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John Wise Says. Wig Ashpole is out with the bright suggestion that spite of high flour, bakers could get double results by makin' pretzels.

LAUGHS. 'Twas Well He Asked. Old Man—What are you fishing for, sonny? Sonny—Snigs. Old Man—What are snigs? Sonny—I don't know; I ain't never caught any yet.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

A Fair Offer. A man who had purchased some currant buns at a bakery was distressed, on starting to eat one, to find that it contained a fly. Returning to the bakery, he made an indignant complaint, demanding another bun in place of the inhabited one.

Demonstrated. "I am undone!" cried the beautiful heroine, turning ghastly pale. For she had heard her brand-new waist rip at the seams.—Baltimore American.

Too Pointed. "Why is Maude so angry with the photographer?" "She found a label on the back of her picture saying: 'The original of this photograph is carefully preserved.'"

Progressive Guy. "Jakesby has made a fortune in the manufacture of baby perambulators." "Very likely. Jakesby always was a man of push."—St. Louis Times.

Dull Season. "Prisoner, you are charged with loitering about town in a very suspicious manner, and with not having any visible means of sustenance. What do you do for a living?"

Her String. "Your worship," said he, "I am engaged in manufacturing smoked glasses for viewing eclipses—an industry that entails protracted periods of enforced leisure."

NECESSITY OF GROWTH.

EUGENE is raising \$156,000 for a lace factory—and actually raising it. Medford was asked to raise \$50,000 for a lumber and box factory to stop sending out of the valley all the money spent for lumber and fruit boxes.

Neither Eugene nor Medford, nor any other city is going to secure factories of any kind without local co-operation. If the local capitalists and property owners have not sufficient faith in the future of their locality to invest in needed industries, outside capital will not.

Interior cities, without adequate transportation facilities, without tidewater facilities, without direct lines to the eastern markets, dependent entirely upon the whim of a single transportation line, with a heavy handicap in the way of freight rates, are not attractive to industry.

The first step in Medford's development must be in the creation of modest industries for which there is a local market. Home grown products and natural resources must be utilized to fill local demands, and stop the never-ending drain on the community caused by importing most of our necessities.

Industries will not build themselves, nor will they be presented as gifts. They must be created and locally created or at least local co-operation must be forthcoming to assist in their creation.

Until the people of the community realize this and extend financial and business co-operation, we cannot expect community growth or development. The best we can hope for is to mark time, if not to actually drift backward.

The Rogue river valley has outgrown the old condition wherein a small population was supported in plenty by large land holdings. It has not yet measured up to the requirements of the new conditions, with many times the population to be sustained.

Just try to sleep in a summer resort hotel with three college students and three country girls on the veranda, or watch a married man who has been out until 2 a. m. make love to his wife at the breakfast table.

had secured a new low price on smudging oil for the 1915 season. Last year local orchardists had to pay five cents a gallon but this year the price will be three and three tenths of a cent a gallon.

Although the cool spring and backward season has kept the fruit back and bettered the conditions regarding probable loss from frosts the local association is taking no chances nor are the fruit growers.

The Today company which will appear at the Page Wednesday, March 10, will be the most expensive and extravagant attraction since Omar, the Tentmaker.

Arthur Byron last year was leading man with Mrs. Fiske. He also played the lead with Maude Adams in "What Every Woman Knows" and he interpreted the role of the Dog in "Chanticleer" with Maude Adams.

Marguerite St. John created Lady Beaconsfield in "Diarraelli," the great George Arliss play. Alice Gale is known as "the best mother" on the stage.

While Kathryn Keys is Mrs. Arthur Byron. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one drugged disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh.

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GET SMUDGE OIL AT REDUCED PRICE. S. V. Beckwith, manager of the Rogue River Fruit & Produce association, announced yesterday that he

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ASHLAND WINS CHAMPIONSHIP BY SCORE OF 23 TO 17. The basket ball championship of Southern Oregon was practically won last night by Ashland when they out counted the locals 23-17.

Ashland excelled in team work and showed excellent judgment in basket shooting. They played a ragged game and the result of the contents was ever in doubt.

At the end of the first period the score stood, Ashland 12 and Medford 8. Ashland was always on the long end of the score but never far enough to be at ease.

The teams play on the Ashland floor tonight in the final game of the series. The Ashland five are regarded as the most probable winners of the state championship.

Every bit of dandruff disappears after one or two applications of Danderine rubbed well into the scalp with the finger tips.

IT Theatre. Every Friday and Saturday. Matinee and Evening. \$20,000,000 MYSTERY "KIDNAPPED"

"The Knockout" Two- Reel Keystone Comedy. Mutual Weekly News Dan Morgan's Wad

30 MINERS FOUND ALIVE IN COLLIERY. HINTON, W. Va., March 6.—Thirty miners were found alive today in the Layland mine of the New River and Pocahontas Coal company.

This morning rescuers came upon an entry of number 3 mine which had been bratticeed off. Close to the brattice work five men were encountered alive, but in a weakened condition.

The rescuers hastened their efforts and soon came upon twenty-five other living miners, apparently little the worse for their four days' imprisonment.

J. F. Hale is attending to business matters in Portland. All subscribers and all others interested in having a live band are requested to meet at the city hall Monday evening March 8th.

Band Meeting. All subscribers and all others interested in having a live band are requested to meet at the city hall Monday evening March 8th, at 8:00 p. m.

CAN'T FIND DANDRUFF. Every bit of dandruff disappears after one or two applications of Danderine rubbed well into the scalp with the finger tips.

ATTRACTION EXTRAORDINARY. The Andrews Opera Co. with a Cast of Metropolitan Singers in "MARTHA"

"MARTHA" Serio-Comic Opera in Five Acts Under the Auspices of MEDFORD LODGE OF ELKS. SPECIAL ORCHESTRA

THE PAGE Medford's Leading Theater SUNDAY ONLY. Lubin Feature Love of Women

VITAGRAPH A Man of Parts One Part. ESSANAY Dance of Alec Fountaine's One Part. Biograph Tess of the Hills One Part.

MUSIC BY Wurlitzer Orchestra. Mr. M. H. Steinmetz, Organist. ADMISSION 5-10-15 CENTS.

TO THE "MOVIE" LOVERS of Medford and the Rogue River Valley. THE PAGE MEDFORD'S LEADING THEATRE, THE THEATRE OF EVERY COMFORT, WHICH PRESENTS A GOOD SHOW ALWAYS.

Ever since the Page Theatre opened its doors under the present management, it has desired to get into a class exclusively its own. This, too, without any desire to reflect on any other Medford theatre.

We have succeeded in securing such a position by having formed a permanent connection with the General Film company for the exclusive selection of the entire output of that great producing and distributing concern.

Among the great producing plants in this aggregation are: Vitagraph, Broadway Star Features, Klaw & Erlanger Films, Biograph, Selig, Edison, Kalem, Lubin, Essanay, Melies and many other splendid offerings.

Among the film stars to be seen in these productions are Helen Garden, Alice Joyce, Kathryn Williams, Ruth Roland, Anita Stewart, Flora Finch, Ruth Stonehouse, Bessie Eyeton, Maurice Costello, Earl Williams, Francis X. Bushman, John Bunny, Arthur Johnston and Charles Chaplin.

Monday, March 8th. The Page will change its program completely four times a week, Sundays, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.