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A CREDIT TO NESMITH.

The Cottage Grove Leader, Conner & DuBruille editors, is just 21 years of age, a well managed, ably conducted newspaper, a credit to the county seat of Nesmith.—Albany Democrat.

In six months Jackson county has spent \$28,571 on roads.

The day of big farms around Cottage Grove will soon be passed.

Where is the prevaricator who said it rains 13 months in the year in Oregon?

A little spring rain, now and then, would be welcomed by all sorts of men.

The presidential big stick has passed on; but the women's club is still doing business at the old stand.

Do your best to increase the acre's yield this season; then if Providence frowns you will be blameless.

The big raises in wheat and the big advances in flour always takes place when the growers have disposed of pretty much all their wheat.

A Boston scientist says if he can get \$10,000,000 to spend on the project, he can talk to the inhabitants of Mars. Talk is cheaper down here.

Dr. Oglesby has a grand display of Bohemia ores in the Modern Pharmacy show window. The collection will be sent to the Seattle exposition.

The "bumest" lot of cuts we have ever seen imposed upon the country press, is the Seattle Exposition series now being run in the country weeklies and semies.

Roosevelt is being wined and dined in Africa. He says he is becoming skeptical regarding the existence of jungles. He finds evidence of civilization everywhere.

Cottage Grove has placed a ban on near-beer. These are sober days for the southern Lane metropolises.—Eugene Register. You probably have reference to the county seat of Nesmith.

They are all setting up and taking notice. The Roseburg Review says: Cottage Grove has raised \$4000 for a booster fund. This figure will probably be increased \$1000 before the end of the week.

The Leader notes that a bill has been introduced in congress to prohibit gambling in wheat and other American agricultural products. This is a timely and a meritorious measure and should pass without delay. An example of this wild, pernicious and speculative method of cornering our cereal products having been witnessed in the Chicago wheat pit recently—the greatest of all gambling schemes.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Judge Meinzer of Youcalla was a business visitor at Cottage Grove the first of the week.

E. Helliwell of the Helliwell real estate firm of Youcalla, made a business trip to Cottage Grove last Tuesday.

Hon. and Mrs. J. Henry Booth will build a \$17,000 residence in Roseburg this season. Mr. Booth is cashier of the Douglas county bank.

The 5,000,000 log drive from Winberry creek for the Booth-Kelly company will be in the pond at Springfield by Saturday night, much to the company's satisfaction.

The Leader is in receipt of a beautiful booklet descriptive of Healdsburg, California, where Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bright are sojourning. Judging from the pictures and printed matter that is a beautiful section of country.

The Cottage Grove and Roseburg locals do not have agents, but as soon as can be trained the conductors will be relieved of that part of the work. The through trains have them and all the conductors have to attend to is the running of the train. The Roseburg local has one ticket collector working now.

The degree team, F. H. Rosenberg, captain, St. Valentine's Circle, Women of Woodcraft, went to Drain Thursday to assist in the initiation of some new members in the local order at that place Thursday evening. A fine banquet was served and a good time was reported. The visitors were: Mrs. Rosenberg, Mrs. DuBruille, Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Van Denburg, Mrs. Ed Jones, Mrs. T. C. Wheeler, Mrs. Earl, Mrs. Brumfield.

Eggs for hatching—A few settings of eggs from a fine pen of Buff Leghorns. (Barker Strain) for sale at 75 cents per 15. Apply soon to C. F. Handy, Cottage Grove, Ore., yards in Gowdville addition. 50-2

Saginaw Items.

Henry Seifert is in Portland. Zeke Lawson and John Hostettler are in Canada.

Several in this vicinity are afflicted with the la grippe.

Nelson Jensen was a Eugene visitor Wednesday of this week.

Harvey Lawson and family who have been in Washington since last fall are back again.

The planing mill has been shut down a few days on account of some defect in the boiler.

Mrs. C. J. Queener and children are going to move to Prune Hill to stay through the summer.

Mont Zackry better known as Red, an employe of the B-K Co. at Prune Hill, while returning to the camp Sunday night fell off the tow board on the flume. The result was a badly disfigured cranium but he was able to go back to work Monday.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

In a certain barnyard there were two hens, one of which when she laid an egg cackled, because she knew when she had a good thing and wanted others to know it—that hen believed in advertising, and many were the breakfasts her enterprise supplied.

When the other hen laid eggs she disdained to cackle. "What's the use?" said she. "Everybody knows I lay eggs." And she cackled not.

One day the owner of the hens by accident discovered the nest of the noiseless one and it was full with eggs, but they were too old to use. And immediately he cut off the head of the hen that refused to be modern and advertise.

Mr. Merchant, are your goods becoming "over-ripe?" Try cackling. Advertise.—Hotel News.

A Pleasant Farm Gathering.

In this day and age of strenuous commercialism, when the dollar is placed above the man and friendships are too often measured by personal motives of gain, it is refreshing to occasionally meet with the old Puritan brand of honesty, benevolence, charity and hospitality which still characterizes most of the country communities of this and many other states and which is particularly marked in the farming community about Cottage Grove, an example of which was the large gathering of farmers and friends of Ira Conner at his farm home two miles northeast of this city Wednesday. A little more than two years ago the elder Conner was stricken with paralysis after many years of great activity in farming pursuits in this community where he has always been held in the highest esteem by his neighbors. While recovered to a great extent from his illness, his physical condition is such that heavy manual labor is necessarily abandoned, but with the assistance of some of his sons, improvements have been fairly well kept up on the farm, new orchards planted and some stock handled. However, lately it was found necessary to replace a long string of line fence between his place and a neighbor, which would involve considerable labor and expense and it was on this occasion that the good neighbors got busy.

On Wednesday morning with their families and well filled lunch baskets they gathered at the Conner home, the ladies to engage quilting, while the men divided in squads and prosecuted work vigorously on the proposed line fence, F. B. Phillips and Claude Arue, who own the adjoining farm and interest in the line fence, contributing liberally in material. Work progressed rapidly up to the noon hour when all assembled at the farm home and partook of a sumptuous dinner, including all of the many good things which only the matrons of the farm home can prepare. Work was again resumed after dinner and before sunset the new line fence was a reality and a most enjoyable social day had been spent. Needless to say, farmer Conner was more than grateful to his good neighbors for their kindness and generosity and the surprise is one he will long remember and cherish.

Those present at this pleasant gathering were: Hamilton Veatch and wife, John Sears, wife and daughter, Lulu; Chas. Sears, wife and son, Bryson; Ernest Sears and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. Frohman, L. F. Orpurd and wife, Ed and Chas. Conner and wives, Edgar King, Mrs. Sadie Lewis and daughter, Cleo; Mrs. E. J. Beidler and sons, Alfred, Chas. and Fred, and W. C. Conner of the Leader, the latter serving as "water carrier"—no small job.

True charity and a most worthy and commendable neighborly sentiment was manifested in this pleasant and profitable social gathering. There should be more of them.

Judge J. S. Fitzhugh, a pioneer of Douglas county died near Roseburg April 19, 1909, aged 76 years. Born in Illinois in 1833. Emigrated to California in 1852. Fought against Rogue River Indians in 1855-56. Settled in Roseburg in 1858. Postmaster in 1866. County judge 12 years.

Clever Girl.

"Why did he marry her anyway?"
"He is rich."
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Smart Alec.

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Water Pails 10-qt. 50. 12-qt. 65. 14-qt. 75 "	
Pudding Pans...2-qt. 10. 4-qt. 20. 5-qt. 25 "	
Pie Plates, 9-inch.....	10 "
Soup Ladles.....	10 "
Dippers.....	10 "
Spoons.....	10 "
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