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BASE BALL

The ball game Sunday between the home team and the first nine of Ashland was one of the best games ever played in this valley. It was perhaps the longest inning game ever played in this part of the country, requiring 15 closely contested innings to decide the game. Such a game was just what the home team needed, for while they lost the game by a stretch and by one or two errors and a faulty decision, they played just as good ball as did their opponents and proved that they are fairly entitled to play with the best teams in the valley. The game will give the boys confidence and should certainly arouse more interest in the national game among the people of the town than has recently been shown. Local pride should be sufficient incentive to get every business man and citizen of Central Point squarely behind the ball team, of whom it may be said, without flattery, that no town in Oregon can show a better, cleaner, healthier or more intelligent lineup of young Americans. All they need is practice, a little more self-confidence and the full assurance in their minds that their town is squarely behind them in every game they enter, win or lose.

THE PRIMARY ELECTION.

The result of the recent primary show that the people of Oregon are wide awake to their own best interests and that they no longer propose to be led by any boss or coterie of bosses in matters political. Senator Fulton's defeat is to be ascribed more to the fact that his position on the direct primary question and Statement No. 1 was so vacillating and uncertain that no one could tell to a certainty just where he stood, further than that he did not stand unequivocally for the Statement, than to the fight made against him by Mr. Heney. Heney's speeches no doubt influenced many voters who had previously had suspicions of Fulton's connection with land frauds and crooked political deals during the old Mitchell regime, but it is highly probable that the result would have been the same had Heney kept his lips closed regarding Fulton's past.

H. M. Cake on the other hand was known to stand firmly by the Statement and the political independence of the state, and the overwhelming vote cast for him shows that the rank and file of the republicans in Oregon believe in political progress rather than political retrogression. As a strictly partisan proposition all republicans should congratulate themselves on the result, for had Fulton won out in the primaries there is hardly the shadow of doubt but that Geo. E. Chamberlain would have been the next United States senator from Oregon.

In another column will be found the full text of the Oregon law governing the running of automobiles on the public roads and highways of this state. The law is printed for the information of those operating autos, as well as the general public, as to just what the legal rights of all parties concerned are.

With this issue the Herald enters on its third year, with a much larger circulation and brighter future than ever.

Reform News.

This column is edited by the press superintendent of the W. C. T. U. of Central Point, Oregon.

At the recent hearing before the House District Committee on the question of prohibition for the District of Columbia, Dr. Walter Brooks, representing the colored Baptists, called the attention of the Committee to the fact that of the 600 saloonkeepers of the District only 4 or 5 are negroes.

Deputy Commissioner Wheeler is responsible for the following returns of the Internal Revenue Office of the United States Treasury Department: The collections of the Internal Revenue Bureau from distilled and fermented liquors for the first 60 days of 1908 were \$1,824,272.11 less than the receipts from these sources for the first 60 days of 1907.

The national drink bill of England continues to decline. It yet reaches the proportion of £3 15s 9d per capita. Canada's drink bill is \$18 per capita.

The poster entitled "Verdict of the Scientists on Alcohol" which the French are using so extensively contains among others these statements made by eminent scientists: "Alcohol is not a food, although it may be a combustible. Atwater himself did not conclude from his experiments that alcohol was a true food, that is to say, that it was capable of incorporating itself with the organism." "Alcohol is dangerous, not only by reason of the injuries it causes to the nervous system, but above all by the demerit that it produces in an organism which indulges in it to excess." "Alcohol, even in the doses that would style healthful, could very truly be the cause of death from diminishing the resistance of the organism to infectious diseases. The attempt to re-establish alcohol-which has recently been attempted-relies only upon the laboratory experiments of the American Atwater. But Atwater says: 'The moderate use of alcohol is filled with dangers. Alcohol could not be called a foodstuff in the proper sense of the word. The net result of its use is an injury and not a benefit.' The truth of the matter is this: 'There is not a well-observed fact which shows us that it would be useful to introduce alcohol into nourishment. Many persons, often without suspecting it, suffer from having used it. I do not know one who would have to regret having been deprived of it.'"

Rheumatism.

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles, due to cold or damp weather or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of Chamberlain's Liniment is all that is needed, and it is certain to give quick relief. Give it a trial and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain and soreness. Price, 25 cents; large size, 50 cents. Sold by Mary A. Mee.

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Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, April 15, 1908. Notice is hereby given that John Bergman, of Eagle Point, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 10972, made July 17, 1862, for the Lot 1, sec. 32, and SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 32, Township 34 South, Range 1 West, and that said proof will be made before A. S. Bliton, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, in Medford, Oregon, on

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Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, April 15, 1908. Notice is hereby given that Lorenzo Snyder, of Trail, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 14391, made July 16, 1867, for the SW 1/4, sec. 28, twp. 32 south, range 1 east, and SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 32, Township 34 South, Range 1 West, and that said proof will be made before A. S. Bliton, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, in Medford, Oregon, on

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Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, April 8, 1908. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Enna W. Graham, of Prospect, county of Jackson, State of Oregon, did on August 4, 1892, file in this office her sworn statement, No. 9668, for the purchase of the E 1/2 SW 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section No. 19, in Township No. 33 South, Range No. 2 East, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before A. S. Bliton, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, in Medford, Oregon, on

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CONTEST NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Roseburg, Oregon, March 13, 1908. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John E. Ross, contestant, against homestead entry No. 12208, made November 10, 1902, for NW 1/4, section 14, Township 33 South, Range 2 East, by Merrett G. Smith, Contestee, in which it is alleged that he has not been upon or resided upon said claim for a period of more than six months prior to the filing of this contest; that he has never lived upon or improved said land or cultivated or attempted to cultivate the same or any part thereof; that said land is not agricultural land and is chiefly valuable for its timber; and that said alleged absence was not due to employment in the military or naval service of the United States of America in time of war.

Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond, and offer evidence touching said allegation, at 10 o'clock a. m. on WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of MAY, 1908, before A. S. Bliton, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, in Medford, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of MAY, 1908, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roseburg, Oregon. The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed March 13 1908, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given due and proper publication.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

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United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, March 26, 1908. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, William C. Renter, of Medford, county of Jackson State of Oregon, did on September 19, 1867, file in this office his sworn statement, No. 9273, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of Section No. 8, in Township No. 33 South, Range No. 1 East, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before A. S. Bliton, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, in Medford, Oregon, on

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ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

In the County Court of Oregon for Jackson County, in the matter of the estate of Joseph Wilson, Sr., deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the above entitled court administrator of the estate of said deceased. All persons are hereby notified to present their claims if any they have against said decedent to the undersigned or her attorney, Gus Newberry, at Jacksonville, Oregon, properly verified, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. MARY ANNA GARRETT, Administratrix of the above entitled estate. Date of first publication March 26, 1908.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Frances A. Swimler, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Frances A. Swimler, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned, at Central Point, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. BERTROE E. HURD, Administrator of the estate of Frances A. Swimler, deceased. Date of first publication April 9, 1908.