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COTTAGE GROVE, Industries.—Mining
An Ideal Lumbering
HOME TOWN Farming, Fruit Growing



In the European fighting a thousand lives are often sacrificed to gain a yard.

The amount of money in circulation in this country is \$34.53 per capita. In 1800 it was \$5.

Dewey says: "The efficiency of the fleet has steadily progressed and has never been so high as it is today."

The Chautauqua is a sane Fourth of July lasting a week. Invest in a season ticket and present yourself with a good time.

Anyhow, those invisible, death-dealing German submarines can't get the land lubbers who stay at home and cultivate the soil and work in the mines, mills and logging camps.

Over 150,000 horses have been purchased in America for shipment to the warring nations of Europe. The average price was not less than \$150, which would make a total of more than \$22,000,000 paid for horses alone.

The secretary of state has compiled figures showing the cost of holding elections last year was \$252,217. The total vote cast was in round figures 260,000. One plunk per vote seems to be about the cost of the system we are working under, which the last legislature struggled hard to amend in the direction of economy.—Oregon voter.

With people seeking fruit lands, such as we have, with inquiries for mining properties, such as are to be found in this district, the lumber industry growing better every week, and with its drawing power as a pleasure and health resort, Cottage Grove is peculiarly and advantageously situated to profit by the crowds coming west to visit the Fair this year, see the country and seek investments.

The Salem Statesman is sued for \$7500, because of a typographical error in one word making "giving" read "selling." That would be a high price for a typographical error, if it could be established. It would put every newspaper in the world out of business. But it will not be established in this day and age. The Statesman in reporting a booze case, in one place quoted the charge against the defendant as "selling" liquor, instead of "giving" it to another party.

That great German paper published in New York city, The Staats Zeitung say: The German-Americans must suffer in any conflict between the United States and Germany, pains of which their fellow citizens can never know anything. It is rather a time for showing them the greatest degree of consideration. They have fought to uphold the flag in the past and they will do so again, against any enemy whatsoever. They deserve the fruits of past loyalty, until they have forfeited the right to claim them. There has never been but one flag under which the German-American has fought. There never can be but one flag under which he will ever fight; and that flag is the Stars and Stripes."

The Berlin correspondent to the New York World cables regarding President Wilson's note to Germany. "The cordial and friendly tone of the note has made a good impression, and there is no doubt of President Wilson's good intentions and earnest desire that the relations between America and Germany continue cordial and friendly. This wish, I was told, is being fully reciprocated here. None the less, any hopes held by President Wilson that Germany will disavow the sinking of the Lusitania other than express regret at the loss of lives of non-combatants or any expectation that Germany will give up her submarine warfare on British merchant ships is almost certain to be doomed to disappointment and it would not be helping the situation to arouse or strengthen such a hope in America. Anything that America asks that can be construed into meaning that Germany shall discontinue her present submarine policy will be regarded solely as equivalent to asking Germany to give up its best chances of winning the war so far as Great Britain is concerned, and Germany will refuse, be the consequences whatever they may be."

Wherever made responsible as common carriers jitneys drop out. More laws and officials, the less industries and higher taxes.

"FRANCES THE SUFFRAGETTE"

The entertaining and amusing three-act drama, "Frances the Suffragette," will be given at the Arcade theater Thursday evening by the senior class of the Cottage Grove high school.

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

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| Frances Oliver, a Suffragette from the City, | Hattie Landess |
| Sophia Jenkins, } the Village "Merry Widows," | Vera Kelly |
| Caroline Spruce, } | Ethel Bartels |
| Florence Wilkins, cousin to Frances, | Mae Armstrong |
| Madeline Hardwick, } bells of the sum- | Myrtle Witcher |
| Rosamond Cummings, } mer colony, | Juda Trammel |
| Ruth Somers, | Jessie Smith |
| Mrs. Jones, Cy's wife, | Archie Langdon |
| Sis Barker, Charlie's "gal," | Hazel Ostrander |
| Lucy Ann, Caroline's little gal | Leota Case |
| Dr. Wilson, the new physician, | Herman Edwards |
| Cy Jones, a farmer and constable, | Norval Powell |
| Seth Brown, a farmer and widower, | Everett Garoutte |
| Ham Thompson, | Ray Nelson |
| Charlie Fuller, rural mail clerk, | Warren Edwards |
| Sam Judkins, Wilkins hired man and footman, | Otto Burcham |
| Deacon Penniman, | Harry Conner |
| The store keeper, | Albert Tapp |
| Jane Smith, | Orpha Combs |

SYNOPSIS.

Act I. Village Postoffice—A summer shower and the arrival of Frances.
Act II. Interior of Wilkins' Home—Miss Oliver's reception; the uplifting is begun.
Act III. Garden at Wilken's house.—The Next day.—The aftermath.
Admission 15 and 25 cents.

COTTAGE GROVE 2 ROSEBURG 3 SCORES

The Roseburg Review says of Sunday's game:
In the opening game of baseball played here for the season, the Roseburg Regulars Sunday afternoon defeated the Cottage Grove team by a score of 3 to 2. Eleven innings were necessary to decide the game.

The game started with the Cottage Grove boys at the bat. Matthews was on the mound for the locals and he encountered little difficulty in retiring the visitors in one, two, three order. The Roseburg boys then came to the bat and met with a fate similar to that of the Cottage Grove boys in the first half. In the first half of the second inning Baker, of Cottage Grove, connected squarely with one of Matthews' steamers and the ball glided gracefully over the fence. Baker came home. In the last half of the second and in the third and fourth innings, there were no scores. The Cottage Grove boys came to the bat in the fifth inning and although they succeeded in getting two men on bases, they were retired without a score. In the last of the fifth inning Ackley knocked out a two-base hit, and came home on a single. No scores were recorded in the sixth and seventh innings. Neither the Cottage Grove boys were successful in scoring in the first of the eighth. In the last of the eighth inning Ackley again pounded out a hit, followed by a two-bagger by Dysinger. Another run for Roseburg in this inning placed the locals in the lead. In the first of the ninth innings Cottage Grove tied the score. The last half of the ninth and first half of the tenth innings were blanks. In the last of the tenth inning Perry pounded out a two-base hit, followed by two singles, and one of the local men crossed the plate.

Features of the game were Baker's home run, a sensational field catch by Goodman, three hits by Ackley, two-bagger by Bush and a long run and catch by Perry. Bush replaced Matthews on the mound for the locals in the eighth inning. Medley occupied the pitcher's box for the visitors.

Monta's Cafe For Sale.

Here is a good little business opening for some one. Monta Cafe, good location, small rent. Reason for selling, want to devote entire time to operating my mines in the Bohemia district.
E. B. MINER.

L. J. Simpson who built North Bend and operates large industries, resigned as mayor and will become a candidate for Congress.

BOOTH-KELLY CO. LOSES ITS SUIT

Washington, May 17.—The supreme court affirmed today the decision of the ninth United States circuit court of appeals in cancelling five patents to Oregon lands held by the Booth-Kelly Lumber company because of fraud in entry.

Four Years in Court.

Portland, Or., May 17.—The government's case against the Booth-Kelly Lumber company first came up in the United States district court four years ago.

It was charged that Stephen, Alice, Ethel M. and Lucy La Raut, relatives of R. A. Booth, who was then manager of the lumber company, and Edward Jordan had deeded the lands, located in southern Oregon, to the lumber company shortly after obtaining patents.

The district court cancelled the patents of the La Rauts, but upheld that of Jordan. On February 24, 1913, the United States circuit court of appeals cancelled the patent of Jordan also, and the case was carried to the supreme court.

The litigation was brought into unusual prominence preceding the last general elections, when it was made a campaign issue against Booth, who, as republican candidate, opposed Senator Geo. E. Chamberlain for re-election.

PROMINENT GERMAN PLEDGES LOYALTY

Sioux City, Ia., May 15.—Rudolph Beerend, member of the City Council, president of the National Organization of Former Members of the Germany Army, declared today that in case of war between the United States and Germany, German-Americans would be found standing solidly behind the President and fighting against the Fatherland.

"There can be no question as to the attitude of the German-Americans," said Mr. Beerend. "The Germans would organize in their own ranks regiments to defend this country, should the need arise, and would be fighting for this country just as was the case when Germans organized their own troops during the Civil War."

"The Germans of this country give President Wilson credit for meeting a trying situation fairly, for doing his utmost to preserve neutrality, and right or wrong, in case of war, would be with him to a man."

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1. Have there ever been any officers of the United States army holding the title of general?
2. Have there ever been any officers of the United States navy holding the title of admiral?
3. Name the rank of officers from captain up.
1. The rank of general exists only when created by special act of congress. It has been bestowed on four Americans—Washington, Grant, Sherman and Sheridan. Lieutenant general is the highest possible rank without special congressional enactment.
2. The rank of admiral regularly exists in the American navy, having been established by congress in 1861. Only three officers, Farragut, Porter and Dewey, have ever been promoted to this rank.
3. In the army, captain, major, lieutenant colonel, colonel, brigadier general, major general, lieutenant general, general; in the navy, captain, rear admiral, vice admiral, admiral. The rank of commodore is now obsolete.

Under the new law for increasing the internal revenue is there a tax on the issuance of checks?
No.

Kindly give a brief history of the cause and results of the so called Fenian raid against Canada, and also the attitude of the Canadian and United States governments toward each other regarding the affair.

Fenians was the name assumed by those Irish who formed a brotherhood in their own country and America with the intention of delivering Ireland from British rule and establishing an Irish republic. About the end of 1861 the Fenian brotherhood was regularly organized in America. The close of the American civil war, when large numbers of trained Irish soldiers who had taken part in the war were released from service, was thought to be a convenient time for taking some decisive step. In 1866 preparations were openly made for an invasion of Canada, which the United States government took no measure to prevent. It was indeed believed that President Johnson was not indisposed to turn the movement to account in the settlement of the Alabama claims. The attempted invasion was a failure, and the tardy issue of President Johnson's proclamation enforcing the laws of neutrality brought the raid to an end. Other attempts were made in 1870 and 1871, but both resulted in the rout of the invaders, the first time by the Canadian volunteers and the second by the United States government.

Will you please let me know to what house the royal family of England belongs? I mean the correct name applied to it.

The correct title of the royal family of Great Britain is the house of Hanover. After the reign of William and Mary the entail of the crown, following the death of Queen Anne, was placed upon the heirs of Electress Sophia of Hanover, granddaughter of King James I. of Great Britain. Her son, George Louis, became George I. of England, following the death of Queen Anne. The other Georges of England also reigned as kings of Hanover until the succession of William IV., when the Hanover title went to the second son of George IV., duke of Cumberland, as under Salic law Victoria was debarred from the succession in Hanover.

In 1806 the kingdom of Hanover was abolished by Prussia, and the reigning family retained the title of Duke of Cumberland alone. They were also heirs to the Duchy of Brunswick, but as they would not surrender their claim to the kingdom of Hanover they were stopped by Prussia from occupying the duchy until within the past few years, when the young Duke of Brunswick married the daughter of Emperor William of Germany and was allowed to resume his position as the reigning Duke of Brunswick. He refused at the same time to surrender his claim as king of Hanover, to which he will succeed upon the death of his father, the present Duke of Cumberland.

Additional Local.

Four fresh Jersey cows for sale. Enquire of E. M. Thurber or phone 23F12.

The W. R. C. and G. A. R. Post will serve their usual dinner at their next meeting, May 22.

A Soderstrum, of this city petitioned the circuit court for his final papers for naturalization Friday.

Accordion playing from the shortest to longest skirt length. Leave orders at the LaVogue. Mrs. J. H. Bartels.

Farmers, teamsters and stockmen, needing the services of a good veterinary surgeon should apply to Dr. H. H. Owen, at the Modern Pharmacy, or phone 82 or residence 159J. tf

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