

Local News

A Pen Sketch of Events Occurring
in Cottage Grove and Vicinity :

A beautiful lassie named Florence Once wept till her tears flowed in torrence. When asked why she cried, she sighed and replied: "The Sheriff's been here with some worence."

Watermelons and tomatoes at the Wave.

Have you seen those fine diamonds at H. C. Madsen's.

Legal blanks and mining location notices at the LEADER office.

Albert Wallace made the county seat a business visit Tuesday.

September 7th was labor day and it was a busy Monday all over Oregon.

Mrs. Claud Clements of Oregon City is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Stevenson.

Bartels & Veatch, the meat market men are driving a fine new delivery wagon about town.

The best Jackson county fresh fruits—peaches and pears—at the Wave. The prices are right.

The choicest cream, fresh mixed and taffy candies at the Wave, both home and custom-made.

Miss Ona Markley arrived in the city from Eugene Tuesday to enjoy a brief visit with relatives and friends.

The good old summer time did not tarry with us long. The beautiful serenity and yellow autumn will soon be here.

Advertising space which you can buy at a bargain is not always a bargain. The LEADER's advertising space is worth all it costs you.

Mrs. Mary Boggs, formerly of this place, but late of California, was taken to a Portland hospital from this city Tuesday for medical treatment.

Horace Mann, editor of the late Enquirer, went south Tuesday, and it is said that he will remove to California in the near future.—Medford Oregonian.

The Rev. John Dawson, of Roseburg came up on Monday last and arranged for regular services to begin on Monday Sept. 7th. Everybody welcome.

L. B. Whorton was taken quite sick last week, and for several days his life was despaired of, but we are glad to report him better at this time.—Lakeview Herald.

Some miscreant put out poison at the O. N. G. encampment grounds and half a dozen dogs belonging to the soldiers are dead as a consequence.—Roseburg Review.

Attorney General A. M. Crawford, of Roseburg, stopped over in this city Sunday while on his way to his office at Salem, for a brief visit with friends. The LEADER was favored with a pleasant call.

J. Casada of Roseburg, representing the Oregon Nursey Co. of Salem, is spending a few days in this city looking after business matters. He is an old acquaintance of John Durham and others in this city.

Ira Conner and son, Horace, went up to Wm. Kelly's place on Row River Monday to join Mr. Kelly in a few days deer and varmint hunt. Game Warden Baker will do well to keep an eye on these parties and see that they do not get over the limit.

Howard Acteson, who has been employed in the mills here for the past winter, left for Cottage Grove last Monday. He will visit his mother, who lives on Row river near that city, and expects to locate permanently somewhere in that valley.—Gardiner Gazette.

L. J. Norman of Lorane was transacting business in this city Wednesday. He has been employed in the Lorane shingle mill, which has been turning out a fine cedar shingle this season for \$2 per thousand. Mr. Norman had his name enrolled for a year's worth of the LEADER.

Jack Lewis has been offered inducements which he considered justified him in resigning his position as salesman in his father's store, or with the firm of Lewis & Veatch, and again accepting a position with the meat market firm of Bartels & Veatch. He resumed his old position Monday.

OFFICE BOY WANTED.—A bright, industrious boy, ambitious and anxious for a business education, can get a position in the Pacific Timber Company's office. He must be polite, respectful, and must not smoke cigarettes or chew gum; must come of industrious parents, and be of good reputation. None others need apply. A15tf

Sam G. Lockwood of Lorane spent a few days in the Grove this week looking after business matters. He says the Lorane sock, dairy and creamery men are jubilant over the late heavy rains, which insure first class fall and winter pasture. Mr. Lockwood has the thanks of the LEADER for a renewal of his subscription.

The late heavy rains were welcomed by farmers and stockmen alike, as fine fall and winter pasture is assured, but the Lane county hop growers and pickers have been annoyed and inconvenienced by the rains, and slight damage is reported from some of the hop fields. However, a bumper crop at good prices will bring the hop-grower out alright after all. Duke Knox, the sole hop-grower of this vicinity will have a good crop, part of which is being dried at Walker and the remainder in the Abram lumber kiln in this city, Mr. Knox having lost his big hop house last week with the first day's picking.

At Frank Goodman's old stand you will always find J. V. Thornton or some of his obliging clerks, who will be pleased to wait upon you. Thornton's ice cream parlors are neat and clean. Only place in town where the best famous Hazelwood ice cream, the best in the city, is served. Thornton keeps constantly on hand the leading brands of cigars, smoking and chewing tobacco. Fresh candies, nuts and tropical fruits always in stock. Thornton's confectionery store nearly opposite postoffice, Main Street. tf

Read the LEADER's ads.

Wedding stationery, the latest out, at the LEADER office.

Hot chicken tamales at the Wave. The best ever. Try them.

New goods arriving. Call and inspect them. Mrs. N. E. Elsen.

Latest up-to-date millinery at lowest prices at Mrs. N. E. Elsen's.

Fine line of cut glassware just received at Madsen's jewelry store.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church held a very pleasant and interesting meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. G. Knapp.

Mrs. R. L. Buchanan, of Corvallis, is enjoying a pleasant visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Veatch, in this city.

E. C. Conner moved from the Harding ranch today up on his place formerly owned by P. Mutter. He will soon build a comfortable new residence on his lately acquired place.

"Pap" Risley, the grocer, has a fine assortment of fruits—peaches, pears, apples and prunes constantly on hand. Also a fine stock of melons, cabbage, tomatoes and late garden vegetables. Get his prices.

Misses Lulu Currin and Neva Perkins will go to Eugene the last of the week to enter the University for the ensuing year. Mrs. Kate Perkins will move to Eugene about Sept. 15 to reside, while her daughter and niece are attending the University.

Risley & Corbett are having a new building 16x28 erected on their lot adjoining the building which they recently purchased from Attorney J. S. Medley, and which will be occupied by Mr. Price, the new tailor, as soon as completed. C. H. Jones and Mr. Corbett are doing the carpenter work.

A big stock of the latest styles of calling cards, business cards, both round and square corners, legal paper covers, enamelled blotters, white and tinted letter paper and much other fine stationery was received at the LEADER office this week. Send in your orders for up-to-date job printing—the only kind you get at the LEADER office.

Mrs. W. C. Conner and son returned home Saturday from a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Lundy, at Myrtle Point, and friends at "Bandon by the sea." She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Lizzie Orpurd. On her return Mrs. Conner found her chinaware greatly in need of a bath, empty tin cans and "pepper-sauce" bottles on every table and shelf in the house, a very humble husband and a mighty thin cat.

Thos. Medley, of the real estate firm of Medley & Milne, returned home Saturday from a business trip to Coos county, where he spent several days in viewing the Coquille valley. He says Myrtle Point has been doing some fine street work and that Coquille City is putting in a new system of water works. He also stated that the green fields indicated that the Coquille valley is an ideal dairy country.

Elvis R. Gowdy, who has been holding the position of salesman in the Griffin & Veatch hardware store in this city for some time past, has resigned his position with the above firm and accepted a like place with the R. W. Newland general merchandise firm at Eugene, where he went Thursday to take his new position. He is a good salesman and a most exemplary young man, and enjoys the confidence and esteem of a wide circle of friends in this city who regret his going away, but who wish him well wherever he goes.

Feed Prices.

The Cottage Grove Flour Mills, Hartung & Hansen, proprietors, quote the following prices on mill feed: Rolled barley, \$26 per ton; chops, \$28 per ton; bran, \$26 per ton; shorts, \$26 per ton; oats, 40¢ per bushel; "high-toned" chicken feed, 90¢ per bushel. Our stock of feed is complete and we can fill any size order on short notice.

Erroneous Report Corrected.

We deem it our duty, in view of the reports with reference to our son, Oliver, to state that he has not been in such trouble as rumored, nor has he incurred any expense whatever to us. Very Truly,
MR. AND MRS. N. ELSEA.

New Barber Shop.

E. A. Cummings of Corvallis has purchased the confectionery business of Ernest & Nichols, located in the front part of the opera house, and has added a barber shop thereto, he being a first class barber. Mr. Cummings informs us that he expects to add another chair to his shop soon and will conduct a cigar and confectionery stand in connection with his barber business. He is expecting his wife to join him here Saturday.

Church Announcement.

Subject for sermon next Sunday morning at the Methodist Episcopal church: "The Lord to the rescue." Evening: "The conscience enlightened." Mr. Isham was not able to sing last Sunday night as announced, but hopes to sing Sunday night.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

For the sake of my newspaper friends and all concerned, I cannot at this time afford to get into a newspaper controversy, but will simply announce that next Sunday night I will pay attention in the sermon to the article in the Nugget written by one signed "Observer." Respectfully,
G. H. FEESE.

Goats for Sale or Trade.

Six Hundred good grade nannie goats for sale at from \$3 to \$4 per head. Will be sold in numbers to suit purchasers, or will exchange goats for cattle or a good team of heavy horses. Inquire of,
JAR. H. HAWLEY
DIVIDE, ORE.

Clothing, Cloaks, Shoes and New Dry Goods

Not the cheap stuff that makes a man or woman who wears them look cheap, but the latest styles, the best material and workmanship

Our Hoffman-Rothchild Suits

for men from \$8 to \$25; Cloaks from \$5 to \$25; Shoes \$2 to \$5.50; Hats \$1 to \$3.50. We have just opened our fall stock of dry goods, which are the very latest in styles and patterns

Garman, Hemenway Co.

LEADERS IN MERCHANDISING

New Sawmill at the Vesuvius.

F. J. Hard returned to this city from Portland Thursday where he was looking after business matters and attending the organization of the Oregon State Miners Association. Mr. Hard, like all other progressive mining men, feels that this step is one in the right direction and will be one of great benefit to mining men throughout the State if they will stand together and labor in one common cause, the advancement and upbuilding of the great mining interests of Oregon.

Mr. Hard informed a LEADER representative that his new sawmill plant was shipped into the mines Thursday and will be installed at the Vesuvius mine just as soon as possible. It will be used in supplying timbers and lumber for the extensive improvements in progress in Mr. Hard's valuable group of mines in Bohemia. Mr. Hard will soon return to his mines to personally superintend the extensive improvements and development work.

Married.

SCOTT-HANDY—At the M. E. Parsonage in this city, Tuesday, Sept 8, 1903, S. R. Scott, of Blue River and Miss Eva Handy of Latham, Rev. Geo. H. Feese, officiating.

The bride is a well known and highly esteemed young lady of this vicinity while the groom is one of the sturdy and substantial citizens of the Blue River country, where the happy couple will make their future home.

LITTLEFIELD-MEDLEY—At their new home in Eugene, Thursday evening, Sept 10, 1903, Chas. Franklin Littlefield and Miss Martha M. Medley, Rev. Father Bentgen, officiating.

The groom is a well known and popular business man of Eugene, while the bride was formerly of Cottage Grove and is a very estimable young lady who has a host of admiring friends both at this place and Eugene. The LEADER joins in extending congratulations and best wishes.

New Styles for Fall

We are making an early exhibition of the Latest Styles in Fall Dress Goods, in order that you may be able to judge the Styles and make your selections early enough to get the most good out of your fall dress before the rainy days come

A Few of the Latest

Heather Suiting, Zibelines, Auto Cloth, Yankee Suiting, Drap D'Alma, Drap Sebastapol, Melton Cloth, and Cheviots

Buy your dress patterns early and get service for the season. The place **Here**

Hemenway & Burkholder

Brighten up your PREMISES

We can supply the PAINTS OILS AND BRUSHES

Wall Paper Latest Figures

See our elegant line of Rockers

France & Gowdy

Furniture-Undertakers

Weber & Stover Gasoline Engines

Lubricators, Injectors, Steam Gauges, Packing and Cylinder Oil always in stock. We are agents for a first class line of belting. Call and see us.

CHARTER OAK Stoves and Ranges

WYNNE Hardware Co.

The Wireless Telegram

A MESSAGE OF GOOD CHEER TO THE PEOPLE

We have just received a large installment of fall and winter dress goods and waistings at prices ranging from 15c to \$2.50 Per Yard

We have also received our first shipment of ladies skirts, waists, wraps, and a full line of Misses Skirts. These goods are being displayed as fast as possible and it will pay those desiring goods of the latest styles to call on us while the stock is complete

We carry the largest line of carpets, rugs, lace curtains, dress goods, trimmings, cloaks, skirts, waists and dry goods of any house in the city and we guarantee our prices as low or lower than any house in the county. Remember the latch string always hangs on the outside of the door at

LURCH'S STORE

"In the autumn a young man's thoughts turn lightly to love."

We have no disposition to change the current of his thoughts, but if an association of ideas should happen to suggest

A MEMENTO

for who has not said: "REMEMBER ME"

He could not do better than to drop in at our store on his way up some evening and carry along a bottle of our

Pasadena Rose California Clover Crabapple Blossom Palo Alto Pink or one of the many others

The Modern Pharmacy

A GREAT TRADE CENTER.

Lorane Farmers Find Cottage Grove a Better Market Place Than Eugene or Portland—Lorane Creamery.

J. Hardie Crow and wife, were transacting business in town Wednesday. In a pleasant call on the LEADER Mr. Crow stated that the conditions were very favorable for fall work and business in the upper Siuslaw Valley country.

He says that owing to the fact that the farmers were not prepared for the dairying business this season, the new Lorane creamery closed down early in the summer and may not start up again until early spring, when the farmers will prepare to raise suitable feed crops to carry their dairy stock through the dry season, July and August, next year and thereby be able to keep the creamery running throughout the season.

Mr. Crow paid Cottage Grove a high compliment as well as the towns live merchants when he stated that here the Lorane farmers found a better market and a more ready demand for their products than either at Eugene or Portland. This is no doubt due to the large number of men employed in the tributary mills, logging and timber camps and the Bohemia and Blackbutte mines all of whom draw their supplies from this city, which makes Cottage Grove a great and growing market and trade center.

Reduced Rates to State Fair.

"The Oregon State Fair will be held at Fair Grounds September 14th to 19th.

The Southern Pacific Co. will sell tickets to Fair Grounds and return, at one and one-third fare from all points on its Oregon Lines.

Special exhibits of fine cattle and horses and agricultural products have been prepared, and every effort will be put forth to make this the greatest fair in the history of Oregon.

If you are interested in the development of the State (and of course you are) you cannot afford to miss the Fair this year."

W. E. Coman
General Passenger Agent.

Geo. W. Lloyd and F. D. Wheeler of the Crystal Consolidated Mining Co. visited Portland this week.

The Jennings is down from the Bohemia mines.

Shakspear SAID

'Tis the best methinks I ever knew

He was speaking of the place to buy his drugs and have his prescriptions put up, and meant

Morgan & Brehaut

The up-to-date Druggists of South Lane Co.