BURNED OUT.—

There was a sharp report not unlike a big firecracker, a shrill yell, a few notes less shrill than that of a Sioux Indian on the warpath, and all was quiet. Several parties hurried to their doors expecting to see the victim of a tragedy and the assassin fleeing around the corner. Such was not the case, however. It proved to be some trouble at the central station of the Long Distance Telephone Company in this city, located in the Modern Pharmacy, formerly known as the Benson Drug Co. On Wednesday afternoon it will be remembered, a severe thunder shower came up and for a time all kinds of rain fell here. When the first flash of lightening came the telephone received the shock and the result was a severe shaking up at central. Miss Johnson who presides at the central office was scared, and Doc Patterson, who was working on the books at the time, had not, at the time a reporter called, sufficiently recovered to know for sure whether he was scared or not. At any rate the way things were flung around there was enough to startle anyone. The plugs in the fuse board were nearly all destroyed, and more or less other damage was done. In the course of an hour after the accident Mr. Patterson had succeeded in getting things in running order again and the jingle-jingle-jing of the telephone call went on as usual.

LORANE WON.—

Last Sunday the Lorane team and the Divide team met at the Divide grounds and played an interesting game of ball. The usual game was played and the score stood at the close 16 to 6, in favor of Lorane. A distressing accident happened at the commencement of the game. Ernest McReynolds, pitcher for the Divide boys, had tied a bandage around his arm, and the first ball he attempted to deliver from the box rolled undirected between the pitcher and the plate, while the pitcher stood helpless in the box, dangling a broken arm. The bandage had been tied too tight, and when the attempt to throw was made the bone snapped like a stick just above the elbow. Mr. McReynolds left the field, and his place was supplied by another player and the game was played through.

AT M. E. CHURCH.—

Next Sunday night at the M. E. church will be held the first of a series of platform meetings for the promotion of law and order in our city. The several congregations will unite their forces and listen to addresses from prominent citizens of the town and the several pastors. The addresses of the first meeting will be made by Attorney King, who will be chairman of the meeting and Revs. Billington, Boyles and Feese. The addresses will be limited to fifteen minutes each, interspersed by special music. Solos will be rendered by Miss Silsby and Miss Boyles, and select numbers by a quartette and a choir composed of the several choirs of the city.

SCHOOL ELECTION.—

Last Monday a fair representation of the voters of this school district met at the school house in special school meeting assembled to elect one school director and a clerk for the ensuing term. Oliver Veatch, the outgoing director, was nominated to succeed himself and there being no other nominations he was duly declared elected. J. K. Barrett, was also put in nomination to succeed himself as clerk and was duly elected. The school board has handled its offices in a commendable manner during the past year, and as a result the school is in a flourishing condition.

AN OLD A. O. U. W.—

Captain B. F. Devinney, Grand Master of the A. O. U. W. is in Cottage Grove this week looking after the interests of the new lodge recently organized here. Captain Devinney has the honor of being one of the oldest member of the order having joined in 1870, two years after the organization was perfected, he being the 253rd member. He is a pleasant gentleman, a good talker and his heart is in the work. He will no doubt do some good work here for the order.

BUSINESS TRANSFER.—

A transfer has been made in the Gilbert & Welsh merchandise store of this city in which Mr. Gilbert, who is personally located at Eugene, retires and the business now goes directly into the control of Welsh and Woods. Mr. Woods having charge of the business, while Mr. Welsh is associated with Mr. Gilbert in their store at Eugene. Mr. Woods has been in charge of the store in this city for several months and has made many friends, who will be pleased to learn of his greater interests in the store.

RESIDENCE COMPLETED.—

The new residence of Marion Veatch, erected by Thomas and Sons, is now completed and has been formerly turned over to the owner. It is a pretty seven-room cottage on a stone foundation 24x54 feet, opposite the Christian church, and is a marded improvement to that quarter of the city. Thomas and Sons are rapidly completing the E. H. Feister residence, in the D. G. McFarland addition, built on the same plan as that of the Veatch residence.

SCHOOL CLOSED.—

This week the public school term expired and the school closed Wednesday. The school term just closed has been one of the most successful in the history of the district. The attendance has been large and regular, the teachers selected have proved to be competent. To Professor Briggs is due much credit for the good discipline displayed and for many improvements in methods and in the schoolgrounds.

MEET AT EUGENE.—

A meeting of the Second Oregon District Agricultural Society was held in this city Wednesday evening, at which the following officers were chosen: V. C. London, president; F. A. McCall, Roseburg, vice president. The commissioners present were F. A. Rankin, Eugene; Amos Wilkins, Coburg; J. C. Aiken, Roseburg. It is proposed to hold the next exhibit at Eugene shortly after the State Fair.

MODERN PHARMACY.—

As announced in the last issue of Nugget the Benson Drug Co. business has changed hands, and the new proprietor, David Griggs, has decided upon a new name for the business. Henceforth the old established business will be known as the Modern Pharmacy. The place of business will be the same, and the many patrons of the old firm are cordially invited to call.

SOLD OUT.—

John Stoneberg this week sold out his billiard, cigar and confectionery business to C. A. Hubbard, who has already taken charge. Mr. Stoneberg will soon commence the erection of a handsome residence in McFarland's addition.

Wynne Hardware Co.

PLUMBING.

Carry a complete line of Hardware, Tinware, Stoves, Ranges, Farm Implements and Mining Supplies, including Giant Powder Co.'s Powder, Caps and Fuse.

Call and see the new "1901" Bicycles.

"The Charter Oak Hardware Store."

Wynne Hardware Co., Proprietors.

Fine line of clocks at H. C. Madsen's

Call at H. C. Madsen's for wedding presents.

Attorney J. S. Medley was in Eugene this week.

Finest line of silverware at H. C. Madsen's.

Rev. C. H. Wallace made Eugene a visit last Monday.

Commissioner Edwards was in the city last Tuesday.

Aldon's Chocolates are the best for sale at McClellan's.

Ladies shirt waist sets at Pacific Timber Co's Store.

Best cigars on the market at the Wave Ice Cream Parlors.

J. W. Gowdy is refinishing his residence property near the mill race.

Will Griffith arrived here from his home at Oregon City last Monday.

High grade chocolates and bon bons at the Wave Ice Cream Parlors.

Don't forget the closing out sale at Rankin's Music House, Eugene.

Chas. Gettys, postmaster at Bohemia, was in the city Wednesday.

Miss Maude Bingham has returned to Portland after a several week's visit with Mrs. Behne.

Oliver Hart has an eye in a sling this week, owing to a granulated eyelid.

WANTED—Girl for general house work—four in family. Inquire at this office.

Attorney J. E. Young is home from a professional visit to Eugene and Portland.

Mrs. Lucy Holland and daughter, Miss Clara Delassus, visited Eugene Wednesday.

Furnishing goods, shoes, ribbons laces and embroideries lowest price at N. E. Elsea's.

Thos. Awbrey visited Eugene last Monday, returning home on the afternoon train Tuesday.

The boys played an interesting game of practice ball on the Long & Bingham field last Sunday.

A. P. Betterworth, editor of the Harrisburg Bulletin, was in the city Saturday and Sunday.

WANTED—Room and board in a private family, by young lady. Inquire at Nugget office. 1t pd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kayser returned home Monday afternoon from a short visit to Benton county.

McClellan's is the only place in town where you can buy a box of Albon Chocolates and Bon Bons.

Rev. Boyles, of the First Cumberland Presbyterian church of this city held services at Creswell Sunday.

Jesse Griffin is clerking for Garman & Hemenway Co. during the absence of the junior member, W. A. Hemenway.

Miss Topsy Knowlton, of this city, has accepted a position with the Leader and is learning the "art preservative."

Albert Wallace, who has been at Eugene for some time, passed through Tuesday to Oakland, where he has a two week's brick contract.

There is a strict law in Oregon against the killing of birds except game birds in season, and crows, blue jays, horned owls, butcher birds, magpies and English or European house sparrows. Nor can nests be robbed. The penalty is $5 to $100 or imprisonment of one day for each dollar of the fine.

Try one of those delightful face massages. Removes black heads, tan and brings color to the cheek at Allison & Hasting's tonsorial parlors

L. J. Hilton, of Drain, was in the city Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Hilton is engaged in sub-contracting from the Pacific Timber Co., in furnishing piling and telegraph poles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stoneberg have returned home from a several week's visit to Prineville, Crook county, where they have been visiting Mrs. Stoneberg's sister. They report an enjoyable time.

W. P. Lockwood, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Wisconsin Central, with headquarters at Tacoma, Wash., accompanied by his wife, visited relatives in this city and at Loarne this week.

Blue print maps of any township in Roseburg, Oregon Land District, showing all vacant lands for 50cts. each. If you want any information from the U. S. Land Office, address, Title Guarantee & Loan Co., Roseburg, Ore.

J. K. Barrett has been elected school clerk of this district for the tenth time. During Mr. Barrett's incumbency he has proved himself a thorough, and painstaking officer, and his many friends are pleased to have him retain the position.

You use medicines, don't you? Then you have prescriptions filled, don't you? Well, then, you want them filled at a reliable house, don't you? Did it ever occur to you that Benson Drug Co. is that kind of a house. You try it and see—that's all.

A. L. Woodard informs the Nugget that he has 2000 acres of timber land located mostly in twps 21 and 22, range three west, which will cruise on the average of 20,000 feet to the acre besides piling, which he will sell in a body for $12 per acre. He also has other timber lands located in Douglas and Lane counties for sale cheap. Parties interested call at Nugget office. 4tp

C. E. Lilly was in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Pearsons visited Portland this week.

New line of Banner fashion plates and patterns just opened up at Lurch's.

The Wave handles only standard brands of cigars.

Ice cream made from pure cream at McClellan's.

Cooling and refreshing: McClellen's ice cream soda.

Are you looking for toilet articles? Drop into Benson Drug Co's store.

Wheat and oat chops $1.35 at Cottage Grove Roller Mills.

Your prescriptions filled QUICK, at Benson Drug Co's store.

Brand pr. 100; $1.00 at Cottage Grove Roller Mills.

Try some of those choice perfumes at Benson Drug Co.

Doc LeRoy was in from Benson this week

Immense bargains at Rankin's Music Store, Eugene.

Oats per 100 45c at Cottage Grove Roller Mills.

Shorts pr. 100; $1.20 at Cottage Grove Roller Mills.

Dr. Lowe oculo-optician—Eugene

Ice cream and soft drinks a specialty at the Wave Ice Cream Parlors

We make our own ice cream and candies at the Wave Ice Cream Parlors.

You get your money's worth if you buy your millinery at Mrs. N. E. Elsea's.

See those hats at the Fashion millinery store, Miss Mary Bartels, proprietress.

For most beautiful flowers, chiffon and scarfs at lowest prices. Mrs. N. E. Elsea.

WANTED—A good gentle horse, one not afraid of the train. Inquire at this office. 3tp

Books, magazines, novels, all kinds at Eagle Book Store, 1 door west of postoffice.

Ask for special price per ton loads (flour or feed) at the Cottage Grove Roller Mills.

Dr. E. T. Anderson was confined to his home with illness this week.

Secure one of those grand bargains at Rankin's store, Eugene, before they are all gone.

Joseph Slee, formerly in the grocery business in this city, has returned after having spent several months in Southern Oregon.

Just received the finest line of pencil tablets that ever came to the town. See them at J. P. Currin's. 4w-19.

A new Studebaker wagon for sale at J. M. Comer's place, three miles west of town. Price $80 and a splendid bargain. Call and see it.

Best Cabinetto Photos $1.25 per doz for a short time only at Shanafelt's Gallery opposite Masonic hall west side.

Strength and vigor come of good food, duly digested. "Force", ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains.

Mayor R. M. Veatch was a visitor to Drain last Tuesday, where he attended a meeting of the executive board of the Drain Normal School.

When you want a pleasant physic try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by Benson Drug Co.

Dr. Wall was in Eugene Wednesday in attendance upon the Lane County Medical Association which was in session in that city Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Those beautiful hats at the Fashion millinery store, are going fast. You should avail yourself of the privilige of seeing them and making your selection at once.

Don't delay—the Rankin closing out sale of music goods at Eugene will soon be over and you will be kicking yourself for not securing one of the big bargains offered.

The Western Division of the Oregon Teachers Association will be held at Portland June 2-3-6-7. Professor Briggs occupies a prominent place on the program.

The many friends of Harry Clarke, who has been identified with the Pacific Timber Co's store in this city, will be pleased to learn of his promotion to manager of the company's store at Alca. Mr. Clarke is a capable young man and will show his appreciation by efficient work in his Company's interest.

It is announced that W. T. Kayser and C. J. Miller will soon open up a language school. Mr. Kayser will be installed as professor of German and "Jargon" while Professor Miller will devote his attention to teaching Spanish. A Nugget man took a lesson in the Jargon and Spanish Wednesday and can conscientiously recommend both professors.

The Epworth League elected officers this week according to the constitution recently revised by a meeting of the general board held in Philadelphia. The officers are as follows: President, Leaton Lewis; supt. spiritual dept., Miss Jessie Berg; supt. world's Evangelization, Mrs O. H. Feese; supt. mercy and help dept., Mrs. Katie Wood; supt. literary and social dept., Mrs. Frank Wheeler; supt., Junior League, Miss Mary Curran; secretary, Elder Brown; treasurer, Harry Hart. They will be installed about the first of next month.

SKILLMAN & BENSON

Leading Grocers of Cottage Grove.

Everything new, fresh and clean. Where the majority trades, evidently the prices are right. Give us a trial, and we shall endeavor to please you. Produce a specialty. Phone 43.

MARRIED.

(Western Woodman.)

Mr. Walter W. Reed, one of our team boys of Pikes Peak Camp No. 5 and Miss Lulu B. Hull, of Cottage Grove, Ore., were married Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. J. W. Neely, of St. Paul's M. E. church, at the residence of Giles A. Eaglek, who is also a member of the team. The bride was beautifully gowned in light blue silk with lace and ribbons.

A reception was held in the evening, and was attended by all the members of the team and a large circle of friends.

A beautiful rocking chair was presented by the team and many valuable presents were received from friends.

Our team and camp wishes the happy couple a long, happy and prosperous life.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed are at home at 522 South Weber Street, Colorado Springs, Colorado.

We are proud of the line of pianos we sell. They are Chickering, Kimball, Weber, Crown, Vose, Victor and many others. Don't they look good to you?

Rankin Music House, Eugene.

W. S. Wyett left for Bohemia Thursday.

Wall paper to suit everybody at prices all can reach.
4w-19. J. P. Currin.

Work is rushing at the planing mill. Mr. Abrams reports the business increase greatly in excess of last year.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Hosmer and family visited Eugene Wednesday. The doctor attended the Lane County Medical Society.

T. W. Jenkins, formerly of the firm of Jenkins & Lawson, now representing the New York Life Insurance Co., is stopping in the city for a few weeks.

Geo. P. Lent, of Portland, made a trip into Bohemia Thursday, leaving on the morning train of the O. & S. E. Mr. Lent is interested in some mining property in the district.

The new electric light building is now nearly completed. Owing to delay in machinery and the scarcity of brick Manager Abrams will not get the new plant in operation before Aug. 1.

The wedding of Mr. Fred Byrne and Miss Dora Spong is announced for next Sunday. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Spong, at Klondike on Mosby creek.

Sol Davidson this week moved his jewelry store from his former location, opposite the Fashion Stables, to the east window in the T. K. Richardson music store, and will be pleased to have his customers call upon him there.

H. C. Veatch, of the Griffin & Veatch Hardware Co., of this city, is something of a "bugologist", having a nice collection of various kinds of insects. Thursday, Henry was fortunate to secure a large moth, the name of which he has not determined. The insect measures six inches from tip to tip of its wings.

"I have been troubled for some time with indigestion and sour stomach," says Mrs. Sarah W. Curtis, of Lee, Mass., "and have been taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets which have helped me very much so that now I can eat many things that before I could not." If you have any trouble with your stomach why not take these Tablets and get well? For sale by Benson Drug Co.

MARRIED.

DURGAN—THOMAS—In this city at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Thomas, Rev. Geo. H. Feese, of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, officiating, Mr. I. S. Durgan, of Sumpter, Ore., and Miss Ruby Thomas. Mr. Frank Robbin, of Baker city, acted as first man and Miss Ida Thomas, sister of the bride as bridesmaid.

After the ceremony, the wedding breakfast was discussed and then the bridal party repaired to the one o'clock train to see the party off on on their wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Dungan will spend a couple of weeks in visiting points of interest in and about Portland, when they will journey to Sumpter their future home. The good people of this city extends congratulations.

The groom is a prominent young man of Sumpter, Oregon, being connected with a large banking firm, of that city, and one who bears a reputation to be envied by many a young man. The bride is one of Cottage Grove's fairest daughters, and a lady of modest and charming character, who has friends among old and young.

The rooms of the commodious Thomas residence were beautifully decorated, and while only a select number of friends were given the pleasure of witnessing the ceremony it was altogether a most happy couple.

REALESTATE.

Following transfers were made since the last issue of the Nugget.

Fingal Hinds and wife to J S McIntire, residence and property, in Perkins addition.

Mrs. C A Perkins to C E Conner farm three miles from Cottage Grove consisting of 150 acres improved.

LUMBER LUMBER

The best and largest stock of dry lumber from our Coast Fork Mills is now ready for delivery at popular prices.

Houses built on the installment plan. For further particulars, see,

PACIFIC TIMBER CO.,
Building and Sales Dept.
J. H. Warner, Supt

THE HEPPNER HORROR.

As will be seen on another page of the Nugget, a cloudburst at Heppner last Sunday afternoon was the result of more loss of life and property than has ever occurred in the history of the country. The reports thus far have been conflicting to some extent, regarding the loss of life, but at this writing it is safe to say that the loss of life will reach 300, while the loss of property cannot be estimated at this time, a rough estimate being $500,000. Money is pouring in from all directions of the country, but the survivors are sorely in need of every dollar. Supplies of all kinds are greatly needed. The rescuing parties are worn out, but are standing by their mournful duty.

ANNUAL REPORT.

The following is the annual report of the schools in district No. 45 for the year ending the third Monday in June 16, 1901.

Number of persons between four and twenty, males, 265; females, 260; total, 526.
Number of pupils marked "E" on register, males, 209; females, 200; total, 409.
Number of pupils marked "E" on register, males, 16; females, 22; total 38.
Number of pupils between four and twenty years of age on register, males, 225; females, 222; total, 447.
Number of teachers employed during the year, males 1; females, 7; total, 8.
Number holding state certificates or diplomas, males, 1; females, 4; total, 5.
Number holding first grade certificates, females, 2; total, 2.
Number holding second grade certificates, females, 1; total, 1.
Number of teachers employed in this district taking an educational journal, male, 1; female 6; total 7.
Number of persons between four and twenty years of age not attending any school, 83.
Whole number of days attendance during the year, 35,254.
Average daily attendance, 226.
Number of schoolhouses in the district, 1.
Number of months public school taught during the year, 9.
Number of legal voters for school purposes in district at time of making this report, about 300.
Total number of library books on hand, 100.
Total number of library books purchased during the year, Encyclopedia Dictionary in four vol.

Cash on hand at time of making last annual report June 16, 1900	$ 151 59	
Received from County Treasurer from district tax	2421 00	
Received from County Treasurer from county school fund	1,372 50	
Received from County Treasurer from state school fund	617 55	
Received from rate bills and tuition	7 75	
Total—sum of items 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38		$4930 29
Paid for teachers' wages	$3,942 50	
Paid for fuel and school supplies	223 55	
Paid for insurance	79 00	
Paid for clerk's salary	55 25	
Paid for all other purposes	229 21	
Total—sum of items 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48 and 49		$4,845 50
Cash on hand, difference between items 39 and 50	184 90	
Estimated value of schoolhouse and grounds		$7,000 00
Estimated value of school furniture and apparatus		1,000 00
Amount of insurance on school houses and other property		4,000 00
Average monthly salary of male		$5 00
Average monthly salary of female		$40 00

FOR SALE.

Farm of 120 acres with house and good barn, cellar and other outhouses, 50 acres fenced with goat fence, 15 acres in good bearing apples and pear trees, 10 acres of plow land.

Farm of 160 acres, 80 acres fenced with goat fence, 30 acres of plow land, 3 acres in bearing apple and peach trees, good house and barn, cellar and wood house and other out buildings.

Farm of 147 acres all fenced with good goat fence, 60 acres slashed and seeded with tame grass, 12 acres plow land. The three farms adjoin.

A 40 acre tract of timber land, cut 1,500,000 feet, with good mill site, other timber surrounding.

The above property is located 20 miles south of Cottage Grove. Elk creek runs through all four places.

COTTAGE GROVE PROPERTY.

Two lots in this city, east side, on Wall street, good barn, 400 tiers of stove wood, one 6 horse engine, and buz wood saw.

Three acres in Jones' addition, fine land, all in garden, good 12 room house, one good piano oak case organ, all for sale. Call on or address J. M. Gilkison, Cottage Grove, Ore.

CHURCH NOTES

M. E. CHURCH.

The pastor's subject for next Sunday morning at the M. E. Church will be "The Dream of June."

A mass meeting consisting of the several congregations of the city will be held at night.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Subject 11 a. m. "God's Building." Other services as usual. The public is cordially invited.

F. E. BILLINGTON.

WANTED.

To buy one team work horses about twelve hundred pounds each.

Two Jersey cows in milk.

Two hundred and fifty ewes. Mail card stating what price and where can be seen also breed of sheep to

B. M. HAWLEY, Wildwood, Ore.

LOST.

Last Friday morning on Main or Fourth street, this city, a black leather chatelane, containing bunch of keys, some money etc. Finder please leave at Nugget office and receive suitable reward.

PROGRESS

Is The Watchword

The day has gone by when a merchant can place out-of-date dress goods before his customers in Cottage Grove. The women of the present keep well up on the styles and the trade demands a better class of goods than in olden times. Realizing these facts we are now carrying a

Heavier Stock of Fabrics

than at any other former season. It has become the custom of late years for outside concerns to secure your names and flood you with circulars importuning you to buy or get their samples. Now we ask you to secure their samples, bring them in and be convinced that it is to your interest to buy at home. . . . . .

Lurch's Store

A BIG SALE

SATURDAY JUNE 20.

Owing to the size of our building, we have decided to not carry over any of our Summer stock of Millinery. In order to do this we are willing to make a sacrifice on the goods, that we may have more room for the Fall and Winter line we expect to put in.

Most of the goods, such as trimmed and untrimmed shapes, Street Hats, various kinds of Trimmings, etc. will be sold at and below cost; while a liberal reduction will be made on all other goods in our line.

Remember, everything in Summer goods will be sold at some price so make your selections before your neighbor buys the hat you want.

And don't forget about the tickets you get on the $10.00 hat to be given away on the evening of July 3.

The MISSES NEWLAND.

Leaders in Millinery

W. S. Chrisman & Ely Bangs

PROPRIETORS OF

The Fashion Stables

ALSO OFFICE OF THE

Bohemia and Llack Butte Stages.

First Class Turnouts, Double or Single.

CHRISMAN & BANGS - COTTAGE GROVE, ORE.

KNOWLES & GETTYS

Proprietors of

...The Miners Supply House...

Our Motto: Good Goods for Low Prices.

General Merchandise, Miners' Tools and Ammunition

BOHEMIA, OREGON.

J. W. Kay's Furniture Co.

guarantees to save you money on everything to furnish a home including

Stoves, Ranges, Carpets and Mattings.
New Line of Wall Paper...

Big Clearance Sale now on for 30 days:
10 per Cent Discount on everything.

EUGENE - OREGON

Spring is here--So are we

With Spray Pumps and Spray Compound.

Hoes, Rakes and Cultivators.
Oliver's Steel and Chilled Plows.
Fish Bros. Wagons.

A full and complete Line of Hardware, Stoves and Tinware.

Mining Supplies our Specialty.

Piper & Vandenburg