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## The White House GROCERY

### COMING EVENTS.

September 12, Wednesday—Regular session of county court.  
September 10, Monday—Public school begins in Grants Pass  
Monday, September 10—Opening of Miss Emma Telford's Kindergarten and Primary school. 8-10 5t  
September 24, Monday—Circuit court for September term convenes.

### Notice to School Patrons.

Beginning pupils will be received in the several First Grade rooms of the Grants Pass public schools, only during the month of September and not later than October 8th. After this date parents may not enter beginners until during the month of January. Pupils other than beginners who are for the first time entering the schools of Grants Pass are requested to call at the superintendent's office for examination and assignment before the opening day of school.

The superintendent's office will be open Thursday afternoon, September 6, and all day on Friday and Saturday, September 7 and 8. The superintendent will be glad to meet parents on these days to confer with them on school matters.

All prospective High school students, whether previously enrolled or not, are requested to meet with the principal and High school teachers on the dates above mentioned. The superintendent, principal and teachers will be glad to meet parents and High school students and to advise them as to the course of study, etc. H. L. GILKEY, Chairman.  
R. R. TURNER, Superintendent.

### Fair at Roseburg.

Fair—Second Oregon District Agricultural Society, Roseburg, Oregon, September 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8, 1906.  
Tickets will be on sale for above September 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and, with a final return limit of September 9th at one and one third fare for round trip.

## A. U. BANNARD

At the Big Furniture Store, North 6th Street  
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GRANTS PASS, OREGON.

### Items of Personal Interest.

Mrs. Geo. H. Durham is visiting in Portland for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. McCroskey returned this morning from their stay at Newport.

Carl McCroskey returned Saturday from Newport, where he has been for the past few months.

Fred Cook, who has been at Portland for the past month, returned to Grants Pass Thursday.

Miss Ruth Dean is now one of the telephone girls, having begun her duties the first of September.

R. W. Clarke left Thursday evening for a pleasure trip to Portland, expecting to return in a week.

Miss Helen Willis returned to Grants Pass Tuesday after a vacation spent with her parents at Roseburg.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Jewell and son, Robert, left Monday evening for a week's stay in San Francisco.

Claud Cheshire returned Thursday night from San Francisco and will attend the high school this year.

Datleff Eismann, returned Wednesday for Corvallis, where he goes to resume his studies at the Agricultural college.

Atwood A. Kirby, county clerk of Garfield county, Wash., with headquarters at Monterey, was in Grants Pass last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James McGrew returned to Yakima, Wash., Monday evening, after several months residence in Grants Pass.

Mrs. A. P. Wright and daughter Edith, of Weed, Cal., who spent the past week visiting Mrs. F. B. Doerfus, returned home Tuesday.

H. M. White and family returned last week from Footh Creek, where they spent the summer and where Mr. White conducted a store.

Al Schmidt, Andy Huggins and Harry Faubion, returned Sunday from West Fork, where they have been on a most successful hunting trip.

Mrs. Elmer Hayes returned to Grants Pass Saturday, after a two week's outing at the Takilma smelter, where Mr. Hayes is employed.

Claud Neas of Tinano, Wash., is visiting in Grants Pass with his brother, Sam Neas and his sisters Mrs. Rehkopf and Mrs. Doerfus.

Miss Lucie George arrived in Grants Pass from Kerby Wednesday, and will begin her duties Monday, as teacher in the Grants Pass public school.

George Birdseye, clerk at the E. C. Dixon store, is taking a few days vacation this week and is spending the time visiting in the valley towns.

O. E. Woodson leaves Saturday morning for Stanford, Texas, his old home for a short visit with his mother. He will be absent three or four weeks.

George Beck came up from Roseburg Saturday for a short visit with home folks. Mr. Beck is in the employ of the railroad company at that place.

Loyal Stevens, bookkeeper for the G. P. B. & T. Co., went to Oakland, Ore., Saturday to spend Sunday with his parents, returning to Grants Pass Monday.

Miss Nellie Jester, of Halsey, Ore., who has been spending a few days with her brother, George P. Jester, of this place, returned to her home Tuesday morning.

G. W. Wentner left last week for Upton, Cal., where he has a position in the California Pine Box & Lumber Co. Mrs. Wentner left Tuesday to join her husband.

Mrs. Edith Rehkopf and daughter Lola went to Jacksonville Monday, where Miss Lola enters St. Mary's academy. Mrs. Rehkopf returned home the same day.

Geo. R. Riddle and family have returned from Crescent City, where the family have spent several weeks. Mr. Riddle spent the last two weeks with them at the coast.

J. E. Peterson returned Thursday night from his trip to the National encampment of the G. A. R. at Minneapolis. The trip also included stops in Texas and California.

Fred Newell, who is employed with the S. P. surveyors at Sacramento, came home Saturday morning for a short visit with relatives and friends, returning to Sacramento Sunday evening.

Miss Effie Yost returned to Grants Pass last week after a visit in Portland with her parents. She has resumed her duties as cashier at R. L. Coe & Co.'s and will remain until the first of January.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Vetterling, of Portland arrived in Grants Pass last week for a visit with relatives and friends. Mr. Vetterling and his brother-in-law, Ray Wright are this week on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Scovill leave the first of next week for a trip to Minnesota and Wisconsin, expecting to return the latter part of October. They will spend some time at their former home, Freeborn, Minn.

M. D. Follett will leave Grants Pass about the 20th for Portland, where he will have day work in the Southern Pacific car shops. He has been working nights in the round house here for the past three years. The family will accompany him.

Mrs. Herman Horning left Tuesday evening for Newport, where she goes to take an outing and to visit Mr. Horning's relatives. Mrs. Alice Carlson will assist in the ice cream and confectionery parlors during Mrs. Horning's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. John Patrick left Tuesday evening for Tuscan Springs, about nine miles from Red Bluff, where they will remain until Mrs. Patrick is improved in health. If her improvement is satisfactory, Mr. Patrick will return in two or three weeks.

Miss Jessie Mastin, stenographer for Attorney A. C. Hough and Miss Nellie Ames, assistant deputy county clerk, left Sunday for Portland. Miss Mastin will be absent about three weeks, while Miss Ames will go to Seattle to enter the University for a course of study.

E. M. Bogardus, of Myrtle Creek, spent Monday in Grants Pass, on his way to Galice, Silver creek and the mountains of Curry county, where he will spend two weeks hunting and resting up. Mr. Bogardus is familiar with all that country as he has spent several seasons prospecting in that region.

Otto Dunlap, for the past several months clerk for the Wilson Mercantile Co., at Leland, has returned to Grants Pass to reside and has taken a position as salesman with the Southern Oregon Supply Co. Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap will make their home in the house formerly occupied by Mrs. H. C. Berry on C street.

Misses Hattie and Emma Telford returned Tuesday from Galena, Ill., their former home, where they have been visiting their brother and friends for the past three months. Miss Hattie Telford is much improved in health. Miss Emma Telford will open the kindergarten on next Monday, September 10.

Miss Harriet Scovill, editor and proprietor of the Canyonville Echo, visited her parents in Grants Pass Sunday and Monday, returning to her field of labor Monday evening. Douglas county has a big prune crop this year and as that is one of the principal industries in her locality, she is looking for a good business this year.

Chas. L. Tutt, president of the Takilma Smelting Co., arrived in Grants Pass Tuesday and left the same day for Takilma to look after his interests there. He left Wednesday for San Francisco. Mr. Tutt is owner of a steam yacht which came in second in the international race between San Francisco and Honolulu, and he has but recently returned from this cruise.

Will Busch, who for the past six years has been employed by the Southern Pacific Co., at Grants Pass, has resigned his position as freight clerk and Monday he left for Roseburg where he will take up the duties of brakeman, having a run out of that place. Mr. Busch has always been most successful in all his undertakings and his friends here anticipate a speedy promotion for him in his new field of labor. The position of freight clerk will be filled by Egbert Robbins, a former employe at the depot and a capable young man in that line of work. Mr. Robbins has lived in Grants Pass for several years and the many friends of both Mr. and Mrs. Robbins are pleased to have them return.

School Books and supplies at Clemens.

### A Brief Record of Local Events.

The series of six fruit growers meetings that have been held under the auspices of the State Agricultural College and the Grants Pass Fruit Growers Union will close this Saturday with a meeting at Merlin. The meetings have been well attended and much interest shown.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith left Thursday evening for Chehalis, Wash., where they will probably make their future home, although Mr. Smith says they may not locate at Chehalis. Mr. Smith has been a resident of Grants Pass about seven years, a part of the time as proprietor of Hotel Layton. He resigned as administrator of the J. T. Layton estate in favor of G. W. Colvig.

In response to unique little invitations consisting of walnut shells with invitation inclosed and shipping tag attached, bearing guests name, 15 young people spent a most delightful day last Sunday at Walnut Hill, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sampson. The table was set on the wide veranda and a sumptuous repast was served by Mesdames Sampson and Lucas to which the guests did full justice. During the afternoon ice cream and fruits were served and with the various amusements participated in the day passed all too quickly to the assembled guests, who will remember this event as one of the most delightful of the season's entertainments.

The little folks of the primary department of the Newman Methodist Sabbath school with their mothers enjoyed a delightful afternoon on the church lawn Wednesday, August 29. Mrs. Ora Hood is superintendent of this department and was assisted in entertaining by the other teachers. Mrs. Perry and the Misses Ella Savage and Kitty Loughridge. The children played games, ran races and had a general good time while the mothers enjoyed a quiet time together till lunch was served and full justice was done to the good things. Mr. Dimick brought a load of melons for a treat and the time sped rapidly by till evening came. No doubt the afternoon will be long remembered by those who attended.

### SOME BARGAIN POINTERS

News Notes From the Business Men to Readers.

Dr. Flanagan, Physician and Dentist.

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

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Maps of Oregon Washington and California at the Music Store.

Send your family washing to the Steam Laundry. All rough dry work 25 cent per dozen. Phone 378.

Dr. W. F. Kremer will hereafter be in his office in the Courier building from 7 to 8 o'clock each evening. 3-9tt

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Children's Songs—"Went You Come Over to My House?" and "Two Little Sailor Boys." Advance copies just received from Remick & Co. who are the known publishers of popular music in the country. We get new music as soon as it is published—Music and Photo House.

### Commissioners' Court.

All persons wishing to appear before the commissioners court at the September term, will do so on Wednesday, September 12, 1906. Court will be adjourned until that day.

STEPHEN JEWELL, County Judge.

## The Economy Jar

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### Killed at Tunnel Six.

W. H. Close, foreman of the bridge gang at work at Tunnel 6, was accidentally killed Thursday, being struck on the head by a timber in the afternoon, death resulting a few hours later. He with other workmen were on a scaffold in the tunnel at work when the scaffold gave way which resulted in the accident. Mr. Close has been in the employ of the Southern Pacific company for a number of years with headquarters at Grants Pass until recently when the family moved to West Fork.



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