

Ashland Tidings

Established 1876
Published Every Evening Except Sunday
THE ASHLAND PRINTING CO.
OFFICIAL CITY AND COUNTY PAPER
TELEPHONE 39

Subscription Price Delivered in City
One month \$ 1.95
Three months 5.50
Six months 10.00
One year 19.00
Mail and Rural Routes.
One month \$.65
Three months 1.95
Six months 3.50
One year 6.50

ADVERTISING RATES:
Display Advertising
Single insertion, each inch..... 30c
YEARLY CONTRACTS
Display Advertising
One time a week..... 27 1/2c
Two times a week..... 25c
Every other day..... 20c
Local Readers.
Each line, each time..... 10c
To run every other day for one month, each line, each time..... 7c
To run every issue for one month or more, each line, each time..... 5c
Classified Column.
One cent the word each time.
To run every issue for one month or more, 1/2c the word each time.
Legal Rate:
First Time, per 5 point line..... 10c
Each subsequent time, per 8 point line..... 5c
Line of Thanks, \$1.00..... 2c
Obituaries, 2 1/2 cents the line.
Fraternal Orders and Societies.
Advertising for fraternal orders or societies charging a regular initiation fee and dues, no discount. Religious and benevolent orders will be charged the regular rate for all advertising when an admission or other charge is made.

What Constitutes Advertising?
In order to allay a misunderstanding among some as to what constitutes news and what advertising, we print this very simple rule which is used by newspapers to differentiate between them: "ALL future events, where an admission charge is made or a collection is taken IS ADVERTISING." This applies to organizations and societies of every kind as well as to individuals.
All reports of such activities after they have occurred is news.
All coming social or organization meetings of societies where no money contribution is solicited, initiation charged, or collection taken is NEWS.
We make all quotations on JOB WORK from THE FRANKLIN PRICE LIST. Same prices—Reasonable Price—to all.
Entered at the Ashland, Oregon, Postoffice as Second Class Mail Matter.

♦ The drying up a single tear has ♦ more ♦
♦ Of honest fame, than shedding ♦ seas of gore.—Byron. ♦

That word "normalcy" should be given the rest cure. About the worst thing that can be said of President Harding is that he started this ugly hybrid term on its career.
Schools soon will be open again and mother will not have to worry so much about what to do with her mischievous little Johnnie. Teacher must take up the worrying where mother leaves off.
Niggardly and mean indeed is the person who habitually holds back good words and kindly deeds from those who languish for a bit of encouragement.
The United States covets the distinction among the nations of being "first in peace."
Too many persons let untoward circumstances put the "rift" in their thrift plans.
Opportunity does not come to flood-tide often, and usually it recedes quickly.

THEM'S OUR SENTIMENTS
The town gossip! Gee, what a pest! Every little slimy slice of scandal or near scandal rolls from the tongue of the town gossip embellished to suit the sordid taste of the narrator, and in most cases truth is left standing at the post. The town gossip is not acquainted with Truth, they not having been properly introduced, and the town gossip manages to dodge Truth as the former travels through the neighborhood leaving a slimy, nasty trail, and the Town Gossip's particular chum and friend is They Say. The Town Gossip drops into the home of a neighbor, whether welcome or not, and with a most mysterious air says: "Have you heard what They Say about So and So?" But for goodness sake don't say I told you, because I never talked about anyone, but being a neighbor I just dropped in to tell you. I don't know how they do it; do you?" And thus from house to house and neighbor to neighbor they travel, dropping their poisonous saliva, until the whole community becomes inoculated with suspicion and distrust; a

coolness develops between former friends and the former peaceful relations that one time existed is blighted by a gossipy tongue of the breader of discord and ill-feeling.

PUBLIC FORUM

To the Editor of The Tidings: A man by the name of R. D. Sanford recently "wrote a piece" for your paper complaining of the lack of good eating places in Ashland. He heard somebody say it and sat right down and started the report going by putting it in the paper.
Here is another case that shows how some people accept the idle talk they hear as the truth with no attempt whatever to get at the facts. They take the silly gossip of the backyard or the engine house or the depot and set it moving around with no thought at all of what injury the report may cause the city or its residents.
Before Mr. Sanford had rushed into print with a report which discredited Ashland—and a report of somebody whose name is not given—he could easily have let go of an even dollar and eaten a meal at the Hotel Ashland. In that way only could he get at the facts. But Mr. Sanford did nothing of the sort. He took the idle comment of a passer-by and let it go at that.
Ask anybody who knows the hotels of the Far West what sort of meals you can get at the Hotel Ashland, and you will be told a different story from that circulated by Mr. Sanford. Considering the high cost of food and help and rentals and overhead, what you can get at this hotel for a dollar equals what you can get anywhere in Oregon for a like amount. The old "square meal" for 25 cents has disappeared with the horse.
We also take exception to Mr. Sanford's statement "that none of the eating houses or cafes in Ashland serve fresh fruits or vegetables. Last night the dinner menu at the Ashland Grill contained peaches, strawberries, blackberries, watermelon, canteloupe, green corn, string beans, tomatoes and cucumbers, all grown right here in Ashland and vicinity. The writer is open to suggestion and will not resent criticism when it is justified, but I do think it is decidedly unfair for any one to "knock" an enterprise before she has had a chance to get on her feet.

T. J. COFFMAN,
Proprietor Hotel Ashland.

Weekly Report on Condition of the Pacific Highway

To the Editor: As to the condition of the Pacific highway between Roseburg and the California line as of August 21, beg to report as follows:
Roseburg-Myrtle Creek, 20 miles—Paving in progress immediately south of Roseburg; detours used when available. Traffic is allowed to pass at all hours.
Myrtle Creek-Canyonville, 10 miles—Take detour via Riddle, which is rough and slow.
Canyonville-Galesville, 11 miles—Good macadam.
Galesville-Wolf Creek, 14 miles—Paving under way at both ends; traffic passed at all hours.
Wolf Creek-Grave Creek, 5 miles—Paved.
Grave Creek-Pleasant Valley, 8 miles—Over Smith hill; macadam now completed.
Pleasant Valley-Grants Pass, 10 miles—Macadam now completed.
Grants Pass, through Medford.

The FLAMING FOREST
By James Oliver Curwood
The third and best of Mr. Curwood's epics of the Three Rivers Country.
SALE DATE
AUGUST TENTH
Price—\$2.00
McNair Bros.
The Rexall Store

Ashland, to California line, 65 miles—Paved.
Crater Lake Highway
Two routes are being used, one via Central Point, Bybee Bridge, Trail and McLeod to Prospect; the other via Eagle Point, Reese Creek school house, Derby road to McLeod and Prospect. Advised to use the route via Trail.
Very truly yours,
K. E. Hedgman,
Div. Engineer.

NEW SCHEDULE FOR SOUTHERN PACIFIC TRAINS

Announcement of changes in the running time of Southern Pacific passenger, effective tomorrow, have been made by J. A. Ormandy, assistant general passenger agent, no official notice of any change in the time of arrival or departure have been received locally.
The most marked change is on the Shasta limited, the running time being reduced 50 minutes southbound, and 30 minutes northbound, between Portland and San Francisco. Twenty minutes is clipped off the running time of No. 53.

THOUSANDS OF TROUT PUT ON WRONG DIET

Thousands of trout are in the wrong "boarding house," declared Professor R. A. Muttowski of the University of Idaho, who is here trying to figure out a carefully selected diet for each species.
Certain types of trout should be planted in streams where the bugs and insects are to their liking, he believes. And because they are not so planted there is a waste of thousands of fish each year.
"Trout are particular regarding what they eat," he says. "If we can select the right place for the right fish there will be a marked decrease in the number of trout that die. My work is to determine just where various varieties of trout should be and this is based on what bugs and insects they are fond of."

At the Churches

Church of the Nazarene
Corner of 4th and C streets.
J. E. McShane, pastor.
Services for Sunday, Aug. 21: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Tornton S. Wiley, Supt. Preaching service, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m. You are cordially invited to worship with us.
First Congregational Church
Boulevard and Main Street
Phone 239-R.
Sunday school, 9:45, with Mr. H. C. Galey, superintendent, presiding. Classes for all grades and ages. Morning service, 11 a. m., subject, Come and fill your place. Morning service, 11, subject, "A City of Righteousness." Christian Endeavorers will open the day's worship

with a sunrise prayer meeting at 6:30 a. m. Everyone cordially invited. Regular meeting 7 p. m. "Lessons from Ruth" (Ruth 1:14-22) Ellen Galey, leader. Evening service, 8, subject, "The Evasiveness of Christian Belief." If not worshipping elsewhere, come and worship with us; a cordial invitation is extended to the public. W. Judson Oldfield, minister.

Catholic Church

Mass Sunday morning at 7:30 and 9 o'clock.
First Church of Christ, Scientist
Pioneer Avenue, South
Sunday services at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Mind." Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Wednesday evening meetings at 8 o'clock.
Reading room open from 2 to 5 p. m. daily, except Sundays and holidays.

Presbyterian Church
Corner Helman and N. Main
Sunday school, 9:45. Worship, 11. Junior C. E., 5. Senior C. E., 7. The Christian Workers' Band will conduct the morning service, to which the public is invited. There will be no evening service tomorrow.

First Baptist Church

Sunday school with O. P. Carson as superintendent, 9:45 a. m. A full attendance in all departments and classes is greatly desired for the contest. Morning preaching service at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon: "On the Mountain with Jesus." The young people's meetings will be held at 5 and 6:30. The Junior B. Y. P. U. at 5 and the Senior at 6:30 p. m. Our evening preaching service will be moved up 20 minutes, from 8 to 7:30. Subject of evening message will be: "The Test of Christianity." The pastor is back from his vacation and attendance on the state convention

and extends a hearty invitation to all our congregation and friends to attend these services. Walter L. Evans, pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church
Cor. N. Main and Laurel Streets
9:45. Sunday school, Dr. G. W. Gregg, Supt. 11 a. m., morning service. 6:45, Epworth League, I. C. Wilson, president. 8 p. m., service. A cordial invitation is extended to the public. Charles A. Edwards, minister.

Trinity Episcopal Church
Vicar the Rev. P. K. Hammond.
B. L.—Holy communion at 8 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service and sermon on "Human Progress" at 11. Strangers and visitors cordially welcomed.

First Christian Church
Corner of B and Second streets.
Mrs. Josephine Champie, pastor.
Bible school at 10 o'clock. This is the day of the "One Sunday contest." Come yourself and bring a friend. Come on time, with your bible, a studied lesson and an offering, and you will make 10 points for your class. Some class will win. Will it be your class? Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon topic "The Master's Endurance." Christian Endeavor at 7:15. Elsie Crow-

OAC
Oregon's Higher Institution of
TECHNOLOGY
Eight Schools; Seventy Departments
FALL TERM OPENS SEPT. 19, 1921
For information write to the Registrar
Oregon Agricultural College
CORVALLIS

Lithia Bakery
Wholesale and Retail
R. H. LOCKWOOD, Prop.
UNDRB NEW MANAGEMENT
ASK YOUR GROCER
OUR MILK BREAD SATISFIES
BRAN BREAD THE KEY TO HEALTH

son is leader. Evening worship at 8 o'clock. Sermon subject, "Jesus, Careful of His Identity." Come to evening church service. "Get the habit." It will do you good. Watch for announcement of our next illustrated lecture.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Laxative. Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Take as either. Buy of every Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for the youth known as Best. Always safe. Always reliable.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Announcement Notice
Commencing on and after September 15th, the White House Grocery will be converted into the Grocerteria Plan, and will buy and sell for cash only.
Commencing on the date of this notice, I will allow a 5 per cent. discount for all goods bought and paid for in cash until September 15th, when we will operate under our new plan.
J. C. KAEGI, Prop.

Pennsylvania Vacuum Cup Tires
With Free --Tube--
—THE—
Busy Corner Motor Co.
Corner Highway and Main Streets
MEDFORD, OREGON

Something New
Factory Representatives of Automobile
Rims and Rim Parts
We Stock Parts and Spare Rims to fit your car, Oversize Lugs and all necessary parts to stop your wheel and rim trouble.
The Busy Corner Motor Co.
Pacific Highway and Main Street
MEDFORD, OREGON