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COTTAGE GROVE GETS A JOLT

Nearly a Ton of Powder Used in a Blast at Stone Quarry

From now on there will be no trouble experienced in supplying the city crusher with rock. A contract was recently let to Charles Otterson, an experienced stone driller and powder burner, for 2500 yards of rock broken up for crushing. Instead of putting in small shots as was done last season and being unable to supply the crusher, Mr. Otterson put a force at work driving a small 25 foot tunnel into the face of the quarry. In this tunnel he stored a little more than 1900 pounds of black powder and when our citizens heard about it they foresaw a veritable San Francisco earthquake in store for Cottage Grove when Otterson should press the electric button and discharge his great blast. Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, the hour set for the great upheaval, many citizens assembled at points of vantage at a safe distance to watch Otterson start the earthquake, but imagine their surprise when there was only a deep muffled rumble and a slight upheaval at the quarry, attended by little or no vibration. But the big blast got in its work perfectly and tons upon tons of broken rock was piled up near and over the crusher, the machine being completely buried and somewhat damaged by the weight of the mass of stone thrown upon it. The county road near by was temporarily blocked, but no other damage resulted. It is estimated that from 3500 to 4000 yards of broken rock is now available for the crusher, which will be used in macadamizing Cottage Grove's streets.

Five Teachers To Resign.

Five of the teachers elected, all of whom taught last year have tendered their resignations to the school board. They are Miss Robinson of Elkton, who will probably accept a position in the Roseburg schools, Miss Eunice Van Denburg of this city; Miss Ethel Moore of Siuslaw; Miss Myrtle Purvance of this city and Miss Katie Wilson of Michigan. There are a large number of applications for the positions, and it is probable that a special meeting of the board will be held prior to the regular school meeting on June 19, when the vacancies will be filled.

Files Location Notices.

On Wednesday evening J. R. Chapman filed the location of a mining claim which he has named "Perseverance." Thursday Thomas H. Meador et al, filed the location notice on a claim in the Bohemia district, which they call "The Copper Queen."

There is one medicine that every family should be provided with, and especially during the summer months, viz, Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost sure to be needed. It costs but a quarter. Can you afford to be without it? For sale by Bensons Pharmacy.

Mrs. L. M. Thompson went to Portland to visit her daughter, Mrs. Joe Best, and also take in the Rose Festival.

A FINE MONUMENT UNVEILED SUNDAY

A good sized crowd witnessed the unveiling of a Woodman of the World monument at the Shields cemetery, a short distance east of Cottage Grove, Sunday, the exercises being conducted by Bohemia Camp No. 260, W. O. W. over the grave of a deceased brother, Archie E. Robinett, of Creswell, and whose membership was held in the Creswell Camp. However, owing to the distance, the Creswell Camp prevailed upon the Cottage Grove Camp to conduct the unveiling ceremonies here for it. There was quite a large attendance of members from the Creswell Camp who assisted in the ceremonies and a good many Creswell and Walker citizens were also in attendance. The Woodman degree team in uniform and captained by Neighbor Emmett Sharp marched at the head of the procession to the cemetery, at which place Consul Commander C. H. Vandenburg presided and delivered the camp oration, which was very impressive. He was assisted in the beautiful unveiling ceremonies by Adviser Lieutenant C. F. Walker, Banker D. B. Chamberlen and the degree team, Rev. Robert Sutcliffe delivering an eloquent and logical address. He paid a splendid tribute to this worthy order and admonished its members to not only remember and reverence its dead, but to strive to cheer and lighten the burdens of the living as well. This is the second time Rev. Sutcliffe has officiated at a Woodmen unveiling ceremony during his comparatively brief residence here and on each occasion he contributed his full share in making the occasion a memorable one. The poem adopted by the Woodmen, "Oh, Why Should the Spirit of Mortal be Proud," was read by Neighbor A. Brewer. Appropriate music was furnished by a local male quartet composed of H. H. Harris, Lloyd Stratton, Worth Harvey and W. C. Conner. The monument unveiled was a beautiful one and bore the inscription "Archie E. Robinett, born April 22, 1886, died December 1, 1910. Here rests a Woodman of the World."

Try the Leader a year.

LOCAL, COUNTY AND STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Master Rosco Hemenway went to Portland last Friday to visit his sister and be in attendance at the Rose festival.

The Chambers Hardware Co., Eugene, are advertising a new farm pumping plant in the Leader today. Look it up.

Frost Sunday morning June 4, damaged beans, potatoes and other tender garden truck. It is one of the latest frosts ever known here.

Messrs. A. Brund, Worth Harvey and M. H. Anderson will represent the local Masonic lodge in the grand lodge meeting, to be held in Portland June 15.

The Orchard Land and Timber company is making rapid progress on the flume from the mill to the railroad, and will have the same finished within a short time at Divide.

Mrs. Maggie Counts and son, the former a sister of F. M. Murray of this city will arrive here in a few days from Missouri, with the intention of making this their future home.

Victor Houck a sixteen year old lad who attended school at the Royal Academy near this city, during the last term, died at his home in Medford on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Spencer, the hustling real estate dealer, has just had completed a fine modern bungalow on his five acre tract in the Cochran addition and moved his household goods therein Wednesday.

J. H. Chambers has completed a mile of his new logging railroad. The road is equipped with 30-pound steel, and cars are operated by a donkey engine and cable. Another half mile will be built.

Commencing this week Main street will be sprinkled and swept twice each week by the city, according to Mayor Abrams. If that is not sufficient to keep down the dust the merchants along that thoroughfare will have to lend a helping hand.

Rev. Sutcliffe's address "Cold Facts" which was delivered to the Y. M. C. A. at Eugene recently was repeated by request at the M. E. church Sunday evening to a large congregation and proved a rare treat to all. A feature of the music program was a fine sacred quartet rendered by Messrs. H. H. Harris, Lloyd Stratton, W. C. Conner and F. D. Wheeler of the Methodist choir.

J. D. Anderson shipped a car load of baled hay to Medford Saturday.

The sawmill owned by B. H. Lee is operating to its full capacity.

Mr. Osmund is raising, remodeling and otherwise improving his residence on Wall street.

The Creswell creamery churned 2500 pounds of butter last week and shipped 2100 dozen of eggs.

Contractor Roy Riggs is erecting a residence for George Townsend, in the south part of town.—Creswell Chronicle.

The concrete foundation for Dr. Schieff's new modern cottage on Wall street west of the Adventist church is completed.

Clyde Nokes and wife have returned to this city to reside, Mr. Nokes assuming his old position in the Southern Pacific depot at this place.

A. J. Armstrong, the Cottage Grove photographer, was in Creswell last week taking views for the special edition of the Chronicle, which will be issued this week.

The Sells-Floto shows come to Eugene Wednesday, June 7. The popular price remains the same and the show itself has been enlarged to almost double the size of former years.

George Prigmore, aged 22, a native of Lane county, was accidentally drowned in the Willamette river near Jasper May 27 and body was found in several feet of water shortly after search was started.

Mrs. A. Brund and baby went to Portland Wednesday to spend a few weeks visiting with friends. Andrew is now compelled to light the morning fires, split the stove-wood and bake his own "flap jacks."

Mr. Bert E. Burrows, a son of Mr. C. W. Burrows of this city, spent a few days here with his father last week, and was accompanied with his wife and child. Mr. and Mrs. Burrows are graduates of our school, and took the opportunity of meeting old friends at the closing exercises this year and also to give his father an opportunity to see his grandchild. Mr. Burrows is employed as baggage master at the S. P. station Cottage Grove. While here they remained under the hospitable roof of Mr. W. W. Moore.—Drain Nonpareil.

MAX WEISS FINED \$500 BUT ESCAPES PRISON

Roseburg, Or., May 31.—Max Weiss, operator of the local cold storage plant, was given the maximum fine of \$500 after having been found guilty of violating the local option law. He would have been given a jail sentence also but for the unsanitary condition of the county jail. Weiss is the third man fined \$500 during the present term of court. Six more men are to be tried on practically the same evidence that convicted Weiss and the other two men.

The School Election.

The annual school election will be held on June 19, when one member will be chosen to succeed Mr. Oliver Veatch, whose term expires. Mr. Veatch was recently appointed a member of the county board of education, and while this does not disqualify him from reelection he will probably not be a candidate. The name of Mr. A. H. King has been suggested and ere long there may be others. Mrs. Job will be president of the board next year.

This City Will Celebrate.

The Merchants' Association has decided to celebrate the Fourth of July, and a committee is now soliciting financial support for the undertaking. It is proposed to make the affair an elaborate old-fashioned celebration and invitations will be extended to the country folk and all rural communities to join.

Pictures from the Under World.

Miss Fannie Michener, from Portland, Oregon, will speak in the Presbyterian church on Sunday, June 11, at 11 a. m. to a general audience and at 3 p. m. to ladies. Subject, social settlement, rescue work, midnight missions, etc.

Motor Cycle for Sale.

In best running order. Just overhauled, with new tires and new lamp with separate generator. A very powerful and speedy machine. A bargain for somebody. See L. N. NICHOLS, Eugene, Oregon. P. O. Box 390.

TO IMPROVE MORE STREETS

City Council Disposes of Much Business at Regular Meeting

The city council met in regular monthly session Monday evening. A petition for improving Cherry street was read and granted and an ordinance was ordered drawn providing for this improvement.

A petition for macadamizing West Second street was read and granted and an ordinance covering this improvement was ordered drawn.

The bid of Bert Willard for cleaning Main street by use of the new sprinkler and sweeper was referred to the street committee.

The recorder was instructed to notify the Pipe Line Construction Company to lower the pipe line from Lang creek 18 inches below the grade of the wagon road at a point at the foot of Cerro Gorda mountain where it has been unearthed by a slide.

A resolution was adopted by the council to the effect that no more new water contracts be granted to parties outside of the city for the remaining part of the year.

The light committee announced that no action would be taken at the present time in regard to placing an arc light on East Main street owing to threatened injunction proceedings against the extension of the city limits.

Dr. Oglesby, health officer, urged that the council enforce the cleaning up order applying to alleys and back yards in particular. Dr. Kime stated that this matter was nothing to be considered lightly as warm weather was at hand and a few cases of dysentery had already been reported among the children.

The proposition of A. B. Wood granting the city without cost the use of ground in the O. & S. E. railroad yards on which to build a fire hose cart house was accepted and a cart and hose was ordered purchased.

The city engineer was instructed to establish grades for those who desire to build new sidewalks upon application.

Ordinance No. 312 providing for the employment of attorneys and providing for their compensation in presenting the city's case against the Lane county court in the supreme court was passed.

Ordinance No. 313 providing for the creation of concrete sidewalk districts in the city limits was passed.

Ordinance No. 304 providing for the creation of new fire limits district north and south of Main street was passed.

A warrant was ordered drawn covering the last payment on the purchase of the city park, comprising five acres.

Fire crackers and bombs will be prohibited in Cottage Grove July Fourth. It is to be a strictly sane celebration.

A warrant in the sum of \$750 was ordered drawn in favor of Chas. Otterson for rock furnished at the city quarry.

Don't Ruin Your Stomach

In a Frantic Effort to Keep Cool by Filling up With Ice Cream And Drinks

When one of our Nifty Straw Hats, a pair of our Nobby Low Cut Shoes, one of our Beautiful Negligee Shirts, a pair of our Peg Top Trousers for MEN would freeze the marrow in your bones the hottest summer day.

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