

CANNOT STOP NESMITH

Whole State Will Be Benefitted
By Its Creation.

TEN NEW COUNTIES NEEDED.

One of Oregon's Prominent Newspapers Exerting Its Influence in Behalf of Proposed Division of This Territory.

The Salem Journal believes in smaller counties for Oregon as well as smaller farms, and purposes lending its influence in this direction. In an editorial it promises to support the Nesmith county movement, an undertaking that cannot fail to meet with appreciation by the people who are striving to better their condition. Here is the article referred to:

"Of course there are interests that think they are hurt every time a new county is created. But the hurt is imaginary and the whole state would be benefitted by ten new counties. Now it is in the cards to create a new county to be called Nesmith around Cottage Grove. There are the usual howls from Douglas and walls from Lane over the proposition. We have heard these walls and howls every time the past twenty years when a new county was born. We have seen Lincoln, Wheeler, and Hood River brought into existence with all attending pangs of parturition. We have advocated the creation of every new county and shall do all in our power to have Nesmith county organized. Lane and Douglas can spare the territory and they are still big enough to make several more good counties. The name Nesmith is providential, and the new county cannot be stopped and everybody might as well get in line."

AN ATTRACTIVE DISPLAY.

Typical Logging Scene Arranged by Burkholder-Woods Company.

One of the most attractive show-window displays seen in Cottage Grove for many moons was that of the Burkholder-Woods company, arranged especially to attract attention of lumbermen, of which there are not a few in this neck-o'-the-woods. It was a typical logging camp and nothing in connection therewith appeared to be missing. A miniature ox-team, with a mule in the lead, was employed in skidding a huge log, while in the distance was the cook-camp with its attendant washing hung on a line stretched from convenient trees, and a ferocious bull-dog chained hard by. Still beyond were horses grazing in an enclosed pasture, and scattered about here and there were implements used in logging operations, and carried by the firm. The window attracted much attention. It was really a meritorious display, and reflected credit upon the man who dressed the window.

Thinks Well of The Sentinel.

The Sentinel has received many complimentary communications concerning its publication, but the following from British Columbia is among the most appreciated: "The Cottage Grove Sentinel: Received a stray copy of The Sentinel a few days ago, and it certainly is a credit to you. The people of Cottage Grove and Lane county ought to congratulate themselves on having a first-class, clean, newsy, up-to-date newspaper. The merchants certainly appreciate it, judging from the way they advertise. Inclosed find \$1, for which please send me The Sentinel for six months. I have no American money or would send it. Nor is there a post-office within twelve miles of here. Wishing you all kinds of success in Cottage Grove, I am yours truly, R. M. O'Loane, Lake Buntgen, B. C."

'Tis a Neat Playhouse.

The Star Theatre is attracting large audiences to every performance, and is striving to please its patrons. The theatre is conducted along modern lines, everything being new throughout, and is it safe to say that there is not a neater house of entertainment in this valley. It is the ambition of the management to provide the people of Cottage Grove with a picture show of high character; one that will educate as well as entertain. Great care is taken in the selection of pictures.

Road Is Now Open.

The landslide on the Oregon & South-eastern road was removed on Monday, after several days' work, and traffic resumed to Diston. Considerable freight for the mines had accumulated. The railway company sluiced the mud from its track, using water from a nearby creek for the purpose.

Correspondents Wanted.

Times are living up somewhat at Eugene. The Guard, in chronicling a fight between a bulldog and pointer, says a large crowd assembled to witness the contest for supremacy. It may be interesting to know that the crowd's sympathy was with the bird dog, which got the worst of the fight.



XIMENES' STATUETTE OF PRESIDENT TAFT.

President Taft recently received from Signor Ettore Ximenes, the great sculptor of Italy, this statuette in bronze of the president modeled from life. Mr. Taft accepted the gift and wrote a letter to the famous sculptor in which he said that he not only appreciated the courtesy, but cherished the statue as a work of art and a token of Italy's good will toward America.

HOW TO BE HAPPY.

Lecturer Lybarger Will Discuss This Subject Monday Night.

On Monday evening next, at the Christian church, Lee Francis Lybarger will lecture on "How to Be Happy," the entertainment being under the auspices of the Cottage Grove Lyceum Course. Of Mr. Lybarger it is said that he is an orator of marked ability, and his purpose is to change the habits, conduct and condition of men. But to do this, he must first as lecturer—change thoughts, beliefs and opinions. And then—as orator—he must link the feelings, emotions and heart-throbs of his hearers to the new beliefs and convictions he has created, in order that they may go forth and embody these new convictions in life and action. The lecturer appeals to the intellect, the entertainer to the emotions. The orator appeals to both. Being endowed by nature with those traits and qualities which distinguished the world's great orators, Mr. Lybarger has amplified these superior gifts by years of culture and training. He has the magical power of word-painting. He has that rare endowment of imagination which can portray characters, picture scenes, vivify social forces and tendencies, and give even to abstract thought "a local habitation and a name."

COUNCIL MEETS MONDAY.

Lighting Bill Due for Third Reading. Other City Matters.

A regular session of the city council will be held next Monday evening, when considerable business will come before the aldermanic body for consideration. The lighting bill is due for a third reading, but inasmuch as a request to defer action for thirty days has been made it will probably be tabled for that period at least. The matter of providing 150 copies of the city charter, under consideration for some time, will likely be resurrected. There are only four copies of the charter known to be in existence, and these have been so carefully guarded that only one is available. A number of other matters of a routine character will be acted upon, and the water proposition will probably have some further consideration.

MINER IS RECOVERING.

Charles Brunaugh Has Shoulder Hurt and Two Ribs Broken.

Charles Brunaugh, foreman in F. J. Hard's mines in the Bohemia district, who sustained a seriously bruised shoulder and two broken ribs in an accident at the camp, is recovering from his injuries at the Schleaf hospital in this city. Owing to the almost impassable condition of the roads the trip down was attended with all sorts of hardships. The patient was alternately carried, placed on horseback and conveyed by wagon.

Lively Times at Eugene.

The Sentinel will gladly supply a copy of the paper free, regularly, to any one who will supply items of news weekly from any and all of the surrounding neighborhoods. Some one in every neighborhood should be willing to take up this work for the interests of themselves and neighbors.

A. P. Churchill was in Eugene on Saturday, as was also L. A. Peifer.

CHANGES OF TIME.

Cottage Grove Local Is Continued to Roseburg—New Schedule.

A new time card went into effect on the Southern Pacific last Sunday, since when the train heretofore known as the Cottage Grove local has continued to Roseburg instead of tying up here. This action takes the train crew away from this city, and gives it to our neighbor on the south. The running time of the Cottage Grove local has also been changed, going north from here at 4:02 p. m., instead of at 4:50, and south at 10:54, instead of at 10:15. Number 19 and 20's time has also been changed, the former going south at 3:12, instead of at 2:57, and the latter, going north at 11:24 instead of at 11:32. With these changes the management of the Southern Pacific will be expected by the Railroad Commission to keep close to its schedule. During the month of October No. 19 was not on time a single day, and the commission took the matter up with the railroad officials, resulting in the changes which became effective on Sunday.

The Farmer Boy Again.

It is all very well when you have nothing to do but kill time, to talk about keeping the boys on the farm but you might as well spend your time spitting at a crack. Boys will stay on a farm as well as anywhere, if they receive decent treatment at home. The boy who is yanked out of bed by the hair, kicked out to milk and cuffed in to breakfast, as a preliminary to being popped through in the field all day, is not likely to be consumed by his love for the glories of agriculture—nor for his sire. Give the boy a fair show and he'll stay with you until the cows come home. If you are so mean he can't stay at home don't go to your neighbors with a hypocritical snuffle about your boy's ingratitude after you have raised him.

NEWS FROM LONDON.

E. W. Powell Sells Ranch to Elmer Doolittle—Bible Readings.

E. W. Powell has sold his ranch of 73 acres west of London to Elmer Doolittle for a consideration of \$1000. There are only a few acres cleared, the balance being timber and brush. Mr. Doolittle has taken possession, and will develop the ranch.

Mr. E. C. Love, a Californian, has arrived at London for the purpose of conducting a series of bible reading, commencing on Monday next and continuing ten days. These services will be conducted under the auspices of the Christian church, and it is expected that the attendance will be large. This church has no regular pastor at present, but Elder K. Bales preaches one Sunday in each month.

Shooting in Lumber Camp.

E. G. Hurst was slightly injured at Wendling, when he was shot in the arm by Al. Seekatz, foreman of the Booth-Kelly Lumber company at that place, as the result of an altercation following Hurst's discharge.—Register.

Estate Is Appraised.

The estate of Theresa A. Baker of this city has been appraised by A. H. King, Herbert Eakin and Fingal Hinds, who estimate the worth of the property at \$1200.

Cottage Grove Lyceum Course

Benefit Woman's Club Library Fund

Management SELDEN C. ADAMS

LEE FRANCIS LYBARGER

at the

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, MONDAY DEC. 6

LEE FRANCIS LYBARGER delivers his "How to be Happy," not a sunshine lecture, but one on the laws of happiness. Many regard this as his best production, for it is filled with "worldly wisdom." It is not a "sunshine lecture, but a search after the Philosophy of right living. Is is one lecture that has the courage to face the facts, to see things as they are. It shows not only the right of happiness and duty of happiness, but the ways of happiness.

SEASON SEATS AT THE WAVE

COMING

Clare Vaughn Wales Comedy Co., January 26th

Laurant, the Man of Many Mysteries, March 9th

The College Singing Girls, April 7th

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