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Cider and Vinegar Works.

The Sampson Cider & Vinegar Works is the latest addition to the industries of Grants Pass and it bids fair to be a most important factor in the wealth of the city and the county. The opening of this new industry is the undertaking of Herbert C. Sampson, son of H. C. Sampson, the well known Southern Pacific engineer. For the last three years Mr. Sampson was in the employ of the Government in the engineer department and stationed at San Francisco. Last Spring he resigned his position and returned with his wife to Grants Pass. Several years ago he and his father built and operated a cider and vinegar factory at their home on Fifth and D streets. Mr. Sampson has taken down the old building and erected a two story structure 24x40 feet that gives ample room for the boiler, engines, presses, generators, tanks and storage bins. The equipment is of the latest and the plant is as complete and up-to-date as any on this Coast. Mr. Sampson has been making a thorough study of the manufacture of cider and vinegar and with his complete plant he is able to put out a strictly first-class article. He is making a specialty of the Sampson brand of cider and vinegar and both are guaranteed pure and made of sound, clean apples. To supply the retail trade Mr. Sampson has cider in handsomely painted kegs and barrels that he supplies the merchants and when empty replaces them with a filled barrel. He will also put on sale a fancy brand of cider and vinegar in bottles for family trade. This cider and vinegar factory will make a market for apples, pears, prunes and other fruit that is poor shipping varieties or too small and will enable the fruit growers to realize a fair price for an orchard product that heretofore has been of little value.

Hallowe'en Social.

Ghosts and goblins were plentiful at the Presbyterian Church parlors Wednesday evening at the Hallowe'en social; the white robed figures performing their parts on the program in the room dimly lighted with Jack-o'-lanterns impressed the audience with somewhat of an uncanny feeling and the song of Misses Walker and Bridge, in itself a ghostly and blood curdling narrative set to music well calculated to chill the blood of the timid, held the audience spellbound until the final shriek which brought many to their feet and ready to fly from the goblin band. The program also included a song by little girls and one by A. E. Voorhies, an original ghost story by Mrs. R. H. Gillilan and the "Reason we Never Married" by six bachelors and six maids who were willing to marry but not taken.

During the course of the evening Mrs. Gillilan in her Gipsy costume made much sport and some silver by her fortune telling. Refreshments were served consisting of pumpkin pie and coffee. The decorations were very novel and attractive, consisting of apple porters, sprays of sweet briar and Jack-o'-lanterns with an occasional goblin.

In the program there was marked musical ability shown as the song by the little girls was composed by Mrs. Gillilan, and the song by Mr. Voorhies both words and music were written for the occasion by H. S. Prescott. The proceeds of the evening were over \$25.

FRUIT GROWERS MEETING AT GRANTS PASS

On Monday, November 12 Every Farmer and Business Man Should Attend.

A fruit growers meeting will be held in Grants Pass under the joint auspices of the Grants Pass Fruit Growers Union and the State Agricultural College on Monday, November 12. There will be forenoon and afternoon sessions, the forenoon beginning promptly at 10:15 a. m. and the afternoon at 1:30 p. m. sharp. The topics will bear directly on the development of the fruit industry in Josephine county and are those that interest both farmer and the business man. It is the purpose of the meeting to cover all phases of the fruit industry and to that end the program has been arranged to cover a large number of topics. Each speaker will have one particular theme and can thus fully cover it in the 10 minutes that will be the time limit. This plan will make the meeting more instructive and satisfactory to the fruit growers than a program of but a few long addresses that would be tiresome to both speaker and audience.

The only exception to the 10 minute limit will be the addresses by Prof. Cordley and Prof. Lewis, who will each be given all the time necessary to fully cover their subjects. As their addresses will be purely technical and dealing with the planting, cultivation, pruning, thinning and general care of the trees and of eradicating the pests and prevention of the importation of these orchard wreckers, the fruit growers will be anxious to hear all that the professors may have to say. A question box will be a profitable feature of the meeting and pads of paper will be distributed and those desiring additional information on any topic will write their question on a slip and place the papers in the question box. At the close of the regular program the box will be opened and answers to the questions called for from the professors and fruit growers.

The meeting was set for Monday so farmers and business men could attend if they desired and not be prevented by the time-honored trading day of Saturday. It is expected that all who are interested in the building up of the fruit industry in Josephine county will be on hand promptly at 10:15 a. m. the hour of opening and be present for the entire session. This meeting will be highly educational and more practical knowledge can be gained on how to grow \$1 a box apples and \$7 a box pears than could be had from six months reading of books and papers. The greatest lack of knowledge with the fruit raisers of this county is in how to spray and clear their orchards of the pests that now render their fruit unsaleable. The farmer who attends this meeting and pays attention to the instructions on spraying will be able to have a clean, profitable orchard next year. The fruit grower who declares he is too busy to attend the meeting or says he knows all about spraying will get a disastrous awakening from his selfishness and egotism next Fall when he attempts to sell his fruit for the Union is determined that the county fruit inspector shall rigorously enforce the law and every farmer or dealer who is caught selling or even giving away scabby, wormy or other diseased fruit will be arrested and fined the full limit of \$50. It is certain that the fruit inspection laws will be made more rigorous by the legislature that meets in January and the owner who does not spray his trees at the right time and thoroughly will have to cut the trees down or it will be done for him and the expense will be collected from off the land by

the sheriff. With the certainty of the law being enforced on them it behooves every owner of fruit trees to attend this meeting and learn how to care for them or to waste no time in using the ax on their trees and save themselves from serious trouble and expense. The end is at hand in Josephine county for scaly, wormy fruit and the day of the \$3 a box apples is at hand and the fruit growers meeting for November 12 will be the dating point for the close of the unprofitable period and the beginning of the money making era to the fruit grower.

The following is the program as now arranged for the fruit growers meeting:

"How to Exterminate the Pests We Have, and How to Prevent the Introduction of New Kinds," Prof. A. B. Cordley, Entomologist, State Agricultural College, Corvallis.

"How to Plant and How to Care for an Orchard to Make it Profitable," Prof. C. I. Lewis, Horticulturist, State Agricultural College, Corvallis.

"The Freight Problem With the Fruit Grower," H. E. Lounsbury, District Freight Agent, Southern Pacific railroad, Portland.

"What a Passenger, 25 years hence, on a Southern Pacific Train Will See in Rogue River Valley," John P. Jones, Traveling Passenger Agent, Southern Pacific Railroad, Portland.

"Is It Possible for Grants Pass to Become a Great Fruit Shipping Point?" W. M. Hair, Acting Mayor, Grants Pass.

"Can the Business Men of Grants Pass Aid in the Development of the Fruit Industry in Josephine County," L. L. Jewell, President, Grants Pass Commercial Club.

"Will the Returns from the Fruit Industry Justify the Taxpayers of Josephine County in Helping the Fruit Growers Fight the Pests," County Judge Stephen Jewell.

"What Shall Be Done with the Old Orchards and the Trees of the Poor Selling Varieties?" R. A. N. Reymers, President Grants Pass Fruit Growers Union.

"The Fruit Industry as a Factor in the Wealth of Josephine County," H. L. Gilkey, Cashier First National Bank of Southern Oregon.

"In What Way can the Union be of Benefit to the Fruit Grower," J. H. Robinson, Wilderville.

"Is It Safe to Import Fruit Trees from California and the East, and Do Acclimated Trees Grow Best in Rogue River Valley?" J. T. Morrison, Grants Pass.

"The Havoc the Blight is Making in the Pear Orchards of California," Willard Chase, Grants Pass.

"How We Grew 12,000 Boxes of Saleable Apples This Year in a 35-acre Orchard," Christopher Eismann, Grants Pass.

"How I Grow Apples on Rogue River Hill Land," C. W. Triplett, Hogo.

"A Business Man's View of the Fruit Growers Union," L. B. Hall, President First National Bank of Southern Oregon.

"Is It Worth While for the Farmer to Plant More Fruit Trees if the Pests Are not Exterminated?" R. M. Robinson, Wilderville.

"Will Walnuts Be Profitable in Rogue River Valley?" C. H. Sampson, Grants Pass.

"Can Rogue River Valley Grape Growers Compete with Those of California?" Hon. A. B. Carson, Commissioner, State Board of Horticulture, Murphy.

"The Value of Advertising to the Fruit Grower," H. C. Bobzien, Grants Pass.

"Can Peaches Be Grown on Hill Land in Rogue River Valley?" Daniel Peterson, Hogo.

"The Big Red Apples of Pioneer Days and Cause of Their Degeneracy Into the Present Scrawney Apples," H. C. Kinney, Grants Pass.

"The Experience and Troubles of a Beginner in Grape Growing," R. F. Lewman, Provolet.

"My Plan and the Cost of Irrigating an Orchard," J. H. Colby, Grants Pass.

"What Is To Be the Leading Industry of Rogue River Valley," R. Thomas, Grants Pass.

"Are Good Roads Essential to the Success of the Fruit Industry," E. N. Provolet, Provolet.

"When Rogue River Valley Is One Great Orchard Will There Be a Market for Fruit," Charles Meserve, Secretary and Manager, Grants Pass Fruit Growers Union.

"Is a Rogue River Valley Farm as Profitable as One in the East?" C. C. Russell, Grants Pass.

"My Better Success With Peaches Than With Apples," C. E. Sams, Woodville.

"Is It Good Business Judgment to Plant an Orchard in Illinois Valley?" E. A. Hempton, Dryden.

The Classified Ad columns of the Courier contain many items which will be of interest to you and you should make it a point to read them each week.

Since Dr. Jennings returned from his Summer vacation there has been three cases of very difficult plate work, where the parties had all tried other dentists without obtaining satisfaction. One of the parties is a cornet player who was annoyed by his upper plate dropping down. Have all been made satisfactory at the Jennings Dental office. The parties are all residents of Grants Pass. Their names and residence may be learned by calling at the above named office. Those who desire any kind of dental work by the most experienced dentist of Southern Oregon, with the least pain possible may be accommodated at this office in the Opera House Block. 11-2 ft

CLASSIFIED ADS.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Four year old mare—one buggy and harness. Lewis Livery Barn. 10-26

THOROUGHbred Poland China hogs for sale. J. H. Robinson, Wilderville. 8-31 ft

FOR SALE—1 buck of Pasha stock, clips 11½ pounds; 1 buck of Cape Town stock, clips 10½ pounds; 1 grade buck, clips 7 pounds; very cheap if taken soon. F. A. Pierce, dealer in Pure Bred Angora Goats; flock headed by South African Buck. 10-26 ft

FOR SALE—By E. Steele at 2d warehouse west cold storage plant—Sugar Pine Shakes, Plymouth Rock Cockerels, Fruit, Vegetables, all kinds, fresh ocean fish, crabs, shrimps, clams, oysters by the pint, quart and gallon, also in cans. Cash paid for fruit and produce. E. Steele. 11-2 ft

FOR RENT.

OFFICE ROOM for rent—Courier building. Apply to A. E. Voorhies or J. W. Howard. 8-3 ft

WANTED.

WANTED—Woman to work in small camp; good accommodations, good wages. Inquire Courier office. 11-2 ft

WANTED—Wood in exchange for wagon and carriage work by J. M. Newman, successor to G. M. Caldwell. 9-22 ft

WANTED—Grain Sacks, Tools and other second-hand goods. Harrison Bros., Second hand-store, corner Sixth and J streets. 2-9 ft

C. L. NOEL of Odessa wants loggers and timber cutters to deliver 2,000,000 feet of logs to mill by contract before snow flies; short haul, level roads, one 4-horse team, two trucks, chains, etc. furnished. Also left hand 3-gang edger wanted. Write or call at mill Odessa, Ore. 8-3 ft

LOST.

BOY'S COAT, 13-year-old size, grey mixed, Harth's mark inside. Reward at Courier Office. 10-5 ft

LOST—Thursday, October 25, 30 head of weathers with a round head punched in right ear, two pups, 8½ months old, one dog and one bitch dog, kind, blue head with a white streak in forehead, body white, bitch color kind of blue-grey; goats and dogs last seen on the divide between Merlin and Grave creek; finder will notify F. A. Pierce, Merlin, Oregon, and receive reward. 11-2 ft

FOUND.

FOUND—Overcoat, man's size, Owner can have the same by proving property. Call at the Courier office. 10-5 ft

FOUND—Key to house or store door. Left at Courier office for owner. 9-28 ft

HELP WANTED.

GIRL WANTED—A school girl who is able to cook and assist in light housework can get a pleasant place to stay by writing Box 468, Grants Pass. Work is very light. Only two in family. Close to high school. 10-19 ft

WANTED—Salesmen. Many Make \$100 to \$150 per month; some even more. Stock clean; grown on Reservation, far from old orchards. Cash advanced weekly. Choice of territory. Address Washington Nursery Company, Toppenish, Washington. 9-28 ft

SITUATION WANTED.

NURSE—Firstclass nurse can be found on L street, near 4th—Mrs. Alice Weiser. 9-21 ft

MISCELLANEOUS.

GOOD BOARD and pleasant rooms can be had at the Harmon house, 9th street.—Mrs. C. E. Caulfield. 11-2 ft

FASHIONABLE Dressmaking and Ladies Tailoring at reasonable prices, D street, 4th from bridge on right side. 11-2 ft

ART SCHOOL of Grants Pass, room 3, Masonic Temple. Day classes in painting in oil colors, water colors, pastels, tapestry, etc., evening classes Monday and Thursday. Drawing Free hand and mechanical, architecture, perspective, etc. Call at Studio for particulars all day Saturday or Monday, or Thursday evenings. Prof. Geo. O'Brien.

PIANO TUNING—Leave orders at the music store.—D. F. Armstrong. 9-28 ft

FASHIONABLE dressmaking and tailoring. Mrs. T. C. Horr, 107 C street. 9-14 ft

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squirrel a wonder as being able to travel the distance covered by the overland trains running day and night for 17 days.

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