

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

F. P. Wagner returned to Kerby today after a few days in the city.
 M. Norden spent Thursday in the city, returning to Kerby this afternoon.
 Mrs. F. E. McFarland went to Rogue River this morning to spend the day visiting with friends.
 H. F. McClellan, of Hugo, was a visitor here for several days. He returned to Hugo today.
 A. W. Walker left this morning for a trip to Portland to look after business matters.
 A. C. Fogleson left last night for Portland, and will spend a few days there on business.
 George A. Bickel returned to Glendale yesterday evening after spending the day in the city.
 Albert Anderson has been a business visitor in Yreka for several days, returning here last night.
 Fancy flowered petticoats in all the new styles. Mrs. E. Rehkopf, of Mrs. E. M. Carl:ok went to Ashland this morning and will visit there for a short time with friends.
 Mrs. F. Zana, of Ashland, who has been visiting here with friends for several days, returned to her home this morning.
 Your February Delinestor is at the Golden Rule. 949
 Mrs. J. L. Firebaugh returned to Portland this morning after spending a few days in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Williams.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Norton left last night for Portland, at which place they will visit. Mr. Norton is a well known mining man of Alameda.
 Dance at the Waldorf Saturday night. 949
 J. K. Pigney, a former resident of Grants Pass, spent a week in the city looking after property interests. He left last night for Portland.
 Children's high top shoes on the bargain counter at the Golden Rule. Buy children's high top shoes at bargain prices while they last at the Golden Rule. 949
 A. R. Price, of Pullman, Wash., who spent Thursday here visiting friends, left this morning for Long Beach to remain during the winter.
 Mrs. S. Bennett has been visiting for a few days at the E. H. Young home, leaving last night for Wenatchee, Wash. After spending a few days visiting there, she will return to her home at Sand Point, Idaho.
 Coats at reduced prices; also wool and silk dresses. Mrs. E. Rehkopf, of Mrs. Eli Bailey and children arrived this morning from American Forks, Utah, and will make their home at this place. Mr. Bailey has been in the city for several months, being sugar-end foreman at the sugar factory.
 Carl F. Williams, editor of the Northwest Poultry Journal of Salem, is spending the day in the city. While here he is making a trip through the U. L. Upson poultry yards, and an article describing the ill-a-bee plant will appear in a later issue of the Journal.

Calling cards at the Courier.

Her Heart

against his mind—that was the combat.
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 Two forces woven from different fabric—of such was the combat.
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 Two hearts that beat out of tune—thus came the combat.
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 Her mother bartered her to this man—for his social position and her bad debts.
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 But the girl's faith was with another man, whom she secretly had married, and who had been reported dead.
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 How she overrides the misery of her home life, saves her first husband from the electric chair, and finds her real love in the daw of a new day, makes a vigorous, attention-compelling, heart-touching drama, with staccato action and deep emotional interest.
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 See "THE COMBAT," with the altogether brilliant and charming Anita Stewart and an all-star Vitagraph cast tonight or Saturday night, at the

Star Theatre

MURPHY

Applegate and Murphy played basket ball at Murphy Friday night with victory for the Murphy team.
 D. O. Hayes who has been living in Grants Pass this winter has traded his Murphy property for a house in Grants Pass and will continue to reside in the city.
 A number of the Murphy ladies met at the home of Mrs. Louis Roat, Wednesday afternoon, and organized a social club which will meet at the homes of the different members, and from the delightful afternoon of the first meeting, promises to furnish a great deal of amusement and entertainment for the members. The name chosen is F. M. I. C. Mrs. A. H. Carson was elected president and Mrs. R. K. Woodson secretary and treasurer.
 Mrs. Ralph Riley visited for a few days with her father, Mrs. Jeffers, while Mr. Riley was at the agricultural school.
 Mrs. Wm. Hannum has received word that her father is seriously ill. Mr. Barnes is serving on the jury in Grants Pass.
 Mr. Hannum's grandson, Homer Inman, who was so badly injured in an automobile accident, is getting along nicely and will soon leave the hospital.

Irrigation District
 There will be a meeting Saturday, January 13, at the Commercial club rooms, at 2 o'clock, to nominate three directors and a treasurer for the irrigation district.
February Delinestors
 Received this morning at the Golden Rule. 949
Banks Hold Annual Meetings
 The annual meetings of the Josephine County bank and of the Grants Pass Banking company were held Thursday afternoon, but no changes in the officials or the directors of either institution was made.

Englewood Dairy
 The best milk, cream and ice cream. Phone 222.
District Forester Here
 George H. Cecil, district forester, arrived this morning for a short stay in the city. While here he will be engaged in going over the appropriation estimate for the district with Mr. Macduff. He was accompanied here by M. L. Merritt district improvement engineer.
Rice Special
 Twenty two pounds of fine Japanese rice for \$1.00, Saturday only. Josephine Grocery company. 949
Leaves for Wren
 W. Bamber left last night with a car of stock and farm implements for Wren, Ore., where he will take charge of his farm. Mrs. Bamber and children will leave for Wren as soon as the car arrives. They have been residents of this section for the past year and are satisfied with this country, but have to take personal charge of their farm interests.

Judgment for Defendants
 The jury in the case of C. M. Lathrop vs. The Oregon Cement Sewer Pipe and Tile company returned a verdict giving the defendant company judgment for \$200 in payment for the pipe furnished the plaintiff. The defendants had made a counter claim for \$490 for the cement irrigation pipe. The plaintiff had sought to obtain judgment for damages claimed through failure to get water to crops when the pipe was bursted.

Sermon Series
 On Sunday evening at Newmann Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. Melville T. Wirtz will preach the first of a series of three sermons on "Temptation." These sermons are based on the three temptations of Jesus. The titles are: "The First Temptation, or the Assault Through the Physical;" "The Second Temptation, or the Assault Through the Spiritual;" "The Third Temptation, or the Assault Through the Vocational." They will be preached on successive Sunday evenings.
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OBITUARY
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Wm. A. Snider
 William Andrew Snider was born at Olympia, Wash., April 29th, 1861. He was married to Della C. Yancey, December 19th, 1887, and to this union were born six children, Ernest, Walter, William, Harry, Everett and Constantine. Walter died April 11th, 1908. Mrs. Snider departed this life July 1st, 1908. On November 21st, 1913, Mr. Snider was married to Mrs. Elmer A. Cressy, who with the remaining five children survive him.
 Mr. Snider died at the residence of his son at 713 Riverside Ave., Grants Pass, at 6 a. m., January 10th, 1917, being 55 years, 9 months and 11 days of age. The cause of death was tuberculosis, from which he was a patient sufferer for nearly two years.
 The funeral was conducted from Hall's chapel by Rev. Melville T. Wirtz. Interment in Granite Hill cemetery.

WOLF CREEK
 W. R. Newman, past 75 years of age and one of the oldest residents, was buried last Friday, having died after a brief illness, with pneumonia. Mrs. Newman, who has passed her 81st milestone and who has been ill with the same disease, is some better now.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Branham had the joy of welcoming a nine pound son last Saturday. All are doing well.
 Wolf Creek Good Roads club had a well attended and spirited meeting, at Garage hall last Tuesday evening and it was unanimously voted to send a delegation to the next meeting of the county court to protest the re-appointment of the road supervisor of this district and to assign the club's reasons for insisting upon a change.
 At the next regular meeting of the Wolf Creek Good Roads club, January 26th, County Agriculturist Thompson will be present, spending the day inspecting orchards and counseling with farmers and in the evening speak on some co-operative theme. The entire community, men and women, are cordially invited.

APPLEGATE
 Jas. Grubb, who has been visiting his daughter at Elkton for several months, returned to Applegate Thursday.
 Zeb Hyde was a business visitor at Medford last week.
 Our boys and girls basket ball team met defeat at the hands of the Murphy players last Friday. They will play a return game at Applegate Saturday night.
 Born, at Roseburg, December 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Harley Agee, a daughter.
 Mrs. Josephine Houston, who has been on a visit to her niece, Mrs. Harley Agee, at Roseburg, returned Friday.
 Captain Dobbin of the Dredge company was a Medford visitor Wednesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Benson were called to Grants Pass Saturday on account of the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Verna DeArmond, they returned Tuesday.
 Miss Ella Rawlings entertained a few friends Friday evening, January 5, at the home of Mrs. Harley Mansfield. Many delightful games were played and musical selections were rendered throughout the evening. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Mansfield. The guests were Miss Edith Kubli, of Applegate, Miss Mangurett Morresay, Bryan Hamilton, Otton and Leland Cantroll, of Ruch.
 Died, at Newberg, December, 23 1916, Mrs. J. B. Benson, aged 90 years, 7 months. Deceased was a resident of Grants Pass for many years and is well known in that vicinity. She is survived by three children, S. L. Benson of Applegate, H. A. Benson of Maiden Rock, Wis., and Mrs. Calvin Wells of Newberg.

GRASS PAPER
 Paper in which butter, margarine or lard has been wrapped should be kept and used as a lining for cake tins, as a covering for a pudding which is to be steamed and for wrapping up sweet roly polies before putting them into the cloth to be boiled. These papers are all ready without any more greasing, so there is a saving of both time and labor.

PROTEST DISCRIMINATION AGAINST MEN OVER 45
 Portland, Jan. 12.—Civil service discrimination against middle aged and old men is denounced today in resolutions adopted by the "Forty-five Efficient club," an organization of men 45 years and over. The resolution will be presented to the legislature, with a request that it be passed as a joint memorial to congress.

COMPLY WITH THE LAW AND USE PRINTED BUTTER WRAPPERS
 According to the ruling of the Oregon Dairy and Food Commission all dairy butter sold or exposed for sale in this state must be wrapped in butter paper upon which is printed the words "Oregon Dairy Butter, 16 (or 32) ounces full weight," with the name and address of the maker.
 To enable patrons of the Courier to easily comply with the ruling this office will supply standard size and weight butter paper printed with special waterproof ink, and delivered by parcels post, at the following prices:
 100 Sheets, 16 or 32 ounces ..\$1.00
 200 Sheets, 16 or 32 ounces .. 1.85
 300 Sheets, 16 or 32 ounces .. 1.70
 500 Sheets, 16 or 32 ounces .. 2.40
 Extra charge for special designs.
 Send orders by mail accompanied by the price as above and paper will be promptly forwarded to you by parcel post, prepaid.
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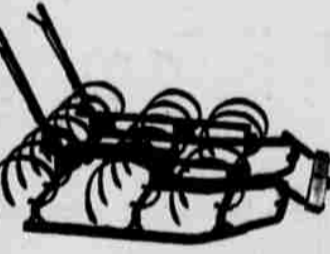
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KERBY

A decided interest was manifested by the citizens of Kerby in attending a mass meeting on Wednesday at which A. U. Fields, inventor of "Fields Process Smelter Fumes Co." was the speaker of the occasion. The attendance at the meeting was good and Mr. Fields held the attention of the audience while he gave a technical presentation of his subject—the establishment of a smelter at Kerby.
 Now is Kerby's opportunity. Men will have to be employed to establish the plant and keep it at work. To carry on the work of a 50-ton plant will require a force of 25 men

Bijou Theatre :: Last Night

Triangle's prettiest girl star
Norma Talmadge
 Star of "The Battle Cry of Peace" "Going Straight" "The Devil's Needle" "The Children of the House," in
The Social Secretary
 A powerful story with a delightful undercurrent of comedy. A 100 per cent picture of genuine enjoyment.
 There's the usual peppery Keystone "A SCOUNDREL'S TOLL"
 COMING—Saturday night, Florence LaBadie in, "Saint, Devil and the Woman."



A Spring Tooth Harrow
 with more clearance than others. Teeth do not trail leaves even... So constructed that it does not carry trash. Adjustable hitch. Teeth and frame guaranteed... Sold by
C. A. Winetront
 The Implement Man

CORONA
 THE PERSONAL WRITING MACHINE
 Combines quality, uniqueness, durability, usefulness and beauty, and only weighs six pounds, all done up in a neat carrying case. We also carry typewriter ribbons, carbon paper, Berkshire typewriter papers and manuscript covers.
Demaray's Drug and Stationery Store

COUNTY TREASURER'S CALL FOR ROAD WARRANTS
 All Josephine county (pink) road warrants, issued prior to, and including January 8, 1916, and protested on or prior to that date; are hereby called in, and are payable at the County Treasurer's office, on or after the 10th day of January 1917; on which date interest will cease.
 GEO. S. CALHOUN,
 County Treasurer, 603 G St.
NOTICE
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed assignee of S. Leona Reid under her voluntary assignment for the benefit of her creditors. All persons having claims against the said S. Leona Reid will present them to the said assignee by the 15th of January, 1917.
 EDWARD S. VAN DYKE,
 950 Assignee.

RELIEVE THE EYE STRAIN FROM NIGHT WORK OR READING BY USING A 75 WATT NITROGEN NATIONAL MAZDA LAMP
 Try one for a night—Return it if you don't like it. 10-15-25 an 40 watt in National Mazdas at 27 cents.
Rogue River Hdw.
 THE BIG RED FRONT

TREASURE TROVE LAW IN ENGLAND
 In England treasure trove belongs to the crown. According to the law, if any one finds hidden treasure and conceals it for his own use he is liable to fine and imprisonment. It used to be a hanging matter. However, it may be some encouragement to English treasure seekers, if any such there be in these enlightened days, to know that the laws of treasure trove only apply to such as is discovered by accident. Treasure discovered by systematic search would not come within this description; neither would finds discovered by astrological or cabalistic sciences or by the potent influence of the divining rod.—St. James' Gazette.
NEW TODAY
 (CLASSIFIED AD RATES.—25 words, two issues, 25c; six issues, 50c; one month, \$1.50, when paid in advance. When not paid in advance, 5c per line per issue.)
FURNISHED five-room cottage for rent. Mrs. G. P. Jester, 215 C street. Phone 168-R. 949f
LOST—Monday between East school and Star theatre, fountain pen with initial "N" on end. Address No. 69, Courier. 949
WANTED—5,000 tons chrome ore. Will buy on dump or f. o. b. cars. See George S. Barton, 307 South 5th street, Grants Pass, address P. O. box 646, or phone 229. 954

LITTLE OPPOSITION TO "BONE DRY" WASHINGTON
 Olympia, Jan. 12.—The only woman member of the fifteenth session, Mrs. Ida P. Williams of North Yakima, has the distinction of heading the committee which will decide the fate of the bone dry bill, introduced yesterday by Representative Halsey. She is chairman of the public morals committee. If there is any opposition to the measure it is being reduced to whispers. The general sentiment is that it would be suicide to talk loud.
 The bill provides for heavily increased penalties for violations. A public hearing on the bill by the joint morals committee of the house and senate was announced today by Mrs. Williams and Senator Walter S. Davis, chairman of the senate committee. The hearing probably will be held next Friday.

COMING EVENTS
 Jan. 13, Saturday—Children's story hour at public library at 10:30. Miss Jeanette Cramer, story teller.

Pauline Frederick
 In Clyde Fitch's great dramatic success, "The Woman in the Case," next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.
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