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Postmaster C. J. Howard made a flying trip to Yoncalla Monday afternoon.

Valentine! See the display of the handsome new styles at the Modern Pharmacy. They are beauties.

S. I. Benson, of Union, Oregon, has joined his wife at this place and is a guest at the home of Thos. Conger.

J. B. Baker, the blacksmith, has been called to Callapel, Montana, to attend the bedside of his mother, who is seriously ill.

Subjects Sunday at the Christian Church, 11 a. m. "Essentials of the Cross of Christ." 7:30 "A Desolate Land." The public cordially invited.

G. L. Hunt and family have removed to Redlands, Oregon, to reside. Mr. Hunt was formerly with the Eakin & Bristow Company in their general store.

Miss Edna Martin, daughter of T. S. Martin, has gone to Salem to enter a business college where she will take up telegraphy and stenography. Her mother accompanied her to assist in getting her settled.

A mounted patrol has been installed on the telephone lines between this city and Oakland by the Pacific States Company, in order to keep the lines clear and in repair over this mountainous division of the system. Patrol Fowler of Portland is now making the route daily.

Dr. B. R. Job, accompanied by his daughter Miss Emma, departed Monday to Redlands, California. On Friday evening a pleasant surprise party was arranged for the latter in the Jones & Phillips hall where a large company of her friends met in her honor to bid her a farewell. Many interesting and amusing games passed the hours in a charming manner, and at the close refreshments were served.

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### Prize Essay Contest.

The Commercial Club met at the club rooms Monday evening with a good attendance. An application for membership was received from R. C. Ostrander and he was elected. A. B. Wood was added to the Commerce and Exhibit committee, which has in charge the matter of an exhibit of South Lane county products at the Lewis and Clark fair. The committee having in charge the Prof. C. B. Newton entertainment reported that a good sale of seats had been made and that a good crowd is expected to greet him on his appearance here on Saturday evening, February 11th.

Secretary Rosenberg announces that the essay contest for prizes, offered by the club on the subjects of Cottage Grove and Bohemia will soon be declared open, applicants enough having notified the club that they would enter the contest on these two subjects, but that only five of the required six applications have been received on the subject of Lane county. All the applicants will be notified by the secretary of the acceptance of the offers for competition and advised fully as to the regulations governing the contest.

### Manager Murdered.

Edwin Stone, manager of the Corvallis & Eastern Railway, died this morning without regaining consciousness from the effect of wounds received at Newport Sunday morning. Some assailant attacked him in his room at Newport and then set fire to the room. The story of the assault and origin of the fire is conjecture, but is probably true theory. In attempting to rob Mr. Stone, he was awakened, and then a struggle ensued, and later fire occurred. On his head is a wound where he had been struck, and his arms show the marks of the assault.

Mr. Stone was one of Oregon's best known railroad men and was a prominent citizen. Through circumstantial evidence a tramp has been arrested on suspicion. As Mr. Stone was greatly addicted to the liquor habit, many think the entire matter may have been an accident.

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### Dance and Good Music.

The Cottage Grove Band will on Thursday night give another dance at the Opera house. As these dances are given to raise money to help the band pay expenses. The price of tickets will be 75 cents as the former price of 50 cents did not pay dividends.

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### Whist Club.

The newly organized whist club met for its first games in the Woodmen Hall Monday night. There were twenty-four members in attendance and eighteen games were played, after which a splendid lunch was served. Mr. H. O. Thompson was elected secretary and treasurer. The next meeting will be held on the 14th of February.

## HOME NEWS

Items of interest in and about Cottage Grove and vicinity.

J. B. King returned to Bohemia Monday.

Joe Steenson, of Latham, has gone to Portland to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Caldwell have gone to their ranch to spend a month or so.

F. J. Hard left for Portland today on business matters. He expects to start for the East in a short time.

Dr. Job has gone to Redlands, California, for a short visit. He will return soon and resume his practice.

Miss Gertrude Burdick spent a few days last week at Eugene, where she visited her sister, Antoinette, at the U. O.

Chas. Gettys, the Bohemia merchant, has returned to the district after an extended visit in the Hineslaw section.

S. R. Brund and son Willie, on Monday returned to the Bohemia mines, where they will resume work on the Sweepstake group.

Rev. Dr. M. C. Wire, presiding elder of the Eugene district, preached at the M. E. Church on last Sunday morning to an appreciative audience.

Ray Frank of Eugene was in this vicinity last week looking after the purchase of heavy draft horses for the dray business in Eugene. He bought one splendid animal of Mr. Cooley residing near town.

Mr. G. R. Hawkins has taken the agency for this locality for the Hineslaw Granite Company, and is prepared to receive orders for tombstones. He has a photograph album book to show styles.

Mr. F. L. Moore, who went to the North Pacific Sanatorium at Portland last week for appendicitis operation with some other difficulties, is doing nicely and it was also found that her operation was timely. She expects to be home in about three weeks.

Ulysses S. and Willard H. Martin departed Tuesday for San Jose, California, seeking a location. From San Jose they expect to come northward along the California coast until they find a suitable location after which their families will join them.

Mr. Noah Coffman of Baltimore, Md., arrived in the city Monday, and on Tuesday in company with Geo. W. Lloyd went to the Crystal Consolidated Company's property in Bohemia where several days will be spent in examining the workings and looking over the district.

Mrs. M. A. Moun t on last Friday evening suffered severe injuries by falling out of a spring wagon which lurched into a mudhole near the mill race, on the road to her place near town. She was thrown with considerable force into the mud and was severely shaken up although no bones were broken. As the lady is aged about 55 years the fall was a shock not easily recovered from. Dr. Kime was called to attend her and reports that she is getting along favorably.

Much new sidewalk is being built in the Curran Park addition to the city, adding greatly to the appearance and convenience of the people residing in that neighborhood. The walks will be extended shortly so as to make connection with the foot bridge, and over 1000 lineal feet of good substantial walks will be laid before the work is finished.

A few weeks ago the Cottage Grove Band received inquiries asking for figures to assist in furnishing the music for the monster Woodmen Initiation at Albany on February 25th. The management submitted a figure and the reply has been received that a party will be in this city within a few days to make a contract with the band to be at Albany on the date named. That the boys will make a good appearance and furnish some first-class music for the big event is a surety.

Something entirely new in elegant valentines at the Modern Pharmacy. State Game Warden Baker informs this paper that he has secured one down Bob White quail, which he intends to liberate in the immediate neighborhood of Cottage Grove during the next few days. They were captured at Jefferson. He further states that he will soon have another couple of dozen of these desirable game birds which will also be freed in this vicinity.

For the twentieth time, the United States Geological Survey has issued its annual report on the mineral resources of the country. The volume containing the statistics for the calendar year 1903 is now available. Besides statistics, considerable descriptive and technical matter, obtained while the statistical canvass was in progress, is presented. As heretofore, the publication of this volume has been anticipated to a great extent by the issue in advance, in pamphlet form, of the several chapters which comprise it. In 1903, for the fourth time, the total value of our mineral production exceeded the enormous sum of \$1,000,000,000. The exact figures for 1903 were \$1,419,721,569 as compared with \$1,260,509,738 in 1902, a gain of 12.63 per cent.

The miner is not like the banker, the railroad promoter and the trust organizer, who is always asking for legislation to protect and foster trusts to destroy competition. Were it not for the miner nearly all of the Pacific coast would still be a wilderness. When the miner has money to spend, everybody in his community is prosperous. The miner is the pioneer and parent of all industries. The precious metal miner helps all and injures none.

Twenty years ago, or in 1884, the Broken Hill Proprietary mine of Australia was located and it has practically been in active operation ever since. Up to October 1 of this year it has distributed in dividends a total of \$48,888,000. Since its first ore was mined and up to the present time it has produced 7,115,379 tons of ore, that has yielded 662,303 tons of lead, 6,600 tons of antimonial lead, 4,564 tons of copper, 3,524 tons of silver, and about 2.5 tons of gold. There has been expended in plant \$6,347,413, and \$35,000,000 in wages to workmen.

A comprehensive exhibit of Oregon grasses, which won the grand prize at St. Louis, in competition with the world, will be shown at the Lewis and Clark Centennial.

### CLIMATIC CURES.

The influence of climatic conditions in the cure of consumption is very much overdrawn. The poor patient, and the rich patient, too, can do much better at home by proper attention to food digestion, and a regular use of German Syrup. Free expectation in the morning is made certain by German Syrup, so is a good night's rest and the absence of that weakening cough and debilitating night sweats. Restless nights and the exhaustion due to coughing, the greatest danger and dread of the consumptive, can be prevented or stopped by taking German Syrup liberally and regularly. Should you be able to go to a warmer clime, you will find that the thousands of consumptives there, the few who are benefited and regain strength are those who use German Syrup. Trial bottles, 27c; regular size, 70c. At all druggists. Germain Hemenway

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