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FAKER SELLS BOGUS LINEN

Women Warned Against Swindler Who Is Working Coast Towns.

Coos county women are warned against a smooth grafter who is working the coast towns selling bogus linen and shoddy rugs and furs. He recently swindled the women of Eureka and The Herald publishes the following concerning his operations: "One of the oldest bunco or graft games has been worked with great success in Eureka during the past week or ten days by a fellow named Winters, who has been staying at a local hotel and making a door to door canvass with a horse and buggy, selling table linen, furs and other articles dear to feminine hearts.

Winters "got away" with his graft to the tune of about \$100 a day while he was operating here, it is understood, and unloaded a great quantity of bogus goods on unsuspecting house wives and others.

Dressed in a uniform his graft was to intimate to his purchasers that he had smuggled the goods he had for sale, thus explaining the ridiculous low prices offered and obtained. So far as is known Winters is still operating.

The favorite bait of the smooth grafter is to offer for inspection beautiful table "linen" of most fetching design.

When close inspection is made by experts it is learned that this "linen" is nothing more nor less than mercerized cotton, cleverly laundered to present the appearance of linen of the finest grade. When again laundered, this "linen" looks like a badly wrinkled sheet and is utterly worthless except for duty as dish rags.

It is estimated that Winters sold nearly \$1,000 worth of goods in this city last week alone. Several complaints have been made but no attempt has been made yet to institute criminal proceedings."

Dr. McCormac has resumed practice in Lockhart building opposite postoffice.

Planet Junior S'EDERS and CULTIVATORS at MILNER'S.

Everything is in readiness for the EVENT OF THE SEASON, in the Dramatic line, "Shaun Aroon, by the Band Boys, Friday evening May 12th. RESERVED SEATS at the Busy Corner.

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Interesting Coming Events

IMPORTANT AFFAIRS IN THE LOCAL SOCIAL, COMMERCIAL AND FRATERNAL LIFE OF COOS BAY SCHEDULED FOR EARLY ATTAINMENT — CHAMINADE CLUB CONCERT—FIELD MEET—BAND WILL GIVE CONCERT AND OBSERVATION OF MOTHER'S DAY.

FIELD MEET HERE FRIDAY

Coquille, Bandon, North Bend and Myrtle Point in Contests.

It was announced yesterday that the annual Coos County High School field meet will be held at the Marshfield Fair grounds next Friday, May 12. It was stated a week or so ago that the event would probably be called off owing to the Marshfield High School Track Team going to pieces on account of the action of some of the members. However, Marshfield had been selected as the place of holding the contest this year and as the other schools were prepared for it, the final decision was to pull off the event as scheduled.

It was stated here yesterday that teams from North Bend, Coquille and Bandon will compete. It is expected that the contest will be a close one as Bandon has practically the same team as last year while the North Bend and Coquille aggregations have been materially strengthened since then.

A big crowd is expected from the valley towns where the interest is running high. With a track in first class condition and the ideal weather a crowd of people should be there to encourage the boys to their utmost. Some of these events will undoubtedly excel similar events in most meets. Some high jumping will be seen that is hard to beat in high school while in the shot put and dashes some first class men will compete. Oerding of Coquille will put the lead sphere around the 40 mark while Gallier of Bandon will show a pan of heels to most in the sprints. In the mile and a half, Laird of Bandon is expected to do wonders. He has won the mile two years in succession. It will be worth the price of admission to witness this event alone.

The list of events is as follows: 100 yard dash—Running broad jump. 220 yard low hurdle—Standing. 220 yard dash—High jump. 1/2-mile run—Pole vault. 1 mile run—Shot put. 1 mile relay.

FARMERS, OUSTED FOR GREEKS, ANGRY.

Their Labor Does Not Please the Contractors on Jackson County Road Job.

MEDFORD, Ore., May 9.—Hostilities may follow the announcement by Maney Bros., who have the contract for building 20 miles of county road from Derby to Rogue river, near Prospect, that no more farmers in that section will be employed by them. The contractors state that the farmers are too prone to sit on their plows and spin yarns and that in the future they will employ only outside labor. They have just received a large shipment of horses and have imported 100 Greeks.

The farmers are showing every sign of interference with the contractors if the order is not rescinded. A delegation called on the county court but was informed that inasmuch as the county road work was let by contract to Maney Bros., the commissioners had no way in which to interfere.

One of the members of the delegation stated that a delegation would call upon the contractors and determine where the farmers stood and that the contractors would be given a certain time to let the Greeks go and if they did not, force might be used.

Sheriff Jones stated that while he did not expect any trouble, his office would be prepared to protect the property of the contractors.

Follow the BAND to the BIG SHOW, FRIDAY EVENING, May 12, at the OPERA HOUSE.

MOTHER'S DAY NEXT SUNDAY

The Modern Woodmen of Coos Bay Will Observe Day With Special Services.

The Modern Woodmen of Coos Bay are preparing to observe next Sunday as "Mothers' Day," it being an annual custom to observe the second Sunday in May. The following proclamation from the head consul is self explanatory:

Sunday, May 14, is Mother's Day. On this day every Woodman should wear a white flower in honor of his Mother and write her a letter. It is highly proper that this day should be set apart in the Modern Woodmen of America for a special service in honor of the greatest single force in the world—Mother. It is most fitting that our society, embodying, as it does, the very life and spirit of the home and its blessed ties, should commemorate this day. No man, however learned or renowned, however famed or honored, should permit the spirit or environment of his great achievements to dull his sense of increasing obligation to the one who gave him birth. No man of wealth or poverty, no man of business or profession, no man in any station of life can allow either the depressing perplexities or the enticing allurements of his career to lessen his just estimate of the unsatisfied debt he owes to his Mother, or to weaken his desire for her love and benediction. That there may not be a day set apart in this country for other members of the family cannot, with balanced men, shadow the glory of "Mother's Day." How glad will be the multitudes to be privileged on this second Sunday in May to lift tolling hands, anxious faces, and heavy hearts from the trying tasks of life and turn again to Mother, whose smile or nod of assent is the fountain of inspiration and courage, the anchorage of hope and life, and for a day live over again those hours, when communion with her shaped the course and directed the career of the boy who now is the man. How very like the hanging of the fruitage to the vine do the hopes and purposes, the progress and influences of our life cluster about that one person—Mother. With her there was but one great thought, reaching from the beginning of her boy's life on to eternity, and that thought was how best with her love and tears she might make sure and smooth his path through all the way. No influence in the world's progress excels that of the world's Mothers. The great achievements of men in business, in statesmanship, in the professions, in literature, in poetry, in song and art are traceable to the controlling spirit and influence of a good Mother. It was her life in another form glorified in the triumphs of her boy. Her measurements pointed the way.

Turn a moment and look across the years we have come. She caressed the boy at her knee, she nourished him until he had strength to stand and prattle at her side; she watched over and protected him from harm while under her care, and when he went out into the big world a man, her sustaining love followed and even ran ahead; she rejoices in his success. His benefits are her delights; she weeps at his misfortunes; she shares his trials and business depressions; she stands by him in adversity, and should he go wrong it is Mother who cannot believe he has done evil. Friends may turn their backs, and acquaintances may condemn, but her love and faith surpasses all things; so that no matter what others may think, say or do, she clings to her boy with a devotion unmatched. The recollection of such untold sympathy and sacrifice is a great restraint to vice and a strong impulse to virtue. She brought the calm in the storms and tempests of our little lives; her touch was the healing balm for every

CLUB'S PLAN FOR CONCERT

Chaminade Musicales Program Promises to Be One of Unusual Merit.

The following announcement of the Chaminade Club of the concert arranged for next week will be of interest to the music lovers of the city:

The concert which will be given by the Chaminade club Wednesday evening, May 17, will be an event which deserves the patronage of every one who appreciates good music. The club has gone to great expense in securing Mrs. Elfrida Heller Weinstein, dramatic soprano, and Mrs. Delphine Mark, contralto, of Portland. Of these two artists, many flattering press notices have been received. One has only to read the Portland papers to realize the esteem in which these singers are held in their home city.

The numbers to be given by each artist, are varied and beautiful, including German, French, Italian and English songs.

One of the most attractive selections on the program, is a duet by Strelzski, sung by Mrs. Weinstein and Mrs. Marx.

The members of the chorus under the direction of Mrs. William Horsfall, Jr., have been rehearsing for some time past preparatory to the coming concert. The chorus work of the club which has always been delightful, promises on this occasion to excel all previous efforts.

GIVE PLAY AS BAND BENEFIT

Home Talent Production of "Shaun Aroon" Arranged For Friday Night.

"Shaun Aroon" is the name of a pretty little Irish comedy drama that will be put on at the Masonic Opera House on Friday evening, May 12th under the auspices and for the benefit of the Naval Reserve Band, under the direction of Prof. Hepburn. The play is replete with stirring situations, full of comedy, intermingled with figs and dances. The following is the cast: Shaun Aroon Claud S. Tucker Lord Hermoy M. W. Byrne Fergus Riordan Arthur Blanchard Dan O'Grady L. A. Hepburn Tom Hugh Long Hennings Ralph Batchelor Patrick Vince Pratt Mrs. O'Grady Mrs. Francis Feuton Molly Laura Keating Maggie Miss Jenette Escott

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