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ing. NEW SPRAY BUILDING NEAR DEPOT

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Sweet Pea Show Prizes.

The management of the sweet pea show will not solicit for prizes this year from the merchants about town but any one wishing to donate anything for a prize can do so and the same will be gratefully received. If you have anything to contribute please notify Mrs. A. B. Wood, chairman of the Civic Improvement committee, by July 1.

Discovered a Coal Vein.

While drilling a well on the Latham School grounds, two miles south of Cottage Grove, a few days ago, Messrs. Ralston & Spear bored through a three foot vein of coal at a depth of 35 feet and a second small vein of a better grade of coal was struck at a depth of 72 feet. This well was sunk to a depth of 85 feet and an excellent flow of good pure water secured.

Mathias Duerst Dead.

Mathias Duerst died at his home, seven miles east of Cottage Grove, on Mosby creek, June 19th, 1909, of cancer of the stomach. He was born in Canton, Glarus county, Switzerland, April 28, 1847. He came to the United States in 1868, and located in Iowa, where he was united in marriage to Louisa Britt, Jan. 14, 1893. To this union was born five children, four of whom survive him, besides his wife. He was a well respected citizen and will be greatly missed in his home and by his neighbors.

D. L. Rowe, who taught the spring term of school in the Shield's District, No. 24, has been reelected as teacher of the same school for the ensuing year. He will teach a term of six months. Prof. Rowe has taught two terms of public school since coming to Cottage Grove last fall, one at the "Prune Hill" school and one at "Shields" school. Both districts highly recommend him as a teacher.

The Pride Home Bakery will be closed hereafter on Sunday from 1 until 4 o'clock p. m.

Floral Afternoon.

Mrs. E. K. Barnes and Mrs. George Hall gave a very pleasant reception at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Barnes Thursday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Dreher, of Morgan City, Louisiana, Mrs. Barnes' sister. It was a "Floral Afternoon," the parlors and porch being artistically decorated with syringa and sweet briars, a profusion of sweet peas and roses being added to complete the floral effect, the color scheme being pink, white and green in the decorations and also in the refreshments, which consisted of ice cream, cake and punch. Little Misses Hildred Hall and Dorothy Dreher very gracefully assisted the hostesses. In the illustrated floral contest, Mrs. McCreddie was awarded the prize, a pretty vase. The guests were:

Mesdames Adams, Abrams, Currin, Phillips, Conner, Job, Inlow, Simeral, Hazelton, Tyson, Medley, Lurch, Krueger, Herren, McCreddie, Buckland, Struble, Rees, Wallace, D. Hemenway, Thompson, Russell, Isham, Kem, DuBrulle, Short, Chambers, M. Veatch, Burkholder, Awbrey, Miller, Olsen, Sculley, W. A. Hemenway, Wheeler, Compton, Eakin, J. I. Jones, Van Denburg, Bland, Essick, Baker, Nickle, Lewis, Le Roy Woods, Giltner, A. B. Woods, Words, Venske, Rosenberg, Johnson, Paul Jones, Goodman, Van Winkle, Brund, Benson, H. Veatch, O. Veatch.

Look Out for Fires.

The dry weather increases the danger of fires, keep your roof free from moss, and a policy on your house in case it does burn. Tom Awbrey can give you a satisfactory policy and rate. 8-11

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A good serviceable team, weight 1200, heavy harness and light Studebaker wagon with cover. Inquire at Leader office.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

It's Luck to Smoke Puck
The better than 5c Cigar
The Cigar in the Green Box.

Nesmith county 1910!
Hay harvest will soon be "in full blast."

Tuesday was the longest day of the year.
Cottage Grove will celebrate the Fourth on the Fifth.

Sheriff Fenton, of Roseberg, was in the Grove this morning.
Mrs. Roy Hutchinson visited Eugene friends Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Cochlan of Creswell is visiting in Cottage Grove.
If you want "a sweet June bride" you will have to hurry.

Alta King made a business trip to the county seat Wednesday.
Miss Nancy Whittsett has recovered from an attack of measles.

Mrs. Dock Pitcher was in town Wednesday from Shield's District.
Jesse Bemis and George Sutherland of London were in town last Tuesday.

No fizzle about the New Era Drug store fireworks. They are sure shooters.
Plain and strawberry crushed fruit ice cream at the Wave Sunday. Don't forget.

I. L. Rowe returned home from London Springs last Tuesday, after a weeks recreation.
Mrs. Mary Hawley has arrived in this city to visit with her father, O. P. Adams and other relatives.

Attorney J. S. Medley and F. H. Snodgrass were in attendance at Circuit court at Eugene this week.
The business houses of this city have decided to close on Monday, July 5, from 11 a. m. till 4:30 p. m.

FREE.—We will give an air gun free with every boy's suit bought during the week before the Fourth. LURCH'S.

Mrs. Mabel Merriman, of Portland, is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Wynne and sisters, Mesdames Eakin and Benson.
A full line of Columbia stock food and gall cure. Every box guaranteed at harness shop. C. BEALS & SON.

John Woodard encountered a barb wire fence at Saginaw Thursday with his Ford runabout and cut a tire up severely.
Mrs. Eugene Matlock, of Eugene, visited with her parents, W. C. Johnson and wife here this week and attended the Royal Neighbors social Wednesday evening.

Besides the teachers formerly employed to teach in the city schools, Miss Nettie Burdick, Miss Bessie Woods and Miss Myrtle Purvance have been employed, which completes the corps of teachers, the two former being assigned to High School work.
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George Whitsett, Jr., is able to be out again after a strenuous tussle with the measles.
Fred Meinzer, of Creswell, was looking after business matters in the Grove Thursday.

M. S. Lyons, of Tacoma, spent a few days in this city this week, the guests of his friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Johnson.
W. Hubble, the contractor, is rebuilding the residence of Mrs. C. Gray on Wall street. It will be converted into a modern cottage.

Herbert Hawley, of Portland, is a guest of relatives and friends in this city whom he has not visited for several years. He is engaged in street contract work at Portland.
Levi Geer of Calapooya Mineral Springs is bringing a drive of about 4000 railroad ties to the Latham plant, by water. A great deal of trouble is experienced, as the water of the Coast Fork is very low.

Miss Mary Bartels has moved her millinery store into the building formerly occupied by the Bazaar, and the old building which she occupied is being moved away to make room for A. J. Stewart's new brick.
All kinds of sewing machines at best prices at Marion Veatch's. 511

Charles Hull, of Latham, returned home last Tuesday from Corvallis, where he has graduated from the Oregon Agricultural College. He received the degree of B. S., in the engineering course. He left for Seattle Thursday.
Watch for Walker & King's bulletin board special sale each day.

The S. P. company has increased (?) train service in Oregon by taking off the most popular and convenient train of all, and putting in its place a through train that does no local business. The more populous Western Oregon becomes the poorer is its train service.
Buy your harness where you get your moneys worth. C. BEALS & SON.
A. J. Armstrong, the photo man, returned home from Portland this morning. He attended all of the sessions of the Eastman Professional school of photography. This school instructs in all the latest and best processes of the art. Mr. Armstrong will now be better prepared than ever to please his patrons. Call and see him at the Grove Studio. While in Portland he bought a stock of photographic supplies for the amateur trade. Call on him for plates, films and all needed camera supplies.
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank
OF COTTAGE GROVE

As submitted to the government, April 28, in condensed form. Examine and compare it with other bank statements of condition.

Loans, bonds, city and county warrants . . .	\$151,463.23	Capital and surplus	\$ 30,000.00
Real estate, fixtures . . .	12,225.00	Profits	14,138.63
Cash	118,954.93	Circulation	12,300.00
	\$282,643.16	Deposits	226,304.53
			\$282,643.16

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Our Spring Season has opened most satisfactorily. New orders are coming in and we are filling them in a manner satisfactory to our trade.
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To KANSAS CITY and Return - 64.40
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To CHICAGO and Return - - 76.90

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To DENVER and Return - - - 59.40
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Going transit limit 10 days from date of sale, final return limit Oct. 31. These tickets presents some very attractive features in the way of stopover privileges, and choice of routes; thereby enabling passengers to make side trips to many interesting points enroute.
Routing on the return trip through California may be had at a slight advance over the rates quoted.
Full particulars, sleeping car reservations and tickets will be furnished by any Southern Pacific local agent, or
WM. McMURRAY, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Ore.

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