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For everything good in GROCERIES from the Best BUTTER and CHEESE to the finest canned goods, in the city. We are the only HEADQUARTERS for Chase and Sanborns TEA and COFFEE in Grants Pass.

"You can get along without good COFFEE—So can a wagon without grease, but it goes hard."

Watch our Windows this coming week for Special Bargain Days.

It may do you good.

Attention! SOLDIERS of the G. A. R! We have set apart a special place for your comfort in our store with the free use of the official war records as compiled by the Secretary of War. If in an argument and to prove your assertion, come to the store and make use of the Sixty odd volumes of the official war records.

Remember, you are welcome.

White House GROCERY

Ask any boy or girl—they will tell you where to find us.

COMING EVENTS.

July 11-30, Southern Oregon Chautauqua Assembly held at Ashland.

July 17, Tuesday—Meeting in Ashland of the Rogue River Development League. Special train from Grants Pass and low rate.

Steel Range with reservoir for \$35 at Cramer Bros.

To whom it may concern, that on and after the date of the publication of this notice I will not be responsible for the payment of any bills contracted by my wife, Emma J. Reynolds, cause of separation, malicious and dangerous threats made by her.

H. I. REYNOLDS.
Eureka, Cal., July 20, 1906.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.
Itching, Blind, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days.
40 cents.

Prescriptions

THREE THINGS
Honesty
Accuracy
Intelligence

Are a part of every prescription we fill. The doctor doesn't write them down with the other ingredients because of tacit understanding that they are to go in always, and he knows that they will go in when you bring his order to us.

Model Drug Store
Front Street.

A. U. BANNARD

At the Big Furniture Store, North Sixth Street,
Has Just Received

Another Car of Furniture

Of which he will advise more fully later.

Besides this a large and elegant assortment of

Lace Curtains, Portieres and Lounge Covers

Have just come in from the East. Come in and see them. Also another shipment of Axminster, Velvet and Brussels Rugs. All at prices below Portland or other large cities.

Items of Personal Interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mensch spent the 4th in Ashland.

Roy Kremer took in the celebration at Medford Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Dean went to Ashland Sunday to visit friends.

Miss Jessie Mastin attended the celebration at Ashland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McLane and little son, spent Wednesday in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pike and little daughter, Evelyn, spent Wednesday at Coletia.

M. T. Utley went to Ashland Tuesday evening to visit with his daughter at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moss went to Ashland the 4th, to attend the celebration at that place.

M. J. Hampton, of Newberg, arrived in Grants Pass last week to spend the Summer with his daughter, Mrs. Dr. E. P. Dixon.

Tom Fry was at Ashland the Fourth to attend the celebration and visit his brother, Will, who is clerk in a drug store at that place.

Misses Blanche Dean and Frances Cook and Messrs. Tom Harvey and Ralph Dean attended the celebration at Ashland Wednesday.

Mrs. C. H. Clements arrived home Tuesday from a two weeks visit with her parents at Woodland, Wash., and with friends in Portland and Vancouver.

Misses Lucie George and Mande Baber spent Wednesday in Ashland attending the celebration and visiting friends. Miss George will remain in Ashland for several weeks.

John and Thomas Meade who are employed at the Eureka mine on Briggs creek came in Sunday to spend the Fourth with their families. They left Thursday to return to the mine.

Mrs. Heister, wife of Dr. T. W. Heister of Jacksonville, with her two children, is spending the week in Grants Pass on a visit with her sisters, Mrs. Dr. E. P. Dixon and Mrs. H. C. Dixon.

Miss Pansy Wilcox, who is bookkeeper in one of the large business houses, of Portland, arrived in Grants Pass Sunday morning to spend several weeks visiting with relatives and friends in Grants Pass.

Mrs. Fannie Wells returned Sunday to her home in Glendale after spending 10 days in Grants Pass at the home of her mother, Mrs. Belle Luper. Mrs. Wells was accompanied to her home by her sister, Miss Josie Luper who will spend a week at Glendale.

W. H. Wilson, assistant editor of the Crescent City News and city clerk of that place, arrived in Grants Pass Sunday evening by stage. Mr. Wilson is off on a month's vacation and is putting in his time as an organizer for the Fraternal Brotherhood. Mr. Wilson is interested in grape culture and while here is investigating that industry and there is a possibility that he may become a Rogue River Valley vineyardist.

S. Provolt, one of the wealthy farmers of Applegate Valley, accompanied by his son-in-law, John Lettken, a well known Williams Valley farmer and the latter's daughter, Miss Florence, were in Grants Pass Monday making purchases of the local merchants. Mr. Provolt is an expert on grasses and for the past 20 years he has been testing every new grass that has been introduced in the United States, but he has found no grass at all equal to the alfalfa as a forage plant.

E. M. Spencer accompanied by his daughter, Miss Izina, was in Grants Pass Monday. Mr. Spencer has a fine

farm on Williams creek near Provolt. He stated that the farmers of Williams Valley never had better crop prospects and the certainty is felt that this will be one of the most prosperous years ever known in that Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Struss, who sold their fine farm on the Applegate last Fall for \$10,500 and spent the Spring in Ashland were in Grants Pass Sunday and Monday attending to some business matters, they owning property in this city. Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Struss took the train for the East to spend the Summer with relatives at their former home in Nebraska.

I. F. Peirsel of Bealville, Pa., arrived in Grants Pass Thursday and left the same day for the Eureka mine in company with Manager C. L. Kenney. Mr. Peirsel is a stockholder in the Eureka Mining Company and is here on an inspection trip of their property. He is very largely interested in real estate and coal mines in Pennsylvania and having ample wealth is looking over Southern Oregon with a possible view of making other investments beside what he has in the Eureka mine.

GRANTS PASS GIRL GOES TO THE ORIENT

Will There Be Married to an Officer in Uncle Sam's Marine Corps.

Miss Anns Katherine Buck arrived in Grants Pass Sunday evening to make a brief visit to her parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. S. Buck. Monday she took the 10 a. m. train to return to San Francisco. Miss Buck had planned for a more extended visit with the home folks but a change in her plans for the future made it necessary for her to be in San Francisco to sail on July 12 for the Orient, as the following from the San Francisco Chronicle of June 24 states:

"Within the past few days the pleasing announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Katherine Buck of this city, to Captain James T. Bootes, U. S. M. C., and the news that Miss Buck will leave with friends on the Transport Sheridan sailing at an early date for the Orient. She will be met by Captain Bootes at either Shanghai or Chefoo, and there their wedding will be celebrated. Miss Buck is the daughter of Captain and Mrs. J. S. Buck of Southern California, but she has made her home here for several years living with her cousin, the late Mrs. Lewis R. Meade until the latter's death last year. Miss Buck is very clever and attractive and has a host of friends in San Francisco who are extremely regretful that she will make her home elsewhere. Captain Bootes, who is one of the popular officers in the U. S. Marine corps and has an enviable record as an officer, is the son of General Bootes of the regular army. He is on the U. S. S. Wisconsin at present at Kluochong, 700 miles up the Yang-tee river from Shanghai."

Capt. Bootes is with the Asiatic Squadron and Miss Bootes will make her home in the American colony in the Chinese or Japanese city that will be the most readily reached by her husband. Miss Buck is a writer of much ability and the Army and Navy Journal of May 12, contains one of her articles that shows considerable literary merit. It is descriptive of the San Francisco earthquake scenes and it is a most graphic sketch of the events that made memorable the day following that great disaster.

CHURCH NOTICES.

St. Luke's Church.

There will be no Sunday morning service, but the evening service will be as usual, at 8 o'clock. The address at the evening services will be the third in the series on Church History.

Presbyterian Church.

"The Summons of the Cross to Self-Sacrifice: Father Damien a Concrete Instance," will be the theme of the morning's discourse at this church at 11 o'clock. Holy Sacrament of the Lord's Communion will be celebrated and new members received into the church. The other exercises of the day will be announced in the Weekly Calendar. Everyone is assured of a cordial and hearty welcome to the services of this Church.

Newman M. E. Church.

The regular services at 11 in the morning and at 8 at night will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. O. Beckman. Morning's sermon will be "The Hour of Crises—The Hour of Opportunity." Evening the fourth in the series of sermons on the Mt. of Transfiguration, entitled "God's Son and His Delight in Him." The Sunday school meets at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7. Strangers and friends will find a cordial welcome to any or all of our services.

A Brief Record of Local Events.

He—They say there are microbes in kisses. She—Yes; everything is adulterated nowadays.—Yonkers Statesman

The twenty dollar gold piece was authorized by act of congress March 8, 1849 and is coining was begun in 1850.

It is asserted by a statistician that the majority of persons who attain old age keep late hours. Eight out of 10 who reach the age of 80 never go to bed until after 12 at night.

"Now, Lester," said the old codger, addressing his callow nephew in an admonitory tone, "it is as proper that you should pay the fiddler as it is to liquidate any other debt, but it's a fine exhibition of extry width betwixt the eyes to inquire the fiddler's price before the dance begins."—Puck.

Senators Knox and Spooner are the Damon and Pythias of the senate. One day Alger came out of the cloak-room and ran against Dolliver. "Where's Spooner?" asked Alger. "Do you want to find him?" said Dolliver. "Sure," replied Alger. "Well, find Knox, then, and you'll have Spooner."

Wells-Fargo stockholders are much concerned over the disposition of a surplus of some twenty millions which has accumulated despite the vigorous efforts to get rid of the earnings by paying big dividends. How would it do to restore the sum to the people persistently robbed by the corporation during the past quarter of a century?—Ex.

The resignation of Charles Nickell, editor of the Southern Oregonian, as United States Commissioner at Medford, Ore., was received and accepted by Judge Wolverton, of the Federal Court, at Portland, Friday. Simultaneously an action brought by District Attorney Bristol to have him ousted from his position was dismissed upon recommendation of the attorney.

Don't be duped by transient optical grafters but patronize your home optician and get a square deal. Alfred Letcher, Jeweler, on Front street is the only one in Josephine county who has a registered certificate from the Board of Optometrists of Oregon, a list of which can be seen at his store, so get your eyes tested and fitted properly by calling on him. Charges very reasonable.

When the sweet peas come into bloom, cut their flowers as soon as they begin to fade. This prevents them from forming seed, and the plants, in their efforts to perpetuate their kind, will straightway produce more flowers, and keep on doing this as long as interfered with. In this manner flowers are secured throughout the entire season. But, if seed is allowed to form, you will have comparatively few flowers during the latter part of Summer.—Eben E. Rexford in "Making the Country Home," in Outing Magazine.

OLDEST MAN IN JOSEPHINE COUNTY

James Ferren Celebrated His 100th Birthday on the Fourth of July.

To James Ferren belongs the honor of being the oldest man in Josephine county for he is now past the century mark, he having celebrated on the Fourth his 100th birthday. Mr. Ferren was born in Warren county, Tennessee on July 4, 1806. His father, who was a soldier in the war of the Revolution and also saw service in the militia forces of Tennessee during the war of 1812, lived to be 110 years old, and his son bids fair to attain that age, for he is as hale and strong as the average man at 60 or 70.

Mr. Ferren lives on Briggs creek where he has resided for the past 30 years and his place is 30 miles from Grants Pass and 15 miles of the distance is a trail over a high divide. Sunday Mr. Ferren made this long trip on horseback and assisted in driving out some beef cattle from his ranch. He only made one stop on the way and that was at his son-in-law N. Thoss, where he and A. Burby, who was with him, took dinner, and he arrived in Grants Pass not more fatigued than his younger companion. Neither in looks nor action would Mr. Ferren be taken to be a full 100 years old, for he is a large, robust man of 170 pounds and his flesh is firm and skin smooth and like that of a much younger man.

was a man who, against all odds, attained the highest honor a man could get in the United States. Ballard's Horehound Syrup has attained a place, never equalled by any other like remedy. It is a sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Influenza and all Pulmonary diseases. Every mother should keep supplied with this wonderful cough medicine. For sale by National Drug Store and Rotermund.

SOME BARGAIN POINTERS

News Notes From the Business Men to Readers.

Dr. Flanagan, Physician and Dentist.

Dr. M. C. Findley, Oculist, Aurist, licensed optician.

Go to Coron for Plumbing.

Sewer Pipe at Cramer Bros.

M. Clemens, Prescription Druggist.

Tents and Wagon Covers at Cramer Bros.

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

Order seals and rubber stamps of A. E. Voorhies.

Hammocks from \$1 up at Cramer Bros.

Fishing Tackle that catches fish is sold at Cramer Bros.

For a clean bed and a good meal try the Western Hotel.

Maps of Oregon Washington and California at the Music Store.

White Mountain Freezers at Cramer Bros.

New Shirt Waists. Prices cannot be met at Mrs. E. Rehkopf & Co.

And still I am insuring and selling real estate at the old stand. J. E. Peterson.

Pattons Sun Proof Paint—guaranteed for five years is sold only by Cramer Bros.

Placer and quartz location notes, mine deeds, leases, etc., at the Courier office.

New Spring goods arriving every day. All the latest novelties at Mrs. E. Rehkopf & Co. 4-6tf

Camp Stoves with cast Tops at Cramer Bros.

Dr. W. F. Kremer will hereafter be in his office in the Courier building from 7 to 8 o'clock each evening. 2-6tf

Builders Hardware at Cramer Bros.

Your clothes called for and delivered and all flatwork that goes through the mangle washer, ironed at 25c per dozen. Grants Pass Steam Laundry. Phone 373.



The Seal of Quality is stamped on

Deering Mowers and Rakes

Dozens of farmers in this county pronounce the Deering Mower to be the best, being of light draft, an excellent cutter and simple in construction.

Cramer Bros.

Agents for Josephine County.

Book learning is the curse of our whole educational system. The average mechanic is far better educated in the real sense of the term not only than the average clerk, but than the average clerk's average employer, and I should say most gardeners have more real knowledge than most school-masters.—Rambler in London Dispatch.

Notice!

There will be a monster mass meeting a Ashland, Oregon, July 17, 1906. The Ashland Chautauqua will be in session at that date and this day is set aside as "Booster Day" under the auspices of the Rogue River Valley Development League. It is earnestly desired that every man, woman, and child in both Jackson and Josephine Counties should attend this meeting as it is a business proposition and for the benefit of every man, woman and child in both counties.

Let us get together and pull together for the advertising and upbuilding of the great Rogue River Valley, the garden spot of the world, and the cream of creation.

A special train will leave Grants Pass for Ashland, Tuesday, July 17th, at 8:30 a. m. and return leaving Ashland at 10 p. m. A special rate has been engaged of one fare for the round trip. This train will start at Grants Pass at 8:30 a. m. and stop at Woodville, Gold Hill, Gold Ray, Central Point, Medford, Phoenix and Talent.

ROGUE RIVER VALLEY DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE,

C. R. RAY, President.
M. F. EGGLESTON, Secretary.

By order Executive Board.