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Friday, April 22, 1904.

It has been definitely settled that the Medford cigar factory is no longer to be moved to Sellwood, a suburb of Portland, the board of trade of that town securing a site 100x100 feet and the subscribing of \$5000 of the stock of the cigar company. Work has been begun upon the factory building which is to be 50x100 feet and it is expected to have the factory in operation by June 1st. About 20 skilled hands will be taken to Portland from Medford and the remainder of the help will be local persons. Medford has little success in retaining enterprises that assist in building up the town. A few years ago a county fair, started with a promising outlook, was allowed to die. A steam laundry was started and failed because much of the laundry was sent away to other towns. The Medford Business College is to move to Ashland and the Medford Machine Shops is planning to go to Grants Pass and now the Medford Cigar Factory goes to Portland. This wholesale exodus of Medford industries is not caused by a lack of business opportunities for Medford has more natural advantages than any other town in Rogue River Valley, but the growth of the town is stifled by the lethargy of over-confidence in the power of their natural advantages to build up their town. The Medford people do not seem to realize that natural advantages are no more to a town than is inherited wealth to the average young man. Each are a handicap if solely relied upon for success. St. Louis was the metropolis of the Mississippi Valley before Chicago was founded and had splendid natural advantages but no effort was made to utilize them. Chicago was built on a great bog, had a harbor frozen during the winter months but its people have shown tremendous energy and have made their city the metropolis of the Mississippi Valley, the second city of the Western Continent and the fourth of the world. Medford could hold their industries and get more if the citizens of the town had the public spirit and energy that go to make up a live and hustling place. But that is sadly lacking in Medford, in proof of which is the fact that the town cannot even maintain a board of trade. There is not a town in Oregon that is growing and prospering but what has a board of trade, and it is the board of trade that organizes and solidifies public spirit. But if the town has no public spirit then a board of trade is not possible and that is the condition that Medford is in for it has no board of trade and its public spirit is down to zero. A strong factor in building up this public spirit is the newspapers. As the newspapers are so is the town. Wishwashy, spineless newspapers make sleepy, moss-back towns. The Medford newspapers make no effort to build up a progressive public sentiment and to lead in working

for the upbuilding of their town. Their columns are made up of yards and yards of personals surcharged with fulsome flattery, the height of their ambition being to state that Mr. Cornassel, the expert farmer, and his amiable and accomplished wife were in our town Saturday trading with our good fellowtownsmen. (Vide Mail and Southern Oregonian). If Medford papers would devote less of their space to this profitless personal mention and more to working for their town there would not be the steady loss of industries that is now sapping the vitality of their town.

Ashland board of trade has taken up the proposition of holding a celebration in that town on the Fourth and to make it one of the big events in the history of the place. No understanding has yet been had but it is probable that Jacksonville will give no celebration this year. Jacksonville has given more Fourth of July celebration than all the other towns in Jackson county and holds the well earned reputation of always making a success of their celebrations, for neither money nor labor was spared. For this year the town has several road and other public enterprises in hand the consummation of which will bring permanent benefits to the town far greater than that of any celebration. A celebration such as Jacksonville gives costs from \$700 to \$1000 in cash and as Jacksonville is contributing a liberal portion to the fund of \$1200 for the improvement of the Jackson Creek road and of \$800 for the improvement of the Willow Springs road and later on will take up the improvement of the Griffin Creek and the Applegats roads it may be decided to forego a celebration this year and let Medford or Central Point get up a celebration for this section of the Valley as it has been some years since either of those towns have had a celebration. Jacksonville will have a big public gathering but it will be about the last week in September when the Southern Oregon Soldiers and Sailors Association hold their annual reunion here. This organization embraces all who have seen service in the various wars of the United States and its membership includes veterans of the Mexican, Civil, Spanish and Philippine Wars and of the Indian Wars, both soldiers and sailors. The Confederate Veterans will also attend as guests of the Association. As Jacksonville is the pioneer town of Southern Oregon and was the stronghold of the whites during the Indian wars of 1853 and 1855-56 it is planned to make this gathering a special reunion for the Indian War veterans and it is expected to have all these old defenders of the Rogue River settlements and their families at the reunion. This reunion will be in session for five days and the management expect to have several hundred persons in camp and to make this the largest gathering of old soldiers ever held in Southern Oregon. Jacksonville with its long established reputation for making public events a success will do its full part to make this reunion a success in every respect.

The morning mail service between Medford and Jacksonville, while a great convenience in giving Jacksonville the mail half a day earlier than under the former schedule, is of no benefit to the patrons of Ruch, Applegate, Steamboat and Kubli postoffices for the stage carrying the mail for these offices leaves an hour before the Medford mail arrives thus causing the Lower Applegate mails to lay over in Jacksonville 24 hours. As the Upper Applegate stage does not leave until 8 o'clock there is no delay in the mail for Buncom and Watkins. As it was the expectation when this morning mail was asked for by the Jacksonville board of trade that it would make close connection with the Applegate mail the matter has been taken up with the postoffice department and a recent letter from

Congressman Hermann gives the gratifying news that he expects soon to secure their mail the same day that it is received in Jacksonville.

The Democratic party in Jackson Co. is long on candidates and short on votes while the Republican party is short on candidates and long on votes. This anomalous condition of the two great parties in this county has been brought about by mismanagement in each of the parties. The Democrats, formerly in the big majority in the county, by taking up various isms from the Populists and the Socialists and by factional fights among their leaders alienated such numbers of their votes that the party is now in the minority so great that on a strict party vote they could not elect a single man on their ticket, yet the party has a fair chance if electing a past, or all of their ticket at the ensuing June election. And they have accomplished this hopeful position by eliminating their party dissensions and contentions leaders and by putting up a ticket of clean honorable men. The Republicans have taken up the role where the Democrats dropped it eight years ago when they went into the minority and the Republicans came into the majority, and while not adopting any issues that would cause loss of votes they have fallen into fighting among themselves quite equal to the Democratic days when the Regulars, the Pintos and the Pizzlewinktums each fought for control of the party machine, and have brought upon their leaders such a lack of confidence that the convention at Gold Hill is likely to experience as great a dearth of candidates as had the Socialists at their convention in Medford. At the present time Ashland has not an avowed candidate, for report has it that Capt. Thornton does not wish to take the nomination for sheriff and the other persons who have been mentioned as possible candidates are equally reticent about going upon the ticket. From Medford comes the report that Geo. L. Davis, the party's most likely candidate for clerk, will not accept a place on the ticket. The only candidates that Medford so far has in sight are Prof. N. L. Narragin for superintendent, John Bellinger for sheriff and Dr. W. L. Cameron for coroner. Other Republican strongholds of the county are equally short of candidates. Why this dearth of candidates is caused by the feud that is now on between Ashland and Medford, the leaders of the two sections of the county. The candidates of Ashland and vicinity fear that they will be knifed at the polls by the Republicans of Medford and other sections, while Medford and other candidates in the north part of the county fear that they will get the knife from Ashland. This fear of each other has so weakened party confidence that Republican candidates are getting to be few and far between, for they do not care to be made a sacrifice to the hates and jealousies of rival politicians in their party:

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RECEIVER'S NOTICE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County.

Rebecca H. Crump, John H. Crump, J. Frank Crump, Olive V. Crump, Ethel I. Crump, Charles J. Crump, Harvey L. Crump, and John Frank Hammond, Edith Vivian Hammond, Carl Edward Hammond, and Clara Alice Hammond, minor heirs and children of Clara Alice Hammond, deceased, daughter of Josiah Crump, by Rebecca H. Crump, their next of kin and friend, and Walter Rannels, husband of Elmira V. Crump, deceased, daughter of Josiah Crump, Plaintiffs,

Notice of Receiver's Sale of Real Property.

vs

Furman S. Crump, Thomas A. Crump and William E. Crump, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree and order of sale made in the above entitled Court and cause on the 8th day of February, 1904, appointing the undersigned as receiver in the above entitled cause with power and instructions to proceed at once to the sale of the real property herein described.

I will from and after the 23rd day of April, 1904, in Jacksonville, Jackson county, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash, at private sale all of the right, title and interest of each of the above named plaintiffs and defendants in and to the following described real property, situated in Jackson county, Oregon to-wit:

The south-east quarter of the north-west quarter of section 19, township 38 south of range 2 west of W. M., containing 40 acres, and the south half of the north-east quarter. The north-west quarter of the north-east quarter and the north-east quarter of the south-east quarter of said section 19, township 38 south of range 2 west of W. M., containing 160 acres.

Dated at Jacksonville, Jackson County Oregon, this 18th day of March, 1904.

3-18, 4-15 PETER A. DEISCH Receiver.