

#### Board of Trade Meeting.

The Board of Trade held a meeting Monday evening that had the usual attendance of about 30 and the interest manifested was of the kind that brings results to the work of the board.

The standing committee on transportation which consists of T. J. Kenney, Jno S. Orth and Judge S. J. Day was instructed to get up a petition to the Postoffice Department asking that a morning mail service be established in addition to the noon and evening service now had between Jacksonville and Medford. A special committee consisting of Chas. Dunford, Jas. Cronemiller and C. P. Briggs was appointed to ascertain the rules under which co-operative telephone companies were organized and also to get prices from manufacturers for telephones, wire, etc. The committee is also to confer with the farmers of this valley and of the Applegate in regard to their joining in with the organization of a local telephone company.

It was decided to invite the Southern Oregon Soldiers and Sailors Reunion Association to hold their annual encampment which is to be in September of next year, at Jacksonville and a committee consisting of C. W. Conklin, Chris Ulrich and T. C. Norris was appointed to confer with the old soldiers as to their accepting the hospitalities of Jacksonville.

The improvement of the Jacksonville-Medford-Central Point road was fully discussed and a committee consisting of Judge S. J. Day, George N. Lewis and Chas. Dunford was appointed to look up the four routes that were under consideration and ascertain the cost of making a permanent road of the present route and of the probable cost of right-of-way for the other three routes and an estimate as to the cost of making them into passable roads.

It was voted to invite the authorities of the State Agricultural College to hold a farmers institute in Jacksonville about the first of February.

The bills of the Jacksonville Sentinel for \$4.50 for letter heads and of Nunan-Taylor Company forty cents for secretary and treasurer's books were ordered paid.

Dr. W. B. Officer of Eagle Point is having a fine seven-room cottage erected to be occupied by his family. The construction work is under the charge of H. F. Van Vliet of Central Point.

When troubled with constipation try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no gripping or other unpleasant effect. For sale by City Drug store.

Henry C. Gale, cashier of the Douglas County Bank at Roseburg, who is spending a few days at the home of his mother in Ashland, and Miss Rosa Dodge of the latter place were the guests of Prof. and Mrs. E. E. Washburn Tuesday afternoon. Miss Dodge, who is a cousin of Mrs. Washburn, is a member of the senior class in the University of Oregon and will leave in a few days for Eugene to take up her studies.

Herman King, who for the past year has been sawyer in the Jackson County Lumber Company's mill, has taken the position of sawyer in the mill of the Iowa Lumber Company. For the capacity of the mill no other sawmill in Southern Oregon has made a better cut this summer than has the Jacksonville mill, a fact that is a fine compliment to Mr. King and it is especially creditable to him as he had never handled a saw lever until he began work in the Jacksonville mill. Mr. King is a steady, industrious young man and that he will have continued success in his new vacation is matter easy to prophesy.

W. H. Dezeng, who with Fred Chamier has a promising quartz claim on Black Bear creek not far from Mt. Sterling was in Jacksonville Tuesday and Wednesday buying a lot of supplies and Thursday he left for his camp in company with A. B. Saltmarsh, who is doing his packing. Mr. Dezeng and his partner are working on a ditch, which they expect to have completed before the heavy snows interfere with their work, to bring in water for power and mining use. Early in the spring they will put in a small quartz mill and commence to take out ore. Messrs. Dezeng and Chamier are making no statements as to the richness of their mine but others who have seen ore from

**JACKSONVILLE-APPLEGATE STAGE.**  
HENRY WENDT, Driver—Leaves Jacksonville daily except Sunday at 7 a. m., arriving at Applegate at 11 a. m. Leave Applegate at 11:15 arriving at Jacksonville at 3 p. m. Close connection made with stage to Steamboat and stage to Kubli and Davidson.

**JACKSONVILLE COPPER MINES STAGE.**  
JOHN R. WILSON, Driver—Leaves Jacksonville at 7 a. m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for Ruch, Uniontown, Parcel, Watkins and Joes Bar, returning on the following days.

their ledge say that it shows to be rich and that there is plenty of it, two conditions that are essential to a profitable mine.

Buy your sewing machine of your Home Agent he is here and can look after your wants.—C. W. Conklin.

Earl Shepherd of Ashland spent a portion of this week in Jacksonville in the interests of his father's piano business.

Mrs. Dr. Will Jackson of Baker City, accompanied by her little daughter Ruth, is in the city visiting old time friends. Mrs. Jackson is a former resident of this place.

Warner Williams of Ashland county manager for the Sunset Telephone Company was in Jacksonville with a helper Wednesday putting a larger switch board at the central office to provide for an increase in telephones that the company expect to put on the Jacksonville circuit. Mr. Williams is a brother of Mrs. E. E. Washburn and while here he paid Prof. and Mrs. Washburn a brief visit.

T. H. Brown returned Wednesday from the Mt. Pitt country where he had been for several days looking over that section. He reports that it is one of the best stock districts of Jackson county, that being the only industry there, the high altitude making danger by frosts too likely to make general farming profitable. Cattle and hogs are the principal stock and they each, though having no feed but the outside range, look fine. Mr. Brown thinks it will be a great dairy country in the near future and a fine location for a creamery. The easy, prosperous life of the settlers greatly pleased Mr. Brown. When those people get out of ready cash and not caring to sell stock they make up a lot of sugar pine shakes and haul them to Eagle Point where Brown and Sons pay them at the present time \$16 per thousand, they buying for the California market.

Captain Milo Caton came over Wednesday from Medford, where he is attending the G. A. R. encampment, to bid good-by to his friends in Jacksonville preparatory to leaving next Monday for Roseburg where he will enter the Soldier's Home. Captain is a veteran of three wars, he having served a year in the Mexican war and he was in the Rogue River Indian war, though not regularly enlisted. During those wars he lived just below Rock Point in the midst of the Indian country and he had his full share fighting to protect his home and save his scalp. At the breaking out of the Civil War he went East and enlisted in the 21st Ohio Volunteer Infantry in which he served four years as captain of company H. At the battle of Chickamauga he and nine of his men were captured. Of the men four escaped and five died in prison. Capt. Caton was first taken to Libby prison, but soon after was taken South being confine in the prisons at Macon and Madison, Georgia, and at Columbia and Charleston, South Carolina. He was three months at Charleston at the time when the Union forces were laying siege to that place and the shells from General Gilmore's guns frequently fell in close proximity to his prison. Altogether he served 18 months in Confederate prisons. At the close of the war Captain Caton returned to Southern Oregon and took up his residence in Jackson county. He served as deputy sheriff under Wm. Bybee from 1878 to 1881. His wife died several years ago and his three daughters are married. One of them Mrs. Fred Furry living near Phoenix. Captain Caton is well known all over Jackson county and he has many friends who are glad to know that he is yet hale and well and good for many years yet before he is mustered out of this life's service.

Big sales and small profits will make more money to the merchant than little sales and big profits and be vastly better for the business prosperity of the town, for it will draw trade from other sections. That is my way of figuring out this trade proposition for Jacksonville and to carry it out I will sell a good, brass-trimmed, iron bedstead for \$3.50. A comfortable sewing rocking chair \$1.65. A good grade of straw matting 15 cents. A mirror 35 cents, sash rods 10 cents. Good ingrain rugs 50 cents, C. W. Conklin, Jacksonville.

**Has Sold a Pile of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.**

I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for more than twenty years and it has given entire satisfaction. I have sold a pile of it and can recommend it highly. —Joseph McElhiney, Linton, Iowa. You will find this remedy a good friend when troubled with a cough or cold. It always affords quick relief and is pleasant to take. For sale by City Drug store.

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