

VERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

MANY MINOR MATTERS MERELY MENTIONED.

Gleanings From Here, There and Everywhere by The Sentinel Reporters—Personal Notes.

R. E. Eastland, Lane county treasurer, who fell down a stairway is rapidly recovering. Mr. Eastland cannot account for the accident, being unable to say whether he tripped or had a fainting spell.

Mrs. John Nokes on Saturday received a telegraphic communication giving notice of the death of her mother, Mrs. Steves of Princeton, Minnesota.

Rev. Jas. K. Hawkins returned last evening from a week's business and pleasure trip in the vicinity of Cottage Grove.—Roseburg News.

Lewis Hartley went up to his Bohemia camp on Monday.

We carry a complete line of lunch and picnic baskets. Kerr & Silsby.

Mr. F. S. McReynolds of Westbrook, Maine, writes The Sentinel that he is thinking strongly of locating in Cottage Grove, and wants a copy of the paper. Mr. McReynolds is a manufacturer of all kinds of paper boxes.

The Southern Oregon Soldiers' and Sailors' association will hold its annual encampment in Gold Hill, September 12-17.

Miss Myrtle Purvance is attending the summer school at the State University.

J. W. Baker returned on Saturday from Portland, where he attended the pioneers' meeting.

Mrs. B. R. Westbrook returned on Monday from a visit with Brownsville relatives.

Rodgers' Stainfloor will renew your old furniture. You can apply it. Get it at Waters' Wall Paper Store.

Mr. L. S. Hill spent last Sunday at Newberg, where Mrs. Hill is visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. Kreuger of Butte, Montana, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Lurch early in the week, and left on Tuesday for California.

George McQueen went to the Bohemia mines on Monday.

Miss Edith Hexter of Portland is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Lurch.

This section of Lane county will not be represented at the Cherry Fair to be held at Salem next week.

Mr. Beaver is erecting a substantial barn on his property, immediately east of the city limits.

For Sale.—Light team wagon and harness, price \$150 or will trade for good horse and buggy. Lee Thomason, Dorena, Or.

A roadway across the park, one block south of Main street, would prove a great convenience to many residents living east of the playground. A macadamized highway fifteen feet in width would be sufficient.

The Seventh Day Adventists of Oregon should be highly commended for the excellent financial condition their last report shows.

The Merchants' Association will meet in regular semi-monthly session next Tuesday evening. A full attendance is requested.

John Flynn was a Portland visitor on Saturday.

Now is the time to paint your floors. See Waters of the Wall Paper Store.

The petition that had been circulated throughout the state in favor of an appropriation for the Eastern Oregon State Normal school at Weston was filed Saturday at Salem by C. W. Proebstel of Weston, an ex-senator and prominent business man of that city.

On Saturday last the American Light & Water company advertised for three hundred men to work on the water works system, and succeeded in getting quite a few laborers, but not half the number wanted. The company is paying \$2.50 per day, and charging the usual price for board.

Now is the time to touch up your screens. Screen paint at Waters' Wall Paper Store.

At the grand lodge meeting of the Knights of Pythias, held in Portland last week, F. H. Rosenberg was appointed deputy grand chancellor for the fifth district, including the counties of Lane and Douglas.

Mr. G. H. Hirsch of Redmond was in the city on Saturday in the interest of proposed Deschutes county. This proposed county is from the northeast corner of Crooks. To the Sentinel Mr. Hirsch said the people of Prineville, the county seat of Crook, was reconciled to the change, and many residents of that city had signed the petition for the new county.

FOR SALE—House, barn, outbuildings, all new, two acres, one in fruit trees and small fruits, just outside city limits. Ten acres, with house, barn, modern improvements, running water and household goods, three quarters of a mile from city limits. Two A1 lots on Wall street. Address P. O. box 424.

Miss Belle Burkholder has completed her course at a business college in Portland, and will return home with her mother, Mrs. C. H. Burkholder, after the Fourth.

The Eugene military companies will

not compete for the \$25 prize at that place on the Fourth. 'Taint enough to get the companies together for.

Mrs. Lon Willard sings "Face to Face" Methodist church, Sunday evening.

Dr. Ingram will attend to your dental work with neatness and dispatch. Take your teeth to him.

Several families of the Mosby creek district will picnic above the "old mill" on the Fourth, and Messrs. Baker and Cavanaugh, who are the promoters, have invited a few Cottage Grove friends to join the party. The place of "rendezvous" is a beautiful spot.

For Sale—Six acres of good fruit land. Inquire B. C., Cottage Grove Flour Mills.

Company E of this city may give an exhibition drill at Vaughn's Spur on the Fourth. An invitation has been extended the company, and Capt. Lawson will submit the matter to the members at a meeting tomorrow night.

Seven-inch Monticell pure white dinner plates, 45 cents per set at Kerr & Silsby's.

Mr. DeSpain has a photo of Halley's comet taken in Honolulu, which is the best we have seen.

Beautiful flower service Methodist church Sunday p. m.

Anthem by choir, Methodist church, Sunday p. m.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will conduct a market at the store of H. C. Cook tomorrow.

A. W. Powell has rented a residence in Carlton, and moved his family to that place.

We carry the following brands of cheese: Full cream, Imported Swiss, Cream brick, Limburger, McLaren's, Pine Apple, Edam, Roman, and Primost. Kerr & Silsby.

Dr. Ingram left on Wednesday for Portland to attend the Oregon Dental association's meeting. Mrs. Ingram is visiting her parents at Myrtle Creek.

A party of 23 Hill surveyors are reported in camp at the Lake of the Woods, 36 miles east of Ashland. They are supposed to be surveying a route for a projected Hill road on the west side of Klamath Lake.

Mr. D. D. Craig of Grants Pass spent a portion of the week in Cottage Grove, a guest of his sister, Mrs. Lew. A. Cates.

The assembly plan has fallen flat in Clackamas county.

The cherry season is now in full swing, and a large amount of the fruit is being gathered. On Monday Mr. J. K. Barrett brought The Sentinel some of the most handsome specimens of the fruit that it has seen in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Yeinner were in Eugene on Monday.

David Alexander transacted business at the county seat on Monday.

Col. Veatch has corn higher than his head, and his height is 5.8.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sullivan of Disston were in the city on Tuesday.

Mrs. O. M. Dodson and son Fredrick of Baker City were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Tyson last week.

W. P. Tyson of Astoria was a guest of his brother, G. H. Tyson, between trains last Friday.

The people of Cottage Grove have for a number of years celebrated the Fourth of July in a fitting manner, but this year finds the business men and residents of the city desiring a rest from the usual overwork of the celebration, and the people of the neighboring districts are making extensive preparations for Independence Day.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Tyson, Mr. Ernest Wyatt and Mrs. Chas. Humphrey of Astoria went to London by auto on Tuesday. Mr. Tyson laid out the tennis court at the hotel.

Swifts Premium sliced boiled ham.—Kerr & Silsby.

J. S. Milne was a Portland visitor on Monday.

Mr. Oliver Veatch will erect a handsome bungalow at the corner of Fifth and Tennessee avenue

John Kirk of Dorena was in the city last Saturday.

Miss Rose Lunan and T. K. Johnson, both well known in Cottage Grove, were married at Marcola last week.

Mrs. Roy Griggs was a recent visitor at Comstock.

The Rev. Robert Sutcliffe and wife visited Eugene friends the first of the week.

Miss Ella Dickerson has accepted a position in the public schools at Joseph.

The Cottage Hotel was opened on Monday under the new ownership of Mr. Claude Nagle.

Messrs. Spriggs Brothers have recently equipped their shop with a Hydraulic Tire Setting machine. It is a late invention, and sets hot and cold tires.

C. H. Kaestner of Portland has opened a barber shop in the Schief building on Main street. The furniture and fixtures are the finest in the city.

Heinz's mixed sweet pickles, 25 cents per quart; sour, 20 cents per quart; Dill, 25 cents per dozen.—Kerr & Silsby.

Mr. Ernest Purvance, Misses Myrtle Purvance, Mable Veatch and Eunice VanDenberg are attending summer school at Eugene.

The Oregon cherries taste just as good as they look, and more than that in praise of them could not be said.

Next Monday the eloquent Fourth of July orator will be heard numerous in the land. There will be millions of words, but perhaps not a new idea.

BIG ORDER FOR MATERIAL

BOOTH-KELLY CO. PARCELS OUT CAR STOCK.

Garal Nws of Mills in Cottage Grov District—N w Logging Road Under Way.

The American Car & Foundry Co. of St. Louis, has placed with the Booth-Kelly Lumber Co. an order in excess of forty million feet of car material for the Harriman system. This is the largest order for that class of material ever placed, and is sufficient for the construction of about 10,000 cars. The order has been parceled out among the several mills. The material is to be delivered in about eight months. Since the placing of this order, there have been inquiries from other roads, which indicates that the railroads will probably be quite heavy purchasers this season.

TIMBERMAN NOTES.

A recent issue of The Timberman of Portland contains the following mention of mills in the Cottage Grove territory:

McKibben Bros., whose mill is located on the O. & S. E., are operating steadily. Much of their output is sold locally.

Geo. Taylor & Sons, whose sawmill at Star was recently destroyed by fire, are clearing up their stock and will retire from business.

Bed Rock Lumber Co., has its new mill in operation, cutting about 15,000 per day. W. T. Hankins, manager of the Row River Lumber Co., is interested in the Bed Rock Lumber Co.

Robert Gourley, of Aberdeen, has purchased the plant of the Cerre Gordo Lumber Co at Cerro Gordo. Harry Crites, formerly of the Disston Lumber Co., has accepted the management of the mill.

Row River Lumber Co., at Star has been reincorporated by W. T. Hankins, Albert Stocks, C. A. Harlow, T. B. Hankins, A. S. Nicol and J. E. Tuttle. The capital stock has been increased to \$30,000. The capacity of the mill will be increased. The mill was idle during the month of May, pending the installation of a gravity logging tram, 1 1/2 miles in length, standard gauge, 30-pound steel. The company has a splendid body of timber. The officers of the reorganized company are: President, Albert Stocks; vice-president, C. A. Harlow; secretary, E. J. Tuttle; treasurer and general manager, W. T. Hankins. About 50,000 feet of logs per day will be put in by the use of the tram.

Brown Lumber Company keeps its plant in steady operation. Manager L. S. Hill, is a busy individual, looking after both the logging and milling end of the game.

J. H. Chambers is operating the A. L. Woodard sawmill, near Cottage Grove. Mr. Chambers is disposing of the most of his output to Southern Oregon yards.

V. C. London, who, for the past seven years has had charge of the operating end of the Oregon & Southeastern Railroad has severed his connections with the company and accepted a similar position with the Carlton Consolidated Lumber Co. of Carlton. This company will install about fifteen miles of standard gauge road from Carlton to Ferndale, over which its log supply will be received.

COMPANY OF FORTY-TWO.

Columbia Park Boys' Entertainment Promises to Be Good.

The Columbia Park Boys will give a vaudeville performance at the Armory hall July 21. There are boys of all sizes and ages in the company, and if they are anything like their reputation which has preceded them, the performance will be the best that the Cottage Grove theatre patrons have ever had an opportunity of witnessing. Including the manager, S. S. Peixotto, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoyt, the musical directors, there are forty-two in the company. The entertainment will be divided into four acts, musical, dramatic, gymnastic and comic. The Woman's Club, which is responsible for the entertainment, has arranged for the boys to parade the streets. The parade will terminate at the Armory hall where the entertainment will be given.

Eugene Firm Buys Property.

The Berger-Bean Hardware Company has purchased the building formerly owned by L. R. Richey, located on the corner of Wall and River streets. We do not know their intentions but it is rumored that they may construct a substantial business block on this lot. We are just informed that they have sent a line of New Home Sewing Machines and have a man to look after that end of the business. The Berger-Bean Hardware Company was incorporated about three years ago and since that time has made marvelous growth in its business. It now has the finest hardware, vehicle and implement store in this part of the state, are located in the I. O. O. F. building, a new five story building, in Eugene.

Thinks Well of Cottage Grove.

Portland Journal:—Dr. C. S. White, state health officer, returned yesterday from Cottage Grove. He announced an

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awakening of public sentiment in favor of a pure water supply.

The sum of \$100,000 has been appropriated for installation of a municipal water system. "The people of southern Oregon are making great strides," said Dr. White. "I found an awakened interest also in plans for prevention of tuberculosis. There seems to be gradually coming about a state-wide systematic campaign against consumption. Sanitary living, clean food, pure water, all these are being insisted upon."

Esperantists to Meet.

A state convention of Esperantists has been called for July 16 in the convention hall of the Portland Commercial Club, when students of the world language, educators, teachers and others interested are asked to meet to consider the organization of a state Esperanto association. Other matters vital to the widespread adoption of the new language will come up. Among these will be the election of delegates to the International Esperanto Congress, to be held at Washington, D. C., August 14-20, and the proposal to introduce Esperanto in the public schools, as it is being done in Maryland and elsewhere.

Enroute to the Fight.

On Tuesday morning a lad of about sixteen was seen emerging from the Hotel de Snodgrass, where he had spent the night. Mr. H. O. Thompson accosted the youngster, and ascertained that he was enroute to Reno to witness the prize fight. He had been intercepted by the marshal, who had ordered him to the pipe line for duty. The young sport gave out the information that he intended to work long enough to earn \$5 or \$6, and then again take up his pilgrimage.

Bingham Wants to Hold Job.

As was to have been expected, the Hon. I. H. Bingham, who has served Eugene in the senate one term, will seek the republican nomination at the primaries to be held in September. He does not endorse the assembly plan, and declares he will have nothing to do with the county assembly to be held tomorrow. Just what he does "endorse" has not been made public, but one thing is certain, and that is, he believes in Bingham—first, last and all the time.

Business Is Disappointing.

Notwithstanding the London hotel has been thoroughly renovated and furnished and otherwise improved, and placed under new management, making it better equipped to cater to guests, there is disappointment over the patronage the hostelry is receiving this season. There are comparatively few campers at the springs, probably accounted for by the fact that the weather has been cool thus far this year.

Springs Becoming Popular.

Two and a half miles from Walker station is a mineral spring, where in days gone by many people congregated during the summer months to partake of the waters, which is said to cure many ailments. This spring is again coming into popularity.

Drill Night Changes.

The regular time for drill has been changed by Capt. Lawson of Company E from Tuesday to Saturday night. Several members of the company are employed at places outside the city, and the change will make it possible to have a larger number present.

Operation Was a Success.

Miss Minnie Comer recently underwent a successful operation at Portland for appendicitis, and is now rapidly recovering. Miss Comer will return to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Comer, within a few days.

The new gravity railway of the Row River Lumber company having been completed, the mill has resumed operations and is sawing about 30,000 feet per day. The company has forty men at the mill and in the woods.

AMONG LOCAL CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIANS ISSUE CALL TO INDIANA MINISTER.

Topics For Discussion at the Several Churches Next Sunday—General Religious News.

At a recent congregational meeting of the Presbyterians of this city, the Rev. Mr. Alexander of Lakeview, Indiana, was elected to the pastorate. The church had previously elected a Rev. Benson of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, but owing to his age reconsidered the matter and selected a younger man in Rev. Alexander.

Bigger and better than ever the services at the Methodist church on Sunday. Public worship at 11 a. m. with address by pastor on "The Martyr of Calvary." Sacrament of Lord's supper administered at close. Beautiful and unique Floral service in the evening at 8 o'clock. Robert Sutcliffe lectures on "Four Sweet Peas." All who attend receive a bouquet of these dainty flowers. Anthem by large chorus choir, Mrs. Lon Willard sings Herbert Johnson's solo "Face to Face." One must come early for the best seats. Bible school at 10 and Epworth League devotional meeting at 7 conducted by Bro. M. H. Anderson. A hearty welcome to all especially new comers.

Five children were baptized at the Methodist church Sunday morning. Many who were in attendance thought that the anthem "Summer Days" was the best work the choir had done for months. No less than seven men had a part. Adrian Nokes is a valuable addition, possessing as he does a tenor voice of unusual range and sweetness. All friends desirous of donating sweet peas for the decoration of the Methodist church on Sunday evening will kindly communicate with the Misses Hooper, DeLong, Phillips and Kem, the flower committee.

The Rev. Mr. Ford of Eugene will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening.

The Christian churches of Oregon have been in convention at Turner this week. The opening address by J. H. Mohorter, of St. Louis, was well received. The Bible school, 400 strong, under the charge of H. C. Eppy, was a splendid opening. Rev. Mr. Essen, of Albany, gave an address on the "Progress of the Cause." T. G. Pickett, of Portland, preached the communion sermon followed by a communion service. The Rev. Mr. Elkins is in attendance.

There will be communion services at the Baptist church Sunday morning. The Rev. Groat will take for his theme "Remember Me." The hand of fellowship will be extended to several new members.

"The Old Reliable."

Among the oldest and best known business establishments of Lane county is that of Lurch's, carrying as it does one of the largest stocks of general merchandise to be found in the balliwick mentioned. "When you can't find it elsewhere go to Lurch's" is a truism, and has been adhered to by the purchasing public for years. Mr. Lurch is wide awake to the interests of his patrons, and having had long business experience in the community knows their wants completely, and makes an effort to supply them. He contemplates improving and enlarging his place of business in the near future, his growing trade demanding more spacious quarters.

Star Couple Wedded.

Mr. Alfred N. Boyd and Miss Marie Meredith, both residents of Star, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage in this city Tuesday morning, the Rev. Robert Sutcliffe officiating. They have many friends in this vicinity, all of whom extend congratulations.

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