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FOR SALE—If you are looking for a convenient little home close in at a reasonable price, call at 714 J street. 64

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Don't Miss It—

Wedding bells will ring at Deer Creek Grange hall Friday night, December 31. Everyone bring a full basket of eatables. Home talent entertainment and we will all dance after the wedding march at 12 o'clock. Big time assured young and old. Starts promptly at 9 o'clock.

Same Good Time—

Same good music for the same price at the New Year's eve dance. Waldorf hall. 60tf

BORN

LONG—To Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Long of this city, Wednesday, Dec. 29, a 12-pound boy.



LOOK OUT!
FOR THE
MYSTERIOUS
INTRUDER
SEE TOMORROW'S
PAPER

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

F. S. Bramwel returned this morning from Portland where he has been attending to business matters for the past few days.

John Hampshire has been spending a few days in Portland and Salem attending to business. He returned this morning.

Mrs. George Calhoun left this morning for Portland to spend New Years with her son, Lester, who is located in the Rose city.

Mrs. W. J. Howell has been visiting here with her son, A. K. Brown, for the past week. She left this morning on her return to her home at Albany.

H. C. Kimball, wife and daughter, of Lakeview, arrived in Grants Pass Tuesday and expect to make their home here. They spent the past six weeks in Ashland.

Wilford Allen, secretary of the Grants Pass Irrigation District, returned this morning from Portland where he has been for the past few days. He delivered \$200,000 worth of the district bonds to the Schneeloch company.

The City Market will be closed all day Saturday and Sunday, January 1 and 2. 64

Mrs. Ralph Davis returned to Springfield this morning. Mrs. Davis has been visiting here with relatives and friends for the past week. Mr. Davis left Sunday night for his home, having to return earlier on account of his duties with the Southern Pacific.

Will The Person—

Who took the brown Heidman hat with the initials F. S. C. by mistake at the Christmas dance, please notify Mrs. Goettsche and exchange it for their own. 63

Opening Was a Success—

The opening of the beautiful new theater, the Rivoli, last night was the occasion for every theater goer in town attend and inspect the new building. Many complimentary remarks were made concerning the theater which is regarded as one of the best in the state. The picture, while not a feature production, was very good. The stage setting was specially made for the local theater and is one of the best that could be procured. The playhouse, which seats about 800 people, was filled for the first show and a number waited for the second. Hunt & Antle, the lessees have provided an exceptionally good picture service and will maintain their present high standard of shows.

New Year's Eve Dance—

Waldorf hall, December 31, dance tickets \$1.50 per couple, 25c extra ladies and spectators. 60tf

Discussions Are Heard—

According to persons returning from Portland, the failure of the Morris Bros. bond house is about the only subject up there that is being discussed. Sentiment is pretty strong against the heads of the defunct corporation as many people all over the state were involved in the losses. Losses from here continue to mount, and it is believed that the total loss in Josephine county will run up into large figures. The losses represent the savings of years for many people.

New Year Tree and Treat—

Members of S. B. A. and families are to attend the exercises Friday evening at 7:30 in their hall. There will be a program and treat of candy for children and juniors. The watch meeting will be enjoyed by those who wish to remain. 63

Big New Year's Dance—

At Gold Hill. Saturday night, January 1. Real live orchestra. Let's go! 64

Two Taking Agriculture—

Willett B. Murray and Wallace E. Niles, of Grants Pass, seniors and Garnet D. Best, of Grants Pass, a freshman, are the only representatives Josephine county has in the school of agriculture during the first term of this school year. All of the Oregon counties are represented in the school of agriculture with the exception of Curry, Harney and Jefferson. Benton county leads in the enrollment of agricultural students in the college with 65 or 2 more than Multnomah. Twenty-six of the Oregon counties have 79 of the 154 federal rehabilitation men enrolled for agricultural training in the college.

What a Dream—

You'll miss by dancing all night at Murphy Saturday, January 1. 64

SALVATION ARMY THANKFUL

The Salvation Army wishes to thank the many friends who helped to make our Christmas relief effort a success. And not only at Christmas but all the year round, you have been loyal and helpful to us. Words fail to tell you how we feel toward you. It is like the old lady's testimony: "It's better felt than told." And we wish you to know that we are in Grants Pass for service, or servants of the people, and in this way we serve God. Wishing you a happy and prosperous new year, we are yours for the good we can do, ENVOY and MRS. W. C. SINCLAIR Officers in Charge.



Five Dollars—

For the best waltzers at the New Year's eve dance. Waldorf hall. 60tf

New W. U. Operator—

A very new addition to the Western Union forces arrived yesterday at the home of one of the operators, R. E. Long, and after giving him the once over, decided to remain. He weighs 12 pounds and is a lusty chap, for when it comes to sending messages, he can back his dady clear off the map. Congratulations and cigars are being passed down at the office.

Prize Waltz—

At the New Year's Eve Dance. tf

Rainfall Is Heavy—

The rainfall last night was one of the heaviest of the winter, .81 of an inch having fallen since 5 o'clock last night. The warm winds have maintained an even temperature of about 50 degrees, making the weather seem almost like spring. The rain brought up all the small creeks and took the snows out of the foothills.

Lucky Spot—

And favor dances at the New Year's eve dance. 60tf

River Going on Rampage—

The Rogue started on another of its periodical spasms last night and today had reached the highest point of the year. Reports from Gold Ray state that the river is rising at the rate of a foot an hour. Much large drift is being brought down. No damage has been reported at the Savage Rapids dam, much work having been done to keep it out of danger.

Church of the Nazarine—

Gospel services in the W. O. W. hall on Thursday evening, 7:30, by the Rogue River church of the Nazarene. L. E. Fenton, pastor.

Quota About Reached—

The quota set for Josephine county in the drive for funds to relieve the starving children of Europe has been about reached, according to the report sent in today by Chairman J. L. Pittenger. With six country districts yet to be heard from, a total of \$1530 was raised, the quota for Josephine being \$1700. Mr. Pittenger is sure that the returns from the districts which have not yet reported will put the county over the amount set.

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