

FINE APPLES AND CRAB.
J. H. Shoup, who brought to the market a fine lot of apples, one of the best of the kind, but is also good for new-summer fruit. He also presented the office with one dozen Summer Sweet Apples, which are of uniform size and color and would be hard to beat by any orchard. The tree from which these apples were taken has been bearing for forty years and seems as prolific today as ever before. Mr. Shoup also took considerable pride in his fruit and does a considerable amount of spraying, and as a result he always has first class fruit. He has marketed a large amount of pears and apples in Cottage Grove and they have given universal satisfaction.

A WASHINGTON COUNTY BOY.
State Game Warden Baker received a letter from his Portland daughter, E. E. Maher, stating that he had recently arrested one "John Doe Hawkeye," who had in his possession 18 China pheasants, 12 quails and 2 silver grey squirrels. It seems that "Mr. Hawkeye" has a special taste for this game, especially out of season, and if there is a man in the State of Oregon that deserves the title above given this name certainly does. The Justice of the Peace before whom he was taken put him under the enormous bond of \$25, which even the deputy protested against, but the J. P. was "fixed" in his opinion and his judgment prevailed and the supposition is that the Washington county man forfeited the bond and went home happy.

RETURNS FROM PRATTLE.
Dr. D. A. Paine, of Eugene, one of the best known medical men in Oregon, and who was superintendent of the Oregon (then Asylum) for a term of four years, has retired permanently from the practice of his profession, and will devote his family to Portland about the first of the year. The doctor has become connected with the Northwest Electric Engineering Co., of that city, and has accepted the position of secretary-treasurer. Dr. Paine has large business interests in Eugene, which will enable him to make a comfortable living and social life, and has many friends in Lane county who will regret that he is taking up his home elsewhere.

WATSON'S NOTES.
While making blueprints at the O. & S. E. depot last Monday, J. S. Hamilton, Sup. of the timber department of the Oregon and California Railroad, left his watch lying on the table on the platform while he went into his office. When he returned the watch was gone. The officers were notified and on Thursday discovered that E. W. Berry, who had been assisting Bert Lawson in painting the O. & S. E. depot, had stolen the watch to J. M. Edwards for \$1.00. The watch was returned to Mr. Hamilton and among Berry arrested. He will have his preliminary hearing this afternoon.

NEW ELEGANT LUMBER.
The Cottage Grove Electric Light Company is this week taking out the old system of lights and putting in the new as fast as possible in the business houses. The lights are a great improvement and are of a high quality by those who are already in use. The Hotel Graham has been in and presents a bright and attractive appearance under the glow of the new light. The new light system about the advisability of a council installing are being in the principal business streets and many certainly be a great credit to the city and a great convenience to the citizens if the council would so decide.

BLIND STAGIONS OFFER.
The Nurses of Oregon, who also enjoy the services to their heart's content. The season for shooting quails, China pheasants, and native pheasants opened on the 1st day of October, and many of the birds are now looking for the hunters. Birds of course we are all supposed to respect all the stories we hear regarding the remarkable feats and are supposed to believe that no one will shoot more than the limit in one day. The Nurses promise to believe every story related, providing the narrator accompanies the story with a nice fat pheasant.

GROWING THE MOUNTAIN.
Mrs. M. L. Tompkins brought to this office last Friday five large apples and three small varieties of pears grown on the Tompkins Heights farm on the top of the mountain between Cottage Grove and Eugene. The elevation of the Glenwood Heights is about 1500 feet and Mrs. Tompkins informs the Stager that a fine quality of fruit and vegetables is grown on the farm. The samples brought to this office are certainly fine and the equal of any fruit on the market.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.
Mrs. Ray Coffin while riding with her husband from her home to Divide station, on last Saturday, was thrown from the wagon after she sustained considerable injury. Her two ribs were broken and otherwise seriously injured. The accident happened while they were going down hill, the break coming from the front wheel causing the wagon to force the team into a run down the hill. Mrs. Coffin at last reports was resting easily.

KILLED TWO BEARS.
S. K. Lewis, who has been up on the McKendree at Vada, netting a few warden for the Southern Pacific Co., returned Wednesday. Mrs. Lewis accompanied Mr. Lewis and they have had a very pleasant trip in the mountains during the summer. Mr. Lewis reports two bear as a reward for his efforts with the gun. No fire of any consequence during the season is reported. Mr. Lewis will be on his homestead during the winter.

BEHIND A FLAME.
The Dorena Lumber Co. is now rapidly completing the company's drive from the mill to the track of the O. & S. E. Co., a distance of one and three fourths miles. The drive will be used to convey the sawed products of the mill to the cars for shipment. The company has an excellent quality of timber and plenty of it, and can cut at the rate of 25,000 feet per day.

A RUNAWAY TEAM.
Joe Rice started to the Coast Fork mill yesterday morning after a load of lumber, when about a couple of miles out of town the team became frightened and ran away throwing Mr. Rice from the wagon seriously injuring him. The extent of which, however, we were unable to learn.

BAND CONCERT.
The open air concert given by the C. M. A. uniformed band Sunday was greatly enjoyed by everybody. The selections are good and the boys know how to play them.

STOVES & RANGES

We have just received a complete shipment of
AIR TIGHT HEATERS
Call and See Them and get Prices.
Wynne Hardware Co., Proprietors.

Dr. Lowe, oculist-optician—Eugene. The best brand of cigars at the Wave.

W. C. Wilkins went to Eugene Tuesday.

Work on the big brick is going on rapidly.

Perfumes galore at the Modern Pharmacy.

Ice cream made from pure cream at McCall's.

Attorney Medley was down to Eugene Monday.

Cooling and refreshing; McCall's ice cream soda.

Just, Hennebury is attending the fair at Eugene.

Call at the Wave for a box of Bon Bons for Sunday.

W. E. Rhodes was a passenger to Eugene Monday.

The Misses Newland's display Saturday, Oct. 4.

Alford's chocolates are the best for sale at McCall's.

Perform for the sick room at the Modern Pharmacy.

There's a S. E. depot looks fine in its new coat of paint.

Hon. Ivan McQuinn, of Corvallis, was in the city Wednesday.

J. M. Medley, of Eugene, was in the city Monday on business.

Shillings opening at the Misses Newland's Saturday, Oct. 4.

Old hats returned or new ones very cheap. N. E. Elson's.

Rain. The beautiful rain began falling Monday and quit.

New goods and little prices as usual at old stand. N. E. Elson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Blaw went to Junction City for a few days visit.

Thos. Gardner, of London, was in the city Wednesday and Thursday.

Levi Geer, of London, was transacting business in town Wednesday.

W. H. Litcher went to Eugene Wednesday to attend the county fair.

That value of the Clover Blossom isn't a luxury, at the Modern Pharmacy.

A quality of selected seed wheat for sale at the Cottage Grove Flour Mill.

R. D. Green and family were down to Eugene Tuesday attending the fair.

The your fruits and candies for Sunday at the Wave Ice Cream Parlor.

We have perfumes that will prove a revelation to you at the Modern Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wilkins went down to Eugene Wednesday to attend the fair.

Mrs. B. R. Job and daughters have returned from a visit to Portland and Corvallis.

If you want a first class shave or haircut call at E. A. Cummings shop at Opera house.

Cottage Grove flour is as good as any flour made in the valley. Ask your grocer for it.

Remember the exhibit of late and early hats next Saturday at the Misses Newland's.

A new coat of paint is being put on the county court house at Eugene. A needed improvement.

If you have to wait for a shave go to the Opera house barber shop. Shaves free. Hair cut 25c.

L. T. Harris was up from Eugene Saturday attending to legal business in Justice Vaughn's court.

L. F. Wooley was down to Eugene Tuesday on business connected with his saw mill and mining interests.

Rev. Geo. H. Fesse left on Tuesday's train for Salem, where he goes to attend the State M. E. Conference.

Miss Sadie Ford, who has been visiting in Cottage Grove for several days returned to her home in Eugene Tuesday.

Miss Vinnie Knapp, who has been visiting with friends here for several days returned to her home at Eugene last Monday.

Mrs. C. J. Howard and daughter, Miss Francis, who have been visiting for several days in Eugene, returned home Tuesday.

Try one of those delightful face massages. Removes black heads, tan and brings color to the cheeks at Allison & Hastings' cosmetic parlors.

Edwin & Blotow have sold their entire stock of groceries to Johnson & Pearce, the grocers, and have permanently discontinued this line of goods.

Mrs. W. H. Abrams will take a few more days' school. Harmony and thoroughness taught. For further particulars enquire at residence on River street.

The Cumberland Presbyterian Church is receiving a couple of courts of appeal this week at the hands of Al Cruen, which greatly improves its appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Medley went to Eugene Monday and from there went on to North Yakima and Tacoma, Washington, for a several weeks visit with friends and relatives.

V. C. London was down to Eugene Monday. Mr. London is president of the District Fair Association comprising Douglas, Coos, Lane and Curry counties and was there supervising the opening of the fair.

Ed and Jesse McKibben were in St. Helens during the past week visiting their father, J. F. McKibben, and according to the St. Helens Mail, they were also in Portland purchasing machinery for their saw mill they intend erecting soon.

R. W. Veatch, with the Griffin Hardware Co., met with a very painful accident yesterday. While helping load a bundle of barbed wire the bundle slipped and fell, a barb catching Mr. Veatch in the hand, plunging a deep gash clear across the palm that required several stitches to sew up.—Register.

Miss Blanche Hanaker, daughter of T. H. Hanaker, of Zion, left last Tuesday for Dawson City, where she will be married to J. W. Berg, formerly of this place. Mr. Berg came out from Dawson last spring and remained here for a short while. While here he and his brother, W. H. Berg, opened up an assay office. J. W. is now in Dawson and of course is awaiting the arrival of his bride. The young couple have the good wishes and many congratulations of a host of friends in Eugene, Cottage Grove and East Valley and of course Bohemia Nugget wish the happy couple all the happiness of life.

Messrs. Harting & Hansen, proprietors of Cottage Grove Flour Mills, inform the Nugget that they will give as a premium to the lady baking the best loaf of bread from flour of Oregon one half barrel of flour and to the lady baking the second best, one sack of flour. The bread baked is to be exhibited at the Oregon Mineral Springs Fair to be held October 9, 10 and 11. This offer should have appeared on the program on the large bills but through an oversight on the part of the committee was overlooked until after the bills were printed.

Miss Lena Foreman will leave to-day for Portland where she will accept a position as private secretary to the investigating of the Eugene Local Board. She is a native of Oregon. Her father, Morris Blanchard, a testifier is being conducted at Portland now and a test will be made soon using one of the Bohemia Flour. If the test proves satisfactory, which there is no doubt a smaller will be built in the district as soon as possible.

John L. Hale and wife, of Newman, California arrived in Cottage Grove last Monday on a visit to Mrs. Hale's father, and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. M. Gardner. Mr. Gardner was a caller at the Nugget office Wednesday and said that this is the first time he has seen his daughter for 19 years. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner will probably return to California with their daughter and visit during the winter.

W. C. Bradford, who has been attending the meeting of the State Photographers' Association at Salem, returned last Tuesday. Mr. Bradford informs the Nugget that he will, in all probability, return to Roseburg and make that his future home, being unable to get a suitable building here for his business.

Edridge & Higgins will move their feet store soon to the warehouse east of the S. P. depot, which they recently purchased from Long & Bingham. This firm recently began business on Main street, but on account of increased orders have been compelled to buy all their goods in carload lots, consequently the necessity for larger quarters.

At Eugene yesterday, Hugh, the six year old son of Rev. J. S. McCann, was run over by a wood wagon and severely injured. The J. W. Hanaker was called but could find no broken bones and thinks if internal injuries do not develop he will get along all right.

Frank Hinds, who has been identified with the Imperial hotel for several months in the capacity of night clerk, has accepted a like position at the Hotel Graham. Mr. Hinds has made an efficient clerk and will be appreciated by the patrons of the Graham.

Chas. Cochran, who has successfully instructed the C. M. A. band, has resigned his position and accepted another with the orchestra of a large opera company. E. F. Rowland will take his place as instructor.

Henry Veatch went down to Crescent Wednesday to be present at the grand opening of the bird season. Henry says the birds are very fat but did not say how many more than ten.

Mrs. W. J. Kaerth, who has been in the Portland hospital for a week receiving treatment, is reported to be much improved and will be able to return home about next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kayser went to Eugene Thursday morning to attend the fair and will go from there to Elsinore for a few days visit with their many friends at the old home.

25 men wanted by the Booth-Kelley Lumber Co. at Saguana, Ore., to work in yards and woods. Inquire of E. S. Walker, Main St., near depot, Cottage Grove.

W. B. Dennis, of Blackbutte, was in Cottage Grove Wednesday attending a business meeting of the Cottage Grove-Blackbutte road committee.

The county convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held at Saguana on last Wednesday and Thursday.

Edward Eady and family left last Tuesday for their old home in Missouri. Of course they will return next summer, if not sooner.

N. E. Compton and family, of whom mention was made in last week's Nugget, left Tuesday for their former home at Earlham, Iowa.

Miss Grace Mock, of Brain, was visiting Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kayser and accompanied them to Eugene.

Harry Clarke, manager of the Pacific Flour Co.'s cannery at Alen, was in the city Tuesday.

WANTED: A second-hand cook stove in good shape, cheap for cash. Inquire at this office.

Col. W. H. Blair is back from Bohemia where he has been looking after his mining interests.

It is reported that the school at Dorena has closed on account of diphtheria.

Mrs. W. C. Bradford has been visiting for several days with relatives in Roseburg.

Home made Candies always fresh and the best at the Wave Ice Cream Parlor.

Miss Mollie Larken, of Eugene, is visiting with relatives in Cottage Grove.

J. W. Baker went to Eugene Thursday.

ROADWORK COMPLETE.

A Total Of \$1,700.00 Has Been Expended on the Cottage Grove, Blackbutte Road and it is Now Pronounced The Best Piece of Road in Lane County.

SYSTEMATIC WORK AND GOOD RESULTS.

The work on the road from Cottage Grove to Blackbutte is nearing completion and more good could not have been accomplished with the amount of money at the command of the committee having the work in charge.

The sum of one-thousand dollars was raised by subscription among the business men of Cottage Grove and on the road from here to Blackbutte, and the county donated the sum of twelve hundred dollars.

The work and general management of the road building was placed in the care of T. K. Campbell, Levi Geer, W. B. Dennis and the two road commissioners, A. L. Woodard and Jesse Bemis, forming a committee.

The work was begun about five weeks ago and has been continued steadily ever since, all the employees working with an enthusiasm that is deserving of the highest commendation. Men and teams were paid good wages but they earned every dollar they received as the first class work on the road will show. The total amount of money expended up to date reaches the sum of \$1,700.00, leaving a balance of \$500.00 with which to complete the work and the committee thinks the sum will be sufficient.

Only a partial report was to be obtained this week but is sufficient to show how economically the work has been carried forward. One item is quite noticeable—the cost of gravel, which is certainly extremely low. The report shows that gravel was placed on the road at a low price, in some instances, of twenty-three cents per yard, and in no case, more than thirty cents. Below is given the report of work on three sections, the balance will be given in a later report or when the road is complete.

On the section from W. W. Shortridge's to Blackbutte, one mile of grading was done at a cost of \$500.00 and one-thousand yards of gravel placed on the road at a cost of \$100.00. From Howe's to the road to Joe Taylor's place, one mile of grade at a cost of \$250.00 and one-thousand and seventy-seven yards of gravel at a cost of \$447.27. From Grange Hall to W. W. Shortridge's place, a distance of three miles, eight-hundred and fifty-three yards of gravel were placed on the road at a cost of \$337.27 and three hundred and fifty yards of grading at a cost of \$500.00, making a total of \$1,464.54 for grading and gravel work and with the other \$215.46 all the stumps have been removed from the roadway, all the low places and mud holes have either been filled or bridged, tools have been purchased and a great amount of other incidental expenses that are not itemized in this report by the Nugget.

The length of this road is sixteen miles and it is pronounced by those who have been accustomed to traveling all over the state, to be one of the best pieces of roadbed in the state. The road supervisors in charge of the road are A. L. Woodard, whose district extends from Cottage Grove to Wilson Creek, and Jesse Bemis, whose district extends from Wilson Creek to Blackbutte.

That a first class roadbed was needed for this district cannot be appreciated by those unacquainted with the immense volume of business transacted from Cottage Grove to Blackbutte and all of which must, of necessity, come to this city.

The Blackbutte quicksilver mines at the terminus of the road, is one of the most important mining institutions in the state of Oregon and is working a large force of men. The development work on the property is quite extensive, several large tunnels having been driven into the mountain and large amounts of ore being taken out all the time. Besides the mines and the importance of the same which is inestimable, Mr. Dennis has spent a considerable amount of money there and has made himself and family a beautiful home, which many visitors to the Oregon Mineral Springs drive to in the beautiful summer months.

The Coast Fork Lumber Co.'s large lumbering plant is located on this road about a mile above the Oregon Mineral Springs and the entire product of the mill has to be hauled to Cottage Grove for shipment. The products of this mill run up into the hundreds of thousands of feet in the course of a year. This company pays out large sums of money each month for labor and supplies and has transformed that part of the district from a dense wilderness into an industrial center.

The Oregon Mineral Springs are also located on this road, just twelve miles from Cottage Grove. They are pronounced by leading

Dry Goods, Cloaks, Skirts.

Fall Dress Goods

Are now in and we are showing by far the largest line of Dress Goods ever shown in Cottage Grove in all the new styles. We know that we can please you in Dress Goods and Waistings.

New Fall Styles.

Our speciality is Ladies Ready to Wear Skirts and Waists. People are buying ready made goods more every year, and realizing this we will carry a full stock, all the time, of up to date goods.

Shirt Waists and Wraps.

The prices on skirts range from \$2.25 to \$7.75

A new line of the latest Waists at \$1.50 up.

We also carry for the first time a full line of Misses Skirts.

Luich's Store.

physicians to be the best mineral and health producing springs in the Pacific Northwest. Levi Geer, the proprietor, has expended something near \$100,000 on his property, in the building of bath houses, hotel and other necessary equipment, and now has one of the best health and pleasure resorts in the state. Many people have been at the Springs this season for health and all have come away thoroughly satisfied.

The Wallace mills are located about two miles this side of the Oregon Mineral Springs and are turning out large quantities of first class lumber, all of which is hauled to Cottage Grove for market.

The London Timber and Milling Company, a \$50,000.00 corporation, have several thousand acres of choice timber in this section and are making preparations to build a saw mill of 50,000 feet capacity. The site has been selected near the Grange Hall, about four miles this side of the Oregon Mineral Springs, and the company expect to have the mill in operation within the next four or five months.

When one takes into consideration the vast amount of business transacted by such institutions as the Coast Fork Lumber Co., the Blackbutte Quicksilver mines and the Oregon Mineral Springs, one readily concludes that too much money cannot be expended in making good roads. This is also one of the best farming communities in southern Lane county.

The work on the road will be completed in time for the fair at Oregon Mineral Springs.

On next Sunday will be held at the Christian church the regular meeting of the Union. A word of explanation will not be out of place in this connection. The general impression has gone out that the main object of the union is to enforce sabbath observance. The Nugget took the position some time ago that the enforcement of Sunday laws was somewhat out of place and there has also been published several articles pro and con on the subject of Sunday laws, in different issues of the Nugget, and to ascertain the exact position of the good citizens Union a Nugget reporter called upon Attorney A. H. King, one of the prime movers in said organization, and asked him the object. Mr. King informs the Nugget that the Union has no part in Sunday closing nor Sunday observance laws but is organized wholly and entirely for the purpose of elevating the moral standing of Cottage Grove for each and every day and invites all citizens, no difference what their business, politics or religion, to meet with the Union and discuss the subject. Every citizen is welcome and earnestly requested to give their views on any subject under discussion; no difference whether the opinions expressed are in accordance with the belief of the Union members or not. The discussion of all questions is desirable and the Union invites the same. The following is the program for the next meeting:

Chairman for the evening, T. M. Medley; Song, Congregation; Scripture reading, Prayer, Solo, Miss Rena Baker; Address, Rev. F. Billington; Solo, Miss Bessie Boyles; Open discussion, 15 minutes, Quartette.

MASS MEETING AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SUNDAY, OCT. 4.

The Redmen Lodge held a very enthusiastic as well as interesting meeting on last Monday night. New officers were elected and installed and a grand banquet served in the general good style known by the Redmen.

LODGE NOTES.

Work was given to the Initiatory second and third degrees at the meeting of the Odd Fellows on last Saturday night. Refreshments were served and the boys announced that a good time was had.

J. W. Kay's Furniture Co.

guarantee 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

Money Lost

By Paying Rent, Do It No Longer, But buy one of our bargain in lots or residence properties. Location is good and terms easy.

No. 1.—Excellent corner lot with 4 room cottage, pantry and wash room, good driven well 25 feet deep, wood shed. Near school house, and only two blocks from business part of city, one of the best buys in town. Price \$200

No. 12.—Two fine lots with very good home, high and dry. Rents for \$6.00

No. 27.—Fine piece of ground, 50x120 foot or a good corner, in residence part of town, well fenced. The best buy in town. Price \$200

No. 25.—Fine lot in best part of Long & Bingham addition fenced with good substantial picket fence, an extra fine bargain if taken soon. Price \$300

No. 14.—Two lots on corner. A most desirable residence place, is conveniently located are inside property. Price \$400

No. 28.—Two acres ground on Fourth street, good well, foundation for house already laid, is a snap and will not be on the market long at this. Price \$700

Medley & Milne, Cor Main & 2nd St. Cottage Grove, Ore.

Wall Paper.

The beauty of your house depends on the pattern and quality of WALL PAPER you use.

The latest patterns, the best good and prices to suit. Just received a large invoice of these goods and we take pleasure in showing them.

FRANCE & GOWDY.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

The following marriage license were issued during the month of September making a total of 21 as compared with 24 in September last year.

Sept. 1—John M. Gibson and Metha Nelson.

Sept. 2—Gustave F. Jensen and Cora E. Baker.

Sept. 5—Lee R. Thompson and Ora Powell.

Sept. 7—Homer Farlow and Mrs. Lucinda Evans, Samuel R. Scott and Eva Handy, Morgens P. Mogenssen and Annie C. Nelson.

Sept. 8—Alfred E. Rowe and Emily C. Nelson, J. H. Yares and Pearl Jareline, Howard Town and Ethel G. Williams.

Sept. 9—John W. Richardson and Mary Kennedy.

Sept. 10—Charles F. Littlefield and Martha Medley.

Sept. 14—W. A. McMillan and Emily N. Neul.

Sept. 15—Orin C. Stanwood and Florence Landerking.

Sept. 16—William H. Sanders and Nellie C. Waller.

Sept. 21—L. Inman and Cora Belknap.

Sept. 23—Joy U. Rice and Eunice Davis, John H. Bell and Theo. A. Hude, Niels Soren Sorenson and Sine Elgaard.

Sept. 29—Church A. Stephens and Bertha E. Day.

Sept. 30—J. E. Hastings and Bessie Bartness, Nathan F. Rice and Jennie V. Gardner.

BORN.

DAMEWOOD—To Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Damewood on the 25th, a boy weighing 10 lbs.

RAISED FROM THE DEAD. C. W. Landis, "Porter" for the Oriental Hotel, Champo, Kan., says: "I know that it was to suffer with neuralgia dead I did, and I got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment and I was 'raised from the dead.' I tried to get some more, but before I had 'deposited' my bottle I was cured entirely. I am still a truth teller." 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at New Era Drug Store.