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BENEFITS ALL MANKIND

Calapooya Mineral Water Fast Gaining Reputation.

HOTEL MAY OPEN ALL YEAR

Something of the Wonderful Water That Gushes Forth From the Rock Adjacent to the Picturesque Coast Fork of the Willamette.

The management of the hotel at the Calapooya Mineral Springs, twelve miles south of Cottage Grove, over a picturesque country highway, is considering the advisability of making it a year-round hostelry, numerous applications having been received asking for accommodations since it closed a month ago. And it is possible that the hotel will be re-opened for the winter months. The curative properties of the Calapooya water is responsible for these applications. Its merits are becoming known over a wide range of territory with each succeeding year, and many who would be rejuvenated are seeking its favors. Ponce DeLeon, following his discovery of Florida, sought vainly for the "fountain of perpetual youth," which the traditions of the natives told him existed somewhere in the interior of a vast country. Had he journeyed far toward the setting sun into the beautiful valley of the Coast Fork river he would probably have come nearer realizing the dreams of his informers than elsewhere on the continent, for here one of nature's laboratories is constantly at work compounding a remedy for prolonging life. The Calapooya springs are found at London. Here this great hygienic water bursts out of the solid rock from the river banks, not a dozen feet from where he who loves piscatorial amusement may whip for speckled mountain beauties, with an incessant flow of 14,400 gallons per day of twenty-four hours, and is bottled for shipment just as the hand of the Almighty created it in the bowels of the earth. Its mission, that of bestowing health and happiness to mankind, is far from being fulfilled, notwithstanding the fact that for countless years ere the restless white man encroached upon the domain of his red brother, the Indian had partaken freely of its waters as a remedial treatment for his ills. Tribes made annual pilgrimages to this beauty spot and pitched their tepees for a season of rejuvenation. It is the same ideal resort today—a beautiful and picturesque valley, surrounded by mountains, and 800 feet above sea level.

The water from the Calapooya spring is a mineral saline water equal to any of the renowned spring waters of Europe and America. As Baden-Baden, Carlsbad and Harrogate are to Europe, as Saratoga is to the east, and as Arkansas Hot Springs are to the south, so the Calapooya Springs are destined to become to the west—a world-famous resort for the afflicted. While this beverage cannot arrest the flight of time, it can and does so assist nature that health and strength may be retained to a ripe old age. It has been demonstrated again and again that this tonic water contains the nutritive principals of nearly all tissues of the human body. It is really a great blood builder and contains food for muscle, nerve and bone. Yet all of these being combined in such an even proportion that it is retained and relished by the most delicate. Owing to the fact that most stomach trouble have their origin in either an excess of acid or alkali, this water has a broad field of usefulness in these conditions and over ninety per cent of sufferers from stomach disorders have found not only present but permanent relief from its use. For the cure of rheumatism and kidney troubles it is invaluable, as it contains principles which tend to neutralize the acid which accumulates in the system and causes these ailments. In all cases of blood troubles and skin diseases its effects are marvelous.

The water has been carefully analyzed by the chemists of the Oregon State University and contains the following inorganic salts per litre: Sodium Chloride, 2.0692; Sodium Silicate, .1292; Magnesium Chloride, .1584; Calcium Chloride, 1.5368; Iron and Alum Chloride, .0160. Note the natural distribution of these salts in harmony with those conditions which make for perfect health in the human economy. All diseases that are curable are cured in a natural manner through the circulation; the constituent parts of the human organism that are carried by the blood vessels and transude through the walls of the veins and capillaries into the surrounding tissue, restores normal conditions when the blood contains the proper amount of its inorganic salts, water, sodium, ferrum, potassium, calcium, silicate and magnesium. There is nothing miraculous about this process—it is simply a natural law.

The hotel at London, were it provided with accommodations for hundreds instead of dozens, should be of insufficient capacity when the real merits of this truly wonderful water have become known to the world.

During the past summer season many persons from various parts of the west have received benefit from a stay here, and the demand is rapidly increasing. Ample bathing facilities are provided, consisting of steam, mud and hot water baths, and cooling rooms. The bathing department is under the supervision of a graduated physician.

Making a New Home.

M. N. Lewis of Divide recently purchased forty acres of land, one mile south of that place, from John Norman, and is completing a house and barn on the property at a cost of \$1000. The land is known as the Frank Hull homestead, and adjoins Mr. Lewis' 180 acres, which he has rented. He will clear his new purchase, and till the soil.

WATER NOT USEABLE

City Well Contains Colon Bacilli According to Analysis.

IS NOW OUT OF COMMISSION

State Board of Health Makes Examination of Water and An Adverse Report is the Result.—Municipal Water Should be Used.

Ralph C. Malson, bacteriologist to the State Board of Health, declares that water from the city well in the street adjoining the ice factory contains colon bacilli, and consequently is unfit for use. Some weeks ago Dr. Oglesby secured a quantity of this water, placed it in a sterilized bottle, packed the bottle in ice and forwarded it to the State Board of Health for examination. The action was prompted by the fact that a large number of citizens using the water had suffered with dysentery, and attributed the malady to this cause, the well having been in use about a month during the dry season. Mr. Stiller, of the Cottage Grove Creamery Company first discovered impurities in the water. A large vat filled with it gave off a decidedly disagreeable odor, and an analysis was made at that time. The report was to the effect that the water was filled with decayed vegetable matter under seams in the rock, which collected in the shale. Samples were then sent to Dr. Robt. C. Yenney, secretary of the State Board of Health, who caused an analysis to be made, as stated above. Following is a copy of the bacteriologist's report:

"I have to report examination of specimen of water received from Dr. Oglesby of Cottage Grove, Oregon. Upon examination of this water I have found Colon Bacilli in the same, and would, therefore, consider this water unsafe for drinking or domestic purposes."

The well, which has a depth of 80 feet, will be put out of further commission.

BOOSTERS WILL RALLY.

Commercial Club Plans an Old-Time Gathering at Its Rooms.

The Commercial club will hold one of its good old-fashioned rallies in the near future, preparations for which are now in the hands of the committee on entertainment. Invitations will be issued to a large number of citizens, and an evening will doubtless be pleasantly and profitably spent. The primary object of these gatherings is to create a new interest in the organization and the splendid work it is accomplishing.

At a meeting of the club on Monday night there was a comparatively large attendance. It was decided to repair and open the bowling alley four evenings each week commencing next Tuesday.

Ash to Be Extended.

Ash street will be extended to Nokes avenue, a distance of approximately five blocks. Mr. J. I. Jones has removed fruit trees in his young prize orchard to give room for the highway, and Mr. Nokes has graded the street beyond, which is outside of the city limits.

Tax Money Is Wanted.

A number of people have not paid their sewer assessment, and as the contractor cannot get his warrants cashed until these are paid it is important that heed should be given to the matter.

No Party Discrimination.

Cottage Grove has a street named in honor of President Taft and another in honor of would-be president Bryan. Both are new thoroughfares in the southern part of the city.

ENTERS UPON A SERIES CITY COUNCIL MEETS

The Rev. Adams Discusses the Teachings of Jesus.

OTHER LECTURES TO FOLLOW

Holds that While Christ Was Sent to 'Save the World Rather Than to Teach It, He Said Things that Are Closely Woven in the Social Fabric.

The Rev. Selden Adams, pastor of the Presbyterian church, last Sunday evening delivered the first of a series of lectures on "The Social Teaching of Jesus," taking his text from John 2:2, "And both Jesus was called, and his disciples, to the marriage." After briefly outlining the social principles of Jesus, the speaker showed how psychological and sociological scientists are discovering that what science is reaching out after, Jesus Christ declared many centuries ago. While His mission was not primarily to teach the world but to save the world, He said many things that form the warp and woof of our social fabric. On no subject was He more pronounced than on that of the family and the marital state. However, in the mind of many, the family as an institution is now on trial for its life. As our manner of living changes the family life is greatly influenced. There are those who claim that domestic unity is inconsistent with the absolute social unity vested in the state. "Family supremacy will be absolutely incompatible with an interdependent solidarity commonwealth," says Gronlund. In "The Cooperative Commonwealth in its Outlines," Bebel says, "Christian doctrine exhibits the same contempt for woman which all Oriental religions manifest."

Such teachings as these have no part with Christianity. When Rome was in its power the father could do as he pleased with his son. He could marry him at his will and divorce him again just as readily. He could even take his grown son's life if he wished. While Constantine may not be the finest model of a saint, a change began to appear with him. Under Justinian the son had full control over his acquisitions. When Jesus wished to teach us about God, He taught us to say, "Our Father." His first miracle was performed at a wedding supper. While in the years of his ministry He had no place to lay His head, the first twenty-seven years of his life were spent at home. He made frequent visits, for rest at the home of Lazarus, in Bethany. His treatment of women was not with contempt. He asked the woman at the well for a drink of water, but gave her of the water of life. The woman who touched the hem of His garment became whole. Instead of making a drudge of women he pointed out to Martha the folly of "being cumbered with much serving." His last thought on the cross was for his widowed mother.

On the subject of divorce Jesus taught that there was but one cause. That a man should leave his father and mother and cleave to his wife, and that they should become one flesh, made divorce a sin against nature and polygamy too loathsome to be mentioned. The Christian family is the happy family. It may not be without its troubles, but they are like the temporary stopping of the stream, which, thanks to the law of forgiveness, flows on again more merrily than before. In the Christian home, where the man marries for love and not for lust, and the woman marries with a higher motive than simply to get her board; in the Christian home where children are welcomed on their arrival and brought up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, we find the highest ideal of earthly happiness.

UNCLE SAM WANTS BIDS.

Contracts for Carrying Star Route Mail to be Awarded.

On July 1 next the contracts now in force for carrying the mails over the four Star routes out of Cottage Grove expires, and the Postoffice department this week advertises for bids over these routes for the ensuing four years, bids to be received until January 4. The routes are to Lorane, a distance of twelve miles; to Black Butte, eighteen miles; to Bohemia, thirty-five miles and from Disston to Orseco, twelve miles. The mail goes from Cottage Grove to Disston over the Oregon & Southeastern.

Rink Will Be Razed.

The skating rink building on South Fourth street, owned by Mr. Will Cooper, will be razed, Mr. Ira Randall, the purchaser of the land, desiring the site it occupies for other purposes. Mr. Randall came here recently from Iowa, and is making for himself and family an ideal home.

Convenes in Adjourned Session Saturday Night.

LITTLE BUSINESS IS DONE

Alderman Lawson Authorized to Solicit Funds to Relieve East Side of Railway of Flood Water, City to Bear Part of Expense.

Councilman Elledge having returned from the Bohemia mining district, the municipal legislative body was able to get a quorum at the adjourned regular meeting on Saturday night, and the vote cast at the special election was canvassed, and other business transacted. Alderman Atkison, Elledge, Kime and Lawson answered to roll call by Recorder Van Denberg. Mayor Job presided.

A communication from Civil Engineer Roberts, now at Medford, asking that he be given an opportunity to act as consulting engineer in the construction of the proposed water system, was laid over until the next regular session. The register in the meanwhile, will have replies to letters of inquiry regarding Mr. Roberts' qualifications from several cities where he had been employed.

In this connection Alderman Kime introduced Mr. R. E. Griswold, a civil engineer who lately located here, and that gentleman said he had had fourteen years experience in engineering practice and thought he could handle the undertaking satisfactorily. He would give the matter more careful consideration, and might make a proposition to the council at its next meeting. Referring to the paving, Mr. Griswold said he had been with the Barber Asphalt company of St. Louis several years, and was thoroughly familiar with street improvement work.

Alderman Atkison reported that the foot-bridge across the river had been repaired.

An additional light had been ordered placed at the Durham corner by Alderman Lawson, who so reported, saying that tramps had been milking Mr. Durham's cows and he thought a light at that point was necessary for the protection of his property. He also spoke of placing additional lights throughout the city, and commented at some length upon existing conditions. As chairman of the light committee, he said Mr. Shinn, of the Lighting Co., had made him a proposition for a reduction in prices, the minimum charge for the year to be \$3,500. Mr. Atkison suggested that the light committee look into the matter thoroughly and report at the next meeting, and his suggestion was accepted.

Under the caption of unfinished business the vote of the special election was officially canvassed with the result heretofore published by The Sentinel. There were 160 votes cast for a bond issue of \$100,000 for the purpose of constructing a pipe line from Layng creek to connect with the present municipal water system, of which number 132 were for and 28 against.

The question of disposing of flood water east of the railway tracks during the winter months was introduced. Amid the discussion Aldermen Lawson and Kime made diagrams of a ditch in that section in order to get a more perfect understanding of the situation. Alderman Lawson thought property holders to be benefited would subscribe half the necessary money to drain the district, and inquired if the city could provide the balance. After having been given an affirmative assurance, Alderman Elledge moved that Alderman Lawson be authorized to solicit subscriptions for the purpose named and the motion prevailed unanimously, even the councilman from the third favoring the proposition.

Mayor Job called the attention of the council to the necessity of having additional copies of the city charter printed, saying that the last issue had practically disappeared. Alderman Lawson moved that a committee of two be appointed to revise the charter and get estimates on the cost of printing 150 copies, and report at the next meeting. The motion prevailed, and the mayor appointed Alderman Lawson and Atkison. The latter asked to be excused on account of contemplated absence from the city and Alderman Kime was named. This gentleman also begged off, and Alderman Elledge was appointed under protest, he too declaring that he would be absent from town. The list of aldermen had, however, been exhausted and the appointment of necessity had to stand.

Accounts to the amount of \$33 for claims in connection with the September and October special elections were allowed, and H. C. Hart was allowed \$500 on sewer contracts, after which

the council adjourned, upon motion of Alderman Lawson.

Ore Shows Up Good.

The Twin Rocks Gold Mining and Milling company, of which Louis Hartley is president and general manager, has completed assessment work for the year. Mr. Hartley was in Cottage Grove over Sunday. He said his company has been cross-cutting to catch a large vein, the length of this cut being about 300 feet. Outside of this there is 125 feet of tunnel. The company has been three years on assessment work, and has fine crop-pings. The ledge shows good at a depth of twenty feet. This company has eleven claims. Mr. Hartley has been in Bohemia continuously for sixteen years. He has owned and sold several different properties, and he thinks the camp has a better outlook today than ever before. There has, he says, been more development work in other years, but this year shows up more good ore. Mr. Hartley returned to the Bohemia on Tuesday, going to Sailor's Gulch, where he will work on his own claims during the greater part of the winter.

BIG LUMBER SALE ON

Large Tract Near This City Put on Open Market.

UNCLE SAM PRESENT OWNER

Seventy-Five Million Feet of Standing Timber, Covering Three and a Half Thousand Acres, Twenty Miles From Cottage Grove, Being Bid For.

Recording one of the biggest sales of timber ever planned by the Forestry Service, bids are being received by the Government on 175,000,000 feet of timber located on a tract near Cottage Grove. Supervisor S. C. Bartrum, of Roseburg, is in charge of the sale and bids will be received until November 19.

The immense timber holding is located about 20 miles from Cottage Grove and the nearest boundary line of the tract is only a mile from the end of the Oregon & Southeastern Railway, the tracks of which extend from Cottage Grove to Disston. Less than six miles of spur track will be required to transport the timber from the tract to the railway. The tract is comprised of 3500 acres and overlooks the Row River.

The timber is almost all old growth Douglas fir with a small per cent of cedar, pine and hemlock, and it is believed, will bring at least \$2 a thousand feet. Only the timber and not the land will be sold by the government. The forestry service figures that sufficient merchantable timber will be left on the tract to reseed the area.

LOG DRIVER DROWNED.

Deaf and Dumb McDonald Finds Watery Grave on McKenzie.

Edward McDonald, a logger who had engaged to work for the Booth-Kelly Lumber company in bringing their log drive down the McKenzie river to the Coburg mills, lost his life Monday at Dutch Henry's place. The entire crew of eight men, including Superintendent Hagen and Foreman Dick Whilow, were present at the time. McDonald, who was deaf and dumb, slipped from a rock on which he was standing into water about 20 feet deep.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.

Nine-Year-Old Lad Seriously Injures His Little Brother.

Carl McCoy, aged nine years, accidentally shot his four-year-old brother on Sunday last while hunting rabbits in the woods with a 22-calibre rifle. The bullet entered one corner of the youngster's eye and came out through the jaw. While in quite a serious condition, the child, whose name is Dale, will probably recover.

Shipping Much Lumber.

T. B. Hankins of the Row River Lumber Co. was in Cottage Grove on Saturday enroute to Portland on business. Last month his company shipped 540,000 feet of lumber, and Mr. Hankins expects October to make a better showing.

Passing of a Pioneer.

J. C. Reavis, a pioneer of Wallowa county, died suddenly last week of paralysis. Mr. Reavis was known to some of the citizens of Cottage Grove. Those who knew him best called him "Uncle Joe." He was greatly beloved, and it was often said of him that he "sneaked around doing good."

Will Settle With Creditors.

Mr. Abrams, assignee of the W. A. Hemenway stock, will close up the concern's affairs about the middle of November. The creditors will receive about sixty cents on the dollar.

FUNNY STORIES TOLD

Club Women Spend Afternoon Very Agreeably.

DELEGATE MAKES A REPORT

Meeting Being of Humorous Character Ladies Via With Each Other to Create Laughter.—Organization's Work is Complimented.

The Woman's Club met in its first regular session for the season on Saturday afternoon at the Commercial club parlors, with Mrs. Lillian Goodman presiding. The attendance was large and the meeting profitable as well as enjoyable. No business was transacted, the afternoon being consumed by the report of Mrs. N. E. Compton, who was a delegate to the Federation of Woman's Clubs at Forest Grove, and a humorous story read by Mrs. C. P. Jones, and also a reading in Irish dialect by Mrs. Compton, which was much appreciated. A few short humorous stories by members of the club concluded the program.

Mrs. Compton's report was very interesting and the members gained some splendid ideas to be used in carrying on the good work of the club. It was gratifying to each one present to hear the praise given the Cottage Grove club by Mrs. Sarah Evans, president of the Oregon Federation of Woman's Clubs. Mrs. Compton said: "Our club received the most praise of any club in the state. It has accomplished the most, and our work in securing a city park was considered wonderful and commended highly, as was also our crusade against unlovely yards and our method of awarding prizes for the best kept yards in the city." The manner in which the points were counted for the back and front yards originated with the civic improvement committee, of which Mrs. A. B. Wood, Mrs. H. O. Thompson and Mrs. J. DuBrille comprise the members. This was considered such a good plan that Mrs. Compton received many requests for the method employed from the delegates attending.

One especially notable suggestion Mrs. Compton received, at the Forest Grove meeting, she said, was the manner in which the Woman's club of Portland helps to fight the great white plague. The club supplies the teachers of the public schools with squares of clean white cloth to be used in case a child has not a handkerchief or the parents are too poor to provide them with one, the cloth being burned after using. This prevents boys from wiping their proboscis on their coat sleeves and girls from using their skirts in an emergency. There are also many other offensive details in connection with catarrhal diseases of school children which with proper training and a little attention could be overcome, and prevent the spreading of contagious diseases. Mrs. Compton continuing said that the pure food and milk crusade was also discussed, quoting figures on the number of germs in a drop of impure milk and the number of babies that had died in Portland in a year from the effect of drinking it. She said: "We in Cottage Grove are not in great danger from impure milk, yet each mother should be sure her baby is getting milk from a healthy cow and be especially warned to have the milk tested if she should move to a large city."

The following stories were told at the meeting, it being a humorous session:

Visitor at Insane Asylum: "Why does that patient keep repeating 39, 39?"

Keeper: "That was the number of buttons on his wife's waist."—Mrs. H. A. Miller.

Cottage Grove Sunday School Teacher: "Little boy, have you a spirit?" Little boy: "No ma'am, but I have a small pop-gun."—Mrs. B. R. Job.

Little Girl: "Mamma, what day was I born on?"

Mamma: "Thursday, dear."

Little Girl: "Wasn't that fortunate; Thursday is your at home day."—Mrs. H. O. Thompson.

Little Girl: "Jesus wasn't at church this morning, mamma; he was visiting."

Mother: "What makes you think so?"

Little Girl: "Why, they all sang, Jesus is calling today."—Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

Little Girl: "Mamma, what makes my hair crackle and snap so when you comb it?"

Mamma: "That is the electricity in it."

Little Girl: "Well, isn't that odd. I have electricity in my hair and grandma has gas in her stomach."—Mrs. F. H. Rosenberg.