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## The LATEST IN MILLINERY

All the new styles in Ready-to-Wear and Trimmed Hats that will please in Style and Price.

Do not miss seeing them. Finer line than ever before in Children's Hats and Tams.

A Full line of the new ideal patterns, 10c; when sent by mail 12c

## Mrs. J. A. Rehkopf.

New Idea 10c Paper Patterns.

## TRIMMED HATS

Miss Weston has her full stock of Fall and Winter Trimmed Hats on exhibition at her store on Front Street (second millinery store east of Sixth) and would be pleased to see all her old customers and many new ones.

The very latest styles are on exhibition, comprising many new shapes and new trimmings.

**Come and See Them.**

### Personal

R. Thomas went to Portland Monday on a buying trip.  
Mrs. A. W. Duck returned on Wednesday from a visit at Portland.

George Baehner left for Portland Wednesday, where he goes to enter the Portland Dental College.

Mrs. T. A. McCourt, of McMinnville, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meade, during this week.

Frank Davidson, of Missouri Flat, is reported to be in a very critical condition. He has been sick some time.

D. N. Stearns, who has been at Selma for some time past, has resumed his old position with J. W. Howard at Kerby.

Fred Denny, who was formerly a telegrapher, has become a full-fledged freeman, on a passenger train running out of Grants Pass.

Mrs. A. E. Voorhies and son returned home Tuesday after having spent the summer in Greenville, Mich. with Mrs. Voorhies' parents.

Mrs. J. G. Curtis, wife of J. G. Curtis, jeweler of this place, arrived from Centralia, Wash., last week to make her home in Grants Pass.

The Misses Thompson of San Francisco who have been visiting their brother at Kerby during the summer, were in Grants Pass on Monday and left for Boston, Mass. Tuesday.

J. C. Lucas returned Tuesday from a week's stay at Grants Pass, whether he was called last week by the serious illness of Mrs. Lucas. The lady, we are glad to note, is now very much improved.—Medford Mail.

Mrs. C. J. Kurth and son, Carl, left on Saturday morning's train for San Francisco, Calif., where they will remain for some time. Miss Zeila has gone to Jacksonville to attend school and Mr. Kurth will remain in Grants Pass.

This is an age of specialists. The ability to do one thing and do it well is more to be commended and is of more benefit to humanity than to do many things and none equal to the best. Dr. Lowe limits his practice to the sight fitting glasses and he puts the cream of 16 years' study and experience into them.

Seven gentlemen from Portland were in Grants Pass last week, they having located timber claims in the northern portion of Del Norte county, near the Oregon line. The gentlemen were W. A. Williams, C. E. Fields, Halvor Rosch, Chas. R. Frazier, Ed. Sharkey, Fred W. Prasp and J. O. Thomas.

George Henderson of the Seiber & Henderson mine, nine miles east of Wolf Creek, was in town Wednesday. The mine is a decomposed porphyry dyke and the proprietors have been making good money by simply panning, it being easily worked. This year they have put in an arrastra and will be able to do more work.

EMPTY BARRELS.  
I have empty barrels of all kinds for sale at all prices. A. Fetsch.

DOG LOST.  
Lost—Monday, a 3-month old pup; black with white breast, fore feet, tip of tail; answers to name of Bob Return to Mrs. I. A. Ruby and receive reward.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.  
Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of correcting all mistakes regarding description, valuation and all other mistakes in the 1913 assessment, the Board of Equalization will meet at the office of the county assessor on Monday, October 13, 1912 and continue for one week or until the assessment roll has been examined, rectified and approved.

Chas. Crow,  
Assessor for Josephine Co.  
Dated at Grants Pass, Ore.  
Sept. 12, 1912.

RELIEF CORPS ENTERTAINMENT.  
Remember the date—evening of October 14th at the Woodman hall. Come everybody and have a good laugh. The Bloomer drill will be a great surprise.

There will be both vocal and instrumental music, recitations and also the Bonnet drill which will create no end of fun. Admission 10 cents. Proceeds go to help the poor and needy of our town.

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS FOR CITY ELECTION.

All voters at the city election, to be held in Grants Pass on Monday, December 1st, are required to be registered by the auditor and police judge at the city hall by November 1st at 6 p. m.

The hall and registers will be open from 7 to 9 p. m. on Wednesday and Saturday evenings to accommodate those who are busy during the day.

JUDGE RILEY DEAD.  
After an illness covering a period of 19 days, during all of which time life hung by the most slender thread, County Judge M. Riley passed peacefully away, at his home at Gold Beach, on Friday, Sept. 28, 1912, surrounded by his grief-stricken family.

Mr. Riley had been a sufferer from stomach troubles for a number of years, and when the fatal stroke came which paralyzed the left half of his body, his digestive organs refused longer to perform their functions, making it evident from the first that there was no hope of even a partial recovery, and although he lingered in a semi-conscious state longer than could be expected, he continued to decline and grow weaker day by day to the end. He was buried in the Gold Beach cemetery last Sunday, in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends.

Michael Riley was born in Montgomery county, New York, April 16, 1847, and was married to Maria R. Dewey, Jan. 1, 1860. He arrived in Coos county in 1853, and resided on the Coquilie until 1854, when he moved with his family to Gold Beach, where he has ever since resided. Mrs. Riley having died at their home in 1894.

### ELLERS PIANO HOUSE

Of Portland, Oregon, San Francisco, Cal., Spokane, Wash., and Sacramento, Cal.

These are the houses that Ellers built. The Chickering of Boston, The Weber of New York, The Kimball of Chicago. The three best pianos in the world.

They are the pianos that Ellers built these houses with.

Not however, the only pianos, there are some twenty-five different pianos for sale at the houses that Ellers built, all of them of sterling, substantial merit and all of them guaranteed by us. Among them are the Hobart M. Cable, the Hazeltine, the many toned Crown, the Decker, the Vose, the Emerson and many others, every one a first class make.

Further, we sell pianos cheaper and on better terms than any other house in the northwest, because, having these four houses that we have built up by industry and fair dealing, we handle pianos in immense quantities and therefore receive concessions that houses doing a smaller business cannot, and these advantages we offer you in the shape of lower prices on high grade instruments than any other house can.

Ellers Piano House, 351 Washington Street, Portland, Oregon.

### WILL THEY EVER FIND IT OUT

That the Medford flour is again the best flour on the market?

### KICKED BY A COLT.

Rev. J. P. Moomaw, of Eagle Point was kicked by a colt a few days ago, with serious results. The animal kicked him in the back, breaking one of Mr. Moomaw's ribs and tearing another from the spine. Dr. W. B. Officer was called and rendered the necessary attention, but as Rev. Moomaw is an old gentleman and not in good health the injury is very serious.

### R. A. BOOTH CONTRIBUTES.

While no subscriptions were solicited for the Willamette University of the M. E. church at the conference recently held in Grants Pass, Senator R. A. Booth contributed, \$1000 to the debt fund of the institution and gave \$10,000 toward the permanent endowment. There are few men in the state more public-spirited or more liberal-hearted than Senator Booth.

### TRY IT AND YOU WILL BUY

The Medford flour. It is again the best flour on the market. Ask for it.

### BORN.

GAUNTLETT—At Gold Beach, Curry county, Oregon, on Sept. 13th, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Gauntlett, a daughter.

### MARRIED.

BARNES—MADE—in this city, Wednesday evening, Oct. 10, E. Barnes and Miss Marguerite Meade, Rev. J. W. McDougall, officiating. The wedding was a pretty home affair there being present only the officiating minister and the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. Both of these young people are well known here. The bride is one of our most esteemed and estimable young ladies and the groom is a young man of sterling worth and excellent character. They each have a multitude of friends who wish them all happiness and good fortune. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes will reside in Grants Pass and will occupy the residence recently vacated by H. C. Bobzien.

The Courier joins their many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Barnes much happiness and prosperity.

### SOUTHERN OREGON NORMAL

The Southern Oregon State Normal School is making thorough preparations for the coming year's work. The buildings are being remodeled and repaired, and extensive additions to the chemical and physical departments are being made. The faculty is composed of strong teachers consecrated to the work, and each department is in the hands of a specialist.

A year's course in Latin and in Economics has been added to further prepare teachers for high school work. The training department will be especially strong. A man of splendid education and wide experience will be at the head of this department. Much attention will be given to oratory, and athletics will be made prominent. The citizens of Ashland have guaranteed some \$300 as prizes for excellence in these lines. The City Library of 2000 well selected volumes is thrown open to students of the institution. Board and lodging can be had at from \$2.50 per week to \$4.00. Climate healthy. Course of study practical and exhaustive. For catalogue of announcements write B. F. Mulkey, president, or Clifford Thomas, secretary, Ashland, Oregon.

### HOME FOR SALE.

If you want a splendid home—good, large house and two acres of land in the city call on A. E. Voorhies. This place will be sold immediately—If you want a place cheap don't delay.

### DR. GUNN'S BLOOD AND NERVE TONIC.

There is not a woman in this land but at some time in her life would have been the better for the use of this tonic. For diseases peculiar to women, a better medicine was never made. It is composed of the ingredients from which the system has been deprived by disease, over-work or dissipation. It enters at once into the circulation, building up the tissues that have been wasted, and making pure, rich blood in the most direct way. For weak, nervous and unsteady people, pimply, pale or fleshless people, it will make strong steady nerves and give the complexion that wholesome look that indicates health. We have hundreds of letters that people have written us, saying that they had gained in good solid flesh at the rate of one to three pounds per week while using Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic. It should be taken after meals, one or two tablets each time. Druggists sell it 75c per box or three boxes for \$2.00, or sent postpaid on receipt of price. We run glad to make replies to letters of inquiry, the advice we give is plain, and easily understood. Address Dr. Bosanko Co., Philadelphia, Pa. For sale by W. E. Kremer.

### RECEPTION TO CONSUL MILLER.

Last Friday evening the Grants Pass Board of Trade and their friends tendered Consul H. B. Miller a reception at Odd Fellows' hall. Mr. Miller was among those who laid the foundation stones of the city of Grants Pass and the meeting of Friday evening was mainly to give his many old friends an opportunity to meet him and to show their appreciation of the good work he has done for this city and Josephine county, as well as all of Southern Oregon.

There were about 100 people present at the reception. President Coe, of the Board of Trade, made the address of welcome and this was followed by a vocal solo by E. C. Suman. President Coe, in his address spoke of the good work Mr. Miller has done in the building up of Grants Pass and its development. In behalf of the Board of Trade and the citizens of Grants Pass and Josephine county, Mr. Coe extended to Consul Miller a hearty welcome.

An instrumental solo was rendered by Edward Van Dyke, followed by an address by attorney Robert G. Smith. In a happy vein Mr. Smith reviewed the early history of Grants Pass and the part Harry Miller played in the making of that history. "Why," said Mr. Smith, "during those days, when any of us went to Portland or any place north or south and people asked where we were from and we told them Grants Pass, they would say, 'Oh, yes, that's where Harry Miller lives isn't it?' So it was in everything Harry Miller and Grants Pass were almost one and the same. In fact, if it had not been for the efforts of Mr. Miller, Grants Pass would not have been in Josephine county at all. During its infancy, the town was supposed to be situated in the extreme eastern part of Jackson county, but during one year when Mr. Miller was extra prominent in politics he went to work and deliberately stole three townships from the eastern end of Jackson county and added them to Josephine. That put Grants Pass where it belonged, however it was considered one of the greatest larcenies in real estate ever committed in Oregon." Following the address of Attorney Smith, C. J. Kurth rendered a violin solo.

Consul Miller was then introduced and was loudly applauded as he arose to speak. Mr. Miller began his address by expressing his appreciation of the good will shown him by the people of Grants Pass and the high compliments paid him by the citizens of his old home. He said he was glad to be back in Southern Oregon once again and to breathe the delightful atmosphere of this more than delightful climate. Mr. Miller modestly declined to accept all of the credit given him in the matter of the building up of Grants Pass. He said he was only one of the several who were instrumental in the founding of this city and he simply fell in line and attempted to do his part. He felt that as much or greater credit was due the hardworking men who labored with him during those days and who saw Grants Pass rise from a mere stage station to the leading city in Southern Oregon.

Mr. Miller spoke interestingly of his more recent work in the Orient. He said he had been met everywhere, since his return, by an anxious desire on the part of everyone to know more about China. The people of the Pacific Coast are awakening to a realization of the good this country will derive by a closer commercial relation with the Orient. This relation is already much closer than it was a few years ago, and it will be still closer in a few years hence.

The evening closed with refreshments of ice cream and cake. By the good will and cheer that prevailed through the evening, Consul Miller could happily understand the feeling of appreciation all have for him in Grants Pass. It is hoped that he may some day make his home once again in Grants Pass.

### IT IS UP TO THE DOCTOR.

A lady wrote us a few weeks ago from Webster, Va., that she had been under a doctor's care for 4 years for dyspepsia, the pain seemed to center under her left shoulder blade, and was so severe at times that she could neither eat nor sleep. She had lost faith in her home doctor, and asked us to send her samples of our Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills which had been recommended to her. We sent her two pills. In a few days she sent for a box. Now she writes that the pain under her shoulder has left her entirely, she enjoys her meals and never sleeps less than 8 hours every night, and this has all come about in two weeks, and cost her 50c for two boxes of pills. Says the doctor charged her \$50.00 and that she told him he had better take the \$25.00 and invest it all in Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills and hold up his practice. We have not received the Doctor's order yet but any one having dyspepsia, biliousness, spells of sick headache can get a speedy cure by the use of these pills. For sale by W. E. Kremer.

### SUSIE PENNELL PIPES.

Town Talk of July 6, 1912, in speaking of Susie Pennell Pipes says: "The lady's performances place her in high rank as an artist with the violin. She has a delicate touch with the bow and draws from her instrument the most exquisite music. She was heartily enjoyed in which no one was more earnest than Col. Watson himself. He likes a fiddle as has every Kentuckian since the first dance was given by the pioneer settlers at Harrodsburg 139 years ago."

### GAVE UP SURVEY OF CRATER LAKE.

The surveying party which went out to the Crater Lake Park a few weeks ago to survey the boundary lines of the park has given up the task for this season. The storms of snow, rain and wind they encountered in the mountains are said to have been fierce. The lines were to have been run wholly with solar compasses, but the cloudy weather prevented their use; hence the abandonment of the work for this season.

The work will be taken up again next summer or as soon as the snows disappear sufficiently to allow it.

### Local Happenings

Dr. Fianagan, Resident Dentist.  
Go to Coron for Plumbing.  
M. Clemens, Prescription Druggist.  
See Voorhies about Kodaks and Supplies.  
The steam feather renovator is coming to Grants Pass.

Fountain Pens—Waterman's Ideal \$2.50 to \$5.00 at Cramer Bros.  
Dr. Lowe's glasses strengthen the eyes and brain.  
To be ready for long evening readings see Thomas' lamps.

A complete line of the celebrated Mitchell Buggies, Hacks and Wagons. Hair-Riddle Hardware Co.  
Try Morris' Poultry Cure and Stock food at F. H. Schmidt's. No Cure—No Pay. Free Samples.

Rifles, shot guns and all kinds of ammunition at Cramer Bros.  
Curtis & Co. Watchmakers, and Jewelers carry a complete stock of Watches, Clocks and Jewels. All kinds of repairing done. All work warranted. Odd Fellows' building.  
Cramer Bros. are agents for Hercules Powder, fuse and caps.

A large stock of Selby shot gun shells in black and smokeless powder just received by Cramer Bros.  
Professional and amateur photographers will be able to find nearly everything necessary for their use in stock at A. E. Voorhies' Kodak Headquarters.

One would certainly be surprised at the large line of carpetings shown at Thomas'—this seems proof positive that Grants Pass is growing and improving.

Eyes burn? Head ache? Sight blur? Think carefully. Decide wisely. Act promptly, as you value your eyes. Better be sure than sorry. The sure way is to see Dr. Lowe at once if you need glasses. You may be sorry if you don't. He leaves Saturday night.

Arthur Howland arrived here Monday and will spend a few weeks with his brother. Mr. Howland has been away 15 months, having spent a greater part of the time at Natal, Sumatra, in the interest of the Satoak Mining Co., which is a Dutch company with headquarters at Batavia, Java. He was obliged to return to America sooner than was expected in order to ward off an attack of the fever. He has spent the past three months traveling in the east.

Eph. L. Music, who formerly taught the Deer creek school and is quite well known in this place, is democratic nominee for school superintendent of Del Norte county, Calif. Mr. Music is an estimable young man and we are sure would make an acceptable public official.

Plenty of airtight heaters now on hand at Cramer Bros.

### A FEW FACTS ABOUT GRANTS PASS.

Grants Pass is the county seat of Josephine county and lies 296 miles south of Portland, and 475 miles north of San Francisco, with both of which cities it is connected by the O. & C. R. R. It lies on the north bank of Rogue river, which together with the railroad, here runs for a short distance east and west, and at the head of a beautiful but narrow valley extending some 12 miles down the river. It is an incorporated town and has all the facilities to render life comfortable. It has an altitude of nearly 1,000 feet and lies nestled in the hills, yet with sufficient room for a city of 30,000 people. The population is nearly 3,000. It has the climate common to all the valley of Rogue river. Its summers are warm but are tempered by the breezes of the Pacific ocean and the invariably cool nights. The winters are always mild. The annual rainfall ranges from 19 to 30 inches and averages about 25 inches. The extreme limit of the thermometer in the summer is 100 degrees, while in winter it sinks as low as 10 degrees above zero. The average temperature for winter is 40 degrees and for summer, 60 degrees. Snow seldom falls in the valley and rarely remains more than a few hours.

The whole Rogue river section is one of the most salubrious in the world. The air is scented with pine, fir and cedar, and the mountains which separate Grants Pass from the ocean, 50 miles distant, while not cutting off the ocean breezes, yet shelter from the ocean fogs. For these reasons the equable climate of the locality stands without a superior for the cure of all inflammatory diseases of the nose, throat and lungs.

Grants Pass is, as before stated, an incorporated town and has a progressive corps of officers. It is the shipping point for almost the entire business of the county. Its chief support is the great mineral wealth found all around it and, indeed, almost within the corporate limits; but the lumbering, manufacturing, agricultural and fruit-raising interests which also contribute to its support, are not small and are capable of greater development.

JOSEPH WOLKE SELLS OUT.  
Joseph Wolke, the well-known Grants Pass hardware dealer has disposed of his entire business to A. E. Carlton of Wallace, Idaho. Mr. Wolke has been busy all this week making an inventory of his stock and preparing to turn over the business to the new owner.

Mr. Wolke has been in business in Grants Pass for the past nine years and has made an entire success of it. He is retiring on account of ill health and goes out leaving his establishment in the most flourishing and prosperous condition it has ever known. He will still remain a citizen of Grants Pass and will retain the buildings in which his shops and hardware store are located as well as his home.

### MRS. M. C. WILSON.

Mrs. M. C. Wilson will give Spiritual Circles each Sunday evening; speaking and tests; private sittings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays, at her residence opposite the bicycle grounds. Prices reasonable.

### Headquarters For

### ...High Art Clothing...



Now is the time to buy correctly-tailored suits—the lines are not broken—the assortment large. Remember, we are showing only the SHAPE-RETAINING COAT. Cannot get out of shape, sag, wrinkle or break along the coat front, and the collar and lapels are so fashioned that they can't get out of place.—A shapely coat.

### P. H. Harth & Son.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS, TRUNKS and VALISES

### ROCK MEN WANTED.

Good rock men wanted at \$1.75 to \$2.00 per day. Board \$2.25 per week. Call or address D. E. Morris, Brownboro, Jackson Co., Ore.

### FARM FOR SALE.

160 acres; 10 acres in finest fruit; 90 acres under fence and cultivation, alfalfa and clover, water for irrigation. Good two story dwelling etc., good stock range. Address Box 11 Woodville, Oregon.

### GIRL WANTED.

Girl wanted to do general house work in a small family. Inquire of A. E. Voorhies.

### Paint your house now and use Patton's Sun Proof paint sold by Cramer Bros.

## Palmistry Clairvoyance

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## Prof. Franklyn

## The World's

Most famous Clairvoyant and Palmist has arrived in Grants Pass and is now located at Layton Hotel, parlors 29, corner of Sixth and H streets, where he can be consulted on all the affairs of life. Prof. Franklyn has no equal in his profession. He stands alone, the prince of clairvoyants, and is the greatest master of the science of Palmistry the world has ever produced. He tells you what you came for without asking you a question, and guarantees to reveal every incident of your life, past, present and future; advises you on love, marriage and divorce; sales, changes, speculations, property, business losses and sickness.

If your business is unsuccessful or if you have trouble of any kind, you should see this gifted medium at once. No matter what your trouble is, he can and will help you, and if you are not helped and perfectly satisfied after a visit, he will positively refuse to accept a fee. You should remember that every person is adapted to some certain kind of business or profession and no one can make a success of his life until he finds out for what he is best fitted. You may wish to know if it is advisable to make a change in business, in love or in marriage. Shall I succeed in my undertakings? Shall I ever become wealthy? When shall I marry? How often shall I marry? Shall I ever be divorced? Does another share the love that rightfully belongs to me? If so who? In what should I invest my money? Is my disease curable? The Prof. tells you all these things and a great many more. He is ever ready to assist those with small capital to find a quick and sure investment. Mining men and prospectors in particular should consult this gifted medium, as he is often able to save them much time and money in locating and developing their mines.

As a test in your reading he tells you your full name. All business strictly confidential and parlors are so arranged that you meet no strangers. Lady in attendance, fee reasonable and in reach of all. Perfect satisfaction by mail, send \$1, day and date of birth and any questions you may wish to ask, to Prof. J. Franklyn, Grants Pass. (Special) while here the Prof. wishes to announce that he will start a class in Palmistry and will develop mediumistic persons at a reasonable cost. The Prof. has taught some of the best known mediums in this country. Also many ladies and gentlemen who wished to use the science for their own amusement and pastime, and he expects to get many pupils here.

P. S. Call early to avoid the crowds.

Consultation free.

Layton Hotel, Parlors 29, Private entrance, walk right up not necessary to enquire at office.