

PUT ASHLAND ON THE MAP

ASHLAND GRANITE SHOULD BUILD PORTLAND P. O.

QUALITY OF STONE UNSURPASSED

Quantity is Inexhaustible and All That is Needed to Make Ashland Granite Famous is Capital and a Big Boost.

That Ashland could be put as permanently on the map as any of the localities in the east furnishing famous building stone has long been known to experts in that line, but until the present time it has been impossible to get United States architects to specify, even as an alternate stone, the use of Oregon granite.

The Portland Chamber of Commerce is sending out an invitation through the Portland papers and otherwise for all having stone suitable for the purpose to communicate with them.

Some years ago certain parties whose ignorance of the requirements of building stone was only equaled by their optimism attempted to quarry granite on Ashland creek and ship it to Portland and the stone when received there was rejected as worthless, which it was, and this led many to believe that Ashland granite was all worthless, but such is not the case.

The company has been working one of the quarries on a small scale, getting out stone for their monument work, and has done some toward opening up the others, but they have not been able to interest large capitalists because of the unfriendly attitude of the government architects toward western stone in federal buildings.

Their third quarry is in what is known on the geological maps of Jackson county as Penniston canyon. This canyon lies between the two forks of Ashland creek and no one going to Mount Ashland would for one moment suspect that within a little over a quarter of a mile from the road there were sheer cliffs of solid, high-grade granite suitable for building purposes and the equal of any in the United States, and sufficient in quantity to construct all the buildings in Frisco.

A representative of the Tidings visited this deposit with William Penniston recently and was dumfounded at the magnitude of the deposit, as well as at the solidity of the rock and its freedom from fissure.

A trip to the quarry, however, showed clearly that it would have to be worked on a large scale to be profitable. It would require a plant of many thousand dollars expense to handle the stone, which would have to be transported to the wagon road on a gravity tramway which would cost thousands of dollars to construct.

ADVENTIST CONFERENCE. Annual Meeting for Southern Oregon to Be in July.

The annual conference and camp meeting of the southern Oregon conference of Seventh Day Adventists will be held in Medford July 17-27. Delegates and other members will attend from the various parts of the conference, which comprises the counties of Lane, Douglas, Coos, Curry, Josephine, Jackson, Klamath and Lake.

The grove has been secured on Beatty street, about six blocks north of the postoffice, and the meetings will be held in a large pavilion. Among the ministers who will attend this gathering, besides those laboring in the conference, are the following: W. A. Spicer of Washington, D. C., secretary of the Foreign Mission Board of the general conference; M. MacGuire, secretary of the Young People's Department of the general conference; C. W. Flaiz of Walla Walla, Wash., president of the North Pacific union conference, and W. F. Martin, secretary of the Religious Liberty Bureau of the northwest.

DOLL SHOP TUESDAY NIGHT.

Last Rehearsal of Play Will Occur This Evening.

Tonight the cast in "The Doll Shop" will put on the finishing touches and tomorrow night, July 1, this delightful play will be presented to the people of Ashland, at Chautauqua building. Remarkable interest has been created in the play and unquestionably the theatre will be packed to the doors.

"The Doll Shop" will be notable for its pretty girls, its dainty, artistic costuming and all else that goes to lend a charm to a theatrical production, not to say anything of the talent which has been brought forth to bear the burden and responsibility of the successful presentation of "The Doll Shop." There is every reason to believe that the young folks who are to participate will not only measure up to expectations, but the chances are they will do more and that their work will prove a revelation to even their most ardent admirers.

The young ladies of the cast are those of ability and talent, of good voice and with sufficient training to assure success for the play. The majority of the young men have had previous experience in theatrical productions and many are favorites. It is but superfluous to say that the boys will come up to the standard. Taken all in all, "The Doll Shop" gives every promise of being the stellar amateur show of a decade and it is safe to say that those who witness it will, upon the drop of the curtain, feel grateful to the dear old shopkeeper for going asleep and thereby enabling them to see all that takes place in his very wonderful dream.

The daintiest specialties will be "Baby Dolls." It has been entrusted to the Misses Hortense Winter and Helen Barrett. Another, "Pink Petty from Peter," for which Miss Frances Hamlin promises to make a high success. One of the most exacting and difficult parts, "The Spanish Maid," will be in charge of Beatrice Miller, who will no doubt dance her way into favor with the audience. These are only just a very few of the many and varied things that will take place in the very unique production.

Tickets are on sale at Rose Bros. and Poley's. Popular prices. Remember, one night only—tomorrow, Tuesday, July 1—and it's under the auspices of the W. C. T. C. of Ashland.

high price for trimming and decorative purposes.

There will be, once the quarries are opened and established, a steady market in a limited amount to the monument trade in the west, but it will not be large enough to warrant the installation of tramways, derricks, etc., necessary to successfully and economically handle the stone, but with the possibility of landing a contract for the stone in the federal buildings on the coast it becomes feasible.

Messrs. Penniston & Son do not expect to secure local capital to any great extent to develop the quarries, expecting rather to interest eastern men of money and of experience in the business, but they do hope that every resident of Ashland will become a booster for the use of Ashland granite and help in that way to build up an industry which will not only bring many thousands of dollars into the city, but will help to advertise Ashland and her products throughout the entire country.

R. H. BURNS DIED SUDDENLY TODAY

CITY ATTORNEY LAID DOWN TO REST AFTER DINNER AND WHEN HIS WIFE WENT TO CALL HIM SHE FOUND HIM DEAD

City Attorney R. H. Burns died very suddenly this afternoon. He was not feeling well this forenoon, but was able to come down town and transact some business. He went home to lunch and after lunch laid down to rest. About 2 o'clock Mrs. Burns went to call him and found him dead. The news of his sudden death created much sorrow when it became known as Mr. Burns was a man who made many friends and few enemies. He was active in business

and fraternal circles and was very prominent in making arrangements for the Shriners' ceremonial Saturday and was present Saturday evening.

He leaves a widow and a little babe but a few months old.

Mr. Burns came from St. James, Minn., about two years ago and has made many friends in Ashland during his sojourn here.

It is too early to make any definite announcement as to funeral arrangements.

FOOD MAN REPORTS

Deputy Schrock Examines Rogue River Valley Meat Markets, Slaughter Houses, Etc.

M. S. Schrock, deputy state dairy and food commissioner, was in Ashland Saturday to attend the meeting of the producers at the Commercial Club Saturday evening and gave out his report on the various slaughter houses, meat markets and bakeries. The plants are marked on a basis of 100 points for a perfect plant, 40 of which are for perfect construction and 60 for perfect methods and cleanliness. All plants marked less than 50 per cent have been advised to clean up and remedy defects. The following is the report:

Markets and Slaughter Houses. Jones Barrett's market, Talent, 88.6.

A. R. Brown's slaughter house, Ashland, 86.0.

East Side market, Ashland, 85.6.

Main Street market, Ashland, 81.0.

East Side market, Medford, 76.8.

Depot market, Ashland, 76.8.

Economy market, Medford, 76.0.

West Side market and slaughter house, Medford, 76.6.

Rex market, Medford, 74.2.

Warner, Wortman & Co. market and slaughter house, Medford, 71.3.

W. D. Lewis, Jacksonville, market and slaughter house, 66.9.

Lewis Bros., Jacksonville, market and slaughter house, 65.0.

Woodcock & Blackert, Gold Hill, market, 57.4.

Huth & Erskine Star market, Medford, 53.8.

J. R. Crowder market, Medford, 49.2.

Bakeries.

Vienna bakery, Ashland, 89.6.

Talent bakery, Talent, 88.0.

Gold Hill bakery, Gold Hill, 82.0.

Buckeye bakery, Ashland, 81.1.

J. F. Taylor, Central Point, 79.2.

R. C. Jorgensen, Medford, 68.1.

Model bakery, Medford, 63.0.

Royal bakery, Ashland, 48.7.

C. H. Corey bakery, Medford, 48.0.

James Hruska bakery, Ashland, 33.7.

J. W. Morrison bakery, Medford, 28.2.

E. C. Stillman candy factory, Medford, 17.5.

The slaughter houses of southern Oregon have made the greatest improvement of any line in the last two months, since Mr. Duncan's visit. M. S. SCHROCK, Deputy Dairy and Food Com'r.

Fortune Telling.

Jap—Can you tell what is to happen?

Clairvoyant—Always.

Jap—Well, what is going to happen to me?

Clairvoyant—In a certain contingency you are going to get what in this neck of the woods is known as a whaling.—Judge.

Natural gas, compressed in steel tanks, is being experimented with as automobile fuel in the West Virginia natural gas region.

ORGANIZE PRODUCERS' DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE

Producers' Development League Listens to Talk from the Dairy and Food Commissioner—Dairy Cow Problem Discussed

There were about forty farmers, ranchers and fruit raisers present at the Commercial Club last Saturday evening at the meeting called to complete the organization of the Producers' Development League. The constitution and by-laws were adopted practically as presented by the committee appointed for that purpose, the by-laws providing that the officers elected at the previous meeting be the officers until the coming annual election.

The greater part of the evening was devoted to the discussion of dairying and attendant problems. M. S. Schrock, deputy dairy and food commissioner, was present and delivered a well-received talk on the subject. He told of the necessity of keeping an accurate record of the milk and butter fat of each cow in the herd, giving an experience showing the necessity of a test and the inefficiency of guesswork. At one farm where he was requested to make a test of the cows the farmer had one little cow which he declared was worthless and wanted to sell. His wife had always objected so strenuously that he had not done so. A test showed that this cow produced double the butter fat of any other cow in the herd. He has her yet and is building up the herd from her calves.

Mr. Schrock also spent some time discussing the problems of housing dairy cattle and distributed plans and specifications for sanitary stalls, which are so arranged as to keep the cow, whatever her size, clean in the stall. He answered a number of questions regarding the care of the dairy cattle and gave an extended talk on the feeding of stock for this purpose, also answering many questions in regard to the matter.

An important feature of the meeting was the appointment of a committee, the executive committee of the league being so named by the chair, to take up the matter of securing more dairy cattle for this ter-

ritory. W. J. McCoy, cashier of the United States National Bank and president of the Ashland Commercial Club, was present and promised the co-operation of the club in the matter of financing the project of securing more dairy cows. Mr. McCoy's statement was heartily received by the farmers and highly complimented by Mr. Schrock, who stated that he was glad to see that the time was rapidly passing in Oregon when the farmer's credit was not as good at the banks as that of the business men. Confidence between the farmers and the banks was essential to the growth of any community.

LOCAL S. P. TIME CARD.

Table with columns: Northbound, Leave, Southbound, Arrive. Lists train numbers and times for various routes.

Considerate.

"So you want to become my son-in-law, eh?"

"Y-yes, sir. That is, if you can afford it."—Boston Transcript.

AFTER DOE KILLERS. Riddle Rod and Gun Club Passes Resolutions.

Whereas, The Riddle Elk Supporting Rod and Gun Club is an organization formed with the objects of fostering a spirit of true sportsmanship and to assist in the conservation and propagation of the fish and game of the state of Oregon, and

Whereas, The killing of female deer is a violation of the laws of the state of Oregon, and

Whereas, The killing of female deer by hunters, especially those from cities and outside points, is becoming so prevalent that there is grave danger of our wild deer being rapidly depleted, in witness of which we point out the finding of a heap of carcasses of fifteen does and fawns at one place in 1912, and the woods strewn with the carcasses of does left to waste in all parts of the hunting grounds, and

Whereas, This Club believes that there is no matter so essential to the perpetuation of our wild deer as the protection of the female deer which produce the increase from year to year, the saving of one female deer and all of her female progeny for ten years, making, at a conservative estimate, 25 more does for breeding purposes in the hunting grounds, and

Whereas, It is the sense of this club that this matter should be brought forcibly to the minds of all sportsmen, and that this club go on record against the practice of murdering female deer, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Riddle Elk Supporting Rod and Gun Club, with a representative membership of the hunters and residents of southern Douglas county, Oregon, expresses itself as strongly opposed to the killing of female deer by anyone at any time; and be it further

Resolved, That under this club's standard of true sportsmanship, any hunter who kills a female deer or a deer without horns is not a true sportsman and is unworthy of the respect of sportsmen and of men. And that the members of this club pledge themselves hereby to employ every opportunity to discourage the practice of killing doe deer until the time may come when the fear of ridicule by the man who kills one will be so strong that the disgrace of the act will put sportsmanship on a higher plane; and be it

Resolved, That the hunters from outside points who come here to hunt deer be warned by this club and its members against the killing of female deer or deer without horns, and that each member of this club constitute himself an ex-officio game warden for the prevention and prosecution of this particular form of game law violation. Be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to each gun club in this state, and that it be given as much publicity as possible through the press and all other agencies. Adopted June 21, 1913. L. N. EMERSON, Pres. C. A. Riddle, Sec.

A Back-Mander.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, en route for the suffrage congress at Budapest, said on the Minneapolis:

"I see that a number of influential women have appeared as anti-suffragists before the senate committee. I'm sorry for this.

"These women declare that they wish their sex well, but it is hard to understand their attitude. To me they seem to be striking a back-handed blow at progress. They are like the spiteful lady who said to an old friend:

"'You don't show your age at all, darling.'"

"'Oh, don't!' cried the old friend, delighted.

"'No,' said the other. 'I was looking for it in the sitting room. When did you scratch it out of the family Bible?'"

A Disheartening Sight.

Mayor Gaynor at a luncheon in New York talked about laws.

"It is difficult to execute," he said, "laws that the majority of the people don't want and don't believe in."

The mayor smiled and added: "Wh, a friend of mine just back from a prohibition state said to me the other day: "In every large city in that state I saw well-dressed citizens drinking with relish from bottles labeled rat poison, liniment, and even furniture polish.'"—Washington Star.

CEREMONIAL A SUCCESS

HILLAH TEMPLE PULLED OFF SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR.

LADIES MADE HIT WITH VISITORS

Parade Was Gorgeous—Sands Were Hot—Zem Was Plenty and Camel's Milk in Profusion at Armory and Masonic Temple Saturday.

HEAD TO COME

It was demonstrated last Saturday beyond cavil that the clerk of the weather must be a Shriner, and if the sun is not a Shriner he was at least a shiner Saturday, all right, all right.

The city commenced Friday to put on holiday attire and by noon Saturday the business houses were nearly all decorated in red and yellow. It would almost be an injustice to mention any particular place, as practically all the business houses had made special efforts in that line. The Euwana cigar store, owned by Harry Hosler, had a window which attracted much attention and held a good-sized crowd in front of it most of the time. It was a very lifelike model of a desert with camels, Arabs, pyramids, the sphinx, etc., and the window was decorated with a large number of cards, clippings and posters pertaining to Shriners and their doings, including a lifelike portrait of "Roy Davis" and his goat.

C. H. Vampel had a window that was unique and suggestive and which attracted considerable attention.

Dozens, almost, of the business places showed the crescent, star and chime, E. T. Staples' office in the Hotel Ashland being especially well adorned with these emblems.

The decorations of the Granite City Savings Bank window attracted considerable attention, as did the window of J. P. Dodge & Sons.

The entire city was at the disposal of the visitors, even the city bastille being decorated with the Shriner colors and having the word "Welcome" over the door. The city recorder's office was profusely decorated with the Shriner colors, "Contagious" signs in red and yellow. The charming recording angels declined to say whether or not it was themselves which were waiting to be "caught."

The W. T. Grieve cigar store also displayed a unique desert with pyramids and palms. There were many other windows which deserve mention, but space does not permit.

The parade was up to the high standard set at previous ceremonials and was witnessed by a large number of people. It started from the armory shortly after 4 o'clock and proceeded down B street to the depot, where it took in charge arriving Shriners and sons of the desert, the latter of whom were ordered to "hang on to the ropes" with the rest of the victims. From the depot the line of march was up Fourth street to Main, thence north on Main to the Elks building, where Professor Muckenfuss was scheduled to make his airship flight. There was some hitch, however, in the mechanism of the aeroplane and after a short wait the parade continued to Laurel street, where they counter-marched to the Plaza, where the Arab Patrol under Captain Nims gave a drill which was well executed and heartily applauded. From there the parade returned to the armory.

The Ashland band led the procession, followed by the Imperial Divan of Hillah Temple gorgeous in their official robes of office. Following them came the novices, some mounted on burros and some "hanking onto the rope." Following them came the Arab Patrol, then the kazoo band and next nearly 100 Novices wearing red fezes. Last but not least came a team hauling a cage in which was Willard Veghte, one of the novices. The Shriners declared Mr. Veghte, brother of Contractor Veghte, who is building the armory, showed undue curiosity as to what was going on in that structure Saturday, so they caught him and promptly caged him. Nearly all the novices wore white winding sheets.

A feature of the parade which attracted considerable attention was the pair of little Arabs and the huge dog which were in E. T. Staples' auto during the parade. The youngsters were the twin sons of Mr. Norris, the baggageman at the Southern Pacific

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