

# DUMPS ASHES IN OLD HAT

Fire Chief Traver May File Charges Against Jess Day For Offense.

If the present city ordinance provides a penalty for the offense, Fire Chief Traver will file charges against Jess Day, the pugilist, for dumping ashes in a straw hat. The ashes set fire to the hat and burned a hole through the floor and the ceiling and dropped to the floor of the Breakwater warehouse where it went out. It occurred sometime Saturday night and Mr. Traver and others who saw it, marvel that it did not cause a big fire.

The affair was discovered yesterday morning when Louis Keating of the Breakwater office, opened the warehouse and found the bulk of the old straw and the ashes on the floor. Mr. Traver at once investigated it. He said that Day, who has living rooms above the Breakwater, admitted putting the ashes in the straw hat. He said he thought they were cold. The first ones were thrown in the old hat on the floor Saturday morning and more were put in Saturday evening.

Mr. Traver said today that if the present city ordinance do not cover the case, he will try and have the city council enact a new one that will make it a severe penalty for dumping ashes into anything except a tin or iron receptacle. A short time ago, another party dumped some hot ashes in a gunny sack on the second floor of the Noble building at the corner of Front and Central avenue and would have caused a fire if the smoke had not been noticed by people in the rooms below.

**NEWS OF ALLEGANY.**

Miss Carrie Rodine has just finished an eight months term of school, and has returned to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rodine are visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Jack Parker, at Eastside.

Between four and five thousand logs passed by Allegany today, being carried out by the flood. The river still continues to rise.

**MYRTLE POINT POINTERS.**

News of Upper Coquille Valley From The Enterprise.

The Myrtle Point high school football team played a Thanksgiving game with the Coquille independent team. The local team and many rooters went down in the morning, returning after the game. Score was 10 to 0 in favor of Coquille.

Walter Robinson, son of P. S. Robinson of Norway, cut his foot quite badly recently, his ax having slipped while he was chopping wood.

W. W. Endicott has received news of the marriage of his daughter, Pearl, to Mr. John Pressler, which took place at Oakland, Cal., last Friday, the 18th. Mr. and Mrs. Pressler will make their home at Oakland, where the groom is engaged in business.

There was a rather serious slide on Sugarloaf mountain above the school house last Monday night, tons of rock and earth coming down into the roadway from the steep mountain-side, blocking all traffic. The mail going out that left here at 8 in the evening did not reach Bridge until 6 o'clock Tuesday morning. The new grade that was put in during the past summer cannot be used, and it is probable that it will not be used this winter because the slides keep coming in about as fast as they are cleared away. A trail was made around the big slide during Tuesday so that single horses could get around, and the mails have had to be transferred there.

**CURRY COUNTY NEWS.**

Events There As Recorded By The Gold Beach Globe.

Willis T. White Jr., last week, was around circulating a petition for a license to open a saloon in Gold Beach. We did not see the document, but were told only a small per cent of the legal voters had signed it. This alone is evidence that the majority of the people in this place do not want to see a saloon, and it farther shows that the floating population, of which there were a good many that voted here last election, were wet voters.

An old house on the P. G. Egan place, near the mouth of Winchuck

# SEES BRIGHT FUTURE



**THEODORE B. WILCOX,** President Oregon Development League, who is presiding at the sessions of the annual convention now being held at Salem.

river, occupied by an aged couple by the name of Moore, who have been supported by the county the past two years, was consumed by fire a few days ago. Mr. Moore had a narrow escape from being burned to death. Mrs. Moore was at a neighbor's on an errand, leaving her husband at home sick in bed, and during her absence the house caught on fire. Fortunately John Howell came along just in time to save the sick man from perishing in the burning building. The aged couple is now being cared for by Mr. Howell in his own home.

Despite the fact that church members and christian workers have been as scarce as hen's teeth in Gold Beach, the town is to have a new church building in the near future. E. A. Bailey has given two lots near the Globe office, for that purpose and a temporary board of trustees have been selected to accept the generous gift and help to complete the undertaking. Rev. Couten, of the Presbyterian Church, will superintend the work, in fact expects to do the most of it, as he is a finished mechanic as well as a minister.

**WILL FIGHT BOURNE.**

To defeat Jonathan Bourne for United States Senator in 1912, it is planned to raise a fund of \$100,000. Money is already coming into the pool at \$20 a clip, says the Portland Telegram. Quietly and undercover, there is a movement on foot for a Greater Oregon Republican Club. Membership in the organization is \$20, which must accompany the application.

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## COUNTY SEAT NEWS.

**Doings of Coquille People as Told in The Herald.**

There was a very well attended school meeting held Friday evening. The principal objects of the meeting were to vote a tax for the purpose of carrying on the school the full nine months and to consider the purchase of a site for an additional building. A tax of eight mills was voted. The academy property was offered as a site for a new school building but was rejected as it was thought possible to get a larger tract at a very reasonable rate. The subject of the removal of the high school to the academy building was brought up and discussed, but it was decided to leave that to the board of directors.

Philo Northrup was down from Fishtrap last Saturday, and we were accorded the pleasure of a brief interview with this remarkable old gentleman. Mr. Northrup is one of the few buffalo hunters whom we have met in many years. He is 78 years of age and reads the daily papers without glasses. He has crossed the plains seven times by them, but has never traveled over there by rail. He spent four years on the buffalo Bill and many other prominent scouts and buffalo hunters in early days.

**JUDGE HAMILTON'S EXPENSE.**

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