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The wise father will try to bring up his children in the way that he should have gone.

A sanitarium conveniently located at which people could rest after their vacations would doubtless be popular.

The demand for dwelling houses in Cottage Grove is on the increase, and building, though carried on extensively, does not keep pace with the demand. We expect this fall to receive a large proportion of the Oregon immigration.

President Roosevelt has issued a proclamation calling an extra session of congress for Monday, November ninth, for the approval or rejection of the reciprocal commercial convention between the United States and Cuba, signed in December, 1902, and the consideration of other important business.

Some of the mills in the Willamette Valley have been considering the advisability of forming a Willamette Valley Lumber Association. There are some twenty to thirty mills which are located in a section where their interests and trade are identical, and the formation of any association would be mutually helpful and profitable.

Editor F. W. Chausse, of the Grants Pass Observer, who was sued by Hon. R. D. Hume, the Rogue River Canneryman, for \$10,000 damage to his character, was given a hearing in the Josephine county court last week and the jury returned a verdict of one dollar for Mr. Hume, a member of the jury volunteering to pay the dollar himself. Another attempt to muzzle the press unsuccessful.

There are a good many Bohemia mining men who are of the opinion that A. L. Morris, secretary of the Oregon Miners' Association, assumed a good deal of responsibility for a three or four months old Oregonian, in taking such an active part in Bohemia mining affairs last week and identifying himself solidly with a certain faction in the district. There are many mining men also, who are wondering why a comparatively new man, unacquainted with Oregon mining conditions as well as the various mining districts of the state, should be chosen as secretary of the Oregon Miners' Association, in preference to some experienced Oregon mining man who is thoroughly acquainted with the needs and requirements of the mines and miners of the state.

A Bachelor's Honeymoon.

This splendid comedy which will be interpreted by the Clement-Keefe Company in the Opera House at this place Friday night Oct 30, 1903, is perhaps the best farce comedy ever written. Only the best companies have presented it in the large theatrical centers. The Clement-Keefe Company which has no superior as a traveling organization pay a high royalty for the play. This company proposes to produce only high class standard plays of which "A Bachelor's Honeymoon" is a fair type. The management requests those who do not enjoy a good laugh to remain away. The play is credited with 1365 laughs. The characters are all finely drawn and true to life, which places this play far above the ordinary farce. It has sufficient logical plot to furnish legitimate surprises and is wholesome as well as laugh provoking. This will be the only opportunity to see the Comedy. The Clement-Keefe Company have sole rights for its presentation in the Northwest. Admission 50, 35 and 25 cents. Tickets on sale at the New Era Drug store.

New Shingle Mill.

J. S. Milne the real estate hustler returned home from a business trip to Portland, Woodburn, and Albany Saturday. He says those towns seem comparatively dull compared with our bustling, progressive city. Mr. Milne exchanged the lots recently purchased of Ben Larch in this city near Long & Bingham's mill for Portland property simply as an investment, and to bring a shingle mill to this place, Geo. T. Miller being the gentleman who will build and operate the mill on Silk Creek near this city. He will commence the construction of his mill in about ten days. The machinery for the new mill will arrive here next week.

NEW BANK FIRM.

The Chambers-Bristow Banking Company Incorporated.

The Chambers-Bristow Banking Co. is the firm name of the new banking institution to open in Eugene on January first as successors to the Lane county bank in the building now occupied by Hovey Bros.

The capital stock will be \$50,000 and the incorporation papers are now ready to file for record. The incorporators are business men all well and favorably known in this part of the valley, being F. L. Chambers, Darwin Bristow and H. E. Ankeny.

F. L. Chambers is one of Lane county's most successful and enterprising business men who, in a few years has built up a splendid hardware establishment which will now be taken full charge of by his brother F. E. Chambers, associated with him as a member of the hardware firm.

Darwin Bristow the well-known Cottage Grove banker and merchant like Mr. Chambers needs no introduction to Lane county people. He is closing out his general merchandise business in the Grove and his partner, Herbert Eakin, will continue the banking business at this place.

Hon. H. E. Ankeny, a conspicuous figure in Oregon circles and mining is widely known all over the state as one of our representatives and substantial citizens. This gives to Eugene a trio of solid citizens who should make a genuine success of the banking business.

Messrs Chambers and Bristow will devote their entire attention to the management and, equipped as they are, with a thorough knowledge of the county and with years of banking experience and with abundance of capital to back them, there is no reason why they should not be an influential factor in banking circles.—Eugene Register.

Big Kiln Dryer.

The Long & Bingham Lumber Company has commenced the construction of a large steam kiln dryer and planer sheds in connection with their saw mill plant in this city. The dimension of the building for the kiln dryer and planers will average 30 feet in width by 250 feet in length and the work is under the supervision of Geo. Lea. As soon as the building is completed a \$2500 National Dry Kiln will be installed therein by the National Dry Kiln Co. of Indianapolis, Ind. and the planers now in use in the saw mill will be moved into the new building which will give more room for operations in the saw mill which is greatly needed. When completed this will be one of the finest kilns in the county and will give this enterprising company a first class saw milling plant and enable them to supply good seasoned lumber on short notice at any time, thus filling a long felt want at this place as good seasoned lumber has been hard to get during the past season. We congratulate this progressive lumber firm upon their enterprise and energy.

The mill company bought six lots adjoining their mill property on the south last week of J. L. Jones, through the Medley & Milne real estate company for \$600. This will afford a valuable extension of the mill company's yards and was badly needed.

Another Business Change.

Fred Gale, the genial and well known harness maker of this city sold his harness shop this week to J. W. Clark & Son of Winlock, Washington, who will arrive at this place and take charge of the business next week. They are said to be first class workmen and successful business men and the LEADER welcomes them to this city, at the same time regretting that Mr. Gale has decided to retire from business for the present in our city. He has made many friends during his stay in this city and all unite in the hope that another profitable business investment will soon present itself to him in Cottage Grove that he may remain here.

Killed a Lynx.

Last Saturday Alex Cooley a well known pioneer farmer residing about one mile south of this city had an exciting fight with a large Lynx or mountain Wildcat. He had observed that some kind of a varmint was preying on his sheep, so on Saturday morning with dogs and gun he set out for a chase. He had not proceeded far when the dogs located a large Lynx which after a short chase was treed and soon thereafter brought to the ground by a well directed bullet from Mr. Cooley's rifle. The cat was an unusually large one and belongs to a species not very common in this section of the state.

Fresh oysters served in any style at the Wave.

INDICTED BY GRAND JURY.

True Bills Against Marie Ware, Horace G. McKinley and S. A. D. Puter.

PORTLAND, Or., Oct 27.—The United States Grand jury today returned indictments against Former United States Commissioner Miss Marie L. Ware, Horace G. McKinley and S. A. D. Puter, timber land operators, charging them with forgery in the uttering of forged signature in southern Oregon land fraud cases.

ASA B. THOMSON SUSPENDED.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Secretary Hitchcock's first act today was to order the suspension of Asa B. Thomson, receiver of public moneys at La Grande Oregon, who was indicted yesterday on charge of bribery.

"And there will be others," he said, "whenever similar circumstances are discovered in connection with them."

Silk Creek.

J. J. Westrup went to Lynx Hollow Sunday.

Mr. Percy from Iowa took dinner with D. A. Estes Sunday.

The farmers here are getting their crops in nicely this fall.

Mr. Davidson has sold his farm to a gentleman by the name of Corbett.

Oscar Wheeler returned the last of the week from a visit at Eugene.

Mr. Caldwell and wife were in our neighborhood on business Monday.

E. A. Wheeler and wife started Thursday for Scottsburg on a fishing trip.

Dr. Carey from Montavilla gave a lecture at the church Saturday evening.

W. N. Wheeler of this place and Mr. Miller from Montavilla expect soon to set up a shingle mill in this vicinity.

Divide Items.

Frank Wilson is back from Yoncolia.

L. M. Tucker has started his singing school again.

Mrs. Ray Coffin returned last week from Pleasant Hill.

Clyde and Ed Babcock of Silk Creek were visiting friends here last week.

Mr. Piper and family of Cottage Grove spent Sunday in the woods here.

The sawmill is making a good run now while ties at the track are being loaded and shipped.

Jacob Geiwitz had the misfortune to get his leg severely injured while going to the mill for a load of lumber.

Saturday night a surprise party showed up at the residence of J. B. Tapp, everyone old and young enjoyed themselves playing games listening to the music and pulling candy, until midnight when they adjourned to their homes. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lee, W. W. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Tapp, Misses Florence Lee, Beulah Coffin, Alice Wilson, Helen Clack, Martha Tucker, and Floy Lee; Play Coffin, Chester Coffin, Ruben and Elbert Tucker, Earl Lee, Albert Wilson, Marion Clark, Elmer Smith, Richard and Albert Tapp.

W. E. Brown, president of the Eugene Loan and Saving Bank, has purchased from O. W. Hurd, the Florence capitalist, 1560 acres of fine timber land on Knowles Creek, in the lower Siuslaw country, paying therefore \$15,600, or at a rate of \$10 per acre. The land is all in one tract and is said to be some of the finest timber on the Siuslaw. It will cut probably 5,000,000 to the quarter section.

It is observed that the steam shovel and gravel train is employed this week in ballasting the side tracks and yards of the O & S. E. railroad company in this city this week and a fine improvement is the result. The ballasting and construction work on the road is still progressing very rapidly and satisfactorily.

Glengarry School Days

Ranph Conner's latest novel now in stock. It is as good as his other books :

All the late and popular books in stock, as well as a complete line of school supplies, stationery, etc.

Mrs. Fields' Book Store

Welch & Woods has it for less

We are pleased to know that the people of Cottage Grove have learned that "if you see it in our ad it's so," for we told them last week that we had made a sweeping reduction of from 10 to 15 per cent on all our mens and boys clothing, and, as a result, our clothing sales have more than doubled. We still have two cases of clothing unpacked, for want of room, and will continue our cut-price for ten days, hoping to make room for same



When we tell you we will sell you a boys suit, 5 to 14 years, at \$1.20, worth \$1.50, you know it's so. Come in and examine. We are pleased that most of our sales in the last week have been in good quality suits. Well, when you can get an A No. 1 suit at the price of a hand-me-down, you are foolish to not buy a good suit

We are selling Mens Suits at \$7.58, \$10, \$12, \$13.75 and \$15 which were \$8.50, \$9.50, \$12, \$14.50, \$16 and \$18. We have 'em in Square-Cut or 3 or 4 button Cut-Away

A ROLL OF HOME-MADE RAG CARPET

The ladies of the Christian Church have left a roll of rag carpet with us to be sold. It contains 25 yards and goes at 35c per yard, or you may take the roll at \$8. This is a bargain. Come in and examine : : :

WELCH & WOODS

The Leaders in Low Prices and Hustlers for Business

CONTEST NOTICE

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Oct 19, 1903.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Lucy Houck, contestant, against Homestead Entry No 11,126, made November 20, 1901, for lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Section 20, township 21 south, range 1 west, by Charles W. Sloat, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Charles W. Sloat has abandoned said homestead and has not resided thereon for a period of more than six months last past, and further that said tract of land embraced in said homestead is more valuable for timber and stone than for agricultural purposes. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegations at 10 o'clock a. m. on December 4, 1903, before J. E. Young, notary public, at Cottage Grove, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on December 14, 1903, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roseburg, Oregon.
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Oct. 15, 1903, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
J. H. BOOTH, Receiver

'Por Luck With a Poet

Program of E. Vance Cooke at the opera house here on Nov. 7th. Introducing the Ohio poet, Mr. Edmund Vance Cooke, of Cleveland.

Menu.
Greeting, "I'm Glad to See You," "Domestic Dialects," "Nat kan's Flat," "Bobby's Besetting Sin," "Going Home to Mother," "Foreign Philosophers," "Unverstaendlick, the German Optimist," "Fin de Seicle," the English pessimist, "The Troubles of Terry," the Irish doubter, "Stage Stories," "How they Heard La Prima sing," "The Other One Was Booth," "The Modern Medodrama," "Annals of Action," "The World Awheel," "Otto and Auto," "The Hero of the Hill," "Songs of Sentiment," "The Mule of Missouri," "The Red Cross Army Nurse," "Foreboding," "Tales Worth Telling," "In the Old School House," "The Young Man Waited," and "The Story of Old Glory."

Bicycle Stolen.

Some time Tuesday night a bicycle belonging to Dr. Anderson was stolen from the foot of the stairs in front of his office on Main street, where it was left while the doctor was answering late calls about town. He reported his loss to the officers early Wednesday morning who at once began seeking a clew and soon learned that a man was seen at daybreak on the Silk Creek road making for Lorane carrying a bicycle on his back, a heavy rain having rendered riding impractical. The bicycle answering the description of the missing wheel, Dr. Anderson and Constable Bert Lawson set out early in the day to overtake the culprit and bring him to justice. About two miles this side of Lorane they overtook their man who was still carrying the wheel on his back. He was promptly arrested and returned to this city where he was placed in jail. He gave his name as John Evans and claims to be a recent arrival from the east and a machinist by trade. He says he was without money and took the wheel with the intention of riding to some nearby town and selling it but was frustrated by the morning rain. He has the appearance of a common laborer in desperate circumstances and does not have the appearance of being a crook.
Deputy District Attorney L. T. Harris came up from Eugene Wednesday and the accused was given a hearing before Squire Vaughn Thursday morning and sentenced to forty days in the county jail.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at Roseburg, Or., Oct. 13, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. J. Walton, U. S. Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on Saturday, November 28, 1903, viz: Henry Landers on H. E. No 9212 for the s.w. 1/4, Sec. 32, Twp. 19 S., Range 2 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ruth Casteel, of Saguaw, Oregon, Corb Miller and Mary Miller of Creswell, Oregon.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Oct. 5, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, on November 24, 1903, viz: H. E. No. 9228, Nelson Elzea, for the n. 1/2 n.w. 1/4, Sec. 22, Twp. 21 S., R. 4 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Long of Cottage Grove, Oregon, W. McRumels of Divide, Oregon, and W. A. Spain and C. E. Clark of Conestock, Oregon.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

OREGON & SOUTHEASTERN R. R. CO.

Time Table No. 2.

To take effect on Oct. 10, 1903. DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

No. 1	FAST	BOUND	No. 2	WEST	BOUND
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Subject to change without notice

Freight will not be received at the O. & S. E. R. R. depot after 5 p. m. To insure forwarding on the next train, freight must be delivered in ample time to permit of its being billed. All outward freight forwarded only at the point of risk of shipper and consignee.

JOHN H. PEARSONS, General Manager.



Building Paper.

The wearing quality of P. & B. Building Paper was very well demonstrated the other day when a cold storage house in San Francisco was torn down. The P. & B. Paper which has been in this building for over 9 years, was perfectly intact and in perfect condition, while the wood-work surrounding it had entirely decayed.

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

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We can supply the PAINTS OILS AND BRUSHES

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Weber & Stover Gasoline Engines

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WYNNE Hardware Co.

For the Best and Cheapest

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

For Sale.

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