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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1909.

The many saw mills tributary to Cottage Grove report better business prospects in the lumber industry.

An optimist is the man who takes whatever weather is sent and decides that it is just what the farmers have been waiting for.

Cottage Grove has spent a third of a million dollars in improvements this year. Every town in the Willamette valley is growing, and those of Lane county are especially active, says the Eugene Guard.

The spectacle of Drain wailing about the loss to Douglas of that "camels hump" of mining territory running up into Lane County in the Bohemia district, is too ridiculous to be funny, when it is so well known that Drain nor any other Douglas County town has ever put one dollar into this promising mining camp, which has been developed solely through the capital and energy of Cottage Grove people. The treasure of this mining district would have remained hidden for all time had it remained for Drain or Douglas County to discover and dig it out.

It is very infrequent that the Eugene Guard takes a thrust at Cottage Grove, in fact the Guard has always, under the management of Editor C. H. Fisher, demonstrated a very friendly attitude toward Cottage Grove and her people, but that display head in Monday's issue, "Cottage Grove City Water Not Fit to Drink," was very unkind, especially when the article quoted explained that not the city water, but a certain well which is only used at times of extreme water shortage in August, and while 80 feet deep, is found to be impure and was put out of commission some time ago for the season, was referred to. However, all of those busy people who only have time to read newspaper headings would get a very erroneous impression concerning Cottage Grove's fine water, from Monday's Guard. Our water supply—what there is of it, and it is ample for all purposes ten months of the year—is unexcelled for purity. Brother Fisher, don't you ever do that again!

The Eugene Register argues that since the Leader is an ardent advocate of county division it should also favor state division and therefore support the new state "Siskiyou." California has twice the territory of Oregon, and why, in this new state proposition, Oregon should be required to contribute more territory than California, is what the Leader cannot understand. Let Siskiyou absorb more of California and less of Oregon and we are for Siskiyou.

SENATOR LAFOLLETTE AT COTTAGE GROVE.

United States Senator Robert M. LaFollette delivered one of his interesting lectures before a good sized audience in the Cottage Grove Christian Church Tuesday evening. Everybody, and especially the members of the United States Senate, have learned to respect the fighting tactics of LaFollette.

The greater part of his vacations are spent in lecturing on political themes. On every possible occasion he unrolls before his audience the voting records of its senators. He makes no accusations at such times. He does not charge a vote in favor of the railroads, the beef or sugar trust has not been conscientiously cast. He merely tells his audience what its representatives have done and lets it draw its own conclusion. Pure in diction, concise and clear in statement, profound in thought, wide in information, logical to the point of closing the argument, fiery in his earnestness and most pleasing in delivery, the lecture was a masterpiece.

In the battle of popular rights against reaction, class rule and the dominance of privilege, through the money-controlled machine, Senator LaFollette stands squarely with the people and against the self-seeking enemies of government. His record as governor of Wisconsin constitutes the fairest page in the history of governors of American commonwealths during the past quarter of a century. He is a clean man and should receive substantial support in his great fight for the rights of the common people.

Senator LaFollette is a man of national reputation. Although a Republican, he belongs to the reform element of his party common-known as "insurgents." His two most conspicuous qualities are his ability as orator and his ability as a political organizer. The senator was met at the train by Mayor Job, Prof. Barnes of the city schools, Fred G. Conley of the Commercial Club and other prominent citizens and escorted to Hotel Oregon, where was stretched across the street a great American flag. Many citizens met and conversed with the great senator and ex-governor.

H. G. MCKINLEY FREE SATURDAY.

Horace G. McKinley, convicted of conspiracy with S. A. D. Puter et al., to defraud the government of timberlands, and who was sentenced to serve a term of two years in prison, will walk out tomorrow a free man. Three months of the sentence are cancelled for good behavior, so McKinley's actual incarceration will be but 21 months. Judge Wolverton also imposed a fine of \$7500 on the prisoner in addition to the servitude, but this latter proceeding in such cases has been merely a matter of formality. A compact with Francis J. Heney, prosecutor, wherein the accused made certain disclosures, was all that saved McKinley from a term at McNeil's island, and accordingly the same sentence that was pronounced on S. A. D. Puter was meted out to McKinley by the jurist. McKinley and wife will return to China.

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It is no exaggeration to say that American girls are allowed a greater degree of liberty now than their grandmothers were permitted to exercise in their recreations, in making acquaintances and in receiving attentions from men. There was never a time when girls needed more the counsel of parents, their wise and tender and vigilant care and guidance, than now. There was never a time when for their own good there was greater necessity than now for girls to surround themselves with the safeguards of discriminating exclusiveness, to make no friendships until they are satisfied that these associates are compatible with the purest and highest standards of womanhood.

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