



A Long Time Ago

SOMEONE ASKED:

"Miss Mary, quite contrary,
How does your garden grow?"

Such a question is aggravating after the garden is planted and there is found to be something the matter with the seed.

We don't believe there will be any trouble if you come to us for

GARDEN SEEDS.

For we are headquarters for the best seed. These seeds are guaranteed to grow or we wouldn't keep them. All fresh this year.

Onion sets 10c per lb.
Timothy seed 8c
Tahiti alfalfa seed 10c
Red clover 11c
White clover 25c

Kentucky blue grass 15c per lb.
Orchard grass seed 16c
Lawn " " 20c
Red top " " 11c

Garden seeds of all kinds in bulk.
All varieties of flower seed.

B. & M. Grocery.

POST OFFICE STORE.

OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.

We are Selling Out...

Our stock of Vehicles at less than cost and have some exceptionally good bargains. We have on hand 2 Fish Bros. Hacks, 2 Top Buggies, 1 Open Buggy, 1 Road Cart and 1 Democrat Spring Wagon. All of these goods are new and high grade. If you need any thing of this kind, examine our stock and get our prices.

Cramer Bros.

NEXT TO POST OFFICE.

OLIVER CHILLED PLOWS. HARROWS & CULTIVATORS.

50c

A Little Shirt Talk

Is there any reason why you should wear an ill-fitting shirt? Most of the shirts sold now-a-days are like a sack, with holes cut in and sleeves set on, and a collar that feels to you as though it were not content with its station in life but continually trying to rise up around your ears.

We have a shirt hobby, and it will prove a good thing for him who would wear a slightly, easy, good-fitting shirt, 36 inches long, FASHION CUT, deep yoke, collar reinforced with reinforced collar band, felled seams and two rows of thread, making each seam doubly secure by the use of a lock stitch. Which would you prefer?

Fifty cents buys a good shirt from us; 50c will not equal it elsewhere; our hobby on a 50c shirt does you good—we do not make so much profit but we do sell more shirts. Let us show you the difference.

P. H. Harth & Son.

Clothing, Boots, Shoes,
Men's Furnishing Goods and Hats.

50c

Look at our stock of the

-- Celebrated --

Bridge Beach Steel Range

Headquarters for Mining Supplies

The Jewell Hardware Co.



After a Rain

Your feet are wet; you cough, sneeze and feel bad all over. Wear a pair of Smith the Foot Fitter's Shoes—they keep your feet warm and dry. One pair will last your boy Nine Months.

No More Grumbling About High Prices

When you buy at the New York Racket Store.

Fifty Cents will buy lots of goods, and good ones to. We sell lots of goods; what is the use of wasting a dollar when you can save it. Bring your pennies to

THE NEW YORK RACKET STORE.

Local Happenings

Baths at McGregor Bros.
Shoes repaired at Hackett's.

C. St. Louis for watch repairing.
Fresh sugar cured hams at Ahl's.

Phyby does developing for kodakers.
B. & M. handle Snowy Butte flour.

Try Schilling's Best tea and baking powder.
Red Clover, Alfalfa and Timothy seed at Wade's.

Coe, Thomas & Company have finished taking stock.

Take your shoes to Yokum, Sixth St. for repairs.

Scott Griffin pays cash for county and city warrants.

If you want a first class bath, you can get it at McGregor Bros.

For quick work in photographs go to the Carbon photo studio.

Particular attention paid to children's photos at the Carbon photo studio.

The Johnson Uncle Tom's Cabin Company, Saturday next at opera house.

Important improvement in the Crescent this year. See T.A. Hood about it.

The weekly Oregonian and Cochrane one year for \$2.00 paid up subscribers.

Hot staff for cold feet—those heavy wool socks at Harth & Son's.

Large assortment of Dried Fruit, best quality. Calhoun Grocery Co.

Hoods Pills are purely vegetable and do not purge, pain, or gripe. All drug stores.

Smoke the Stage Line Cigar. It is the best 5 cent cigar in the market—J. G. Schmidt.

The best place in town to get your shoes repaired is at Hackett's harness and shoe shop.

Go to the Calhoun Grocery Co. successors to Calhoun Bros. for every thing you want to eat.

Every body attend the measure social at the Bethany Presbyterian church to night (Wednesday).

A warning will be given to our patrons in our BLANKETS. Good enough for Klondike. Harth & Son.

Have you dandruff? Is your hair falling out? If so try McGregor Bros. dandruff cure. No cure no pay.

Advertise Southern Oregon by using "Klondike Rivalled" envelopes. The Courier will sell them at 5c per pack age.

McGregor Bros. Agents Troy Steam Laundry; satisfaction guaranteed. Laundry leaves Tuesday, 7:30 P. M., returns Saturday, 8 A. M.

Secure your tickets at once for the performance of Uncle Tom's Cabin Company at the Sugar Pine store, for they are selling rapidly. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

Whenever you want any fire insurance don't fail to call on Price and Voorhes. They will insure your property in the worlds best company, the Liverpool and London and Globe.

The Mining Journal is distributing copies of the paper on each north bound passenger, as a means of advertising Southern Oregon. A commendable enterprise.

Sweet Potatoes, California Cabbages, Bananas, Oranges, etc. Calhoun Grocery Co.

For information concerning Ladd Chittenden Cyanide Leaching Trough for sulphuretted ores inquire of H. C. Perkins, local agent, Grants Pass. Union Iron Works agents for the Pacific coast.

Values that stay right with you until you are satisfied with your investment every time you buy one of our high cut double sole and tap, heavy outside covered shoes.—Harth & Son.

The Northern Pacific Ry. Co. makes the fastest time East and gives the best service. If you are going it is to your advantage to consider these points. E. E. Dunbar, agent; Grants Pass.

The time social at the parsonage of the M. E. church south on the evening of the 22nd inst. is one of the pleasant events anticipated. Due notice is hereby given by the committee of arrangements.

From a private letter received from Watsonville, Cal., we are informed that the weather in that section, in fact throughout southern California, is extremely dry for this season of the year, and unless it rains soon the crops must be of consequence very short. The old residents say they never saw so much cold weather, as they have experienced this winter.

A very small boy riding a very large horse created a sensation on Front street last Thursday. The boy, riding down the street at a good pace and no doubt thinking he would show the crowd near Judge Chiles' grocery how well he could ride, gave the horse a smart cut with the whip just as he was turning the corner. The horse jumped, and fell, throwing the lad into a mud puddle and a road away. The youth was not hurt but he is a wiser boy.

County School Supt. Hayes, assisted by Mrs. Hayes, and W. A. Miesle are holding the teachers' quarterly examination at the court house. The following teachers are taking the examination for county certificates: Meses Birtle, Fetterly, Mary Day, Myrtle Anderson, Lillie Penne, Anna Wade, Ethel Holder, Mary Triplet, and Zera Pool and E. P. Cribbs. Miss Maximilia Nichols is taking the examination for a life diploma.

J. L. Yokum shoemaker.

Will Jackson resident dentist.

Take your kodak films to Phyby.

Calhoun Bros. for Snowy Butte flour.

Phyby's portraits of children are O. K.

Clemens, Drugist, opp. Opera House.

Cramer Bros. Have completed their invoice.

W. H. Flanagan, physician surgeon and dentist.

New sugar cured breakfast bacon.—City Market.

Fresh fish every Friday at Ahl's City Market.

H. C. Perkins, United States Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

Fully guaranteed Crescents, No. 9 or 10, for \$35, at Ben's Bicycle Den.

Leave your washing at McGregor's barber shop for good work.

J. L. Yokum, the pioneer shoemaker will repair your shoes to perfection.

The Odd Fellows will soon occupy their new building on Sixth street.

Sweetland & Co. always have a good supply of choice cuts of meat.

McGregor Bros. are agents for the Troy Laundry, Portland. Call on them.

Frank McGregor came home on account of the sickness of his mother.

Call on H. C. Perkins, United States Deputy Mineral Surveyor, for work in his line.

See Uncle Tom's Cabin Saturday next at opera house by a competent company of actors.

The popular price for wheels this year is \$35. T. A. Hood has the No. 9 and 10 Crescents at that price.

See "The Call" great discount club rate on Bryants History at the Cochrane office today.

Mr. Cundy will conduct the service in St. Lukes church on Sunday morning, the 13th. All are invited.

"After the Ball"—After the ball is over bring the child to the Carbon photo studio, opp. Court House, Grants Pass.

Second hand, as well as new sewing machines sold by Dr. W. F. Kremer at the National drug store—give him a call.

The machinery belonging to the new Pine Needle Company by the school house has been attached by Terrell & Son.

Wouldn't you like some good Oats at 50 cents a bushel. Calhoun Grocery Co.

August Rehkopf and his son Henry of Appleton, were in the city last Saturday and purchased one of Cramer Bros. fine buggies.

The petition presented to the council last Thursday night, asking for a certain number of lights in the city, was read and referred to committee.

The News, Berto McLean's paper, has ceased to exist, and Berto has taken the place with the Cochrane force made vacant by the resignation of Miss Scovill.

Mrs. Bagley, mother of the McGregor brothers, was stricken with paralysis a few days ago, for a while it was thought seriously, but we are glad to report her improving.

Mrs. W. C. Stiles of Williams came to the city Tuesday to visit Charles M. who came up from Meritt last Friday sick, threatened with an attack of pneumonia. We are glad to state that Mr. Stiles is better.

If you are going to take a trip East and want it to be a pleasant one, go via the Northern Pacific. Their accommodations are first class in every respect. For rates etc call on or write to E. E. Dunbar, grants Pass.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is a perfect Malarial Liver Tonic and Blood purifier. Removes Biliousness without purging. As pleasant as Lemon Syrup, it is as large as any dollar tonic and retails for 50c. To get the genuine ask for Grove's.

For constipation take Karl's Clover Root Tea, the great blood-purifier cures headache, nervousness, eruptions on the face, and makes the head clear as a bell. Sold at Kremer's Drug Store.

Don't run any risks about health. Avoid coughs, colds, fevers, pneumonia, and all other similar ailments by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Sheriff Fred Ferguson of Del Norte county, California, died the 30th day of January. Mr. Ferguson was a witness here in the Leasuel Melson case. W. T. Bailey was appointed his successor.

The ever welcome play of Uncle Tom's Cabin will be presented by a masterful company Saturday next. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents. Seats on sale at Sugar Pine store.

W. S. Barrie has about completed the plastering and ornamental work in his line on the Odd Fellows' building. There are in the building about 2500 square yards of plastering and it is without doubt one of the best, if not the best, work of the kind in the city.

From the Del Norte Record, we learn that David Ward of Detroit, Michigan has purchased 8000 acres of timber land in Northern California. This is said to be the finest timber in that section of the country, having an estimated yield of 40,000 feet of lumber per acre. The price paid ranges from \$1,150 to \$3,000 per acre.

Rev. Gilman Parker, the general missionary of the Oregon Baptist convention began a series of meetings at the Baptist church Sunday. Considerable interest already awakened. Meetings every day at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. Rev. Parker will preach on the "Unpardonable Sin" Sunday night, and preach the funeral sermon of the next winner that dies in town, on Monday night.

Personal

Wm. Bybee of Jacksonville visited us last week.

Hon. Wm. M. Colvig, of Jacksonville, was in this city last Monday on business.

Miss Allie Pool visited the family of W. C. Stiles on Williams last week, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Ella Mead is spending a few days visiting relatives and friends near Woodville last week.

Hon. George Colvig and Judge Brower were in this city Monday night to argue a case in the supreme court.

Miss Ella Layton, after visiting two or three days in the city last week, returned to her home on Applegate Friday.

Wm. Ulrich of Medford, the pork packer, is over on the coast in the neighborhood of Crescent City buying cattle.

Miss Etta Tollock left last Saturday for Red Bluff, California. She stopped over to visit her sister at Yreka, while enroute.

Frank Johnson was called home last week on account of the sickness of his wife. Mrs. Johnson is better at this writing.

Mrs. Josie Nickerson returned this week to Sison where she resumes her work of keeping boarders for the large mill company.

D. T. Lawton of Medford was a passenger on this (Wednesday) morning's train for home, after his trip to Portland to attend the Republican club.

J. S. Purdon and wife returned from their trip through California, this Monday evening. Mr. Purdon reports a good time and an improvement in his wife's health.

H. L. Trux manager of the S. P. D. & L. store, assisted W. J. Rogers in purchasing his stock of cigars and tobacco in Portland for the Skagway trade.

Messrs Calhoun, Benson, and Trux, delegates to the state republican club which met in Portland last week. The boys report all harmonious along the line.

I. W. Slinger of Butte creek, Jackson county, passed through the city last week enroute to Kerby, where he was going to buy cattle if he could find any to buy.

Miss Sara Scovill, who has been on the Cochrane typewriter for the past three or four months, resigned her position last week to take the district school on Jump-off Joe. Miss Scovill opened school Monday.

Miss Allie Thorton left Tuesday morning for Yreka, where she will remain for a day or two visiting relatives, when she will join Mrs. Rehkopf who leaves here today for San Francisco.

Mrs. Rehkopf goes to Frisco to lay in her supply of spring goods, and Miss Allie accompanies her on a visit.

Miss Mary McCarty has resigned her place in the public school, and the board has employed Miss May Foster, of Medford, to fill the vacancy.

Miss Foster, who is a daughter of Rev. A. S. Foster, began her work last Monday.

Rev. E. A. Holdridge, acting synodical missionary for the Presbyterian church in Oregon, spent Sunday in the city, preaching at Bethany church in the evening. Mr. Holdridge left for Medford Monday morning where he went to hold revival services.

Photos in the Carbon finish at Phibbs & Van Exe, opp. court house.

The N. W. L. & P. Company will in a short time replace the old electric light poles with new ones.

Charles Scribner's Son's traveling man is in town with a fine line of literature and historical works, don't fail to see the five-volume Bryant's History on exhibition at our office Thursday.

Call at Ben's Bicycle Den and examine the new 1899 model \$50 Crescents. They are beauties.

A Car of extra choice Grain Hay just in. It's the brightest and best Hay we have had this winter. Calhoun Grocery Co.

The Opera House meat market is headquarters for the kind of meat you want to get—the best.

BOYS.

CHAPMAN—At Kerby, Tuesday, February 8, 1898, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chapman, a son.

MARRIED.

SMITH—PERRY—At the home of J. M. Chiles, February 2, 1898, Chas. D. Smith and Miss Bertha Perry, both of this county, J. M. Chiles, county judge, officiating.

DIED.

HARTMAN—In this city, Tuesday, February 8, 1898, Charles F. Hartman, age 23 years, 5 months, 12 days.

Charley Hartman, son of John Hartman, died at his father's home last Tuesday at 4 o'clock p. m. Charley has been in bad health for some time, gradually losing vitality on account of that dreaded disease, consumption, but it was not thought that the end was so near. He was out on the street but a short time ago, but Tuesday he was taken with a hemorrhage, from which he did not recover.

The Cochrane family in this their trying hour. Funeral services, today, the 10th, at 2:30 p. m., at the M. E. church, conducted by Rev. J. A. Crutchfield.

If you want your hair cut to suit you, try McGregor Bros. Sixth St.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



Mining Notes

Sterling F. Hayward of the Oak Flat mine is in town this week.

S. W. Upton of the Louse creek placer mine, was in the city Monday on business. Mr. Upton says they will soon be ready for work.

A new mining company has been incorporated under the name of the Oregon Gold Mining Company, with headquarters at Leland. The incorporators are Rutgers Van Brunt, Walter E. Smith and Robert G. Smith.

A car load of piping for the Powell Creek Mining Company is side-tracked at the depot. It is going to take a tremendous lot of water to fill pipe of this size, but we suppose of course that Mr. Corbus, the manager, knows what he is doing.

J. C. Jones came in last week from Canyon creek, where he has been working for the Josephine Mining Company. Mr. Jones informed us that the mine has not been running lately, owing to the scarcity of water, but the rains the past few days have enabled the company to begin piping again.

Many of the placer miners throughout the country had become so much disappointed the past month on account of the scarcity of water, but the rains of the past week will bring a smile where there was a frown. If the rains would continue for two or three weeks, then miners would assume their normal condition, and there would be joy in the camp.

William Mallory who has been at work for the Powell Creek Mining Company for the past four or five weeks spent the first of the week in this city.

Mr. Mallory informs us that this company had as high as 74 men at work part of the time since Christmas, and he says that when the piping is put in there will be much earth moved with the No. 5 giant.

Last Friday we took a trip to Williams, and on our return stopped for a few minutes at Provolet, where L. L. Votaw is running his arastra day and night on 4-composed quartz, which he is taking from his mine on Williams creek. This quartz assays from \$20 to \$70 per ton and if this proves true in the clean-up, Mr. Votaw has a good paying proposition, and sufficient water to keep his arastra running continually.

Klondike Mining Company.

Klondike—Yukon Mining & Development Co. of Spokane, Washington has a capital stock of \$2,500,000 fully paid up and non-assessable. A block of \$250,000 of Treasury stock is now offered for sale at 10 cents per share. On the first of April it will advance to 20 cents per share. Invest now and double your money in a few days. You can hold your job in the sunny climate of Southern Oregon and still make money in the frozen North through these men of means and experience. Call and see me.

J. E. PETERSON, Agent. Grants Pass, Ore.

Klondike Prospectors.

Will be given an opportunity to make a raise at the Christian church, Wednesday evening, February 16. License to mine will cost 10 cents at the door, where a great field for prospecting will be met, and several rich claims will be placed upon the market.

P. & V. E. M. M. E. C. P.

Explanation of the above—Phibbs & Van Exe make many elegant cabinet photos, opp. court house.

Can't Support Them.

A gentleman living in or near Grants Pass whose name we do not know, went into one of the leading stores in the city last week, and in conversation with one of the clerks, remarked, "I am going to quit working for — because I cannot support my family on \$1.35 per day."

The amount is low for a man who may have a considerable family to support, so low that he cannot enjoy any of the luxuries which the American people admire, but listen to the second chapter of this, not exaggerated, but real story.

Before leaving the store the gentleman bought \$1.00 worth of tobacco, 25 cents worth of cigars and 10 cents worth of candy. We submit the question without further argument.

A copy of Scribner's popular history of the United States written by William Cullen Bryant and brought down to date by Noah Brooks can be seen to-morrow at the Cochrane office.

If you want your hair cut to suit you, try McGregor Bros. Sixth St.

S. P. D. & L. Factory.

The S. P. D. & L. company's factory in this city has a working force of 50 men and boys. 40,000 feet of lumber are manufactured each day into fruit boxes or the California market. In the spring when some changes are made in machinery, the company expect to work up 60,000 feet daily, which means more work, and the demand for a tremendous lot of lumber during the year. There is connected with the Sugar Pine Door & Lumber Company, directly or indirectly one way or another, in the factory, in stores, in the logging camps or in the saw mills in the country for the year, not less than 350 or 400 men and boys, boys being engaged in the factory where they can do the lighter work.

Cyclists Satisfied.

While the cyclists did not obtain from the city last week just the thing for which they prayed in their petition, they got something which so far as we know is satisfactory. The council has ordered a four-foot gravel track mile along the sidewalk on the east side of Sixth street, extending from Howard's corner to the Company's store corner.

A little donation may be asked of the wheelmen to help pay the expenses, to which we think they will gladly respond, since it can be but little.

Some Things Worth Knowing.

A. J. Pike, proprietor of the Little Cash Store, opposite the rooming house, Grants Pass, Ore., can furnish Groceries and Provisions at figures that will suit you.

Choice Petite Prunes, new crop, 5c. Silver " " 5c. Dried Apples, " " 5c. Honey, 3 pounds, " " 25c.

And everything else in proportion. Miners and all should give him a call before buying.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the grocery firm of Calhoun Bros. has by mutual consent, been dissolved. E. A. Calhoun, retiring, and Geo. S. Calhoun continuing the business at the old stand under the firm name of the Calhoun Grocery Co., who will pay and receive all accounts of the old firm.

Geo. S. CALHOUN. E. A. CALHOUN. Grants Pass, Ore., January 21, 1898.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.