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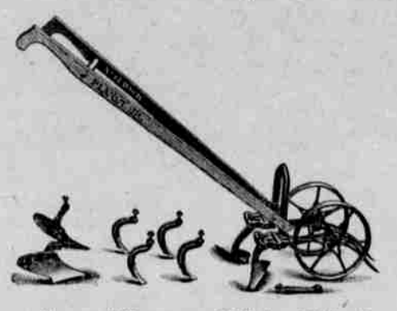

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Apple Trees 5 to 10 cts. at the Riverside Nursery.

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Garden seeds at half prices at Adams Bazaar, Front St.

The Spring and Summer goods are arriving every few days at Mrs. Rehkopf's.

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Bee Hives and Bee Supplies at Hair-Riddle Hdw. Co.

Demaree's orchestra will furnish music for "The Girl I Left Behind Me" on Saturday evening.

The People's Store, every thing new, latest styles, lowest prices in fact the most popular place for millinery at Adam's Bazaar, Front St.

All kinds of Bicycle Repairing at Cramer Bros.

For something strictly up-to date in Pictures see Weston—opposite court house, Grants Pass.

You cannot enjoy perfect health, rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes if your liver is sluggish and your bowels clogged. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cleanse the whole system. They never gripe.

A freight wreck occurred Sunday night near Edgewood. Five cars, two loaded with coal and three empty, were derailed. No one was injured. Oregon express No. 12, due here at 5 30 a. m. did not reach here till 4.30 p. m.

A very pleasant social was given last Wednesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall by the Ladies Home Missionary society of the M. E. church. A very entertaining musical program was rendered and refreshments were served. All present enjoyed a delightful evening.

Edwin Wilkinson, a pioneer butcher of Medford, was found guilty Saturday by a jury of selling unclean and diseased meat to Eli Mayer, a Central Point market man. There are several other charges to be investigated. Wilkinson is said to have sold diseased meat right along. His employes testified that they had instructions to kill any sick animal that was likely to die.

Surprising how many dainty dishes can be made with Shredded Wheat Biscuit now demonstrated at the White House Grocery.

Mr and Mrs. R. L. Demaree entertained the orchestra and a few other friends at their home on Saturday evening, celebrating the completion of their new music room. The evening was spent musically and with enjoyment to both players and listeners. Delicious refreshments of coffee, sandwiches and cake were served and further promoted the pleasure of the occasion. All present enjoyed a delightful evening.

August Fetsch's team indulged in a small runaway early Tuesday afternoon. While crossing the track, they were frightened at an engine and became unmanageable. Mr. Fetsch and his little girl and Dan Johnson were in the buggy at the time. The latter jumped out with the little girl and the team was stopped about half way between the railroad track and the opera house. A broken tongue was the only damage.

We make anything in the picture line from stamp Photos up. See our little gem, $1 per dozen—Weston, opposite court house.

The open season for trout fishing in Oregon began Monday, April 1, and lasts till September 30. It is unlawful to take, catch or kill any trout or salmon less than five inches in length, and such must be carefully disentangled from the hook and transmitted to the water without violence. It is unlawful to sell or offer for sale any species of trout at any time. It is unlawful to catch more than 125 in one day. It is unlawful to take trout between one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise.

Signor D. Boffa of Medford spent Thursday in this city. He was here also on Monday evening for the purpose of participating in the Easter entertainment at the opera house. He will be here no Thursday, April 11, for the purpose of organzing a violin class if he is able to secure a sufficient amount of encouragement. Signor Boffa is a violinist of great talent and culture and represents a high degree of musical ability. He will meet the class at Clemens hall on Thursday afternoon.

Something New...

G. D. Cousino, the practical Watch Maker and Jeweler, is at the Chicago Racket Store. We will give a guarantee with all of his work. If you want a ring or anything else made call and he will make it for you, and at a price that will astonish you.

Our Motto is to Make Your Pocket Book Last.

We do not want all the money for a small parcel but a small amount of money for a large package.

Marbles, tops, fishing tackle, Ladies', Gents' and Children's Underwear, Overalls, Latest Novelties in Summer Goods.

We start to enlarge our building on April 20. Now is your chance to save money.

A full and complete line of Shoes, Hats, Caps. Etc., will be here by May 1 for you to select from.

A Fine Line of Jewelry at Cut Rates.

Kessler's Chicago Racket Store.

First Door Below Palace Hotel.

Go to Coron for Plumbing.

Writing Paper of all kinds at the COURIER office.

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

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

A large supply of Hardford Cactus Tires on hand at Cramer Bros.

Shredded Wheat is being demonstrated at the White House Grocery this week.

John Randle has received the appointment as constable in the place of M. E. Stockbridge, resigned.

Company B, O. N. G. of Ashland are expected to present the drama, "The Girl I Left Behind Me," in Grants Pass on the evening of Saturday, April 13th, at the opera house.

Louis Steelhammer arrived Monday from Silverton and will remain for a time in Grants Pass. Mr. Steelhammer is a clarinet player of ability and is a decided acquisition to our musical circles.

A New invoice of Reliance Wrappers and House Dresses, having the corset Lining which make them so much in Demand, at Mrs. Rehkopf's

A fire alarm was sounded Friday and responsive citizens dragged the hose cart in the direction of the supposed fire. It proved to be only a chimney burning out and its only effect was the dispensing of unaccustomed violent exercise to those who ran with the cart.

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

A full stock of all kinds of Garden Tools at Cramer Bros.

Time for the pavment of taxes has been extended until June.

A. J. Pike has bought an interest in W. G Wright's quartz mill.

A full line of Japanese goods at Adams Bazaar. New Goods every week. Front Street, four doors below Palace Hotel.

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.

Leave orders for granite for sidewalk with W. L. Ireland. at Cramer Bros.

A military band is being instituted by members of Company H and will be organized this week.

A. P. Estabrook has opened a drug store in Gold Hill. Mr. Estabrook, during his association with the National drug store has proven himself a thoroughly capable and reliable druggist as well as a courteous and pleasant gentleman.

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.

Something New in Ladies' Wrappers and House Dresses at Mrs. Rehkopf's.

$4.95 **$4.95**

Our $4.95 offering in Men's Sack Suits has astonished all those who have been fortunate to see them, and the rapidity with which they are going out is sufficient evidence that the bargains are genuine.

We invite you to inspect our Men's Suits from $4.95 to $10.

We also have a full line of Boys', Youth's and Young Men's Suits at right prices.

Yours for Business Bargains,

P. H. Harth & Son.

$4.95 **$4.95**

Superintendent Lincoln Savage is conducting teacher's examination here this week.

For the very latest styles in Phot see Weston the new Photographer—opposite court house, Grants Pass.

Spring coughs are specially dangerous and unless cured at once, serious results often follow. One Minute Cough Cure acts like magic. It is not a common mixture but a high grade remedy.

Several boys were taken before the Recorder last week at Roseburg charged with throwing rocks at the house of Hop Lee, a Chinaman, and breaking window glass. A fine of $5 each was imposed on all but two, but the fines were suspended during the good behavior of the boys.

W. J. Rogers, "Ben" has opened a new bicycle den on F street west of the bank. "Ben" is the pioneer bicycle man of Grants Pass and in the earlier days of the bicycle age enjoyed a monopoly of the bicycle repair work in this city. His ability in that line is well known here and he needs no introduction to Grants Pass people. Mr. Rogers says that the report that he would build a boarding house on E street is unfounded

The ladies of the D. of H. treated the A. O. U. W. to a surprise party on Monday evening in the lodge rooms, overpowering the sentinal and entering in force. The consternation of the order was allayed at sight of the refreshments the ladies had provided and the presentation of an entertaining program further soothed the disturbed equanimity of the members. A delightful evening was the result.

Pleasant Social Party.

A very enjoyable social party was given on Friday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Van Dyke, in honor of Mr. Condon Bean, who had been spending the week in Grants Pass the guest of E. S. Van Dyke. The occasion was one of more than ordinary pleasure to those attending and the social and musical entertainment was of a character to promote the most perfect enjoyment of the evening by all. The first entertaining number was a unique prize contest for the ladies, in which Miss Maggie Meade was victorious and secured the trophy.

A very enjoyable musical program was given. Piano solos were rendered by Misses Laura Parker and Ethel Palmer and a piano duet by Misses Vida Moore and Ida Williams. Misses Edna Parker and Maggie Meade and Mr. Bert Barnes favored the company with vocal solos Refreshments of delightful quality were served and added further to the evenings pleasure. The occasion was enjoyed to the utmost and its pleasant memories will remain long in the hearts of those who were present.

"The Girl I Left Behind Me."

"The Girl I left Behind Me" which was presented in Ashland by Company B. of that city on Saturday evening will be given here by the same company on next Saturday evening, April 13. It is a military drama of more than ordinary merit, the scene being the Blackfoot country in Montana. Of the rendition of the play as given in Ashland, the Tidings says: "The play given by the thespians of Co. B, at the opera house, Saturday night, scored a big hit. Of the different dramas presented in Ashland by amateur talent, it is safe to say, that in the happy selection of charaters, and the smoothness and effectiveness of presentation, none has been superior to that given on the above mentioned night. Those who were looking for crudities and rawness were happily disappointed, and the proformance was equal to many given by professional actors. The prompter, who so unpleasantly chills the enthusiasm of many amateur entertainments, was conspicuous by his absence. The staging and costuming of the play were on a scale hitherto unsurpassed by local plays and players and there was nothing lacking to make the affair an unqualified success."

The 1901 Vedette sold for $25 by Cramer Bros. is a fine wheel.

Personal

J. D. Hayes is now located at Clackamas.

Miss Chloe McKenzie is visiting relatives in California.

W. L. Wilson, the Leland merchant, came up on Wednesday.

J. S. Tucker and daughter visited here from Trail on Wednesday.

Miss Fern Norris of Medford visited friends in this city Friday.

J. T. Tuffs of Wolf Creek was in town on Saturday on a business trip.

Superintendent R. L. Fields of the S. P. Co. was here Wednesday.

Mr. E. Musick, of Crescent, City is spending the week in Grants Pass.

Geo. W. Colvig has been appointed U. S. consul at Barranquilla, Columbia.

Dr. J. C. Gobie, the optician, spent Friday in Grants Pass on a business visit.

Mrs. T. W. Patty of Crescent City is visiting here with her sister, Mrs. Mary Simmons.

L. L. Jewell went to Portland Monday evening to be absent a few days on a business visit.

E. D. Thompson returned on Thursday from Portland and is much improved in health.

T. O. Naucke, Chas Hansen and Bert Burrows, all of Kerby, spent several days in town this week.

Ed Van Dyke and Mr. Condon Bean returned to Eugene Saturday evening after a week's visit in Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs D. A. Fitzgerald returned last week to Medford and will make that city their future home.

E. C. Pentland spent last week in the Evans creek district and on Monday went to Gold Hill to spend a few days in that section.

Mrs. G. W. Donnell, with Mrs. H. S. Donnell, of Portland visited several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Lippincott, of Medford.

Hon. H. E. Ankeny has been appointed a member of the Oregon commission of the Lewis & Clarke centennial, to be held at Portland in 1905.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Harkness returned last week from Oakland where they have been spending the past few months and will reside here for a time at least.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stovall left on Monday for Drain and will visit Corvallis and other valley towns. Mr. Stovall will work in the interests of the order K. O. T. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Burns left last week for Ft. Klamath, where Mr. Burns and his brother have a stock ranch. They travelled by team and expected to consume about a week's time in the journey.

H. D. Norton of Grants Pass, one of the ablest members of the southern Oregon bar, and who has been attending the present term of circuit court, returned home Friday. He made many friends while here.—Times.

Prof. J. B Swidensky, an experienced military bandmaster stopped here Sunday to look over the musical field in our city. He went to Ashland Monday to visit friends in that city and will probably return later.

Fred J. Booth of Newport is visiting here for a time with the family of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Chas. Booth. Mr. Booth is engaged in the jewelry business at Newport and also attends the harbor lights at that place.

Miss Ada Umphlette returned on Tuesday evening from San Francisco where she has been for several months past, taking a course in violin instruction. Miss Ada is a young lady of high musical talent and has made a great advancement in that line under the tuition of one of the most thorough violin teachers of the coast.

Rev. W. P. Teitsworth, agent of the American Tract Society of Oakland, Calif., will preach in the M. E. church, South Sunday April the 14th at 11 a. m. The pastor T. P. Haynes at 7:30 p. m.

Meagre audiences were accorded the Easter entertainment at the opera house on Monday and Tuesday evenings. A good entertainment was presented on each evening, very worthy of a much larger audience. Prof. Ryan's exhibit of hyphotic power was wonderful and very entertaining.

Medford citizens have made complaint to the effect that boys of the town have a well-organized scheme for robbing chicken yards. The boys are from 12 to 14 years of age, and their method is to visit a residence and while one of them engages the lady of the house in conversation, the other makes away with all the eggs he can find.

City Hall Case

Benjamin Mensch has filed a claim against the city of Grants Pass for $470 and interest. It is for a warrant which was assigned to him but which was afterward delivered to the assignor. At that time Mr. Mensch had an action pending against the contractors for a larger amount and attempted to attach a larger sum. The attachment was dissolved and to the surprise of Mr. Mensch the warrant that had been assigned to him was also paid to others. This he did not learn until after the trial of the action in the fall of 1895. At that time Mr. Mensch contemplated suing the city for the amount but members of the common council suggested that the matter be submitted to a vote of the city and if carried the whole amount due about $1100 would be paid. This was done and by a large majority the voters decided in favor of payment but the city still refused to pay. The claim has been under consideration by the council for some time, the purpose being to determine the legal standing of the claim under the statutes of limitations. Mr. Mensch's attorneys are confident the claim is not barred because he did not or could not learn of the delivery of the warrant until October 1896 and the submission of matter to a vote prevented the running of the statute until after the time of voting. It is proposed to press the claim in the courts if not paid and it certainly has strong moral grounds as well as legal ones. Other claims have been paid that perhaps have had less foundation.

Coming Events.

April 12—Arbor Day.

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April 13—"The Girl I Left Behind Me" at opera house.

April 15—Circuit court convenes.

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

April 22—Special city election.

May 1—D. of H. grand ball at opera house.

May 6—Annual city election.

May 15-17—Annual teacher's institute.

Enjoyable Social Event.

Mrs. Joseph Moss and Mrs. M. Clemens gave a very delightful party at Clemens hall on Tuesday evening to a circle of friends and invited guests. Over 100 were present. The first part of the evening was devoted to whist after which refreshmeats were served. Dancing was the order of the later portion of the evening, Demaree's orchestra of five pieces dispensing melody for the occasion. The decorations were especially artistic and beautiful.

Circuit Court.

Circuit court for Josephine county will be convened on Monday, April 15. There are four or five criminal cases to be handled at this term.

Masculine Entertainers.

Arrangements are under way by certain male men to have an entertainment which has been denominated a "Bee" in the Odd Fellows hall May 15th for the benefit of the Presbyterian church. The indications are for something very striking. Some curiosity is manifest as to the method which the creatures will pursue in order to produce an entertainment. They have little to say at present but look exceeding wise.

Belgian Hares.

Get a fine strain of Belgian Hares and suppy your table with delicious meat at 3 cents per pound. Beats poultry. THE SOUTHERN OREGON RABBITRY ASSOCIATION at Golden now offers some bargains.

Belgian Hares.

Riverside Rabbitry Breeder of thoroughbred pedigree Belgian Hares of popular Strains, pens herded by superb imported Dash Meteor and Princess Beatrice, scores 96. Dash Meteor is one of the finest bucks in America. He is the winner of the First Prize at the Yolo county fair, California. Youngsters from these hares for sale, also some heavy weight Belgians, will weigh from 12 to 14 pounds each when matured—the only heavy weights in Southern Oregon. Write for prices or call and see my Hares before buying. Visitors always welcome. Address HARRY MARSH, Riverside Rabbitry, Grants Pass, Oregon, box 164.

Almost an Accident.

One of the passengers of Monday's south bound overland got off the train while it stopped here and was conversing with the bystanders, when the train started up. In attempting to board the moving train, he missed his hold and fell almost under the wheels. One foot went under the train but its owner had the presence of mind to draw it back again before the wheel caught it. Some of the bystanders pulled him out of the way of the train, which passed on, but stopped for him at the edge of the street.

Flour to Exchange.

Farmers, do not haul your wheat 20 to 50 miles to exchange, Scott Griffin will give you as many pounds of flour for a bushel of wheat as any mill will give you. You will find Scott Griffin at his Hay, Flour, Feed and Seed Store, Cor. 6th and I streets, Grants Pass, Ore.

Gap Closed.

The operation of through trains between San Francisco and Los Angeles, via Surf and Santa Barbara, will begin on Sunday, March 31, 1901 on the new Coast Line two through trains daily. The Coast Line Limited leaving each terminal in the morning, equipped with elegant cafe and parlor cars, will make daylight trips through the most picturesque, varied and entertaining scenes on the continent. Inquire of agents of the Southern Pacific.

Fruit Farm for Sale.

Fruit farm of 6¼ acres one mile east of town. Good house and barn, young fruit trees. For sale at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

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MARRIED.

HARVEY—MILLER—At Gold Hill, April 3, 1901, Mr. Harry Harvey and Miss Maggie Miller.

DIED.

COSME—In this city on Monday April 8, 1901, infant son Mr. and Mrs. J. Cosme.

WAGNER—In Ashland, April 4, 1901, Mrs. F. D. Wagner, aged 29 years.

WAIT—In Medford, April 5, 1901, Dr. James B. Wait, aged 59 years.

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Men's and Boy's Golf Shirts in the pleated and plain bosom in a very natty line of patterns. A big line of Nobby Hats.

Ladies', Misses', Children's and Gentlemen's Shoes. A warrantee to give best of satisfaction goes with every Shoe.

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R. L. Coe & Co.

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Boys' Wool Suits, $1, 1.25, 1.50

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