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numerous precious stones, rich specimens of clay, shales and the like.

One of the very best collections made in this department was by Geo. Calhoun, the popular clothing merchant. In a handsome glass case he had no less than 36 valuable specimens, the whole being worth over \$400. And the best part of it all was that the entire exhibit came from mines located in the vicinity of Grants Pass. Of course he deserved the first prize and he easily got it.

A. D. LeRoy showed some very pretty wire gold of great value, which came from the famous Yellow Jacket mines located near Merlin.

W. J. Wimer, the noted mining man had in the display something that was out of the ordinary. Mr. Wimer knows a good newspaper, for he was the man who started the Courier, back in 1885, when he furnished the capital to make it a "go" and afterwards published the paper himself. He has an eye also for good mines and he showed the only medal given by the Lewis and Clarke fair for an exhibit of platinum which came from his mine in this mining district.

James Logan's display of black sand which was rich with black sand and platinum, and in the center of which was a little pyramid of solid gold, valued at \$130, was a drawing card.

Not least in the collections was one made by Capt. G. A. Atchison. It contained precious metals and valuable stones from all the countries of the earth. It is well worth a place in any mineral exhibition.

The remarkable showing made by the Williams Creek Marble Co., was indeed an eye opener for the beholders, for it showed the finest product to be found anywhere. It was in the rough and also in the polished state and proved to be quite a big attraction.

One of the important things which came to light in this department was the fact that no less than 22 specimens of glass, cement and kolin had been brought in from the beds lying in this neighborhood and they made a most interesting display.

Distributed around the rooms were the superb Oregon views, the property of the Southern Pacific railroad which had been going over the United States, doing some of the best work of its kind.

Secretary Andrews had seen to it that the club rooms were tastefully decorated, the fair and convention colors and the Stars and Stripes predominating and the whole presenting

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a most pleasing sight to behold. He and Capt. Atchison were untiring in their efforts to make the visitors as comfortable and as much "at home" as it was possible for them to be made.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE EXHIBITS.
In the Domestic Science department the displays were in charge of Mrs. S. F. Cheshire, the superintendent, who very gladly imparted to the Courier man any information regarding the articles that might be desired.

The tea, both in the green and dried state, grown right here in Josephine county by Mr. Dentner, was an interesting feature. He also had some wonderful seedless raisins which were interesting objects.

A can of Bartlett pears which were canned over 23 years ago by Mrs. Winifred Savage and which are said to still be in a state of good preservation was an interesting sight to the many sightseers.

It made the newsgatherer's mouth fairly water to gaze upon the many displays of choice cakes and cookies, there being six varieties in all and they were truly good to look upon.

When it came to children baking cakes, there were some truly remarkable showings. Elvin Robinson, of Wilderville, aged 14 years, carried off the first honors in the culinary art, while Ruth Hathaway, of Grants Pass, aged 11, won a close second place. Jimmie Tubbs shocked the girls by presenting for their consideration some cans of fruit which he had put up all by his "loose" hands, and the older cooks pronounced it a fine job. He will make some "New Woman" an ideal husband in the years to come.

But it remained for one of the oldest ladies in the county to walk in an carry off the first prize for the best lightbread and that was won by Mrs. Hall, mother of L. E. Hall, who at the age of 73, performed this remarkable feat.

FINE FANCY WORK
Mrs. A. B. Cornell, superintendent of the Needlework department kindly enlightened the reporter on the intricacies of that line.

One of the novel things to be seen was some fine point lace made by Mrs. E. C. Morris, aged 82 years and the most remarkable thing about it was that she did not even have to use eye glasses in making it.

Mrs. Cornell desired to personally thank each of the ladies who so kindly assisted in making this display such a success. Many assisted by bringing in the articles and others helped by arranging them for the inspection of the visitors.

The committee having this line in hand was very much limited in not having but a very few prizes to offer and then, too, the room for displaying them was very much less than they would have liked to have. Many fine articles were not even placed on the shelves or tables, as there was no chance to show them off.

In fact the committee was greatly shocked at the large amount of displays made in this line. They were expecting only a small number, whereas they were fairly swamped with them.

The floral Department, in charge of Mrs. W. C. Hale, as superintendent, was played alongside of the Fancy Work and was decidedly pretty, well arranged and added greatly to the pleasing aspect of the elegant showing made.

MANY PIONEER RELICS.

One of the most interesting places to be found was that where the relics of pioneer days were in charge of a committee consisting of Messrs. N. P. Dodge and E. L. Dunbar. Mrs. Dodge took the Courier man in charge and showed him many of the most interesting objects. Indeed it was hard to know where to begin or where to quit. There were so very many interesting things to be seen and mentioned. A few of these are given notice, as follows:

Mrs. S. E. Marjorie made a fine Indian collection display, consisting of arrowheads, blankets, baskets, bows, guns and the like, for which she was awarded first prize.

A. H. Gunnell's array of old guns proved to be of more than passing interest. It was exceptionally good.

The first prize for the best collection of relics was rightfully awarded to Mrs. N. P. Dodge. All of these things were brought from the state of Vermont, away back in the early history of the nation. There were the flax wheel, on which linen was spun; old portraits taken 78 years ago; silverware; valuable old dishes; knives, old-fashioned satchel; very fine lace; candlesticks; snuff box; wine decanter; purse; sampler; and numerous relics of great interest and the whole tastefully arranged.

The second award was given to Willard Chase and the collection also

came from Vermont in the early days. It contained, among other things, old chairs—handmade; bellows, cards for carding wool and other articles made by hand; iron candle sticks; bread toaster; water bottle; home made linen and handmade lace.

A special award was made to Mrs. J. P. Tufts for her excellent collection which included a great many articles which were brought from New York in 1851; dress from England in '43; plate from Sweden in '47, coming around the Horn; hand-made rolling pins and like articles of historic value. The table linen, towels, etc., spun and wove by the mother of Mrs. J. Christie over 60 years ago, attracted much attention.

A pewter plate brought over on the Mayflower and handed down through eight generations, was the interesting relic loaned by Mrs. Helen Hale Aiverson.

Mrs. R. H. Gillilan contributed an old quilt of interesting history, as the cloth of it was the dress of Hannah Clark McKowan, who was taken captive by the Indians, during the great Deerfield massacre in 1800. It was brought to Ohio in '28, to Illinois '36 and to Oregon '52 by Abigail Clark Taylor.

Dr. W. W. Walker added an interesting contribution in the shape of a set of very costly dental tools which had been presented to him years ago by a dentist, whom the Dr. had known when a boy. The handles were of pearl, with bands of pure gold. In the collection, however was a very erude specimen of the old fashioned turnkey, whereby the dentist or anybody, for that matter could literally gouge out the tooth. It is a formidable looking instrument of torture.

Lack of space forbids mentioning in detail many of the articles which were worthy of more than a passing notice. Among them were a prehistoric mortar, dug up 58 feet at Waldo by W. J. Wimer; the Indian collection made by Albert Paddock; Directory of New York City, owned by Mrs. A. Neil, of Astland; Payroll of Somerset militia, commanded by Col. Henry VanDyke and the cherished trophy of Dr. F. W. VauDyke; Copy of old "Bine Laws," only two other copies of which are known to be in existence, loaned by Mrs. Ada Morrison; Copy of "The Whip and Spur," printed at Newport, N. H., in 1844, showing funny cartoons of the "Hard Cider" campaign, when William Henry Harrison was running for president, the property of Willard Chase; Collection of interesting Dutch relics, the property of Geo. Cramer; Copper Coffee kettle brought from Norway 200 years ago, loaned by Miss Karen G. Borgen; "A Pipe of Peace," which was smoked by Sioux Indians at the last treaty made between that hostile tribe and the United States. This is the valuable property of Miss Marjorie Kinney, to whom it was given by an army officer to whom it had been presented by one of the Indian chiefs, while upon his deathbed; Old canteen used in early Oregon days, the sides being made of native copper, hammered out and the rim made of melted bell, and the property of W. B. S. Berlan.

Alfred Bartlett loaned an interesting picture, which showed the execution of 38 Sioux Indians by U. S. soldiers, at Mankato, Minn., December 26, 1862.

There were other mementoes, "too numerous to mention" and all having an historical value and each one well worthy of note.

SUPERB ART EXHIBIT.
Mrs. A. H. Gunnell, assisted by Mrs. A. B. Holmes had charge of the art display and it was excellent throughout. Among the many interesting things to be seen were:

The birdseye view oil painting of Grants Pass, valued at \$500 and the work of Prof. Geo. O'Brien, the local artist. The collection of Indian baskets displayed in this department were exceptionally fine and included displays made by the following persons: Mrs. Roy Wilson, Mrs. A. H. Gunnell, Miss Alice Smith, Mrs. R. W. Clark, Mrs. Dillion, Mrs. Demaray, Mrs. F. D. Stricker, Mrs. Thos. Galvin, Oregon Observer, Mrs. Donnell, Mrs. J. M. Booth, Mrs. Gilkey, Mrs. Hanson, Miss Howitt, Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. Loughbridge, Miss Dean and A. E. Voorhies.

Miss Jessie Hale made a pretty exhibit of drawings in black and white. The painting of Tufts old stage house was one of the interesting things which Prof. O'Brien painted.

Regina Dorland Robinson, of Jacksonville made a very noteworthy exhibit of her water colors from nature. The displays made of the work by Grants Pass school children were very interesting. In this collection Fritz Dean made a fine showing of his pen and ink cartoons.

Mrs. T. J. Pack loaned some very handsome oil paintings. The hand carved chairs, boxes, picture frames, from Cherry wood, the work of Mrs. Crane were decidedly good.

Mrs. A. H. Gunnell's collection of hand carved teak wood articles from the East India, were much commented upon.

Mrs. Gunnell carried off first honors with her collection of six pieces of handpainted China, the second going to Miss Blanche Crane, and both displays were very attractive.

CROWDED OUT.
Owing to a rush of other matters, the premium list of the fair had been unavoidably crowded out this week, but it will appear in the next issue of the Courier.

C. E. Sans was in from his place near Woodville, Tuesday, on a business trip. He informed the Courier that he would have 1500 boxes of late peaches and over 2000 boxes of fine apples, all raised on only 12 acres of ground. He will set out more orchard this coming season.

J. W. McIlwain, a Portland timber locator has been in this vicinity assisting E. D. Townsend and Miss Mary France make flings upon some good timber lands.

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LOST—Wednesday, September 18, between Sixth street and Water office, on E street, five dollar gold piece. Return to Courier or South Pacific Hospital. 9-20 1t

WANTED—One or two dozen young hens or pullets. Inquire Northwest corner D and West 2d street. 9-20 1t

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STRAYED.

STRAYED—2-year-old gray mare, branded L under half circle on left shoulder, wears bell; brown Indian pony with white face, spotted white on both sides, wears bell; both came to my place at Williams, September 3. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. J. A. Gotcher, Williams, Ore. 9-13 4t

ESTRAY NOTICE—Taken up at our place, five miles west of Grants Pass, calf, three months ago, white and roan yearling. Owner can have same by proving property, paying for advertising and postage. Eismann Bros. 9-13 4t

BULL—Black, Jersey blood, about 2 years old, right ear cropped, left ear undercut. Came to my place about February, 1907. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. C. C. Gilkey on Van Noy place. 9-13 4t

MISCELLANEOUS.

FRANK BURNETT—Upholstering, mission furniture made to order.

FIRST CLASS dressmaking done by Mrs. Alice Weber. Also has electric corsets, electric hair brushes and other articles for sale on E street opposite Presbyterian church. 9-13 1t

Beginning with last Sunday, Grants Pass mail service to Portland on every train going north. Special "express" pouches have been provided and will be sent on trains which have the mail car. This will be quite an accommodation which the public will heartily appreciate.

Grants Pass is having a fine lot of substantial cement sidewalks and crossings built. J. H. Ward has been in charge of the work and he has been doing extra good work for the past four months and will begin another campaign in the spring. All the crossings on Sixth and Front streets have been completed, and many other parts of the city have been looked after in a very acceptable way.

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