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FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

A reward of \$50 will be paid by the Leader Publishing Co. to any person or persons who will submit evidence, which will bring about the arrest and conviction of any violator of the local option law in the city of Cottage Grove, either by conducting a blind pig, bootlegging or by violating the local option law in any other way.

A scientist proposes that \$10,000,000 be spent in sending a message to Mars. Why not send it "collect?"—Ex.

An April and May drouth in Oregon is something unheard-of heretofore, but if rain don't fall soon it will be a reality right here in Webfoot.

A man may not pay much attention to what his wife wants, but he wants to look out for that daughter who is growing up: Before she is ten she is seeing things, and making up her mind that her father needs taking in hand.

The Leader publishers thought some time ago that they had the names of about everyone in this community on the Leader subscription book, but new names keep coming in at the rate of from three to six a week.

Storms late last week in the east resulted in the death of many people and much destruction to property. As far south as Georgia the storm swept, killing 34 people in that state and maiming 400. Nothing like that in Oregon.

Cottage Grove poultrymen are receiving orders for eggs from Creswell, Saginaw and as far south as Oakland as a result of reading notices appearing in the Leader. It's the paper that brings business to the advertiser. Thought white and black it's read.

Pleasant View addition is leading in improvements just now. John Nokes has just completed a long stretch of new sidewalk; W. B. Cooper has terraced his door yard in a very artistic and substantial manner, painted his new modern cottage and barn, while I. A. Randall has also built some new sidewalk. The new Cooper & Randall addition is now connected with Fourth street by new sidewalk. Keep an eye on Pleasant View.

NESMITH AND A GREATER OREGON.

What do you think of a so-called booster club opposing the development and expansion of the state in which it is organized for boosting purposes? Every club or organized commercial body opposing the creation of Nesmith county are working directly against the development of the Bohemia gold mines, the Blackbutte quicksilver mines and the immense lumber and timber interests of South Lane and North Douglas counties. The development of these great resources and industries have been retarded long enough. Give them the concentrated attention, encouragement and support which they deserve and which could be given by a new county organization created from this rich territory and the development of these industries would be hastened materially, greatly to the benefit of this territory and the state of Oregon in general. Boost for Nesmith and a "Greater Oregon."

We hear it asserted that the city council will curtail the use of water for sprinkling lawns this season. If so, what's the use of a civic improvement club? Why advocate beautifying the city and its homes? What is the use to terrace and seed your lawns to clover and lawn grass? Why set out roses and ornamental shrubs? Nothing can be accomplished toward beautifying the city and its homes without water, and it is the city's place to provide it. If the supply is growing inadequate to the demand tap another spring or stream. What a roar would be sent up if a private concern or corporation were handling the city water plant and made such restrictions. Cutting out booze, near beer and also water at one and the same time is certainly working the "dry" proposition overtime—and to a frazzle.

The 66th anniversary of the organization of the provisional government of Oregon was celebrated at Champoe Saturday, May 1, under the auspices of F X Mathieu Cabin No. 12, Native Sons of Oregon. Joseph Buchtel of Portland, was president of the day and P. H. D'Arcy of Salem, delivered the oration.

Mr. Sloan P. Shutt, the versatile editor of the Drain Nonpareil, shows signs of reformation. The last issue of his paper actually gave due credit to an editorial which he scissored from the Leader.

The warning comes to look out for \$20 bills, which will not worry the country editors, however. Only plumbers, wheat raisers and trust magnates need be on the lookout.

Cottage Grove needs a street sprinkler. This place is so located that the cool ocean breeze coming up the Siuslaw river sets the dust to flying on the least provocation.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

It pays to advertise.

Penny post cards at the Bazaar.

For artists materials see R. W. Waters.

Mark the streets and number the buildings.

Individual rights end where society's rights begin.

A boy likes pie so well he never knows when it is poor.

Yeast does not seem to be needed to make bread rise these days.

Mrs. W. D. Jones was taken to the Eugene hospital for treatment Monday.

Mining location notices and legal blanks of all kinds for sale at this office.

Don't miss the free musical recital at the M. E. church Wednesday evening.

W. A. Hemenway announces a big ten days special sale commencing Wednesday.

Friday and Saturday we will sell fine lace curtains valued at \$1.50 for 98 cents at Lurchs.

Fine early cabbage plants for sale cheap. Inquire of John Cooter or phone 1531.

The First National bank makes its usual good showing in its statement in the Leader today.

Girl wanted to do general house work in a small family. For particulars inquire at this office.

The Leader found it necessary to put on an extra man in its job printing department this week.

Scott Jackson was over from Lorane Saturday after a load of merchandise for his brother's store.

Joe Landess, Mrs. Daisy Gross and Miss Mamie Kime witnessed the ball game at Eugene Saturday.

Mrs. B. R. Westbrook of Hotel Oregon and Miss Lela Sannard of Cottage Grove were Eugene visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Hanson returned to her home at Eugene Saturday after an enjoyable visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Medley.

Mrs. P. L. Ashcraft of Ashland, is visiting with Attorney and Mrs. W. C. Counter. Mrs. Ashcraft is Mrs. Counter's mother.

A good many commercial travelers are beginning to Sunday at Hotel Oregon as a result of its new equipment and enlargement.

Wanted—Address of Fred Jones, formerly a resident of this place, or nearest living descendants or heirs. Send information to the Leader office.

Phone 1621 for anything you may need in flour, feed, poultry supplies or hardware. Delivered promptly at your door. Spray-Wynne Co.

A live newspaper that is everlastingly at it, can do a great deal to promote the development of a town. This is where you will always find the Leader.

See the Leader's new "booster" envelopes before you order. They have pictures of Main street, Brown Lumber Co. sawmill, fruit drier, schools, etc. Also facts about city and county.

Marriage licenses were granted by the county clerk Saturday to the following: Alfred Pratt, aged 63 and Mrs. Amanda A. Richardson, aged 68, both of Springfield; Roy T. Burklew of Portland and Miss Ora F. Jackson of Junction City.

The musical and literary recital given by Mrs. W. A. Hemenway's class at the Christian church Friday evening was a splendid success and was well attended. The participants all rendered their respective numbers with credit to themselves and to their efficient instructor. The receipts from the recital was donated to the school library fund.

That love is blind was fully demonstrated to the auto party who scaled Mt. David last Sunday. Two couples were found monopolizing the shade of the giant firs at the summit, and they were sittinglikethis and it was anything but a cold day. We called to them to break away, and here is where it was demonstrated that love is not only blind but deaf as well.



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Swallow Nests a Detriment.

We love to hear the swallows chatter about our eaves proclaiming spring, at the same time they bring some obnoxious things with them which cause us discomfort to say the least of it. To prevent this, swallows should not be allowed to nest in our houses lest they bring, harbor and spread the Cimex Locularius or bed bug.

This is brought about by these birds having nested in some house that was infested with the bugs and they finding a good habitation within the feathers of the birds which carry them to our homes and if allowed to nest there will bring us bugs also.

This article is printed to bring to mind the necessity of taking precaution against this dreaded pest. Many times we might prevent our homes being infested by stopping the openings about the eaves and windows of our houses.

J. O. VAN WINKLE, M. D.

Wanted—A dishwasher at Hotel Oregon at once.

Friday and Saturday we will sell fine lace curtains valued at \$1.50 for 98 cents at Lurchs.

I have eastern Oregon grain land to trade for valley fruit, stock or dairy farms; Write me. S. E. Purvine, Box 124, Salem, Or.

The regular Thursday evening prayer meeting service will be held at the Presbyterian church at which the new pastor, Rev. S. C. Adams, will be present and preside.

L. B. Moore, the well known Southern Pacific agent at Roseburg, is spending the day in the Grove the guest of Landlord Westbrook of Hotel Oregon. Mr. Moore is just recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

L. F. Wooley, who is building a neat modern bungalow for his brother in Fairmount addition to Eugene, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in Cottage Grove. He has secured a lot in Eugene and will build a cottage thereon as an investment.

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Messrs Robinson and Cutright of Sunnyside, Washington, spent Sunday and Monday in this city the guest of W. G. Baker. They are making a tour of Western Oregon looking for an investment and were very favorably impressed with Cottage Grove and may stop here again on their return trip from a visit to Roseburg, Grants Pass and Medford.

From over the river comes the admonition to "speak good of your neighbor," do unto others as you would be done by," and other fatherly advice, while at the same time the same parties are attempting to work the dirtiest blackmail scheme against a local merchandise firm ever conceived. They can make themselves ridiculous in more different ways than a cage of monkeys.

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