Coffee Talk

We've talked so much about our celebrated Chase & Sanborn's Coffee, at 40c, that some people think it is the only kind we have. Our "Special Mixed" is genuine Coffee and a good blend, at 20c per pound. It isn't worth while using burnt peas when coffee can be had at that price. Then we have

Mocha and Java	30c
Climax	25c
Broken Java	10c

We call your special attention to our Seed Potatoes. They are extra good and are what we call them: Early Rose, Early King, Early Jersey Blush, which are very prolific, and Early Burpers.

Some fine Seed Corn, which is taking well.

Salmon Bellies	$ 8⅓
Mackerel, very fine, per keg	2 00
Codfish	8⅓

Swiss Cheese, which is the genuine imported article, and not made in this country.

Towle's log Cabin Maple Syrup, delicious—just the thing for hot cakes these cold mornings. In pint, quart, ½ gallon and 1 gallon cans.

Prize Baking Powder, with granite ware and fine dishes as premiums. Every can draws some valuable and usetul article, many of the pieces being worth the price of the Baking Powder alone.

In Terra Cotta ware we are showing many pretty flower pots and flower baskets, and also some jardinierres.

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LADIES'

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IN PLAIDS AND STRIPES.

At The New Variety Store.

Varnish Stains,
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The biggest war ever heard of will be at Fetsch's store when the Spring Stock arrives, because there will be no room for the New Stock. We therefore offer

Fine Suits For

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The best ever offered in Southern Oregon. Come and see them at

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If you are going to Klondike or even thinking about it, we invite you to call and examine our immense stock We have an entire floor, 100 x 75 feet, devoted to nothing but Klondike Supplies where you will find a complete stock of

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Of all Kinds at Lowest Prices. We deliver everything **Free of Charge** at the wharves either at Portland, Tacoma or Seattle.

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Attention.

We are no longer agents for Standard Patterns. Mail orders can be filled by Vaupel, Norris & Drake, Ashland, Or The Sugar Pine Door & Lumber Co.

For City Recorder

I announce myself as a canidate for the office of City Recorder, subject to the action of the convention.

WM. W. FIDLER.

For City Recorder.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of city recorder subject to the will of the people at the regular citizens' convention

W. ELMER MCGREGOR.

For City Marshal.

I herewith announce myself a canidate for the office of city marshal subject to the wishes of the voters at their regular citizens' convention.

F. W. HUGGERTH.

For City Marshal.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city marshal at the approaching city election, subject to the action of the regular citizens' convention.

T. H. WARFORD.

For City Marshal.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city marshal at the approaching city election, subject to the will of the citizens at their regular convention.

W. R. WALKER.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

FOR SALE—A SMALL BUT CHOICE farm three miles from town, containing 32 acres, mostly rich, river bottom land. A part of it is beaver dam land, especially adapted to raising vegetables. There is on the place a fine peach and prune orchard. This place is offered for sale simply because the owner cannot attend to it. For terms enquire at this office.

Local Happenings

Gilfillan sells pure milk.

Thomas Smith, Undertaker.

Bicycles cleaned at Cramer Bros.

C. St. Louis for watch repairing.

Additional locals on the first page.

Fresh sugar cured hams at Ahlf's.

THE COURIER THREE MONTHS, 25c.

Call on Gilfillan; he will sell you the purest milk.

Fresh fish every Friday at Ahlfs City Market

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

We lead, others follow. The Carbon Studio, opp. court house, Grants Pass.

The weekly Oregonian and COURIER one year for $2.00 to paid up subscribers.

Always read the column devoted to specials, it contains many valuable bargains.

Misses Hamlin and Griffin have opened dress making parlors over R. L. Coe's store. Give them a call.

Our advertisers are requested to notice the paragraph regarding "ads" at the head of the editorial column.

Booth & Hockett have just received a fine line of Imperial wheels which is on exhibition at Hotel Josephine. Call and see them.

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

Have you seen the Phœnix "ad" in this issue?

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

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

The war with Spain does not affect the sale of Phœnix bicycles See our "ad" in another column. Mitchell Lewis & Staver Co, Portland Or.

The evidence in the case proves Hood's Sarsaparilla cures rheumatism, dyspepsia, catarrh, that tired feeling, scrofula, salt rheum, boils, humors and all blood diseases.

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, agt; Grant's Pass.

If you want the finest thing that ever happened in wheels get the new Stearns at Redfield's. They are beauties finished in Black or Orange enamel.

John King who left Grants Pass last January writes to his family that he is engaged packing from Lake Bennett on the Dyea trail and is making $30 a day.

We are advised that Hon. R. M. Veatch candidate for congress for this district has been invited by his old friends and neighbors to open his campaign at Cottage Grove his old home on April 15th.

A little boy asked for a bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can". The druggist recognized a household name for DeWitt's Little Early Risers, and gave him a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, sick headache, liver and stomach troubles.—W. F. Kremer.

G. W Maberry, the barber, recently located next door to A. Lempke's saloon left Grants Pass to seek pastures new. 'Tis said that he has gone to Eastern Oregon. Mr. Maberry is a good workman.

Dr. Kremer has laid in a stock of Monarch wheels ranging in price from $35, for a high-grade wheel, to $100 for a Monarch chainless. The Monarch is one of the best wheels made! Call and see them.

John Dyer ex-marshal of Jacksonville, and Ike Muller of Medford, who went to Alaska some months ago to seek their fortunes, passed through Grants Pass Tuesday on the south bound passenger, en route for their respective homes. The boys got all they wanted of Alaska. They said they longed for the balmy air of Southern Oregon.

The many friends of Mr. Merritt of our city deeply sympathize and condole with him in the death of his nephew Darwin Merritt who was killed on board the battleship Maine, by Spanish treachery. Memorial services were held on April 11th, at Red Oak, Iowa Speeches were made by Rev. C. A. Moulton, S. McPherson, Chief Justice Deemer, of the supreme court and C. E Richards. Appropriate resolutions were prepared and read. Rest brave heart of oak, your name will long be remembered by the American people

On Thursday the populists, democrats and silver republicans will meet in Grants Pass for the purpose of nominating a county ticket to be voted for on the 6th of June. There will be those who will oppose a fusion of forces preferring defeat rather than to compromise themselves before the people. While on the other hand there will be men who will urge a fusion in order to defeat the republicans and settle their own family troubles hereafter. Just what will be done no one can foretell, we must wait and see what we shall see.

Col. Ingersoll has always claimed that those who assumed to answer him have misrepresented his position. He claims that instead of answering his arguments, his opponents have usually resorted to personal abuse. A discriminating public knows that these claims of Col. Ingersoll have too much foundation in fact. It is gratifying to note that Dr. J. P. D. John, ex-president of De Pauw University, wishing to be absolutely fair and candid, before giving to the public his now famous lecture, "Did Man Make God, or Did God Make Man," not only made a thorough study of Col. Ingersoll's works, in the authorized edition, but actually submitted the manuscript of his general statement of Col. Ingersoll's objections against the Bible and Christianity to the colonel himself, asking him to point out anything that might in any way misrepresent him. In a very courteous reply, Col. Ingersoll thanked Dr. John for his expressions of kindness and fairness, but did not specify any instance of misrepresentation. Too many speakers, without a careful study of Col. Ingersoll's theories, have placed words in his mouth, and meaning into his words, that Col. Ingersoll never intended, but this charge does not hold against Mr. John. This lecture will be given at the Presbyterian church, on Tuesday evening, April 19. No admission will be charged.

Ice cream at the Novelty.

Will Jackson resident dentist.

Get your blue vitriol at Bartlett's.

Try Schilling's Best tea and baking powder.

Gilfillan's cows are in clean pasture. He sells the best milk.

Clemens, Druggist, opp. Opera House.

New sugar cured breakfast bacon.—City Market.

W. H. Flanagan, physician surgeon and dentist.

Imperial bicycles for sale by Booth & Hockett, Hotel Josephine.

Hood's Pills are prompt, efficent, always reliable, easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

J. W. Howard has been quite sick having had a severe attack of La Grippe. We are pleased to note that he is convalescing.

One car load of Phœnix bicycles gone already, and another on the road Write us for catalogue. Mitchell-Lewis & Staver Co., Portland, Or.

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

Pianos and organs at manufacturers' prices, direct from Kimball Co., Chicago, Fire, Life, and Accident Insurance, in American, English or German companies. At the old reliable Agency on 6th street, Grants Pass Or.

J. E. PETERSON, Agent.

On last Saturday as the Rev. E. B. Pace was returning from the Emanuel chapel car near Wolf Creek, and while riding down the Grave Creek hill on his bicycle, the grade being steep, Mr. Pace was unable to control the wheel; the result was the wheel parted throwing Mr Pace with great force his head striking against a rock inflicting a painful but not dangerous wound.

Since Hon. R. M. Veatch the fusion candidate for congress sent in his resignation as register of the Land Office at Roseburg, we learn that Mr. W. T. Perkins, Wells Fargo's Express agent and Postal Telegraph operator at this place, has made application for the place, and we are pleased to learn that he has some good strong endorsements Mr. Perkins would make a careful and painstaking officer.

Personal

John Elliff, a native son of Douglas county, is in town.

Sol Abrams, of Roseburg, one of Douglas county's pioneers, is in town.

E. A. Doney formerly of Grants Pass is now located at Yreka, Calif.

Hon. E. C. Wade went to Jacksonville last Monday morning to attend court.

Mrs. H. C. Benson, of Santa Clara, Cal is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Goodeli.

J. T Tuffs of Wolf Creek is in town this week shaking hands with the boys, and talking politics probably.

Miss Rose Wilson left Glendale last Monday for Gold Hill, to spend a week looking after her father's farm.

A. J. Johnson of Astoria, during the past week has been collecting samples of Southern Oregon woods, throughout the county.

F. W. Chausse of the Observer went down to Eugene last Sunday evening to be in attendance at the Republican congression at convention.

F. W. Searle, of the S. P. D. & L. Co.'s counting house, leaves Saturday for a short visit to Portland. It is rumored that he will not be alone when he returns. This is a straight tip to the house furnishers.

Hon. T. G. Reames of Jacksonville, was shaking hands with friends at the depot Monday morning, while the train stopped Mr. Reames was on his way home from Portland.

Professor J. G. Goble and wife returned to Grants Pass this week from Jacksonville, where the professor did a good business in fitting glasses. They will make another trip south in a few days, but will return later on.

Col. J. A. Straight supt. of the Jupiter Gold Mining Company's property on Althouse, went to Eugene one day last week to visit his family but will return to his post of duty today.

C. A. Harp of Stockton, Calif., a railroad man of some prominence will be in Southern Oregon soon to organize a party to make a preliminary survey from some point on the S P. in Rogue river valley to the coast.

...GONE!!...

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New Store

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Our stock of

HARDWARE, STOVES,
CROCKERY,
SPORTING GOODS.
BICYCLES,
MINING TOOLS

More Complete than ever.

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A Boy Injured.

On last Thursday while a freight train was switching on the sidings in Grants Pass, young Donald Kessler undertook to cross the track by swinging himself between two box cars; just as he made the attempt the engineer commenced to back the train, bringing the bumpers together with a crash, catching young Kesslers foot between the bumpers bruising his foot quite severely. It is an open secret that the train men have much trouble in keeping many of the Grants Pass boys from climbing on to moving trains. In this instance however, it is due to candor to say that the boy was not altogether to blame for he waited sometime for the train to move on and becoming impatient tried to cross over with the above result

Money Saved is Money Earned.

This can be accomplished by buying Groceries and Provisions of A. J. Pike.

Everything guaranteed as represented or money refunded.

A choice lot of Prunes left you at the same low price.

Syrup in Pails.

Honey by the pound or gallon.

Pickles in Bulk and Kegs.

And everything to be found in a first-class grocery. Give him a call, miners and all, before buying.

Order of the Eastern Star.

Madeleine B. Conkling, Worthy Grand Matron, order of the Eastern Star of Oregon, visited Josephine Chapter of this city, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. After exemplifying the work Wednesday evening and listening to an interesting and instructive address by the Worthy Grand Matron, all partook of a nice lunch provided by the ladies and went home feeling that they had spent a pleasant and profitable evening.

Republican Conventions

R. A. Booth, C. E. Harmon, H. L. Truax, H. L. Benson, and Geo. W. Colvig by proxy attended the Republican congressional convention which convened at Eugene last Monday. Dr. F. W. VanDyke, J. C. Campbell, H. L. Benson, Dan Hunt, and Robert G. Smith are today in attendance at the State convention at Astoria

Delegates Elected.

The democrats of the city held their primaries last Saturday and elected the following delegates to the county convention which meets today to nominate a county ticket:

North Grants Pass: J O Booth, W B Taylor, C L Mangum, James Sweanger and H McKenzie.

West Grants Pass: John W Abbott, Wm Cheshire, J T Taylor, T B Elliott and William Wiggs.

South Grants Pass: T Y Dean, Wm H Flanagan, L L Jennings, Willard Crawford Wm M Johnson, E E Redfield and J E Kerley.

M. L. Yokum, Cameron, Pa., says, "I was a sufferer for ten years, trying most all kinds of pile remedies, but without success. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was recommended to me. I used one box. It has effected a permanent cure." As a permanent cure for piles, DeWitts Witch Hazel Salve has no equal. —W. F. Kremer.

MARRIED

HOWELLS—FOX—In this city on Saturday, April 9, at the residence of Mr and Mrs. J. H. Eggers, Judge Edgar W Howells of Yreka, Cal., and Mrs Minnie Fox of this city, Rev. N. F Jenkins officiating.

MARION—WARNER—On April 12th, at the home of J. M. Chiles, in Grants Pass, Mr. George Marion and Miss Olive Warner Both of Kerby precinct. Judge Chiles, officiating.

The Above Cut

Represents our FREE HEARSE. We sincerely hope none of our friends will need it, but if they should have that misfortune, they would be welcome to our services and to whatever undertaking goods are needed at a very small advance above actual cost to us; and fifteen years of successful experience in the profession is the guarantee of our ability to render appropriate service.

J. R. HALE.

Mining Notes.

Paul L. Bristow, of Eugene, who is interested in mines on Applegate was in town Saturday.

We learn that J. L. Wright is developing a quartz proposition on Stratton creek and is much gratified with the prospect.

W. A. Bennett of Portland, who is collecting ores for exhibit at the Omaha exhibition, has just returned from a trip to Waldo and points between, and is now registered at the Layton.

Archie Virtue a mining man from Grave Creek was in Grants Pass last Tuesday, and reports that although there has been a scarcity of water in that locality that the miners have done fairly well.

W. J. Virtue for whom the celebrated "Virtue" mine near Baker City was named, came up from Leland on todays train to attend to some business matters. He is favorably mentioned as a probable candidate on the democratic ticket for the legislature. He would make a strong run.

It was currently reported on the streets this week that the Jupiter Gold Mining company of New York who had the Frank Houston mine on Althouse bonded, will close the deal in a few days and at once commence the construction of a two-mile flume from Althouse to the property. It begins to look like the company meant business. Henry Harmon Neil who is editor of the New York Mail and Express is president of the company.

The Lawrence Mining Company of Springfield, Ill., who are developing an extensive property dike on Ruben Creek 12 miles west of Leland in Josephine county are men of means and ability and propose to push the work on their property unremittingly until the enterprise is brought to a successful issue. They have a flume 2 miles long by which water is conducted to the mine for power. A 50-ton capacity Griffin mill is on the ground which they hope to have in operation by the 15th of May. Twenty laborers are employed. Mr. I. H. Bingham vice-president of the company is now at Spokane, Wash., on business but will return in a few days. Mr. J. A Connelly, secretary of the company is a member of congress from the Springfield district, Ill., and is now at Washington, D. C., wrestling with the Cuban question Mr. R. D. Lawrence a banker by profession is president of the company and resides at Springfield.

Recently Professor Shaw, chemist of the Oregon experiment station at Corvallis, was in the Pass making inquiry in regard to the extent and accessibility of our marble and limestone deposits with a view to their application in the manufacture of beet sugar. Lime is extensively used in this country in the sugar industry to precipitate the vegetable germs in the solution, preparatory to crystalization of the sacharine matter. In Europe strontia is more extensively used for that purpose on account of its greater efficiency and much greater prevalence in that country than this. There are extensive deposits of strontia in Crook county yet undeveloped, which will come into extensive use when the Oregon Pacific railroad is extended into that section of the state.

The Murphy Ditch.

The Murphy irrigating ditch of which Lee Sill is president, and F. G. Day secretary, will be completed and ready for the water to be turned in by the 20th of this month. The ditch is ten feet wide, and seven miles long. The water is taken out of the Applegate immediately below the mouth of Williams creek, and will cover all the best farming land down to Mr. Day's place. It is the largest ditch in the county used for irrigating purposes, and it shows that the farmers in this section are realizing, and are making use of some of the advantages they possess. How much it will be worth to those who have an interest in it will be better told in a year or two when they will have had use of the water for that length of time, but suffice it to say that they will be able soon to supply this city with, anyway a portion of the thousand tons of hay now shipped into the city annually.

There are a great many acres of good tilable land on the Applegate yet to be utilized with profit when water is put upon it. All the farmers need along the Applegate, is to exercise the same amount of enterprise that the gentlemen of the aforesaid company have done. This is an enterprise that is to be commended, and is a step toward keeping at home some of the many dollars now being sent out into other counties.

SPECIALS.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—I HAVE A good six year old mare I would like to sell or trade for a good cow W. H. Taylor, Lower Applegate bridge.

WIND MILL—SECOND HAND MILL for sale cheap. Inquire of P. H Hartb

FOR SALE—THE RESIDENCE OF A. A. Stiles, and two acres of orchard in the city of Grants Pass—cheap; must be sold immediately. For further particulars enquire of H. A. Rotermund, Grants Pass, or A. A. Stiles, Vallejo, Cal.

FOR SALE OR RENT—CHEAP FOR cash—80 acre farm near town. Good house, barn, and out buildings, horses, cows, wagon hack and farm implements. For further particulars address box 3, Grants Pass, Ore.

FOR SALE—A SMITH-PREMIER typewriter for sale cheap—in good condition. Enquire at this office.

The Curry County Feud.

Notwithstanding the fact that the officers of the law know full well who it was that assassinated Van Pelt last February at Chetco in Curry county, yet they frankly admit that they fear to make any arrests. They allege that should they arrest the murderer they themselves would be murdered. What a tergiversation this is of justice. Can it be possible that sworn officers of the law will refuse to do their duty? Society demands it, outraged justice demands it Talk of lawlessness in the south and elsewhere; we should look to home before we shake our hoary heads at others. What the Curry county officers should do is to resign and let the people elect men who will perform their sworn duty regardless of the consequences.

Rev. F. G. Strange, Rev. Wm. Clyde of Ashland, E. E Gore of Phœnix, Rev. A. S. Foster, and Elder Erford of Medford, Rev. Robert Ennis of Jacksonville, and Rev. Robert McLean of this city, are in Roseburg attending Southern Oregon Presbytery

607
Rolls of Butter

During the month of March we sold 607 rolls or 1214 pounds of Butter to our customers in and about Grants Pass. We think this the best kind of proof that we sell good Butter. Some may think we are stretching the truth in making the above statement, but we can prove, to the entire satisfaction of any one who thinks we are wrong, that the above figures are facts.

The best place to buy is at the store where a large business is done. The big business insures not only economies of buying and selling, but also fresh goods, the latest and best. Calhoun Grocery Co.

A family that lives to eat, or one that eats to live, wants good appetizing food. They can always find it in our high grade stock of Groceries.

Calhoun Grocery Co.

We will buy back at full prices any goods bought from us that do not turn out as we represent them.

Calhoun Grocery Co.

It is easy enough to sell the "cheap" cheap, but we are selling the good cheap, else we wouldn't have so many buyers.

Calhoun Grocery Co.

Goodness is worth money in the food you buy. It's not charged for here, where the standard of excellence has always been high, and the prices as low, or a little lower than elsewhere.

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Thou Shalt Not Steal

But you may keep a good deal of the money that usually goes to other people, by buying these goods at these prices.

Sticky Fly Paper.
Large double sheets, 5 for 10c, or 2c each.

Evaporated Peaches.
Not peeled, but they are bright and nice. We have a lot of them, so make this low price of 5c a pound.

Raisins.
Good goods and not the smallest kind, per pound 5c.

Washing Soap.
Cakes Golden Star, 6 bars for 25c.

Deviled Ham.
Put up by the G. H. Hammond Co., which insures its goodness. Our guarantee top of that. Small cans, 5c, large cans, 10c.

Table Salt.
50-pound sacks. Its not the best, but awful good for the price, 40c a sack. Cheap enough for stock, isn't it?

One Way

To keep every member of your household healthy, contented and happy, is to furnish your cook with Ashland Flour. It makes the best bread, rolls and pastry. We now have the handling of Ashland Flour for Grants Pass. The price, you see, is no higher than you are paying for other grades, which have not all the good qualities that "Our Patent," the Ashland Flour has. $1.15 a sack or $22.00 a thousand.

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Spring Millinery.....

Flowers and Ornaments.

As an inducement to purchasers we offer a Gold Collar Button (warranted for 20 years) with each $2 Sailor Hat or choice between a Gold Shirt Waist Set and Cuff Buttons (warranted for 20 years) with each $4 or $5 Hat.

Mrs. S. A. Weidman.

Please Settle.

All those knowing themselves indebted to me will please settle at once and thus save cost, as I expect to leave soon for Alaska, and must settle up before leaving

DR. WM. H. FLANAGAN.

$100 Rward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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