

Ideal Christmas Gifts

Perhaps Father needs something new, or maybe it is the young man son. Here you will find suits and overcoats for every taste, age and figure—belted coats and conservative models. All the fine winter fabrics tailored to perfection.

\$15 \$20 \$25

Suggestions for gifts

Beautiful silk neckwear

50c to \$2

Linen Handkerchiefs—Initial or plain

25c to 50c

Silk hosiery

50c

Sweater coats, all the new styles.

\$2 to \$10

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CLOTHES STORE
GRANTS PASS



PERSONAL AND LOCAL

P. E. Gerould, of Selma, is in the city today.

Kenneth Williams left for Portland last night.

Jack Wisecarver, of Sucker creek, is in the city on matters of business.

H. W. Engle left this morning for Klamath Falls on a business trip.

Mrs. J. F. Good left last evening for North Bend, where she will make her future home.

Mrs. J. B. Griffin left yesterday for Medford, where she will visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. J. Ford, who has been visiting with friends in the city, returned today to her home in Roseburg.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Waggle, of Smith River, stopped over with friends in the city while on their way to Vancouver, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Looner and the latter's mother, Mrs. A. Engberg, of Great Falls, Mont., arrived here last night to visit Mrs. R. S. Adams.

Jim Dean went to Galice today to commence the winter work at the Dean placer mines.

Sergeant John South, who spent several days here with his father, Frank South, left last night, returning to Alcatraz. He was accompanied as far as Weed by his sister, Miss Evelyn South, who also spent a few days with her father.

A. Schichtl who has been in the Steamboat district for some time working out the assessments on the Swinden & Schichtl cinnabar properties, returned to the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Coutler, of the Illinois valley, stopped over in the city today while on their way to Portland to visit their son, who has enlisted in the army.

Third Installment Due

The third installment on the second liberty loan bonds will be due on Saturday, the 15th.

Jitney Luke

Will be out of town for several days with the telephone company. 32

More Fords Sold

The Standard Oil company, Grants Pass; R. A. Lindsey, Wilderville; and Fred Krauss, Selma, have purchased Fords this week.

I Now Have Wood

Get in your orders. It will be very scarce. Parson's Wood Yard. 34

Notice to Patrons

Having decided to close my office on December 15th I will ask that all knowing themselves indebted to me to please call and settle on or before that date. All bills unpaid at that date will of necessity be collected through other channels. Dr. Ed. Bywater. 33

All Branches of Service Open

Instructions have been received by the recruiting office that all branches of the service are open for men under or over draft age, married or single up to the age of 40 years. 32

W. C. T. U. Meeting

The W. C. T. U. will hold a business meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Graham on North Sixth street.

Turkey Supper, 33c

Presbyterian church, Friday, December 14. 32

Bedding Needed

The Associated charities have urgent need for bed clothing for a deserving family in this city. Anyone having bedding of any kind to spare can place it to good use by phoning No. 277-J.

Christmas Sale

Of knitting bags, aprons, etc., also cooked food at Conklin building Saturday afternoon. Coffee and pie served from 12 to 5. 33

Niles Is Asked to Speak

Clyde E. Niles, manager of the Leonard Estate company, has been invited to address the Oregon Irrigation congress which meets at Portland the first week in January. Mr. Niles has had a very broad experience in irrigation and irrigation development, covering a period of over 13 years and it is regretted other plans will prevent his attending the conference at Portland.

Sale Saturday

The Woman's Home League of the Salvation Army will hold a sale of work, including aprons, rugs, fancy work, etc., on Saturday, December 15, at 603 G street. 33

Will Meet Tomorrow Night

The regular meeting of Grants Pass Council No. 1462, Knights and Ladies of Security, will be held in W. O. W. hall, South Sixth street, Friday evening, December 14, at 8 o'clock. In addition to routine business a class of 30 will be given the secret work. An excellent program has been prepared by the entertainment committee, and a good time will be had in celebration of the fact that the booster members of this council has raised the membership more than 100 within 60 days, thereby winning the state banner. 32

Football Dance

Given by the Girls' Honor Guard at the Waldorf hall Friday night. 32

Explosive Licensing Agent

Olive Lee Hull, justice of the peace, of Waldo, Ore., has been appointed explosive licensing agent in Josephine county. In accordance with an act approved October 6, 1917, and is authorized to execute and fulfill the duties of that office, and "any, and all persons, vendors, purchasers, analysts, desiring to purchase, or to use in any way, any powder, explosives, or ingredients, must procure a license, and it is, and shall be unlawful for any person to use, or to have in his possession, any explosives or the ingredients, without having first procured a license." 33

River Banks Creamery

Owned and operated by Leonard Estate company, is paying 53 cents for butter fat. Payments are made promptly on the 5th and 20th of each month, and all weights and tests absolutely guaranteed. 29t

Calling cards at the Courier.

Joy Tonight

Butterfly Pictures presents

'The Phantom's Secret'

with

MIGNON ANDERSON

HAYWARD MACK

and

MOLLY MALONE

Story of a girl's sacrifice for a dead father's honor
5 acts

7th Episode Purple Mask

'The Race for Freedom'

Oregon Industrial News

10c and 20c

"THE MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY," TOMORROW

THE AMERICAN PATRIOT

WILL GIVE NECESSITIES FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR THESE WAR TIMES.

A SUIT OR AN OVERCOAT, OR EVEN UNDERWEAR, SHIRTS OR HOSIERY.

GIVE CLOTHES, AND YOU GIVE WHAT THE RECIPIENT MUST HAVE. YOU GIVE TO FILL A NEED, NOT TO PLEASE A VANITY. YOU GIVE BODY-SHELTER, WARMTH AND COMFORT—NOT MERE DECORATION.

Be a Patriot

Join the Red Cross

Give Sensible Gifts

Peerless
CLOTHING CO.
GRANTS PASS, OREGON

Try Our Coffees

M. J. B.—1 lb. Can, 35c

M. J. B.—2½ lb. Can, 85c

Climax—2 lb. Can, 55c

Basket Blend, per lb., 30c

WHY PAY MORE?

Basket Grocery

417 G St.

Quality Butter

THE CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY

Owned by a large number of the best farmers of the Grants Pass district.

Backed by the farmers.

Managed by the farmers from now on.

Buying price, No. 1 Butter Fat, 53c pound. Selling price, No. 1 Butter, as good as you can buy anywhere in Grants Pass, 95c roll. Josephine County Co-operative Creamery Association.

Parent Teacher Association

The Parent-Teacher Association will meet Monday afternoon at the East school at 3 o'clock. An interesting program has been arranged and an informal discussion by both parents and teachers will take place, in which the parents' problem in the school and the teachers' problem in the home may be reduced to the plain level of cooperative service. Miss Crane and Miss Parker, of the teaching force, and T. P. Cramer and Mrs. A. J. Green, as parents, will be the speakers in the main. Mrs. Paul Kirker will read a paper on the "Misunderstood Child."

TURKEY DINNER

Turkey dinner at the Presbyterian church Friday evening, December 14, 5:30 to 7, tickets 35 cents.

MENU

Turkey
Cranberry Sauce
Dressing and Brown Gravy
Potatoes
String Beans
Brown Bread
Pickles
Pumpkin Pie
Coffee

COMING EVENTS

Dec. 17, Monday—Parent-Teacher association meeting at the East school at 3:30 p. m.

Dec. 31-Jan. 5.—Farmers' and home makers' week at O. A. C.

A Bad Memory.

"He has a bad memory."
"In what way?"
"He forgets when he borrows money from you, but he never forgets it when you owe him a few dollars."—Detroit Free Press.

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.)

WANTED—Good home for horse, for use of same with buggy and harness. J. A. Goding, west end Rogue River Ave. 13

LOST—Monday morning on lower river road between Weston's and Eisman's ranch, two link chains, each about 10 feet. Finder please notify K. Hammerbacher, phone 606-F-23. 33

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Xmas Suggestions

For Your Musical Friends

Sheet Music in

Beautiful Art Gift Covers

Music collections such as

"Woodland Sketches," "Dream Pictures," "Carrie Jacobs Band Song Collections."

Music Rolls, Bags and Folios, all styles and prices.

Call and see them.

The Music and Photo House

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Musical Instruments of all kinds

MAN WITHOUT COUNTRY AT JOY TOMORROW

"The National Sylvan Theatre, at the base of the Washington monument, was utilized tonight for the first time in history for the presentation of motion pictures.

"Permission has been repeatedly refused for motion pictures, but the government's consent was obtained for the holding here tonight of a monster patriotic rally, under the auspices of the bureau of commercial economy of the department of public instruction, with a special band concert by the United States soldier's home band.

"The occasion was the first public presentation of the new multiple reel photoplay, 'The Man Without a Country,' made by Thanhouser and offered by Jewel Productions for a nation-wide patriotic campaign."—Motion Picture News, September 29, 1917. Joy Theatre Friday and Saturday, December 14 and 15. 32

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Grants Pass Council No. 1462

Knights and Ladies of Security

will meet

Tomorrow Night

Friday, December 14, at the W. O. W. Hall

1 members requested to be present. Business of importance and a good program.

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THE BIG SALE IS ON!

And the many satisfied customers who purchased goods of us today is testimony as to the quality of goods and the

Great Reduction in Price

Look at the price tag. It shows the regular price and the reduced price. HERE IS AN OPPORTUNITY to get plain and decorated CHINAWARE; cut, blown and plain GLASSWARE; carved, decorated and plain POTTERY; Pictures and Picture Frames; Dinner and Baking Ware, and everything in the art line. Come and see for yourself.

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213 South Sixth St.