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IRELAND & MEADE'S ADDITION to Grants Pass, Oregon.

Map showing street layout for Ireland & Meade's Addition, including streets like Lee St, Meade Street, and others.

The lots in this addition are especially adapted for residence purposes as they are very large and on rolling ground and higher than the city proper. For a short time only Ireland & Meade are making remarkably low prices. It will pay you to investigate their proposition before buying elsewhere. See H. V. MEADE, at the Courier office, for particulars.

When You Have a Cold. The first action when you have a cold should be to relieve the lungs. This is best accomplished by the free use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This remedy liquefies the tough mucus and causes its expulsion from the air cells of the lungs, produces a free expectoration, and opens the secretions. This remedy will cure a severe cold in less time than any other treatment. It counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by all druggists.

Supper Menu. The young ladies of the Baptist church will serve the following menu at the Odd Fellows' hall, February 19: Escalloped Oysters with cranberry sauce. Creamed Potatoes. Pickles. Salad. Hot Rolls. Mixed Cakes. Coffee.

OUR PERSONAL COLUMN

People as They Come and Go From Day to Day. Chas. Smythe returned to Roseburg last week. Oliver S. Brown of Hugo was in town Monday. J. M. Eades and J. H. Manning visited Grants Pass Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Rehkopf returned from San Francisco on the delayed train Tuesday. Miss Edna Parker visited at Woodville Saturday and Sunday, returning Sunday evening. Mrs. J. C. Campbell went to Roseburg Wednesday for a few days visit with her daughter.

R. C. Kinney attended the Republican State Committee meeting at Portland last week. J. R. Bailey of Williams, one of the owners of the Mountain Lion mine visited Grants Pass this week. Mrs. Ed Layton was taken to Portland Monday to consult a specialist. She has been sick for several months.

Mrs. L. A. Lucas entertained the Ladies Aid society of the Newman M. E. church at her home Tuesday afternoon. The Ladies' Benefit society of the Presbyterian church met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. O. McCroskey. A number of the gentlemen called later in the afternoon and partook of refreshments. These events are always very enjoyable and are looked forward to with interest.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Gault left last Thursday for Glendive, Mont., their future home, where Mr. Gault has a position as cashier of the First National Bank of Glendive. Glendive is a railroad division town on the Northern Pacific Ry. and is in a grazing and timber district. Mr. and Mrs. Gault will be greatly missed from Grants Pass, where they have made for themselves a wide circle of friends. Music lovers will feel the loss of Mrs. Gault from our midst, as she was very kind in rendering assistance in all musical events and especially in the choir of the Presbyterian church, of which she has been a member. The people of Glendive are to be congratulated on securing Mr. and Mrs. Gault as residents. They spent a few days in Portland and also in Tacoma before starting eastward.

OLD MINER'S TROUBLES Has Been Sick More or Less For Six Years. J. P. Pollard an old timer in this county seems to be having more than his share of bodily ills and is now confined to his bed the greater part of the time, although at times he can hobble around on crutches, or wheel himself about a bit in a wheel chair. His troubles commenced about six years ago when he fell from a tri-cycle and injured his back. For a number of months he was confined to his bed and was able to move himself only by grasping a rope hung from the ceiling and holding up his weight by his hands. A couple of years later when he had partially recovered he waded his foot badly by tipping over a skillet full of boiling water while preparing his lonely meal. This accident laid him up for a long time and in fact he has never recovered as his present illness is due to ulcerations dating from the time of the scalding. Mr. Pollard is an old man having passed his 70th birthday last September and lives near Wolf Creek. He is being cared for by J. H. Manning. He is an old miner having mined in this country for years and until his accident six years ago.

A HEAVY RAIN STORM

High Water, Washouts, Land slides and Delayed Trains. The rain storm of the first part of this week, has been by far the greatest of the winter and will bear comparison even with the phenomenal storm of last year. For a week past it had been raining intermittently with occasional light shifts of snow which melted as it fell. With the ground thoroughly soaked and water standing on the surface, the elements on Saturday night started in to demonstrate a real old Oregon rain. All day Sunday and Sunday night, the rain poured and on Monday every trench and gutter was running full of water and the smaller streams were approaching their record height. A big volume of water was rolling in Rogue river, but that stream did not reach a height to be considered worthy of notice by those who have seen it really in flood. The rain continued with little abatement all day Monday, but ceased in the evening. There was little wind and the air was warm and mild. Considerable damage was occasioned along the line of the S. P. Co. by slides and washouts. The railroad bridge across Jump-off-Joe creek at Merlin was partially washed out and badly damaged Sunday night and a long stretch of track was submerged. The high water seriously interfered with the repair work and little could be done until the rain ceased and the water receded. It was not until Tuesday morning that the repairs on bridge and road bed were completed sufficiently to allow the passage of trains. Passenger train No. 12, north bound, lay in Grants Pass from 5:30 a. m. Monday until 7:30 a. m. Tuesday, while No. 15, south bound, waited just beyond Merlin from Monday forenoon till Tuesday morning. A slide between Siskiyou and Ashland delayed the 6 o'clock Monday evening passenger train 18 hours. Trouble-some slides occurred in the Cow creek canyon and at other points along the line and the saturated condition of the ground has been making it an exceptionally troublesome time for the S. P. trackmen.

Landslides north of Ashland have cut off all north bound trains since Tuesday afternoon. Wednesday a train was made up at Ashland to run to Portland. Up to the time of going to press there was no information as to when the blockade would be broken.

A PIANO FORTE RECITAL Benefit Recital Under Auspices of Womens Club. The piano recital to be given by Miss Ethel Palmer at the opera house Friday night, Feb. 25, is an event that should be taken advantage of by all music lovers of the city. Miss Palmer's ability as a pianist has been recognized at home and in the Willamette valley where she has given a number of recitals. She will be assisted by Rose Midgley Holmbeck, pianist; Ora Reed Hemenway, reader; Harry Andrews, baritone, and the Carol Quartette. Following is the program: Spinning Song, Wagner (Two Pianos) Etude op. 25 No. 3 Chopin Impromptu op. 36 Chopin Valse op. 42 The Soul of the Violin, Merrill (Musical Background) Concert D Minor Rubenstyn (Orchestral parts on 2d piano) "Tell Her I Love Her So" De Fayl Adagio op. 57 Beethoven Marmoring Heronets Jensen-Nieman Carol-Ladies Quartette Selected Fantasia Liszt Silence Requested.

Resolutions of Respect. Grants Pass, Ore., Feb. 16, 1904. Whereas, death has again invaded Azalia Circle, W. O. W. and taken from us our esteemed and honored neighbor, Emily Smith, therefore be it Resolved, That we feel the loss of a neighbor, whom we appreciated for her pleasant and earnest ways; that we extend the sincere sympathy of all members of our Circle to the bereaved relatives and friends of our deceased neighbor. And be it further Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the Courier, and placed upon the minutes of the Circle, and that a copy be sent to the bereaved family. Maud E. Denny, G. N. Iona S. Fryer, Clerk.

Mr. Patrick Doing Well. John Patrick's condition is steadily improving and he will without doubt be out on the streets again in two or three weeks. The shock occasioned by the stabbing affair aside from the injuries received, was enough to stagger a much younger man than Mr. Patrick. In our last week's issue we inadvertently did Dr. Stricker a possible injustice in stating that Mr. Patrick was taken from Dr. Stricker's office to another physician's office. We should have said he was taken to his home.

The Salvation Army. A Junior demonstration will be conducted in the Salvation army hall on Saturday, February 20, at 8 p. m. There will be singing and speaking and the string band will play. Admission free. After the meeting a coffee supper will be served. The proceeds will be used to carry on the Junior war. Escaped an Awful Fate. Mr. H. Higgins of Melbourne, Fla., writes: "My doctor told me I had consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's New Discovery. This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by National Drug Store and Grants Pass Pharmacy. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free. A. U. Bannard-Undertaker.

THE LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Brief Notes and Items of Interest and Importance. Dr. Flanagan, Physician and Dentist. Go to Coron for Plumbing. Garden Tools at Cramer Bros. M. Clemens, Prescription Druggist. Lunch I. O. O. F. hall February 19. Tinshop and Plumbing—Hair-Riddle Hardware Co. A splendid line of Royal Charter Oak Ranges at Coron's. Call at Elwood's and get one of their new calendars. Pattons Sun Proof Paint in all Shades at Cramer Bros. C. C. Daniels, real estate and rental agent, Cor. Eighth and M streets. For Timber business call on W. B. Sherman, Rooms 10 and 12, Masonic Temple. Spray pumps at Cramer Bros. High Grade Sewing Machines, Pianos and Organs—Hair-Riddle Hardware Co. Don't forget to spray your trees. Do it with a Beau pump bought of Cramer Bros. We make a specialty of fine watch repairing. M. & E. M. Elwood, Masonic Temple, Room 7. J. M. Trefren, dealer in fruits and vegetables, poultry and eggs, fresh fish and Eastern oysters. Front St. Remember Joseph Moss has the largest list of real estate with the best prices and best terms. Office on E street, west of Sixth street. A fine assortment of goods and 500 styles to select from at the Grants Pass Tailoring Co. Nobby suits at reasonable rates. Steam cleaning. Woodmen of the World, Women of Woodcraft and friends are requested to meet at the Woodman hall on Friday evening, February 19. Come and enjoy yourself. Miss Lettingwell returned missionary from China will speak at the Free Methodist chapel Saturday evening, February 20, at 7:45, and Sunday, February 21, at 3 p. m. and evening. Pruning tools at Cramer Bros. Congressman Hermann has introduced a bill to pension Ralph E. Summers, of Curry county, who is one of the two or three survivors of the historic siege of Battle Rock, Port Orford. Mrs. Wm. Alley, a resident of this vicinity for many years, living south of the Rogue river bridge, was adjudged insane this week and was removed on Wednesday to the asylum at Salem. Andy Colvin, George Wertz and Zera Pool have bought a saw mill plant heretofore operated on Cow creek and will remove the machinery to this county. The location has not yet been selected. Bargains in stoves at Cramer Bros. 15 per cent discount on heating stoves at Cramer Bros. Take your supper Friday, February 19 at the I. O. O. F. hall, the Baptist young people will serve you well. Having received one of the latest improved New Century Engraving machines we are prepared to do all kinds of engraving; goods bought from us engraved free. Curtis & Co., Odd Fellows' Building, Grants Pass, Oregon. If your watch needs repairing, don't fail to see Elwood. Needles, repairs and supplies for all makes of sewing machines at the White sewing machine agency—Hair-Riddle Hardware Co. What if your house should burn tonight? Are you protected? If not insure today with John Minor Booth, room 9, Masonic temple. All the members of the Choral Union are urgently requested to be present at the next rehearsal, Monday evening, February 22. The cantata "Pinnacors" is to be given within the next few weeks and it is desired that the rehearsals be given a full attendance. Insure your home in the O. F. R. A. and by becoming a member, share in the profits. \$118,650 saved to its members in 1903. Address, Sec'y O. F. R. A. McMinnville, Ore., or H. B. Hendricks, Grants Pass, Agent for Josephine Co. See that fine lot of Ladies', Gents' and Babies' gold rings? For a small consideration St. Louis, the jeweler, would part with one or two of them for he is making more of them and might make you one just as you want it, if you furnish the gold dust. Some excellent farms, both large and small on the Rogue, Applegate, and Illinois rivers in Josephine County, Oregon. Also all kinds of town property in Grants Pass, for sale on easy terms by Atty. H. B. Hendricks, Office on Sixth street near postoffice. Clayton Kirk, son of the Indian preacher, Jesse Kirk of Klamath Agency has gone to St. Louis, where he will play in an Indian band during the exhibition. Young Kirk was once a student in the Carlisle, Pa., Indian school, and later attended the Phoenix, Arizona, school. He is said to be both a good student and musician. Wall papers, the exclusive kind, papers that are tasty, metropolitan and thoroughly up-to-date, the new goods are in—over 10,000 rolls—let us have the pleasure of showing you if you if you can't get away just now, drop us a postal card and our representative will call and show you the line at your home.—Thomas, the house furnisher. Two box cars, derailed and partially upset, were objects of interest and curiosity in the Grants Pass yards on Thursday. The cars had run through the switch on the west side of Sixth street, crossed the street on the ties and came to rest just clear of the sidewalk with the trucks half buried in the soft ground. It was a half day's work for a wrecking crew to right them up and replace them on the track. The cars were little injured, but some of the ties were badly torn up.

Business men's lunch—Odd Fellows hall, 5 to 6:30, Friday Feb. 19.

Get protection by insuring your property with John Minor Booth, room 9, Masonic temple. Don't fail to call at Elwood's Optical parlors and have your eyes tested free with their new eye Meter. D. L. Rhodes of the Palace barber shop, was called to Centralia, Wash., Monday on account of the serious illness of his wife. J. H. Mallen will conduct the shop in the future. The social announced for Tuesday at the Christian church parsonage has been postponed to Tuesday, February 23. Be on hand and spend a pleasant evening. Lunch and program. Joseph Ranch, of the dissolved firm of Rehkopf & Ranch, is busy this week making preparations to start next week in the blacksmithing and wood work business at the Old Pioneer shop opposite Trimble & Cook's. Thanking old customers for their liberal patronage in the past and soliciting the work of old and new customers in the future. The Bethany Helpers, an organization of Miss Hattie Telford's Sunday school class of girls, gave a social at the Presbyterian church last Friday night, which was largely attended and which was greatly enjoyed. During the course of the evening, a short program was rendered and refreshments served. The program consisted of a piano solo by Miss Gussie Parker, reading by Rev. W. G. Connell, song by the highschool male quartette and reading by Miss Pearl Cunningham. Mothers' meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon, February 24, at the East school building. The subject under discussion will be "Punctuality." The program will be interspersed with music. This is a matter in which all parents are or should be, interested, as it affects the welfare of their children. A good attendance is desired. An Up-To-Date Office. W. B. Sherman, the timber man, now has one of the most conveniently arranged and finely fitted offices in Southern Oregon. The suite consists of three rooms in the Masonic temple with rooms 11 and 12 opening on the hall. No. 11 is the public entrance and is furnished with oak furniture and fitted up for the general office. Opening from this is the private office which is furnished in oak and leather. From this, and opening onto the hall is a public stenographer's room. The rooms are nicely arranged and are a credit to the town. Mr. Sherman has a splendid collection of antlers and hunting scenes which are of interest to all lovers of sport. Mr. Sherman is the first to introduce into Grants Pass a commercial phonograph to which he dictates all correspondence. The typewriter receives the dictation from the machine, thus doing away with the necessity of the short hand system. The machine is always ready to receive messages and is absolutely correct. Mr. Sherman says it is a great help to him in his extensive correspondence, and saves half the time of a typewriter. Stage Travel Delayed. The Crescent City route stage schedule has been seriously interfered with the past week on account of the continued rains. The stage leaving here Monday morning proceeded only as far as Wilderville and then had to turn back, being unable to cross Slate creek and the stage from Waldo was unable to cross Deer creek at Selma. Passengers for the stage are taken only as far as Waldo, but the stage goes to the foot of the mountain. From there the mail is taken on horseback over the mountains. The snow for some time past has been about seven feet deep on the mountain and all who of necessity have to make the trip to or from Crescent City are obliged to travel on horseback. The Williams stage has been considerably troubled also with high water.

P. H. HARTH & SON KEY SALE Those who have opened Locks up to this date are: H. A. St. Earle, mining man, Lock No. 1, \$50.00. J. O. Gibson, clerk, Lock No. 2, \$30.00. Andrew Frakes, farmer, Lock No. 4, \$20.00. Joe Russell, stock man, Lock No. 5, \$20.00. Frank Parker, Lock No. 6, \$10.00.

MACHINE DEMONSTRATION An Event of Interest to Amateur Photographers. Amateur Photographers are always interested in new things photographic and while the Kodak developing machine has been on the market during the past season, it is new to many. The third practical demonstration of the machine in Grants Pass will be given at A. E. Voorhies photo headquarters Tuesday afternoon, February 23, from 2 to 6 o'clock by a representative of the Eastman Kodak Co. Be on hand and see how easy it is to develop films. Certificates Granted. Certificates were granted last week to the following teachers: Second grade certificates—Pearl Cunningham, Clara Terrill, Frankie Letcher, Myrtle Houck. Third grade—Ella Parks, Myrtle Renshaw, Marie Galloway. Primary—Mrs. Mollie Belding. Superintendent Savage was assisted in the examination by G. A. Savage and Miss Astella Goodin. Had Seen Better Days. A group of Grants Pass saloon men, was standing on the street corner talking recently when a former city official approached. He was greeted with the remark: "Heard about the new play? We are thinking of giving the play, 'We Have Seen Better Days,' and we have reserved a star part for you!"

SEE HOW IT WORKS You Are Invited to Attend a Kodak Developing Machine Demonstration at the Courier Office on Tuesday, February 23, from 2 to 6 o'clock p. m. Bring an exposed film to test the machine. Come in and see the Latest step in Photographic progress. A. E. VOORHIES, - PHOTO DEALER

JUST RECEIVED Over 2500 Yards Embroidery which we will place on SPECIAL SALE For One Day Only, Saturday, Feb. 20 10 to 18 inch Embroidery at 25c per yard Narrower widths at 12c per yard Insertions to match at 12c per yard FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED White-Hemenway Co. NEW DEPARTMENT STORE