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Died.

ALLEN—Cora Grace, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Allen who reside on Mosby Creek, Tuesday July 7, 1908, aged 4 years, 3 months and 27 days, from stomach troubles, supposed to have been caused from eating cherries.

The funeral service was conducted at the Presbyterian church in this city Wednesday at 11 o'clock a. m. by Rev. H. L. Nave, interment in the Shield's cemetery.

BOWEN—At the Eugene hospital this morning, July 10, 1908, Chas. Bowen, aged 68 years.

Mr. Bowen was well and favorably known at this place having served the S. P. Railroad Co., for years as Section foreman at this place and Latham. He has been in poor health for some time past and went to the hospital for treatment. His wife died some years ago. He will be buried at this place Sunday under the auspices of the K. P. lodge of which he was a member. He leaves five grown children to mourn their loss.

ALEXANDER—At his home in Oakland, California, July 6, 1908, Robt. Alexander, aged 46 years.

Mr. Alexander was well and favorably known here, having formerly been a member of the well known timber and lumber firm of Campbell & Alexander of this city. He was a member of the local camp W. O. W. in which he carried a \$2000 policy. The firm of Campbell & Alexander was dissolved a few years ago, Mr. Campbell now being state railroad commissioner, Mr. Alexander having moved to California to reside.

POSTER—Jessie Alta, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Foster of Silk Creek, was born at Riverton, Coos county, Oregon, Feb. 10, 1897, and died at her home Monday July 6, 1908 of Spinal Meningitis, aged 11 years, 4 months and 26 days.

Alta was a sweet, loving and thoughtful little girl and during her short life did all she could for the happiness of her playmates and all those about her. She was loved by the entire community and was a favorite among her friends, who will miss her greatly. She had already attained to a 7th grade education and was an exceptionally bright child. She was a member of the Silk Creek Methodist Sunday school and took an active part in it.

The little body was laid in its last resting place in the Silk Creek cemetery, July 7, 1908, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. Fred M. Waehle, pastor of the Silk Creek Methodist church. She will sleep there until the Angel of the Resurrection bids her a glad good-morning.

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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**

When England and her tyrant king Got too almighty skittish, The angry patriots turned out And blew up all the British; But as the Fourth comes round again With no one to forbid it, We all blow one another up To show them how we did it.

Fine haying weather.

It was indeed a glorious 1/4. Patronize Leader advertisers.

The boys say it ain't near beer.

Scholl's specks gives satisfaction.

Refrigerator chocolates at the Kozy Korner.

Wasn't it lucky we had Sunday to rest up in?

It was a sane and safe Fourth at Cottage Grove.

They started the big thing 1 1/2 years ago last Saturday.

Geo. Hohl and wife left this week for Montana to reside.

Cattle in the pastures and on the range are said to be very fat.

Get the Kozy Korner prices for ice cream by the gallon delivered anywhere in town.

The Kozy Korner gives careful attention to ice cream orders from out of town patrons.

Scholl wants to make this month a banner watch sale month therefore gives special prices on watches.

A. B. Wood, manager of the O. & S. E. railroad to Bohemia, was transacting business at Eugene Wednesday.

Frank Crabtree, Jas. Benson, J. M. Islam, Attorney Jerome Knox and Wm. Landess were county seat visitors Thursday.

L. G. Hulin, of the Eugene music firm of Stevens & Hulin, was looking after business matters in this city Wednesday.

On warm summer afternoons, think of us and buy a good ham-mock and take life easy. Veatch & Lawson.

Wednesday and Thursday were among the hottest days of the year, the thermometer registering from 85 to 88 degrees in the shade.

The next poultry show will be more successful if you will sprinkle you hen roost with Avenarius Carboliumum, for sale at Veatch & Lawson's.

There is one man in this community who averages \$30 amount the year around from an 8 acre tract just outside the city limits and his fine young orchard has not yet come into bearing. We have figures to back up this statement.

Hiram Griggs and wife of Eugene were guests of relatives in this city Wednesday. They will move to Corvallis from Eugene this week where Mr. Griggs will be connected with the Willamette Valley light plant.

Only militia boys entered the rifle shoot at this place July 4, and the winners came in the following order: Petrie, Snodgrass, Capt. Johnson, Potts, Mooney, Bartels and Woodruff, all being members of Company E.

The Salem Journal says, William Campbell, the 8-year old son of T. K. Campbell, the railroad commissioner, was badly bruised, as a result of his attempt to jump from a moving street car yesterday afternoon. He is better today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Cook, step-father and mother of Mesdames F. D. Wheeler and N. E. Compton went to Newberg Wednesday from which place they will go to Portland to spend a month, thence to Washington state, to visit friends, from which place they will return to their home, at Earlham, Iowa. They enjoyed their visit in Cottage Grove very much.

Mrs. J. H. Good who was here from Seattle visiting friends, went on to Cottage Grove Tuesday to visit other friends.—Register.

The party who took Tom Parker's flag the night of the Fourth is known and will be prosecuted if the flag is not returned at once.

Forty-four different people competed for prizes offered by the Cherry fair at The Dalles, and there were 681 boxes of cherries on the tables.

Company E, Fourth Infantry, will leave Cottage Grove on train No. 16, August 3, at 1:48 a. m. for the encampment at American Lake, Washington.

L. N. Roney has started several men to work on the county bridge across Brumbaugh creek east of Cottage Grove for which he took the contract some time since.

The reception tendered by the ladies of the Eastern Star to Miss Celia Lurch last week at the home of Mrs. H. O. Thompson, instead of the home of Mrs. Compton as erroneously stated by the Leader.

Gentlemen—Go to the Toggery.

Miss Sue Burt, returned to her home at Youcalla Tuesday, after presiding as pianist at the grand Military ball at the army the evening of the Fourth and celebrating here with friends on that day.

Eyes tested free and fitted with an absolute guarantee. Scholl.

Someone carelessly left a water faucet turned on in the lodge room over Benson's drug store Thursday night and when Mr. Benson came down Friday morning he found his place partially flooded and two large slabs of plaster on his counters which had fallen from the ceiling.

Special reduced prices on watches this month.

Chas. Sears and Frank Crabtree were in town Tuesday with a subscription paper endeavoring to raise the \$100 damages assessed against the proposed Nelson-Currier wagon road on the east side of Row river to this city; it being proposed to bridge the river from the west side of the Nelson farm. They succeeded in raising the required amount.

Second hand piano to rent. Inquire at Veatch & Lawson's.

The Leader was favored with a box of fine cherries Friday evening. They were the "Governor Wood" cherry and were brought to the office by Miss Lydia Dunn being grown at her home on River street. One tree of this variety produced 60 gallons of cherries this year. Some of them were used on the cannery float the Fourth and were said to be the nicest they could find.

Try those delicious home made candies at the Kozy Korner.

Displayed in the Leader window may be seen a cutting 18 inches long from a two year old goose-berry bush grown in the garden of Mrs. C. Gray on Wall street which is set so thick with extra large berries that there is hardly room for any leaves to grow and every bush of this mammoth variety in her garden were borne to the ground under the great weight of these berries.

Schiller and Ludwig pianos at Veatch & Lawson's.

Sam Veatch, chairman of the Southern Pacific Railway Grievance committee, with headquarters in Portland, was in Cottage Grove Monday visiting briefly with his aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Veatch. His territory embraces nearly all of that country west of the Mississippi and he is therefore a very busy man. Last week he spent one day and night at Yuma City, New Mexico, where the thermometer was registering 112 degrees at midnight.

Look in Madsen's store window and see the fine clocks.

John Martin of Creswell delivered a fine lot of cherries to Cottage Grove purchasers Tuesday. In a pleasant call at the Leader office he reported the cherry crop good in his locality. He also stated that haying is in full blast around Creswell and the crop is a heavy one. Creswell was also reported to have many new buildings under course of construction, including a three-story hotel building. A great many Creswell people followed their brass band to Eugene to celebrate.

The finest line in cut glass and clocks ever shown in Cottage Grove at Madsen's.

The Leader is sending out its semi-annual subscription statements. If you get one and the account is incorrect come in and we will adjust it satisfactory to you. We are trying to get the old Leader subscription list straightened out and balanced up.

Now is the time to do that contemplated building. Lumber is cheaper now than it will probably be again in a hundred years.

C. L. Hoxie has filed location notice on two mining claims in the Bohemia district which he calls the "Last Chance" and the "Gold Dollar."

I. W. Gill has succeeded Mr. Milue in the bill posting business, so if you have any bill posting or similar advertising to do, call on him.

Portland people generally celebrated the Fourth at other points. The holiday was universally observed and the city was practically deserted.

Miss Clara Van Riper, who for some time past has held a position in a Portland millinery establishment, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Gowdy and other relatives and friends here.

On Tuesday about 50 old Illinois neighbors or members of their families, now principally citizens of Cottage Grove, spent a most enjoyable afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gowdy on River street recounting old times.

Don't envy the vacationers too much. They have plenty of trouble pitching tents, cutting fire wood, carrying water, fighting ants and resting from irksome tramps over river boulders and logs in quest of the speckled trout: They will soon return home to rest up after the fatigue of their "summer rest."

Pearce Brothers, the grocers, are conducting somewhat of a sweet pea show themselves, however, it is all in honor of the big occasion which the ladies are making a success today. Pearce Brothers window decoration consists of three large floral bells constructed from sweet peas, one red, one white and one pink. The window is banked up with sweet peas and ferns.

Attorney C. E. Crowell of Oakland, California, is having a good time in this city, keeping old friends guessing on his identity, twenty years having passed by since he resided at this place. His stepfather, M. A. Avery, will be remembered as the River street hardware dealer in the palmy days, when that street, now practically a residence street, was Cottage Grove's main business thoroughfare and the postoffice was located in the Currier drug store building just north of the flour mill, while just south of the flour mill was Eakin & Bristow's brick store, only a few broken scraps of brick remaining to mark the site of "Slabtown's" then big store.

Needless to say Attorney Crowell is amazed at the growth and development of this town and country in the past twenty years and he has been kept busy trying to locate the old landmarks, few of which are to be found. Mr. Crowell is now one of the leading attorneys of Oakland, California, while his once little brother, Herbert, is a practicing physician of the same city. His sister Mabel, married a business man of Nappa, Cal., where she now resides and Mr. and Mrs. Avery still reside at Oakland. Attorney Crowell was a classmate of W. C. Conner of the Leader in Cottage Grove's public schools of 25 years ago and this meeting proved a most enjoyable one. Attorney Crowell was accompanied by his estimable wife, on this, his long delayed visit to scenes of his boyhood days.

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Sweet pea seed was purchased and furnished to the amateur local florists in February preparatory to this great event, which it will be seen has been long and carefully planned and that it is a success is putting it mildly, indeed the display is grand, even beyond the expectations of the most enthusiastic, and demonstrates what a little labor and expense will do in the way of beautifying the home and its surroundings, and this event will have the effect to greatly stimulate a pride in the ornamental and beautiful about the home.

THE FLORAL PARADE.

Just as the Leader went to press a grand floral parade was in triumphant progress, with beautiful floats and decorated vehicles, from the largest carriage to the doll buggy.

At the conclusion of the parade the armory was opened to the public, only a ten cent admission being charged to this beautiful, fragrant wonderland, worth many times this meager admission fee and the show will remain open until well in the night and is being liberally patronized.

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There is on display more than 1000 separate and distinct bouquets, there being about fifty exhibitors of sweet peas alone besides the exhibitors of scores of other flowers and plants and the school children's booth.

The Portland Seed Co. occupy one table with its grand sweet pea exhibit of 12 distinct varieties.

One of the most attractive displays is the large American flag design, made up entirely of sweet peas it being the handiwork of Mrs. C. Gray.

At one end of the hall is located a beautiful Japanese booth at which is sold ice tea and Japanese cake. At the other end of the hall is located a beautiful ice cream booth.

Throughout the exhibit excellent music was furnished by the Cottage Grove band.

THE JUDGE.

Mr. Scott of the Portland Seed Co. is judging the various varieties of sweet peas and placing the awards, his own display not being entered in competition.

It is proving one of the big, successful events of the season and is a decided hit.

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