

Items of Local Interest

A. D. Owens, of Lorane, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. D. F. Dean, of this city, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Stafford, at Halsey.

Ben Lurch, the merchant, returned last week from a business and pleasure trip to San Francisco.

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Miss Evans, of Eugene, came up from Eugene Saturday and we understand will conduct a music class in town.

Rev. and Mr. Groat went to Creswell Sunday where the former held services. Mr. Groat has been among the complaining ones of late suffering from a cold.

Geo. Kegelbeck and bride have returned to Deerhorn where Mr. K. will continue to look after his duties as engineer at the Booth-Kelly mill at that place.

At the annual meeting of the board of trustees of the Bank of Cottage Grove held last Tuesday, George M. Hall was elected president, Ben Lurch vice-president and Harry Short cashier.

T. C. Wheeler of the First National Bank, had business which called him to the county seat one day last week. He filed a complaint in a foreclosure suit against C. C. Shay for the sum of \$8,000, costs and attorney's fees.

Orders have been received by Captain B. K. Lawson of Cottage Grove, Captain George Willoughby of Eugene and Captain Hammell of Albany, to report at Portland on Saturday January 20, for examination by the Oregon National Guard authorities for promotion to the rank of lieutenant-colonel and major respectively.

E. Helliwell, the merchant, went down the line Sunday morning to see Mrs. Helliwell who is at a private sanitarium near Oregon City. He informs us that while she is not making great gains she is holding her own. We hope she may soon reach gaining grounds and that she may recover entirely.

For sale—480 acres of land suitable for stock, sawmill, farming and fruit. It joins the Milwaukee Orchard Co. A trout stream and a lot of springs on the place. Would make a fine home. 80 acres fenced, log house, barn, grainery, wagon shed, chicken house. \$16 per acre. \$2000. Terms on balance. S. F. Jackson, Lorane, Oregon.

David Esters, of Lorane, was in town yesterday.

Dry oak grub wood \$2 per tier delivered. Spray & Co.

Miss Marion Beatty visited friends at Lebanon several days last week.

Don't forget the Commission house when you want something good to eat.

The finest fresh vegetables of all kinds constantly on hand at The Commission House.

Dr. J. B. Taylor who has been residing at Eugene was in this city last week and is thinking some of locating.

William Handy who was injured in the Chambers sawmill a mile south of town some three months ago has brought suit against Mr. Chambers for damages to the amount of \$50,000.

Rev. Mason returned the last of the week from a trip to Corning, California, whither he had gone to see his father who had recently sold out at that place and is thinking some of returning to the east.

When her child is in danger a woman will risk her life to protect it. No great act of heroism or risk of life is necessary to protect a child from croup. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and all danger is avoided. For sale by Benson's Pharmacy.

An audience which overflowed the main audience room of the Methodist church heard with pleasure and profit the address made by Judge Shinn and Editor Bede on the law and the newspaper. Music lovers had a treat in the cornet solo "Cujus Animum, Rossini" rendered by Charles Cochran of Eugene and the vocal duet "Come Holy Spirit, Jerome", given by Mrs. Beager and Miss Frerson.

The committee on amusement resources of working girls of New York city has been incorporated recently to investigate and study and improve the general amusements of working girls and their vacation conditions.

Garoutte & McCaleb, the tailors, have received their spring and summer samples of suitings from the Danforth Mills Co. of Chicago, which are the finest lot of samples to be found at the prices asked. The goods as well as the workmanship in every suit will be fully guaranteed to be up to date in style, perfect in fit and made as the best. Look them up before placing your order.

Wm. Brund visited friends in Eugene, Sunday.

H. T. Dow, of Eugene, was in Cottage Grove Saturday.

Marion Chappelle returned Sunday evening after a visit with friends at Eugene.

The ladies of Cottage Grove can secure the Union Cookery Bags from Mrs. Hoxie.

FOR SALE—Only nine more choice Poland China pigs. Phone Farmer 156. E. C. Lathrop.

Mrs. E. B. Minor, of Carlton, is here visiting her friend, Mrs. Hoxie. She will be joined by her husband in a few days.

Messrs. Marksbury and Bangs, of the Woolen Mill Store, went to Eugene, Sunday, to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Affolter returned to their home at Doty, Wash., Saturday evening after a week's visit with relatives.

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J. B. Gross of this city, returned last week from a visit of several weeks with relatives and friends at Bandon. He returned by way of Portland per steamer from Coos Bay.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Land, of Creswell, died on the 4th inst., and was buried at that place on the 6th. Their many friends sympathize with them in their bereavement.

After a visit of six months Thomas Lee and family returned last Tuesday from Assotin, Washington. They experienced some cold on their way home, their train being held up by snow drifts for eight hours at one time.

During the warm rains which fell last week it began to look as though we would have some high water but it has passed the high stage for that rain and no harm done. With some good ditches properly engineered through and about this city and with some attention paid to the river banks it would take extremely high water to bother, but under present conditions we are liable to see considerable water in town before spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eddy were passengers on a north bound train Friday. Mr. Eddy had business at Eugene and returned the same day while Mrs. Eddy visited friends at Albany and Junction City and did not return till Sunday evening.

G. F. King, the S. P. agent, has gone down to Corvallis to take advantage of the winter short course at the O. A. C. Mr. King will take a few lessons in horticulture in order that he may be prepared to properly conduct his pear orchard near town. This is the proper way. If one expects to do a thing he should first learn how to do it right. Experience is a good teacher, but sometimes a very dear one. A little training in a practical way goes a long ways sometimes.

A Special Short Course Class opens February 21, 1912. This class is formed at the request of leading physicians who are anxious that some provision be made to the increasing demand for nurses in all sections. This is an opening which will be appreciated by those who need to quickly prepare themselves for self-support and nursing duty. An illustrated number of the School Bulletin, which is sent free to interested persons, gives all the details.

FOR SALE—A fine two story 7 room residence on Wall St. Strictly modern, cabinet kitchen, china closet, etc. Almost new. Basement, cement walk, size of lot 60x243. A bargain if sold soon only \$2,000. Inquire of W. F. Hart.

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Steady employment as clerk in store or work of any kind. References furnished! L. C. H., Box 594, Cottage Grove.

Art Summers of this city spent Sunday at Eugene.

Williams' Jubilee Singers at the Arcade the 30th.

Mrs. J. S. Milne and Mrs. T. R. Orr were Eugene callers Saturday.

William Landis, of this city, went to Eugene on business last Tuesday.

Five poultry—thoroughbreds for breeding purposes or the best table use—at The Commission House.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dryden visited the former's sister, Mrs. C. P. Stafford, at Halsey on Sunday.

A report of the W. R. C. and G. A. R. installation come in too late for this issue, will appear next week.

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Chas. Johns, a former resident of this city, returned a few days ago after an absence of ten years, and is thoroughly enjoying a visit with friends of earlier days when they were schoolmates. Over four years of the time he has been away he spent in the U. S. Navy, and for the most part in the Orient.

The following list of officers were installed for the ensuing year by the Rebekah lodge of this city at a recent meeting: Mrs. Maggie Hunt, N. G.; Mrs. Lizzie Hall, V. G.; Mrs. Anna Hoxie, Secretary; Mrs. Bell Knowles, treasurer; Mrs. Snodgrass, W.; Mrs. E. Wilson, Con.; Mrs. Kime, chaplain; Mrs. E. Baker, R. S. N. G.; Mrs. Anna Elledge, L. S. N. G.; Mrs. England, R. S. V. G.; Mrs. Harlow, L. S. V. G.; Mrs. Alta Spray, I. G.; Mrs. VanDenberg, O. G.

Felix Currin was in from the farm Monday and he told us that he had just received a letter from his daughter who lives east of the mountains in which she spoke of below zero weather. Mr. Currin went out on the farm and plucked fifteen or sixteen kinds of nice flowers in full bloom and barley and several kinds of grasses which were heading like summer, which he sent to her by mail. Mr. Currin lately received a letter from L. L. Zook of the U. S. Department of agriculture inquiring about seed corn. This gentleman had seen some very fine samples with the exhibit Mr. Currin prepared last fall and which has caused a great deal of comment throughout the whole country.

The best hard wheat flour, High Flight can't be beat. Only \$1.40 per sack at Helliwell's.

Prof George E. Wood, who has lived at Eugene for some time, and who has been engaged as band instructor by the new band in this city, moved to this place with his family last week and has opened a second hand store in the rooms recently vacated by the Golden Rule Grocery. He has quite a list of stock to begin with and will add more as opportunity offers and the trade demands. Mr. Wood is an expert violin maker having followed that vocation for some time. Anyone who may wish an especially fine instrument made to order should see Mr Wood and get his terms.

It certainly is a waste of money for me to buy the ordinary kind of baking powder. For all leading grocers now sell Cleveland's at the uniform price of 1 lb 45 cents, 3 lbs \$1.00 and 5 lbs \$1.65.

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by Benson's Pharmacy.

Stock, Fruit, Timber Ranch

For sale, 180 acres two miles from Cottage Grove, 25 acres west slope easily prepared for orchard, 25 acres fine piling and mining timber, balance pasture. Only \$15 per acre, \$750 down, balance on time. If interested apply to P. O. Box 458 Cottage Grove, Oregon. There is very little \$15 per acre land remaining near Cottage Grove and this snap will not remain open long. 37-4f

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