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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1905.

City Council Holds Session.
The council met Thursday with all the members present. The recorder was ordered to have printed the bonds as provided for in the ordinance to raise funds for the construction of sewers on Second and Seventh streets. Chairman Fetsch of the sewer committee, reported that the route for the Seventh street sewer was decided on but that for the Second street sewer was yet under consideration. The route was agreed on so far as on Second and on Pine streets, but Pine not quite reaching the river, the sewer route from that street to the river was a question of two routes. One was by the present survey by a street below the Electric station and the other was direct to the river through private property. This route would save 900 feet of sewer pipe and be cheaper, but the right-of-way had to be secured of private parties. As these lands owners wished a street at that point, Attorney Hough thought it best to locate a street and that would then give the right-of-way for the sewer. The matter was referred back to the sewer committee to arrange for the sewer right of way and to report at the adjourned meeting of the council Monday.

A petition signed by Joseph Moss, Colonel Johnson and others for a lateral sewer on West F street was referred to the sewer committee. Dr. D. E. Love, who was lately appointed county health officer, offered his services to act also as city health officer. The matter was referred to the health committee. Saloon license of W. S. Wood was renewed. Leave of absence was granted to Connelman T. Williams. Mayor Good called attention to the fact that street lights ordered of the Electric Company for streets in the northeast part of the city had not been erected and residents of that part of the city had made complaint. The light committee was ordered to see that the lights were installed.

A petition from the Salvation Army that they be allowed to hold meetings in the streets caused a lively discussion, as to whether they really obstructed the streets and sidewalks. Mayor Good contended that the Salvation Army caused crowds to congregate and obstruct the sidewalks. Councilmen Hair and Hall thought the salvationists had a right to the street, in view of the good they accomplished in helping the poor, and that there was as much of a crowd in front of certain saloons when the Salvation Army was not present as when present, and that if the Salvation Army was to go off the streets then all the fairs, street shows and traveling musicians should not be allowed to hold forth on the streets. No action was taken on the petition and it was laid over until the next meeting.

The following bills were allowed: Observer printing, \$31.00; G. P. N. W. L. & P. Co., flush sewers, \$39.65; Hair-Riddle Hardware Co., cement, etc., \$130.15; Craner Bros., sewer pipe, etc., \$72.69; Henry Woodbridge, special police, \$1.00; George Woodbridge, special police, \$7.00; S. U. Neas, blacksmith work, \$36.80; Western Hotel meals for election officers, \$5.75; R. H. Gillilan, street expenses, \$6.65; J. A. Rinnet, street work, \$34.00; E. Moore, street work, \$10.00; Harvey Moore, street work, \$13.00; D. A. Harmon, street work, \$22.25; O. O. Luce, street work, \$13.00; H. A. Cogle, street work, \$84.30.

Boys Shooting Stock.
The annual complaint is now on from farmers about boys and men carelessly shooting while on hunting excursions on the farms in this vicinity. Such damage has been done by leaving gates open, knocking down fences and shooting stock that the farmers propose to take vigorous measures to protect their property and hunters will have to be more careful or find themselves in serious trouble.

Boys from this city appear to be the greatest depredators while hunting rabbits and quail. Some boys while hunting rabbits on the Dimnick place, owned by W. S. Barrie, who was it for a pasture, for his horses and cows, shot one of Mr. Barrie's horses last Tuesday. The ball passed through the fleshy part of the animal's leg making a severe wound that will cripple the horse for a month or more during which time it cannot be worked. Had the bullet passed one inch to the left it would have shattered the bone of the leg, and the horse would have been hopelessly injured and would have had to be killed. There is no doubt that the boys did not intend to injure the horse, but the irresponsibility of their irresponsibility, especially in the brushland where they cannot see each other 20 feet distant, that some of them will yet be killed.

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100 Cotton Blankets, come in 2 colors, Gray and Tan, price per pair. **50c**
1 Case Turkish Towels 40 dozen put up 1 dozen in bundle, sizes as follows: 20x40, 20x44, 22x46, 23x48 Not a Towel in the lot but what is worth 15c and up to 25c each; sold in dozen lots only at this price, per dozen **\$1.50**
1 lot Outing Flannels; these come in dark colors and full width, 27 1/2 inches wide, a regular 7 1/2c Outing Flannel, good weight, and note the width not 24 inches as sold regular at this price but full 27 inches, price per yard. **5c**
5 Bolts 42 inch All-wool Suits, just the goods for Girls Fall and Winter school dresses, worth 65c per yard, in this **38c**

25 dozen Ladies' Hose, warranted fast color, (the Topsy brand) worth 15c, in this sale, per pair. **9c**

1 Case Calicoes, 50 full bolts, bought before the advance, none better made at any price, consisting of American Indigo, China Blues, Simpson's Grays, Black and White and Garner's Turkey Reds. So that this case will go around the limit will be not over 2 dress patterns to the 5c customer; per yard. **5c**

One Case Ladies' Fleece-Ribbed Underwear
24 dozen Vests and Pants, color Gray, sizes 4, 5 and 6, garment well worth 35c, for this sale. **23c**

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BORN.
BATTY—To Mr. and Mrs. E. Batty, at the Jewett mine on Thursday, September 7, 1905, a son.
MARRIED.
TRIMBLE—HUGGERTH—In Grants Pass on Tuesday, September 5, 1905, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Huggerth, Rev. D. T. Summerville officiating, Mr. William Trimble and Miss Minnie Huggerth.
The wedding was attended by only immediate relatives and a few friends. Soon after the close of the ceremony, the young couple took the evening train for Portland where they will spend a week. Mr. Trimble is associated with his father, James Trimble, in the blacksmith business and he is an industrious, capable young man. His bride is one of the most popular of the young ladies of Grants Pass and was one of the efficient operators in the telephone central office. Mr. and Mrs. Trimble have a host of friends in this city, who give them good wishes for a long and happy life.

DIED.
GUNNELL—In Grants Pass on Thursday, September 7, 1905, the infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Alva H. Gunnell, aged 3 months.
Mr. and Mrs. Gunnell will take the remains of their baby by this Friday evening's train to Jefferson, Oregon, where it will be interred in the family lot in the cemetery at that place.

CLINE—In Grants Pass on Sunday, September 3, 1905, Mrs. Mary J. Cline, aged 28 years.
The funeral services were held Monday with interment in the Granite Hill cemetery.
PATRICK—At Petaluma, Cal., Friday, September 1, 1905, the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Patrick.

NEW TODAY.
LOST.
IN OR NEAR depot, Grants Pass, last Friday evening, one ladies' black jacket which had child's waist pinned inside. Finder please leave at Courier office or notify owner. Mrs. O. F. Wiley.
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A Big Wood Yard.
O. O. Lund, the wood dealer, is building up a wood yard that will be one of the most complete in Oregon and which will have a shed capacity larger than any wood yard in Southern Oregon. When he established his yard last winter Mr. Lund put up a wood house 48x125 feet, and now he has completed a second wood house that is 34x215 feet. He has both buildings full of wood with a large amount in the yard. There is also a fine office building supplied with a telephone. Mr. Lund has made an extension on one side of his grounds where Gilbert creek had cut away the bank. To prevent further encroachment by the creek Mr. Lund has put in a plank bulkhead of about 75 feet in length in front of his property. He is also making a fill for the city in the street where the creek has cut in below the bridge.

Chicken Pie Supper.
The Order of the Eastern Star will give a chicken pie supper Friday evening, September 15, at the Masonic Temple banquet room at which genuine chicken pie and all the extras will be served. Supper 25 cents.

Ashland Light Troubles.
The Siskiyou Electric Light & Power Company, the corporation which controls the electric lighting in the towns of Siskiyou county and also of Ashland is now in for more trouble, by reason of a raise of rates that have been made in Yreka. The citizens of that town are on the verge of precipitating an electric light war over the question of rates, similar to the one the Company now has on its hands in Ashland.
The Ashland trouble has practically left that town in darkness and candles and kerosene lamps are the principal means of light. The Electric Company has not power enough to operate their plant and won't increase it unless their franchise is renewed. On the possibility of this being done the Siskiyou Company made a contract with the Condor Power & Water Company of Gold Bay for current for their plant. The latter company strong their wires from Gold Bay to the Ashland city limits, but the municipal authorities would not allow them to enter the city. The city offered to buy electric current of Dr. Ray but he refused them, saying he had a contract with the Siskiyou Company. Ashland now is planning to put in a municipal owned electric plant and operate it by water during the winter from the city's water power in Ashland and during the summer when all the water is required for the city water system, to run it by steam power. The citizens of Ashland are so aroused over their light troubles that it will quite likely result in the city soon having an electric plant of its own, bonds for that purpose having been recently voted by a very big majority.

Merlin News Notes.
Mrs. Will Jordan was in Grants Pass last Saturday shopping and on a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. Miles Moe. Mrs. Jordan keeps the Pioneer Hotel in Merlin and her hotel has the credit of being one of the best in Josephine county.
Mrs. Jordan stated that Merlin is prospering and building up more this year than for several years past. Another hotel is to be opened in the town to be conducted by Mrs. W. A. Massie. A new store and hall building was lately completed and a store opened in it, which makes four stores for the town. School began last Monday with Mrs. Bacon in charge of the higher grades and Miss Josie Crow in charge of the lower grade. This will be Mrs. Bacon's third year as principal and Miss Crow's second year as a teacher. The Merlin school is graded and has a high standing for thorough work and high average of attendance of scholars. The village has two flourishing Sunday Schools, the Methodist which meets at 11 a. m., and the Baptist, which meets at 2.30 p. m.

Cupid's Doings At Telephone
Another change in the personnel of the telephone force has taken place, and this one is a permanent change and is all due to the wily work of Cupid, that alert little god whose subtle influence is so likely to set a telephone girl's heart aflame as the heart of any other girl.
Miss Minnie Huggerth was the fortunate victim and her resignation took effect September 1st, and on the 25th she was married to Mr. William Trimble, a worthy young man of this city. Miss Maggie Nipper has taken the position made vacant by Miss Huggerth's resignation and she is now in charge of the switchboard on the night shift. Miss Nipper is a bright young lady and will make a first-class operator and give the same good service as did her predecessor, Miss Huggerth.

Low Fares to Portland
With September 1st, the one and a third fare rate on sale daily to Portland and return was reduced to one and one-third making the round trip ticket for \$9.85 from Grants Pass. This reduction is made voluntarily by the Southern Pacific and should result in a great increase in the passenger traffic.
This action of the railroad will have the effect of aiding very materially in the success of the fair and will result in largely increased attendance. Throughout the territory embraced by this rate are many people who, while desiring to visit the fair, could not well afford the expense of the trip as it stands at present. This reduced rate will enable many of such people to come to Portland and will also be an inducement for many to make a second trip.

County Court In Session.
Judge J. O. Booth and Commissioners Lovelace and Logan have been holding county court since Wednesday. Auditing bills against the county has taken up most of the court's time, and adjournment will not be had before this Saturday.
Of the application for saloon licenses, the one for a saloon at Selma was beaten by a remonstrance, while the one for Holland will not be considered until Saturday. The license for the saloon at Kirby was renewed. The application for a license to run a saloon in south Grants Pass was not presented, as Frank Smith, August Fetsch's bartender, who had gotten up a petition asking for a license for himself, after Mr. Fetsch's application had been denied, let his petition drop pending his trial for arson, he being charged with burning the saloon and brewery.

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1500 yards Light and Dark Colored Outing Flannels.....	5c	2000 yards Dark Colored Duck, 12 1/2c grades, now on sale at.....	8c
25 dozen Pillow Cases.....	15c or \$1.50 per dozen	Boys Extra Heavy Ribbed Cotton Hose, 25c grades; you should not buy until you see them; now on sale at.....	17c
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