

**MAMMOTH TOOTH.**

While hunting along one of the ditches that lead into Camas Swale a few weeks since, Robert Veatch discovered and unearthed a mammoth tooth of some extinct monster. We are unable to say whether it belonged to the pliocene, miocene or any other kind of old age but judging from its size and condition, we think it antedated Noah's Ark. The tooth was a huge molar about eight inches long, six inches upright, and four inches wide, and in a fair state of preservation. Mr. Veatch will have it examined by Prof. Condon of Eugene with a view to determining what sort of a prehistoric beast wore such grinders.

**REGISTRATION.**

The registration law requires those living in the several districts to give section, township and range in which they reside unless within an incorporated town, so it is very necessary that one should bear these facts in mind when preparing to register. Everyone should strive to avoid accident and delay by registering early and not put matters off until the last day and hour. "Do not put off until tomorrow what you can do today," but be on the safe side. Register at once and get it off your mind. Something may turn up at the last moment that will cause you to lose the right of suffrage.

**SPRING.**

Spring is almost here. Buttercups and politicians are blooming on all sides. A frost is liable to nip a few of the early plants, but those of older and hardier nature will withstand quite a storm. Some of the spring flowers look through pearly dew drops, while others have on political spectacles and "twig" you with a hearty handshake afar off. Now is the time for the granger to have his faithful spouse sew on his buttons with good strong thread when he visits town and to label his buttock hole so that he can find it when he desires to tighten his coat on his return.

**MAY ORGANIZE A COMPANY.**

—Master Earl Hill, of Eugene, stepson of Mr. John Holland the new proprietor of the Cottage Grove Hotel, is thinking of organizing a militia company composed of school boys. Earl has been a member of Captain Sach's boy company at Eugene and is a well drilled soldier boy and quite capable of making the Cottage Grove boys a good drill master. The practice is very fascinating and beneficial and the boys here might just as well have a crack company as not.

**MORMONS.**

According to reports Eugene has two Mormon elders and one case of smallpox. Of the two contagious elements we are inclined to have the latter in our midst, for it will yield to treatment, while the other never does, unless at the end of a rope in the hands of indignant citizens. Decent society should quarantine the festive elders at their first breaking out. The outer coating of a goose with adhesive plaster applied would be a good dressing for these turkey buzzards.

**CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT.**

A large congregation assembled at the C. P. Church Sunday evening to listen to the rendering of the Christian Endeavor Society Programme, prepared by Father Clark, president of the Christian Endeavor Society for the United States. Ahy assisted by the pastor and church, Miss Mabel Wynne conducted the exercises fitting to the pleasant occasion, and those who attended left pronouncing the entertainment one of the most instructive, interesting and enjoyable of the season.

**CLOSE OF SCHOOL.**

The Cottage Grove high school is expected to close about the 3rd of March. Want of sufficient funds is the cause. It is to be regretted that the school cannot continue in the prosperous condition for another quarter at least. Its discontinuance will greatly retard the progress of those who are now attending with the expectation of entering advanced grades during the coming year.

**HOPS IN BEER.**

Senator McBride, at the request of the Hopgrowers' Association of Oregon, offered an amendment to the pure food bill, providing that the "standard of pure beer shall require the use of hops in the manufacture of beer in the ratio of not less than one pound of hops to each barrel of beer." This amendment is favored not only by the hop growers, but by reliable manufacturers, who aim to crush out the manufacture of impure beer.

**FINE SHEEP.**

Peter J. Boler, of Springfield, received from England two full-blooded Cotswold ewes, the first to arrive in Lane county. The two sheep, together with transportation cost Mr. Boler \$125, making them quite valuable.—Guard.

**NEW PROPRIETORS.**

John Holland of Eugene, well known throughout Lane county has leased and taken charge of the Cottage Grove Hotel and has thoroughly renovated the same and will bow to the public as an up-to-date hotel man. John is a good fellow, obliging and accommodating and will no doubt give good satisfaction as a landlord.

**A VALUABLE GIFT.**

Rev. McGee on his return from a successful meeting at Coburg, was presented with a splendid bed room set and parlor chairs by the Ladies Aid Society of the C. P. church. Mr. McGee and his genial wife feel very grateful for the generous donation from the hands of his co-workers.

**HOPS SOLD.**

Mr. Stroud, of Cottage Grove, has sold his hops to E. C. Smith, agent for Horst Bros. 74 bales of hops at 6 1/2 cents per pound.—Guard.

**LUCK OF ADVERTISING.**

John Yarnell dropped into our office yesterday and identified his lost watch chain which we had advertised. This is how people are rewarded by reading a live paper.

**A DISTRESSED FAMILY.**

The old gentleman Wheeler, his son Joseph and Mrs. Ellidge Wheeler, at the Silk Creek saw mill are all seriously ill with lagrippe and fever. Joseph is not expected to live.

**DRESSMAKING.**

Miss Medley is prepared to do all kinds of dressmaking at her home just north of Garman & Newland's store.

**DRAWING.**

The drawing for the sofa pillow for the benefit of the Catholic Church, will be held Feb. 17th and the winning number will be announced that evening at the close of the entertainment.

**OFFICIAL VISIT.**

Mrs. Sarah Cleveland, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Oregon will visit Cottage Grove Rebekah Lodge Thursday Feb. 15. Visiting members invited to attend. The lodge has changed the night of meeting to the 2nd 4th Friday of each month.

Mrs. Nat Martin has been ill this week but is recovering.

Mrs. Joseph Cole who has been under the care of a physician at Cottage Grove for some time, was able to take her departure for home Tuesday.

Mrs. John Medley left for San Francisco on a business trip Wednesday.

**AN EDITOR'S LIFE SAVED BY CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.**

During the early part of October, 1896, I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient state. I was constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.—B. S. EDWARDS, Publisher of The Review, Wyant, Ill. For sale by BENSON DRUG CO., Cottage Grove, LYONS & APPELGATE, Drain, Druggists.

Wall paper from 10cts up, cochrans and Bevens.

**All About You.**

Walt Griffin returned home Thursday. Attorney Knox is in Eugene on business.

Mr. O. O. McClellen of Salem is in the city.

W. H. Lincoln went to Eugene Thursday.

W. W. McFarland was on business at Creswell Thursday.

Gill Medows went to Bohemia Tuesday morning.

J. C. Hibler of Idaho visited friends in Cottage Grove last week.

Hon. W. F. Gray of Silk Creek was in the city Monday.

Duke Knox, of the U. of O., is visiting his parents for a few days.

Hon. Ivan McQueen of Lorane paid Cottage Grove a visit this week.

J. W. Cook was among the republican leaguers at Portland Tuesday.

C. H. Burkholder the merchant left for San Francisco on business Monday.

W. W. Chrisman and family visited Bake Stewart on Row River this week.

W. W. Masters and W. E. Bowen departed for the Bohemia mines Tuesday.

Mrs. O. O. McClellen of Salem arrived Sunday on a visit with her sister Mrs. C. J. Howard.

Mayor Bristow left for Portland Monday to attend the Republican League that met Tuesday.

Chas. Geltmaker, Jack Jones and George Rouse left for Bohemia Wednesday.

W. F. Brock of the Oregonian was in the burg several days this week attending to business.

W. W. Withers our popular sheriff gave this office a pleasant call during his visit this week.

Mrs. Frank Walkly who recently died at Eugene, was interred last Friday in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at Lorane.

Albert Veatch who has been attending the university at Eugene came up Tuesday on a visit to his parents.

Miss Augusta Garoutte, who is under treatment by Mrs. Dr. Schieff is rooming at J. H. McFarland's.

Sheriff Withers arrived at Cottage Grove on the overland Tuesday. The sheriff has become a very frequent visitor among us.

Wm. Hawley made a business trip to Lorane last week. He reports everything flourishing in that vicinity and the farmers busy putting in their crops.

T. W. Todd, advertising solicitor and practical printer, dropped in on us this week and made himself handy doing his own job work. Mr Todd understands his business thoroughly.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**

Preaching 11 a m subject "Christian Perfection." 7:30 p m "God in Nature." Public cordially invited to attend.

F. E. BILLINGTON, pastor.

**DIED.**—Joseph Wheeler died at his home at the Wheeler Bros & Owens saw mill aged about 30 years Feb. 7 1900

**DIED.**—The wife of Wm Allen at Creswell Thursey morning.

**SCHOOL REPORT.**

The report for Latham school, for the term commencing Sept. 11, 1899 and closing Feb. 21 1900.

No. days taught.....	98
" " present.....	1841
" " absent.....	169
" " times tardy.....	10
minutes lost by tardy	
marks.....	134
" days lost by pupils not entering at beginning of term.....	208
No. of pupils enrolled.....	26
" " withdrawn during the term.....	6
Total enrollment.....	20

Pupils who obtained premiums for excellent works were as follows: First premium, Miss Della White; second premium, Master Guy Whitlock; third premium Master Chas. Hull.

Pupils obtaining prizes for excellent speaking were as follows: First prize, Miss Jennie Hull; second prize, Miss Inez White; third prize, Miss Grace Whitlock. MRS. DAMEWOOD, Teacher.

**AGENTS FOR W.L. DOUGLAS SHOES BEST IN THE WORLD.**

**In Brief.**

If you are looking for a present that will be useful as well as ornamental go to Phillips and Jones Hardware.

You can get as good stamp photos at Boyds as any place in Lane Co., 21 for 25c.

Valentines, Valentines, Valentines BENSON DRUG CO.

If you want wall paper or books don't forget to get prices of J. P. Currin the druggist.

GRIFFIN & VEATCH Co. are the leaders in all kinds of mining supplies, ammunition and sporting goods.

Suits! Suits!! Tailor made suits!!! Up to date in every respect, from \$15 up. Call and see samples. GEO. BOHLMAN.

For best values in teas and coffees go to Cumming & Sehr.

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Remember Dr. I. L. Seefeld, Dentist when you want dental work done.

Subscribe for the Oregonian and Bohemia Nugget.

Sol Davidson received his stock of jewelry this week and now has a very nice display.

The finest line of straw matting at Cochran & Bevens.

Fresh candies every day, made from pure sugar at the Tailor shop.

For quality and cheapness in fresh meats go to the Central meat market.

You can see all the very latest designs in handsome Valentines at BENSON DRUG CO.

C. A. Lewis, boot and shoe repair shop. First class work, low prices. Opposite Sherwood Hotel.

Boys, have you seen those fine shot guns at GRIFFIN & VEATCH Co.

Get your wife a washing machine, wringer or churn for a Christmas present Phillips and Jones have them.

We now have all sizes in Cutters Boots and Shoes. Eakin & Bristow.

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Young men come and see our Valentines. Your best girl must be remembered. BENSON DRUG CO.

If you want a saw, axe, wedge, or any thing in the wood choppers line, Phillips & Jones have a good assortment and prices right.

The best for the money if you want any table or pocket cutlery go to Phillips & Jones Hardware.

Take your laundry to Geo. F. Griffith, agent of the Eugene Palace Laundry. Goes down Thursday and returns Saturday afternoon.

A choice selection of dried fruits at CUMMING & SEHR.

A great variety of mush goods at Cumming & Sehr.

Subscribe for the Nugget.

We will sell you Valentines from 10 to 150c. BENSON DRUG CO.

I will sell all Japanese goods at greatly reduced prices until Feb. 1st. Call and see them. EMILY MEINER.

J. P. Currin has a choice line of in-grain and figured wall paper, at prices to suit the trade.

We sell good goods at good prices for our customers, Central Meat Market.

Senator McBride has the thanks of this office for valuable public documents received.

J. K. Barrett has been taking the school enumeration this week.

Johnson Taylor is building a new house on his property on 6th street.

P. J. Jennings the mining man, arrived from Portland Tuesday accompanied by W. A. Kinney in company with Mr. Lloyd the two departed for Bohemia Wednesday.

There is no better medicine for the babies than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Its pleasant taste and prompt and effectual cures make it a favorite with mothers and small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds, preventing pneumonia or other serious consequences. It also cures croup and has been used in tens of thousands of cases without a single failure so far as we have been able to learn. It not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. In cases of whooping cough it liquefies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate, and lessens the severity and frequency of the paroxysms of coughing, thus depriving this disease of all dangerous consequences. For sale by BENSON DRUG CO., Cottage Grove, LYONS & APPELGATE, Drain, Druggists.

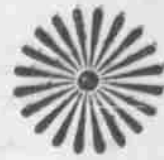
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**SCHOOL NOTES.**  
ROOM 5.  
Assembly opened Monday morning by singing "On the Banks of the Wabash."  
Miss Ethel Woolley was absent from school Monday morning.  
The public school will close in about three weeks after which there will be a subscription school for one term.  
Herschel Allison and Josh Brown from room 3 visited our room for one hour this week.  
Charley McKibben was absent Tuesday.  
Jennie Miller a former pupil visited school Wednesday.  
Eva Chamberlain is absent from school this week.  
The boys have been using the vacant room this week for ball playing.

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