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For fine flavor and strength our climax and South Seaboard roast coffees are hard to equal and the prices only 25c.  
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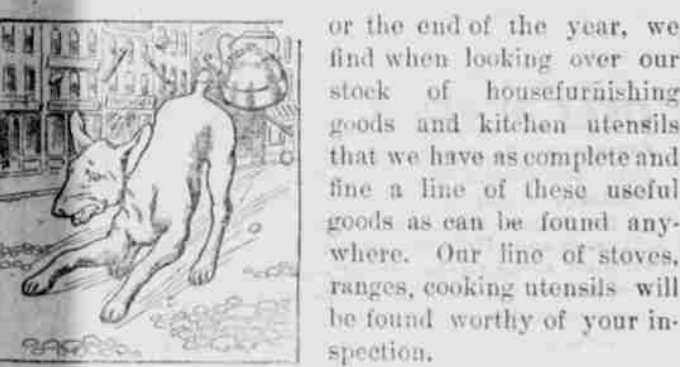
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**Cramer Bros.**  
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All going at Half Price.

Only a few left. Some of the few are rare bargains at that price. Also what Xmas Goods I have left go at Half Price, to close out. Come in before you are too late to secure some of these bargains.

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**...Clearing Sale...**

I have bought and will soon receive the largest stock of Carpets ever shown in Grants Pass, and want to close out some in stock, and will make special inducements to close buyers. As I have for the past year been selling Carpets at prices now advertised by others as extreme cut prices, you will see the advantage of giving this your immediate attention.  
A lot of Wall Paper in small lots at your own price, Ingrains half price.  
A lot of universal Steel Ranges and Cook Stoves will be sold regardless of cost to close them out. They are extra quality.  
Everything at bottom prices.

**A. U. BANNARD,**  
Furniture and House Furnishings,  
North Side, - Grants Pass, Oregon

**OUR PERSONAL COLUMN**

**People as They Come and Go From Day to Day.**  
J. O. Booth went to Salem Monday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Satcher of Wolf Creek were in town Monday.  
R. Thomas and W. M. Hair spent Wednesday of last week in Glendale.  
Andy Grimes and family visited friends and relatives in Medford last week.  
Harry Smith left on the early train Thursday morning for a trip to Portland.  
J. W. Howard returned on Monday morning after a month's absence in San Francisco.  
Dan Green, the well known Galice creek miner, has been visiting in town this week.  
Mac Trimble of Bridal Veil returned on Thursday after spending some time in Grants Pass.  
District Attorney Reames was in town Thursday on business in connection with the county court.  
Nathan Fullerton went to Roseburg Thursday morning for a brief visit and returned on Friday evening.  
Miss Louise M. Davis started Thursday morning for Boise, Idaho, where she is to assume a position as teacher in the schools of that city.  
Mrs. B. N. Butler and daughter, Jennie, of Medford, returned last Wednesday after a visit in this city with Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas.  
Miss Bertha McPherson, who is engaged in the millinery business in one of the flourishing towns of Washington, is paying this section a visit.—Southern Oregonian.  
Louis Adams of the firm of Adams Bros., Oregon City merchants, arrived in Grants Pass Monday to spend a few days with Arthur Howard, who came in from the mines of the Hydraulic Mining Co. They spent a few days at Medford.  
Ed F. Terry, superintendent of the St. Helens & Galice mine on Galice creek, spent a few days in town this week, bringing with him a partial cleanup from their recently discovered channel.  
George Hall came in from Grave creek Saturday. He walked from Placer to Hugo and had a tedious experience as he had to cross through about three feet of snow on the Horse creek divide.  
Jas. Dean has been spending several days in town this week from Galice where he has been working at his mine, the Dean placer. The snow was quite deep on the trail when he came out and the freezing weather temporarily cut off the water supply for the mine.

**SOUTHERN PACIFIC WRECK**

**Terrible Railroad Accident Occurs in Arizona.**  
A terrible accident occurred on the Southern Pacific road 14 miles east of Tucson, Arizona, on January 28. Two passenger trains met in head on collision at three o'clock in the morning. Eight cars of train No. 8 and three of train No. 7 were completely demolished, as well as both engines. The engines were oil burners and the contents of their tanks were poured over the ruins and the entire mass at once broke into flames. The intense heat and smoke prevented the survivors from approaching the ruins. At last accounts 20 persons are known to have lost their lives and it is believed that the list will be swelled when a thorough investigation has been made. The accident was caused by the failure of the operator at Yalls Station to deliver an order. Train No. 7, westbound, had orders to pass an eastbound freight at Without Station. The order at Yalls Station was for No. 7 to meet No. 8 eastbound (passenger), at Emerald. This order the operator forgot to deliver. At the time of the collision, both trains were running at about 30 miles an hour.

Clas S. Fox general passenger and ticket agent of the Northern Pacific railroad, spent Saturday here, visiting with E. L. Cass.  
W. J. Goleos and W. D. George returned Tuesday morning from Clarkburg, Cal., where they have been spending the past four months and left on Wednesday for Kerby.  
Wm. Bybee says Rogue river was higher this season than at any time for the past 24 years. He lost 63 head of goats, 8 head of cattle and two miles of fencing and estimates his loss at \$3000.

State Treasurer Moore has received from the national fund for disabled soldiers the sum of \$1700, being Oregon's share for the quarter ending December 31, last. This money is placed in the fund for the support and maintenance of the Oregon soldiers' home at Roseburg.

**DeMoss Family.**  
A very good audience greeted the DeMoss family in their musical entertainment at the Opera house on Monday evening. This is not the first visit of the troupe to our city and their entertaining qualities are well known in this state and in Washington. They are vocal and instrumental musicians and some of their musical novelties are very good. The xylophone chorus and the rustic bells were numbers particularly pleasing to their audiences.  
The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church, the proceeds to go toward the erection of the new church building.

**Accident at Normal.**  
A painful accident occurred at the Normal, Thursday afternoon, the victim being Miss Laleta Norton. A number of young lady students were taking some physical culture by swinging dumb bells. One in the hands of Miss Irene Wilson slipped from her grasp and struck Miss Norton's head. The young lady was immediately brought to town for medical attention, and her injuries are not believed to be serious.—Tidings.

Articles must be sent in not later than Tuesday, to insure their insertion in the Courier.

**FRUIT TREES.**

At the Riverside Nursery you will find fruit, shade and ornamental trees, Monterey Cypress for hedge or fence, Raspberry, Blackberry, Gooseberry and Loganberry plants, Currants, Grape roots, etc. Would trade Nursery stock for building lot.  
I have a nice lot of Wyandott chickens and can furnish eggs for 75 cents a setting.  
Call at Nursery or see J. T. Taylor at Slover's drug store.



**Light and Delicious Home Made Bread**

Is always the kind that rewards the housewife or cook for using the Medford flour. It is always sure to give the utmost satisfaction, and "win golden opinions from all sorts of people" for her skill as a good bread maker. Our superior Davis' Best is unequalled for high quality and fine flavor, and is pure and healthful.

**A. A. DAVIS.**

**ENCAMPMENT AT SALT LAKE**

**Plans of Oregon National Guard for 1905.**

Adjutant General Gantenbein has been advised of the plans for the Oregon National Guard for this year. Instead of an encampment in this state, the entire guard will go to Fort Douglas at Salt Lake City, in September, for 10 days time. This is the new ruling of the Dick bill recently passed in congress, which makes an appropriation to cover the expense. It is expected there will be 55,000 troops encamped there. Besides the regulars and national guard from Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Utah, Colorado, California and Nevada, there will be five regiments of infantry, one of cavalry, and four light batteries. There are about 1000 acres of ground for the encampment at Fort Douglas, which is one of the largest forts in the country.—Telegram.

**THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS**

**Brief Notes and Items of Interest and Importance.**

Dr. Flaungan, Physician and Dentist, Go to Corvair for Plumbing.  
M. Clemens, Prescription Druggist. See Voochies about Kodaks and Supplies. Oliver Chilled Plovers are sold only by Cramer Bros.  
A splendid line of Royal Charter Oak Ranges at Corvair's.  
A fine line of miners' tools now on display at Cramer Bros.  
We are agents for Hercules Power, Fuse and Caps. Cramer Bros.  
Stroble's shoe repairing always pleases. Take your shoes to him.  
The ladies of St. Luke's Guild will give a reception at Mrs. Clemens' on February 17.  
The pulpit of Bethany Presbyterian church will be occupied next Sunday by Dr. Townsend of Roseburg, at both morning and evening services.  
Mrs. D. Edwards will give instructions in piano and organ music at her home, formerly the Davis residence, on D street.  
L. A. Stroble has charge of the shoe making and repairing department at the Lucas harness shop. Take your work to him.  
Curtis & Co., practical watch makers and jewelers. Dealer in watches, clocks, jewelry and Diamond rings. All repairing first class. Odd Fellows' building.  
A few weeks ago, to the east of Fresno, California, in the Sierras, the biggest tree in the world was discovered. John Muir, a naturalist, has visited the tree and reports that it measures at the base 109 feet and is four feet above the ground it was 37 feet in circumference.

J. J. Deener, the local agent for the International correspondence schools of Scranton, Penn., has a variety window display of bound volumes and plates which are used in the courses taught by the schools in the new Masonic Temple, in the store room to be used by W. F. Kremer.

**Christian Science Lecture.**  
Carol Norton, C. S. D., of New York, delivered a Christian Science lecture at Greenback hall, on Thursday. Mr. Norton is a very eminent lecturer on Christian Science and the people of Greenback esteem themselves particularly fortunate to have secured his presence with them. Greenback has quite a strong school of Christian Scientists who are very earnest in their belief and there is no question but that the Greenback mining camp is greatly profited by this means, and a good work is evident here in the elevated moral tone, the increased Bible study and spiritual thinking and the higher plane of thought which makes the Greenback altogether different from most mining camps. The efforts of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson in this line have been of inestimable value to the camp. Mrs. Thompson is the first reader for the local society and is a very earnest worker.

Mr. Norton was introduced by Mrs. Thompson with a few brief but well chosen remarks, and spoke for some time, holding the undivided attention of his listeners. His explanation of Christian Science was very plain. He was very fair and tolerant regarding those of different faith.  
He asserted that Christian Science was biblical, spiritual and orthodox, restoring the temporarily lost power of apostolic healing.  
Following are a few brief extracts from the thoughts set forth:  
Religion, according to Christian Science, is honesty, chastity and purity of thought and act, unselfishness, philanthropy, a liberal and spiritual imitation of the life of Jesus Christ.  
Christian Science believes literally as well as spiritually, because of its demonstrable power to heal disease, that Christ meant what he said when he gave his great promise to all ages: "The works that I do, shall ye do also; and greater works than these shall ye do, because I go unto my Father."  
Christian Science teaches the establishment of health through mental or spiritual processes.  
Christian Science recognizes all that is true and beautiful in the great religious systems of the world, but at all times and under all conditions sees in the "progressive" career of Jesus Christ the manifestation of the spiritual idea, the type of the perfect man.

**HE "SEEN HIS SHADDER"**

**"Ground Hog Day," Feb. 2, Was Bright and Sunny.**

Monday, February 2, was "Ground-hog day" and was very bright and sunny. According to the ancient belief, the ground hog, who hibernates during the winter months, comes out on that day to view the weather indications. If he "sees his shadder," he goes back and stays six weeks more. If he does not see his shadow, he stays out in the expectation of spring. So runs the old belief. As the ground hog does not inhabit this country, it is uncertain as to whether or not the rule will hold.

**GOLDEN DRIFT MINING CO.**

**Will Cut Lumber Near the Dam, Gainer by Flood.**  
The Golden Drift Mining Co. have moved their saw mill from its former location on Jones creek to the vicinity of the dam. They have had men at work for some time past, cutting logs and the mill will again be running in a short time. They sawed up most of the immediately available lumber at their former location. At the present site, they have the advantage of sawing the lumber on the ground where it is to be used, thus saving the expense of hauling, an operation now well-nigh impossible on account of the condition of the roads. There is considerable timber on the hills near the dam and this will be saved this winter and spring.  
The loss of timber at the dam occasioned by the recent high water, was more than counterbalanced by the sweeping out of the race and forebay, the water having done a work that would have cost the company hundreds of dollars to accomplish.  
May Ride on Freights.  
The Southern Pacific lines in Oregon will heretofore issue time permits for passengers to ride on freight trains on the line south of Albany and on the branches. On the main line north of Albany, the third daily passenger train makes it unnecessary to grant permits for passengers to ride on freights. This order is made for the purpose of accommodating the commercial travelers, who have been somewhat inconvenienced since the new mileage permit came into use. It does not give them the same privileges that they enjoyed under the old mileage, as to riding on freight trains. Hereafter, by signing a release, or waiver, of personal damages, all holders of mileage script may obtain free permits for the freight trains on the lines mentioned. This is the same arrangement that is in effect on the O. R. & N.

**DEATH OF JUDGE BROWER**

**Well Known Lawyer Dies From Stomach Trouble Sunday.**  
Judge Davis Brower, one of our most esteemed and respected citizens and an honored member of the legal profession in this city, died at his home on Sunday evening. The cause of his death was a stomach trouble of long standing. Up to three weeks ago, he was able to be about and to look after his business affairs, but at that time he was overcome by very severe illness, from which he never recovered. The funeral services were held on Tuesday. The Episcopal burial service was conducted by Rev. T. A. Daughters, partly at the home and the committal service was given at the grave. Davis Brower was born in Pennsylvania, April 27, 1838. He had resided here about 17 years, during which time he was engaged in law practice. His wife died about eight years ago. He leaves two children, a son who lives in the east and Miss Lucinda Brower of this city.

**Card of Thanks.**  
We desire to express our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who have so kindly given their assistance and sympathy in our recent bereavement.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Presley.  
H. L. Truax and C. J. Korth of the Sugar Pine store made a trip to Portland last week and a fine lot of new attractions are now on exhibition at the store as a result of their visit.  
A fine line of locks, hinges and builders hardware, at Cramer Bros. Get our prices and examine our stock. The old reliable—The Weekly Oregonian.

**Attention!**

**For 30 days only I will sell men's Shirts and underwear at cost. Also ladies all wool underwear.**

**Daniel Frederick**  
The Fair Store  
Grants Pass, Ore.

**Duel With Knives.**

Two men, Leo Barnes and George Silverthorn, fought a duel to the death in a small cabin 20 miles from Redding Friday night. Silverthorn is dead and Barnes cannot live. The men were gambling for small stakes and quarreled, both resorting to their knives, weapons with nine-inch blades. They fought desperately, both receiving numerous wounds. Silverthorn finally fell, mortally wounded.

**MARRIED.**

**TYNER-MELLUS**—In Ashland, Jan. 29, 1903, W. P. Tyner and Miss Jeanette Mellus, by Rev. G. W. Nelson.  
**ORR-MILLSAP**—In Ashland, Feb. 1, 1903, L. P. Orr and Miss Birdie Mae Millsap, by Rev. W. T. Van Scoy.  
**BLAND-JONES**—At Merlin, Ore., Edward Bland and Miss Maud Jones.

**DIED.**

**BROWER**—In this city, Sunday, Feb. 1, 1903, Judge Davis Brower, aged 63 years.  
**FOX**—In Ashland, Jan. 30, 1903, Benjamin Fox, a native of Yorkshire, England, aged 75 years, 10 months and 27 days.  
**RICHARD**—Near Medford, Jan. 28, 1903, Maurice G. infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Richard, aged 3 weeks.  
**HILLIS**—In Pleasant Creek Precinct, Jan. 25, 1903, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hillis.  
**KINCAID**—Near Tolo, Jan. 21, 1903, John J. Kincaid, aged 73 years.  
**DITSWORHT**—In Big Butte Precinct, Jackson county, Jan. 25, 1903, Mrs. J. F. Ditsworth, aged 42 years.  
**JUDY**—In Medford, January 28, 1903, Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Judy, aged 5 years.  
**PEROZZI**—In Dunn Precinct, Jackson county, Jan. 28, 1903, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Perozzi, aged 1 month and 3 days.  
**WOLFOLK**—In this city, Wednesday, Jan. 29, 1903, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wolfolk.  
**CHURCHILL**—Near Selma, Ore. Jan. 20, 1903, Elizabeth Churchill, aged 65 years, 3 months, 24 days. Mrs. Churchill was born near Canton, Mo., October 21, 1837. Early in life she joined the Baptist church and continued a faithful member until her death. She was married to Lorenzo Titus at Canton. After the death of Mr. Titus, she was married on June 24, 1860, to Clark Churchill, the father of R. C. Churchill of Selma. The funeral services were held on Thursday, Jan. 22, and the interment took place at the Dear creek cemetery.



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**Hansen's UNION MADE GLOVES**  
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Are long-lived because their materials are properly selected; they are comfortable because they fit perfectly, have no seams in the palm and are unaffected by damp or heat. They are thoroughly reinforced at every point of strain and are always pliant and flexible. Made with or without rivets. Look for "Diamond H" trademark in red and Union Label on every pair.  
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Gents' Furnishing Goods  
Sixth and H Streets, - Grants Pass, Oregon

**FISH HATCHERY WRECKED**

**Great Damage at Elk Creek by Recent Flood.**  
The Salmon hatchery on Rogue river at the mouth of Elk Creek was almost demolished by the recent flood. Over 1,000,000 eggs were in the station and the greater portion of these may yet be saved. The stable was wrecked and the hay and grain spoiled. Fourteen racing tanks were washed away. The torrent of water broke paddles off the water-wheel like matches. The interior of the hatchery house was covered with water to a depth of 42 inches, and the water came within 18 inches of the floor of Fishcultivist Barrian's residence, but did not touch the mess house. The commission had 120 black spotted trout in a pond and intended to take eggs from them in the spring, but the pond was covered with three feet of water and the trout are gone.

**Advertised Letters.**

Following is the list of letters remaining uncalled for in the Grants Pass post office, Saturday, January 31, 1903:  
Ladies—  
Mrs. Ella Barnett,  
Mrs. Nellie Baley,  
Mrs. Anna Erickson,  
Gentlemen—  
Lewis Purdy,  
Val Woodbury,  
Geo. L. Woodbury,  
Wm. Schuarr,  
Max Brown,  
Chas. L. Parker,  
A. D. Jeffries,  
H. J. Adams,  
Andy Jeffries.  
C. E. Harmon, P. M.

**Woman's Club.**

The Woman's Club of Grants Pass, will hold its regular meeting Saturday, February 7, 1903, at Woodmen's hall.  
The program will be furnished by the following departments:  
Business—Exhibition and discussion of plans for keeping household accounts.  
Parliamentary—Ten minute drill.  
Philanthropy—Current events.  
Literature—Reading, "The Russian Skating Scene," by Mrs. Marie Robie.  
Art—Question Box.  
Home and household Economics.  
Address by Dr. J. S. Moore, subject "Food, as Related to Infants, School children and Adults."  
Music—Instrumental solo, Miss Lucia.  
The business session will open at 2:30 p. m., sharp. An admittance fee of 10 cents will be charged, those not presenting a membership ticket.  
Mrs. J. H. Denison, sec.  
Rev. C. W. Hays returned to Portland Tuesday evening after spending a few days in Grants Pass and preaching at the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

**R. L. COE & COMPANY**

**GREAT FEBRUARY REMNANT CLEARING SALE**

Beginning SATURDAY, Feb. 7th, and continuing throughout the month until Saturday, the 28th, we shall place on sale at prices that are mere fractions of their real worth, hundreds of Broken Lines of Goods from all departments. They are going to be sold at prices that will move them and move them quickly.

2000 yards Mill End Remnants of Calicoes and Percales at <b>4c</b>	25 dozen Ladies' Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear—vests and pants, regular price from 25 to 40c, at <b>22c</b>	<b>CLOAKS.</b> Our entire stock of Ladies', Misses and Children's Cloth Jackets and Capes sold regardless of cost. This is a rare opportunity as we have a large stock on our hands that <b>Must Be Sold.</b>
1500 Mill End Remnants of 36-inch French Flaunels, worth from 20 to 25 cents, at <b>12c</b>	20 dozen Men's Fleece Lined Underwear, good heavy weight, at <b>29c</b>	<b>LADIES' HATS.</b> Our entire remaining stock of Trimmed Hats <b>Must Be Sold</b> and perhaps you would like to have one if you could get it cheap enough. Just come in and see the prices at which we are selling them.
1000 yards Best Louisdale Muslin, <b>12 yards for \$1.00</b> To be sold in 12 yard lengths only.	40 dozen Ladies' Muslin Underwear at <b>29c to \$1.49</b>	
2500 yards Fine Val Laces worth 50 cent yard at <b>12 yards for 25c</b> Sold only by the piece.	25 dozen Men's Linen Collars, best quality, good styles but slightly soiled, a great bargain at <b>6 for 50c</b> Sold only in half dozen lots.	
2000 yards Fine Val Lace, worth 5 to 10c per yard, at <b>12 yards for 50c</b> Sold only by the piece.		

**R. L. COE & COMPANY**  
**BIG FEBRUARY REMNANT SALE OPENS SATURDAY, 7TH**