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NEIL PURCHASES HARGADINE TRACT, ASHLAND, \$20,000

Elmo Neil returned Friday from Portland where he closed a deal for the purchase of the Simon-Selling tract of 5000 acres adjacent to Ashland, paying therefor \$20,000.

ASHLAND JOINS IN CHORAL CONCERT MEDFORD, JUNE 15

The Ashland Choral society joins the Medford Choral society in giving a joint concert program at the Page theater on Friday evening, June 15.

COUNTY WRITING CONTEST WON BY 10 YEAR OLD GIRL

First honors in the Jackson county writing contest go to a ten-year-old girl in the 4th grade of Long Mountain school district 37, near Eagle Point.

A. N. Palmer, author of the state text, The Palmer Method, has awarded prizes to the nine students in Jackson county who made the greatest progress in penmanship during the past year.

In commenting upon the work, Mr. Palmer says: "These children have made great progress. Most of them wrote a little pinched hand in the fall, while now they write with freedom."

The prize winners with the schools they attended are:

- Helen Dugan, first; Long Mountain school, Eagle Point. Elva Coleman, second; Jacksonville school, Geneva Mandeville, third; Oak Grove school, Medford. Lucile Abbott fourth; Jacksonville school. Hulda Johnson, fifth; Rock Point, Gold Hill. Glenn McDaniel, sixth; Applegate school. Lois Hall, seventh; Central Point school. May Clarke, eighth; Talent school. Kendall Hall, ninth; Central Point school.

The prizes will be sent directly from Mr. Palmer's office in New York to each of the above contestants.

SURVEY STARTED FOR JOSEPHINE HIGHWAY

C. C. Kelly, assistant engineer of the state highway department, with a crew of fourteen men, is today starting work on locating a permanent grade for the Pacific highway between this city and the Douglas county line.

Now that the road bonds have been carried, it is expected that Josephine county will promptly put itself in shape to take advantage of the increased money available for road purposes.

LIMESTONE QUARRY INSPECTED BY BOARD

GOLD HILL, Ore., June 7.—The state line board is here to visit the J. H. Beaman limestone deposit for the purpose of determining whether the board should acquire the deposit for the manufacture of the lime used for fertilizer for the use of the farmers of the state.

They now have about 400 head of cattle on the range and last Sunday 272 more arrived from Gasselle, being driven over the mountain by Elmo and Fred Neil, Jim Bowers, Ray Murphy and S. S. Mitchell.

Wool Crop Brings \$5000. Ed Barron last week sold about 11,000 pounds of wool, representing his recent clip, for something better than \$5000—his clip and that from Homer Barron's small band of sheep bringing \$5670.50.

Sheep shearing was finished at the Herrin ranch across Bear creek from Ashland last Saturday, the clip going close to 9000 pounds.

Tending 6300 Sheep. Welborn Hesson of Talent went south Sunday to look after his interests in a band of 6300 sheep which are to be grazed on the southern slopes of the Siskiyou this summer.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Anniversary services will be held next Sunday at both services in the First Presbyterian church, commemorating the beginning of the pastorate of Rev. Alfred A. J. Hugg one year ago.

580 REGISTRATIONS JOSEPHINE COUNTY

GRANTS PASS, June 7.—The total war registrations in Josephine county were 580, of which 239 were in Grants Pass and the precincts of Granite Hill, Fruitdale and Dumick.

Of this registration those who are legislative, judicial or executive officers, numbered 12; persons totally disabled, 9; persons who indicated dependent relatives (many of these did not claim exemption on this account) 308; other probable exemptions, 26. The total of these exemptions amount to 367.

There were two colored men, three neutral aliens, and four citizens of enemy countries.

DOLL BABY PARADE TO BE BIG EVENT

All indications point to a big success for the doll baby parade this evening by the little tots. The 7th company has left nothing undone to secure as large a list of entries as possible in order to make the parade interesting and worth coming out to see.

The doll to be given as the prize has been the object of much attention by the little folks since being put on display at the Medford book store.

SANTA FE SUBSCRIBES BONDS FOR EMPLOYEES

NEW YORK, June 7.—The Archon, Topoka and Santa Fe railroad has subscribed \$4,900,000 exclusive of mortgages by employees under a gradual payment plan to the Liberty Loan.

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