

SOLDIERS' BANQUET.

Ord Post and the Ladies' Circle of the G. A. R. intend giving a banquet on Saturday, September 28th, the last Saturday of this month, to which all soldiers and sailors of our country of all wars are cordially invited to attend. It will be a basket affair and the Ladies of the Circle will see to it that there will be an abundance for all who come. The time of gathering is to o'clock in the forenoon and the place is the headquarters of Ord Post in the City Hall. A welcome is extended to every old soldier and young soldier and their wives, daughters and sweethearts, and don't forget to bring the children also. A jolly good time will be had and the intention is to make everybody happy and fill them full of the good things that God provides for us all. For some of the old veterans this may be the last banquet that they may be privileged to attend ere they cross the shining river, so come one and all and make merry, for it is written that all will be a long time dead. Remember, the last Saturday of this month, and the ladies will see to it that the baskets are heaping full.

BROKE OUT OF JAIL.

The attention of the city dads has on several occasions been called to the insecure condition of both the houses of detention for wrong doers. The calabos on River street has been broken open several times and criminals have gone free and jumped the town because the building was not strong enough to retain them. On Sunday night this act was again repeated. The marshal arrested a tough character who got off the night train, looked him up to appear before the Recorder in the morning, and when morning came the bird had flown and a big hole in the rear of the jail showed where he had kicked the boards off and taken wing. The cooler is all right for drunks but it will not hold live criminals, and should be made strong enough to hold even a "bad" man. Our city fathers should remember that "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," and do something in the way of making the jails secure.

A BUSY MUSIC BOX.

Brehaud & Morgan of the New Era drug store have recently bought a large music box and with it fifty odd tunes and songs. Each of their many friends have some expressed preference for a certain number, and as they are quite often happening around and asking to hear their favorite, it keeps the music box grinding from early dawn till late at night. "Music hath charms to soothe the savage," etc., and if reports be true there are several people in that neighborhood that are mighty near savage now and are making threats to import an Italian hand organ as a counter attraction.

FIRE ALARM SATURDAY.

An alarm was rung in last Saturday forenoon for a supposed fire in the Cottage Grove Hotel. A large volume of smoke was issuing from the apex of the roof near the chimney. The fire department was soon on the spot, but it was practically useless as there was not sufficient water in the pipes to reach the awning of the porch. One quick witted fireman soon evolved a scheme for saving the building. He lit a candle, climbed into the attic from an inside trap, sought out the defective flue and salted it, and presto, the fire was out. The whole town was out too.

ALWAYS WELCOME.

The smiling countenance of "Bob" Mabry, the bustling advertising agent for Chamberlain's Medicine Co. of Des Moines, Iowa, whose goods, so thoroughly known and appreciated, are constantly on hand at the Benson Drug Co. headquarters in this city, blew in on his annual visit this week. "Bob" is always welcome, for he is a straight-up business man, and takes pride in representing one of the best firms now doing business in the west.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

In accordance with the Mayor's proclamation the business houses of this town were closed and all of our citizens assembled at the M. E. church at 10:30 yesterday to listen to an appropriate program rendered in memorium of the Nation's chief. The proclamation is herewith appended:

In harmony with the proclamations of the President of the United States and the Governor of the State of Oregon, calling upon the American people to set apart Thursday, September 19, 1901, as a day of mourning out of becoming respect to the sad and lamentable death of our beloved chieftain, President Wm. McKinley, it is earnestly requested that the people of Cottage Grove lay aside their business cares on that day, as far as possible, and that appropriate memorial services be held at a suitable time and place, during the day, at which all may assemble in respect to and in memory of our murdered President, in this hour of national bereavement.

R. M. VEATCH, Mayor.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Veatch in an appropriate and feeling way. The choir sang the "Star Spangled Banner." Rev. Crandal offered an eloquent prayer. "Kindly Light" was rendered by choir. The Rev. L. D. Beck, the orator of the occasion, delivered a splendid address full of inspiration and pathetic feeling. C. J. Howard gave a short and pungent recitation. J. E. Young introduced a set of resolutions, which were spoken to by J. S. Medley, Darwin Bristow and N. Martin, Sr., and adopted by a rising vote. The choir sang "Nearer My God to Thee." Rev. Beck offered a most fervent prayer and the large audience was dismissed by the Mayor.

WHEN THE SAD NEWS CAME.

Last Friday night when the President was dying the telegraph offices were besieged with eager and sad faced men until the last bulletin announced that all was over and the spirit of our beloved president had left its tenement of clay. At midnight a national salute was fired on the outskirts of town and the bells of the C. P. Christian Church and City Hall tolled out a requiem. Since then the flags have been at half-mast, pictures of the President are draped in most of the business window and private homes, and evidences of mourning on all sides. The loyal American is ever ready to bestow honor where honor is due.

HOPS ARE GATHERED.

Hop picking will all be over by the end of this week, and then Oregon will be ready for the gentle showers. Hopgrowers have been favored with the best of weather for gathering the harvest, which is a trifle light as compared to other seasons, but the quality is of the best and prices are expected to range well up. The many pickers who went out into the field from here are returning singly and in groups with the fruits of their toil, and will be able to provide for themselves many comforts for the coming winter.

DOING WELL.

A letter received by a friend in this city last Saturday from P. B. Sherwood, now of Colorado Springs, Colo., announces the fact that Mr. Sherwood has sold his large farm there for \$8,500 and will soon look up another location. While the family have experienced more or less sickness during their stay in Colorado, at the time of writing their general health was good and Perry says things are beginning to come their way. The Nugget joins their friends here in wishing them success.

REPAIRING THE BRIDGE.

The county bridge force is now at work on repairs to the bridge at the west end of Main street over the Coast Fork, which connects the east and west side of town. New bents are being put in, new plank will be laid and the bridge will be put in good shape for winter. This work is being done none to soon, for the bridge of late was in such a condition that most people were afraid to be on it when heavy teams were crossing.

Personal Paragraphs.

Mrs. Bob Martin of Dorena came to town on Tuesday.

Mrs. James Redford came down from Dorena on Tuesday.

Dave Gover came down from Bohemia on the stage Tuesday.

Mr. Tapling came out from Bohemia on the stage last Tuesday.

Miss Smith, sister of Mrs. Schleeft, is back from Aberdeen, Wash., where she has been making a long visit with friends.

J. E. Young got back from Bohemia on Tuesday. He has been in the hills for over a week looking after his mining interests.

Frank Wheeler and his father F. E. Wheeler left on Tuesday by team and hack for Klamath Falls, to be gone about three weeks.

Mrs. D. T. Awbrey left on Tuesday for Portland for a three week's visit and will view the glories of the Carnival while there.

J. H. Teeters and wife came to town this week on horseback from their home on Row river. Mr. Teeters is 67 years old and rides with the spirit and vim of a cowboy.

Professor Day has come out from his fine property on Horseheaven creek and gone to Eugene for the winter. The professor looks forward to a bright future for Bohemia.

R. F. Rawlings of Mosby creek was in town this week and made the Nugget office a pleasant call. Mr. Rawlings says things are gliding along smoothly out his way and the neighbors are well and happy.

The W. G. T. U. will give a dime social at the reading room next Tuesday evening. Admission will be 10c. The ladies invite everybody to come and desire to say that all who do come will have a jolly good time.

Mrs. N. E. Elson & Son have an attractive "ad" in this issue setting forth the nice goods they have to show you. Their prices are within your reach and they have a fine stock which they desire you to call and look over.

Mr. E. Haylen of Mohawk is here on a visit to his son-in-law and family, the Rev. C. E. Crandall. He is delighted with the beautiful weather here and is much surprised to find Cottage Grove such a large and flourishing town.

J. A. Sears has rented his farm and stock ranch near Saginaw and will journey by team with his family to California, where he will visit many localities in search of health and pleasure. He expects to return here next summer.

James H. McFarland and wife returned this week from their trip to Boise City, Idaho. Their return was in response to a summons that their beautiful home was in ruins, and they are now quartered at the home of their daughter.

County Assessor Dick Burton came down to the Grove last Sunday. His visit was a combination of business and pleasure and of the latter he pronounced the time to a nicety. Dick is a genial fellow and has a host of friends in this end of Lane county.

Curtis Veatch and wife came down from Bohemia on Tuesday. He drove from the Musiek mine that day and brought out some of the effects of Bob Veatch, the ranger, and his two eldest daughters. Bob and his wife will be down in about a month.

Mr. Campbell of the firm of Campbell & Alexander, the Comstock lumbering and piling firm, has rented the fine dwelling of James Benson and will move his family here for future residence. The Campbells will be a pleasant addition to the already large social circle of the Grove.

J. I. Jones and family this week left for La Plata, Missouri, the boyhood home of Mr. Jones. They will remain away for about two months and will visit all their old friends in that section. Their many friends here wish them a safe and joyous trip and will be glad to greet them on their return.

Dr. Snapp on Monday took leave of his many friends here and went by the northbound train toward Ukiah. Mrs. Snapp will follow him in a few days. It is not at all unlikely that the doctor will return again before another year, but the prospects in his new field are flattering and he was desirous of a change.

J. A. Archibald, salesman for the Blasing Granite Company, was in town this week. He has just returned from Lorane, where he has put up several fine monuments. Much of the fine work of this firm is to be seen in our own cemetery and all who expect to erect monuments to the memory of their loved ones should see Mr. Archibald.

Your attention is called to the display "ad" in another column of Miss Mary Bartels, who has succeeded Mrs. George Bohlman in the millinery business at the old stand on Main street. Miss Bartels is just from one of the largest establishments in Portland, and has a stock of elegant up-to-date goods which she will be pleased to have you call and examine.

Louis Hartley and family came out this week from Martin Creek, where he has been mining all summer on the Hartley & Hughes group. This property is now showing up fine and will command much attention next season. Mr. Hartley and family go to Corvallis to spend the winter, where the son Warren and daughter Sophia will attend the Agricultural College.

Prof. Kendall was in town on Saturday and says that he has just completed a new barn, and has nothing to put in it, so the neighbors out his way had better keep a lookout for their loose animals. They had a jolly time at the raising, the neighbors for miles around lending a helping hand, and were rewarded for their kindness by depleting the Professor's stock of provisions in the shape of a sumptuous spread that filled them all with good cheer.

N. B.

Keep in mind when buying Drugs that the prescription department of J. P. Curran's is presided over by a thorough Pharmacist, one whom time has proven reliable.

Local Breveties.

Buy your grass seed of Eakin & Bristow.

Battenburg point lace patterns and braids at Lureh's.

Large lines of gents and ladies watches at H. C. Madsen.

If you want anything in the line of pruning shears call on Griffin, Veatch Co.

The Benson Drug Co. has for sale a choice line of syringes of perfect make and cheaper than the cheapest.

Those diamonds at H. C. Madsen are beauties. Call and see them.

Try a Sunday dinner at the Imperial Hotel. Served from 12 m. to 1:30 p. m. and up to date in all respects.

The Benson Drug Co. carries a complete stock of school stationery in the very best of material and for the lowest possible prices.

You can buy any preparation at J. P. Curran's that is advertised in any paper. Remember we make a specialty of family receipts.

A new invoice of plated ware, clocks, etc., at Madsen's.

The Benson Drug Co. has on display the finest line of rubber goods ever brought to Cottage Grove. Inspect them and be convinced.

Beware of air dried or half dry flooring, ceiling and rustic. The Booth-Kelly Lumber Co. are making special prices on kiln-dried lumber.

The Benson Drug Co. offers you the perfection of perfume and guarantees its aromatic odors to captivate the senses. Try them and you will ever after buy them.

If you have anything to sell or want to buy real estate, stock, agricultural implements or anything else go to Phillips & White. They have a call now for team, wagon and harness and a couple of good cows, also calves and yearlings wanted.

WANTED AT ONCE.

A woman who is a good cook; one who can provide for about 25 boarders and transients. Apply at the Cottage Grove Hotel. A liberal salary will be given.

NOTICE.

The old reliable firm of J. P. Curran is still doing business as of olden times, with a full line of Drugs, Paints, Oils, Glass, School Books, School Supplies, etc. The past eighteen years before the citizens of Cottage Grove in this line is evidence of his ability, which has never been questioned. We give you just what you call for and always keep a line of Pure drugs.

J. H. Shortridge was in town this week with a wagon load of splendid Bartlett pears which he disposed of to our town people so cheaply that they were almost in the nature of a gift. The Nugget man got half a dozen choice ones.

J. E. Young on Wednesday bought the O. F. Rohrer property on River street. This fine property adjoins the residence grounds of H. H. Veatch, formerly the Stone property. Mr. Young will build a handsome dwelling on this splendid site in the near future.

T. W. Duncan of the San Francisco Examiner is in town in the interest of that great metropolitan journal. The principal premium of the Weekly Examiner, \$10,000 in U. S. bonds, was awarded to Mrs. Dave Story of Oregon City, last June.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of the County of Lane, State of Oregon, made on the 3rd day of September, 1901, in the matter of the estate of Geo. F. Garoutte, deceased, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, subject to the confirmation of said Probate Court, on Saturday the 19th day of October, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the front door of the dwelling house on the following described tract of land belonging to the estate of the said Geo. F. Garoutte, in Lane County, State of Oregon all of the following described tract of land, to-wit: The SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 5 and Lot 4 of said Section 5 all in Tp. 21 S., R. 2 W., containing 57.92 acres of land in Lane County, Oregon. Dated this 19th day of September, 1901.

FRANK KELLY, Administrator of the estate of Geo. F. Garoutte.

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3.00	" "	2.70
2.50	" "	2.25
2.00	" "	1.80
1.50	" "	1.35

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