WHY?

There are reasons why you should buy your Clothing of us.

If you think of swinging yourself into the current of American progress, look first at your Clothing. Before you purchase your Suit, let us tell you why.

Mayfield Clothing

OUR LEADER

It is superior to any at the price and equal to any at any price. If that is the kind you want you will find them at our store.

Hemenway & Burkholder

M. BLOND. I. BRENNER.

The City Store

BLOND & BRENNER, Proprietors.

New and Second-Hand Merchandise

Highest prices paid for Wool, Hides, Pelts and Produce of all kinds.

Complete lines of Hardware, Graniteware, Crockery, Furniture, Stoves and Household Supplies.

Logging Supplies. Mechanics' Tools.

Sixth Bi-Enni-l Fruit Fair.

Invitations and courtesies have been received for the Sixth Bi-Ennial Horticultural Fruit Fair at Hoo l River, Oregon, October 13, 14, and 15, 1904: At the same time and place the Oregon Press Association will cunvene.

Cottage Grove ought to be represented at the fruit fair by some one who, upon returning, could inform growers of this section conceraing the most profitable methods of fruit growing.

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A New Industry Proposed.

A. W. Drake of Avoca, Iowa, was a visitor to the city the first of the week. Last winter Game Warden Baker, met Mr. Drake while traveling and among other matters discussed the raising of corn in this portion of Oregon. Mr. Drake has been a successful canner of sweet corn in Iowa and has had the impression that corn might be grown in this locality and a cannery established. With that in view he sent to Mr. Baker, seed to be planted and tested. The seed was planted on the Currin farm east of town and Mr. Drake pronounces the product a very good quality. The plan as suggested would be the organization of a stock company and allow the residents here to subscribe for such an amount of stock as desired while the balance would be taken by the eastern people. It would require an outlay of from $30,000 to $50,000.

If Sweet corn can be grown in this valley as many assert it can, this would be a fine proposition for the farmers as well as all interested, as there are thousands of acres suitable for the growing of sweet corn.

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Old papers for sale at the Leader office 15 cents per hundred.

Best Hop Yard in the World.

Notwithstanding the unfavorable conditions which prevailed during the present season, Geo. A. Dorris succeeded in harvesting over 2100 pounds of hops to the acre on his ranches about four miles from Eugene. In 1903 his yield was over 2800 pounds to the acre, In 1902 it was over 2450 pounds to the acre, and in 1901 it was over 2250 pounds to the acre.

This makes a grand total of over 9600 pounds, a general average of over 2400 pounds to the acre for the four consecutive years, one of which was the dryest Oregon has ever experienced. Mr. Dorris has thus demonstrated again that under intelligent management Willament valley soil can not be surpassed in fertility in the world.

The State of Oregon, Lane county in particular, will share with Mr. Dorris the laudable pride he takes in his phenomenal success as a hop grower, and will not begrudge him the larger financial returns he has earned by his industry and intelligence.

We challenge the world to make a better showing in the past four years.

Until such showing is made Lane county will claim to have the best hop yard in the world.

It a better showing is made it will be made in the State of Oregon.—Eugene Register.

1905—OREGON—1905

Maps Free.

All who wish a map of Cottage Grove may now get one at the Leader office, free. The streets are all shown and the map is a valuable business directory as well. There are only a limited number for general circulation.

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Town properties to trade for team, wagon and harness. Ask Medley & Milne, the real estate men, Main street, Cottage Grove, Or.

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Get Salem beer in bottles at Hotel Graham bar.

The Road To Riches

Isn't Always a Flowery Path, but it Always Leads Through Ways of Economy and Thrift. You Can Secure a Start in the Right Direction by Remembering That our Store and Stock Offer Valuable Opportunities For the Practice of Economy For buying Really Meritorious Goods at Close Prices.

Sweeping Reductions

Of Men's and Boy's Overcoats

$11 For all lines priced $14 and $15
$9 " " " " $12 " $13
$7 " " " " $10 " $11
$6 " " " " $8 " $9

Pacific Timber Co. Store

UNDER ODD FELLOWS' HALL

Old Age a Disease. Not a Condition.

Had Ponce de Leon lived until today he need not have come to the New World in quest of the fountain of eternal youth. On the contrary, he might have combined the pleasures of the French capital with business.

For Professor Metchnikoff, of the Pasteur Institute in Paris says that old age, instead of being a condition s a disease; that, infact there is no such thing as old age.

This disease, according to Prof. Metchnikoff, is caused by the action of certain germs called phagocytes, which wander about the body in search of other disease germs. When they cannot find these they feed upon things which they should leave, alone, and in this manner impair the health of the body.

Some day the learned professor expects to discover an antiphagocytic serum, or lymph, that will confine these epicurean germs to their legitimate diet. When that time comes no one need die, at least not before he has attained the age and discretion of a Methuselah, a Chauncey Depew, a Henry G. Davis or a Tom Platt.

Professor Metchnikoff's advice to mankind at present is the shopworn injunction to be careful about diet and to practice temberance in all things.

Unfortunately it is much eacier to grow old than it is to follow advice.

Meanwhile, until Prof. Metchnikoff discovers a phagocytic regulator, persons desiring to live to a green old age should come to Chicago, where the death rate is so low that even Honce de Leon, were he alive, would be satisfied with it.

It is to be hoped, however, that the French savant will succeed in training the phagocytes to act as sensible phagocytes should.—Chicago Journal.

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Wanted

Special representative in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established business house of solid financial standing. Salary $21 weekly, with expenses advanced each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessery; position permanent. Address Blew Bros. & Co., Dept. A, Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill. 24—6t.

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County Convention.

The W. C. T. U. County Convention opened on Tuesday, at Creswell, and was in session three days. The delegates from Cottage Grove were Mesdames Eva Wheeler, J. T. De gpain, Randolph, and Lillie Orpurd. The delegates to the „Y" from here were Misses Gertie Burdick, Lizzie Orpurd and Lillian Hart.

1905—OREGON—1905

The Booth-Kelley mills at Saginaw began work Monday after a brief stillness due to lack of water for the flume will probably be uninterupted throughout the winter

1905—OREGON—1905

Tailer Made Suits.

Suits tailor made to order at the lowest figures, latest styles. Suits cleaned and pressed, $1 per month.

Geo. Bohlman,
River street, near Wall St.

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Watch For Them.

Watch the bulletin board at the Bohemia Restaurant for specials, oysters, clams, crabs, lobsters, crawfish, shrimps, etc.

LEADERS

Services at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

If you have 25c you can get more to eat for it at the Bohemia Restor ant than any place in town.

Why pay rent when Medley & Milne will sell you a good lot for $75? You can have a home of your own at no greater cost than you have been paying.

Buy a dozen of those large eastern in the shell and take home to your family, only 50c per doz. at the Bohemia Restaurant.

Oliver Hart, Prop.

We have on our yards 50,000 feet of lumber which must be sold to make room for incoming stock. Price ranging from $3.50 to $7.00. If you want a bargin. Come at once.

The Booth Kelly Lumber Co.,
Saginaw, Oregon

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3000 MEN WANTED.

To buy Kennedy's Chain Lightning Liniment, for Rheumatism and all pains and Inflamation. Price 50 cents, all Druggist, or by mail upon receipt of price, write F. L. Kennedy, Saginaw, Oregon, for list of testimonies. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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I Tried them, did you?

Oh! Say did you try those big, fat Eastern oysters on the half shell at the Bohemia Restaurant? Hart serves them in fine style.

1905—OREGON—1905

A Power For Good.

The pills that are potent in their action and pleasant in effect are De-Witt's Little Early Risers. W. S. Philpot, of Albany, Ga., says: "During a bilious attack I took one. Small as it was it did me more good than calomel, blue mass or any other pill I ever took and at the same time the effect was pleasant. Little Early Risers are certainly an ideal pill." Sold by The Modern Pharmacy.

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To Be Remembered.

Try a meal at the Bohemia Restaurant and if you are not satisfied tell Ol. Hart about it. If you are satisfied tell others of it.

1905—OREGON—1905

An Extra Bargain

Blacksmith Shop, including all tools, stock, and fixtures, or will sell stock and fixtures and lease building. This is one of the best paying established business propositions in the city, and can be bought at a bargain. Call on or address

Medley & Milne.

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Send It East.

If friends in the East ask you for information about Oregon or the Northwest, send them a copy of the recently issued pamphlet entitled "Oregon, Washington and Idaho," which can be had upon application to J. M. Isham, station agent at Cottage Grove.

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The Stomach Is the Man.

A weak stomach weakens the man, because it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and strength cannot be restored to any sick man or weak woman without first restoring health and strength to the stomach. A weak stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat, cleanses and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.

Sold by The Modern Pharmacy.

1905—OREGON—1905

Reduced Rates to St. Louis.

The Southern Pacific Co. will sell round trip tickets at greatly reduced rates to St Louis and Chicago account the St Louis Exposition, on the following dates; Aug. 8, 9, 10; September 5, 6, 7; October 3, 4, 5. Going trip must be completed within ten days from date of sale, and passengers wi'l be permitted to start on any day that will enable them to reach destination within the ten days limit. Return limit ninety days, but not later than Dec. 31th, 1904.

For full information as to rates and routes call on Agent So. Pac. Co. at Cottage Grove.

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Don't forget Fatty Hart, he's the chief cook at the Bohemia Restaurant.

Indigestion Causes Catarrh of the Stomach.

For many years it has been supposed that Catarrh of the Stomach caused indigestion and dyspepsia, but the truth is exactly the opposite. Indigestion causes catarrh. Repeated attacks of Indigestion inflames the mucous membranes lining the stomach and exposes the nerves of the stomach, thus causing the glands to secrete mucin instead of the juices of natural digestion. This is called Catarrh of the Stomach.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

relieves all inflammation of the mucous membranes lining the stomach, protects the nerves, and cures bad breath, sour risings, a sense of fullness after eating, indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.

Kodol Digests What You Eat

Make the Stomach Sweet.

Bottles only. Regular size, $1.00, holding 2½ times the trial size, which sells for 50 cents.

Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., Chicago, Ill.

NOTICE —TO— TAXPAYERS.

Sheriff's Office, Sept 6th, '04

Those who paid the first half of their 1903 taxes in the Spring previous to April 4th, 1904, will please take note that the second half of the Tax is payable on or before October 3rd, 1904, and if not paid by that date it becomes delinquent and the law compels me to add 10 per cent penalty and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum dating from April 4th, 1904, to said remaining unpaid payment. Pay the last half of your taxes on or before October 3rd 1904 and thus avoid costs.

Respectfully yours,
Fred Fisk,
Sheriff and Tax Collector or Lane County.

OREGON & SOUTHEASTERN R. R. CO.

TIME TABLE NO. 2

To take effect on April 2, 1904.
DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

*No. 3	No. 1	Miles	STATIONS	No. 2	*No. 4
2.30	7.30	.0	Lv COTTAGE GROVE Ar	11.10	5.15
2.50	7.50	3.2	WALDEN	10.49	5.05
2.55	7.55	5.	CURRIN	10.44	4.59
2.59	7.59	6.3	CERRO GORDO	10.38	4.53
3.04	8.04	7.7	BAKER	10.33	4.47
3.14	8.14	8.3	DORENA	10.30	4.44
3.17	8.17	9.5	BED ROCK	10.25	4.39
3.30	8.26	10.6	GRAVEL PIT	10.20	4.35
3.35	8.35	11.3	STEWART	10.01	4.20
3.38	8.40	12.	STAR	9.48	4.16
3.42	8.45	12.8	ROCKY POINT	9.45	4.12
3.50	8.65	15.6	RED BRIDGE	9.35	4.05
3.52	9.15	16.6	Ar WILDWOOD Lv	9.30	4.00

*Afternoon trains will be run on Saturdays only 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 joint risk of shipper and consignee.

A. B. WOOD, Acting Gen'l Manager

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Oregon, August 20, 1904

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892.

ELLSWORTH H. DIMOND

of The Dalles, county of Wasco, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 6371 for the purchase of the N½SW¼, W½NW¼, of section 28 township 20 south, of range 4 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. J. Walton, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Eugene, Oregon, on Monday the 14th day of November, 1904. He names as witnesses: Lew McCoy, Fred J. Bartels both of Cottage Grove, Frank A. Tripp, Clark P. Devereaux both of Eugene, all of Lane County, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 14th day of November, 1904.

J T Bridges
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Oregon, August 8, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892.

JOHN H. BARTELS,

of Cottage Grove, county of Lane, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his swo, n statement No 6343 for the purchase of the E½ E½, of section No 28, Township 20 S, of R 4 West and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J J Walton, U S Commissioner at his office at Eugene, Oregon, Saturday the 5th day of November 1904. He names as witnesses: Francis M. Ernest, Louis P. McCoy, William W. Tucker, Fred J. Bartels, all of Cottage Grove, Lane County, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 5th day of August 1904

J T Bridges,
Register

First National Bank

ORGANIZED 1900

Herbert Eakin
President
T. C. Wheeler
Cashier

CAPITAL $25,000

A general banking business transacted :: :: :: :: ::

COTTAGE GROVE OREGON

Bohemia and Cottage Grove Stage Line

LEWIS & VEATCH, Proprietors

Runs Every Other Day Between Wildwood and Bohemia, Connecting with O. & S. E. R. R. Trains

Stage leaves Wildwood for Bohemia Monday, Wednesday and Friday on arrival of train. Train leaves Cottage Grove at 7:30 a. m.

Stage leaves Bohemia for Wildwood Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5 a. m., connecting with O. & S. E. R. R. trains.

Packages or orders left at Fashion Stables will receive prompt attention

Lewis & Veatch, Proprietors Fashion Livery and Feed Stables
Cottage Grove, Oregon

Boswell Springs

Located on Southern Pacific Railroad in Douglas County, Ore.

The waters will cure 90 per cent of cases of Constipation, Rheumatism, Catarrh, Stomach, Kidney, Liver troubles.

Postoffice, Express and public Telephone on premises. From $10 per week up, including baths. Trains stop in front of hotel

One Gallon of These Waters Contain . . .

Potassium Chloride 546.10 gr
Potassium Bromide - - .51 gr
Potassium Iodide - - - .53 gr
Sodium Chloride - - 211.60 gr

Magnesium Chloride - - -
Calcium Chloride - - -
Calcium Carbonate - - -

Capt. Ben D. Boswell, Proprietor

New Firm New Goods

at our Store. All kinds of country produce bought and sold

SPECIAL BARGAINS

are being offered in many departments of our merchandise stock and it will pay you to give us a call.

For your General Merchandise call on the reliable firm of

CURRIN & VEATCH

Groceries, Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes

TOOL OUTFITS FOR THE MECHANIC

We have them at all prices Also, we carry the best makes of tools of all kinds for carpenters, cabinet makers and machinists. Complete stock of general hardware. See us before buying your farm implements and wagons : : :

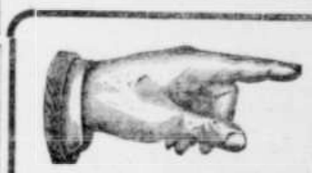
Griffin & Veatch Co.

USE COTTAGE GROVE BREAD

MADE FROM COTTAGE GROVE FLOUR

Parker makes it and it is made from flour made by Cottage Grove men. It is kneaded by Cottage Grove men, sold by Cottage Grove men, and should be eaten by all Cottage Grove people. There is no need to go outside of Cottage Grove to get your bread, and by patronizing home industry you help others to make a living here as well as yourself. :: Insist upon having Cottage Grove Flour and Cottage Grove Bread. :: :: ::

Parker MAKES IT NONE BETTER
METCALF & MORSE SELL IT



Farm and City Property

Mines and Mining Stock

Timber Lands and Homesteads Located. Houses for rent Agents for non-resident property owners. We do all business personally. Information given correspondents promptly, free of charge. We solicit such correspondence and will send literature to those who inquire about the resources of this section. Notary work executed. :: :: ::

MEDLEY & MILNE

Main Street, Near Second Cottage Grove, Oregon

ELECTRIC LIGHTS

No home is complete without them. Safe, Convenient and Economical.

We will wire your house at small cost

Chandeliers, Stand Lamps and all kinds of Electrical Fixtures for sale at our headquarters on Main Street.

Cottage Grove Electric Co.