

# "B & M" Grocery

## ...SPECIAL... Removal Sale.

Expecting to occupy our new quarters early next month and in order to make room for new goods, we will, commencing

**Wednesday, August 16th,**

Place on sale our entire line of

**Crockery, Lamps and Glassware at Specially Reduced Prices.**

Glass Tumblers	15c per set
Jelly Glasses (Plain)	30c per doz
Jelly Glasses (Fluted), full size	40c per doz
Milk Bowls	25c per set
Lamp Chimneys	50c per doz
White Ewer and Basin	\$1.00
6 piece Chamber Sets	2.00
Large Glass Water Pitcher	25
Flower Vases (Imitation Cut Glass)	15c each

Dinner Sets and Tea Sets in Semi-Porcelain and White Granite-ware at a price that will surprise you.

### Our Groceries.....

Are always fresh, and the stock is complete. We are selling lots of Chase & Sanborn Seal Brand Mocha and Java Coffee and Royal Gem Tea.

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OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.

H. C. BOELEN, Prop.

There's Nothing Like

## "Stransky"

Ladies who expect to put up fruit will find a Stransky Steel Enameled Dish Pan or Preserving Kettle just the thing. Every piece of Stransky Ware has four coats of enamel on steel, and is white enamel on the inside. Fruit cooked in a Stransky kettle will not discolor or be tainted in taste. Stransky ware is guaranteed to last five years. Take a look at our corner window.

# Cramer Bros.

ODD FELLOWS BLOCK.

GARLAND RANGES. ANTI RUSTING TINWARE.

## Willamette Tent & Awning Co.

Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in.....

### Tents and Awnings

WATER PROOF HORSE AND WAGON COVERS, FLAGS AND BANNERS.

Sole Agents for the Patent Waterproof Duck "ACQUAPELLE" Rubber, Leather, Oiled and Mackintosh Clothing. A full assortment of Hammocks and Camp Furniture.

14 North Front Street.

PORTLAND, ORE.

### Local Happenings

Shoes repaired at Hackett's. Alfalfa Hay at Scott Griffin's. Horseshoeing at Trimble & Bacher's. Special sale on trimmed hats at Miss Clevenger's.

All kinds of guns and ammunition at Redfield's. Where do you get your hair cut? Try Will Mallory's.

There seems to be a flour war on in Grants Pass, but see Pike before you buy. The Cash Grocery has no respect for prices.

Read the Dissolution Sale ad of Dixon & McCroskey.

Farmers, miners and all: See Pike before buying groceries. Twenty per cent Discount Sale at the New Variety Store.

See those Photographs for 75c per doz. at Clevenger's gallery. Take your shoes to Hackett for good work and right prices.

Mason Jars, Fruit Cans, Rubbers and Wax Strings at Cramer Bros. Hop yard supplies a specialty, at Pike's Cash Grocery. Prices cut to suit.

The best, guaranteed and full weight Flour at 70 cents at Scott Griffin's.

Good goods cheap—Best prices paid at Front Street Second Hand Store.

Order your ties from Blake. He delivers ice from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m.

If you wish to sell your property, leave description and terms at the COURIER office.

When farmers want money for their crops, they always go to Pike's cash grocery.

The rain has put the roads in fine condition. Cramer Bros.' Bicycle Hospital will put your wheel in shape.

Miners, Campers, Prospectors and Picnic Parties, always go to Pike's Grocery to buy their supplies.

Quick delivery—The Weekly Oregonian. New stock of Photo supplies—A. E. Voorhies.

PATTON'S SUN PROOF PAINT is giving perfect satisfaction. It comes in "handy packages" for home use. Ask Cramer Bros. for it.

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Straw, 25 cents a bale; Alfalfa Hay, \$8 to \$10 per ton. Clean Wheat for chickens; Oats, Barley, Rye, Flour, Graham, Corn Meal, Prices always low.—Scott Griffin, Front St., Grants Pass Feed Store.

Quartz location notices printed on cloth at the COURIER office.

You can save money by buying your Coffee at Pike's. Call and see his stock and try some of his choice blends.

A. C. Dixon of Ashland has accepted the position of assistant manager of the S. P. D. & L. Co.'s business at this place and will be a resident of Grants Pass in the future.

The young people's societies of the Methodist, South Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian churches of this city will hold a union meeting at the Presbyterian church at 6:30 p. m., next Sunday, the topic being: "Green Pastures; the Christian's Pleasures." Psalms 23:1-6 (Consecration meeting.) Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Geo. Estes, formerly S. P. station agent at this place, has been elected president of the Federated Board of Railroad Brotherhoods, representing the several orders of the Railroad Conductors, Railroad Telegraphers, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, and Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. J. M. Hansbrough of Roseburg represents the Conductors. Frank Ricker, the trainman; J. V. Paul, the firemen and Geo. Estes, the telegraphers. These four general chairmen constitute the Federated board.

Exchange. A new 98 model Crescent, ladies bicycle for a good milch cow.—Address, J. N. Ferguson, Grants Pass.

Exchange. I. W. Holmes will exchange city property for a team.

Ice at Blake's. Dr. Flanagan, Resident Dentist. Whips, 10c to \$2.50 at Hackett's. C. St. Louis for watch repairing. Flour, 70 cents at Scott Griffin's. Blank notes at the COURIER office. Harness of all kinds, Grades and Prices at Hackett's. One dollar's worth of goods for 80 cents at the New Variety Store.

Fresh new Alfalfa at Scott Griffin's for 40 to 50 cents per 100 lbs. Where do you get your shaving done? Call at Will Mallory's shop.

Trimble & Bacher are prepared to do all kinds of blacksmithing. Weekly Oregonian and COURIER \$2.

Gentner & Johnson—Bicycle repairing and lathe work. All work guaranteed and prices reasonable.

Don't forget the location of Clevenger's photo gallery, 4th street, half block from Layton hotel.

Minerals sent to this office for assay will receive prompt attention. The assays will be made by the best assayers.

Call at the COURIER office and take a look at a first-class Singer sewing machine. It is new and the price is very reasonable.

### Personal

Charley Stites made this city a visit Saturday.

H. M. Gorham of Winona was in this city, Saturday.

Dr. W. H. Flanagan returned from his outing Friday.

Miss Carrie Umplett went to Merlin Monday evening.

Mrs. Susie Renford returned from Portland Monday.

Miss Hattie Tolford returned Monday evening from Coleson.

Len. E. Smith of the Victor Junior mine came in Monday.

Miss Ida Laikant returned from Roseburg Sunday morning.

Miss Emma Tolford returned from Coleson Saturday evening.

L. H. Carver of the Illinois and Josephine Mining Co., has been in this city for a few days.

Rev. Father Desmarais of Jacksonville will soon take charge of St. Patrick's parish in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Demaree, who have been spending the summer here, will soon depart for Redding, Cal.

## Dissolution of Partnership SALE \$20,000 STOCK.

DIXON & McCROSKEY will dissolve partnership by mutual consent and will offer to the public their Entire Stock without Reserve. Before we had concluded to dissolve partnership, we had bought our full line of goods in all departments and they are most all in. Everything will go without reserve until the entire stock is closed out.

The stock consists of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Furnishing Goods, Ladies' Tailor Suits, Capes, Jackets, Trunks, Valises, Parasols, Etc., at our old stand.

Dixon & McCroskey.

E. C. DIXON.

R. O. McCROSKEY.

There seems to be a flour war on in Grants Pass, but see Pike before you buy. The cash grocery has no respect for prices.

Do not forget that you get 20 per cent off at the New Variety store.

Now is the time to get dry goods cheap at Dixon & McCroskey's.

Flour and Feed a specialty at Pike's. It will pay you to see him when going to buy.

This is the close salmon season, but you can catch trout with the flies sold by Cramer Bros.

The social dance given in the Firemen's hall on Saturday evening was well attended, and all attending report an enjoyable time.

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A. W. Silaby was in from Six-mile last week, returning Sunday. He reports the work there as progressing at a good rate. He now has about 40 men in his crew.

Frank Bradley, who had his hand badly crushed by a falling rock while working on a copper prospect on the Hardy gully on the south fork of Smith river, is slowly improving but it will be some time before he will be able to use his hand.

It is currently reported on the street that the Gold Bug quartz mine has been banded for \$2,000,000, but so far we have not been able to acquire any authoritative information on the subject, and cannot vouch for the truth of the rumor.

R. Van Brunt of Leland was in town Tuesday.

Sol Abraham of Roseburg was in Grants Pass, Monday.

G. W. Kearns, and Wm. Basel of Wolf Creek made this city a visit Tuesday.

Mrs. Belding returned home Monday from an extended visit with her mother in Illinois.

Mrs. Ed Lister and Mrs. Ira Tomkins went to Siskiyou Tuesday to remain a few weeks.

Julson Bent, Ben E. Stahl, and Miss Clara Stahl, returned to Galice, Wednesday morning.

C. K. Root, wife, and mother, returned Tuesday evening from their visit to San Francisco.

Mrs. F. E. Norton of Placer, who has been in Grants Pass for a few days, returned Sunday.

R. F. Miller of Briggs Creek who has been spending a few days in this city, returned Monday.

Miss Belle Sturgis will teach the coming term of school at Leland, beginning Monday, August 28.

Miss Julia Fielder of Central Point arrived here Monday evening for a week's visit with Miss Allie Pool.

Misses May and Hattie Penland of Cedarville, Cal., are visiting their sister, Mrs. A. J. Pike of this city.

H. W. Hullbert was obliged to have a finger amputated last Friday. Dr. Moore performed the operation.

B. Menck finished burning his last kiln of brick last Thursday, and has closed down his yard for the season.

Miss Carrie Pardee of River Falls, Wis., arrived here Friday to visit her brother, Mr. J. Pardee of this place. Miss Pardee intends to remain about ten days.

Little Charley Cummons, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cummons, went to Ashland Monday of last week to visit his grandmother.

Miss Edna Stewart, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. S. Prie of this place has returned to her home in St. Louis, Mo.

Miss Jennie Gilvin of Roseburg, who has been visiting the family of Arthur Everett of this place returned home, Wednesday evening.

Frank South was in town Monday from the Victor Junior mine. He reports the work progressing favorably, and the cleanness as more than satisfactory.

Dr. Parrons and wife of San Diego, who have been spending a short summer vacation at Galice, the guests of Jackson Bent, departed from Grants Pass on their return journey Monday morning.

Herman Luesley, discoverer of the Gypsite Queen mine on Althouse, left Saturday evening for Portland. He will visit friends near Vancouver, Wash., before returning.

C. L. Clevenger, Geo. S. Johnson, and C. O. Pearson went to Table Rock on a photographic expedition Sunday. Their success was not too encouraging, atmospheric conditions being unfavorable to photography.

W. E. Nicholson, of Ft. Klamath, who has been ill for some time at Medford, will come to Grants Pass in the near future to see his family, who are staying at the home of Mrs. Nicholson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sturgis of this place.

Chas. E. Smith of Colorado Springs, and J. S. Waugh of Denver, who have been looking over the mineral field, started on their return to Colorado, Wednesday morning. They were well assured of the excellence of this section as a mining country.

J. W. Gunn, special agent of the Liverpool, London & Globe Insurance Co., was in this city Tuesday evening. He was expected to Medford Wednesday morning, expecting to return Saturday.

Geo. Hartman, Andy Grimes, and Leonard Ester, who have been handling lumber from Kirby to the Illinois and Josephine Mining Co. on the Illinois river, came to Grants Pass Saturday to do some teaming from this place.

P. F. Gilman of the Illinois and Josephine Mining Co. came up from San Francisco Tuesday evening and with his partners, M. W. Fields, and H. C. Berry, will go out to visit their property on the Illinois river Thursday.

Lt. E. B. Brown of the O. N. G. was offered a first lieutenant's commission in the 35th regiment, last week by Gov. Geer, but decided not to accept. He has chosen the ways of peace, and will not depart therefrom, but it was a strong temptation. Aside from the glory, there is a salary of \$125 a month connected with the appointment.

J. R. Pool, who left here about four months ago, for Helena, Mont., returned this week. He has taken an extended tour and has prospected in many places. He has visited Spokane, Colville Reservation, Walla Walla, Baker City, and Sumpter, returning from the latter place on horseback, a distance of between 400 and 500 miles.

In the Ways of Peace. Ex-private Talt of the former Second Oregon, and his father, started Tuesday morning for a protracted prospecting tour in the southern part of the county.

They loaded their camp equipment, artillery and munitions of war on the back of a transport, and started on their march. When they reach the front, they will throw out a skirmish line, reconnoiter the country, and if they discover the whereabouts of the enemy, they will then construct trenches and prepare for a protracted siege. May victory perch upon their banners.

Amputated Again. The news comes from Portland that John Barker was obliged to undergo a second amputation of his leg, this time immediately at the knee joint. His hand, where his fingers were amputated, is doing well.

Philippine Linen. There has recently been placed on the market a brand of correspondence paper called Philippine Linen, which is far superior to other papers of its class, being of light weight, clear, pure and lightly ruled. It comes in letter size tablets, and to introduce the paper, we are retailing it at 20c—COURIER Office.

Camera Club. A camera club was organized at the home of Miss Vida Moore on Friday, and the following officers were elected for the coming six months.

President, A. E. Voorhies. Vice president, Mrs. E. L. Gray. Secretary, Carl McCroskey. Treasurer, Mrs. Henry Harth.

Executive Committee, Mrs. Jo Moss, Mrs. C. E. Harmon, Mrs. J. W. Howard, and Mrs. M. Clemens.

The club will be more fully and completely organized at the next meeting, and the object of this club is to study and master the mysteries of amateur photography from the artistic standpoint, and to develop the artistic talent of its members by systematic and united study of conditions, development and best results.

Some very fine products of photographic art may be expected from the members of this club in the future.

Church Notice. The last of the union services, as arranged for the month of August, will be held in Bethany Presbyterian Church Sunday evening, August 27, sermon by Rev. L. C. Wilson, of the M. E. Church, South.

More Gold on Heuben Creek. We saw a fine prospect from Ruchen creek, of very coarse rough gold, a new discovery. The character of the gold shows that it has moved only a very short distance from its original position, proving the existence of a rich ledge or in the immediate vicinity.

BORN. NICHOLSON—In Grants Pass, Ore Aug. 17 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nicholson of Ft. Klamath a daughter.

DIED. COFFEE—At his home on Williams creek, on Wednesday, August 16, 1899, Ambrose Coffee, aged 75 years.

PAYNE—At his home near Althouse on Friday, August 18, of injuries received by being thrown from a horse, Jesse A. Payne, age 25 years.

Furniture for Sale. Complete furnishings for 7-room house consisting of furniture, bedding, crockery, stoves, etc., etc., to be sold at private sale. Goods must be sold by September 1st.

M. J. Lowman, Head of Sixth St.

Leg Broken. John Arzner, one of the S. P. firemen, had his leg broken last Sunday while on the road between Medford and Ashland. He was climbing out of the tender, slipped and fell and caught his leg in some such way as to break it near the ankle. He has since been taken to the Railroad hospital in Portland.

Pheby Satisfied. A. E. VOORHIES. Dear Sir: In regard to the portrait outfit purchased of you, I would say that I have thoroughly tested the lens, doing with it all classes of work, from my cheap photos from 25c, 50 and 75c per dozen, to my better portraits and cabinets at \$2.50, \$3 and \$4 per dozen, and finding it perfectly reliable, I have no hesitancy in pronouncing it a strictly first class article and am satisfied with the purchase.

Yours Respectfully, G. PHEBY, Photographer.

Found. On the road between Grants Pass and Woodville a friction cap for New Departure bicycle brake. Inquire at this office.

Church Notice. Rev. Father Desmarais will hold services and preach his farewell sermon at 10 o'clock next Sunday, the 27th, in St. Ann's church.

### Gold Gate on Wolf Creek.

J. W. Coffman returned Friday from a prospecting tour on Wolf Creek. He has located a large sulphuret-bearing vein there, and will soon return to prospect and develop it. He visited the mine of Mr. Stuter in that vicinity, which is now producing gold in a manner which would cause a novice to lose his senses entirely. Mr. Stuter has a placer mine on Wolf Creek, but at present he is working on a quartz vein running through a huge porphyry dyke. The vein is decomposed quartz, eight or 10 inches wide, with red porphyry on one side and black porphyry on the other. Mr. Coffman visited Mr. Stuter at work and saw him taking 30, 40 and 50 dollars from single pans of dirt. The best pan he has taken out yielded about \$150. The extent of the rich ore is not known at present. If this find had been made in Alaska, it would have been heralded abroad all over the world, but being made on Wolf Creek, we can hardly hear of it in Grants Pass.

Mr. Taylor of that vicinity is running his arastra with good results, with the ore increasing in richness as he goes down.

To be Married? If this important event is to take place soon you should secure the invitations in good season. We have samples of Copper Plate engraved invitations, announcements and cards that we would be pleased to show you. They are of the correct thing. The wedding stationery printed at the office is as nice as can possibly be made with type.

If you consult us about wedding stationery we never "give it away." PRICE & VOORHIES.

Baby Buggy for Sale. Almost new; \$10 buggy. W. G. WRIGHT, Criminal Occurrence.

Henry Bartlett, who lives near Green's creek, found one of his steers, where it had been killed, shot twice with a 22 calibre rifle. One of his cows and a stray animal which had been running near his place are also missing, and he has reason to think they have gone the same way. The shooting of the steer is clearly not accidental, and there could be no cause for such a deed except wanton atrocity. Suspicion directs itself against certain youthful hunters who infest that vicinity. It is much to be regretted if the guilty parties cannot be discovered and severely punished. There is altogether too much of this reckless shooting of stock by persons who never ought to be allowed to have a gun in their hands, and this instance almost passes the limit of endurance for it seems to have been done deliberately.

Mr. Bartlett called on us Monday morning, and informed us that the two missing animals referred to have both been found dead, the cow shot with a shot gun, and the stray steer shot with a 22 rifle, as was Mr. Bartlett's steer. The stray is supposed to have been the property of Willis York of Applegate.

There is also one of Wm. Hamilla's cows missing, and supposed to have met the same fate. Somebody is simply shooting and killing these animals deliberately and seemingly out of pure wantonness. The people of that neighborhood are thoroughly roused over the matter, and if they get the right line on certain parties, big game shooting with little guns will cease to be the proper thing in that vicinity.

For Sale. Five acres of good farm land under cultivation with young orchard and berries, good barn, close to town. Can be bought cheap. For particulars, call on or address Joseph Moss, Grants Pass.

Hop Pickers. Two hundred hop pickers wanted, and will pick by the box. JOHN RANZAU, JR., Grants Pass, Ore.

Aluminum Case Keeps Cards Clean. 100 cards neatly printed with name and address, with your name engraved on aluminum cover for \$1.25. Leave orders at the COURIER office.

Josephine County Maps. The official map of Josephine county can be had at the COURIER office at reduced prices. Folding pocket map, \$1; wall map in colors, \$3.50. Call and get one.

ASSAYER, W. G. WRIGHT, Gen'l Agt. for Oregon. MACARTHUR-FORREST CYANIDE PROCESS. Cyanide and Chlorination treatment of Ores. Bullion Refined and Shipped. GRANTS PASS, OREGON.



## The Housekeeper's Stock.

Every housekeeper likes to keep well-stocked shelves. It is very annoying to reach up for baking powder, or sugar, or salt, and find the receptacle empty.

We always keep a large stock of everything in the Grocery Line and offer a Liberal Discount on large orders for housekeepers' supplies, and our Groceries, both Staple and Fancy, will be found of the best quality.

Sugar has taken a little drop; we can now sell you the Very Best Cane Granulated at \$6.50 per hundred. Take notice of that Coffee in our South Window at 15c a pound; it is the Best Bargain in Coffee we have had the good luck to buy in a long time. We give you the benefit; try a pound or two. A car each of Snowy Butte and Ashland Flour just in. These brands are the very best made and the price is all right. We have the cheap kind too, if you want it.

Calhoun Grocery Co.

Clearance Reduction Sale. RED STAR STORE.

## Confidence

Progressive and up-to-date business methods win. That is just what we have been doing in Josephine county for the past seven years, and today our stock of goods and volume of business show the result.

Two large invoices of Clothing direct from reliable and up-to-date manufacturers are open for your inspection.

Men's Union Cassimere Suits round corner sack, dark pattern with small stripe, \$5.00. Men's Black Suit, round corner sack, chevrot cloth, heavy linings, \$5.00.

Men's Sack Suit, brown cassimere, a good heavy material, substantial linings, and a strictly all-wool garment, \$6.50.

Men's sack Suit, mixed pattern, good, heavy weights, thoroughly well made, and a suit any gentleman can wear. Italian lining, sewed with good heavy thread and will not rip, buttons securely sewed, \$7.50.

Black Worsted Suits, round and straight cut, \$6, \$8, \$9 and \$10.

Do you want the best tailored suit in America? Nothing in the line only high art clothing. Ask to see Schloss Bros' Baltimore, Md., make of goods. If any manufacturer has reached the goal of perfection, the progressive people have done so.



## P. H. Harth & Son.

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Boots, Shoes, Valises, Tents, Wagon Covers, Etc.

# Dewey



# Shoe

The Dewey

The Greatest Bargain of the Season.

## Men's Vici Kid Shoes at \$2.25

We have just received a large shipment of men's Vici Kid Shoes in Black and Tan that are Handsomely made up. Nicely Finished, Soft Flexible Soles, Medium Coin Toes.

WARRANTED ALL SOLID LEATHER.

And have placed them in our North Window. This will make a very Easy, Soft and Durable Summer Shoe, just the thing for those who are bothered with Corns or Tender Feet. Drop into the Store and have our Sales People show them