

**PERSONAL ITEMS OF INTEREST.**

Dr Lowe's glasses are good glasses. Band Concert, Wednesday evening Feb. 25.

Dr Lowe's glasses strengthen the eye.

B C Brooks, was up from Eugene, Monday.

Buy your Bulk Garden Seeds of Eaker & Bristow.

J B Orrell and son, Bert, was down from Star Monday.

E L Sanders was down from Drain the first of the week.

Arman Wynne was a passenger on Tuesday's local for Saginaw.

Chas Dutton, of Chicago, (?) registered at the Sherwood Sunday.

Get your seats for the Band Concert at the New Era Drug Store.

Mr D P Sheridan, of Walkers, made this office a pleasant call Tuesday.

Sadie Hubble and Edna Cook were registered at the Imperial Monday.

Charley Newland made a business trip to the County seat Sunday afternoon.

Mr Dennis Slagle, of Mosby Creek, was down to town Wednesday on business.

If the best is none too good for your eyes see Dr Lowe, over 15 years experience.

T A Goodpasture, of Eugene, was doing business in the Grove the first of the week.

R W Newland and little daughter, Ethel, returned to their home in Eugene, Tuesday.

E F Owen was down from Star, Monday and registered at the Sherwood, Sunday.

Don't fail to attend the Band Concert and entertainment Feb. 25 at Opera House.

We acknowledge a pleasant call from Mr Jas Linebaugh, of Mosby Creek one day this week.

Mrs Lee Henry went to Eugene Wednesday to visit with relatives and friends for a few days.

Mr G G Warner who has been absent from the city for two or three months returned home Monday.

J L LeRoy went to Eugene on business connected with the LeRoy Mining company the first of the week.

Mr D P Sheridan, of Walkers, was doing business in the Grove Tuesday. The LEADER acknowledges a pleasant call.

Miss Ada Hanson who has been visiting with sister, Mrs Katie Medley for the past two weeks, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs Minnie Peebler, of Roseburg, passed through here Sunday on her way home from a visit with her mother at Junction.

Miss Anna Crain, of Junction visited Monday and Tuesday with Mrs Ella Wall of this place returning home on Tuesday's local.

Mrs Katie Medley left on Wednesday's noon train to visit her mother Mrs Hanson, at Eugene who is reported as quite ill.

Mr J W Baker has returned from Salem where he has been attending the third house of the Legislature for the past week or so.

Misses Roble Baker and Effie Stewart visited with Miss Stewart's sister Mrs R W Newland, in Eugene, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr Chris Jackson, who has been clerking for the S P Co, has resigned his position and left Wednesday night for his home at Coquille Ore.

The wood famine in Cottage Grove will cause many of our people to deeply sympathize with those in the east that are undergoing a coal famine.

The benefit entertainment that was to be given for the cripple, Fred Riley, Tuesday night was a perfect failure but it should have been avoided.

Mr Dolph Emerick has taken charge of the old Hemenway blacksmith shop and will hereafter be sole proprietor. Mr Emerick is a young and energetic mechanic and will always be on hand to cater to the wants of his trade.

**ured Consumption.**

Mrs B W Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months; the doctor stated he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and it cured him. That was six years ago, and since then we always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds, it has no equal." 25c 50c and \$1.00 bottle at The New Era Drug Store.

Mr R W Newland, was up from Eugene the first of the week to superintend the auction sale of the remainder of his stock of merchandise goods in this city. The sale was wound up Tuesday noon and the entire stock disposed of.

Saturday Evening Telegram has a good portrait of Mrs Ella Jones one of the leading playlets of Portland. Mrs Jones was formerly well known in Cottage Grove and has a host of friends here who are glad to know of her deserved success. The Telegram says:

Mrs S E Wallace and daughter, Edna who have been visiting relatives and friends in their old home at Stockton Calif, for the past six weeks, returned home Monday on the delayed overland train. They report a very pleasant visit but are glad to get back to webfoot.

Next week Thursday, Friday and to Saturday noon February the 26 27 and 28 Dr Lowe the well known oculoptician will be in Cottage Grove at the Sherwood Hotel. Don't fail to have Dr Lowe test your eyes for glasses when he is here next week. He knows how.

Mr Thos Allen has a force of men busily engaged building an addition to the old office building on Main street and soon expects to have the same ready for the new machinery for the LEADER office. When completed the office will be equipped equal to any in the valley for job and newspaper work.

Mr S B Moss and daughter Anna went to Creswell Sunday to see Mr Moss' father, John Moss, who has been very ill. Mr Moss returned home Tuesday and reports that his father is now much improved and is out of danger. He was suffering from blood poisoning resulting from an ax wound across the back of his hand and for a time his life was despaired of.

Mrs Ella Jones, of this city, is a pianist who has won great success. She is an exceedingly busy woman, and an indefatigable worker, richly earning the good fortune which is hers by unremitting application and study. During the eight years of her residence in this city she has occupied a prominent position in musical circles, especially in religious work, having been at different times organist in five of the leading churches and being at the present time engaged by the English Lutheran Society.

We acknowledge receipt of a fine descriptive folder and map of Oregon published by the Southern Pacific Company. The folder is a beautiful specimen of art and its description of the resources, industries, commerce, product, climate, etc surpasses most any thing in that line issued in recent years and is invaluable in the matter of information as to the progress and prosperity of the state and is reliable in all its details. We presume any one may obtain one of these elegant folders by writing to W E Coman, General Passenger Agent, S P Co Lines in Oregon, at Portland Oregon.

**New Maps.**

The School board purchased a half dozen maps of Oregon and Washington this week to add to the public school library and chart collection.

**Store Moved.**

Mr Miller has moved his new and second hand stock of goods out of the Walker building across the river and now occupies the store building recently vacated by R W Newland. The new location is at a better point and the building is a much better building for this business.

**Band Concert.**

The C M A Band has been organized just a year and the boys contemplate giving their first annual concert and entertainment on Feb 25. For pluck and energy the boys deserve a good patronage. It is not an easy matter to build up a first class band in a year and yet this is what the boys have accomplished. It has not only taken a good deal of their time but it has cost the boys a good round sum of money to keep up expenses and maintain a competent teacher. The band as an organization has earned and spent some \$500 or \$600 during its short existence and none of the money has come to them by donation or gift but the boys have earned it all and have always endeavored to give them a good house for they may be assured an excellent program.

## New Shoes.

We have just received a new line of the celebrated JOHN STROOTMAN'S Ladies Shoes, the very newest styles from the the very best material. They come in A, B, D, and E width, sizes 3 to 6. The STROOTMAN shoe is the best and nicest fitting shoe made, try one pair and you will always wear them.

## New Furnishings

We have just received the largest and prettiest assortment of men's Shirts ever shown in Cottage Grove. New colars very handsome. Come and see them. Also a new line of Collars and neck wear.

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**LOCAL BREVITIES.**

**Beautiful Snow.**

Did you get your feet wet?  
Snow, snow, beautiful snow,  
And very high water this week you know,  
And you have a bad cold that may grow worse  
But you can cure it at Morgan & Brehauts of course.

**SCHOOL NOTES.**

Miss Force and Miss Kelley returned from a visit at Albany Sunday.

The board has decided to plant several trees around the school yard at once and hold Arbor Day exercises in April.

The school will give an intertainment at Martin's Hall, Saturday evening, February 28, for benefit of the school library.

An educational meeting will be held on April 10 and 11. Among those who will be present will be State Supt J H Ackerman and Hon B F Mulkey, senator from Polk county, and President of the Ashland Normal School.

Program for February 28:

Overture	The Band.
Introduction	Rev Fees.
Quartett	Freedoms Flag.
An exercise	First Grade.
Instrumental Music	Mrs Abrams.
Rec	Miss Ruby Thomas.
Vocal Music	When Hands Meet.
An exercise	Fifth Grade.
Solo Vocal	Miss Bryan.
Rec	Mr Chas Newland.
Instrumental Music	Mrs Beck.
Rec	Miss Nettie Burdick.
Solo	Mr Chas Cochran.
Rec	Mrs Bond.
Quartett	Loves Messengers.
Music	Band.

The spring class for the Primary Class will begin Monday, March 30, all parents intending to start the children will please send them at this time as the crowded condition of the school will prevent the organization of but one class.

Mrs W B Dennis, of Blackbutte was in Cottage Grove Tuesday, on her way to Salem to join her husband who is visiting the present session of the legislature.

## ODDS and ENDS.

During the past few months a great many Odds and Ends have accumulated among our Stock and these must be closed out at in order to make room for our Spring Goods

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## DRY GOODS AND SHOES

And if you are looking for bargains now is the time to find them at

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**Looked Like Business.**

Tuesday at noon there were five different trains, switching and moving around over the yards at the depot. This is a good indication that there is considerable business moving over the railroad at this point. Together with the whistling and puffing of the two mills near the depot the noise was somewhat citified.

**Church Services.**

10 a m Sunday School A H King, Supt.  
3 p m Junior, Mrs L D Beck, Supt.  
6:45 p m Christian Endeavor, Mr T M Medley, President  
Everyone is invited to attend each of these services.  
L D Beck, Pastor.

There was a drug clerk named Melholm  
Who should cover his clothes with Stockholm  
Then when he falls in the creek  
Like he did just last week  
He would keep his clothes dry and not soil 'em.

There was a young man named Lloyd  
He leaned on a fence that was void,  
He fell in the race  
Without saying grace  
But the bath his friends, they enjoyed.

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