

POULTRY and Stock Foods

In Any Quantity.
 Bran, Shorts,
 Middlings, Barley,
 Cracked Corn,
 Corn Meal, Oats,
 Rolled Oats,
 Flaxseed Oil Meal,
 Soy Bean Meal,
 Ground Bone & Shell,
 Beef Scrap, Charcoal.

J. Pardee
 417 G. Street

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Miss B. Kennedy of Williams was visiting with Grants Pass friends on Wednesday.

F. M. Leland left Wednesday evening for San Francisco, where he expects to be detained on business for several weeks.

Mrs. Randall Hood of Los Angeles is visiting with her brother, Roy Hackett and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ora Hood, of this city.

Mrs. Inez McGeheuy went to Phoenix Wednesday afternoon to spend a short time with relatives.

Seeds, seeds, seeds at Cramer Bros.

Henry Colvin and wife left north Wednesday evening. Mr. Colvin going to Wolf Creek to spend the summer looking after his mining property and Mrs. Colvin going to La Grande to visit her parents. They expect to be absent from Grants Pass for several months.

F. S. Johnson, traveling for the Honeyman Hardware company, was in Grants Pass from Medford Thursday, looking up business here.

C. W. Primley came down Tuesday evening from Gold Hill to enter the South Pacific hospital in this city as he has been in poor health for some time.

Ted Noyes was down from his Tolo pear orchard Tuesday, doing business with the Grants Pass merchants.

J. L. Wise of Trail is spending several weeks in Grants Pass on business.

Mrs. K. J. Hinds, a former resident of Grants Pass and at present proprietor of the Hotel Antlers in Portland, arrived Thursday morning and is visiting old friends and attending to property interests she has in this city.

Mrs. J. L. Hanks, who has been spending a short time in Grants Pass for eye treatment left Tuesday evening for her home at Glendale. While here Mrs. Hanks was the guest of Mrs. H. C. Perkins.

T. H. B. Taylor of Woodville was in Grants Pass Tuesday on business. D. S. Tindin, who has been visiting with friends here, left Tuesday evening for his home at Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada.

Charles Bacher, formerly a resident of Grants Pass, went through this city on train No. 15 Wednesday enroute to Kansas, from Portland. He was greeted at the train by his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reynolds of Merlin were visiting with Grants Pass friends on Wednesday.

Paul S. Seeley went to Portland Tuesday for a short business visit.

Mr. Poley of the Poley Drug company of Ashland was a Grants Pass business visitor today. Mr. Poley is here to receive medical attention for eye trouble.

Ed. Dimick came down from his ranch near Woodville Thursday morning to visit his mother, who resides west of Grants Pass.

Mrs. D. Alexander, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the South Pacific hospital in this city two weeks ago, was able to return to her home at Medford Tuesday evening.

William Martin arrived in Grants Pass Tuesday to join his wife, who has been taking treatment for eye troubles in this city for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Martin expect to return to their home Thursday.

E. C. Mitchell, living at the Royal trestle, has been greatly bothered in time past by boys who persistently threw rocks at the house, tramped through the garden and in other ways caused annoyance. Several boys were arrested last week and released at pleadings of their parents. Since that time the Mitchells have enjoyed more peace.

Phone No. 390 if your Daily Courier fails to reach you at any time. Do not delay.

Warrants for Taxes.

Under Section 3677 of Lord's Oregon Laws it is held that tax collectors in any county of the state shall receive in payment of taxes in county warrants no larger amount than the amount of the taxpayer's county taxes for the year or years for which the payment is made. The levy in Josephine county is 18 mills. Of this amount 3 1/2 mills in school tax, 4 mills state tax and 3 mills road tax, or a total of 10 1/2 mills of the levy (outside Grants Pass) that must be paid in cash. This leaves a rate of 7 1/2 mills that may be paid in county warrants. The entire levy in Grants Pass being 37 mills; one-fifth can be paid in county warrants. Outside Grants Pass two-fifths could be received in county warrants. To be exact, any taxpayer, within or without the city of Grants Pass, could pay in county warrants an amount equal to 7 1/2 mills on the dollar of his assessment, the sheriff, under the law, being required to collect the balance in cash. WILL C. SMITH, Sheriff.

COMING EVENTS

- March 11, Monday—Election of officers of Commercial club.
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- Mar. 13, Wednesday—LeBrun Grand Opera Co., admission 50 and 75 cents.
- March 16, Saturday—Experience social and cafeteria supper with hot tamales, at Baptist church, 450-11
- March 19, Tuesday—Address by Charles A. Phipps, of Portland, on the men's religious forward movement under the auspices of the several men's clubs and brotherhood organizations of the city.
- March 20, Wednesday—All day and evening, the convention of the county Sunday School association.
- April 19, Tuesday—Primary election.
- May 1, Wednesday—Special election to vote on question of municipal water and power plant.

"ALMA," GREATEST OF MUSICAL COMEDIES, OPERA HOUSE MAR. 11



The advance sale of seats for "Alma, Where Do You Live?" opened at Russell's yesterday, and proved phenomenal. "Alma" will be the attraction at the Grants Pass opera house Monday, March 11. This is the splay French farce with music which Joe Weber produced at Weber's theater, New York city, in August 1910, and surprised the critics and theatergoers of the city by running the full season right into the middle of May 1911. The "Alma" company comes direct from New York under Joe Weber's management.

The following is from a letter written to Ed. Andrews, the old-time opera singer, now residing in Medford, and dramatic and musical critic for the Mail-Tribune of that city, from his brother-in-law, Mr. C. A. Parker, of New York city:

"Dear Ed. I see by the Dramatic

News that "Alma, Where Do You Live?" plays in Medford March 9th. While I understand you get the best musical shows that come to the coast I assure you that you have not had the equal of "Alma" in the way of musical comedy. The play came here from Germany and was played in the German theaters for a year. It made such a hit that it was translated into the English and scored an instant success. After many attempts to secure a lady to play the part of "Alma," they finally selected Miss Nanette Flack, the greatest woman in musical comedy today. She is not only a fine actress but she can sing. She was offered the leading role in Puccini's new opera "Girl of the Golden West" and would have taken it if she had not already signed for the part of Alma. We call her here in

New York the coming Melba. Be sure and see her and also tell your friends, for I understand you are a musical people out there in Medford. The music is great—not the old worn out stuff that has been handed you for the past decade." In addition to Miss Flack, "the new Melba," whose salary is understood to be \$2,000 per week, the "Alma" company contains the

names of Charles A. Murray, one of the best singing comedians, and Aubrey Yates, declared to be a better vocalist than W. J. Scanlan or Chauncey Olcott. There are fourteen song hits, without the encore numbers, in "Alma." The advance sale has exceeded that of any attraction ever booked for Grants Pass.

BRINCKERHOFF NAMED ROAD INSPECTOR

The county court has appointed Thomas Brinckerhoff road inspector for Josephine county.

Mr. Brinckerhoff will assist Judge Jewell in looking after the 20 road districts in the county, and it is expected the new arrangement will result in much better road building and in the saving of generous sums of money.

The new inspector already has charge of construction of three miles of the Grave Creek road, but will find time to also care for his new duties.

Judge Jewell states that road building will be carried on in earnest just as soon as weather conditions permit, and will be continued with all possible speed commensurate with good work. While there are 20 road districts, yet several of these are subdivided, making practically 21 districts. There are approximately 400 miles of road to care in Josephine county.

Shooting Reported—

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Waggoner, who reside a short distance south of Grants Pass, received word this week, that Mrs. Waggoner's brother, Teddy Wallace, who resides with his parents near the Martha mine, had been accidentally shot Tuesday and was taken to the Roseburg hospital for treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Waggoner left Wednesday evening for Roseburg. No particulars of the shooting have yet been received by friends in this city.

AFRAID SHE WOULD BITE.

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 7.—Peter Presidio, aged 11, would-be cowboy, returned today to an orphans' home after following a wild west show out of town. He abandoned his ambition when confronted by a promenading cow.

GODMOTHERS' CLUB.

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 7.—Society women of Los Angeles will organize a "Godmothers' Club" to aid the shop-girls and other working girls of the city. Each member will pledge herself to look after the moral and physical welfare of at least one girl.

Made From Grapes.

Of all the fruits that grow to give sustenance and nourishment to mankind, the grape is the most famous. A favorite subject of the poet, his healthful, luscious fruit has from the beginning of time been celebrated in song and story. Therefore it is a pleasure to know that to the grape we are indebted for some of the finest foods that go to our table, for from the grape is derived Royal Grape Cream of Tartar, the chief ingredient and active principle of the world-renowned Royal Baking Powder.

While the connection between baking powder and grapes may seem remote, it is evident to those who know that cream of tartar exists in all ripe grapes, from which it is directly produced in the following manner:

Flowing with the juice of the grape from the press, the cream of tartar gradually separates therefrom and settles upon and adheres to sides of the casks. It is subsequently collected, boiled and purified with water. Crystals of cream of tartar, white and very pure, are produced specially refined, and ground into an impalpable powder. This forms the Royal Grape Cream of Tartar from which Royal Baking Powder is made. The exclusive employment of this pure fruit acid has aided in rendering Royal unique in the baking powder world, adding, as it does, the delicious flavor and wholesome properties which are characteristic of all food made with it.

Rural Mail Carrier Wanted—

Postmaster G. W. Donnell has received notice from Washington that a civil service examination will be held in Grants Pass Saturday, March 30, for the purpose of examining applicants for rural routes, age limit 18 to 55. This is to select a carrier for rural route No. 2.

ROBBERS USE TAXI.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—Police today are scouring the city for a daring bandit who robbed Theodore Ballas of \$500, and when pursued by his victim, stood him off with a gun, and, leaping into a taxi, reached the Barbary coast and disappeared. The robber was pursued by another taxi by two officers.

Grants Pass Opera House T. F. HANLEY, Manager Monday Mar. 11, 1912

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By Paul Harve. Music by Jean Briquet.

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A New Era in the Annals of Musical Comedy.

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 "Never More," "Boo
 Hoo-Hoo," "Child-
 hood Days," "Boogie
 Boo," "The Land of
 Beautiful Dreams,"
 "Sail Home," "Kiss
 Me My Love,"
 "Love Me," Etc.



C. A. Murray,
 Nan Flack,
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 and a
 Great Cast.

Superior to "Bright Eyes," "The Merry Widow," "Madam Sherry" or "The Chocolate Soldier."

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 HARTFORD with Corbin duplex brake...\$35.00
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