

# HALF SICK PEOPLE

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### Open Season For Game.

Antelope, Moose, Mountain Sheep, July 1st to November 1st. Sale prohibited. Deer and Turkey until September 15, 1904. Gray Squirrels, Oct. 1st to January 1st. Ducks (Green and Swan), Sept. 1st to March 1st. Turkeys, Oct. 1st to Dec. 1st. Sale prohibited. Limit ten birds a day.

### M. E. Church Conference.

Salem, Sept. 30.—For the 13th year in the history of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Oregon, the conference convened in this city to transact matters of importance. The first conference of this church in this city was held September 5, 1849, over 54 years ago. Bishop Wm. Roberts presided at the conference that year, as he did at the one held here two years later, but since that time each meeting of the conference has been presided over by a different bishop.

The conference will be attended by one of the largest delegations ever seen at that body in its past history. Among them are many notable churchmen, men of world-wide reputation, who are zealously working for the up-building of the church. Bishop J. W. Hamilton, D. D., one of the great men in Methodism, will preside, and others second to him will be president, and their labors will be for the best interests of this conference and, what is more and better, for the best interests of the old pioneer institution of learning, Willamette University.

### New Band Leader and Instructor.

E. F. Rowland, a practical band instructor, late of the east, has been employed as leader and instructor of the C. M. A. band of this city, to succeed Chas. Cochran who resigned recently to join the orchestra of a large opera company. Mr. Rowland is a first class band man and will help the C. M. A. band up to its usual high standard of excellence or even advance the band from a musical standpoint. Cottage Grove is a reason to be proud of its excellent band.

### Gold Watch Lost.

Small gold watch on rear platform of O. & S. E. R. R. Depot, Tuesday afternoon Sept. 29th. Finder will receive satisfactory reward and no questions asked by returning same to the railroad office.

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

# LOST

Between the New Era Drug Store and the postoffice, one leather purse containing three hundred dollars (\$300) in bills, seven dimes and thirty-five cents in nickels and pennies, also one spool of thread and one box of Pop 'Em All Corn Salve. The finder can keep the purse, money and thread, but I earnestly request that they return the Corn Salve, as it is the most valuable preparation on the market for the cure of corns. Please return it to yours Respectfully,  
Miss N. O. Korns.

## Local News

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

There once was a lad went to school To avoid being labeled "fool," So he studied at night And became very bright, And now he holds down a high stool.

The LEADER loads.

The LEADER for fine job work—we print anything.

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

Gold mines are not in it with a few chittem bark trees.

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

Choice cream candies and bonbons at the Pearl Confectionery.

Millinery opening at the Misses Newland's Saturday, October 3d.

Autumn, according to the calendar, commenced Saturday, September 26th.

Fine grapes, peaches and tropical fruits at bottom prices at the Pearl Confectionery.

Mrs. McKinney went to Eugene Wednesday to visit friends and attend the District Fair.

All the ladies are waiting for the opening at the Misses Mewland's, Saturday, October 3d.

Miss Neva Perkins of Cottage Grove is acting operator for the Postal telegraph office in Eugene.

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

The 1905 Portland Fair cigar and all of the leading brands of cigars and tobaccos at the Pearl Confectionery.

Remember the millinery opening Saturday, Oct. 3d. All the latest styles and patterns. Misses Newland.

Chas. McFarland and wife and his father and mother Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McFarland, are in attendance at the district fair.

Miss Mollie Larkin came up from Eugene Sunday to enjoy a brief visit with relatives and friends in this city and vicinity.

Walter B. Dillard, former principal of the Eugene High School, opened the Lorane school Monday morning with a good attendance.

Mrs. S. H. Miller and children came down from Roseburg Sunday to spend a few days visiting in this city. They returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Ira Conner and sons, Harry and Bose, returned home Sunday from Junction, where an enjoyable week was spent with relatives and friends.

W. H. Jenkins, the Southern Pacific Inspector, passed through town Saturday, returning from an inspection of the Drain-Coos Bay route. It is said to be a feasible one.

After spending a few days visiting with relatives at Eugene, attorney and Mrs. J. S. Medley left Tuesday afternoon for North Yakima and Tacoma, where they will visit for a few weeks.

Horace Mann, formerly publisher of the Medford Inquirer, has decided to locate in Oroville, Cal., but what business he will engage in we are unable to state. Mrs. Mann will leave Medford for Oroville next week.—Medford Mail.

Conductor V. C. London of the O. & S. E. railroad went to Eugene Monday to assist in opening the District Fair Tuesday, of which he is president. The fair opened under very favorable auspices and was well attended.

Mrs. D. W. Harding and daughter, Miss Bessie, went to Salem Saturday to reside. Mr. Harding will soon take his departure for San Diego, California, to spend the winter, having settled up his business affairs here for another year.

Mrs. Willard Boren and children went to Grants Pass Tuesday to join her husband who has decided to locate there temporarily at least. Mrs. Boren's brother, Elbert Veatch, is said to be speedily improving in health at Grants Pass.

Elias West has applied for a patent on a very practical and useful brush hook one that will cut brush or larger timber either. It promises to become in general use as soon as it is put on the market. The common brush hook now in use is almost a flat failure.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Martin, of Creswell, accompanied by their grandchild, and Mrs. Chas. H. Wardwell, of Ramond, California, visited with Mr. Martin's sister Mrs. P. D. Knowlton Sunday. Mr. Martin is now in attendance at the District fair at Eugene.

The C. M. A. Band favored our citizens with a free open air concert Sunday afternoon. The boys present a fine appearance in their new uniforms and with their large number of new instruments and new instructor, their music is in keeping with their appearance.

A new postoffice called Mineral has been established in the Bohemia mining district, with U. G. LeRoy as postmaster. The new office is on the direct route from Cottage Grove to Bohemia, being 13 miles east of Wildwood and six miles west of Bohemia postoffice.

Rev. Geo. H. Feese went to Salem Tuesday to attend the annual conference of the M. E. Church. The members of this church at this place have petitioned for his return to this charge another year, an evidence of the high regard in which he is held by his congregation.

Chief Engineer, A. B. Wood, of the O. & S. E. railroad company of this city met with a painful accident Friday. He was in the act of removing the oil can from his position in his railroad gasoline motor car when his railroad gasoline motor car when his hand was caught in the sprocked chain and two fingers badly lacerated. He will carry his good right hand in a sling for a little while as a result.

Best cabinetto photos, \$1.25 per doz. for a short time only, at Shanafelt's gallery opposite Masonic Hall, West side.

Read the LEADER's ads.

Risley's grocery, Phone, Main 143.

Building operations continue lively about town.

Hats; dress hats for ladies and misses. The Misses Newland.

Jas. Hemenway attended the district fair at Eugene this week.

A number of our country letters are unavoidably crowded out this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wilson are in attendance at the district fair at Eugene.

Dan W. Harding is attending the district fair and transacting business at Eugene.

Phone, Main 143, for your groceries delivered anywhere in the city or suburbs free.

School children can get the National Separate Leaf Note Book at the Modern Pharmacy.

Miss Grace and Mr. Guy Mock of Drain were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kayser Wednesday.

The Dorena public school is closed temporarily on account of a few cases of diphtheria in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy and family arrived at this place from Iowa Wednesday to locate permanently.

H. C. Veatch is just completing a cozy cottage on River street, which will soon be occupied by a tenant.

Jas. Ozment is building an addition to his little bachelor quarters in this city. This looks suspicious, to say the least.

N. E. Compton and family returned to their old home at Earlham, Iowa, this week. Mrs. Compton is a sister of Mrs. F. D. Wheeler.

Fred Lough of Roseburg, is delivering the account books and coupons to the farmers of this vicinity whose orders he took recently.

Those wishing a good picture will please call at once, as we expect to move to Roseburg in a few days. C. W. Bradford opposite City Hall.

There will be sabbath school at 10 a. m. at the C. P. Church next Sunday also preaching at 11 o'clock. Subject "A Living Dog is better than a dead Lion."

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kayser went to Eugene Thursday to attend the district fair. From there Mrs. Kayser will go to Elmira to enjoy a brief visit with friends.

The county convention of the W. C. T. U. was held at Saginaw Wednesday and Thursday with a good attendance, about eight delegates being present from this city.

Twenty-five men wanted by the Booth-Kelly Lumber Co. at Saginaw to work in the yard and woods. Inquire of U. S. Walker, paint store, Main street, near depot, Cottage Grove.

Harvey Lounsbury, traveling freight agent of the S. P. Co., spent Tuesday in this city and in a pleasant call on the LEADER stated a very heavy fall immigration from the East to Oregon has commenced.

W. E. Bissell and wife of Ashland, are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hambrick. Messrs. Bissell, Hambrick and Currier Cooley went deer hunting this week and did not get lost, but their camp did.

Attorney J. E. Young has the work well under way on his elegant new residence on upper River Street, West Cottage Grove. It will be the finest residence constructed in this city this season. The young ladies should note this fact.

Edward Easley and family left Monday for their old home at LaPlata, Missouri. They were accompanied by Mrs. Nancy Burch who goes to Bloomington, Indiana, to spend the winter with relatives, that being her old home.

Miss Lena Foreman has accepted the position of stenographer for the Improved Smelter Co. and left this week for Portland to take up her new line of work. Miss Foreman has been local or resident manager of the Richardson Music house in this city for the past two years.

H. C. Madsen, the jeweler, has taken the agency for the celebrated Rex Rheumatic Ring. Anyone afflicted with Rheumatism in any of its forms—Sciatic, Lumbago, Neuralgia or Gout, will be interested in reading one of the little booklets, which are free for the asking.

The LEADER is in receipt of a complimentary season ticket to the Tenth Annual Exhibition of the Second Southern Oregon District Agricultural Society, to be held at Eugene, Oregon, Sept. 29 to Oct. 3, 1903. The District Fair promises to be better than ever before this season.

St. Helens Mist: Ed. and Jesse McKibben, of Cottage Grove, Lane county, were in St. Helens during the past week, visiting their father, J. F. McKibben and brother, Bert McKibben. The McKibben brothers came to Portland to purchase machinery for a new mill that they intend erecting.

Hon. Ivan McQueen of Lorane was transacting business in Cottage Grove Wednesday and favored the LEADER with a pleasant call and a subscription with a pleasant call and a subscription with general renewal. In connection with raising high what of a specialty of raising high grade Angus goats, and finds them a valuable adjunct to the farm. He reports a prosperous season in his section of the country.

### NOTICE

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## 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

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