

NEW ROAD TO LORANE.

S. G. Lockwood was in town from Lorane last week. He says that at the Grange meeting on Saturday of this week steps will be taken looking to the building of a good and substantial wagon road, with an easy grade, in the near future from Lorane and the Siuslaw valley to Cottage Grove; that it will be done by contributions and some assistance from the county court. A most feasible route has been looked up and an eleven-mile road can be built for a most reasonable amount of money that will enable the farmers to haul loads of 2000 pounds with ease, whereas now it requires great effort to haul 500 pounds over the old steep mountain road. This matter of a good road to the Siuslaw is a long felt want and when built will be a great blessing to all who have occasion to travel over it.

MACABRES INSTALLED.

Last Thursday evening a double installation of officers elect for the ensuing year of this order was held at their lodge room. The ladies' lodge received the first attention and the officers elect were inducted into their respective offices through a unique and most impressive ceremony. Immediately after the installation proceedings had been completed a most interesting program was presented and heartily appreciated by all present. The banquet was forthcoming and a wealth of good things was provided and greatly relished. The remainder of the evening was spent in social intercourse and a real good time was enjoyed to the great satisfaction of the members of the order and their invited guests.

THE COMEDY DRAMA.

This evening will witness at the Opera House the presentation by a company of amateur artists of the five-act drama "The Deacon." This play has been for two weeks under rehearsal and the ones to personate the characters have gained full mastery over their lines, so that the public can feel confident of an evening of real genuine enjoyment. That a full house will greet the amateur artists is a certainty and those who come in late can not expect to burn the front seats. You will miss an evening of pleasure if you do not get there.

NEARLY A BLAZE.

On Sunday evening at the Cottage Grove Hotel a gasoline lamp caught fire and made things quite lively around the office of the hotel for a few minutes. It was thrown out into the street before any serious damage was done. The proprietor will take no more chances with the fiery gasoline and has had electric lights put in this week.

BADLY BRUISED.

On Saturday last Frank Hambrick met with a serious accident. While working at the tie plant he had the misfortune to fall from one of the retorts, a distance of some twelve feet, striking the ground on his head and shoulders. The cords of his neck were severely strained and he was badly shaken up, but is getting along nicely now.

REPORT FROM LE ROY.

Superintendent Alfred Johnson under date of January 20 writes the secretary of Le Roy Mining Company as follows: "The weather is fine in Bohemia, but little snow has fallen. The machinery is working fine. We are working fine. The ore is showing up fine, and gets better with every shot as we go downward in the shaft."

FINE POULTRY.

Mr. C. F. Handy received this week from Wisconsin a coop of pure-bred Brown Leghorn chickens. They are brown and chicking from the eggs seen in the coop they are prize winners. Here is a chance to get a start for a small sum that will lead to prosperity if the proper care and attention be given them.

Superintendent Behne came back from Portland this week. He went up to enjoy the initiation of a number of candidates for Masonic honors and see them ride the bucking goat.

BOHEMIA IS BOOMING

So Reports J. L. Le Roy, of the Le Roy Mining Company, Who is in Portland.

Evening Telegram.

J. L. Le Roy, president of the Le Roy Mining Company, which owns one of the best known properties in the Bohemia district, is in Portland on business. Mr. Le Roy reports continued activity in Bohemia, with prospects for a flourishing year.

The Le Roy mine, which is Mr. Le Roy's special pride, joins the famous Helena on the west, and is in the same lode. About 300 feet of tunnel work has been done on the property, but present operations are concentrated on a shaft near the confluence of two ore bodies, one of them five feet wide at the surface, and the other eight feet. It is expected to open up a big ore body at the junction of the two ledges with depth. At present a force of six men is employed at the Le Roy. Assays have been obtained on the ore going \$96 in gold, 60 per cent lead, 20 ounces in silver and 5 per cent copper. In speaking of the camp in general Mr. Le Roy this morning said:

"I have been in the Bohemia district nearly seven years and I can truthfully say that the camp never looked better than it does today. Considerable work is in progress and many rich specimens of ore are to be seen. The Specimen Colorado is showing up remarkably well. A big body of base ore has been opened up. The same can be said of the Vesuvius, which has thousands of dollars' worth of ore blocked out. Many other prospects are showing up wonderfully well also, and the coming year will witness the making of many mines. The Helena is working in very rich galena ore, and is one of the big mines of the state.

"The survey of the proposed railroad from Cottage Grove is nearing completion, and I do not look for any trouble in securing the right of way."

TERRIBLE TROUBLE.

Many people have to pass the show windows of the Benson Drugstore without going inside to price and admire the many beautiful things Doc Patterson has to show you. There are many brands of artistically colored and delightfully scented toilet soaps. You will there find brushes for the teeth, hair and clothes, and when you have faithfully and energetically renovated your person with these masterpieces Doc will be more than pleased to introduce to your notice several of the choicest brands of cigars that have heretofore only been indulged in by men of royal or aristocratic blood. If anything should occur to you that is straightening out would require a dose of pills, ointment, balsam, or any old thing, drop into the Benson drugstore and Doc Patterson will take the kinks out of you in a jiffy.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., January 22, 1902. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Isaac W. Tompkins (town or city) Cottage Grove, County of Lane, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1975, for the purchase of the Lots 1, 2, 7, 8 and 10, of Section No. 2 in Township 22 S. of Range 1 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1902. He names as witnesses: Willard Boren, Frank McIntyre, W. M. George, Ben Pitcher, of Wildwood, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 5th day of April, 1902. J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

ATTENTION!

The new hardware store and plumbing shop of Wynne & White is now open for business on Main street near the bridge. All who need goods or work in our line are cordially requested to give us a call.

CLEARANCE SALE.

For 90 days from February 1st we will sell at a ten per cent discount any and all of our large stock of wall paper. This liberal offer is given as we have a big invoice of new stock on the way and need the room. Now is your chance to secure the best bargains on the finest wall paper ever brought to Cottage Grove. JESKINS & LAWSON.

Personal Paragraphs.

Alex Pugh is down from Bohemia for a few days vacation and is registered at the Cottage Grove Hotel.

Mrs. J. H. Davidson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lester, and her many friends in Eugene this week.

Mrs. E. H. Sherwin of Ashland visited here this week and delivered a lecture before the order of Macabees.

W. B. Dennis and wife came down from Blackbutte on Wednesday. They were registered at the Imperial.

W. M. Miller of Eugene, county superintendent of public schools, was here in the interest of our school on Saturday last.

John Weigers was in town from Mill No. 1 this week. He only tarried long enough to transact some important business.

A letter this week from J. S. Martin at Silver Lake says that the weather is delightful there; no snow and stock of all kinds doing well.

Joseph Piper of Loyal, Wisconsin, arrived here this week. He intends to locate, and is already much infatuated with our salubrious climate.

Bake Stewart was in town from Row river this week. He reports everything running along smoothly up his way and he is healthy, happy and contented.

Charley Henderer and wife of Leona visited the Grove on Sunday. Charley has been having trouble with his teeth and came up to have the pain extracted.

Preaching at the Christian Church Sunday morning and evening. Sunday School Intermediate and Y. P. S. C. E. at regular hours. The public cordially invited. F. E. BILLINGTON, Pastor.

Miss Flossy Lockwood returned last week from an extended visit in Portland, made a visit with friends here for several days and then accompanied her father, Samuel G. Lockwood, to their home in Lorane.

Read the "ad" of the Farmers' Store conducted by G. O. Walker at Work. He carries a fine line of goods and pays the highest prices for all kinds of produce. Give him a call and you will be well satisfied with results.

Henry Johnson made a week's trip to Portland and got back safe on Wednesday morning, and he didn't have a return ticket either. "Dutch" says he had more fun than a barrel of monkeys up three trees, and he doesn't show the least sign of wear and tare.

Albert Zinkler came down from Bohemia on Wednesday. He says things are looking fine at the Vesuvius, but it was awful hard on him to stay long away from his own fireside and the companion of his joys, for he has not been married long enough to have any sorrows.

Mrs. J. C. Woods, who for some months past has been the guiding spirit of the Commercial Hotel, has ceased her connection therewith, and on Tuesday went to Bohemia to take a position in the boarding house of the Helena No. 2. Her ample form will be missed in the Grove and her winning ways and gracious smile will be much prized by the bachelors of Bohemia.

Fred Gale has got another invoice of trinkets and fancy fixings to utilize in the embellishment of the harness and saddle work he turns out at his neat and up-to-date shop on the west side. All he needs now and what he most desires is about 200 purchasers to put in active use the many fine things he has in his shop. Fred can't chase you up because he can't run, but he agrees to wear his most angelic smile if you will only come running to him.

Daniel Davidson of Greenwood, Wisconsin, arrived here this week direct from his eastern home. When he left his native heath he says the snow was two feet on the level and it was 22 degrees below zero. He likes the climate of Oregon very much and is seeking a location to anchor on. It is a new experience to him to see wild ripe strawberries growing on our hillsides and pluck the fragrant roses from our lawns when he so recently came out of the frozen belt.

Special attention is called to the display "ad" of Frank Skillman, who succeeds Baker & Johnson in the grocery business in the blue front store on the west side. This fine store carries a full line of the best goods that come to this market and the prices are as low as the lowest. Mr. Skillman is an affable and capable business man and will appreciate a continuance of the regular trade. His stock is large and well selected to accommodate all who come. He wants to see you and desires your trade and it will do you both good to get acquainted. Read his "ad" in another column.

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Take your shoes to the West Side harness shop for repairs.

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Tuesday and to noon of Wednesday of next week, January the 28th and 29th, Dr. Lowe will be in Cottage Grove at the Sherwood House.

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