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CHANGE MADE IN SCHEDULE OF ROAD MEETINGS

In order to better meet the crowds there has been changes in the speaking campaign for the good roads bond issue to be held next Tuesday, September 9.

The Jacksonville meeting will be held Wednesday. The Rogue River meeting will be held Friday afternoon with Attorneys Porter J. Neff and W. L. Vawter as speakers. Friday night a meeting will be held at Griffin Creek with William G. Gore as the speaker.

A meeting was held at Phoenix last night with Messrs. Gore, Mulkey and Boos as speakers. A large crowd was present and a decided sentiment in favor of the bonds shown.

Agent Rosenbaum of the Southern Pacific announces that a steam train will be run to Rogue River for the benefit of those desiring to attend the fair and Good Roads meeting to be held there Friday.

PEARS GREW WELL IN DRY MONTH OF AUGUST

The month of August was only striking for its absence of rain. The temperature was slightly below normal, but there were enough hot days, including one where the temperature reached 98, to keep coats off and the ice cream cone men busy. The weather has been ideal for fruit, as the bountiful rains of the preceding month left the soil filled with moisture, and the warm bright days of August were exactly what was needed to make the pears and apples swell to the perfection they now have.

Weather report for Medford, Oregon, August, 1913.

Table with columns: Date, Max., Min., Rain, Trace. Rows 1-31 showing daily weather data.

Table with columns: Maximum, Mean of Maximum, Normal mean maximum, Minimum, Mean minimum, Normal mean minimum, Mean monthly temperature, Normal mean monthly temp., Prevailing wind direction, Maximum wind velocity, Average wind velocity, Precipitation, Average precipitation for month, Precipitation from September 1, 1913 to Sept. 1, 1912, Deficiency for year, Number of clear days, Number of partly cloudy, Number of cloudy.

Temperatures for the month were normal but precipitation was below normal. There were no destructive winds. Conditions have been excellent for all crops. The best pear crop the valley has ever seen is being harvested.

P. J. O'GARA, Special Meteorological Observer

OUR DISPLAY AT THE FAIR.

FOR five years Jackson County has led the agitation in Oregon for good roads. For as many years efforts have been made to amend the constitution, to pass proper enabling acts, all with the object of permitting the county to issue bonds for the building of permanent highways.

We have finally, after overcoming many legal obstacles, reached the point desired—and on September 9 the people will vote upon the issuance of \$500,000 for the construction of a paved highway from the California line to the Josephine County line.

Having clamored so long and so loudly for a chance to vote road bonds, having once voted for such bonds, having initiated a constitutional amendment for them, having besieged legislatures and conducted a state-wide campaign and propaganda in their behalf, it would be an absurdity not to vote the bonds almost unanimously.

The road bonds should carry by a tremendous vote. They can only be carried, however, by every progressive citizen doing his share, by every one talking bonds from now until election time, by endeavoring to make every opponent an advocate of bonds, by conducting a vigorous crusade in their behalf.

For the first time since their enfranchisement, women of Jackson County have a chance to make themselves felt in a public matter. They can show the world that no mistake was made in giving women the ballot, by lining up for progress, development and a greater Jackson County.

A paved highway through Jackson County will be its greatest advertisement. It will develop the neglected tourist industry, which in the future will be one of the valley's greatest resources. It will bring through the county ten to twenty thousand automobiles full of Panama exposition tourists in 1915 and a constant stream of visitors, winter and summer thereafter.

The paved highway will bring desirable residents, enhance the value of our land, develop our natural resources, enlarge our markets and pay for itself many times in enhanced valuations, increased population, and an abiding prosperity. But even without those features, it would pay for itself in lowering the cost of transportation to producers.

Jackson County's best exhibit at the world's fair would be a huge electric sign reading "FIFTY MILES OF PAVED SCENIC HIGHWAY THROUGH JACKSON COUNTY, GATEWAY TO OREGON."

Let us make such a display possible by voting the bonds. Let us all get busy at once and leave no stone unturned to accomplish the desired result.

WIDNEY AFFINITY TO FACE CHARGE FOR DEATH PACT

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 2.—A charge of insanity will be placed today against Mrs. Vivien Merlyn Lyons, the beautiful divorcee who entered into a suicide pact here with Robert Widney, former Los Angeles real estate broker.

The woman's efforts to end her life since being brought to the Central Emergency hospital last Saturday and her irrational actions have caused the physicians of the hospital staff to order her removal to the detention hospital. She will be held there for several days and a careful study of her condition will be made to allow the members of the insanity commission to decide on her case. Dr. E. J. Rest will file the complaint.

Mrs. Lyons' condition today is much improved though she still grieves for Widney. The latter still is at a Livermore sanitarium. That Widney suggested the suicide agreement and himself made all the plans for their act is the charge of Mrs. Lyons.

TALKING PICTURES ARE SENSATION AT PAGE THEATRE

The Edison Kinetophone, or talking pictures appeared at the Page theatre last night to a packed house, and constitute one of the most worthy entertainments that will appear at that place of amusement in many a day. They are the ninth wonder of the world, portraying the genius of the greatest inventor of any time.

The pictures show every posture, every sound from the voice to the dropping of a washpan, and the sound and the figures act in perfect unison. Every phase of the theater from minstrelsy to Shakespeare is shown with marvelous detail. The audience applauded for five minutes the quarrel scene from "Julius Caesar," and cheered the minstrel olio.

The show will be repeated tonight, with a matinee this afternoon, and is recommended as worth the price of admission, entertaining, educational, and something to ponder over. An entire change of program is bill for tonight.

OBITUARY.

Died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Guernsey, 312 South King street, Frances Guernsey, aged seven months and 26 days, of acute dysentery, at 5.30 p. m., Sept. 1st. Funeral will probably be held Wednesday afternoon. Burial will take place Wednesday afternoon.

WHERE TO GO TONIGHT

IT Theatre

TONIGHT

"Honor Thy Father," (Cines) One of the very best 2-reel features.

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Money to Loan

I have the agency of the Holland Mortgage Company, who are loaning money on improved city and ranch property.

Their inspector will be here to pass upon applications next week. All those desiring to borrow money should have applications filed by Thursday, September 4.

H. S. STINE

Room 2, Stewart Block

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Opens September 17th in Medford Business College Block

College opens Sept. 17. Courses: Philosophy, Mathematics, History, English, Greek, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Geology.

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Hygiene and nursing opens Sept. 17. Law school opens Oct. 1. Courses: Equity, Criminal Law, Evidence, Sales, Negotiable Instruments, Pleading, Contracts, Agency, Real Property, Corporations, etc.

Divinity school opens Oct. 1. Registration days all this week. Next week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 9 a. m. to 12 noon, at Business College.