# Pioneer Society of Southern Oregon will be held at Ashland on Thursday. June 7th, 1888, at 1 o'clock P. M.

Jacksonville to Medford. Patronize the only wagon that con nects with every train, rain or shine, and carries the U.S. mail and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express. Satisfaction

# ED. HELMS, Driver.

Granite Hall Election The annual election of officers of Granite Hall Association will take place next Monday evening, May 14th, at 8 P. M. A full attendance of mem-

## G. F. McConnell, Secretary.

John F. Swift in Ashland. Hon. John F. Swift, of California, will address the people of Southern Oregon at Ashland on Monday evening next, May 14th, at 8 o'clock. Hon. John F. Swift is famous as California's ablest Republican orator, and will have a large audience in Ashland. Don't miss hearing him.

## Speech by Gov. Woods.

Ex-Governor Geo. L. Woods will adress the people of Jackson county at Jacksonville, Tuesday evening, May 15th, at 8 o'clock, P. M. upon the political issue of the day. Gov. Woods is known as one of the ablest campaign orators in Oregon, and those who hear Col. Irish at Jacksonville Monday afternoon should also be sure to hear Gov. Woods Tuesday evening.

## Big Ditch Enterprise.

A gentleman who has just returned A gentleman who has just returned from Southern Oregon reports that an must be total abstainers from intoxiimmense water ditch is being surveyed mining, manufacturing and irrigating purposes and perhaps to turn the river county to Medford and Ashland repurposes and perhaps to turn the river so as to mine the bed for a mile where it prise, but it is hoped it will be carried out to a successful issue. - [News.

Among the articles of incorporation filed last week in the office of the Secretary of state were those of the follow-

ing corporations: Siskiyou Gem Mining company; in-corporators, J. M. McCoy, H. Clay Myers and Fred V. Holman; principal office, Portland; capital stock, \$60,000; principal object, to operate Siskiyou Gem mines 7 miles west of Ashland

where they may be appreciated by the public. Wells, Fargo & Co. have offered to transport, free of charge, all articles addressed to the "Oregon Alpine Club Museum." The scheme is a worthy one and should meet with encouragement, for a museum of this kind all like time attracts towards and should meet with encouragement, for a museum of this kind all like time attracts towards and should meet with encouragement. be a source of revenue to the state. The membership costs only one dollar initation fee, and 50 cents monthly dues. The headquarters in Portland are in a pleasant room in which mem-bers can make themselves at home in bers can make themselves at home in the city. For further information address W. G. Steel, Portland, Oregon.

Mr. L. Shores, of Emigrant creek, has located a homestead claim out at Hiatt prairie, and Wm. Hollingsworth

Barnside Post, No. 23, G. A. R., held a special meeting on Monday evening, May 7th. While there has been unusal activity in Grand Army 68 years. She came circles elsewhere the comrades of Ashher husband in 1854. and have not manifested as lively an interest in the work as have their comrades throughout the department. Comrade H. Fry, of Eugene City, department inspector, visited Ashland for the purpose of assisting in reinstating the post which had been practically suspended for some time. The tically suspended for some time. The coming named comrades elected for the ace of the current year. Comrades W. A. Patrick, commander; W. H. Wickham, S. V. C.; B. Beach, J. V. C.;

organized but four years, and during the year 1887 they have expended over \$80,000 in charity. The comrades will be prepared to celebrate Memorial Day (May 30). The post starts with flattering prospects of success.

Ayers, Messrs, Lynch, Ayers and others. The first social was an entire success, and will make friends for the lodge and the excellent order it represents. The lodge is a growing and prospects of success.

# Phoenix Items.

## BREVITIES.

Mills's \$3 calf shoe. The picnic season has opened.

Hear John F. Swift Monday night. Eastern ham at Geo. H. Currey's x The twelfth annual meeting of the Mrs. F. Roper has a handsome nev

Ex-Gov. Wood at Jacksonville Mon day evening. Meeting of Pioneer Society in Ash-

Large stock of tobaccos and cigars at Geo. H. Currey's.

The foundation of Dr. Songer's new house is finished. Farmers are cutting their first crop of alfalfa hay this week.

Strawberries selling at \$1 per 5-lb box in Ashland this week. Try one of those choice "Our Taste" hams at Sutton & Miller's.

Robert McLean, of Grant's Pass advertises for estray horses. Men's working pants, \$1.00, \$1.3 and \$2.00 at O. H. Blount's.

Large invoice of new goods in every line at Chitwood's drug store this week. cashier, E. V. Carter. paign daily-small but chipper.

Sentiments of the Democracy of Oregon: "God Bless the Prohibition-

Granite Hall Association elect offi-Dr. F. W. VanDyke has a fine

standard-bred trotting stallion at Grant's Pass G. W. Howard, of Medford, has bought the farm of Mrs. D. P. And-

erson, in Eden precinct; consideration, The O. & C. R. R. Co. has issued

Gold Hill. It is supposed to be for A considerable quantity of potatoes

is supposed to be very rich in gold. It is not known who is backing the enter-

line, but as a rule no heavy catches are D. R. & E. V. Mills ahead! with their \$3 calf shoe. Made to order in two widths and every pair stamped. Mills

The Medford brass band has been engaged to play at Merlin in Josephine county on the 4th of July, the

The new dwelling house of Roberts

You get 100 cents in value for every \$1 spent at the Red House, and a chance to draw a valuable present,

earlier this season than usual, the new growth of leaves having already begun

rades shows plainly that the spirit of The trains both ways stop long enough Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty was not dead but sleeping. Several new recruits were mustered and the following named comrades elected for the preach in the Presbyterian church

next Sabbath morning. The usual services will be held in the evening.

The comrades are fully awake to the importance of maintaining a good, live post in our city. A Woman's Relief building on the Houck corner will be finished next week, and brick laying finished next week, and brick laying finished next week, and brick laying finished next week as soon as the

Col. Elliot, United States swan land commissioner, and C. L. Rich-

Several Eastern men have been in Gospel temperance meeting at Presby-Phoenix this week, looking for bargains terian Church, next Tuesday evening: in land, and there is a strong possibility that the farmers who have land to Address, Mr. J. Norris, of Springfield,

# Mr. R. V. Boynton, of Los Angeles, arrived in Ashland last week with two

young, fine-bred trotting stallions, and comes to make this his home. His horses are attracting much attention, and he is always ready to give the fullest information about them to anyone

In the spring, hundreds of persons suffer from bails, carbuncles, and other eruptive diseases. These are evidences that the system is trying to purge itself of impurities, and that it needs the powerful aid which is afforded by the use of Ayer's Sarsapar-

Farmers who wish to get the most profit out of their business will do well to look after the improvement of their swine, as well as other stock, and those who contemplate giving the Poland-Chinas a trial should correspond with R. L. Fielding, of Central Point, who has full-blood, registered Poland-China pigs. See his advertisement on 2d

At the annual meeting of stockholders of the Bank of Ashland, held last S. sturday, the following directors were elected: H. B. Carter, F. H. Carter, D. R. Mills, Henry Ammerman, W. H. day for allowing his scabby sheep to Atkinson. At the directors meeting the officers of the bank were re-elected,

W. S. Gore brought up from J. H. state last week.
Stewart's place last Saturday a piedisplayed here up to date, measuring 30x31 inches across when spread out cers next Monday evening. See notice | flat. Mr. Stewart is preparing to raise a large amount of truck this year, as usual. He has in ten acres of sweet potatoes and a large area of corn, to-matoes, watermelons, etc.

Mrs. Rogers, wife of L. W. Rogers

Says the Yreka Union: The branch railroad depot will probably be located at the foot of Miner street, on the hill above Col. Stone's place. This site is

Mrs. Rogers, wife of L. W. Rogers and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burson, died at her home in this place last Sunday, May 6th. She had been in took the form of pneumonia, from the office last month contains 18,500 words, effects of which she died. The funeral It is probably the largest document of was on Monday afternoon, and was the kind ever recorded there.

Trout fishing is being enjoyed by some of the disciples of the rod and is being enjoyed by some of the disciples of the rod and is Medford) was purchased, will begin and has been held for murder. the publication of a Democratic newspaper in Ashland next week, and exrented the rooms in the second story of the McCall building, occupied some Sold by druggists and perfumers. years ago as the Tidings office, and moved in last Wednesday. The name

and O'Neil, on their fine farm near on the rail routes across the continent

to Eastern states or Europe but give or loan them to the Alpine Club, which will take the best of care of them and place them on exhibition them and place them on exhibition them and place them on exhibition them are placed by the state of the sense of the state of the sense of the state of the sense of Paymaster Reddington, of the S. P. R. R., came up in his official car last Saturday, to distribute the needful among the boys along the line of the C. & O.

Dry weather, but grain doesn't show much sign of suffering yet in Rogue River valley, though there are fields in which the latest sown grain hasn't all the section of the S. P. R. R., came up in his official car last from Siskiyou summit, says: "There are feel of the scene in Siskiyou summit, says: "There are descriptive of the S. P. R. R., came up in his official car last as a democratic candidate for the presidential nomination.

The Spanish sport of bull-fighting has invaded California, as the follows suffered to almost drop out of notices. There are now some sixty members of the G. A. R., has been in Ashland this week reviving the local post, which had been stiffered to almost drop out of notices. There are now some sixty members of the Grand Army in this neighborhood, and is indispensable to the tourist who cares anything about the country he passes through in his travely and the view as extended, as on the American conting are few points on the American conting as a democratic candidate for the presidential nomination.

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Real Estate Sales.

lot set in fruit trees on Granite street to

was a pieasant affair. A large number of guests were entertained, and many The foundation of the new brick Leeds, and after the supper, there were songs, recitations and other inauxilliary to the G. A. R., and will prove a great help in the noble work of charity. The W. R. C. is comparation for the new yard south of Ashland.

[Portland Oregonian, May 5th.] The face of Mrs. Alice Hoover, a Following is the program for the Jailer says he does not furnish the any home. prisoners with face powder, and in this case it was smuzgled into the jail by the victim herself. The other prisoners are feeling easier now, as they do

dispose of, can find buyers at fair figures.

Mr. Geo. A. Zenor of Des Moines, Iowa, has settled here and is now building houses, fences, etc., preparatory to engaging in the poultry business. Mr. W. Thurmann, of Portland, Oregon, has bought the Chastain property with the view of permanently, locating here the view of permanently, locating here will be climate, better suited.

The Ashland Brass Band now plays

## HERE AND THERE.

Preparations for 4th of July celebrations have already begun in many

this week, on a business visit to Klamarrangements for four days racing to begin on Thursday, July 3. ath county.

Editor Loos, of the Yreka Union, has been sick for five or six weeks, but was improving at last report. David Horn, of Siskiyou county, has

been in Ashland several days this week, looking after business affairs. very poor health. Dr. Hinckle, of Central Point, was in Ashland last Friday, looking after The estate of the late Mayor Gates of Portland is valued at about \$75,000. It was bequeathed to his wife and chil-

The Union says: It is believed that the branch railroad connecting Mon-tague and Yreka can be built in five

Van DeLashmutt, the banker, has been elected mayor of Portland, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mayor Gates.

Crops of grain will be short in many parts of California, but the prospects are greatly improved by a general rain through out the central part of that

A party of Scotlanders with their plant stem and leaf which is the largest families arrived at Roseburg last week. with a view of building a woolen mill there, and offer to do so if the citizens will raise them a bonus of \$5,000.

owned by the city and can be bought at a reasonable figure. A deed from the master of chancery poor health for years, but contracted a | to the Coos Bay wagon road company heavy cold a short time ago, which recorded in the Douglas county clerk's

largely attended. Deceased leaves a Bud Miller, aged 14 years, stabbed husband and three children to mourn her loss.

But like Elmer Wright, aged 17. at Mill No. 4, near Yaquina City last Sun-

Many ladies admire gray hair on some other person but few care to pects to have the first issue out on Thursday, May 14th. Mr. Jacobs has They need not, since Ayer's Hair Vigor restores grav hair to its original color.

Milt. Martin, of Little Shasta, and of the paper is to be the Valley Record. J. C. Woodward, of Marysville, have "Crofutt's Overland Tours," for 1888, a handsome tourist guide book, giving descriptions of points of interest and shipped from there to San Francisce in October.—[Union.]

Tony Noltner has been appointed

Klamath, and at the conclusion of his paragraph descriptive of the scene head of the firm, has been mentioned as a democratic candidate for the presi-

duced in succession, four of which were lively and vicious fellows. The bull fighters were cowardly and clumsy and some of them were knocked down several times, but not seriously

Real Estate Sales.

Real E

Mrs. Cryderman, from California; consideration, \$1000.

Sheriff Rachford, or blodge county, Cal., was recently convicted of appropriating for his own use money belonging to the county. It is generally understood that he became involved through carelessness or negligence— The social entertainment at Odd Fellows' hall by Ashland Lodge No. 66, A. O. U. W., last Friday evening to defraud the county, and in consequence there is no account to the county of t quence there is much sympathy expressed for him. When he stood of the Congregational charch, will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning. The usual services will be held in the evening.

Col. John P. Irish is announced to speak in Ashland Band helped out the enter-tainment greatly by its presence and law been convicted of a crime of which I am not guilty." The Court then W. A. Patrick, commander; W. C.; Wickham, S. V. C.; B. Beach, J. V. C.; J. R. Casey, Adjt.; D. Sherman, Chaplain; R. Barrickman, O. D.; J. H. Lebo, O. G.; J. L. Pennington, Q. M. May 12th, at Granite Hall; on Monday evening at Grant's Lebo, Comrade Fry.

Services will be left announced to speak in Ashland to-morrow evening. May 12th, at Granite Hall; on Monday evening at Grant's lodge was certainly equal to any ever served upon a similar occasion here. Pass mitted through carelessness either on the part of the defendant or by his deputies, and in view of the situation he felt inclined to be lenient, and ordered that the prisoner be confined in the State Prison at Folsom for a period of six months.

How Men Die. If we know all the methods of approach adopted by an enemy we are the better enabled to ward off the danger and postpone the moment when surrender is inevitable. In many instances the inherent strength of the body suffices to enable it to enable it. Phoenix Items.

No sickness in town—our doctors are preparing their fishing gear.

The work of raising the school house was begun yesterday. The contractor, Mr. Stock, will push the work to completion by July 1st if possible.

The outlook for fruit of all kinds is very flattering. Early sown grain looks well, and with our usual spring rains Jackson county will reap a rich harvest.

The hard commissioner, and C. L. Richmond, state swamp land commissioner, have gone to Lakeview to finish the examination of lands claimed as swamp in that district. The work will take three months.

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The face of Mrs. Alice Hoover, a Southern Oregon woman, confined in county in the body suffices to such an extent that there is tittle or no help. In other cases breaking out with the measles. Jailer Wood felt somewhat alarmed at the prospect of his hotel being turned into a hospital, but the physician who examined the case concluded that the prospect of his hotel being turned into a hospital, but the physician who examined the case concluded that the result of the examination of lands claimed as swamp in that district. The work will be reading to reading the examination of lands claimed as swamp in that district. The work will be examinated at the prospect of his hotel being turned into a hospital, but the physician who examined the case concluded that the some land to oppose the tendancy to evaluate the sound in the

Alder Bark Wanted Graves & Sonnichsen will pay a good price for alder bark, suitable for tan-

# DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democratic county convention Felix and Chas. Kahn have been in of Jackson county met at Jacksonville last Saturday, and the town was full town this week, en route for Fort of politicians, office-seekers and specta-Charley Graves started for Linkville

PERSONAL.

Miss Katy Chitwood is now helping

during the past fortnight.

at business prospects in Ashland.

branches of the Oregon division.

will be sent to fill the other.

Jacksonville Brevities.

Prof. Watt designs paying a visit to

The road between this place and

Mr. Albright is rapidly recovering

Mrs. Kitchen of this place has gone

The Ashland base-ball nine will

cratic county convention wherein he proposed to re-nominate Horatio Sey-

more for the next Democratic candi-

County Clerk Parker is rejoicing over the advent of a new girl baby.

Two stages run daily between Jacksonville and Medford.

which way the wind blows.

o Soda Springs for her health.

marriage licenses last week.

Medford is being rapidly improved.

County court is now in session.

hand down there.

At ten o'clock the convention assembled at at the court house and a sharp Mrs. E. E. Minner arrived in Ashpreliminary skirmish occurred over the land Wednesday evening from San election of a chairman. Judge Hanna and Judge DePeatt were named for the chairmanship, and the latter was chosen. The temporary organization was completed by the election of Judge Day and Robert A. Miller as secretar-Dr. G. H. Aiken and wife are now at Jacksonville. Mrs. Aiken is in

> The chairman appointed a committee on credentials, and then an adjournment was taken till one o'clock

her brother in the store, during Char-ley's stay in San Francisco. During the interim the wear and tear on button-holes, which had been pro-digious most of the night and all the Mrs. Chastain, of Phoenix, having Mrs. Chastain, of Phoesis, disposed of her property there, will forenoon till the meeting of the convention, was resumed with renewed ardor on the streets, and the merits and demerits of the numerous and Frank Brandon, the popular miller at the Klamath Mills, Lankville, bas conflicting candidates were "dished up" to the delegates at dinner and been visiting his mother in Ashland served with various sauces for dessert. At one o'clock the convention re-as-

Mrs. Will Jackson came up on yesembled, and as the committee on creterday morning's train for a brief visit with friends here, and returned home with the Doctor last evening. dentials was not quite ready to report, speeches were called for. Judge Wil-lard Crawford, of the Medford delega-tion, was finally induced to take the Mrs. Lou Wilson, of Corvallis, arfloor, and after telling the Demorived in Ashland last Sunday with her crats of Jackson county that an eleclittle daughter, for a visit at the home tion was about to be had in Oregonof her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilan election which involved the repre-sentation of Oregon in the United J. H. Griffis, of Gold Hill, was in States Senate, and the possession of town yesterday, and reported that the pew quartz mill of Ed. Sanderson gon—he grew enthusiastic and couldn't gon-he grew enthusiastic and couldn't Suith was about ready to begin operahelp telling them why. Said he: "The Prohibition party, fellow Democrats, is worth from three to five thousand votes to the Democrats in this elec-Miss Ada Miller is teaching school in Antelope district; Miss Henrietta tion. The Prohibition party is our hope and salvation. God bless the Prohibitionists." This unexpected Moore in the Farlow district, and Miss Addie McCall took charge of a district down the valley, this week. burst of enthusiasm and candor took F. O. Cronemiller, of Illmois, who is the convention by storm, and was received with hearty and long con- has been a shrinkage in weight of nearvisiting the family of his uncle, D. Cronemiller, at Jacksonville, came up from that place yesterday, to take a look

a short speech, but neither of them approached the warm candor and cold Chief Engineer Hood, J. H. Strobridge, chief of the construction department, and Mr. Sisson, the prominent contractor, of the S. P. R. R., have been visiting Portland and Tacoma.

The committee on credentials was ready to report by the time the speeches were done, and the chief point of interest in its report was the disposal of the Rock Point case.

Rock Point was entitled to three delevance of the speech.

Now, while this communication may seem too much like a growl at our farmer friends, I can assure you that my only motive is to try to induce them to pay more attention to the dairying branch of their business, and thus to place the dairy products

San Diego, where they had been living for several months, Mr. Guerin having a number of building contracts on between opposing factions on the clerkship fight. The committee disposed of the case by giving one and Mr. R. V. Boynton, whose family one-half votes to one member of each have been living in Ashland for several faction. The representation was nearly full, less than half a dozen proxies | The broad Atlantic, is ever a stormy thormonths, arrived here last week from Los Angeles, having closed out his business interests there. Mr. Boynton comes to Southern Oregon to remain. being voted. The committee's report oughfare. Yet blow the winds ever so was adopted without dissent. On recommendation of the commit-

on the rail routes across the continent and in CNeil, on their flue farm near flatent has taken shape, and presents a good appearance.

First Congregational church of Asimand, Oc., incorporators; J. E. Smith, Geo. C. Eddings, M. N. Hartwell and L. W. Dean, trustees; value of property. \$2000; object, religious worship.

The Oregon Alpine Club.

The Oregon Alpine club as the "leading belladonna" of the East and West."—[Oregona. A gine leads and whether the area for equesting that persons having and requesting that persons having collections of Oregon currosities worths of botts in Miner's addition road 5tx of being preserved shall not shape them to property of the standard and the Continent and and other towns along the means finant he good ships, tourists and throughout the family like on permanent organization, the temporation of the Committee on permanent organization, the temporation of the U. S. militation of the committee on permanent organization, the temporation of the U. S. militation of the committee on permanent organization, the temporation of the U. S. militation of the committee on permanent organization, the temporation of the U. S. militation of the committee on permanent organization, the temporation of the U. S. militation of the Committee on permanent organization, the temporation of the U. S. militation of the Committee on permanent organization, the temporation of the U. S. militation of the Committee on permanent organization, the temporation of the Committee on first the temporation of the themporation of the Committee on first the temporation of the Committee on the third than and the of the U. S. militation of the U. S. militation of the Committee on the temporation of the temporation of the town that the timp the temporation of the U. S. militation of the Committee on the throw the themporation of the U. S. militation of the Committee on the throw the themporation of the U. S. militation of the Committee on the throw the themporation of the U. S. militation of the Committee on the throw

Sergt. F. Newman, chief operator of proposition to vote by ballot, the the signal service and military telegraph office here, received notice last Monday that he was ordered to San Carlos, in Arizona, and with his wife viva voce method. A sharp discus-

The chief interest centered in the comination for county clerk, and the | When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. fight was a warm one, as the vote shows. Four candidates only were then Castoria, named-N. A. Jacobs, Chas. Nickell, Geo. M. Willard and Horace Pelton.

School closes in four weeks, when First ballot-Willard, 16; Jacobs. 24; Pelton, 17½; Nickell, 23½. Second ballot—Willard, 16; Jacobs 20; Pelton, 2016; Nickell, 2416.
Third ballot—Willard, 19; Jacobs Small show for crops unless we have 16; Pelton, 21½; Nickell, 26½.
Fourth ballot—Willard, 19; Jacobs, 10; Pelton, 25½; Nickell, 26½.
Fifth ballot—Willard, 19; Jacobs, ); Pelton, 2716; Nickell, 2516. Sixth ballot—Willard, 3616; Jacobs, 3; Pelton, 32; Nickell, 9. Seventh ballot—(Jacobs with Irawn)

come over and try their skill against the Jacksonville Browns next Satur-Willard, 3916; Pelton, 3916; Nickell, 2. Eighth ballot—Willard 4016; Pelton, 4016; (Nickell withdrawn). Ninth ballot—Wiliard, 4016; Pelton. County Clerk Parker issued two

Miss Laura Cardwell, who has been visiting friends in Portland, is expected 40½. Tenth ballot - Willard 3916; Pelton As the chairman read the result of home soon accompanied by two sisters, Mrs. Kahler and Mrs. Bilger. the vote, the Pelton and Jacobs delegates set up a wild cheering, and shouted themselves hoarse with exulta-tion. Mr. Willard afterward conveyed Traveling men and land buyers are The post office will not be taken in charge by Henry Pape, Sr., for a number of weeks yet.

to the convention and to the friends who had stood by him his sincere thanks for their friendship and support thanks for the friendship and su thanks for their friendship and sup-port. Jacobs could have elected Wil-Mrs. Peter Simons, of Eagle Point, was visiting friends in town Saturday. lard, but threw all his strength against

him, and for Pelton. Republicans are very much pleased at the idea expressed by Willard Craw-ford in his speech before the Demo-For sheriff only two candidates were placed in nomination, B. W. Dean and Perry Farlow, and Dean was nomi nated on first ballot. For county judge, James R. Neil was nominated by acclamation.

For treasurer, K. Kubli and Rober date for President. Also his remark: "God bless the Prohibitionist," shows

Moore were placed in nomination and Moore was elected the nominee of the The rest of the ticket is as follows Commissioners, Ben. Haymond, C. W. Taylor; school superintendent, a man named Mitchell; assessor, the incumbent, M. D. Childers; surveyor, James

### Jefferey; coroner, Dr. R. Pryce. Chinese Mission Work.

We beg a small space in your columns for a word of tribute to Miss M. A. Buzzel, a returned missionary who spoke in our city in the Baptist Church on the 17th of April. We feel that some public attention should be had to her address, as it concerns humanical large averaging. Miss B. Was sent. w. Thurmann, of Portland, Oregon, has bought the Chastain property with the view of permanently, locating here in our dry mild climate, better sitted to the condition.

The Ashland Brass Band now plays every difficult unsite and plays it well, and the boys may well be proof of the property better. The proof of the p

Why not Take the Front Rank?

ED. Tidings:—A half naturalized "tender-foot," late of California, asks your indulgence and "wants to know, you know." He wants to know, why with better pasture, sweeter water and more nutritions grass, than is found in any of the California valleys, many of our Rogue River valley farm-ers produce, and send to our stores for sale, such a poor apology for butter, and why with all the possible elements in their favor they are content to accept ten cents per roll below the price of California butter, for an inferior article, and too careless manip when by rights they could and should have ten cents per roll additional, for the superior article which can be produced. To illustrate: Going into one of our leading grocers a few days after my arrival with my family, my inquiry after butter was answered. We have California butter at 60 and Oregon butter at 50 cents. I chose the latter, not for the difference in price, but be-

cause I am always in favor of sustaining local industries, and will do so consistently, all things being equal. The first sight of the roll, as it pre ceeded the clerk out of the cellar, was not assuring, being of exceedingly bad shape, and carelessly moulded, an in-spection reached the fact that instead of the roll being wrapped, as is usual in California, in light, closely-woven, unsized cotton, known as butter cloth, it was twisted up in a piece of com-mon, unbleached stuff known as "house lining. However that did not matter at the time, for the aroma of the article was good and presaged the existence of good rich cream. But its first ap-pearance upon the table dispelled our best anticipations, the first section cut off exposed a lot of bubbles full of milk water and buttermilk, which ran in small rivulets on the butter dish, and worse than all exposed the presence of lumps of salt as large as a pea.

Desiring to put this alleged butter to a further test, I set it aside, after entting into three sections, so that the air might act upon it, and the result tinued applause. Following Judge ly 20 per cent., and the residium is a Crawford, Representatives J. T. Bow-ditch and Robert A. Miller each made lumps, and covered with crystals of

salt, unfit for the table and only desirgates in the convention, and the prim- of Southern Oregon where they should ary failed to elect, its vote being a tie stand-in the front rank-both in the

# MAX PRACHT.

flerecly, and ride the waves ever so loftily, seamen must man the good ships, tourists

Judge Love, of the United States district court in Iowa, thus expounds the law governing strikes: 1. Railroad employes have a right to 2. But they have no right to prevent others from taking their places, nor to

interfere with the operation of the 3. A railroad company must haul the freight of every other company on 4. It is no excuse for the company to say that its employes will not handle the cars of a road on which there

When she had Children, she gave them Castoris

HAMPTON-FOLLETT.-At Willow Rauch May 1st, Mr. Joseph G. Hampton to Mis Sadie L. Follett, Rev. Anderson officiating 22, Mr. Jos. Frankl, of Lakeview to Mi-Rosa Cohn, of San Francisco.



This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall street, N. Y.

Red House ahead. Choice tomato plants at Clayton &

NEW THIS WEEK.

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