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A bunch of American soldiers and sailors New Years eve started out to welcome the incoming year in regulation style and we extend our thanks to the many business places who treated the squad, including the Spa, Horning, the pool halls, the Josephine hotel and the two restaurants, the Mocha and the American, where we were met with welcome and served hot coffee, pie and sandwiches, and other good things to eat, and we were greeted with cheer in the Stag and the Pastime. We seemed to be welcome every place with the exception of two places, both on the south side.

(Signed) A SQUAD OF AMERICAN SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

YOUNG PEOPLE MARRY ON NEW YEAR'S EVE

Friends, but not relatives, may be greatly surprised to read of the marriage of Helen L. Witherpoon to Alva N. Nipper Tuesday evening, December 31, 1918, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Holman. Judge James Holman, grandfather of the bride, officiating. Both young people have been residents of this city until a few years ago. The bride has been spending her Christmas vacation at home, having resigned her position as teacher in the school at Lincoln, Cal. The groom is quite well known here, and returned Tuesday afternoon from overseas duty in the aero service, having entered that branch of the army a year ago.

Both young people are graduates of the Grants Pass high school, being in the same classes. They left south Tuesday night for a short trip and expect to return in a few days to spend a week or so with relatives and friends.

Thirty thousand letters a week are written by the Red Cross to the families of soldiers, answering questions.

All kinds of Commercial Printing at the Courier Office.

NEW TODAY

- UMBRELLAS repaired, saw filing, knives and scissors sharpened, soldering. Champlin's second hand store. 54
- FURS, FURS, FURS—We buy furs, hides, wool, old autos for wrecking, and all kinds of junk, Grants Pass Junk Co., 403 South Sixth street, phone 21. 79

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Jack Lowe, of Hadley, Minn., is the guest of old time friends, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Offins.

Electric work—Paul's Electric store, phone 90 Medford. 62  
Private Ralph W. Eddy, 44th spruce division, arrived here Tuesday from Hoquiam, Wash.

"Absorbine Jr." Sabin has it. 54  
Jo Pardee left Tuesday night for Lebanon to spend a few days with Stanley Summers, before returning to O. A. C.

Hemstitching and picoting at 10 cents a yard—All work guaranteed The Vanity Shop, Medford, Ore. 271f  
Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Harvey returned Wednesday evening from Glendale, where they have been visiting for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Christlieb on New Years day entertained the Isaac Best and Amos Myers families.

Whole wheat bread, Moore Bakery. 54

Miss Fanchon Shinn and her friend, Miss Marie Lee, of San Francisco, are spending their vacation with Miss Shinn's parents on D street.

All orders for hemstitching and picoting promptly filled. Handicraft Shop, Medford. 54

Ted Cramer left Tuesday night for Corvallis to resume his duties as general manager of the student body of the O. A. C. He was accompanied by his friend, Elvert Andrews, of San Luis Obispo, who spent the holidays with the Cramer family.

SOME "SHOT" THE YEAR IN, OTHERS WENT TO BED

The new year started off by giving us the coldest night experienced in the Rogue River valley this winter. The thermometer registered 13 above zero, and this morning the mercury stood at 14 above. This is said to be the coldest weather that has settled over this part of the Rogue River valley for eight or nine years. As a result, many water pipes were frozen and plumbers were in great demand. The floors of some of the dwellings were flooded with icy water.

New Year's night the atmosphere was somewhat disturbed at midnight by those who believe in shooting the new year in, while over the city there were a number of watch parties. Others, more staid, and having full confidence and faith that the new year would duly make its appearance without assistance, went to bed. Their confidence was awarded Wednesday morning by Old Sol coming up in all his glory and shining brightly all day.

While this is not natural weather for Oregon at this time of the year, due to the absence of warm rains, nevertheless everyone is returning Old Sol's beaming smile.

SUFFRAGISTS GIVEN ROUGH TREATMENT

Washington, Jan. 2.—An outbreak occurred last night in front of the White House when soldiers, sailors and citizens undertook to end a "watch fire" demonstration, started in Lafayette Park by "sentinels" of the national woman's party, as a protest against the failure of the senate to pass the equal suffrage amendment.

Women carrying banners were knocked down by the charging crowd and their banners destroyed. An urn in which the "watch fire" was burning was destroyed. After the police had restored order the women started a new fire in one of the big urns of the park and five of them were arrested for violation of park regulations. They refused to furnish bond and were held at the precinct station.

During the afternoon the women burned copies of speeches delivered by President Wilson in Europe and as the last one was destroyed the "sentinels" unfurled a banner bearing an inscription denouncing President Wilson as "a false prophet of democracy." A dozen soldiers and sailors instantly surrounded the banner and shut it from the gaze of the crowd and several hundred persons.

Letter heads that will please you, at the Courier.

Member of Committee—Clyde E. Niles, of the River Banks farm, has been appointed a member of the livestock committee of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce.

Five Dollars Reward—Five dollars reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of any one stealing the Daily Couriers from residences or mail boxes.

Last of Force Returns—Mrs. Carolyn Wimer, who has been ill with the flu, is again attending to her duties at the Courier office, the entire force now being on duty.

Phone the Courier—It is impossible for the Courier representative to meet all trains and to know when you have friends or relatives visiting. When you phone this information to the Courier it is appreciated.

New Pastor Arrives—Rev. C. M. Cline, of Ellensburg, Wash., arrived Tuesday evening to assume temporarily the pastoral work of the Baptist church. He will be pleased to meet members and friends of the congregation at the prayer meeting this evening at 7:30.

Miss Boozer to Walla Walla—Miss Lavele Boozer left this morning for Walla Walla, Wash., to resume her studies in Whitman college after a visit with her father, Rev. L. Myron Boozer, and sisters while the college was closed the past month on account of the influenza epidemic.—Medford Tribune.

Entertains Young People—Miss Helen Bobzien, who is spending her vacation from O. A. C. at home, entertained about 20 of her friends at the home of her parents New Years eve. The evening was pleasantly spent with cards and music. Light refreshments were served.

Will Resume Law Practice—Having been discharged from the army I am again entering the practice of law at Grants Pass with offices in the Opera House building. Your business will be appreciated. J. N. Johnston. 54

Small Wreck—Early this morning seven freight cars left the track at Rocky Point, north of Medford, and delayed the morning passenger trains until after the noon hour. The cars were in the center of a southbound freight, the wreck being caused by an iron rod dropping down from beneath one of the cars.

Dies in Montana—C. O. Maynard, who has been living on a cattle ranch near Lima, Mont., with his wife and mother, died at that place from the effects of influenza December 20. The Maynards formerly lived in Grants Pass and still have property here. The sad intelligence of Mr. Maynard's death was received here by Mrs. E. Mathis.

Pomona Annual Dinner—Pomona Grange held their annual New Years dinner Wednesday in the W. O. W. hall, and those present enjoyed themselves to the fullest. There was the usual bountiful dinner and an entertaining program, as well as an open session of the grange. The Neilson orchestra gave numerous selections and Mr. Neilson gave some Harry Lauder selections, including his latest song. Miss Lucile Garber also gave two pleasing readings.

BORN—McFADDEN—At Williams, Ore., December 30, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McFadden, a daughter.

FOWLER—In this city December 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fowler, a daughter.

CREEL DON'T LIKE THE PRESS COMMITTEE

Paris, Jan. 2.—Chairman Creel, of the committee on public information, has replied to the criticism from America since he made his departure. He said he wished to have nothing to do with the press delegation after reaching Europe.

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ONLY A KID, BUT HAD MANY IRONS IN FIRE

He was only a kid, perhaps 10 or 11 years old, and was hustling along the street this morning. As he came even with me, he stepped onto a piece of ice that covered a shallow depression in the ground. His foot crunched through the thin ice and his foot splashed into the mud.

"That's the time you got fooled," I told him.

"You bet I did, but that don't hurt me. Where you goin'?"

"I'm going to the postoffice," I informed him.

"Well, I've got to go an' get a beefsteak and cook 'er," he panted.

"Are you a cook?" I asked.

"You bet I am—right now. Pa and Ma's both got the flu and I've got to cook 'em some meat. Pa's in bed and Ma ought to be in, but it don't do no good for Doc to talk to her. He can't make 'er go to bed 'till she gets ready."

"Then you're not going to school?"

"Naw—and that's what makes me hot. You see I've got to cook meat an' wash dishes and wait on 'em till they get well. But you bet I can do 'er all right, all right—I know how to cook," and with that he hurried on, adding that he would have to hustle.

He was a bright kid and surely had the "mettle" in him, and it's a safe prediction that he will not always work for wages. He's got too much "pep" for that.

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