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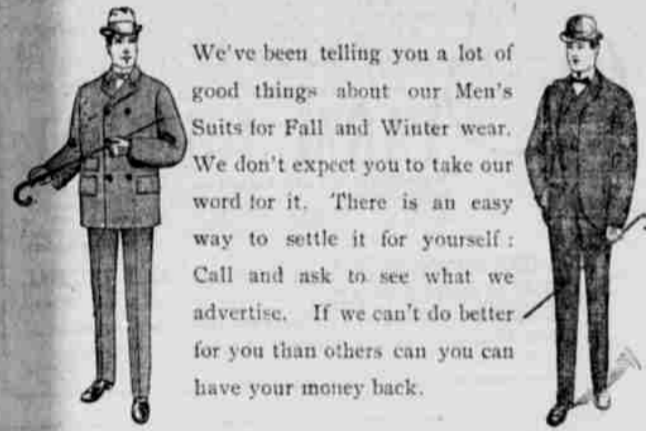
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Local Happenings

Dr. Flanagan, Resident Dentist. Go to Coron for Plumbing. Whips, 10c to \$2.50 at Hackett's. M. Clemens, Prescription Druggist. Notary Public at the Courthouse. Koh-i-noor pencils at the Courthouse office. Slaw and Kroat Cutters at Cramer Bros. Wool wanted on subscription at the Courthouse office. Send your ore to W. G. Wright's New Custom Mill. A splendid line of Royal Charter Oak Ranges at Coron's. Saratoga Chips, Grapes, Comb Honey, New Nuts—White House Grocery. Gorton's Minstrels are announced to give an entertainment here about November 20th. J. L. Myers has commenced the erection of a dwelling on C street west of the school house. Gov. Geer spoke at Medford Saturday evening. Hoodlums attempted to break up the meeting, but were subdued by the crowd. J. Wolke, the hardware merchant, has removed his former location and now occupies the building just west of Cornell's grocery. To cure that cold or stop those rheumatic pains try a Turkish or Russian bath. Joseph Moss has different kinds of bath cabinets for sale. E. E. Redfield came up from Leland Tuesday to attend to some business matters and take in the election. He is running his sawing machine, which worked well since he received the new compressor. The largest line of Umbrellas in Southern Oregon, 45 cents to \$8. Good school Umbrellas for 45 cents. The Sugar Pine Store. A serious freight wreck occurred on Sunday morning near Keswick. An axle broke on a loaded car derailing four cars in the rear of it. A number of men were riding in one of these and two of them were instantly killed and three others badly injured. One of the men killed was Al Bryan, of Denver, Colo., and the other man could not be identified. Do not get scared if your heart troubles you. Most likely you suffer from indigestion. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and gives the worn out stomach perfect rest. It is the only preparation known that completely digests all classes of foods; that is why it cures the worst cases of indigestion and stomach troubles after everything else has failed. It may be taken in all conditions and cannot help but do you good.—W. F. Kremer. Two bilious politicians made matters lively Monday night in the "Corner" saloon. One of them, bubbling over with enthusiasm for McKinley, gave vent to the same by means of various hurrahs and other sounds, which were resented by a staunch supporter of Wm. J. Bryan. An altercation ensued which terminated in the Bryanite seizing McKinley's supporter by the neck, with evident ill intent. A lively fight ensued in which one of the warring politicians endeavored to brain the other with a spittoon. The men finally pulled apart and one of them was persuaded to go home and defer the election until the next day. The other then waxed exceedingly fierce and warlike.

PHOTOGRAPHER

Fancy Cranberries now in—no higher than the poor kind—White House Grocery. I have just received another shipment of Fur Collarettes from \$3 to \$15. R. O. McCloskey. A new house, in good location for sale cheap. Enquire of Joseph Moss the real estate agent. Ten Cents will purchase a bundle of old papers at this office—come handy in underlying carpets. First-class apple orchard for sale—Best investment can be found. See Joseph Moss about it. You have heard it said of some thing "It takes the cake." But Myrtle Creek Flour makes the cake. A republican rally was held at Ashland Monday evening. Hon. C. W. Fulton was the speaker. Smokers will find rare opportunities for selection in the many lines of choice cigars at Wilson & Roper's. South Sea Blend—What is it? Finest roast coffee in the city—only 30c per pound—White House Grocery. No other pills can equal DeWitt's Little Early Risers for promptness, certainty and efficiency.—W. F. Kremer. We understand that Mrs. G. W. Pettit will soon open a bakery at the corner of Fourth and Front street. Look for her ad in our next issue. T. A. Hood & Co. received a new lathe on Monday, which is an important addition to their already well equipped bicycle establishment. "Charley" Nickell, of Jacksonville, was a north bound passenger to Portland Tuesday evening, to be, as he said, "in the thickest of it". We opine that his hopes will be realized to perfection. If the Grants Pass high school could elect the president, Bryan would stand little chance of election. A ballot was taken recently in two of the rooms and McKinley was "elected" by a vote of 73 to 17. Scott Griffin handles Ashland flour, Utah alfalfa seed, Oregon red clover seed, winter oats, large Russian white eye, new crop timothy seed, wheat for seed also Wheat Hay, Alfalfa Hay, Timothy Hay, Oat Straw, Chop Barley, Corn, Wheat, Oats. A large line of Shoes, Prints, Viacqua Dress and Wrapper Flannels at a 10 per cent Discount Sale. The Sugar Pine Store. We were pleased to receive a letter from Ben E. Stahl, now of Boise, Idaho, and regret that we were not able to give to the public last week. Mr. Stahl sent his greeting to the "boys" and urged them to vote right in the election. He predicted that Idaho would give McKinley a small majority. He expects to visit Grants Pass in the near future. Dr. W. H. Lewis, Lawrenceville, Va., writes, "I am using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my practice among severe cases of indigestion and find it an admirable remedy." Many hundreds of physicians depend upon the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in stomach troubles. It digests what you eat, and allows you to eat all the good food you need, providing you do not overload your stomach. Gives instant relief and a permanent cure.—W. F. Kremer.

Six Frightful Failures.

Six terrible failures of six different doctors nearly sent Wm. H. Mallen of Lockland, O., to an early grave. All said he had a fatal lung trouble and that he must soon die. But he was urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. After taking five bottles he was entirely cured. It is positively guaranteed to cure all diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, including Coughs, Colds, Lagrip, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Dr. Kremer's drug store.

Southern California.

Notable among the pleasures afforded by the Shasta route is the winter trip to Southern California and Arizona. Renewed acquaintances with this section will ever develop fresh points of interest and added sources of enjoyment, under its sunny skies, in the variety of its industries, in its prolific vegetation and among its numberless resorts of mountain, shore, valley and plain. The two daily Shasta trains from Portland to California have been recently equipped with the most approved pattern of standard and tourist sleeping cars, but the low rates of fare will still continue in effect. Illustrated guides to the winter resorts of California and Arizona may be had application to C. H. MARKHAM, G. P. A. Portland, Oregon.

Farm for Sale.

The Vainoy farm containing 200 acres of bottom land on Rogue river about five miles west of town is offered for sale. For particulars apply to S. E. HARKNESS, Grants Pass.

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Immediately, for housework in small family. Inquire of A. E. VOONANS.

Romance in Real Life.

Mrs. Ruth Maxham, of Hartford, has left New York for Lebanon, Or., where she will marry Charles H. Green, a rich grocer. The marriage will end a romance that began half a century ago. When she was 6 years old, Mrs. Maxham and Green, an adopted orphan, 9 years of age were playmates. The children were reared together, and when Green was 17, he asked the girl to marry him. She refused and married Mr. Maxham. Green went to the war, and afterwards married and went West. Mr. and Mrs. Maxham lived in Hartford for 25 years. Mr. Maxham died last spring, and a letter from his widow to the friend of her youth brought an immediate offer of marriage, as Green is also a widower. Mrs. Maxham accepted, and left for his home accordingly. The groom is 61 years old, and the bride 58.

The Latest Yarn.

A Pittsburg drummer tells this yarn: I always carry a bottle of Kemp's Balm in my grip. I take cold easily and a few doses of the Balm always makes me a well man. Everywhere I go I speak a good word for Kemp. I take hold of my customers—I take old men and young men, and tell them confidentially what I do when I take cold. At druggists, 25c; and 50c.

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SCHOOL NOTES.

New pupils continue to enter every day. Examinations are being held this week in the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades of the Grants Pass schools. This closes the work left unfinished by closing the schools last March. Promotions will be made next Monday. Merlin Local Institute. The local institute held at Merlin, Ore., was organized at 10 a. m. with the following teachers in attendance. Supt. Savage, Prof. S. W. Holmes, J. P. McConnell, Stephen Jewell, Misses Olive Owen, Katie O'Shea, Belle Sturges, Alice Smith, and Mrs. Belle Huden. G. A. Savage being absent the subject "Purposes of Local Institutes" was very admirably discussed by S. W. Holmes. Miss Jessie Scovill being unable to attend, sent her manuscript on the subject "Language in the Primary Grades". Stephen Jewell kindly consented to act as her substitute, reading and discussing the subject in a manner appreciated by all. Arithmetic in grade work was ably presented by S. W. Holmes and absentees missed some valuable practical ideas. W. A. Massie being one of the absentees Supt. Savage made a few remarks upon the subject, "Writing." The subject, "Reading in the Second and Third Grades," which was presented by Miss Olive Owen was very instructive. A lively discussion followed this most excellent paper. Institute then adjourned until 1:30 p. m. At 1:30 p. m. "Grading Country Schools" was thoroughly explained by Supt. Savage. J. P. McConnell ably and eloquently disposed of the subject "Attention." Alice Smith filled her place in the program by reading a paper "Teaching Geography in the sixth and seventh grades." Miss Belle Huden presented the subject "Supplementary Reading" in so able a manner that every one present could understand the value of such reading matter in the hands of children in our schools. The entertainment in the evening given by the scholars of the Merlin school was well attended and the children performed their parts well. ALICE SMITH, Secretary of Institute.

Benevolent Hallowe'en Prank.

It sometimes happens that the evil designs of the wicked are frustrated in most unexpected ways and oft times the trend of events conceived of and set in motion by the machinations of the minions of mischief are diverted into channels of beneficence and blessing. A notable instance of this character occurred on Wednesday evening, Hallowe'en, in the easternmost corner of our city. Joseph Fetner had, during the summer, caused to be a supply of pumpkins, which numerous lumbered his lot. With these he had been supplying some of his neighbors, notably H. H. Barton, the jeweler. Mr. Barton appreciated the pumpkins and the only drawback to the arrangement seemed the inconvenience and fatigue of transporting the golden fruit the quarter of a mile, more or less, which separates the two residences. Young America, out for the evening and bent on maintaining the traditions of the night, perceived the pumpkins. It is an inexplicable fact that a Hallowe'en pranker is attracted to a pumpkin like a moth to a candle. The globular products one seen, it was past argument that something had to be done with them. The boys decided that all that was needed to promote their unalloyed happiness was to carry those pumpkins over to Mr. Barton's and stack them in his yard. This was done and the prankers gloried in glee at the havoc they had wrought. Both Mr. Fetner and Mr. Barton were well pleased at the favor which had been done. The boys had their fun, Mr. Barton has the pumpkins and all is serene.

Tablets of all kinds at the COURIER.

Grand Republican Rally.

Saturday evening the republicans of Grants Pass and Josephine county held a grand rally and demonstration for McKinley and Roosevelt, closing the campaign in this county. The speaker of the evening, present for the occasion, was Hon. C. W. Fulton, of Astoria, who is recognized as a man of much ability and one of the foremost speakers in the state. In the railroad park, explosives and various combustibles were provided and the noise and scenic fire were greatly suggestive of the Fourth of July or the battle of Spionkop. Shortly after 7 o'clock a torch light procession formed on Sixth street, and marched down that street to Main, thence down Main street and around the "triangle" to E street and thence to Sixth street and the opera house. The band was out in force and materially assisted in the entertainment of the occasion, rendering their selections with liveliness and vim. Cheers for McKinley were numerous and very audible. At 8 o'clock the meeting began in the opera house, which was densely packed and filled to overflowing, its capacity proving far too small for the accommodation of the audience. The band de-couraged music and a male quartet, Messrs Cramer, Kinney, Cramer and Homan, gave a pleasing vocal selection which was well received and the gentlemen were accorded a hearty encore. Mr. Fulton was then introduced and made a most able and pleasing address. While his speech was strong and forcible there was not a trace of abusiveness and the speaker maintained a high quality of gentlemanliness in his address which might well be imitated campaign speakers generally. He received a generous measure of applause, evidencing the heartiest approval of his audience.

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SOCIAL EVENTS.

A small though pleasant party was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Boynton. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Griffin entertained a few friends at their home and enjoyed a pleasant social evening. A select social dance was given at Clemens' hall, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Demaree furnishing the music for the occasion. The evening of Hallowe'en was the occasion for the celebration of a number of pleasant social events in the various portions of our city. Mrs. Dr. Moore and Mrs. R. L. Coe gave an "At home" to their friends at the residence of Mrs. Moore and the evening was pleasantly spent by the assembled guests. Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Harth gave an elaborate whist party at their new home, which eclipsed all previous similar events which have been given in Grants Pass. Refreshments of salad, cake and coffee were served at the close of the games. Grand Mask Ball. The Foresters of America will give a masquerade on Thanksgiving evening Nov. 29, and the order is making elaborate preparations for the occasion, which will be one of the social events of the year. Demaree's orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music and a supper will be served in the basement of the hall by Mrs. Almy. A reception committee will be in attendance to whom the maskers may reveal their identity on entering the hall. Tickets for the dance, \$1; spectators 25 cents. "That Man." About Nov. 22, Walter Walker, assisted by Mildred St. Pierre and specially selected company, will appear at the opera house in the farce comedy, "That Man." This company, with the same play, in a six night engagement at the Herald Square theater, New York, advanced their ticket receipts from \$570 on the first night to \$1150 on the closing evening. Coming Events. Nov. 20—Gorton's Minstrels at opera house. Nov. 22—Walter Walker and company in farce-comedy, "That Man," at opera house. Nov. 29, Thanksgiving Day. Nov. 29, Foresters mask ball at opera house.

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