

FRESH ARRIVALS



Carson Grapes

(Rose of Peru) very nice

Fresh Quaker Oats,
Grape Nuts, Wheatine,
Granola, Postum Cereal,
Shredded Wheat Biscuit.

Fig Prune Cereal.

Fine and Coarse Graham, (buyers best)
Rye Flour, Blue Ribbon hard wheat Flour,
Split Peas, Sago, Tapioca, Etc

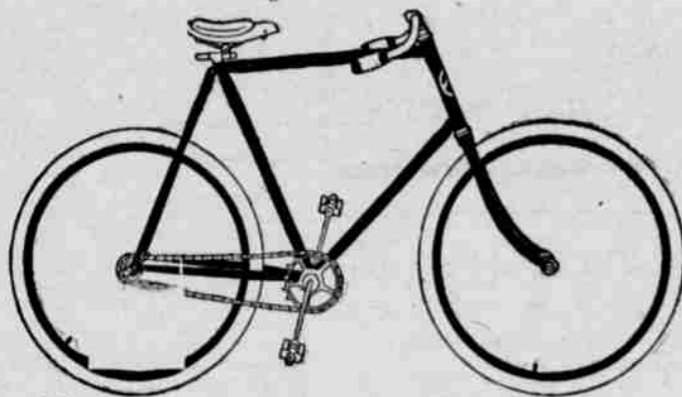
Sweet Potatoes now in Market

Eggs very scarce at 30 cents for strictly fresh stock,
Sweet and Sour Pickles, Green Peppers,
New Petite Prunes per lb.
3/4c. New Irish
Mackerel.

WHITE HOUSE GROCERY.

BICYCLES AT REDUCED PRICES

In order to make room on the floor for our Fall and Winter Stock, we shall close out our Bicycles at greatly reduced prices. Now is your time to buy Columbia's, Hartford's and Vedette's at a bargain.



Cramer Bros.

Odd Fellows Block.

BICYCLES REPAIRED. BICYCLE SUNDRIES.

Refrigerators

...and...

Ice Cream Freezers

...MUST GO...

We haven't room to store them until next season and must get rid of them. We offer them at

20 Per Cent Discount

HAIR-RIDDLE HARDWARE Co.

Grants Pass, Oregon.

Do not buy your Ladies' and Children's

Winter Underwear

Until you see ours. They are all going at exceptionally low prices.

And many other rare bargains at

THE CLOSING OUT SALE

Mrs. J. A. Rehkopf

South Sixth Street, Grants Pass, Ore.

Agent for
New Idea Patterns, 10c.
When sent by mail 11c.

New Line of Trimmed Hats

is NOW IN

I have received my fall stock of Millinery which includes new styles and new materials. Call and see the goods.

Children's Hats - School Hats and Caps
I SELL CHEAPER THAN OTHERS.

Miss Ida Weston

Font St., Second Millinery Store East of 6th St.

Grants Pass, Oregon.

Courier and Oregonian \$2 a year

OUR PERSONAL COLUMN

People as They Come and Go From Day to Day

E. E. Redfield was in town from Glendale last week.
J. H. Smith returned Monday from his visit to Portland.
C. B. Smith made a business visit to Ashland last week.
H. A. Rotterdam went to Portland Monday on business trip.
Don Grimes went to Glendale Wednesday to work on the steam shovel.

N. Morlan of Trail will be a resident of Grants Pass during the coming winter.
Mrs. Mary Chausse has returned to Portland after a visit of several weeks in this city.
Levi Allen returned home Sunday after visiting his sister, Mrs. L. C. Mathena at Ashland.

Will Fry returned last week to Corvallis to resume his studies at the O. A. C. after the summer vacation.
Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bigelow of Williams returned last week from a visit to Portland and Columbia river points.
Grafie Baber left on Tuesday evening for Klamath Falls, to be absent a week or more on a business trip.

Mrs. J. W. Brown and son Charles returned last Thursday from an extended visit with relatives at Gibsonville, Calif.
J. H. Austin was in town Saturday. Mr. Austin has been engaged to teach the school near Love's station, commencing October 5.

Mrs. Harry Lyon returned last week from Coletina. Mr. Lyon is now stationed at Ashland and they have returned to that place.
John Vegalins returned last Wednesday evening from Oregon City, where he was called to attend the funeral of his mother.

Rev. J. W. McDougall left for Salem Monday to attend the Oregon Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which opened Wednesday.
Mrs. Alice Carlon and Misses Hatie and Etta Cook returned from Roseburg last Thursday. Mrs. Carlon will make Grants Pass her home.

Ed White went to Portland Wednesday morning to resume his studies at the dental college after spending the summer vacation at his home in this city.
J. M. Booth returned Monday from his trip to Astoria and Portland. Mrs. E. E. Dunbar, his sister who accompanied him will remain several days.

Jos. Glass returned this week from his former home in Missouri, where he was called on account of the illness of his mother, who is now on the road to recovery.
Frank Burns returned on Tuesday from Klamath Falls, after a visit of several weeks with his brother, M. L. Burns, who is in the meat business in that place.

Mrs. H. S. Prescott and children arrived last week from Iowa to join Mr. Prescott who has been here some months, he being foreman of the Mining Journal.
W. L. Dooley of Hopland, Calif. arrived Tuesday and will spend his vacation here. Mrs. Dooley has been here several weeks with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Pollock.

Arthur Conklin returned the first of the week from Salem and Portland where he has been on business connected with the next meeting of the Oregon Press association, which will convene in Salem in October.
L. G. Higgins, the assayer, returned on Friday from his quart's properties in the south end of the county. He has some very promising mines which he has been developing this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hubbard expect to leave this week for Seattle where they will visit for some time. Mrs. Etta Hubbard will accompany them as far as Seattle and then go to Min-

nesota to visit at her old home near St. Paul.
Miss Agnes George won the second prize in a rhetorical contest under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. at Eagle Point last Friday evening. The prize was a gold pin.
George Bacher, who has been spending the summer working at Dunsuir, spent a few days in Grants Pass last week and has returned to Portland to resume his studies at the dental college.

CALIFORNIA JAIL BREAKER
Returns to Siskiyou County With the Sheriff.
Sheriff Charles B. Howard of Siskiyou county arrived in Grants Pass, Wednesday with requisition papers signed by California's governor for Jos. Fiddler, the man who broke jail at Yreka a short time ago.
The man was captured Sunday morning by Officer Lockhart, who had been notified by a detective that Fiddler was riding into town on the back beam. A detective had been with Fiddler some time, had even slept in a box car with him, and knew his man. At Gold Hill Fiddler boarded the freight for Grants Pass and the detective, probably not caring to take any unnecessary risks for the \$25 reward offered, notified the Grants Pass officials. Fiddler is a notorious criminal, having occupied many of the jails in California for different periods. He is a mechanic and in some way managed to make a file of a piece of steel taken from his necktie and with this made the keys which opened the doors of the jail. He took with him a loaded revolver but this he sold at Gold Hill and was unarmed when captured here.

SOME TRUE BEAR STORIES
Bruin Very Much in Evidence in Southern Oregon
Bears appear to be unusually numerous in Southern Oregon this year and bear stories come thickly from all points of the compass. Last week Mrs. Homer White, while picking berries near Kerby, was startled by the appearance of a large bear in the berry patch. She did not hesitate to leave him in undisputed possession.
On Sunday morning, the members of the Demaree orchestra, returning in the early dawn from Gold Hill, where they had played for a dance the evening before, saw a yearling bear in the wagon road between Rock Point and Woodville. The animal ran down the road for a short distance and then took to the hillsides.
The town of Kerby was all excitement one day last week caused by the appearance of three bear walking along the streets. It did not take long to see the animals and then the residents of Kerby came out to view the monsters. Shotguns, revolvers and rifles were all brought out to have in case of need, a camera was also produced and brain sat for his photo. Finally Ben George appeared with his rifle and added three more bears to his record, making six so far this season.

Harry Telford, the 16 year old son of H. C. Telford of Coletina, gained considerable notoriety as a hunter recently by killing three bear one morning before 10 o'clock. He was hunting in the mountains near Coletina and came upon the three bear, an old one and two half grown cubs. He shot and killed the old bear and followed the young ones until he succeeded in shooting them also. He loaded the two cubs on his horse and took them home. H. C. Telford, Sr., and his brother, W. A. Telford of Galena, Ill., who was then visiting at Coletina, returned with Harry and assisted him in bringing in the larger bear, which measured six feet from tip to tip.
Word was received Wednesday from Wolf Creek, of the death of L. E. Miller's grandfather.

A. U. Bannard—Undertaker.

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MACHINE DEVELOPMENT
Eastman Kodak Co. Sends Demonstrator Here.
Kodakers and all persons interested in Kodaking will be given an opportunity to see the practical workings of the Developing Machine, on Friday afternoon at the Courier office. C. H. Ruffner, demonstrator for the Eastman Kodak Co. will be there all the afternoon and will explain the machine and its workings in detail to all who are interested. The advent of the Kodak on the photographic market, opened up a new field for the amateur and since that day, the Eastman company has been foremost in introducing helps for the amateur. The machine has simplified the work of development and made it simply a mechanical process, which makes success positive.

FOR SOUTHERN OREGON
Mineral Wealth Will Devote Pages to This District.
C. F. Dittmar has returned from Redding and has resumed his work on the special Southern Oregon edition of Mineral Wealth, the mining paper published at Redding, and of which W. E. Dittmar is editor. The publishers are so much pleased with Oregon's mining outlook and the encouragement they have received from our mining operators, that they have decided to get out a more elaborate edition than at first intended, and with that end in view, Mr. Dittmar expects to devote the entire months of October and November in carefully covering this field.

BONDS FOR SCHOOL HOUSE
Forty Votes in Favor and Four Against Bonding.
On Monday a meeting of taxpayers was held to vote school bonds for payment of the new brick school house now nearing completion. The vote was very small being only 44, 40 of which were in favor of the necessary \$10,000 bonds.
The names of several ladies who own property appeared on the polling list.
Dunlap Killed September 19.
From an old almanac hanging on its nail in Wm. Dunlap's cabin, it seems certain that he was shot on the afternoon of Saturday, September 19, and his body had lain un molested until found the 27th—eight days later. It was Mr. Dunlap's custom as soon as he arose in the morning to take down the almanac and make a record of the day by drawing a pencil mark through the day and date. Those records had been made faithfully throughout the year until the 19th, that being the last date scratched.
A thorough search of the cabin has been made but as yet no clue leading to the identity of the murderer has been found. A deposit check for \$120 was found crumpled up and thrown in a corner, this represented Dunlap's bank account. It seems certain that he had no more than about \$7 in the house at the time of the murder, although many believe he had gold dust cached away on the premises.

Last week we published a partial list of those who attended the 12th annual reunion of the Soldiers and Sailors' Association at Medford. The complete list of those who went from Grants Pass is as follows:
Mr. and Mrs. Hildreth, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. Weidman, Mr. and Mrs. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Hannum, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Toole, Miss Hancock, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Chausse, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Zoller, Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Harvey.

Isn't that shoe a beauty? Just think, paid only \$2.95 for the pair at Welch's Closing-out sale. It's a Top-notch regular \$5.00 shoe. Sold the world over at that price.
Get Thomas prices on Refrigerators.

CHESAUCAN MARSH FIRE
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