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Pleasant Family Reunion.

Miss Neva Perkins, who is enjoying a pleasant visit with relatives at Baker City, sends the Leader the following interesting account of the recent family reunion held near that place.

"The Perkins family, the eldest members of whom are E. P. Perkins and wife of Baker City enjoyed a picnic on July Fourth at the old mill site on Pine creek.

Mr. Perkins, with his parents and brothers and sisters came across the plains in the early sixties. He and his brothers John B., H. Z. (deceased) and Wm. B. made homes in Baker county, two sisters, Mrs. S. E. Wynne and Mrs. I. P. Currin and one brother, J. H. Perkins (deceased), made homes in Cottage Grove, Lane county. Each brother's and sister's family was represented at the gathering except that of Mrs. Wynne.

The living relatives of this first family number about eighty. The members present at the reunion numbered fifty-two and ranged in age from a babe of six months to the beloved pioneer of seventy-seven years.

The company, composed as it was, of those who came first to clear the way, their vigorous sons and daughters and their promising grandsons and granddaughters seated around the two bountiful feasts that was spread in the pleasant shade, spoke well for Oregon's climate and possibilities.

The afternoon was spent in listening to stories of early and later day experiences amid frequent reports from firecrackers and overflowing mirth of the juvenile members, and slipped away all too soon."

Oxen Case Dismissed.

The case of the People vs. Frank Vaughn, charged with the larceny of seven oxen was dismissed in the circuit court Wednesday on motion of District Attorney Bryson. Lack of evidence to warrant prosecution was assigned as the cause. Complainants in the case were the Cerro Gordo Lumber company and the offense was alleged to have been committed on February 27 last. It appears that the charge was made as the outcome of some unsatisfactory business deal.—Register.

The Rees-Wallace Co. sold over 200 gallons of cherries Thursday.

Two More New Homes.

W. M. Woolard has bought an acre tract in the Gowdy addition adjoining the residence property of W. C. Conner and has let a contract for a neat modern cottage 28 x42 feet, into which he will move as soon as completed and improve the property.

Al Elledge is delivering lumber and has awarded a contract to Will Hart for a fine 8-roomed, story and a half cottage to be built on his corner lot on Wall street adjoining Mr. Forrester's home.

Work on Mrs. Gray's residence on the same street is progressing, W. Hubble, contractor.

Another Business Change.

Hoke Fiester has purchased an interest in W. C. Johnson's general merchandise store and the new firm will be styled W. C. Johnson & Co. Mr. Fiester is a brother-in-law of Mr. Johnson and has had many years experience in the mercantile business. Both are well known here and are sure to receive a good public patronage. The Leader wishes the new firm success and bespeaks for it a liberal patronage.

New Road Completed.

Elzie Holderman has completed the new road from the Lang place on Lang creek up to the Prather homestead in the forest reserve, where Supervisor S. C. Bartrum proposes to build a "Foresters lodge" this summer for the convenience of the rangers and the forestry service. Mr. Holderman celebrated with his family in this city over the Fourth.

Marriage License.

A marriage license was issued Wednesday to W. M. Roberts and Miss Mary Hart, both of Cottage Grove.

Team Outfit For Sale.

A good team, harness and wagon for sale, all in first class condition. Inquire at this office.

Watch for Walker & King's bulletin board special sale each day.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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

And it rained.

Irl Hicks predicted a wet July. Now the haymakers will get busy.

A good husband is merely a good son grown up.

Now to clean up and put away the flags and bunting.

The rain did not seriously crack the cherries hereabouts.

Wednesday dawned bright and clear after two days of showers.

Mrs. T. C. Wheeler and little son visited with Eugene friends this week.

If a man expects to amount to anything he must do so in spite of bad luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Pitcher have gone to Silver Lake to visit with their son and family.

Few people were proud of the flag by noon—could't tell what country it represented.

Richard O'Loane celebrated with friends in this city. He is now located in Washington.

Riley Snodgrass and wife, of Roseburg, celebrated with relatives and friends in this city.

Mrs. Mary Hawley returned to Portland Wednesday after a few days visit with her father and sisters.

Free—a pair of stockings with every pair of children's oxfords bought Friday and Saturday at Lurchs.

There is one thing the fathers of today can't do as well as the fathers of thirty years ago: They can't spank.

Miss Alice Huggarth returned to her home in Grants Pass Wednesday morning after a two weeks visit with Mrs. Fred Churchill and other friends in this city.

Did you ever see a better natured, more orderly crowd than celebrated in Cottage Grove Monday? The rain could not dampen the ardor of the jolly, patriotic hosts.

Mrs. D. M. C. Gault has returned home from Portland, where she spent the Fourth with her son and daughter. She reports heavy rainfall at the metropolis Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

C. H. Jones who has been making his home with his daughter, Mrs. W. C. Conner, moved into his new cottage adjoining the residence property of his daughter, Mrs. L. F. Orpurd, today.

Mrs. G. L. Rees went to Portland Tuesday to enjoy a two weeks visit with her mother and friends. In the meantime G. L. will feast on canned goods, sew on his own buttons and stay out late at night.

The rain made some of the pretty white dresses look a little bedraggled. It took the starch out of many a well laundered gown and the traipsing in the mud, made fluffy ruffles look anything but picturesque.

J. D. Cochran has rented his little farm near town to Frank Winzenreid and with his family left today for Walla Walla to reside. They shipped a car of stock to that place and some household goods.

A blanket on one of the white horses in the celebration parade bore an advertisement for W. A. Hemenway. The rain caused the lettering to be transferred to the horses' sides and it cannot be washed off, so Mr. Hemenway has a living, walking advertisement.

The district fair association meets this evening to perfect plans for the forthcoming second annual fair to be held at the fair grounds Cottage Grove, in September, and a rousing time is assured. Get an eye on those big fruits, vegetables, fancy stock and fowls for the fair.

Mrs. J. M. Isham and three children arrived here Wednesday from Cottage Grove to join Mr. Isham, who has been located as station agent at the S. P. depot here for the past two months. Mr. and Mrs. Isham and family will occupy the Geo. Cramer house on Third street.—Grants Pass Courier.

Mrs. W. H. Blair and little daughters, Ruth and Sadie of Portland came to Cottage Grove last Friday and remained over the Fourth with Colonel Blair, who is still looking after their property interests here, while his family resides at Portland in order to get more advanced school advantages. The many friends of Mrs. Blair and the girls enjoyed the pleasure of a brief visit with them.

Hay is already commanding a price of \$20 per ton at Eugene and Springfield.

An interesting temperance meeting was held at the Adventist chapel on Wall street Thursday evening.

Free—A pair of stockings with every pair of children's oxfords bought Friday and Saturday at Lurchs.

Herman Darling, the ten year old son of a Eugene cigar dealer was drowned at that place Friday while bathing in the river.

Work on the two big new bricks was suspended a few days the first of the week on account of the rain—so was hay harvesting.

R. M. Gleason, the concrete worker, is building a new concrete sidewalk for F. G. Stiller, in front of the Cottage Grove creamery and lot.

Col. W. H. Blair has been attending circuit court at Eugene this week. He has sold his hay crop on his place south of town to Wm. Bainbridge.

Mr. Mote exhibited some beautiful "Mammoth" blackberries at the Leader office Thursday. They were over an inch in length and were grown at his home below the depot.

One of the best ball games of the season was played Sunday at this place between the Portland Goldfield and the Nesmith county teams score 3 to 1 in favor of the visitors.

W. W. Jackson, the Lorane merchant and his brother Scott, were transacting business in this city Saturday and securing a wagon load of freight for the Lorane store.

Mrs. Blanche King is building a neat modern residence on her lot adjoining her residence property in west Cottage Grove, which will be occupied by Dr. and Mrs. C. B. King recently of Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barker have the choicest thanks of the Leader for a pair of grand Royal Ann cherries, the largest we have seen this season, which were grown in Mr. and Mrs. Barker's dooryard in this city.

Attorney W. C. Counter celebrated at Creswell Saturday and reported a fine time. With Prof. Barnes, Attorney Counter celebrated at Lorane Monday, where, as at Cottage Grove, rain dampened the ardor of the occasion.

Chas. Sears presented a cherry limb to the Leader office Wednesday 16 inches long which contained so many cherries we could not conveniently count them. They were of the Governor Wood variety and were not damaged by the rain.

R. E. Seward and wife of Grants Pass, have moved into the cottage on Wall street recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Canfield. Mr. Seward is a printer and has accepted the position of foreman on the Western Oregon, our esteemed contemporary.

Mrs. B. A. Westbrook and Miss Abigail Johnson arrived down from Cottage Grove on this morning's early train. They were accompanied by Mrs. Stannard and daughter, Miss Lela of Brownsville, who are on their way home after a visit at Cottage Grove.—Thursday's Eugene Guard.

T. W. Cross, representing earth and rock handling machinery and like supplies as carried by the Contractors Supply Co. of Portland, spent Tuesday in this city and quoted prices on rock crushers and road rollers to the city council Tuesday evening, the council contemplating the purchase of such machinery to put in the city rock quarry north of town.

Ernest Purvance and family of Disston celebrated in this city and were guests of Mrs. Purvance's mother, Mrs. Currin. Ernest is postmaster at Disston, but will return to Cottage Grove to reside as soon as he completes his contract for the construction of a Foresters lodge on Lang creek in the forest reserve a few miles from Disston. This lodge will be a two story eight room structure and will be occupied by forest rangers.

Sam Veatch, a prominent officer of the Railway Conductors organization, spent Sunday in Cottage Grove a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Veatch. Four weeks ago, Mr. Veatch informed the Leader, he was seeing the sights in Portland, Maine, the extreme eastern point on the Atlantic seaboard, with his wife and daughter, they having visited Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Boston, New York and other great cities on a sight seeing tour, spending several days at each place. The trip was a most interesting and enjoyable one.

WHEELER-THOMPSON CO. GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

Begins Monday July 12th. All ladies, mens and childrens shoes, mens and boys straw hats, mens and boys suits and other summer wear goes at the greatest reduction of the season.

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Christian Church Service July 11th.

10 a. m. Bible school, 11 o'clock sermon, "Forward!" Christian Endeavor 7 p. m. 8 o'clock address, "Kings's Daughters." Everybody welcome.

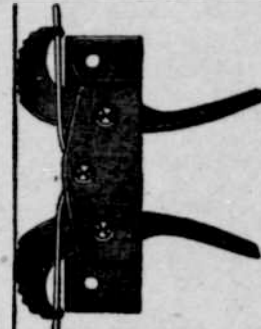
W. A. ELKINS, Pastor.

E. K. Wells, the well known Eugene architect, has submitted plans and specifications for a fine improvement to the front of W. C. Conner's residence, including a double deck colonial porch.

EXCURSION FROM THE EAST TO CRESWELL

C. N. Fredericks, the wide-awake real estate dealer of Creswell, who is in the city this afternoon, stated to a reporter that the A. C. Bohernstedi company, which owns several thousand acres of land near Creswell which is being set to fruit trees by the company sold several good tracts of land this week to a party of excursionists which arrived there Monday from the east. This time the special car containing the land buyers did not stop in Eugene, as did the first excursion conducted by this company, but went through to Creswell. Over \$68,000 worth of property was sold to members of the first excursion by the company and Mr. Fredericks states that he thinks as much was sold to members of the last one.—Guard.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank OF COTTAGE GROVE

As submitted to the government, June 23, in condensed form, Examined and compared with other bank statements of condition.

Loans, bonds, city and county warrants	\$149,955.96	Capital and surplus	\$30,000.00
Real estate, fixtures	12,225.00	Profits	15,043.36
Cash	141,567.64	Circulation	12,500.00
	\$303,748.60	Deposits	246,205.24
			\$303,748.60

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