

CLUB HOUSE AT SODA SPRINGS IS ASHLAND PLAN

ASHLAND, Feb. 3.—In line with the new adage that "A touch of tango makes the whole world spin," wide-awake residents of the Soda Springs neighborhood are agitating the building of an assembly room in their locality which shall serve general purposes—dancing, parties and the like. It is planned to erect a substantial structure something after the style of the public hall recently completed by Contractor Sheldon for the residents of the Little Shasta district over in Siskiyou county.

Having finally decided upon Eugene as a permanent residence, J. E. Weaver will move his family to that city and re-engage in the grocery business. They plan to leave here Friday of this week.

Father of Skills

Frode Frodesen, the genial Scandinavian who formerly worked as a cement contractor here, has recently returned from an extended visit to his old home in Norway. In a general way the sympathies of the Scandinavians lean towards Germany in the present war. Frode's headquarters are now at Seattle. In the heyday of the local Siskiyou club's original outings, he taught the use of skills on trips up Mount Ashland.

Upon suggestion of members of the Civic Improvement club at the Commercial organization's meeting Monday evening, it was voted to display a prominent sign, "Kingsbury Springs" at the location of this popular resort which is on the main traveled highway about six miles east of Ashland.

Plan Band Concerts

A blare and fanfare of trumpets is promised among musical specialties the coming summer at the hands of a dual organization comprising Ashland and Talent band experts. A meeting has been called for Thursday evening of this week, at the city hall to perfect the composite arrangement and assign the instrumentation. Talent has for some time past supported one of the best bands in the state.

There was no abnormal excitement here ground hog day, but the Monday previous, bright and early, a number of residents were positive that this section experienced a lively earthquake shock. The hour was about 4 a. m. and the tremor was well defined and sharp.

CHANGE MADE AT PAGE THEATRE

The management of the Page theatre have announced that there will be matinees every afternoon at 2 o'clock at that theatre. This change was decided upon after numerous requests of their patrons. This arrangement will be of great convenience to those living in the country and the management plans to make these matinees as popular as possible for women and children. The Page theatre orchestra will play for the matinees the same as for the evening performances.

REVIVAL WORK AT ASHLAND TO BE CONTINUED

ASHLAND, Feb. 3.—At a recent meeting for men only, connected with the revival movement, the question of continuing the work was referred, a decision in the affirmative carrying by a large majority. Laymen agreed to second the clergy's efforts, prominent among the former being Prof. B. E. Smith, who continues to take great interest in the work and pledges a hearty support.

The Tidings, duly accredited, is being filed for reference among state newspapers at press headquarters in the Oregon State building at the Panama exposition, where the publications are duly processed. Contemporaneous with this new departure, the semi-weekly has instituted a specific and well-defined sporting column.

Two special papers were presented at the meeting of the Ministerial association here Monday. One was "The Second Coming of Christ," by Rev. J. K. Baillie of Phoenix, and the other was "The Supremacy of the Literature of the English Bible," by Rev. H. A. Carnahan of Ashland. Previous to adjournment the association decided to hold its next meeting at Medford, the date to be the first Monday in April.

In addition to the secular recognition of Lincoln's birthday, there will be a church observance of the anniversary event also, the same to be held at the Methodist place of worship on Sunday, February 1. The Grand Army and Relief Corps will participate.

The local library is "taking stock" in line with the present fad for inventories and surveys. Results show a substantial increase in literary assets of the institution. Miss Susanna Homes is assistant to Miss Blanche Hicks, librarian.

No. 16 Tuesday afternoon was delayed until nearly midnight by high waters which reached floodstage in central and northern California.

STARS AT STAR THEATRE TODAY

Without doubt one of the most attractive programs of vaudeville and motion pictures ever secured for one evening will be shown at the Star theatre Wednesday and Thursday. The management has taken great care in selecting this program and pronounces it a winner from start to finish.

The vaudeville will include Miss Hamilton, Miss Clark and Miss Andrews, Mr. Mittleberger, and Mr. Burgess, and the motion pictures will show such well known favorites as Miss Kathlyn Williams, Miss Alice Joyce, Sidney Drew and Maurice Costello.

For those that enjoy "reel" shows and real entertainment this program should be very attractive.

ASHLAND CLUB OPTIMISTIC FOR COMING SEASON

ASHLAND, Feb. 3.—The Commercial club had one of its most optimistic gatherings Monday night. The business men particularly had been invited by personal solicitation and the response was such that the organization's headquarters were crowded and a lot of miscellaneous business was transacted with a vim. It was the best session held in a long while.

As a preliminary, and to place everybody in the best of humor, the "Stranded" quartet of San Francisco, sang several catchy selections on the "Tipperary" order. The boys were on their return to the Golden Gate, having been as far north as Seattle, and reported poor business in Puget Sound territory.

Various reports were submitted by committees on live topics and about everything was favorably received, practically nothing being turned down. Even the reading of the minutes, usually a desultory proceeding, awakened breathless interest as the secretary reviewed at length a double entry recapitulation of the incoming and outgoing dried prune donations and shipments for relief of the needy Belgians.

210 Acres Sugar Beets

George Millner, in behalf of beet sugar interests, reported a total of 210 acres being secured in this vicinity, 200 of which would pass muster. It was mostly Bear creek bottom land. In addition over 50 acres were available by lease. He urged active co-operation with other localities without delay, lest the movement assume the phase of a dead beet project.

The mining men's stand on the threatened discontinuance of the appropriation for the state bureau of mines and geology was discussed, and the expression was unanimous that a delegate ought to be sent to Salem to labor with legislative committees. Chandler Watson, by virtue of a wide knowledge of the matter in hand, will probably be the envoy appointed. Incident to mines and mining, it was mentioned that the government building at Medford would probably be constructed of Oregon stone instead of an imported article. This was cited as an instance of Oregon products coming into their own.

Mayor Johnson's Review

Upon a hint to Mayor Johnson that some information concerning Pacific highway, public market, and special election features would be in order, that official reviewed the status of the several measures. Councilman Ware supplementing the mayor's talk with specific information as to various details. The special election is as good as carried, and it would serve to "heat" the status of affairs necessary to be fixed up in order to expedite Pacific highway work in vexed territory. A motion was unanimously carried that the council get speedy action on the public market problem, inasmuch as the city owns a vacant lot on the waiting list.

Bill Watson, who occupies the para-

doxical station of old-timer and newcomer, having returned to Ashland as his first love, presented a final analysis in facts and figures of necessary methods to employ in legitimate exploitation measures.

Bert Greer and Chandler Watson had visions and their recital of them caused more interest than a whole lot of reels of moving picture thrillers. Several lady members of the Civic Improvement club were present, as that organization has been merged with the Commercial membership. The roster shows 253 names, eight having been added by confession of faith at this meeting.

Auto car service between Eugene and Springfield may compel reduction in P. E. & E. train service.

NEW EIGHT CADILLAC TO ARRIVE THURSDAY

The Crater Lake Motor Car company is expecting their new eight cylinder Cadillac to arrive tomorrow. The car has been on exhibition at the Portland automobile show, where it has been admired by thousands of people. The Cadillac has monopolized the attention of the people at all the automobile shows this season. The ease in which it takes hills and the quiet running of the motor has excited the admiration of all.

The car is 400 pounds lighter this

season. The engine alone weighs 80 pounds less. The gasoline consumption is less than the four. Only in extreme cases will the gears need shifting. All experts who have driven the car claim it will make Crater Lake on the high. This car will be on exhibition at the Crater Lake Motor Car company's garage on February 5, 6 and 7.

Demonstrations will be given on the afternoon of the 7th and all on the 8th and 9th and at Ashland on the 10th and 11th.

KANE, Pa., Feb. 3.—Nine men were killed and six badly burned in a fire following an explosion which destroyed a boarding house at Mayburg, a small town in Forest county early today.

SUGAR BEET CONTRACTS SAME AS YEAR AGO

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 3.—The Great Western Sugar company announced today that its 1915 sugar beet contracts will be identical with those of 1914 and 1913. The payment for beets is made on a sliding scale based on sugar content and for beets containing 16 per cent sugar the rate would be \$3.75 a ton. The contract makes the question of allowing optional. The contracts affect beet growers in northern Colorado and in the vicinity of Scottsbluff, Neb., and Billings, Mont.

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OUR 1915 HUPMOBILE HAS ARRIVED

and will be on exhibition also on above dates.

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COURT HALL, Sales Agent