

CENT. POINT CLAY FACTORY PLANS ON LARGE EXPANSION

The Southern Oregon Clay Products Co. has completed plans for an important expansion program for this season, according to Dr. Chas. T. Sweeney, president.

Percy M. Johnson, president of the West Coast Finance Co. of Portland, is in Medford this week in conference with the board of directors of the company and arrangements have been made for Mr. Johnson to act as fiscal agent for the local company in obtaining the capital required for the expansion purposes planned.

The Southern Oregon Clay Products Co. is interested in the commercial development of the big local clay and kaolin deposits and already has a good sized brick plant at Central Point. According to Dr. Sweeney the company will engage in the manufacture of a general line of clay products, such as building brick and tile, fire brick, porcelain ware, crockery ware, roofing bowls, insulators, bathroom tile and fixtures, etc.

"The clays of southern Oregon are particularly adapted to the manufacture of high grade clay products," said Dr. Sweeney today. "Statistics show that during the past year a total of \$264,700,000 of clay products were purchased in the United States. Only \$2,054,000, or less than one-tenth of this amount were manufactured west of the Mississippi river."

"Freight on clay products from Red Wing, Minn., Columbus, Ohio, or Trenton, N. Y., the principal manufacturing centers is often much higher than the cost of the wares at the shipping points. We feel confident we can supply a large portion of the Pacific coast trade on a price basis far under eastern prices on account of the freight item, and yet make a good profit for our company."

"The irrigation projects of southern

Oregon will mean a large local market for drainage tile which we will be prepared to handle. All the Southern Oregon Clay Products company needs at this time is additional plant equipment and arrangements are now being made to acquire this."

A new testing kiln has just been completed and work starts this week on two large burning kilns. The company made approximately 800,000 brick last fall, most of which will be used for their own requirements.

TALENT APPOINTED TRAFFIC OFFICER

Chief State Traffic Officer Rafferty of Salem and Deputies G. N. Flannery of Salem and E. R. Thurber of Roseburg, who have been on a tour of inspection of the state, left today for their homes.

There was a deputy vacancy in division 9, comprising the territory from Rogue River to Glendale and while here Mr. Rafferty appointed C. P. Talent deputy for that district and he will begin work at once.

Mr. Rafferty says during the year stolen autos to the value of over \$16,000 were recovered by his department in this state. His annual report of fines collected and other data will be filed soon.

CALL SPECIALIST TO EXAMINE VENIZELLOS

PARIS, Jan. 31.—Mme. Venizelos left today for Athens, accompanied by Professor Vasquez, a prominent physician.

ATHENS, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press.)—Because of the inability of Greek physicians to diagnose Premier Venizelos' illness the famous French professor Abramie has been summoned from Paris.

LOCAL AVIATION FIELD INCLUDED IN U. S. BULLETIN

Information furnished by the Medford Chamber of Commerce regarding the Newell Barber Aviation Field at the county fair grounds is now published in the Aeronautical Bulletin by the chief of the air service of Washington, D. C., and copies are available for distribution to those interested in traveling by airplane.

Besides having a cut showing the location of the field there is a general description of class, position, description, obstructions, signals and markings, accommodations, repair facilities, stores, communications and meteorological data.

Considerable difficulty was experienced by the officers of the Medford Chamber of Commerce in getting the technical information which the government required. Now that this has been secured and is being published by the government, this field has an established standing among those who travel by airplane.

The Screen

Johnny Hines, Rialto

Johnny Hines, whose name stands for pep, effervescent punch and sparkling comedy, stars in "Little Johnny Jones," the screen adaptation of the George M. Cohan popular stage success, which opens today at the Rialto.

There is more intrigue, plot and thrills in "Little Johnny Jones" than can be found in a half-dozen similar plays.

The story is about Johnny Jones, an American jockey who never falls

LINCOLN'S KIN A CONFESED WIFE SLAYER



Chicago—Warren J. Lincoln, Aurora lawyer and horticulturist, who claims distant relationship to Abraham Lincoln, confessed that he killed his wife a year ago after she had killed her own brother and that he burned both bodies in a furnace. The confession clears for the first time his disappearance last April.

to bring his horse first to the winning line. He goes to England to win the Derby and a bride at the same time. Robert Anstead, a professional gambler out to get the race by fair means or foul, decides to woo Johnny Jones' sweetheart by maligning the character of his rival. And he proves marvelously cunning in his schemes. It would be unfair to give away the startling plot to you and thus rob you of several hours suspense; we need only hint that it is extraordinarily strong and arresting.

The supporting cast is: Windam Standing, Margaret Seddon, Robert Prior, Molly Malone, George Webb, Mervyn LeRoy, "Fat" Carr, Pauline French, and Brownie, the Wonder Dog, on whom devolves an important role.

ENGLISH CHAMPION TO WRESTLE GUS SCHNEIDAU HERE

Southern Oregon sport fans will be afforded the opportunity of seeing England's light-heavyweight wrestling champion, Sam Clapham, perform in Medford, since a match has been arranged between the English boy and Gus Schneidau of Medford at the Medford gym.

Clapham wears the famous Lonsbury championship belt and has come to Canada and the United States to tangle with some of the top-notch mat men on this side of the big pond. Clapham is quite a physical specimen, too, and from appearances, he will make Gus do some real work next

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Wednesday. Schneidau, on the other hand, is in the pink of condition and anxious to convince the visitor from overseas that wrestlers from the good old U. S. A. are the best.

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Ladies' Spring Shoes on display. All the sport shades, green, red, grey and beaver.....\$6.75



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Never have we displayed such beautiful dresses as this season. Hundreds of new Silk Crepes, Taffetas and Woolen Garments. \$18.50-\$25.00-\$35.00-\$45 to \$55

SPRING SWEATERS

We have just opened up our new Spring Sweaters. You should see them. Woolen, silk and wool, and silks. \$6.50-\$8.50-\$10.00 \$12.50-\$15.00-\$18.50

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