Local Happenings

Dr. Flanagan,
Resident Dentist.

Go to Coron for Plumbing.

Whips, 10c to $2.50 at Hackett's.

M. Clemens, Prescription Druggist.

Fresh Oysters at the Post office store.

Full line of Cigars and Tobacco at Hanan's.

Get one of those Opals, free, at Clevenger's.

Bicycle hospital for all repairing at Cramer Bros.

Wood wanted on subscription at the COURIER office.

Send your ore to W. G. Wright's New Custom Mill.

A splendid line of Royal Charter Oak Ranges at Coron's.

Harness of all Kinds, Grades and Prices at Hackett's.

A new floor is being put into the S. P. D. & L. store.

W. G. Wright—custom mills—ore testing and assaying.

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For Notion and Japanese goods go to the Japanese Bazaar.

Fresh Oysters, the large Eastern kind, at Hanan's oyster parlors.

Prof. Griffith, the hypnotist, will make a blindfold drive on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

Unmounted photographs of Mt. Hood by Hicks; 5x7 inches, for 25c at the Courier office.

County court meets next week, probate court on Monday and commissioners' court on Wednesday.

J. Pardee has resigned his position at the White House grocery after having been for nine years connected with this merchantile establishment.

An enjoyable whist party was held last Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hough.

The regular quarterly muster of our company H. O. N. G. was held at the opera house on Monday evening, Dec., 31.

Assessor-elect Chas. Crow arrived in Grants Pass from Galice on Monday. He will assume his official position on next Monday, January 7.

A job lot of second hand Hydraulic Pipe, Elbows, Tapers and a large Headlight for sale cheap. Enquire of L. L. Jewell or Eclus Pollock at the Hair-Riddle Hardware Co. store.

J. W. Criteser is carrying with him a very badly bruised hand, the result of getting it between two logs which he was helping to move while working at the Miller place near town.

Eastern butter is being shipped into Grants Pass to supply the mining camps, and yet there are some who profess to think that a creamery will not pay in Southern Oregon.—Roseburg Review.

Otto J. Knips left on Monday morning for his ranch near Jacksonville which he has recently purchased. A typographical error in our last issue made the acreage of this place read 30 instead of 300 acres, as it should have read.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Cords operated the Pine Needle factory several days to assure themselves of what is needed in the way of equipment, and expect to begin operating steadily about the middle of January.

Sunday evening, the electric lights went out and the town was plunged in darkness for several minutes. At the churches the lamps were ordered lit that the exercises might proceed. After much fumbling for matches, rattling of globes and turning up and down of wicks the unaccustomed lamps were finally got under way and just at that moment the light returned, glorious and effulgent. One choir than sang very appropriately, "The Lord is my Light."

A directory of Grants Pass is being compiled by the manager of the Novelty Directory company. The directory will contain the names of all residents of Grants Pass, with street address. In connection will be published a street map, business directory, telephone, numbers, postage rates, secret societies, churches, etc., and no effort on the part of the publisher will be spared to make it a valuable book of reference. The work will be issued sometime during the latter part of the present month.

Many persons have had the experience of Mr. Peter Sherman, of North Stratford, N. H., who says: "For years I suffered torture from chronic indigestion, but Kodol Dyspepsia Cure made a well man of me." It digests what you eat and is a certain cure for dyspepsia and every form of stomach trouble. It gives relief at once even in the worst cases, and can't help but do you good.—Dr. W. F. Kremer.

The "Breezy Time" company was in town Saturday and gave their entertainment in the evening at the opera house. They give a very livey and entertaining performance though some parts of it were a little too metropolitan to suit the classical taste. Their three-legged sailor was undoubtedly one of the funniest productions ever brought on this stage, and the barnyard fowl was a most entertaining bird. The musical features were good, the bell ringing by four girls with tennis racquets fringed with sleigh bells being exceptionally worthy of mention.

Week of Prayer at the Baptist Church.

The services on Sunday, 6th inst. will be Bible school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m; B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Every evening, except Saturday during the week, services will be held, beginning at 8. A short address by the pastor will be followed by a season of testimony, prayer and praise. All are cordially invited.

ROBERT LESLIE, Pastor.

Salvation Army Juniors.

The Juniors of the Salvation Army will hold a special meeting at the hall on Saturday evening, January 5, and will present "Moses in the Bullrushes." Coffee and cake will be served after the meeting. Everyone welcome.

A Twist of the Wrist

In the night will turn on the electric berth light in the Pullman Standard Sleeping Cars, on the Northern Pacific's North Coast Limited. Two lights in each section. Get a North Coast Limited leaflet. A. D. Charlton, Ass't Gen'l Pass. Ag't. 255 Morrison St., Cor. 3d, Portland, Oregon.

If you want a box of fine candy, go to Hanan's.

The weather report on the first page is for November, not October as it states.

Take your shoes to Hackett for good work and right prices.

Meals served at all hours at the Novelty, Front street next to Fetsch's.

PHEBY PHOTOGRAPHER Opp. Court House.

You have heard it said of something "It takes the cake." But Myrtle Creek Flour makes the cake.

Dr. R. E. Smith has permanently located here and has opened an office in room 2 over the postoffice.

Next week, January 6 to 13, is the annual week of prayer and will be so observed at the several churches.

Smokers will find rare opportunities for selection in the many lines of choice cigars at Wilson & Roper's.

The bakery and restaurant of Gus Kutschelis were purchased last week by Wm. Knoell.

The New Year celebrated its advent with a very heavy and rather cold rain, with snow on the near by hills,

A local teachers' institute will be held at Kerby on January 19 by Superintendent Savage and an interesting program by the teachers of that district.

One change was made in the passenger train schedule of the S. P. Co. on this line at the beginning of the year. Northbound train No. 12 formerly arriving here at 4:35 a. m. now comes at 5:25 a. m.

Scott Griffin handles Ashland flour, Utah alfalfa seed, Oregon red clover seed, winter oats, large Russian white rye, new crop timothy seed, wheat for seed also Wheat Hay, Alfalfa Hay, Timothy Hay. Oat Straw, Chop Barley, Corn, Wheat, Oats.

The quarterly meeting of the Grants Pass Mining and Commercial club, will be held in the parlors of the First National bank, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, January 8. Reports of the president, secretary and treasurer will be read.

Miss Emma Telford will reopen her kindergarten and primary school on Monday, January 7, and will receive pupils. Miss Telford has had a great deal of experience in primary and kindergarten work, is very successful in commanding the attention and best efforts of the children and thorough in each detail of the mental and mechanical development which is the object of the kindergarten.

A very enjoyable musical program was rendered. The orchestra played some fine selections in their artistic manner, Cramer Bros. sang the melodious duet of David and Jonathan and Prof. C. J. Kurth favored the company with a well executed and pleasing cornet solo. The Glee club was called on for songs and responded with some of their bright and lively college airs which were greatly appreciated by the company. Mr Frazier's piano solo was one of the most pleasing numbers of the program.

At the conclusion of the program, refreshments of cocoa, coffee and cake were served after which, the hour being late, the company dispersed. The U. of O. boys made many friends in Grants Pass and are sure of a cordial welcome on any future visit to our town.

Hay Flour and Feed.

Hay, grain, flour and feed for sale at wholesale or retail at the new warehouse near the depot. Hay by the car load a speciality. DOWNING & STRICKLAND.

Native Daughters' Dance.

The grand ball, given by Margaret Tuffs cabin, Native Daughters of Oregon, on New Years night, was a very pleasant and joyous social event and was well attended. The ball being given by Oregonians and in some degree a celebration in honor of our Webfoot state, the weather very appropriately contributed a copious downpour of rain for this particular evening which made the attendance of spectators less than it would otherwise have been, but the number of dancers was large and the hall was none too spacious for their accommodation.

The ladies of the order assumed, through their committees, every detail of the arrangement and the result of their efforts were very complimentary indeed to their ability as entertainers. The music was furnished by Demaree's orchestra, the program being arranged by the ladies. No detail was spared which might conduce to the entire social success of the occasion and the assembled company enjoyed the evening to a degree not surpassed at any of the previous events of its character. The hall was very prettily decorated with evergreens, mistletoe, and other appropriate adornments.

Prizes for best waltzers were awarded to Mrs. Dr. Harth and Ray Jackson.

Quite a number of visitors were present from the valley towns and altogether the dance was one of the pleasantest of the season.

The through freight division at this place has been discontinued, the crews running through to Ashland. The local freight arrangements remain as before.

The U. of O. Glee Club.

The entertainment given last Thursday evening by the Glee club of the University of Oregon, was one of the most pleasant that Grants Pass people have enjoyed for many a day. Their songs were full of life, snap and energy and almost perfect harmony of the 16 voices was a theme of nearly universal comment. Every individual voice seemed smooth, pleasant and melodious and the perfect manner in which they blended evinced the most through and judicious training Prof. Glenn, their instructor and director sang several solos and was a decided favorite with the audience. His voice in addition to being well trained and powerful, has peculiarly pleasing quality of its own and his solos were intensely appreciated by the audience. The impersonations of Mr. Eaton and Mr. Frazier's piano solos showed talent of the highest order and their selections met with deserved appreciation. The travesty of Ingomar, presented by Eaton and Frazier was extremely amusing and was given with a display of a dramatic talent of a high quality.

After the concert, a reception given by the Music club of Grants Pass, was held at the A. O. U. W. hall. The hall was well filled by the company who attended, 200 or more being present.

Hyde—Wade Wedding.

On the evening of Dec. 31st. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Swacker, near this city, Mr. John R. Hyde and Miss Nellie Wade were united in marriage by Rev. S. F. Jenkins.

A very beautiful and choice display of presents from their many friends bore witness to the high esteem in which this young couple are held and many guests were present to witness the nuptial ceremonies.

Among those present upon the occasion we note: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stillinger, Mrs. Ed Lister and Mrs. Annie Frye, Misses Ina Lister, Anna Wade, Emma Hyde, Messers. E. H. Lister. Arthur Lister and Walter Harmon.

After a pleasant repast and a social good time the guests took their departure wishing the newly married couple much happiness upon their voyage of life as they enter into the years of the new century.

Griffith the Hypnotist.

Griffith the hypnotist and fun maker opens a six nights engagement at the opera house Monday night. Go and you will know why others go. Popular prices, 10, 15 and 25 cents. Ladies absolutely free the opening night.

Personal

Mrs. J. D. Fry visited in Medford last week.

Russell McGalliard of Waldo spent a few days in town this week.

Mrs. H. A. Rotermund and children are visiting here from Montague.

Jas Evans was down from Central Point this week for a few days visit.

R. F. Scott of Creswell has been here lately looking after mining interests.

Mrs. Howard Robinson, of Ashland, spent the holidays visiting relatives here.

Miss Nellie Wade has been visiting here from Dunsmuir during the holidays.

Mr. John Winters of California visited for several days this week with F. S. Dukes.

J. W. Frater came up from Roseburg this week to visit for a few days in Grants Pass.

Mrs. H. C. Bickett of Roseburg returned on Saturday after a weeks visit in Grants Pass.

Miss Lillian Hogan, one of our successful teachers, attended the state institute at Albany last week.

J. D. Hayes returned Wednesday morning from Portland where he has been for several weeks past.

Mrs. T. A. McCourt of McMinnville has been visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Meade.

Miss Barbara Booth arrived on Thursday evening from Eugene to visit with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Edwards of Saginaw spent the holidays visiting with relatives at this place.

Miss Ziegler, of Eugene, has been visiting here with her sister, Mrs. I. G. Knotts, for the past week.

Miss Elsie Wiley, of Medford, is visiting friends in Grants Pass this week, the guest of Miss Edna Parker.

J. H. Howard came in from Kerby last Wednesday to spend a few days with his family in Grants Pass.

John Hall left Saturday evening for his mine in the Grave creek district after spending Christmas week at home.

Mr. A. J. Bingham a prominent, contractor of Portland. is visiting his sister Mrs. Herbert Smith, of Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Voorhies are once more residents of Grants Pass having arrived on Saturday from Portland.

Miss Jessie Scovill left on Monday morning for St. Helena, Calif., where she expects to remain for some time.

County Superintendent Lincoln Savage and Prof. S. W. Holmes attended the state teachers institute at Albany.

Luther Hanan of Garden Valley, nephew of D. Hanan, is assisting the latter at his oyster parlors and will attend school here during the remainder of the year.

Mrs. E. E. LaBrie and daughter, of Garden Valley, near Roseburg, returned on Saturday after a visit with relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roper, returned Saturday evening from their wedding tour to San Francisco to take up their residence in Grants Pass.

Superintendent Daly and Professors Hitchcock and Clayton, of Jackson county, attended the state teacher's institute at Albany last week.

Engineer S. K. Willett has been transferred to the Portland and Corvallis run. Mr. and Mrs. Willett will make their home in Portland.

L. A. Robertson a former resident of Grants Pass and now one of the large farmers of Sams Valley, spent several days in Grants Pass last week.

Tom Barry of Crescent City arrived here Saturday evening and left for San Francisco to attend the legislature of California of which he is a member.

E. R. Hanan of Roseburg, brother of D. Hanan of Grants Pass, passed through here on Tuesday on his way to San Francisco where he is shipping some live stock.

H. M. Shaw. S. P. agent at Aumsville, Or. and Harra Shaw returned home Monday morning after enjoying a few days visit with their brother Willie Shaw and taking in the sights of the Pass.

BORN.

RANZAU—Near Grants Pass, Dec. 20, 1900, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ranzau, a daughter.

OWENS—In Grants Pass Dec. 20, 1900, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Owens, a son.

MARRIED.

PEARSON—WHITSETT—At the home of the bride near Saginaw, Lane county, Ore. on Christmas day, Dec. 25, 1900, C. O. Pearson and Miss Margaret Whitsett.

DIED.

EGGERS—Near Waldo, December 13, 1900, of pneumonia, Ruth, infant daugnter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eggers, aged 2 months and 27 days.

EGGERS—Near Waldo, November 30, 1900, Bennie, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eggers, aged 10 months 20 days.

PATRICK—In this city, Tuesday, Jan. 1, 1901, Melcom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patrick, aged 4 years.

He had undergone an operation on the preceding day, for an abscess, and had seemed to recover as rapidly and as well as could be expected, but early on Tuesday morning he sank rapidly and died in a few minutes after his condition was realized.

Watch Night.

A watch night meeting and entertainment was held on Monday evening at the opera house under the auspices of the W. R. C. as part of a concerted movement all over the United States, the object being to raise funds for the Red Cross society.

There was a very fair attendance, though the crowd was not large. The program which had been arranged fell at the last minute on account of the inability of some of the participants to be present and also because the greetings which should have come failed to arrive. A new program was made up on the spur of the moment and though hastily arranged, was both entertaining and pleasing. The selections by the orchestra were rendered in their very best style. Some of the music played by them is a grade rarely attempted outside the larger cities, yet our orchestra handles it in a manner worthy of professionals.

The Choral Union, though few in number, gave several selections which were well received by the audience.

Cramer Bros. sang the duet of David and Jonathan in a most pleasing manner and one of the very best numbers was the piano solo by Miss Eula Howard. Rev. Robert Leslie and Rev. C. W. Hays gave short though excellent addresses. As the midnight hour approached the audience dispersed until only about a dozen remained to herald the advent of the New Year and century.

A Keen Clear Brain.

Your best feelings, your social position or business success depend largely on the perfect action of your Stomach and Liver. Dr. King's New Life Pills give increased strength, a keen, clear brain, high ambition. A 25 cent box will make you feel like a new being. Sold by Dr. Kremer Druggist.

AMUSEMENTS.

Coming Events.

Jan. 7 to 12—Griffith Hypnotic company at opera house.

Jan. 7—County court.

Jan. 5—"Moses in the Bullrushes" at Salvation hall.

Jan. 14—Richards & Pringles' Georgia Minstrels at opera house.

See Evans the optician's offer.

Notice to Music Lovers.

Several parties representing themselves as dealers in pianos, have represented themselves as agents for the celebrated Weber, Wheelock, Stuyvesant, United Makers and other pianos. We desire to notify all residents of Josephine county that the Coss Piano House, at Medford, Oregon, are the SOLE AGENTS for these makes for Josephine, Jackson and Lake counties, and if you want one of these pianos or an organ, you will always get a better deal from headquarters, and not be led into buying inferior grades from supposed agents. We guarantee perfect satisfaction, so when you need an instrument, just drop us a line and we shall be pleased to call on you or meet you at our warerooms in Medford, where we have a large stock of instruments always on hand.

COSS PIANO HOUSE,
Medford, Oregon.

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