M. F. Eggleston of Ashland, secretary and S. A. Pattison of Central Point treasurer. An assessment of 25 cents per member was made on the commercial clubs of the Valley for funds to meet the expenses of the Development League. It was voted to hold the next meeting at Ashland on July 17 when the permanent committees of the League would be appointed. This meeting of the League will be in conjunction with the Chautauqua Assembly in session that week and President Billings of the Chautauqua Association stated the program for that day would be on topics pertaining to the work of the Development League.

A part of the visitors attended a baseball game in the afternoon at the A. A. C. grounds between Ashland and Grants Pass nines, the latter winning. Others of the visitors called on friends among the local business men while others strolled about to take a view of the city. In the evening the Ashland and Medford bands gave a concert in the Depot park of well rendered selections that was highly appreciated by a large crowd. At 8:30 p. m. the visitors boarded their train for their return trip home.

Ashland Goes Down To Defeat.

Saturday afternoon at 3:00 p. m. another team went down to defeat before the A. A. C. baseball nine. This time it was the Ashland locals and they were an easy bunch for the champions of Southern Oregon—the home team winning in a score of 11 to 0. The grandstand was packed and literally running over with visitors from the different valley towns and many had to be turned away for lack of even standing room. A good collection of "rooters" were in evidence and never let an opportunity pass to make their presence known.

At the appointed hour the toss being won by Ashland, fun began for the A. A. C. It was an evident fact from the beginning that Ashland could not play ball with Grants Pass but the crushing defeat which followed was hardly expected.

The first score was made by Hanks in the first inning and from that time on they came thick and fast, our boys playing with an ease and confidence that showed Ashland was no match for their skill and superior team work. Pernoll and Pernoll, pitcher and catcher, will make the best of them look well to their laurels, and with them and their excellent support, the A. A. C. expect to make their opponents hustle or quit in a "square deal."

Sunday the A. A. C. play their fourth game with Jacksonville in that city and it is expected that quite a number will go from this place to see the game. There will also be three games during encampment week with the Valley teams at this place.

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SOUTHERN OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL

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Among the prominent speakers at the Development League Saturday was President R. F. Mulkey of the Southern Oregon State Normal School at Ashland. President Mulkey had just returned from Coos county where he had delivered addresses at five school commencements and he has also visited other sections of the state in the interest of his school. He feels greatly encouraged over the prospects of a big year for the Normal School. The attendance promises to be larger than in any previous term. The success of the appropriation bill at the recent election now places ample funds at the disposal of the Normal and President Mulkey greatly appreciates the big majority that Josephine county gave for the appropriation taking it as an evidence of the goodwill that the citizens of Grants Pass and of the entire county have for the success of the Southern Oregon State Normal School. The board of regents, of which H. C. Kinney and Judge J. O. Booth of this city are members, are planning for extensive betterment of the equipment of the Normal and for the strengthening of the faculty. In this work President Mulkey is heartily co-operating with the regents and to his indefatigable work and able direction is due in a very large measure the high standing in educational circles to which the Southern Oregon Normal has attained. In attendance it ranks with the largest normals on the Pacific Coast and its graduates are in such demand in the best schools of the Coast that all secure positions immediately on completing their normal work.

Christian Church

Regular services will be held at the Christian church on Sunday. Sunday school at 10. Morning worship and communion at 11. The Junior Endeavor will meet at 3 and the Y. P. S. C. E. at 7. Evening sermon at 8 p. m. on "A Whole Man." There will be inspiring music and a hearty welcome to add to the pleasure of all who come.

Rev. Beckman to Spend Vacation in the East

Mrs. C. O. Beckman and little daughter, Gail, left Tuesday on an extended visit East. Mrs. Beckman goes first to Terre Haute, Indiana, to visit a short time with Rev. Beckman's parents then she will go to Edinboro, Pennsylvania, to spend the Summer with her parents. Rev. Beckman has been granted a months vacation by the board of trustees of

Newman M. E. church and as a further mark of appreciation of his services as pastor of that church the trustees voted to keep his pulpit supplied during his absence the temporary minister to be paid by the church. Rev. Beckman will leave on July 23 for Edinboro, Penn., where he will join Mrs. Beckman. After a stay of 10 days there he will return to Terre Haute, Ind., and remain there for the remainder of his vacation when they will return to Grants Pass.

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