

Society Sons of American Revolution.

Portland, Oregon, October 1, 1903.
The Oregon Society of Sons of the American Revolution has several times in the past offered prizes to the school children of the state for essays on subjects connected with Revolutionary History. The results in the past have encouraged the Society to renew the offer at this time. Prizes of \$25, \$15 and \$10, respectively, will therefore be awarded for the three best essays in the order of merit, written by students in the public schools of Oregon, on any of the following subjects:

1. The Arousing of Public Opinion; the Work of Samuel Adams, Thomas Paine, John Dickinson and Patrick Henry.
2. Lexington and Concord.
3. The Battle of King's Mountain.
4. Virginia's Part in the American Revolution.

Essays are limited in length to 3,000 words; must be written on one side of the paper in the student's own handwriting and must be accompanied by the certificate of the principal of the school attended by the author, to the effect that the author is a bona fide student in the school and has been in attendance therein not less than four weeks during the school year of 1903-4. Essays must be forwarded to the chairman of the committee in charge, Wallace McCamant, 34 Concord Building, Portland, Ore., so as to reach him not later than February 1st, 1904. In awarding the prizes the committee will be governed by these three considerations:

1. Historical accuracy.
2. Manner of treatment.
3. Orthography, grammar, syntax and punctuation.

Any additional information which may be desired will be cheerfully furnished by any member of the committee. The essay which is awarded the prize will be published in full, with the name of the author, in the public press.

JOHN K. KOLLOCK,
THOS. G. GREENE,
WALLACE McCAMANT,
Committee.

Many Mothers of a Like Opinion.

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Happenings Hereabouts.

Hallis Parks, one of the bright farmer boys of Little Applegate was in Jacksonville Wednesday.

If you want to rent a farm or have land to rent see T. C. Norris, Jacksonville.

Bruce Buck and Eric Anderson went to Squaw creek Wednesday to resume work on their copper claims.

Lunch consisting of Halloween dainties 25 cents.

Chris Ulrich has shipped during the past week two tons of cornmeal to points in California. Mr. Ulrich is building up quite a trade in corn meal and during the winter months especially, each year he grinds at his mill large quantities of corn.

See those odd parlor pieces, nothing nicer for a wedding or a birthday present. C. W. Conklin's.

Judge Prim, George Neuber and Thomas Kenney got back last Saturday from their two weeks hunting trip in the Cascade mountains about the headwaters of Rogue river. They report a fine trip and had good success hunting and fishing. They brought home a generous supply of venison, which they divided with their friends.

A number of music lovers of Jacksonville visited Ashland last Sunday to hear the Ellery band concert and they report the music of high class and the band one of the great organizations of the country. Those attending from Jacksonville were C. J. Nunan, Mrs. Josephine Russel, Mrs. Susie Neil, Miss Frances Nunan, M. M. Taylor, and Wm. M. Colvig and his sons Donald and Vance.

J. C. Stratford, the photographer who was here four years ago, and whom most of you remember, has returned and will open a gallery for a short time. With those who know of his work there is no question of his ability to equal the best city work, so that you should not neglect this opportunity to supply yourselves. Special announcement next week.

To get perfect rest use one of those silk floss or cotton felt mattresses. They are the best. C. W. Conklin.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Hon. and Mrs. C. C. Beekman drove to Gold Ray Monday to view the work being carried on there by the Condor Power & Water Company. They report that Dr. Ray is having work pushed rapidly and that it will not be so many months until the big electric power plant is in operation. Rogue river in pouring over the dam looks like a miniature Niagara Falls.

Hard luck seems to be the lot of C. C. Pursel the Applegate sawmill man. Two months ago his dwelling house burned, together with nearly all the contents, and now his sawmill has burned, it having been destroyed last Friday night. The mill had been run during the day and at 9 o'clock Mr. Pursel looked over the mill carefully, as was his custom, to see that no danger of fire was apparent, and all being well he retired and at midnight he was awakened by the roar of conflagration, the mill being then a mass of flames. Mr. Pursel and his men succeeded in preventing the fire spreading to the lumber yard, but the mill having been in operation but a short time there was not much lumber on hand. The mill was new and of about 15,000 feet capacity. The building was a light structure and made so little heat that the machinery was injured but little. The planer which Mr. Pursel bought recently of Chris Ulrich was not injured as it had not yet been placed in the mill. Mr. Pursel being a man of courage and determination will not give up but proposes to rebuild his mill this winter and be ready for sawing early next spring.

Orchard for Lease.

The Bybee orchard a mile from Jacksonville consisting of 30 acres, 11 acres of prunes, balance in apples with a few peaches, will be leased for a term of years to a responsible person. House, barn and outbuildings. Spring water piped to house. For terms call on or address William Bybee, Jacksonville, Ore.

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"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had Consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and to-day she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infalible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by City Drug Store. Trial bottle free.

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- No. 1**—Is 550 acres more or less, 300 acres Rogue River bottom land, all fenced, good house, barn and other buildings. The balance, about 250 acres, good for timber and pasture. This place is situated on Rogue River, near town. The land is of fine quality. Price per acre.....\$25
- No. 2**—Is a tract of 1520 acres, all fenced, 1200 acres good alfalfa land; a stream running through it of 150 miners' inches of water with which the whole 1200 acres can be irrigated. The other 320 acres is higher ground, which is well situated for reservoirs and feed grounds. This tract is situated in Klamath county, about 20 miles from Klamath Falls, a county road running by it and a railroad now within about 50 miles and building rapidly towards it and is certain to pass near by it, or cross it in the near future. A good farm house and barn and corrals on the place. One of the best bargains in all Southern Oregon. Price per acre.....\$10.
- No. 3**—House and 4 lots in Phoenix. Price.....\$600
- No. 8**—55 acres, house and 2 barns, 12 acres bottom land, the balance, 43 acres, all good land, ¼-mile from depot; 12 acres under ditch at the head of the ditch. Price.....\$5000
- No. 10**—23 acres all fenced and in cultivation. A house and barn, about 50 fruit trees just coming into bearing. 1½ miles from town. Price.....\$1,000.
- No. 11**—145 acres on Butte creek, 25 acres in cultivation, 25 acres more to put in; all fenced, fair buildings, Jackson county, Oregon. A bargain.
- No. 12**—264 acres, all under fence, good 5-room house, good spring, water conveyed to house by pipe, 2 good barns, 215 acres of choice land in cultivation, good for all kinds of grain, 30 or 40 acres would produce good alfalfa. This is one of the best farms in the valley, 2½ miles from Phoenix. Price per acre.....\$35
- No. 14**—400 acres, 6 miles from Medford, a good house, 2 barns 100 acres in cultivation Phoenix.
- No. 15**—138 acres on Rogue River, 100 acres of as good land as any man could wish for. No improvements. Thirty acres of it could be made ready for the plow with 15 days labor. Price..\$500
- No. 25**—House and 3 lots in Phoenix, lots 60x120 each; good house well finished.
- No. 26**—House and 2 lots in Phoenix, lots 60x120 feet each.
- No. 30**—18 acres well improved, house, barn and other out buildings; one-half in young orchard; near Phoenix. Price.....\$1200.
- No. 31**—An 80 acre farm seven miles from railroad, level land, good soil, 15 acres cleared and fenced, 26 acres in pasture, remainder easily cleared. Dwelling house well finished, cost over \$500. Bearing orchard; fine well and springs; is sub-irrigated, and can be made one of the best small farms of Jackson county. Is owned by a non-resident who will give a bargain in order to sell quick.
- No. 33**—15½ acres, all in cultivation; house, barn, etc., near Phoenix; will be sold all together or divided.
- No. 34**—1200 acres all improved. Fine bottom land, Rogue River running through it; 500 acres under irrigation and balance easily watered. Good buildings and other improvements; six miles from railroad; near postoffice and school. Fine alfalfa, fruit or garden land. Is the cheapest land in Jackson county. Price per acre.....\$30
- No. 36**—1743 acres of pasture land on Rogue River. Will be sold at a bargain.
- No. 39**—2½ acres, three-fourths of a mile from Medford. Good garden land. Good box house.....\$350
- 160 acres on Applegate river, 1¼ miles to School, 1½ miles to store and postoffice. Good house, barn and other buildings. 30 acres under cultivation, balance timber. Fine springs for gravity water and irrigation. Is the making of a fine fruit or stock farm. Has good placer and quartz prospects. Will be sold at a bargain.....
- No. 40**—30 acres, on a creek affording plenty of good water; good soil and fine fruit land. Three acres in alfalfa; good buildings; near good school and other advantages. \$1500, one-half cash balance on time. Is a big bargain.
- No. 41**—4000 acres of choice land selected in an early day. Will be sold in tracts to suit. Will make a dozen or 20 fine farms. This is an opportunity to secure a home in the best part of the Rogue River valley.
- No. 43**—40 acres of unimproved land. Has some good fir, pine and oak. Most of land can be easily cleared; good soil, plenty of water; half a mile from school and church. Six miles from Bybee bridge. Price per acre.....\$10.
- No. 45**—Over 80 acres of good alfalfa land; 50 acres Bear creek bottom land with a large irrigation ditch. Two first-class houses, two good barns and a fine spring house. Adjoining land selling for \$200 an acre. Price per acre \$130
- No. 47**—City property, 2 acres, fine new house, good well and barn. Good land, 4 blocks from central school.....\$750.