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**CHASE & SANBORN, Importers, Boston.**

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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FOR ROAST COFFEE IS CHEAP. We have it. Its all Coffee. In TEAS, we have exceptional values at 40 and 50c. Dates, Figs, Rice Popcorn etc.

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Is the length of time we guarantee our Lisk's Anti-Rusting Tinware. Another shipment has just arrived and we have plenty of the famous Anti-Rust Boilers, Chamber Pails, Tea Kettles, Milk Pans, Dish Pans, Pie Plates are all made with the same guaranty. If you have not tried this ware, do so now. For sale by

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or the end of the year, we find when looking over our stock of housefurnishing goods and kitchen utensils that we have as complete and fine a line of these useful goods as can be found anywhere. Our line of stoves, ranges, cooking utensils will be found worthy of your inspection.

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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.

**Mrs. J. A. Rehkopf**

New Idea 10c Paper Patterns.

**A. U. Bannard's BIG STORE**

...NORTH SIDE...

**...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 out price, 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.**

D. A. Fitzgerald visited in Medford last week.

Mrs. C. E. Harmon left on Friday to visit at Salem.

J. H. Williams returned on Friday from a business visit to Portland.

Rev. Geo. D. Doyle of Roseburg came up to Grants Pass on Monday.

Attorney A. M. Cannon of Medford was here Thursday on court business.

Mrs. J. A. Rehkopf went to San Francisco Saturday on a business visit.

Wm. Headach of the Greenback mine was in town Saturday on business.

Judge J. O. Booth returned on Saturday from an absence of several days at Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hughes of Phoenix have lately been visiting in Grants Pass.

Dr. Flanagan returned on Saturday evening from an absence of several weeks in Arizona.

Dan Johnson came up from Portland Saturday evening to remain a few days at Grants Pass.

Dan Dempsey, formerly one of our railroad boys, but lately of Portland, has been in town this week.

Col. F. V. Drake of Portland was in town Thursday in the interest of the Oregon Bureau of Information.

H. A. Carson, horticultural commissioner for this district, visited Jack son county last week on official business.

S. E. Denny left last week for Santa Monica, Cal., to spend the winter. He has been visiting his son in this city.

J. M. Russell of Portland is here this week looking over our district. Mr. Russell is a member of the legal profession.

Dr. J. A. Townsend of Roseburg was in Grants Pass Sunday and occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church as both morning and evening services.

Mrs. John Patrick left on Saturday morning for Petaluma, Cal., to visit with the family of her son, George Patrick. She will remain for a month or more.

Miss Nora Sydow, of Grants Pass, a graduate of the S. O. state normal, has been granted a state life diploma, by the state board of education at Salem.

Arthur Howland, superintendent of the Hydraulic Mining Co's placer on Jump-off-Joe, returned to the mine Saturday after a few days stay in Grants Pass.

Henry Lovelace, instructor in printing at the Chemawa Indian school, passed through Grants Pass, Friday, on his way to Phoenix, Arizona, where he goes in search of health.

Rev. M. J. Hickey, who has been to San Francisco, spent Monday in town on his return to Portland. His eyesight is being impaired by cataracts and he had been to the Bay City for treatment.

Judge H. L. Benson of Klamath Falls was in town last week on court business. On Thursday evening he left for Portland and Salem returning on Sunday, stopping over a day on his way home to Klamath Falls.

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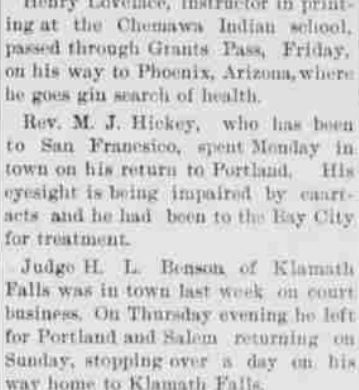
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**Citizens Meeting Held at Court House Wednesday.**

A citizens' meeting was held at the court house last Wednesday evening for the purpose of having the city charter amended on certain points. R. D. Cole was elected chairman and J. B. Paddock secretary. R. G. Smith took the floor and explained the proposed amendments. The principal changes agreed upon were as follows: Registration books to be open from first day of November till last Monday in November.

Providing for the vote; the contestants will cast lots before the auditor and police judge.

Elected may swear in votes if supported by affidavit of three freeholders. Qualified electors of the state, resident in the city are entitled to vote.

No appointive officer may be removed during his term except for cause.

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**THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS**

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

Dr. Flanagan, Physician and Dentist. Go to Coron for Plumbing.

M. Clemens, Prescription Druggist. See Voorbies about Kodaks and Supplies.

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

James Orr of this city visited the G. A. R. boys in Medford recently.

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.

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.

Arthur Denison was the victim of an accident at the factory on Tuesday. His hand was caught in the machinery and was badly lacerated and the bone of the little finger was crushed.

The Christian Science society of this city will hold their opening service at 11 a. m., Sunday, February 15, in their new Reading room Cor. of E and 24 St. All are cordially invited to attend.

A reading under the auspices of the High School will be given by Prof. A. P. McKinlay of University of Oregon, Feb. 21, at 8 o'clock in Woodman hall. Admission 25 cents, public school pupils, 15 cents. Subject "Juvinal and Martial."

Chas. Moore of Evans creek is reported to have made a rich strike this week on the Bloody Run Mountain. He has found a vein of quartz about a foot wide at the surface, which is full of free gold. The quartz seems to run in benches and the extent of the rich ore is not yet determined.

Wm. and Manville Hoge returned this week from Roland creek where they have been fitting up a placer mine. They suffered heavy damages by the recent high water, losing about three month's work and considerable money. They will return later and refit the mine.

Mr. Leslie Morosco will assume the leading part of Benjamin Fitzhew in "The Man From Mexico," the coming season. Mr. Morosco's work in "The Wrong Mr. Wright" and other comedies will guarantee him a hearty reception on the occasion of his forthcoming visit to this city, Friday, February 13.

Something unique in the way of a social is to be given by the Christian Endeavors of the Presbyterian church in the Woodman hall, Wednesday evening, Feb. 18. An entertaining program will be given and ice cream and cake will be served. It is called a boxer social. Boxes of all kinds, shapes and sizes will be on sale, ranging in price from 1 cent to 25 cents. Their contents is yet a mystery.

Grants Pass has been overrun with marshals for the greater portion of the past week, two of them being active in the field where there was want to be but one. At the last council meeting the mayor appointed Walter G. Moore to supersede John Lockhart but Lockhart declined to be superseded. Both of them acted as marshal until Monday evening, when Moore resigned. The mayor then appointed Lockhart to serve until the next council meeting.

**To the Public.**

We are still located in the E. O. O. F. building and are situated so as to quote you the very lowest prices on all grades of pianos and organs. Sold on easy installments—old instruments taken in exchange. A full line of violins, guitars, mandolins. Sheet music and music books always on hand.

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**Coming Events**

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**BOARD OF TRADE DOINGS**

**Endorsed House Bill 259 and Memorialize County Court.**

On Thursday morning on receipt of a message from Col. F. V. Drake of Portland President Thomas called the executive committee of the Board of Trade for a meeting in the bank parlors for the purpose of meeting Col. Drake who had a matter of interest to impart to the board. Col. Drake was met at the train and when the meeting was called to order stated in full the plan for the Oregon Bureau of Information. A room has been secured in the union depot in Portland and the plan is to have shelving and tables allotted to each county for literature and exhibits. The spaces for the several counties will be of uniform size, so that there will be no favoritism in that regard. It was planned also that each county should furnish a map showing the topography, roads, etc., and, by coloring, the agricultural, mining and timber districts. These maps were to be copied in uniform size and the originals returned. The railroads have agreed to carry the exhibits free of charge, so that the only expense attached would be making the maps and collecting the exhibits. The scheme for the central exhibit is backed by a number of the business men of Portland, less than 100 of whom have subscribed \$16,000. Col. Drake urged the endorsement by the Board of Trade of house bill No. 259, authorizing the levy of a one-fourth mill tax to maintain such a bureau and for local exhibits. It was decided that such an action would be more effective if done in open meeting of the whole board and such a meeting was called for 3:30 p. m. In the meeting, the board endorsed the bill, and issued a communication to that effect to our representatives in the legislature. A petition was also prepared for circulation.

The board might have saved its labor for the bill was killed on Thursday afternoon.

This matter, for which the meeting was called, being disposed of, a resolution urging the county court to regulate electricity, in repairing the Rogue river bridge was introduced by R. L. Coe. It was represented that, though nearly three weeks had elapsed since the flood nothing tangible had been done toward the repair of the bridge. The resolution was passed without dissent and with little discussion. The board was then adjourned.

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The Music class of the Woman's club will meet with Mrs. H. C. Kinney, Feb. 14, 1903 at 3:30 p. m. The program will be as follows:

**Current Events—Class.**

"History of Music" (paper).  
"Mendelssohn," (paper)—Miss Gertrude Barrie.  
"Chopin," (paper)—Miss Aiken.  
"Song Without Words," (Mendelssohn)—Miss Vida Moore.  
Duet—Mrs. Denison and Mrs. Hood.  
Piano Solo (Chopin)—Mrs. Adelia Wilson.

**BORN.**

SCOTT—In this city, Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scott, a son.

**MARRIED.**

PYLE—HOLT—In this city, Monday, February 9, 1903, Henry Pyle and Miss Katie Holt.

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**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 Percalés at 4c	25 dozen Ladies' Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear—vests and pants, regular price from 25 to 40c, at 22c	<b>CLOAKS.</b>
1500 Mill End Remnants of 36-inch French Flannels, worth from 20 to 25 cents, at 12c	20 dozen Men's Fleece Lined Underwear, good heavy weight, at 29c	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>
1000 yards Best Lounsdale Muslin, 12 yards for \$1.00 To be sold in 12 yard lengths only.	40 dozen Ladies' Muslin Underwear at 29c to \$1.49	<b>LADIES' HATS.</b>
2500 yards Fine Val Laces worth 5c yard at 12 yards for 25c Sold only by the piece.	25 dozen Men's Linen Collars, best quality, good styles but slightly soiled, a great bargain at 6 for 50c Sold only in half dozen lots.	Our entire remaining stock of Trimmed Hats <b>Must Be Sold</b>
2000 yards Fine Val Lace, worth 8 to 10c per yard, at 12 yards for 50c Sold only by the piece.		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.

**R. L. COE & COMPANY**

**BIG FEBRUARY REMNANT SALE OPENED SATURDAY, 7TH**