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LOCAL NOTES.

Keep your floors clean by the use of Dustine. Sold at Conklin's furniture store.

Miss Lucy Swagerty came home Friday from Grants Pass where she has been on an extended visit.

Largest and best stock of fresh candies in Jacksonville at The Boss. All home made and guaranteed pure.

A Mason & Hamlin organ nearly new and in perfect condition will be sold at a bargain. Address "Organ," care Sentinel.

M. Calhoun, the enterprising real estate man of Phoenix was in Jacksonville Thursday looking after some sales of real estates.

Vinton Beall, who conducts the Wayside photograph gallery near Central Point, was in Jacksonville Thursday afternoon attending to business in his line.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Wood had their home gladdened Monday by the coming of a bright eight-pound girl baby. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Johnnie Barnum went to Portland Tuesday to spend a few days on business and pleasure in the Oregon metropolis. During his absence Will Barnum is conductor on the Jacksonville-Medford train.

Will Abbott, who has been yardman for the past two months at the Jackson County Lumber Company's mill, left Tuesday for his home on Big Butte creek where he will remain until after harvest.

Rev. Father J. D. Murphy will celebrate mass at St. Joseph's church 8:30 a. m. this Sunday and at 7:30 vesper services will be held. At 10:30 a. m. Rev. Murphy will hold services in the Catholic church in Medford.

George McCune went to Grants Pass Saturday and spent Sunday at the Granite Hill mine, a guest at the home of Supt. W. C. Kitto. Mr. McCune reports that about seventy-five men are employed at that mine.

Fritz Ruch, one of the successful farmers of Thompson creek, was in Jacksonville Tuesday. Mr. Ruch has lately completed a fine barn, 40x44 feet, 20 foot walls. His hay crop is first-class as, so he reports, is that of other farmers of his vicinity.

Mrs. F. C. Marlow and her sister, Miss Dora Faucett, were in Jacksonville Wednesday, returning to their home at Ruch Thursday morning by Wendt's stage. Mrs. Marlow resides at Crescent City, but is making a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. A. C. Ruch.

B. W. Miller, who is in the hotel business at Montague was a passenger by Wendt's stage Thursday to make a short visit with his sister, Mrs. N. Pernold. Mr. Miller had with him his little daughter Elsie, who will remain for some time with her aunt, Mrs. Pernold.

President W. H. Moore of the National and International Good Roads Association has officially announced that Portland will be the next place of meeting of the Execution committee, and that said meeting would take place during the Lewis and Clarke Exposition at a date not yet named.

Miss Dosie Huffer, who has been home for the past three weeks making her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Huffer, a visit, returned to Portland this Friday to resume her work as a student in the training department of the Good Samaritan hospital. Miss Huffer will graduate as a trained nurse at the close of this year.

The Jackson County Lumber Company cut over 100,000 feet of lumber at their mill on Poorman creek last month and now have in their yard a fine quality of lumber. A part of their lumber is stocked in the yard to season while the remainder is hauled to Jacksonville and Medford and sold to builders and the planing mills.

The Workmen at their last meeting elected Adam Schmidt delegate from Banner Lodge No. 23 to the State grand lodge which meets in Portland on Tuesday, July 18. Mrs. Bertha Hancy was chosen by the Degree of Honor, to represent Madrona Lodge No. 12 in the State grand lodge which meets in Portland on the same date as the Workmen grand lodge.

The marriage will take place at the Catholic church in Ashland on Thursday June 16, of Mr. George Corum and Miss Kate Jacobs. Rev. Father J. D. Murphy, of Jacksonville officiating. Mr. Corum resides in Medford where he is known as an industrious, upright young man. Miss Jacobs is a Klamath Falls young lady and she is highly spoken of by those who have her acquaintance.

Mrs. Clara S. Birdseye, who resides near Woodville, was in Jacksonville for several days to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Colvig, and to attend the High School commencement, she having two grandchildren in the graduating class, Miss Mary Colvig and George Birdseye. Mrs. Birdseye returned to her home Tuesday accompanied by her grandson, Donald Colvig, who will remain until this Saturday, when he will return to his home.

Wednesday evening the young people of the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Society and of the Sunday school gave a reception at the church assembly hall in honor of Prof. and Mrs. E. E. Washburn, who are soon to leave Jacksonville. Games were the amusement the fore part of the evening after which a fine lunch was served, the tables bearing it being beautifully decorated with flowers. A number of musical selections were given during the evening. The evening was a delightful one to all present and will be a pleasant remembrance to Prof. and Mrs. Washburn.

Miss Ollie Huffer arrived home Wednesday from Eugene, where she has been for the past nine months a student in the State University. Miss Barnes, another Jacksonville student at the State University, will not return home until early in July. She left this week for Junction City, where she will be a guest of Miss Martha Robinson for a few days, after which she will go to Salem and other valley points to visit with friends and arrive in Portland the last of the month to attend the State Teachers Association, in which she has been assigned a topic on the program.

W. M. Holmes, one of the best known residents of Central Point, was kicked by a young horse Monday evening and for a couple of days his life was in the balance, but he is now slowly recovering with fair prospects of sustaining no permanent injury from the accident. Just how the horse came to kick Mr. Holmes is not known for as yet Mr. Holmes has been unable to tell the details of his mishap. Mr. Holmes went into the stable to lead out a fine colt he has to show it to H. W. Norcross, who had driven up in front of the barnyard. Mr. Holmes was gone longer than expected and Mr. Norcross went in the barn to see

what he was doing when he found him lying unconscious at the rear of the colt's stall with the front of his head crushed. Assistance was at once summoned and Dr. Cole of Central Point and Dr. Pickel of Medford were called. The patient not regaining consciousness and having convulsions during the night the next morning Dr. Pickel trephined the skull and removed the broken section and since then Mr. Holmes has been steadily gaining and while yet very low the doctors think he has good prospects for complete recovery.

C. H. Stephens the noted Williams creek strawberry grower made his first trip this season to Jacksonville Thursday with strawberries. This is the seventeenth year that Mr. Stephens has brought strawberries to Jacksonville and his berries are of such good quality that he always sells his load without the least delay. Mr. Stephens grows the Wilson berry as he finds that berry will stand best the haul of 30 miles that he has to make to reach the market. Even with this long distant from market Mr. Stephens finds berry growing quite as profitable as any farm work. Mr. Stephens took a lively interest in the late campaign and the outcome was greatly to his satisfaction especially the reelection of Judge Hanna.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Merley, of Central Point, were in Jacksonville a short time Thursday afternoon. Rev. Merley has one of the best small tracts of land in this valley and since he purchased it last winter he has made many substantial improvements upon it, among these being the installing of a large pump, windmill and tank, which gives him a fine water system both for house use and irrigation purposes. Rev. Merley completed his hay harvest Wednesday, getting 15 tons of fine alfalfa from five acres. This is a yield of three tons per acre is but the first crop and he will be able to harvest two and possibly three more crops this season, which makes alfalfa growing quite as profitable as any other crop in this valley.

A series of revival meetings will be commenced at the Central Point Baptist church on this Sunday. The services will be conducted by Rev. J. Merley assisted by Rev. Carstans of the Baptist church of Medford. Rev. Merley has given up his monthly services at Williams Creek as the distance was so great that he could not well stand the fatigue of the trip and carry on his church work in Central Point and to care for his little farm. Heretofore he has held services on every alternate Sunday in Central Point, but later on he may have services each Sunday. The Baptist people while few in number at Central Point are showing much interest in their church work and under the leadership of Rev. and

Mrs. Merley they have undertaken to put their church building in good repair and attractive condition. In the near future it is planned to have the building repainted and the room repapered and new seats will be put in. Central Point this past year has made a good growth and the town's prosperity is now being shown in the betterment of the various public buildings.

A misstatement was made in the Sentinel of last week in regard to the class of stock from which the trees in N. S. Bennett's nursery, near Talent, were grafted. Instead of his nursery being to spring planted grafts which would mean that piece roots were used and the grafting done during the winter in the house. The facts are Mr. Bennett's trees are field grafted on whole roots, his method being to plant the previous spring and the following spring to cut off these seedling trees at the crown and graft on standard stock without digging up or disturbing the root. This gives a far more vigorous, healthy tree than where the seedlings are dug up and then grafted during the winter, with the roots exposed to the air and cut into several pieces and each made into a graft.

W. M. Scheble, one of the leading farmers of Griffin Creek was in Jacksonville Tuesday. Mr. Scheble was an active worker for the success of the proposed hog law and he states that the supporters of this measure try it again at the next election for they are determined to have the hogs shut up. Mr. Scheble declares that the cost of extra fencing and the destruction of crops will each year amount to more than the profit on the range hogs. Another argument that Mr. Scheble, and others favoring a hog law, use is that there is little profit in the range hogs as they can not be kept bred up, the scrubs overrunning the ranges and that kind of a hog brings little money in the market, and furthermore there is a heavy loss each winter of range hogs that are neglected by their owners and which die of starvation and exposure.

Dates to Remember.

Monday, June 13—Dramatic entertainment at U. S. Hall by pupils of St. Mary's Academy.

Wednesday, June 15—Commencement exercises of St. Mary's Academy at U. S. Hall.

Wednesday, July 13—Opening of Southern Oregon Chautauqua Assembly at Ashland to continue until July 22d.

Chautauqua 1904.

Remember the Chautauqua dates for this year are July 13th to 22d, inclusive. Great speakers, fine schools, good music.

Council Proceedings.

The June meeting of the town council was held Tuesday evening. Mayor Britt and Councilmen Nunan and Cameron were present, as were also Recorder Dox, Marshal Kenney and Commissioner Wendt. Those absent were Councilmen Orth and Huffer.

The street commissioner was ordered to fix a bad place in the Sterling road, near the slaughter house.

The bill of T. J. Kenney for \$6.40 for gate casting for the water main was laid over. The bills allowed were: Jacksonville Gas Company, street and town hall lights for May, \$10.93 and for supplies \$3; Henry Dox, recorder's fees, \$2.40. Chris Ulrich, reporting that the citizens were contributing \$2 per day toward the cost of sprinkling the streets, the council allowed him a further compensation of \$1 per day.

Special Offer: For the next 10 days I will give 24 stamp pictures FREE with each order for cabinet photos of the baby. Don't miss this chance. We will be with you until Monday, May 9th.

Frank H. Hull.

You can see the World's Greatest Fair and return in thirty days for \$10.00 (one hundred and fifty dollars). Write at once to Mrs. P. Ritner of Medford, Oregon for full particulars.

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

Trespass notices on cloth sent by mail to any address for \$1.00 a dozen.

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



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