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If the Oregonian states the case without prejudice, Portland stands quite as much in need of cleaning up as does Eugene. In our case it is the physical man that is suffering from contagions engendered by impure water and unsanitary conditions. In the metropolis the moral health seems to be in serious danger.—Register.

One of the best poets of these days has passed to the great beyond where color does not count. Among the writers of recent poetry Paul Lawrence Dunbar has stood alone, a negro who with his beautiful poems and stories have helped people the world round to better and higher lives, and who in every country but his mother country, America has received his due merit. The tales he told brought him many friends and warm admirers in this country, but too many could not forget that color does not beget stupidity nor dullness. All honor to the man, who in spite of the hindrances of his race has striven to and made himself such a name.

Elsewhere we print an article from the Mining World concerning the Great Homestake Mining Company of Lead, So. Dakota, which is a most wonderful statement to any man.

For 26 years this mine has paid regular dividends, which have amounted to \$14,333,350, in addition to vast improvements made at the expense of millions of dollars, and all worked out of ore that only averages \$3.37 in value per ton.

In Bohemia such ore would not be considered worth looking at. We have great quantities of low grade ore, which must be mined and handled. The time is coming and that too rapidly, when we will see great plants at work in the district digging out and reducing the previous metals. It all takes time and lots of it.

The fever situation in Eugene is exceedingly alarming. The majority of the people who are sick seem to have been using city water, and to it is attributed all the trouble.

The Guard in its Saturday issue says: "Investigations show that nearly all the Lane County cases, of which there are a few outside of Eugene, are traceable to this city."

We are pleased to note that they have found out that Cottage Grove is not suffering from such a contamination, although a Eugene paper did state that Dr. Matson, the bacteriologist was coming here. He won't find any typhoid bacilli in the town, if he does come and we don't thank our Eugene friends for intimating that they grew here.

Such a condition as exists at Eugene should put us all on our guard to leave no chance for so terrible a calamity.

The action of the Southern Pacific in establishing farms for the investigation of alfalfa growing is one that deserves much commendation. Of course, the object is to get more people to raising it, and to make a success of it, that more cattle may be fed, that there may be more dairy products, etc., and incidentally that the Southern Pacific may derive their return in the increased amount of freight hauled.

Alfalfa is a wonderful crop when properly grown, and would do wonders for the dairying interests in this section if it can be grown successfully. Every farmer should use this opportunity of studying up on the question, and get the pamphlets given out by the railroad.

Send in your name for this pamphlet and you will receive all the other papers that follow about the work-carried on.

Washington, D. C. Notes—Special Correspondence.

In the rapid evolution of policy to be pursued by forestry officials in treating with stockmen desiring range privileges on reserves, an important question has already arisen in Oregon. The supervisor of the Wenaha reserve has given Washington sheepmen leases on portions of the reserve in Oregon, under the announcement that the Washington sheep were wont to feed there during the summer. Oregon sheepmen, protesting through the Umatilla County Wool Grower's Association, assert that much of this range accorded Washington as has been used in the past by them in predatory manner, and that the action of the forestry officials is perpetuating the wrong.

The effect of the present situation is that Washington men have a total of 174,260 sheep on the entire Wenaha reserve, while the Oregon men have a total of but 25,140. There is said to be a total of 37,230 Washington sheep on the Oregon side, which is more than the Oregon people themselves have on their own side of the reserve. Sheep owners paying taxes in Umatilla county insist that they would use all of the Oregon side of the range, if not forced out.

Senator Fulton has been working with the department to change such a policy, and the case has resolved itself into a question of fact. The department, acting under the instructions of its Wenaha supervisor, proceeds on an assumption of facts which is contradicted by the sheepmen. The result will be formal investigation to learn the real situation, as the Oregon senator intends to insist upon fair play, and will not be content with the mere statement of officials that their policy is adhering to the former range practices.

In making preliminary arrangements for construction of a mile of good road on either side of the Cascades, Senator Fulton has been urged by Judge John H. Scott, of Salem, president of the Oregon Good Roads Association, to strive at all times to keep the average cost of work down to the lowest figure. Judge Scott holds that owing to the sparse settlement in Oregon, such a demonstration will have value in proportion to its permanence and initial cost. The senator has taken this point up with the government officials who will have charge, and hopes that the experimental work will be a lesson in economy, as well in the new science of road construction.

Announcement of the Interior Department that reclamation work for some time would be confined to present projects, because available funds are pledged, is delecting for the Oregon workers in Congress. Oregon's contribution to the reclamation fund being larger than other states, her people expected proportionate work, but have been disappointed. The varied troubles through which the state has passed made all efforts in her behalf the year unusually difficult, and just as these were being swept aside, the department expressed the purpose of entering upon no new work. Senator Fulton has been contending with the Interior Department for a long time that his state had as many practicable projects for reclamation as any other, and should be given money in proportion to its contribution to the fund. He hopes yet to establish his principle, so as to have it observed in the future.

Another View.

These cases of glaring violations of the laws of right conduct, should not blind the eyes to the doings of many men and women of vast wealth. Great wealth in the disposal of Helen Gould has proved a blessing to hosts of needy souls. Wealth in the hands of Girard, Drew, Tulane, Peabody, Cooper, Drexel, and literally hundreds of others has been of vast service to the race. To this spirit the country owes the establishment of hundreds of libraries, numerous hospitals, seminaries, colleges and universities, tenement houses and equipments, Y. M. C. A. buildings, homes for the work of social settlements, beautiful parks in the cities, and hundreds of other applications to the betterment of the race. It is but natural to ascribe to the donor a selfish impulse—perhaps it is true—but few would prevail in their contention against the value to the public. The tendency of the day is to look for the spots on the sun.—World's Events.

Realty Transfers.

D. H. and Daisy Hemenway to C. H. Burkholder, undivided 1/2 of e 30 feet of lot 4, blk 2 Schield's ad to Cottage Grove also lot 20x96 feet in Long & Landess to Cottage Grove, \$400.

Cottage Grove Public School Monthly Report Ending Feb. 9.

	Boys	Girls
Total enrollment	265	230
New enrollment	6	8
Days attendance	3414 1/2	3668 1/2
Days absence	255	248 1/2
Average daily attendance	349 plus	
Average No. belonging	374 3/4	
Times tardy	61	84
No. of days taught	20	
No. of days holiday	0	

C. L. STRANGE, Supt.

Prof. Strange says that the tardiness of the pupils in the schools is one that is a serious menace to the welfare and standing of the school. The present report shows sixty-one boys and sixty-four girls have been tardy during the month, a total of 125 tardinesses for just one month. No wonder the professor is alarmed over the fact. Parents don't give your children so much to do that they can't get to school before it opens, which most of them give as the reason for their lateness.

There is a new old janitor at the High School now, Mr. McKibben having resigned, and Mr. Howard who was janitor last year being appointed in his place.

A number of flower gardens are to be started immediately on the west side of the High School building, and they are going to make the yard blossom all over. The ladies of the Woman's club have quite enthused the children and all are anxious to get the flowers planted and to hurry them up.

There is almost no sickness in the schools at the present time, what little there is, being mostly from slight attacks of grippe. The year has been an unusually healthy one for which every parent is very thankful.

Mosby Creek.

Sam Lewis went to the city Monday.

Mrs. John Palmer returned home Tuesday from Albany where she has been visiting with friends.

Church was held at the Blue Mountain school house Sunday by Rev. Owen.

D. H. Brumbaugh was up Coast Fork Thursday.

Ruff Rawlings went to Cottage Grove Wednesday.

Will Van Gordon went to Cottage Grove Friday.

Ellis Robinson came home from the mines Wednesday and returned Thursday accompanied by his wife.

John Palmer went to Cottage Grove Friday.

Jim Patton came home from Fall Creek Monday.

Big Brick Plant For Springfield.

During the past year numerous inquiries have been received by our townsman Chas. Rivett, in regard to the quality of the soil around Springfield for the manufacturing of brick. Mr. Rivett has spent considerable time in looking over the different clay beds and in testing the quality by burning. About three weeks ago he found a large bank that contained a bed of the best dirt for the purpose that he has ever seen in Oregon, located just one-half mile from Springfield and it is this spot that the new brick yard will be located.

Mr. Rivett informed a News reporter Monday that R. J. Huntington, a representative of the syndicate, was in town over Sunday talking over the prospects and making arrangements for the immediate construction of the plant. The company consists of San Francisco capitalists who are said to have millions at their command. Mr. Huntington stated that \$150,000 would be invested in the Springfield yard. A sidetrack will be built from the g. p. yards to save the handling and hauling of the brick.

It is estimated that the yard will employ between 75 and 100 men, and that the average wages paid for labor will be \$2 per day. This means an increased payroll for Springfield of nearly \$5000 per month.—Springfield News.

Dr. Lowe, the well known oculop-trician will be in Cottage Grove at Hotel Oregon next Monday and to noon Tuesday, Feb. the 18th and 19th. If the best is not too good for your eyes don't fail to consult him.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

For County Commissioner

I, hereby announce myself as a candidate upon the republican ticket for County Commissioner of Lane County, subject to the primaries to be held April 20, 1906.

If elected to the office I will give my personal attention to every part of the county and a square deal to every man.

WM. T. KAYSER,
Cottage Grove.

The High School

Seniors.

The Seniors have just finished the first book in Caesar, and have taken up the second. The class is doing much better work now than at the beginning.

There were several absences Friday. As they go against the record of the class, we should try to avoid all that we possibly can.

Notice to the citizens and parents—Are you aware of the fact that there are only fifteen more weeks of school this term? Only a few short weeks in which you will have a chance to visit the High School and see the work that is being done and how it is carried on. So therefore take a half-day off and pay us a visit. We shall appreciate it and you will be interested. So come.

Katie Knowlton has been absent from school the past week on account of the sickness and death of her father. The class extends their most heartfelt sympathies to her in her bereavement.

Changes in Ownership.

Mr. C. H. Burkholder has purchased the interest of DeLure Hemenway, in the firm of Hemenway & Burkholder. Mr. Hemenway retiring. Just what business he will engage in is undetermined at the present time. The firm has made a marked success during its existence, and which Mr. Burkholder is confident it will continue to prosper. This is the first time for 19 years that he has been in business alone.

John Durham has about concluded the arrangements for the sale of his transfer business to Hamilton Veatch and John Schmutz. He says he will continue to stay around town and worry the lives of the rest of the citizens and see that they behave themselves, after he sells out.

Railway Men are Examined.

The American Railway Association's inspectors arrived in Cottage Grove Monday in their special car and examined the local depot employees as to their hearing, eyesight and distinction of colors. Everyone passed the examination very successfully.

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132 Lake St. Chicago, Ill.

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