

RACES ENJOYED BY 1500 PEOPLE; GOOD CARD TODAY

Today being the last day of the fair a splendid racing program has been arranged and some of the best races of the meet are expected. The program follows:

Race No. 1—2:15 trot, purse \$100. Entries: Kenneth Mac, owned and driven by J. C. Wallace, San Diego, Cal.; Dolly McKinney, owned by J. M. Murray, Eugene, driven by John Kirkland; St. Michael, owned and driven by C. F. Wilson, Forest Grove, Or.; Lady Sunrise, owned by H. H. Hogoboom, Woodland, Cal., driver, Mr. Cox. These horses are evenly matched, all have records below 2:20 and the track record for trotters will be broken.

Race No. 2—2:25 trot or pace, half-mile heats, three in five, purse \$200. David Harum, owned and driven by Dr. J. L. Helms, Medford; Belle Smith, owned and driven by H. G. Cox, McMinnville, Or.; Albia, owned by H. Hogoboom, Woodland, Cal.; Halmont J., owned by R. H. Toft, Medford, driven by George Brimer. David Harum has not been defeated as yet, and it is with great reluctance that Dr. Helms enters Dave in this race against three fast pacers, but he wishes the public to see a real horse race, so will start him.

Race No. 3—Running, for two-year-old fillies, purse \$50.

Race No. 4—Medford Derby, one mile running race, purse \$100.

Quarter mile dash matched race between Wade Hampton and Bessie Mills.

The races Friday were all of them good and thoroughly enjoyed. The crowd was not as large as on Thursday but of good size, nevertheless. A large crowd is expected today.

King Seal smashed another record for the track Friday going the mile in 2:13 3/4. The record heretofore was 2:15. He took three straight heats.

The wild horse race was interesting being won by Bob Courtelle with Cheyenne Kid second.

The 2:50 trot, limited to horses in Jackson county, was a slow affair, won by Tokio, Jr., with Mark Twain second and Spider third.

Mrs. Moore won the ladies' race and showed rare skill in the handling of her horse. Miss Neal finished sec-

PROSPERITY IN CITY SHOWN BY GROWTH OF BANK

The prosperity of Medford is amply testified to by the condition of its banking houses, the surest criterion of actual business conditions. An example of this is found in the growth during the past year of the Medford National bank, the officials of which are now taking considerable pride in the growth of that institution during the past year, having increased its resources during that period, which has been one of dullness and near-depression throughout the nation, by \$170,664.18, while banks elsewhere have felt the effect of business conditions.

It has just been a year since the institution was reorganized in a manner and William H. Gore became its president. At that time also, W. S. Crowell, who enjoys a wide reputation throughout Oregon as a successful and conservative banker, became associated with the institution. Mr. Crowell's friends are now giving him much credit for the splendid increase made by the Medford National, but he declares that the credit is not all due him, but in a large measure to the men who are associated with him in the bank.

"The Medford National bank assures all a square deal," states Mr. Crowell, "and I assure you that we are very grateful to our many friends for continued expression of appreciation and confidence. We are doing our best to maintain the reputation we have built up."

and with Mrs. Blakely third and Mrs. Cook fourth. The time was 1:03, and the distance half a mile.

The results were:

Jackson county 2:50 trot—
Tokio, Jr. 1 1
Mark Twain 2 2
Spider 3 3

Time, 1:24 1-4, 1:20.

Free-for-all pace—

King Seal 1 1 1
Loe Miller 2 3 2
Axnoia 3 2 3
Chiquito 4 4 4

Time, 2:13 1-4, 2:14 1-2, 2:25 1-2.

Running race—

Lazelle 1
Jack Kertell 2
The Mighty 3

Time, 1:18 1-2.

JACKSON BRIDGE NEARS COMPLETION

Next week will witness the completion of the Jackson boulevard bridge, and it will immediately be thrown open to traffic upon its completion. The city will also probably gravel the road at the east end in order that it will be in condition for traffic this winter.

According to Contractor Perham the concrete piers for the Bear Creek bridge will be completed within two weeks after which high water will not retard the completion of the bridge although it will probably take the temporary bridge, but in that case the Jackson street bridge will serve. It is expected that the new bridge will be completed by December 1.

150 RAILROAD MEN WILL MEET HERE

On September 28 between 150 and 200 railroad men will be in Medford to attend a meeting of the freight claim department of the Southern Pacific. Most of the men present will be Southern Pacific agents from Oregon and California.

A. S. Rosenbaum, local agent, has been instructed to secure a suitable meeting place. The agents will be here for two days.

FIERO WILL MANAGE FRUIT ASSOCIATION

A. Conro Fiero was chosen by the board of directors of the Rogue River Fruit and Produce association to act as manager of the concern until such time as K. S. Miller the manager, has recovered his health and is able to return to work.

Mr. Miller was suddenly stricken Wednesday with acute indigestion and has been confined to the hospital since. He is said to be somewhat improved but will be unable to return to work for some time.

REMODELING OF CHURCH COMPLETE

The work of remodeling the Presbyterian church at the corner of west Main and Holly streets will be completed next week and Sunday, September 23, the regular service will be resumed under conditions that are very materially improved. The audience room of the building has been doubled in size, an alcove for the pipe organ and a choir box added, a gas kitchen installed and a modern system of plumbing and lighting is used. The arrangement of parlors, Sunday school and main audience room is very compact and convenient, pearl glass windows, new carpets, the gradually inclined floor and new pews add further to the interior attractiveness. A modern heating plant is also installed. With increased facilities for work the church is looking forward to a year of unprecedented usefulness and growth.

LOUIS HILL AWARDED SILVER TROPHY FOR BEST PEARS

The Louis W. Hill silver trophy cup, worth \$50, for the best plate exhibit of pears at the Jackson County Fair and Pear Show was awarded Friday by the fruit department of the fair to H. C. Bingham. This prize was the source of much keen competition between growers, and the winner is highly gratified by the result.

The winning exhibit consisted of Nellis, Clairgeau, Anjou, Howell and Bose pears, raised on the Hampton orchard, a portion of the old Burrell tract, the champion pear-raising orchard of southern Oregon. The requirements of the exhibit were that no less than four varieties be shown.

A. K. Ware, secretary of the fair, received a telegram from Louis W. Hill of the Great Northern railroad, donor of the prize cup, that, being unable to secure the cup he wanted, he had one specially made, which was shipped from St. Paul the first of the week, and will likely arrive in Medford today, when it will be presented to Mr. Bingham.

NEW AMERICAN RECORD MADE FOR MILE DASH

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 21.—Abel Kiviatt of the Irish American Athletic club of New York set a new American Athletic Union record for the mile here at the championship events of that organization today. Kiviatt did the distance in 4:18 3-5.

LAST BALL GAME SEASON SUNDAY

Tomorrow's base ball game between the fast northern California champions of Weed, and Medford, will very likely be the last game of the season in Medford. The rivalry existing between these two teams gives promise of the most exciting contest of the year.

The local club will line up as follows:

Antle, rf.; Isaacs, cf.; Gill, lf.; Weckler, 3rd; Miles, ss.; Horton, 2nd.; Wilkinson, 1st.; McIntyre, p.; Burgess, p.; Baker, c.; Marshall, utility.

On account of the Weed club having to return on the afternoon train it is necessary to start the game at 1:15 p. m.

CHINESE WOMAN WANTS DIVORCE FROM WHITE MAN

TACOMA, Wn., Sept. 21.—Marie Guilfoyle, a pretty Chinese woman, through her attorney Browder D.

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Browne, has today filed suit for divorce from her husband, F. M. Guilfoyle, whom she intermarried five and a half years ago at Hong Kong. She alleges that Guilfoyle deserted her in San Francisco, that he is an idler and has not supported her since that occasion.

VANDERBILT CUP RACE INDEFINITELY POSTPONED

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 21.—The Vanderbilt race was called off today. No announcement was made as to when the race will be run.

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Lot South Oakdale—60x175, all improvements in, adjoins Howard property, faces Dakota avenue, alley in rear.

Seven acres, 1 1/2 miles north of Medford on Central Point macadam, ditch across highest part.

Any of the above properties can be purchased at exceptionally low prices and terms to suit purchaser.

MEDFORD BOOK STORE

"Every Little Movement Has a Meaning All Its Own"

And the movement that is now in Medford, which is making Crescent City lots move, means that the railroad survey which is going over to Crescent City from here, in conjunction with present harbor and timber developments which are taking place there at the present time, will make property move with a big wiggle upwards over there, so get in on this movement while it is on bed rock before it moves up, where it is bound to go in the very near future. Get it now, and reap the rich harvest that the advance in value will bring. Join the party going over from Medford by auto to Crescent City Sunday, September 22. THINK—understand the meaning of the movement and come. Improved lots five minutes from business center of Crescent City, on the Woolley Port side, at \$150 each. \$50 cash and \$10 a month. I feel sure they will double before you have all your payments made. Now is the time, before the boom—not after.

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