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Lafayette Veatch is growing gradually weaker at his home west of this city and his many friends are much concerned over his serious condition.

Many of our enterprising business men along main street had the thin coat of mud covering the graveled street removed this week which leaves the street in fine condition and greatly improves its appearance.

John P. Jones, Traveling Passenger Agent of the S. P. Co., will visit Cottage Grove about Monday to visit the Commercial Club and see what it is doing and to also ascertain what progress is being made with the advertising pamphlets.

F. S. Day sold his jewelry business, located in T. K. Richardson's music store, Saturday to W. E. Clingenpeel, recently from Carbondale, Ill., who took charge today. Mr. Day will depart for his homestead at Mound, Lane county, 32 miles west of Eugene, to make a final residence thereon for ten months.—Roseburg Review.

J. C. Roberts, the genial young editor of the Myrtle Point Enterprise, spent Saturday in this city the guest of the LEADER. Editor Roberts was on his return home from Eugene where he attended as a delegate the Republican Congressional convention last Thursday. He says business is opening up brisk in Coos county for the season.

John Cochran of the furniture firm of Cochran & Lauder, has returned home from Ione, Morrow county, where he has been spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. Archie Rice and his brother Rufus Cochran. John was very favorably impressed with that section of the country and may decide to locate there at some future time.

The state convention of the Fraternal Aid Society is being held in this city, delegates representing the various lodges of the state, which are not very numerous, however, being in attendance. We understand our townsman, W. F. Shan-felt has been chosen state delegate to attend the National convention which convenes at Lawrence, Kansas.

Engine No. 2 of the O. & S. E. railroad was disabled by the bursting of the dry pipe in the boiler Wednesday. This caused considerable inconvenience as all the traffic of the road is thrown on the one remaining engine. However, the break will be repaired in a few days and work will progress as usual. A third engine has been purchased and will arrive here soon for the O. & S. E. R. R. Co.

Those who attended the C. M. A. band entertainment at Creswell from this place Friday evening were: Misses Emma Bryan, Ethel Woolley, Anna Van Riper, Mrs. Shellenberger and Daisy Cochran, Messrs. L. F. Woolley, Elbert Veatch, Warren McFarland, Fate Long, Perl Bennett, Hershel Allison and members of the band. A good time was reported by all and the band more than paid expenses.

Monday's Roseburg Review said: "Walter Morlan and Frank Pickett, formerly with the S. P. Co., have gone to Cottage Grove to work on the Bohemia railroad. Beginning today, two trains daily will operate between Cottage Grove and the end of the line—a passenger and a work train. Mr. Morlan will officiate on the latter as conductor with Mr. Pickett as brakeman. V. C. London is conductor on the passenger train."

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webber were down from their Coast Fork farm Wednesday and made the LEADER a pleasant business call. Mr. Webber states that he finds farm life a pleasant diversion after a long term spent in the cab of a railroad locomotive, with a hand on the throttle and an eye constantly on the polished rails ahead. He is engaged principally in stock raising which is a profitable business at this time.

Owing to our rapidly increasing subscription list the LEADER was forced to add two more quires of paper to its weekly issue about two weeks ago and this week we were again compelled to make an addition of four quires more paper to the issue; which is probably the largest regular list the LEADER has ever printed. We expect to nearly double our subscription list in the next four or six months at the rate new subscriptions are coming in now.

The Grouse Mountain Gold Mining & Milling Company will resume operations at once. The superintendent has arrived here and has left for Bohemia with a force of men. The company owns valuable property on Grouse Mountain which adjoins the Noonday and Knott mines, being an extension of the Champion. They will work a double shift to further improve the property as originally mapped out. This company is held as a close corporation and backed by some men of money and influence.

I. P. Inman, the enterprising merchant and postmaster at Lorane was transacting business in Cottage Grove Tuesday. He informed us the poles for the new telephone line were all distributed along the route from Lorane to this side of the summit, and with the advent of settled spring weather, the work of setting and wiring the poles will be prosecuted rapidly. He says the new creamery association has filed articles of incorporation before the county clerk and will soon begin building operations, so as to get down to business as early as possible this season.

Taylor's Specific Co., of Olalla, Douglas county, has the thanks of the Lane County LEADER for a large sample package of the principal articles manufactured by the company—shampoo cream, Santal toilet soap, Cuticle and a simple and very effective cure for corns known as the "Corn File." These articles are all fully guaranteed in every respect as strictly first-class, and the firm is strictly reliable and liberal in its business transactions. Any one interested in any of these articles will do well to write to the company for circulars and samples or call at the New Era Drug Store in this city where these articles are kept on sale.

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LEADERS IN MERCHANDISING

BAD MAN FROM LANE CO.

Holds up A Gambling House in Roseburg at Point of Gun and Walked With \$160 in Cold Cash.

ROSEBURG, April 15—N. T. Bridges, an employe of the Booth-Kelly Lumber Co., in Lane county, who came down to Roseburg a few days ago to visit with his family, apparently became dissatisfied at something while playing cards at C. L. Reed's saloon last night, and holding Bud Thomas, the dealer, back with one hand, raked in all the cash in sight with the other. Then despite Thomas' struggles he forced open the drawer in front of the dealer, and took out a loaded revolver, with which he kept everybody at bay until he had pocketed every cent that lay before him.

When this was done he emptied the revolver of its contents, threw it on the table and walked out of the saloon unmolested. It is estimated that Bridges secured about \$160. He has not since been seen.

The next attraction! "Breaking His Bonds" in four acts, a comedy by home talent for C. M. A. band benefit, at Opera House May 1.

Geo. Ewen, who recently moved to this place from Nebraska, and who is fitting up the building formerly occupied by the LEADER for a meat market, has just closed a deal for the Harvey Wallace place just south of town on the slope of the mountain, which will be used for a pasture and where he will locate his slaughter house. The place contains 40 acres and the consideration was \$350 cash. Mr. Ewen has already purchased his wagon, harness, tools and other necessities to begin business and will be in operation within a few days.

Don't fail to see Dr. Lowe at once about your eyes. He leaves Saturday noon.

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See the new ad displays in this number of the LEADER. There is valuable information to the purchasing public in these ads.

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Will Perman, who was taken seriously ill a few days ago, being threatened with paralysis was taken to a Portland hospital Thursday for treatment. His many friends here hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

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We make a specialty of Carpets, Mattings, Springs and Mattresses, also carry a complete line of Undertaking goods. Call and get prices

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Spring and Summer will soon be here
And all will need something new

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HOW WE DO IT

Ask for one of our Cash Purchaser Cards containing \$25. Have the amount of your purchase punched on the card each time. When the entire amount is punched out, we will give you

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