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**Presbyterians Pioneer Service.**

The pioneer service at the Presbyterian church Sunday was largely attended and was very interesting. The principal address was made by Dr. W. W. Oglesby who related the incidents of his trip across the plains behind ox-teams with the Veatches, McFarlands and Knox families and other local pioneers in 1853. He also told of the first log cabin church in this vicinity in pioneer days when even the seats were hewn out by hand. "Uncle" Bern Veatch, a venerable pioneer, who with his wife were prominent in pioneer musical circles, led the choir on this occasion which included such well known pioneers as Sylvester Veatch, Mrs. Jane Veatch and Frona McFarland. At the conclusion of his address, Dr. Oglesby sang an old well known sacred song as a solo. H. C. Veatch delivered a brief address on pioneer church work in this community, which was supplemental to Dr. Oglesby's address and was very interesting. Rev. S. C. Adams, pastor of the church, made the closing remarks and closed a unique and interesting service.

Stewart & Delaunay Lumber Co. of Curtin, Oregon, renewed their subscription to the Leader today by check and ordered the votes due them and the 14 coupons inclosed in their letter voted for Mamie Kime, aggregating 220 votes.

**A New Departure.**

At a largely attended meeting of the Sunday school board of the Methodist Episcopal Church, it was decided to give the scholars their usual treat on Christmas eve in the main auditorium. An interesting and unique program is to be presented by the young people. The merchants of the city will surely appreciate one of the items of business. It was voted to raise the necessary sum required for the celebration within the church and parish and not solicit from any one unconnected with the society either money or goods. For too long have the storekeepers been held up at holiday times by solicitors from the various religious bodies. They felt obliged to give to all whether they were church members or not. This year the Methodists will only ask from Methodists. The others will not be dummed.

**Sale for Good Birds.**

Tom Awbrey has just made his last shipment of White Minorcas for the season, a Portland fancier getting all he has to spare for the season, one pen of choice layers only being retained for next years breeding; some more orders with cash enclosed will be returned to the would be purchasers. Cottage Grove poultry is in good demand all over the coast, several choice varieties being raised by fanciers here.

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**

Commencing December 1, the Leader will present every new cash in advance subscriber with a beautiful floral decorated china souvenir plate, free. This plate is 7 1/2 inches in diameter and the prettiest souvenir the Leader has ever given out.

Cleveland's Baking Powder, School report cards on sale at the Leader office one cent each.

Hear the Edison Phonograph, with the new Cygnet horn, at Veatch's music store.

Thos. Allen has purchased the 176 acre farm of D. G. Hubbard in Coast Fork Valley on Cedar Creek for \$2400.

To have our principal sidewalks blocked for the laying of cement walks has its disagreeable features, yet it is a welcome sight.

"I'd rather be a wild turkey and live on the prairie," said a little boy, "than be a tame turkey and be killed every year."

A local builder told us recently that the building boom of this city was only a starter for next year, which would be bigger than ever.

Dr. Lowe the optician will visit the following towns, Cottage Grove December 6, Yoncalla 7, Oakland 8, Roseburg 9, 10, 11. Don't fail to consult him about your eyes and glasses.

A. J. Stewart expects to spend the winter in Southern Oregon. Mr. Stewart is just completing a fine modern bungalow on his pretty acreage tract on south Fourth street.

Many of Lane's road districts are levying special taxes for road improvements which means that substantial road building is to be done in different parts of the county next spring.

One little Navajo boy wears the uniform of a government school, but has not yet learned to appreciate the Thanksgiving turkey. Asked by the teacher what part of the bird he would like, he replied eagerly, "Gimme tail. Make arrow."

A special meeting of the Methodist brotherhood will be held in the church on Wednesday evening. The gymnasium and reading room committees are ready to report and the members are anxious to know definitely about the matter of physical culture classes. A full attendance is desired.

W. C. Shortridge, London, will operate his mill full capacity till the first of January, on a tie order for the Denver & Rio Grande railroad. The ties are floated down the Coast Fork to Latham and shipped thence to Grand Junction, Colo. The Shortridge mill has a capacity of about 15,000 feet of lumber per day.

A large stock of the latest models in R. & G. corsets at The Ladies Toggery.

R. C. Barfield of Salem, is in Cottage Grove today on an official inspection of the local telephone equipment. He now holds the position of office inspector for this district, embracing all of the offices along the S. P. railroad from Eugene to Ashland. Mr. Barfield is a son-in-law of Mrs. Harding formerly of this community, now of Salem.

Ladies, Miss Bartels has a new ad in the Leader today which will interest you. Read it.

The floating sidewalks and flooded section of Second, Third and Fourth streets afforded much amusement to the youngsters Monday evening and to add to the merriment Albert Woodard came out in his Ford Runabout and went spinning about on the flooded streets oftimes being in water almost up to the bed of his automobile. By Tuesday noon the water had receded.

**Private Board and Lodging.**

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**LEADERS IN OUR  
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VOTING CONTEST**

This Contest Closes Wednesday Evening Nov. 24 at 8 O'clock.

Following is a list of the young ladies who are leaders in the Leader's Diamond Ring and Gold Watch voting contest: one hundred votes being given with every dollar subscription or job printing patronage:

- Neita Hazleton.....4560
- Ethel Chrisman.....2370
- Marie Willard.....3040
- Mamie Kime.....2685
- Ina Johnson.....550

**Conference With Forestry Officers.**

Three prominent forest reserve officials, Messrs Bartrum, Chapman and Ames, met with the city council Monday to discuss the extension of the city's proposed intake on Lang creek, three miles farther up to Junetta creek. This extension of pipe line intake is requested by the timber and lumber interests the granting of which they ask before any steps will be taken to install a big milling plant here or near Lang creek to mill the timber, which sale is pending on lower Lang creek and for which local buyers have deposited their required \$5000 and submitted their bid, the sale being delayed awaiting the action of the Cottage Grove city council.

**Thanksgiving Dinner.**

The Home Bakery will serve a fine Thanksgiving dinner, all home cooking.

**MENUE**

- Clam Chowder.
- Celery, Olives, Mixed Pickles,
- Roast Turkey with Dressing,
- Cranberries,
- Scolloped Oysters, Cream Slaw,
- French Peas,
- Mashed Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes,
- Light Rolls,
- Plum Pudding,
- Fruit Salad with Whipped Cream and Cake,
- Mince Pie, Pumpkin Pie,
- Coffee.

If you would enjoy a meal like mother used to prepare, eat your Thanksgiving dinner at the Home Bakery.

Sunday was a notable day at the Methodist church. Large audiences were present notwithstanding the storm. Five adults were admitted to membership at the morning service. This makes nineteen during the past two months. The red and blue contest between members of the Epworth League for membership and attendance is in full swing. No less than sixty seven were present at the devotional meeting by actual count. There is every prospect that the league membership will reach the century mark in a couple of months. The reds give the blues a social in the gymnasium Friday evening.

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