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FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1907.

COMING EVENTS.

- Mar. 2, Saturday—Basket Ball at the opera house. G. P. H. S. girls vs. local girls and G. P. H. S. boys vs. Medford H. S.
- Mar. 6, Wednesday—Nettie the News Girl, at the opera house.
- Mar. 7, Thursday—Regular meeting of the city council.
- March 15, Friday—3 per cent rebate if taxes are paid before this date.
- Mar. 29, Friday—Bethany Presbyterian men entertain at the opera house.
- April 1, Monday—Penalty avoided if one-half tax is paid before this date.
- April 3, Wednesday—Regular term of county court.
- March 11, Monday—Annual meeting of Applegate Valley Telephone Co. See local column.
- April 22, Monday—Regular term of the Circuit Court.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Samuel Hoyt to Frank E. McFarlane, Lots 7, 8, and 11, in Central Addition.
Benj. K. Reed to Nanet J. Thoss, Lots 4, in Block B, H. B. Miller & Co's New Addition.
The above sales were made through the real estate agency of Joseph Moss. See him for bargains.

CHURCH NOTICES.

M. E. Church South
The pastor will preach both morning and evening next Sunday March 24. Sunday School at 10 a. m. and Epworth League. Prayer meeting at 6:30 p. m. led by Mrs. M. E. Moore. All who attend any or all of these sermons will be accorded a most cordial welcome.

Presbyterian Church.

"No Need of Making Haste" will be the theme of the sermon at the morning service, 11 a. m. by Evan P. Hughes, at the Bethany Church next Sunday. In the evening, 7:30 o'clock, the second lecture in the series on "Formative Factors of American History" will be delivered. The theme of this lecture is "The Pilgrim Colony—Conscience Force" Last Sabbath evening a good sized audience gathered to listen to the initial lecture of the course on "Old Dominion." These lectures are now in course of being delivered on consecutive Sabbath evenings.

10 a. m. Bible School under the superintendency of H. C. Kinney, the Devotional Hour of the Y. P. S. C. E., 8:30 p. m. The glad band of welcome is extended to everybody who enters this church to worship.

Baptist Church.

At the morning service the next sermon in the series "Sermon in Stone," will be given. Subject—"The Sacredness of Life." At the evening service—"The Gospel According to Gipsy Smith," will be the topic considered. Gipsy Smith is the foremost evangelist of today. His life is a miracle of grace.
The other services of the day are:

the Lord's Supper at 11:30, the Bible School at 11:45, the Junior Union at 3 p. m. and the Senior Union at 6:30. This will be a consecration meeting on the theme—"Being Honest with Yourself and God," led by the pastor. To all of these services a most cordial invitation is extended.

Christian Church

Sunday School at 10. Contest with Ashland and Medford should enlist every church member and friend. Be there. Morning worship at 11. Subject—"The whole World needs our plea for Unity." Junior C. E., 3 p. m. Mrs. Cowdrey, Supt. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30. Mozella Hair, president. All young people are invited.
Evening Worship 7:30. Subject "Our Work for the World." Enthusiastic singing of familiar hymns is an interesting feature of all services and the sermons deal with definite themes of Christ and his church. All are cordially invited.

Revival for M. E. Church South.

The people of the South Methodist church are to have a series of evangelistic meetings commencing the last Sunday in March, the 31st, and will continue over three Sundays. Rev. Thos. Gregory of Lockhart, Tex., will conduct the meetings. The Texas Christian Advocate has the following to say of Mr. Gregory: "We note that the good people of Lockhart have given their pastor, Rev. Thos. Gregory, a vacation. He will accept an invitation to spend six weeks in Oregon, preaching and lecturing during March and April. Let it be understood at once and for all time that we are willing to loan Bro. Gregory to the good people of Oregon for a season but we shall expect him back in due time. Oregon has many attractions, but we shall refuse to transfer him on any terms. We trust that he will receive great benefit from his sojourn in that State, and we are quite sure the people who are under his ministry will be edified and built up."
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DEERING

Everybody busy and no one sick.
Miss Hattie and Mrs. Gertrude Webb drove to Waldo Wednesday on a shopping trip.
Mrs. D. L. Webb entertained Mrs. Alfred Peterson and daughter Anna, Saturday.
The finest salmon of the year are now up the head waters of the Illinois and now the savory smell of frying fish permeates the atmosphere.
E. M. Albright, with a crew has been surveying the Exchange claim for the last two days. They have some good rock exposed there.
Gee, your cows must be as large as "Jumbo" if 16 of them can consume a ton of boots at one feed. Say my boy, did you ever read Gulliver's Travels?

Uncle Ebe partook of the hospitality of Sam Egger near Waldo Friday. Mr. Egger has been a rancher on the Illinois for 25 years, is a great rustler and has an all-round congenial home.

What we most need is fewer laws and then have them enforced. If some fellow in the legislature would get up a bill and have it passed killing all the Tomyrot laws on the statute and then another to adjourn that honorable body for 25 years, he would surely gain public favor and would get his reward. Yes he would.

"Jumbo" wants to know where Deering is. Well my dear sir, its between Tom Gilligan's place and Fred Alberg's. A Rubie from Laurel Grove came into our town the other day and wanted to know where we were holding the Thaw trial—thought he was in New York. And about the pretty girls. Now "Jumbo" you know the saying is that beauty is only skin deep and we'll be hanged if we are going to skin any of our girls in order to satisfy your curiosity.

A man can be very good with out being an angel. Then it should follow that all bad men are not brutes. The man who gets there is the man who works.

Attends strictly to his business and never shirks.
The man who is most respected is the who tries
Not to burden others with a pack of lies.

We see by the papers they are having quite a Thaw in New York.

EBEN.

How to Remain Young.
To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. N. F. Rowan, McDonough, Ga., did. She says: "Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomach trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flannel. I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in all my husband's store." Guaranteed at all drug stores. Price 50c.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

FOR SALE.

IRRIGATED LAND—Deep, rich loam bottom land for cherry, peach, apple, berry, onion, alfalfa, small tracts. Ben A. Lowell, Woodville, Ore. 3-1 4t

PIANO for sale at bargain. Inquire at Thomas & O'Neill's, the House-Furnishers. 3-1 1 f

STRAWBERRY PLANTS, \$3.50 per hundred. J. H. Robertson, Grants Pass, Ore., R. F. D. No. 2. 3-1 2 t

CATTLE—17 head of Shorthorn cattle, 5 2 year old and 10 1 year old steers; two cows 5 and 8 years old will freshen about May 1, for sale at a bargain. Call on or address A. A. Hamoth, Dryden, Ore. 3-1 6 t

CARROTS for sale, white or red by the sack or ton. Lock box 681 or call on H. B. Alverson, West Grants Pass. 3-22 4 t

CHICKENS—Have a few settings of eggs from my pen of Buff Orpington Chickens that are not spoken for. The Orpington is fast taking the lead among Chickens, having taken the lead in Galloway egg laying contest, also the largest of about hatched birds. Inquire at S. B. Johnson, Supply Co. store—V. H. Palmer 3-22 4 t

BOYS FOR HATCHING—\$1 for 10 selected eggs. My chickens are bred for business, being the "Wilder" layers—John Summers, Northam, So. 3-22 4 t

ANGORA GOATS—100 for sale cheap. Address M. East, Grants Pass, R. F. D. No. 2, near Walden 3-22 4 t

ELLERKN MUSIC—Sole song by P. P. Ellern at the musicals most songs for sale at the Music Store.

JERSEY bull calf and three cows for sale. Inquire of Geo. H. Parker near Medford. 3-25 3 t

FOR SALE—Stock General merchandise, Hotel furniture, and fixtures at Walden Creek. Will take good real estate property well located in Grants Pass, Wilson, Meriwether & Co. 3-25 3 t

TWO THOUSAND Second generation Black and Japanese Walnuts also peach and apple trees at Eugene Nursery, J. H. Robinson, Grants Pass, Ore., R. F. D. No. 2.

NEWSPAPER—Good paying small newspaper business and plant for sale. Inquire H. S. Carr, Courier 3-1 1

FOR SALE—A few pair of bronze turkeys, turkey eggs later at J. H. Robinson's Grants Pass, Ore., R. F. D. No. 2.

GOATS—F. A. Pierce, Merlin, Ore., Breeder of Pure blood Angora Goats; Flock headed by South African import; correspondence solicited in regard to goats. 11-25 1 f

POLAND CHINAS—I still have good individuals of both sexes, Spring and Fall farrows; registered or not as desired; sows bred or open. Boars in service. Oregon's Perfection (89451) and Chief Sunshine (110423.) J. H. Robinson, R. F. D. No. 2, Grants Pass. 1-4 18 t

TEN-ACRES, 1 1/2 miles north of city limits, on Rural Route. Water to irrigate 1 1/2 acres, 24x24 barn, two floors, chicken house, wire fenced, 4-room house. One-half acre in strawberries, raspberries, fruit trees etc. Five acres in high state of cultivation. Price \$600. Call on or address L. H. Hughes, R. F. D. No. 1, Grants Pass, Ore. 1-25 4 t

FOR SALE—By E. Steele at 3d ware house west cold storage plant—Sugar Pine Shakes, Plymouth Rock Cockerels, Fruit, Vegetables, all kinds, fresh ocean fish, crabs, shrimps, clams, oysters by the pint, quart and gallon, also in cans. Cash paid for fruit and produce. E. Steele. 11-2 1 f

FOR RENT.

HOP YARD for rent, 25 acre tract. Apply to J. D. Drake. 2-22 2 t

FURNISHED Housekeeping Rooms—Inquire of Mrs. John Summers, North 6th St. 2-22 1 f

A SEVEN ROOM house, an acre of land, woodhouse, chicken house, good well and electric light. Fine shade trees and in best part of city on North Seventh street, two blocks from East school, Rent \$10. J. L. Scovill. 2-1 1 f

WANTED.

WANTED—Grants Pass business property in exchange for Hood River apple land. Also 80-acre improved stock farm in Yamhill Co., for sale or exchange. For particulars address W. H. Abbott, Hood River. 15-4 t

WANTED—Grain Sacks, Tools and other second-hand goods. Harrison Bros., Second hand-store, corner Sixth and J streets. 2-9 1 f

C. L. NOEL of Odessa wants loggers and timber cutters to deliver 2,000,000 feet of logs to mill by contract before snow flies; short haul, level roads, one 4-horse team, two trucks, chains, etc. furnished. Also left hand 3-gang edger wanted. Write or call at mill Odessa, Ore. 8-3 1 f

STRAYED.

HEIFER—There came to my place in the Fall of 1905 a red and white heifer marked with crop off right ear. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. Mrs. J. Savage. 3-1 5 t

COLT—Strayed from my place at Wilderville, a black colt with white strip in forehead; 6 months old. Notify G. W. Lewis, Wilderville, Ore. 15-2 t

LOST.

A PAIR of breast tugs for single buggy harness. Finder leave at Courier office and get reward. 3-1 1 f

FOUND.

FUR—Ladies neck fur. Owner can secure same at Courier office. 2-22 1 f

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WANTED—At the Courier office, a good, steady boy to learn trade.

WANTED—Salesmen. Many Make \$100 to \$150 per month; some even more. Stock clean; grown on Reservation, far from old orchards. Cash advanced weekly. Choice of territory. Address Washington Nursery Company, Toppentish, Washington. 9-25 1 f

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IT IS SPRAY or cut down your trees under the new law, but as fruit will be high in price hereafter, it will pay you to save your trees. We use the Sampson spray and guarantee to do thorough, honest work with a power machine. Special care given to the spraying of trees and flower bushes in yards and prices reasonable. Contracts taken to do orchard spraying at a distance from Grants Pass if sufficient to justify the trip. Leave orders at George S. Calhoun's clothing store, or with Charles Meserve, county fruit inspector. Deane & Calhoun, Grants Pass 2-8 1 f

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Edwards & Hayes of the Blue Light Restaurant has this day been dissolved by mutual consent of the partners, George Edwards retiring the business. James Hayes will pay all debts and liabilities and George Edwards will collect all outstanding bills payable to the said firm.
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