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DEERING

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This is the kind of weather that makes us feel glad were alive.

There is a man in Michigan who says he saw a robin last week. Huh! we see them the year around in Oregon.

The man with a hand full of salt is not very likely to catch the Oregon bear.

The settlers on Upper Elk creek are vying with each other on clearing and crops this year. Go it, boys. We like to see a good race.

L. R. Webb is at present looking after his copper claims in Del Norte county, Cal. The company has six claims there and we understand the showing is good.

Reform and reform! Puts us in mind of Smith and Smith—everywhere to be found. There is nothing to reform unless its a lot of measly officials.

Aunt Harriet Webb was 68 years old on February 20th and that event was celebrated by a good old fashioned dinner and plenty of it, a great many friends being present and what we didn't do to that cake was a caution. Uncle Clark felt so good he took out his fiddle, sawed "Old Zip Coon" in two, made the "Beaux of Oak Hill" dizzy and chased the "Arkansaw Traveler" into his hole. Yes he did.

We have several "funnygrafs" in Elk Valley and what they need mostly is new records.

We have been accused of being a friend to a democratic paper. That's right, we are a friend to any honest paper. The Courier and Observer are both honest so far as we know and we are surely friendly to both. If our local papers fall, the county falls, one cannot rise without bringing up the other. Again we say, there is no greater commonwealth builder than the press. But say, is the Courier democratic? EBEN.

New Victor and Edison Records just received at the Music Store.

LELAND

A number of our people visited Grants Pass last week.

Queer thing. Everything booming in the logging camps.

The Penn Lumber Co. have leased the Wertz Sawmill and will operate the same this season.

Mr. Chas. Simmons was called to Boise City, Idaho, Wednesday on account of his wife's illness. She was visiting relatives at that place.

Crusty Batch is absent and we wish he would come back and tend to business.

Some of our boys have been beating the railroad company out of car fare by walking to Hugo. I guess they have some pretty girls there as well as at Wilderville.

A full line of the latest creations in Spring and Summer Dress fabrics, waist patterns and Ready to wear shirli waists in Silk and fine Persian Lawns, bought before the advance and sold at correspondingly low prices.—The Sugar Pine Store, 3-1 2t

Alice Roosevelt's wedding was something to be recorded in the annals of history. Herbine has been acknowledged the greatest of liver regulators. A positive cure for Bilious headaches, Constipation, Chills and Fever, and all liver complaints. J. C. Smith, Little Rock, Ark. writes: "Herbine is the greatest liver medicine known. Have used it for years. It does the work." For sale by National Drug Co. and Demaray.

Wilderville Orchardists Want Telephones.

J. H. Robinson, the well known orchardist and nurseryman of Wilderville, was in Grants Pass Tuesday with a wagon load of apples which he sold in the local market at a good price. Mr. Robinson stated that he had had good demand for trees this Spring and that more fruit trees have been planted in the Applegate Valley than in any previous year. The farmers are giving better attention to their orchards than heretofore and all are spraying and putting the trees in shape for producing a large crop of saleable fruit. Mr. Robinson is one of the strong supporters of the Fruit Growers Union and he is confident that every fruit grower of the Wilderville district will ship through the Union this year.

In the effort to secure telephones for the farming districts of Josephine County Mr. Robinson is a willing worker for he realizes that to the fruit growers especially the telephone is a necessity, and it is a money saver to every farmer. Mr. Robinson thinks that members enough can be secured about Wilderville and the intervening section to Murphy to warrant the building of a line up the Applegate to connect at Murphy with the main line of the Applegate Valley Telephone Company so that communication may be had with Grants Pass and all parts of the Applegate Valley.

BORN.

HOLLAND—At Wilderville, Wednesday, February 27, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holland, a son.

FIREBAGH—At Hood River, Ore., Sunday, March 3, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Firebaugh, a daughter.

HEITMAN—At Portland, Ore., Wednesday, March 6, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heitman, a son.

STEARNS—At Portland, Ore., Sunday, March 3, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Stearns, a daughter.

DIED.

ZOLLER—At Grants Pass, Tuesday, March 5, 1907, Hubbard Zoller, aged 60 years.

The death of Mr. Zoller occurred just one week after the death of his wife and from the same cause—pneumonia. The deceased was born in New York state and removed to Grants Pass about 20 years ago and with his wife resided here until their death. He was a man of good qualities and had a host of friends. At the time of his death he was street commissioner of the city. There were no children and no relatives on the coast.

Commercial Club Will Meet.

There is a special and very important meeting of the Grants Pass Commercial club called for next Tuesday, March 12, at 8 o'clock. Every member is urged to be present.

W. H. PATILLO, Sec'y.

WILDERVILLE

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Holland, on February 27, a son.

Pearl Lewis has commenced a term of school near Wender.

Word comes from Francis Hocking of Klamath Falls that their house burned recently. He was not at home at the time and his wife could save only a very few things. It seemed that the fire had made such headway before being discovered and having the two little children to look after nearly everything burned.

Hark! don't you hear those wedding bells?

Mr. Lipp and family have moved into the parsonage for the present.

We hear Carrie Lynd had married and gone to Medford to make her home.

Fall grain is looking fine. Farmers are busy putting in Spring grain.

We may read of the thermometer being 50 degrees below zero in some places, especially in Canada, while here in good old Oregon the frogs are croaking and the wild flowers are welcoming Spring.

Why don't someone take a rural mail route through here and be up with the times.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Cases out of 10 are caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give \$100 for any case of deafness, caused by catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send of circulars. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mr. Kinney Sells Timber.

The long pending sale of the Hilt Sugar Pine Company's holdings of timber land was consummated this week, the purchasers being the Northern California Lumber Company. This sale includes 6500 acres of valuable timber near Hilt, Cal., and lying within two to four miles of the S. P. Ry., a saw mill of 40,000 capacity, a planing mill located at Hilt, logging donkey and other lumbering and logging machinery, and represents an outlay to the California company of over \$160,000. H. C. Kinney of this place was the largest stockholder in the Hilt company and had as associates Frank and Warren Mee and V. A. Peterson.

This tract is one of the finest bodies of timber on the Coast and has all the advantages of location both as to shipping facilities and to ease in logging. The purchasers will probably construct a spur from the S. P. tracks to the timber and will do their lumbering by modern methods.

Salvation Army.

Week of self denial and prayer will soon be upon us and again we are going to appeal to your generous natures to assist us as you have in the past. The generous aid we have received from you in the past is a sufficient guarantee of your faith and confidence in our work. We ask you to help us that we may be able to help someone else, it may be your brother, sister or perhaps someone dear to you that we shall be called on to help next. We are arranging for a banquet to be held on Saturday, March 16th for the purpose of raising money that we may more successfully carry on our work.

Will you please assist us with either money or provisions? We shall need chickens, pork, beef, potatoes, small white beans, butter, coffee, tea, sugar, milk and other good things to eat. Please drop us a card and we will call for your contribution or send to the Salvation Army hall. Any kindness you can show us in this matter will be highly appreciated. See bills later.

CAPT. AND MRS. EUBANKS, Salvation Army.

Accepts Call to Colorado.

Rev. Clark Bower has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Christian church of Colorado City, Colo., which was extended to him some six months ago but was declined on account of important church work which Mr. Bower did not feel that he could leave unfinished here. The call was again extended and this time accepted, principally in the hope that the change of climate will be beneficial to the health of Mrs. Bower. They plan to leave here about April 14.

Worked Like a Charm.

Mr. D. N. Walker, editor of that spicy journal, the Enterprise, Louisa, Va., says: "I ran a nail in my foot last week and at once applied Backlen's Arnica Salve. No inflammation followed; the salve simply healed the wound." Heals every sore, burn and skin disease. Guaranteed at all drug stores. 25c.

The New TEDDY-BEAR GAME at the Sugar Pine Store, 5 cents each.

Herman Hurning's Home made candies are always fresh, and they are pure. 3-1 2t

O. A. Thomas went with Maurice Winters of Albany, on a cruising trip into the Wimer country Thursday.

M. E. Moore has a fine flock of high grade Rhode Island Reds and is enthusiastic over their good qualities. These fowls are exceedingly hardy and grow rapidly from the shell to maturity. They make excellent dressed poultry with their rich yellow legs and skin free from dark pin feathers and they stand pre-eminent as Fall and Winter layers. Their docility, coupled with their rustling qualities make them the ideal general purpose fowl.

Our high school has recently purchased a Kroll piano from the Cass Piano from the Cass Piano House of Southern Oregon. Teachers and pupils are much pleased with the instrument and wish to endorse it highly as a very superior and satisfactory instrument. R. R. TURNER, Sect. 3-8 4t

A. E. HARRISON, Prin.

The actual transfer of the Grants Pass Grocery Co. business occurred the first of the month when J. R. McKnight turned over his interest to J. H. and W. T. Williams and W. J. Denison. Since that time the store room has been in the hands of the carpenters although business was continued as usual. The store will present a neat and attractive appearance and Mr. Denison, the manager, will soon make the Grants Pass Grocery one of the first class groceries of the city.

Do you like a good thing? Of course you do. Look out for the date of the Great Burlesque in the Opera House by the Men of Bethany Church. The date is March 29th. Put that down in your note book. Make no other engagements for that evening. 3-8 2t

THE CITY COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

Appoints Park Committee and Asks Commercial Club to Co-operate.

The regular meeting of the city council was held Thursday evening with mayor and all councilmen, with exception of H. C. Kinney and G. W. Lewis, present.

The street committee recommended that the petition for a granite sidewalk on both sides of Fifth street from the head of street to its intersection with F street be granted.

A copy of a letter written to L. R. Fields, superintendent, by Mayor J. C. Smith was read. The letter was written to ascertain whether or not the S. P. Co. would construct a cement sidewalk on both sides of Sixth Street, between F and G street. To this letter the Mayor received the following reply:

"I beg to acknowledge receipt of yours of the 25th ult., relative to construction of cement sidewalk on both sides of Sixth street. I expect to be in Grants Pass soon and would like to discuss this subject with you. The cost of putting in cement walk would be in the neighborhood of \$1300, and it certainly appears to be an unreasonable demand on us; in connection with this will say that we feel satisfied decomposed granite walk can be laid that will give satisfaction to the public in general. Yours truly, L. R. FIELDS."

The street committee recommended that the petition asking that the streets of the city be renamed, be adopted. On motion seconded and duly carried the report was adopted. The following bills were ordered paid:

- G H Binns, sewer pipe, \$24. Rogue River Water Co, water, \$1. Hair-Riddle Hdw Co, cement and shovels, \$8.45. Grants Pass Hdw Co, lateral sewer work, \$5. So. Ore. Supply Co, cats, \$15.70. James Tribble, blacksmith work in 1906, \$4.20. Roach & Cook, blacksmith work, \$11.30. D J Lawton, surveying ditch, \$2. Amos Smith, two days on city team, \$1.35. G W Thomas, 21 1/2 days on street at \$2, 42.50. Fred Steele, 14 days on street, at \$28.

The following bills for special police work were ordered paid:

- J C Randle, \$2. L Streube, \$2. J D Hammond, \$2.

An ordinance for the establishment of the grade and construction of a granite sidewalk on the east side of Fifth Street from F street to the north end of Fifth street, was read the third time in full and passed.

The report of John Minor Booth for the month of February was read and referred to the finance committee.

The office of the City Health officers was declared vacant.

The matter of sprinkling the streets during the coming Summer was discussed and a motion made, seconded and duly carried that S. Norton be employed and allowed \$20 per month.

It was ordered that a permanent Park committee be appointed for the remainder of the year. The Mayor thereupon appointed, the following: W. M. Hair, W. T. Coburn and D. H. Stovall and voted the Commercial Club be requested to appoint a committee to work in conjunction with the park committee.

The appointment of C. R. Swearingin as policeman was confirmed. A petition for a granite sidewalk on both sides of Seventh street from the boundary line addition to A street was read on motion seconded and duly carried.

8,000,000 Chinook Salmon Eggs.

H. I. Kelly, Jr. fish culturist at the Elk creek hatchery, was in Grants Pass Thursday on his way to Waldo. Mr. Kelly states that they have secured 8,000,000 salmon eggs at the hatchery this season, 2,000,000 of which have been shipped to the mouth of Rogue river via San Francisco and will there be held at the new Hume hatchery for several months until the fish have grown to four or five inches in length when they will be released. About 2,000,000 young Royal Chinook salmon have been turned loose from the Elk creek hatchery this year. These will return to the Rogue river, some in two years, and some in four or five years when fully matured. There are yet at the hatchery about 2,000,000 young salmon which will be released later.

Modern Woodmen social at Hall building Tuesday evening, March 19, 1907. Basket supper, music and dancing. Invitations. A jolly good time for all. 3-8 2t

SELMA

Mrs. W. J. Smith is quite seriously ill.

A number of Dryden people were in attendance at our Literary Friday evening.

Mrs. D. H. Wimer called on Will Wimer's family Sunday afternoon.

Thos. Rhoads, Ralph Hiatt, Otis Schmitt, Clarence Frost, Louis Harmon, and Levi Scott attended Literary at Dryden Saturday night. There must be some attraction for the boys up there.

Mr. Cowdric called at Harmon's Saturday.

A stage load of Indians from Crescent City or Smith River went through here Sunday.

Fred Moore went to Grants Pass Friday.

Mrs. Stephenson, who has been managing the Selma hotel, moved out last week and Albert Schmitt and family moved in. It keeps Mr. Schmitt busy to look after both the hotel and his store, but he seems to be equal to the job.

Postmaster Harmon of Grants Pass was out visiting his family several days last week. H. R. K.

Delicious, fresh home made candies always at Herman Hornig's. 3-1 2t

Greenhouse for Grants Pass

Grants Pass is to have a greenhouse that will be up-to-date and able to supply all orders for cut flowers, pot plants, flowering and ornamental shrubbery is the plan of Charles Kingwell, a professional florist from Tacoma, but formerly of Boston, who has located in this city and has bought Mrs. Ora Hood's tract of four acres Iowa avenue. This is one of the most slightly places in Grants Pass, a view being had of the city and Rogue River Valley and it is Kingwell's plan to make such of land as he will not require for greenhouse purpose into park for recreation place for the public. Kingwell is also a landscape gardener and thoroughly understands the layout of parks, cemeteries and private grounds and yards and he will do work in addition to his greenhouse business.

Mr. Kingwell has his family here and will take possession of his place in the near future and at once began preparations to erect the buildings required and get the land shape for the plants and shrubbery that he will soon order.

A Burlesque in the Opera House the Men of Bethany Church. Da March 29. if you want a good, hearty laugh, come out that night. If you think it's wicked to laugh, stay home that night. 3-1

The Courier and Oregonian \$2.00



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