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Friday, July 10, 1903.

The Southern Oregon Chautauqua management have undertaken a new departure in the program for their assembly for this year and have set aside Monday, July 20 as a farmers and good roads day. For this day the admission, both forenoon and afternoon will be free and the exercise will be made of special interest to the farmers and to others who look to good roads and more progressive methods of farming as the important factors in the upbuilding of the agricultural resources of Southern Oregon. Among those to make addresses on that day will be Dr. James Withycomb, director of the experiment station at the State Agricultural College at Corvallis; Judge J. H. Scott, of Salem, president of the Oregon State Good Roads Association and H. B. Thielson of Salem; the well known civil engineer and road expert. These men are among the ablest men in the state along their lines of thought and their addresses will be well worth hearing and the people of Jackson County should give this meeting a large attendance.

A Box factory for Jacksonville.

The Iowa Lumber Company has decided to put in a box factory here in Jacksonville and work will be commenced at once to erect the building which will be adjoining the planing mill. The machinery has been ordered and it is expected that the factory will be turning out boxes by the first of August. The Iowa Lumber Company now employ about 85 men and this addition to their plant will add about 12 men to their payroll. The Company has a large quantity of dry lumber on hand suitable for box material and they will be able to fill an order promptly for any number of boxes.

The engine in the sawmill which broke down last week has been repaired by the Ashland Iron Works, and Monday morning it will be started up again with a full crew of men. The lath machine, which was recently placed in the mill, will be run to its full capacity each night and lath both for the local trade and for car orders will be kept in stock. Since the Company's office was moved from California street to their new office building at the planing mill the plant has been without telephonic connections, but the telephone linemen got the telephone moved Friday and connections made with the Jacksonville local and the long distance lines. The Company have a telephone line from their office to the mill, with telephones at the mill and at the lumber yard. Among the other improvements that are being made by the Company is the erection of two large sheds in the planing mill yard to be used to store moldings, pickets and dressed lumber.

In the seven weeks since the planing mill was started it has not been stopped even one day for repairs or for any other cause and it is expected in the near future to have the saw mill put in a perfect condition so it too can be run without the bother of break-downs and repairs.

Dates to Remember.

Wednesday, July 15.—Convening of the Eleventh annual Assembly of the Southern Oregon Chautauqua Association at Ashland.

Saturday, August 15.—Good Roads Convention at Jacksonville in Court House park at 7:30 p. m. Address by Judge J. H. Scott, president of Oregon State Good Roads Association.

Saturday, August 15.—Fruitgrowers convention in Jacksonville under auspices of Rogue River Fruitgrowers Union. Program for all day and exercises to be held in Court House park. Address by professors from State Agricultural college and by prominent fruitmen of the Coast.

Monday, July 20.—Farmers and Good Roads Day at Ashland Chautauqua 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Admission free. Address by Dr. Jas. Withycombe, of State Agricultural College; Judge J. H. Scott, President of Oregon State Good Roads Association; H. B. Thielson, civil engineer and road expert.

Saturday, July 25.—Meeting at Medford at 2 p. m. of Rogue River Fruitgrowers Union. All fruit men invited to attend.

A Letter of Thanks from Heppner.

M. M. Taylor has received the following letter from Hon. Frank Gilliam, mayor of Heppner, acknowledging the receipt of the \$140 contributed by the citizens of Jacksonville for the relief of the Heppner flood sufferers:

Heppner, Oregon, July 6, 1903.

Mr. M. M. Taylor, Jacksonville, Oregon, Dear Sir:—We are in receipt of your letter of 2nd inst. enclosing draft for the sum of \$140, donated by the people of Jacksonville for the relief of the people of Heppner.

Please accept for yourself and convey to the other members of the relief committee and to your citizens in general, our sincere thanks for their kind and generous remembrance of us in this time of sorrow and need.

Very respectfully,

FRANK GILLIAM.

Phoenix Items

Miss Gussie Kleinhammer tarried in Medford a short time Friday.

Mrs. E. Grezey, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Towne, for the past few days, returned to her home in Montague Tuesday.

The fruit prospects in the many orchards of this vicinity are good, and in several orchards large forces of men are engaged in thinning the fruit.

H. P. Hargrave, the well known physician contemplates moving to Medford in the near future. The Dr. will be greatly missed as it will leave this vicinity without any physician.

LOCAL NOTES.

Try City Drug Store for Soap.

Lost, a brooch pin with enameled setting in Jacksonville on the Fourth. Finder leave at the Sentinel office and receive reward.

Ben Beall, who has a fine farm near Central Point and who is one of the largest corn and grain growers of the county, was in Jacksonville on legal business with Judge Day this week.

Camp stoves and utensils for camping at Boyden's.

James C. McCully, a Jacksonville boy and one of the most efficient forest rangers in this district was in Jacksonville Tuesday and Wednesday visiting relatives and friends. Mr. McCully for this summer is stationed in Klamath county and has his camp and headquarters at Seven-mile creek.

Wedding stationery, the latest out, at the Sentinel office.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Martin came up Saturday from Portland for a visit at the home of Mrs. Martin's mother, Mrs. A. Helms. Mr. Martin is head salesman of the John P. Shorkey Company harness and saddle manufacturer in Portland and being unable to be away from his duties but for a short time he had to return to Portland Tuesday. Mrs. Martin will remain in Jacksonville for three or four weeks.

Surprise egg whips, best on the market at Boyden's hardware store, Medford.

Uncle William Robinson returned Wednesday from Junction City where he had been for a week attending a reunion of the Robinson family. Of his brothers and their families there were present Milton and Solomon W. Robinson, of Junction City, George D. Robinson, of Dallas and James A. Robinson of Palouse Wash. They are all pioneers of Oregon, Uncle Billy coming to Jacksonville in 1853.

Soaps for millmen and mechanics at the City Drug Store.

Jim Wright, one of the all-around Southern Oregon pioneer characters, arrived in Jacksonville Wednesday afternoon and remained until Thursday afternoon renewing memories of the days

gone by with the old-timers, though he was the guest of S. P. Jones, who like himself was a driver on the Oregon and California stages in the '50s and '60s. Mr. Wright is now living at Roseburg and he is yet a hearty, well-preserved man. In addition to his being one of the most expert and popular stage drivers that ever guided a team over the track, by courtesy called a road, that traversed the mountains and forded the streams of Southern Oregon, Mr. Wright served as sheriff of Douglas county and he also kept a saloon at Central Point, Grants Pass and Roseburg.

M. M. Scott, of Evans Creek, was in Jacksonville bringing with him Chas. Frank, a feeble minded boy, who had no oneto care for him, his father, F. Frank having committed suicide last spring, and his mother having died several years ago. An older brother and this boy lived for awhile in a cabin on their fathers claim. Some time ago the brother went off to work leaving the boy, who is but 12 years old, alone. Mr. Scott and the other neighbors cared for him awhile but he was not a boy that was agreeable to have with children, and the county was asked to care for him. The State having no school for the feeble minded Judge Prim had him sent to the St. Marys Orphans Home at Beaverton, near Portland, and Wednesday W. J. Plpmale left for the home with the boy.

John T. Miller, Jacksonville's efficient postmaster, who also conducts a hardware store, has now added stock-raising to his vocations and it is now a frequent sight in the early hours of the morning to see our spruce looking postmaster cavorting along the streets on a wild broncho, going to the hills at the head of Jackson creek to see how his cattle are getting along. Sherriff Rader, who is something of a cattleman himself, and who holds that a cattleman should look a cattleman, has ordered a pair of shaps, a broad sombrero hat and a pair of huge jangling Mexican spurs for Mr. Miller and soon that wild mannered gentleman will be a fierce looking cow-boy. Mr. Miller took out a small band of cattle Tuesday to his range, which he had bought of Mrs. J. N. T. Miller which now makes him about 40 head.

Contractor H. Snooks completed the brick work on the Jacksonville school house Wednesday evening and that evening he sent his bricklayers to Grants Pass to begin work upon a big brick school house that he has the contract for in that city. Mr. Snook also went to Grants Pass Thursday to look after his work in that city and until he gets his contracts in the two towns completed he will divide his time between Jacksonville and Grants Pass. The work on the Jacksonville school building will be under the charge of M. L. Lyons, who has been a foreman for Mr. Snooks for several years. The upper and lower joists are now all in and the carpenter force, which numbers seven men, will begin at once placing the roof timbers. So soon as the roof is in place the flues will be built and the plasterers will begin their work. At the rate Mr. Snooks is pushing his work he will have the school building done early in Sept., in ample time for the fall term of school.

One of the oldest and largest mercantile establishments in Jacksonville has undergone a change of name and instead of J. Nunan it is now the Nunan, Taylor Company and it is an incorporated company of which J. Nunan is president, M. M. Taylor vice-president and Chas. J. Nunan secretary and treasurer. The articles of incorporation were prepared by Judge Hanna and by him have been filed with the secretary of state at Salem and with the county clerk. The object

of Mr. Nunan's incorporating was to take in his son Charles and Mr. Taylor into the active management of his store, for his business has grown to such an extent that to care for all the details of it was too great a task for Mr. Nunan, and as he has been in the work steadily for 33 years he felt that he should take some respite from his duties. Another reason is that Mr. Nunan wished to give greater encouragement to the boys and to reward them for their fidelity to his interests. Mr. Taylor has been with Mr. Nunan for the past 13 years, commencing with doing a boys work of sweeping and general utility, and he has scarcely missed a day in the store since, advancing steadily by his industry and integrity until he has been admitted to partnership. Chas. Nunan has served his apprenticeship in the store in which he is now to be a partner, by counting eggs and doing other work that tested his perseverance, and his attention to business methods. For the last few years he has been away at school, spending three years at St. Mary's College, and then graduating from Heald's Business College in San Francisco, making an average of 95 in his studies. There will be no change in the management of the store nor in the transaction of the business. The customers old and new will have their orders filled with the same promptness and be accorded the same courtesies that they have heretofore had.

James Boyce, Mrs. Boyce and Mrs. Retta Taylor, of Munice, Indiana, arrived in Jacksonville Wednesday afternoon on a brief visit to their friends, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Myers. Early Thursday morning Mr. Williamson and Mr. Myers engaged a four-horse tallyho at Lewis livery stable, and with their wives, took their friends for a drive over the valley, they going up beyond Phoenix as far as Capt. Voorhies' big orchard, thence down the valley as far as Central Point, giving the visitors a splendid opportunity to see the many big orchards, fine alfalfa fields and the handsome homes for which this Valley is noted. The visitors were delighted with the handsome appearance of the valley, the beautiful scenery of the surrounding hills and they would have been glad to have remained longer here but previous arrangements made it impossible for them to remain longer, and they left by the afternoon train Wednesday for McMinnville, where they will make a visit with a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boyce who resides there. Later on Mrs. Taylor will return to Jacksonville and spend the fall with Mr. and Mrs. Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Williamson. Mr. and Mrs. Boyce will go on to their home, Mr. Boyce having large business interests that makes his early return necessary. Mr. Boyce is one of the big capitalists of Indiana and he is the man, who did more than any one else to push Munice from a quiet town of 5000 to a place of 30,000 population and to one of the most prosperous towns in Indiana. At the time that Munice began to grow in the early 80's Mr. Boyce was a small property holder, but he put his every energy into booming his town and no proposition was presented that would add to the development of Munice but what he headed the list to give it a helping to get started, he even giving as high as \$1000 as a bonus to get some addition to the city payroll. For every dollar he puts in he gets back ten by reason of the increase in property valuations and business activity. The method that changed Munice from a sleepy old town weighted down with 50 years of stagnation to one of the widest awake towns in the United States, would do the same for old Jacksonville.

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