Local Happenings

Dr. Flanagan,
Resident Dentist.

Bicycle Hospital at Cramer Bros.

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.

Bicycle hospital for all repairing at Cramer Bros.

Wood wanted on subscription at the COURIER office.

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

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

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

Get your bicycle cleaned and overhauled at Cramer Bros.

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

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

For Notion and Japanese goods go to the Japanese Bazaar.

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

Hair-Riddle Hardware Co. are agents for Dunne's Solid Sprays for fruit trees.

Ask the Hair-Riddle Hdw. Co. for pamphlet concerning Spraying and Spray compounds.

Cash for Gold Dust—Cramer Bros.

Miss L. M. Davis gave a pleasant reception to her music class Saturday evening.

Dr. Goble guarantees all glasses fitted by him to be satisfactory. Office opposite Hotel Josephine.

T. A. Hood has accepted a position with the Hair Riddle Hardware Co. and will assume the same on the first of the month.

Father Dominick, of Mt. Angel college, a musician of high ability, will render piano solos, with accompaniment by our orchestra at the Choral convention.

A candy factory has been established at the Grants Pass billiard hall and is under the direction of Ed Benton, an expert confectioner.

Signor D. Boffa, a violin soloist of high ability and Mrs Boffa, a cultured soprana, will attend and assist in the musical convention.

Notwithstanding reports to the contrary, N. P. Dodge is still writing fire insurance in his reliable companies, the Phoenix and the Atlas, who have always paid their losses promptly and fully.

Dunne's Solid Sprays are manufactured and compounded according to the formulas of the Oregon State Board of Horticulture—Hair-Riddle Hdw. Co. agents.

Hair-Riddle Hdw. Co. carry a full line of Spray Pumps and Pruning Tools, and are agents for Dunne's Solid Sprays.

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,

During the Lenten season there will be service in the Catholic church every Wednesday and Friday evenings. On Wednesday evenings there will be benediction and instruction; on Friday evenings, Stations of the Cross.

Quarterly meeting for the Free Methodist church, Grants Pass charge, will be held in this city beginning Friday, February 22, and continuing over Sunday. Services at 7:30 p. m. each evening and at 11 a. m, Sunday. Elder W. E. Good in charge.

W. A. Corthell has opened a restaurant in the building adjoining Schmidt's grocery on Sixth street. He intends to conduct a first-class short order restaurant with the best that the market affords and later in the season will open ice cream parlors.

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church will give a chicken pie supper and patriotic entertainment at the I. O. O. F. hall on Friday February 22. Supper will begin at 5 o'clock, program at 8. Admission 25 cents, children 10 cents supper included. All are invited to attend. One of Edison's latest and most powerful phonographs will furnish a portion of the entertainment including several patriotic songs, also a record from the Chimes of Trinity church of New York City.

The ladies Benefit society of the Presbyterian church will give a social "An Evening in China," on the evening of Tuesday, February 26. The program will consist of readings and recitations descriptive of the missionary work and needs of China and will be both entertaining and instructive. Refreshments will be served as usual but no admission fee will be charged.

A very fair portrait of Rev. Robt McLean appears in Friday's Oregonian, Mr. McLean has become very prominent lately by his handling of the subject of evolution, which has subjected him to severe criticism, but it can be said with certainty that he has fully held his own in the argument. The Oregonian attacked him editorially but gives him credit for his ability and for his force and logic in the discussion and in general. His church stands by him to the last member.

The most Soothing, healing and antiseptic application ever devised is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It relieves at once and cures piles, sores, eczema and skin diseases. Beware of imitations.—Dr. W. F. Kremer.

"Under Sealed Orders" was played last Wednesday evening at the opera house, but was accorded only a very meagre attendance. The company gave a very good entertainment, deserving of a much larger audience. The play was quite exciting in itself and the various parts were handled in a very creditable manner. The hypnotic Frenchman, Sanson, was supremely horrible, one of the most hair raising individuals who have ever appeared on the Grants Pass stage. The Arab shiek, Fallendar, was one of the principal interesting subjects in the play and appeared as a splendid barbaric chieftan, having the real cold blooded air of savagery. Amusing features were numerous, the finale sensational and the interest of the audience was held throughout the play.

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

Leave orders for engraved calling cards with A. E. Voorhies.

For sale cheap, second hand piano, address box 95, city.

"It takes the cake." But Myrtle Creek Flour makes the cake.

Miss. Ida LaRaut returned first of the week from her visit to Eugene.

M. V. Rourke, of Holland, was a visitor to Grants Pass on Thursday.

F. E. Norton, formerly of Grants Pass, is now located at Tillamook where he is engaged in dairying.

The handsome designs in oak furniture at Thomas' are attractive and very worthy of inspection.

Young woman wishes position as housekeeper in private family. Address box 248, Grants Pass, Or.

A full line of Standard Sewing Machines. You can pay for them by the month. For sale by Joseph Moss.

Quality and not quantity makes DeWitt's Little Early Risers such valuable little liver pills.—Dr. W. F. Kremer.

Have Dr. Goble test your eyes. The proper glasses will relieve those tired eyes and that aching head. Opposite Hotel Josephine.

If you wish to buy or sell city or farm property you cannot do better than to call on or address Joseph Moss, The Real Estate Agent.

Go to Coron for Plumbing.

Salvation Army special meeting on Saturday evening Feb. 23d. Coffee and cake will be served after the meeting.

Hon. R. D. Lawrence of the Lawrence Mining company, owner of the copper Stain mine, died on Sunday at his home in Springfield, Ill.

Rogue river was higher on Saturday than it has been for two years past. The dam was damaged to an extent which is not yet fully ascertainable.

Remember the Evans Optical Co. Scientific correction of defective vision a specialty. Lenses for complicated cases ground to order. Consultation free. Office at residence, Grants Pass, Ogn.

You can make an independent living by working for the Portland Art Company at your own home. We can teach you how to make portraits in your own home by our improved methods. Write Portland Art Company, 270 Oak Street.

Signor D. Boffa, late of Portland, a violinist of splendid reputation will be heard as a soloist at the convention of R. R. V. Choral Union at the opera house March 5 8, 1901.

Clark Ryel, fireman at the S. P. D. & I. was severely burned last Friday by melted babbitt metal which came in contact with some water and exploded. The hot metal struck him in the face and eyes, but he very fortunately escaped without being permanently or seriously injured.

Convention.

Interest in the Choral convention which meets here during the first week of March is accelerating as the time for the musical carnival draws nearer. Besides the best talent of Grants Pass and of Ashland, Medford and Jacksonville, who will be convened in a grand chorus of over a hundred voices, we will have a number of musicians from other points who stand high in their several specialties and whose presence together at that time insures that this convention will be one long to be held in remembrance by those appreciative of good music

Father Dominick of Mt. Angel college will render piano solos, some of which will have orchestral accompaniment. Signor D. Boffa, is a cultured violinist and Mrs. Boffa is a soprano soloist of recognized ability. They will be present at the convention. The ability of M. O. Warner as a 'celloist is well know and his presence adds materially to the aggregate musical talent of the event. Mrs. R. C. Brooks will sing several soprano solos. She is a soprano of great capability, beauty and power. Miss Esther Silsby of Ashland is a contralto with a grand voice. She sings a duet with Mrs. Brooks. W. Gifford Nash, of Eugene will be here to assume the directorship of the chorus, and his ability in that direction is highly commended. Miss Belle Robinson will act as accompanist as at the former conventions where her perfect work in that line has been of inestimable value.

There will be a magnificent orchestra of 18 or 20 pieces and altogether the convention seems certain to be the best musical gathering ever held in southern Oregon. Following is the list of choruses:

Inflammatus.....From Stabat Mater
Bridal Chorus.....Lohengrin
Ever Be Happy.....From Enchantress
Welcome Czarina.....Russian Holiday Chorus
Spirit Immortal.....From Attila
Hallelujah Chorus.....From Messiah
Sanctus.....By Gounod
Night of Joy .From Blue Danube Waltzes
The Marvellous Works.. From Creation
What from Vengeance yet Restrains me.....From Lucia
Come with the Gypsy Bride.....From Bohemian Girl

K. of P. Grand Ball.

The grand ball given on Tuesday evening by the K. of P. was a very pleasant affair. The attendance was good, the hall being comfortably filled by the dancers and those who attended report an unqualified good time. Demaree's orchestra furnished the music and supper was served by Mrs. Almy.

Choral Union.

As the musical convention is so near it is important that we have a full attendance at rehearsals. Therefore a call is hereby sent out to every member of the Grants Pass Choral Union to be present at the rehearsal next Monday evening.

Found.

On Monday, Feb. 11, near Merlin, a $75 bank draft. Owner may recover same on indentification of property. Inquire at this office.

K. O. T. M. Masquerade.

The grand masquerade ball given by the Knights of the Maccabees on Thursday evening of last week was a most decided success in every way. There was a large attendance probably 50 couples of maskers besides many others. The costumes represented every quality known to the human comprehension. They were ingenious, beautiful comical, grotesque, hideous. The evening opened with the Maccabee drill in uniform, which was well executed and was a novel and interesting feature. The masks were discarded at 10:30 and the festivities were continued till the young hours of the morn. The following prizes were awarded: For the best sustained character, F. R. McGregor, who appeared as a wizened, hirsute old man, with a peculiar blue leathery tint of countenance, indicative of tremendous age; for finest costume, Wm. Bernstein; best representative of valentine, Miss Flossie Figel; best waltzer, Miss Daisy Taylor. Demaree's orchestra furnished the music, the perfect character of which conduced greatly to the pleasure of the occasion.

Supper was served by J. S. Beckley at the oyster parlors.

Personal

Robt. McCulloch came up from Placer Tuesday.

Will Smith came in from Wolf Creek Tuesday.

D. Hanan went to Ashland Friday on a business trip.

Mrs. Harry Lyon of Glendale is visiting in Grants Pass.

Mrs. M. M. Spencer, has been visiting friends in Ashland this week.

Mrs. C. M. Wilson returned from Ashland last Wednesday evening.

Peter Ulam and Henry Yokum of Riddle, visited Grants Pass last week.

Hon. A. F. Stearns of Oakland visited Grants Pass this week on a business trip.

Engineer Fields and family went to Portland last week to remain two months.

John Hall has been in from the mines this week spending a few days with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kinney have been visiting friends in Grants Pass during the past week.

W. A. Corthell, of Ashland, came down last Wednesday evening on a business trip.

Miss Jennie Gilvin of Roseburg has been visiting with Miss Clara Wertz during the week.

Mrs. Ida Inglesby, of Walla Walla Wash., is visiting here with her sister, Mrs. Alice Teal.

Mrs. Geo. Colvig, of Grants Pass, and Mrs. Stone, of Crescent City, Calif. returned Monday.

Victor Vallela, who has been here for several months past, left on Monday morning for Roseburg.

Mrs. Fannie Ellis stopped here Sunday for a brief visit on her return to Seaside from Sespar, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Tynan arrived here Tuesday from Roseburg to visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. Ferree went to Roseburg Thursday evening and will visit Portland also before returning.

W. G. Wright left on Tuesday morning for a business trip to Empire City, Bandon and other coast points.

M. Dean, of Riddle, father of T. Y. Dean, arrived here Friday morning to remain for a time with his son.

Chas. Nickell of the Jacksonville Times stopped here Monday on his return from Salem and Portland.

Mrs. F. G. Roper went to Central Point Monday to spend a day or two visiting with relatives and friends.

Dr. R. Burnett, dentist, spent a few days here last week visiting with friends and looking after business interests.

Rev. Robt. Booth and daughter, Mrs. Ed. Belknap, stopped off here Tuesday on there way to Belfountain.—Junction Bulletin.

M. O. Warner, the celloist, whose ability with that instrument is widely recognized, will attend the the Choral convention.

Mrs. L. L. Jewell returned Tuesday morning from Portland where she has been visiting with the family of Rev. R. McLean.

Mrs. Endert of Crescent City was in Grants Pass Tuesday evening on her way to San Francisco to visit her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Drysdale.

Mrs. Hattie Benson and daughter Flossie returned last week from Galice where she has been staying for the past year and has returned to her home near Kerby.

M. J. Munson, Sunday school missionary, left on Saturday for Glendale and Roseburg. He will return later in the spring to take up the Sunday school work in this county.

Mrs. Fannie Ellis returned Tuesday from her trip to New Mexico and will visit a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. F. Eddy, before resuming her duties at Seaside.—Tidings.

Miss Fannie R. Hale, sister of J. P. Hale, of our city is contemplating opening an art studio. Miss Hale, who has lately arrived here from Iowa, is an artist of ability and culture, whom Grants Pass is pleased to welcome.

Coming Events.

Feb. 22—Washington's birthday.

Feb. 22—Patriotic vocial by W. R. C. at opera house.

Feb. 23—Local teachers' institute.

Feb. 25—Frank Cooley Dramatic company at opera house.

Feb. 26—"An Evening in China" at Presbyterian church.

March 1—Sam Simpson entertainment by Senior class at I. O. O. F. hall.

March 5 to 8—Rogue River Valley Choral convention.

Apr. 15.—"The Strollers" at opera house.

Announcement.

Dr. J. H. Goble, the optician, will be at the residence of Mrs. J. K. Pigney opposite Hotel Josephine from Feb. 25th, to March 8th. Dr. Goble makes a specialty of all cases of defective, or failing vision that glasses will remedy. He guarantees all glasses fitted by him to be satisfactory. For reference Dr. Goble refers you to the many people for whom he has fitted glasses in Grants Pass. Office hours from 2 to 4 p. m, consultation free.

Sam Simpson Entertainment.

An entertainment will be given on the evening of Friday, March 1, by the Senior class assisted by the teachers and others and will be in honorary remembrance of Sam L. Simpson, Oregon's poet. The following program will be rendered.

Piano Duet.....Maud Williams and .....Leni Longley
Recitation.....Maud Berry
Solo.....Lillian Rourke
Lecture.....Hon. R. G. Smith
Piano Solo.....Eula Howard
Recitation.....Miss May Sutton
Solo.....Miss Edna Parker

The entertainment will be held at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Fruit Farm for Sale.

Fruit farm of 6¾ acres one mile east of town. Good house and barn, young fruit trees. For sale at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

Found.

A day or two before Christmas a pail containing groceries and Christmas goods. Inquire at this office.

Bath Cabinets.

If you wish to break up that bad cold or La Grippe, get one of those Five Dollar Bath Cabinets from,

JOSEPH MOSS,

For Sale.

General merchandise store and stock in Josephine county for sale; stock in voice, $400 to $500; building, $400. Possession given July 1, 1901. Inquire at his office.

MARRIED.

OATMAN—SHEETS—In Jacksonville, Feb. 12, 1901, Frank B. Oatman and Miss Nida Sheets, both of Ashland, by Rev. N. M. Hansen.

SMITH—ROSS—In Dawson City, N. W. T., Jan. 14, 1901, Frank M. Smith, of Seattle, Wash., and Miss Scobie Ross, of Clawson.

DIED.

DOUDEN—Near Gold Hill, Feb, 11, 1901, Joseph Douden, aged 76 years.

GOOD—In Ashland, Feb. 11, 1901, Bernetta Margaret Good, aged 1 year, 5 mos., 11 days.

FREEMAN—In Ashland, Feb. 15, 1901, George M. Freeman, aged 47 years.

MOORE—At his home near Wilderville, on Thursday, Feb. 14, 1901, J. J. Moore, aged 80 years.

Deceased was one of the old residents of this county and a well known and respected citizen.

BAGLEY—On Feb. 14th at Kerby, Or., Ruby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bagley, aged two years and ten months.

A sweet little cherub, too bright for earth, was called to join the angelic host above. F

Lost

On February 1, on the road between Conklin's residence and C street, a ladies gold filled hunting case watch. Finder will please leave same at COURIER office and receive reward.

Dentistry.

The Latest! The best is the cheapest. Dr. Jennings has the the latest improved dental machinery, appliances and modes. He best material that money will command. He has the best and safest local Anesthetic in existence for alleviating pain in extracting and filling teeth and for Crown and Bridge work. He also has the Nitrous Oxide gas. With his thirty-five years experience in his profession and the moderate charges that he makes (considering the high grade work that he performs) he will endeavor to merit a continuance of a fair share of public patronage. Office in Opera House Block, Grants Pass.

Patriotic Entertainment.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Relief Corps there will be a patriotic entertainment free at the opera house on Friday afternoon at 2:30 p. m., December 22. Short addresses will be given by Rev. C. W. Hays, Rev. R. Leslie and Attorney C. E. Maybee. There will be vocal and instrumental solos, ladies and male quartettes and recitations. No admission fee will be charged and every one is invited.