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Sunday's Ball Games

Just to show that the town is decidedly up-to-date, Central Point ran a sort of a continuous performance on the local diamond last Sunday, two warm games being pulled off during the day.

In the forenoon the kid nine tangled with the Eagle Point boys and when the smoke of battle had cleared away and the score was counted it was found to be 9 to 23 in favor of the C P kids. Young America is sure coming to the front in this neck o' woods.

In the afternoon the regular team had it out with the Gold Ray nine and the visitors showed themselves to be lightning-strikers from the word go. The game was past middle age before the home boys had a smell at the score card and when the first half of the sixth was played the visitors had piled up six big, elegant tallies against as complete a line of goose eggs as were ever put on exhibition in Oregon. Somehow the weather was too cold and the clouds too dreary for the apple pickers to get warmed to the game up to this point and the home rooters were simply no good. They did not root fast enough to keep themselves warm and any manager who was out to hire rooters to boost his team to victory would have passed up the whole bunch if offered for 30 cents for the season.

But when the home boys came to bat in the sixth it was different. Sanderson wielded the club with blood in his eye and smote the sphere as though his life depended on that particular smite. Messenger followed and before you could say "scat" things were doing. Sandy scored and the rooters awoke to the fact that the frost was out of the ground and the season was on. The kid called "Dutch" yelled "kiyi," the creamery man cheered, somebody else joined in the chorus and, as Messenger cantered gracefully in with another tally dangling at his belt, everybody was awake and doing business at the old stand. Then to add to the excitement Cornutt thranced around the diamond with another nice score for the home team and there was blood on the moon for sure. From that time on everybody played ball and the work was fast enough to please any fan on earth. In the seventh the visitors packed in one more, making them seven, and there they quit. Central Point again got in their work to the tune of three and earned another beautiful home run—which they didn't get. In the ninth things happened quickly. When the dam boys came to bat, Pankey and Sanderson, our invincible battery, made short shift of the business. With nine balls Pankey fanned three men and if that record can be beaten just let us know about it. It was pretty work and the score was kept at the old mark for the finish and if the umpire had seen that fly land as the crowd did it would have been a tie on seven. However, it was a good game and one that leaves the question of supremacy still decidedly open.

Both teams have excellent batteries and good support and all that the home boys need is a little more confidence in themselves and a lot more support from the bleachers. Pankey shows whirlwind qualities in the box and Sanderson, behind the mask, is always there with the goods.

Following is the lineup:

Central Point	Gold Ray
Pankey	Robley
Sanderson	Sandry
Ingram	Coburn
Ross	Gray
Kelsoe	McManus
Olsson	Mansfield
Pearl	Parker
Cornutt	Owens
Messenger	Berkman

G. A. R. Encampment

The Fourteenth Annual Soldiers' and Sailors' reunion, which was postponed from September, 1905, will convene at Grants Pass on Monday, June 18, 1906, and continue in camp five days.

The camp will be located in a beautiful, well-shaded grove in the suburbs of the city, near Rogue river. It will be furnished with water from the city water works and lighted by electric

lights. Straw for tents, wood and coffee will be free to all comrades and their families. Tents will also be furnished, but as there are not enough to go around, those who can bring tents are requested to do so.

The state encampments of the department of Oregon G. A. R., W. R. C. and Ladies of the G. A. R. will be held on the grounds during encampment week. The railroads have granted a rate of one fare for the round trip.

This is an invitation, not alone to the "boys of '61," but the Spanish-American war and the confederate survivors are also included.

Central Point Produce Market

(As corrected by local merchants.)
Butter, 20c; eggs, 17c; potatoes, cwt., 90; rhubarb, 4@5c; cabbage, 2@3c; chickens, \$4.50; spring fries, \$3.50.

Woodmen Were Captured

"There was a sound of revelry by night," and on this particular occasion the indications of good cheer emanated from the opera house, the hour being well on to midnight and the date last Friday night. The Modern Woodmen had met in regular session and were proceeding with their business in a quiet and orderly manner, repairing the bucking straps on the goat saddle and making other preparations for a class of candidates which they expect to put through their paces at the next meeting. But, hush! hark! There is an alarm at the door. The sentry turned pale and the watchman, who had his eye glued to the keyhole, turned a back somersault and reported, in a stage whisper, "Our friends, the enemy, are upon us." Great excitement prevailed for a few moments but when it was discovered that the intruders were the members of the ladies' auxiliary order and that they were armed with lunch baskets the excitement subsided and a keen hunger became the order of the night. Lodge business was speedily rushed to a finish and the conquering heroines led off their willing captives to the lower hall, where the baskets were opened and the heart of every man present was reached by the most direct route. Members present told the reporter that it is good to be a Woodman under such circumstances.

Will Send Colonists Here

Edward Andrews, who is devoting his time to interesting eastern homeseekers in the Rogue river valley and who recently brought a party of 30 or 40 heads of families to the valley from South Dakota, was here Sunday. While here Mr. Andrews made arrangements with I. F. Williams for hotel accommodations and livery service for the next party of homeseekers which he will bring here in a short time. Mr. Andrews is doing fine work for the valley and it is the efforts of such boosters as he that makes possible the fulfillment of the expectations of all progressive people who are posted on the resources of the wonderfully fertile valley of the Rogue.

Will Irrigate Orchard

F. H. Hopkins, owner of the big apple orchard adjoining town, has made arrangements with the Fish Lake Ditch company for water for irrigation purposes on his place. A lateral is now being built from the main ditch east of Bear creek at the rate of almost a mile a day. Mr. Hopkins is confident that with water for irrigation when the dry season comes on he can improve the size and quality of his fruit to a material degree and thus enhance their value in the best markets. He is expending a large amount of money in improvements this season, which shows his unbounded faith in the apple business and the Rogue river valley.

Jackson County to the Front

At the grand lodge meeting of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, held at Portland last week, W. L. Vawter, of Medford, was elected grand patriarch of the encampment degree and W. A. Carter, of Gold Hill, was chosen grand master.

Flour Mill to Start

Much satisfaction is expressed here over the recent announcement to the effect that the flouring mill at this place has changed hands and that the plant will be at once thoroughly overhauled and put in first-class condition for the manufacture of high grade flour.

Several years ago Mr. Davis, of Medford, acquired a controlling interest in the plant and at once shut it down and locked the doors, and so it remained, however, Mr. Virgin, of Ashland, who was jointly interested in the property with Mr. Davis, closed a deal whereby he secured the latter's interest and at once it was announced that the plant would be repaired and put in operation. It is understood that the mill will be thoroughly overhauled, new spouting will be put in and the rolls will be sent to the factory and redressed and made the same as new.

The operation of this plant will mean much to the business of Central Point and with other new enterprises already established and projected, it will help put the town in the front rank of rapidly developing communities in the Rogue river valley.

Memorial Day Observed

W. H. Harrison Post No. 67, G. A. R., together with the Women's Relief Corps and citizens generally, observed Memorial Day in a fitting manner yesterday, the exercises being held in the opera house at 10 a. m. and at the cemetery at 2:30 p. m.

At the forenoon service Post Commander S. M. Nealon conducted the exercises and Adjutant J. W. Hicks read the general orders from headquarters. Appropriate music, including choruses, quartettes, duets, solos, etc., was rendered by a special choir organized for the occasion, and the memorial address was delivered by Rev. Geo. W. Burbank, pastor of the first Methodist church of this city, who was himself a wearer of the blue in the troublous days of more than 40 years ago. Mr. Burbank's address was filled with patriotic sentiments and was well received by the large audience present.

In the afternoon a large crowd assembled at the cemetery where the ritual service of the post was observed and the graves of the veterans were decorated by their surviving comrades. Last Sunday a union memorial service was held in the opera house, the sermon being delivered on that occasion by Rev. Burbank, Rev. La Dow and Prof. Hanby assisting in the service. A choir trained for the occasion rendered some special music and the congregation was one of the largest that ever assembled in this city.

CREAMERY ASSOCIATION

The Co-operative Creamery association met at the city hall, Tuesday, May 29, at 3 o'clock p. m.

P. D. Creager called the meeting to order and announced that the object of the meeting was for the purpose of electing an executive committee to represent the subscribers during the erection of the creamery and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the association. Moved and seconded that M. Marshall be elected as temporary chairman. Motion carried.

A. J. Hanby was elected as temporary secretary. The following were elected as an executive committee to represent the subscribers during the erection of the creamery: R. C. Hensley, Tyson Beal, J. M. Upton, M. Marshall and S. K. Adams.

Moved and seconded that the chairman appoint a committee of three to draw up a constitution and by-laws. Motion carried and the following were appointed: J. M. Upton, Tyson Beal and W. J. Freeman.

It was moved and seconded that the executive committee be authorized to

select a site and secure the same. Motion carried.

Moved and carried to adjourn subject to a call from the executive committee.

Bank Contract Let.

T. M. Witten came in from Ashland yesterday to complete arrangements for rushing work on the new bank. The contract has been awarded to G. W. Priddy and it is expected that brick and other material will commence to arrive in a few days. The building will be 27x40 with 12 inch walls.

Articles of incorporation of the Central Point State Bank have been filed with the secretary of state the incorporators being T. M. Witten, I. C. Robnett and W. C. Leever.

Commencement Exercises

The following program was rendered May 26 by the Jacksonville High school: Invocation.....Rev. A. J. Armsrong
Moonlight Bells and Song Mixed Chorus
Essay—Richieu.....Donald Colvig
Impromptu.....Hugo Reinhold
Mrs. Mary Ashurst
Essay "Educational Progress of the Negro".....Emma Wednt
Essay "Maid of Orleans".....Mary Peter
Selection "I Pur'ani".....Bellini
Donald L. Colvig.
Class Address.....P. L. Campbell
Selection "The Horn".....A. Fleigier
Miss Margaret Caldwell.
Presentation of Diplomas by Peter Applegate, Chairman Board Directors.
Benediction.....Rev. Robert Ennis

Local and Personal

Neal Gage, of Beagle, was in town trading Saturday.

Jack Houston, of Trail, was doing business in town Friday.

R. C. Hensley is building a large new barn on his farm east of town.

Miss Alice Hanley, of Jacksonville, was here on business Friday.

Charles Ulrich, of Jacksonville, was here one day last week after supplies.

J. T. Williams, of Beagle, was in town after a load of baled hay Friday.

J. M. Gay has just received a carload of red cedar shingles at his lumber yard.

Mrs. A. C. Freel, of Gold Hill, was visiting friends and shopping in this city Friday.

Cedar Screen Doors and Hangings, Screen Windows and Wire at Leever's. 4-26

John Olwell, the popular real estate hustler of Medford, was in town Friday on business.

Perry Corum, a student at the Monmouth Normal school, is at home for the summer vacation.

Rev. La Dow has rented a new cottage recently erected by Mr. Cochran south of the Williams hotel.

Mahlon Purdin, of Medford, democratic candidate for the office of county clerk, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Jeffers has the thanks of the HERALD office for a fine bouquet of cut flowers from her garden.

Sanderson & Sons, the busy contractors, are building a neat cottage for William Kinney, near the school house.

Joe Boswell and A. G. Pankey have taken out fishing licenses and will catch fish for the market the coming season.

Capt. Rawlings and wife, of Medford, spent Tuesday afternoon visiting friends and shopping in our city.

F. M. Amy has recently sold a half block of residence property to H. Corum, where the latter will at once erect a residence.

Dr. Pleasants and A. E. Laport have each purchased two residence lots from F. M. Amy and will build on them during the coming summer.

Railway traffic was seriously interfered with last week by an immense landslide which covered the tracks at a point this side of Dunsuir.

C. A. Walduff has sold lot 8, block 69, to Joseph Wilson, of Agate, the

consideration being \$150. Mr. Walduff expects to remove to Phoenix.

Lumber is on the ground for a handsome new residence to be erected by Mrs. Gibson on lots recently purchased by her near the school house.

M. V. Robson has purchased a fine lot in the north end of town from the Central Point Townsite company and will erect a dwelling thereon at once.

Clarence Gunn, of Medford, was here Saturday loading supplies for Klamath Falls. Mr. Gunn will probably make Klamath Falls his home in the future.

Geo. W. Canning, deputy organizer for the Modern Woodmen of America, spent several days in town last week in the interests of that popular order.

Geo. J. Post left yesterday for the tall timber east from here to look for a timber claim. He was accompanied by Mr. King, a timber locator of Medford.

Miss Elizabeth Gibson, one of Central Point's most popular teachers, went to Grants Pass Sunday evening where she will spend a week or so visiting.

J. D. Gray, formerly of Medford, has moved to Central Point and will make his home here for the summer. Mr. Gray expects to engage in fishing for the market during the season.

Joe Boswell went to Grants Pass Saturday to get gears for his new boat.

preparatory for the coming fishing season. Joe goes after the big Rogue river salmon in dead earnest, when the time comes, and he gets 'em.

Local blacksmiths all shut up shop last Saturday and went to Ashland to attend the meeting of the Blacksmiths' Protective association which met in that city Saturday evening. Those attending from here were: W. E. Price, B. F. Peart, G. W. Jeffers and F. A. Hawk. Mr. Hawk's family accompanied him on the trip. The party returned on the early train Sunday morning.

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Silver Cornet Band

O. C. Purkeypille is one of the busiest men in this busy, bustling town these days, for in addition to his regular business he is rustling to organize a band. He is meeting with excellent success and already has 14 of the necessary members secured. He feels certain that the organization will be perfected. A set of the finest band instruments made will be secured at a cost of something more than \$1000 and will be the perpetual property of the town. Central Point must have a band and Mr. Purkeypille is doing the necessary work to secure one.

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