

Our Watches

TELL THE TRUTH

DOES YOURS?

Letcher & Son
JEWELERS

WOMEN GUARANTORS FOR CHAUTAUQUA

Chautauqua guarantors met Tuesday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. There were about 30 present and after discussion they voted unanimously that a Chautauqua for Grants Pass this season is a necessity. They decided to make the event a real success.

Heretofore men only have been on the guaranty list and there was always a deficit to be fought off. This year the guarantors are women and it is safe to predict a financial success.

All kinds of Commercial Printing at the Courier Office.

Why Suffer So?

Why suffer from a bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizziness and distressing urinary ills? Grants Pass people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Could you ask for stronger proof of merit?

Mrs. A. M. Evensen, 825 S. Fourth St., says: "I was nearly laid up with rheumatic troubles, which affected my hips and one of my limbs. At times the pain was almost unbearable. Often the muscles and cords in my limbs seemed to contract, causing intense pain. During this trouble, my kidneys were more or less affected, which prompted me to take Doan's Kidney Pills. The first box regulated my kidneys and I took about three boxes in all when the rheumatic pains in my hips and limb left me entirely. Now when my kidneys bother me, I use Doan's Kidney Pills and they always do me good."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Evensen had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 7, Friday—Meeting of the Public Service commission at the courthouse to consider increase in gas rates.
Feb. 8, Saturday—Meeting Rogue River Valley Grange.
Feb. 8, Saturday—Annual meeting Josephine County Live Stock association.
Feb. 12, 13, 14, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday—Soil and Irrigation school, direction Prof. W. L. Powers.
Feb. 26, 27, 28, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday—State examinations at the courthouse.

Is Your
Cracker
Baker?



PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Harry Sordy, of Galice, is in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Herman Schmidt went to Albany this morning to spend a few weeks with her parents.

Nursery stock of all kinds—Geo. H. Parker, phone 285-Y. 83

Miss Mildred Lown, of Portland, arrived here last night from Portland to visit friends.

W. L. Curtin returned this morning from Portland, where he made a business visit.

John Herman and daughter, Ida, of Selma, went to Roseburg this morning to visit Mr. Herman's daughter, Mrs. C. L. Hayes.

Fritz Krauss returned this morning from Camp Lewis, having been discharged from Battery D. 38th Field Artillery.

Hinds Cream: Sabia has it. 83
W. H. Caldwell arrived last night from South Bend, Wash., to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Pilgrim.

John Summers arrived this morning from Lebanon on a short business trip. On his return home he expects to start for his old home at Hart, Mich., for a visit.

Mrs. Fred Gumpert, of Portland, is the guest of Mrs. E. G. Holman. Mrs. Gumpert was a resident of Grants Pass 10 years ago. Mr. Gumpert having been in the dry goods business here.

Mrs. Hattie Jones, of Crescent City, arrived here last night from Portland accompanying the remains of her husband, who died in a Portland hospital. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Fealey. They left for Crescent City this morning.

The Oxford Cafe serves an excellent noon luncheon, prepared by a skillful chef and served at a popular price—35 and 40 cents. 83

Dairyman Marries in Indiana

Roy E. Lathrop and Carrie Fullerton were married at the home of the bride's parents at Kendallville, Ind., January 23. Mr. and Mrs. Lathrop arrived in Grants Pass Monday night and will make Grants Pass their home.

UNWELCOME LOT OF VISITORS

Irruption From the Sea That Struck Terror into the Heart of Youthful Castaway.

J. Allan Dunn's "Jim and the Admiral," in Boys' Life, contains this passage: Jim is alone on an atoll of the South Sea Islands when a band of blacks invade his solitude.

"Something appeared on a seething crest, a slender length of black like a mammoth water beetle, striking out with desperate legs. The next instant it slid sideways down the watery hill and smashed upon the reef. A dozen figures fell from it and then a dozen bobbing heads appeared in the lagoon. It was a canoe, the bobbing heads were those of natives.

"While he stared, first one, then another, dragged a weary body up on the beach and rested on hands and knees with heads hanging down as if exhausted. Slowly they got to their feet and staggered up the beach.

"They were like no natives Jim had yet seen. These men were black rather than brown. Their hair stood up in fanlike frizzes, dyed yellow and red by lime. Their foreheads were low, eyes deep sunken, chins retreating. The lobes of their ears hung in ragged strips almost to their shoulders and, stuck in the leathery fringes, were ornaments of brass and shell. Save for a wisp of fiber they were stark naked. And they were almost skeletons. Hips and ribs showed through skin tight as the parchment on a drum, elbows and knees were great knots and the legs and arms mere bone and corded sinews. Their lips were hideously swollen and cracked, they leaned on long spears. One, who seemed the leader, with a flat shell thrust through the cartilage of his nose, carried a club inset with gleaming bits of shell and studded with sharks' teeth. In the lagoon, its outrigger smashed, drifted their canoe, a high-proved, elaborately carved model."

Classified advertising in the Daily Courier will be charged for at the rate of 5 cents per line per issue unless paid in advance. The rate of 25 words at 50 cents per week does not provide for bookkeeping, postage on statements mailed, etc. Heretofore we have permitted occasional charges at the cheap rates but, no more.

NEW TODAY

APARTMENTS, rooms and garden ground for rent, Dean apartment house, 515 North Sixth street. 88

SECOND HAND goods of every description bought and sold. A. J. Powers, 408 South Sixth street. 11

Try Our Cakes and Cookies—Moore Baking Co. 83

Swinden Completes Enlistment

Ralph Swinden arrived home last night from New York, having been discharged from the navy on the expiration of his enlistment of four years. He trained at San Francisco and spent two years on the battleship Oregon. Soon after the entrance of the United States in the war, he was made captain of a gun crew on the transport Northern Pacific and made six round trips to France. Later he was transferred to the Jason as coxswain's mate.

Electric Work

Phone 90 Medford. Pauls Electric Store. 631f

Milk Bottle Shortage

It is reported on authority that there are several thousand milk bottles in Grants Pass homes that should be in possession of the milk dealers and dairymen. One dealer places the number out at 10,000. In many homes the bottles are used for canning fruit, others use them for containers for various liquids, while in some places they are simply stored in a back room or shed. The dealers ask that the bottles be returned.

Notice to Milk Consumers

Unless all milk bottles belonging to downtown dealers are returned by the 20th a deposit charge of 15 cents per bottle will be made hereafter. Return bottles regardless of how long they have been out or whether tickets have been lost. Committee. 85

Hampshire in Portland

John Hampshire, Grants Pass contractor, is at the Portland. Mr. Hampshire has the contract for constructing 10 miles of highway through Cow Creek canyon, between Canyonville and Galesville, in Douglas county. This roadway is through the Umpqua forest reserve; therefore the state and the government are sharing the expense. He says that \$200,000 is being expended for grading alone, one huge caterpillar steam shovel and many teams of horses and graders being used.—Oregonian.

VOORHIES IS MANAGER OF UNIVERSITY BAND

University of Oregon, Eugene, Feb. 5.—Jack Dandore, of Portland, a junior, was elected president of the university band at a special meeting last night. Other officers chosen were Lloyd Still, of Milton, secretary; Earle Voorhies, of Grants Pass, manager; Walter Wagner, of Sutherlin, librarian.

The university band is planning a combined concert with the band of Eugene. Miss Eleanor Lee, of Pomona, Cal., vocal instructor of the university school of music, will be the soloist. The band this year has a membership of 35 and is practicing weekly under the direction of Albert Perfect, of the school of music faculty. Classical music is being studied.

PRISONER SAWS IRON BARS AND ESCAPES

The first county jail escape under the administration of Sheriff Chas. Terrell took place some time last night and was not discovered until this morning. The erstwhile prisoners who escaped is Joe Martin of Ashland who was held in \$2,000 bail on the charge of criminal assault on a young Ashland girl. The sheriff and deputies are scouring the country for him today and the police of all surrounding towns were notified by telephone or telegraph to look out for the escaped man.

Martin made his escape by sawing off one of the one-half inch bars across the skylight of the jail corridor with an old case knife, crawling through the skylight and letting himself down to the ground by means of a rope improvised by cutting his bedding into strips. He was not locked in his cell last night and had the freedom of the corridor. By stacking up tables beneath the skylight he was able to reach the latter and saw the bar off.—Medford Tribune.

OREGON TO SEE BIG BOOM IN POULTRY

U. L. Upson, federal extension poultryman is in the city for a short visit with his family and to push the Hatch Early campaign. Mr. Upson is coming down from Corvallis on the train yesterday read the account of the death of Ray Bravinder, well known here. Young Bravinder, who was killed in France, was with Mr. Upson as poultryman for more than eight months, resigning to enter the service. Mr. Upson says that two of his poultrymen have been killed in France, the other being, Leaman L. Graves.

Mr. Upson goes to Medford Thursday on work connected with the Hatch Early campaign. He says that this will be the biggest poultry season that Oregon has ever seen, and that the limit of the number of chicks hatched is the number of hatching eggs procurable.

DEL NORTE PEOPLE ANXIOUS FOR ROAD

G. A. Webb, an automobile dealer of Crescent City, returned to his home today, having spent yesterday in this city on business. In speaking of the roads between this place and the coast city, Mr. Webb stated that the highway is in a very bad condition, especially on Oregon mountain where there is a two mile stretch that most autos are unable to pass over. He said the stage drivers use four horses on this stretch of road hitched to their automobiles, and that at places the horses sink into the mud up to their knees. The remedy needed, said Mr. Webb, is a little attention to that part of the road during the winter months.

In speaking of the harbor bonds of Crescent City, Mr. Webb stated that they had been sold but that in all probability no work would be done until business conditions are more settled and men could be employed at a reasonable wage. It is stated, although not authoritatively, that the harbor improvement will be made whether the proposed railroad between Grants Pass and the coast city is built or not.

Asked as to whether the people of Del Norte county would look with favor on the \$300,000 bonus asked, Mr. Webb said it was too early yet to determine, but added that the people of that section will make any kind of a reasonable deal to secure a railroad.

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.

THE FARM BUREAU—ITS AIMS AND WORK

The Farm Bureau is an organization made up primarily of farmers, fruit growers and stockmen. It is non political and non sectarian, an organization that is recommended and reorganized by the federal government and co-operates directly with the U. S. department of agriculture, state agriculture college and experiment stations and states relation service of Washington, D. C.

The chief functions are to coordinate the efforts of existing local agricultural forces, either organized or unorganized, and to organize new lines of effort. It does not supplant any existing organizations or compete with them, but establishes a clearing house through which all may increase their efficiency without in any way surrendering their individuality.

To bring to the agents the counsel and cooperation of the best farmers in the county in planning and executing an agricultural improvement program.

To furnish the necessary local machinery for easily and quickly reaching every community in the county with information of value to that community or to the county as a whole.

To encourage self-help through developing and exercising leadership in the rural affairs of each community.

To reveal to all the people or the

county the agricultural possibilities of the county and how they may be realized.

The Josephine County Farm Bureau is regularly organized and has outlined a complete program of work for Josephine county, as follows:

The following is a list of the projects and the project leaders:

1. Industrial club work and school lunches, Mrs. W. W. Canby, R.F.D. 2, Grants Pass.
2. Conservation of clothing, Mrs. C. E. Niles, R. F. D. 2, Grants Pass.
3. Preservation of Foods, Mrs. C. D. Thompson, Grants Pass.
4. Health and sanitation, —
5. Home study tour, Mrs. Geo. Eaton, R. F. D. 2, Grants Pass.
6. Household accounts, Mrs. A. J. Green, R. F. D. 3, Grants Pass.
7. Farm records, Wm. Ansland, Dryden, Oregon.
8. Horticulture, U. D. Mihills, R. F. D. 2, Grants Pass.
9. Poultry production, T. P. Cramer, Grants Pass.
10. Rodent control, W. G. Smith, Wolf Creek, Oregon.
11. Irrigation, C. E. Niles, R.F. D. 2, Grants Pass.
12. Field demonstrations, S. E. Robinson, Wilderville, Oregon.
13. Live Stock Improvement, W. B. Lindsay, Merlin, Oregon.

Of the above projects the Farm

Bureau is particularly putting stress upon irrigation, field demonstrations and live stock.

Present irrigations needs have brought the conclusion that the Farm Bureau should investigate, and assist in the development of every possible source of irrigation water in the county. There are large possibilities along Deer creek, Sacker creek and Rogue river, besides smaller projects that will receive consideration.

Both County Agent Thompson and the Project Leader Niles are men who have had wide experience in practical irrigation and together with a number of the land owners are right now working diligently in an effort to bring the proposed irrigation projects in the immediate vicinity of Grants Pass to a successful conclusion.

Mr. Thompson has taken a hand in organizing various irrigation projects, while Mr. Niles had served as superintendent of two large irrigation systems before taking up his duties as manager of the Leonard Estate company. One of these projects is a part of the government Umatilla Irrigation project, where Mr. Niles was in charge of construction work and farming operations, and the other one was the Rogue-lands Company at Medford, with 50 miles of canals, pipe lines, etc., where he served for five years before coming to Grants Pass.

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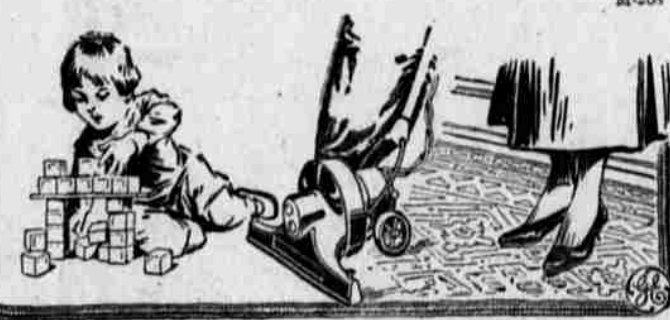
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Charles Ray

in

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A Paramount Picture

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