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 Spring, joyous spring is here.
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 Spring trade promises to be lively.
 W. H. Abrams visited Eugene Tuesday.
 Jesse Griffin spent Sunday at Eugene.
 Fine job printing at the Lane County LEADER office.
 Everybody will soon be reading the Lane County LEADER.
 Chas. Cochran has returned home from a brief sojourn at Eugene.
 Miss Lizzie Orpud spent the week visiting with friends near Saginaw.
 Mrs. R. A. Booth of Eugene is visiting her sister, Miss LaRaut, at Saginaw.
 We came to Cottage Grove because we like a live, growing, wide-awake town.
 Mrs. Lydia Stauffer went to Roseburg Sunday to enjoy a season's visit with friends.
 Give the Lane County LEADER a six months trial subscription. It will interest you.
 Mrs. Theodore Martin, of Creswell, is visiting with Cottage Grove relatives and friends.
 Mrs. V. H. Behme went to Hillsboro Sunday to enjoy a visit with relatives and friends.
 Miss Genevive Howe, of Creswell, visited with her friend, Miss Ethel Wooley over Sunday.
 Read our fine display ads. There is interesting and profitable information in them for you.
 J. I. Jones went to Eugene Tuesday to look after business matters. He returned home Wednesday.
 W. C. Sanford, the jeweler, now occupies a window in Miller's second hand store on the West side.
 Mrs. Phillip Hohi returned Tuesday from Eugene after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Mike Nold.
 Mrs. Clair Baker returned to Roseburg Tuesday after an enjoyable visit with relatives and friends in this city.
 Sunday morning's subject at the M. E. church: "Our Passions." Evening subject, "Mastery by one Master."
 Miss Ethel LaRaut has returned to Saginaw from Eugene, after an enjoyable visit with her sister, Mrs. R. A. Booth.
 Diphtheria is reported from the country about Eugene but not extensively. A case or two still exists in Eugene.
 Mrs. Dora Martin of Creswell arrived in this city by Tuesday afternoon's train to visit with home folks and old friends.
 It is understood that the S. P. railroad company will soon put in a new bridge across the Coast Fork river between this place and Latham.
 Mrs. V. H. Behme purchased one of T. K. Richardson's finest Needham pianos last week. This instrument is a beauty and a credit to any parlor.
 We want a correspondent in every neighborhood in South Lane county. The LEADER, stamps and writing material furnished free. Write us for it.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Giltner returned to their home in Portland Monday after attending the funeral of Mrs. Giltner's father, Mr. J. Calvin Wallace.
 Cottage Grove has an enterprising class of merchants who carry large and strictly up-to-date stocks. It's a good place to come to do your trading.
 M. O. Warner, the well known piano tuner, is in town looking after the musical instruments of his many patrons here. He is an expert in his line.
 Lee Henry and wife have been spending several days at the county seat visiting with relatives and friends. They returned home Wednesday.
 It is stated that a flat car loaded with logs for Long & Bingham's mill took a little spin on the Mosby Creek spur of the Bohemia railroad this morning and was derailed. Little damage was done.
 Mr. and Mrs. Byron Atkins came up Saturday from Independence to attend the Allison-Atkins wedding Tuesday evening. The bride is a sister of Mr. Atkins.
 Mrs. Susan Bristow and daughters, Miss Sarah Hubbard and Mrs. Lizzie Sullivan, were passengers to Cottage Grove this afternoon to visit there a short time.—Tuesday's Guard.
 There is a strong demand for school teachers who have had experience in teaching. County Superintendent Miller is constantly receiving requests for teachers which he cannot fill.
 J. N. Stoneberg has enlarged and completely renovated his confectionery store and resort and now has one of the neatest places in town. He keeps a fine line of fresh confections.
 Miss Nina Ostrander was a passenger to Cottage Grove Tuesday. Miss Annie Oglesby came up from Junction to take her place in the Postal Telegraph office for a few days.—Guard.
 Mr. and Mrs. Tom Aubrey, of Cottage Grove, arrived Tuesday and are guests at the Aubrey home in this city. They were here to attend the Coppernoll-Awbrey nuptials Wednesday.—Guard.
 The ladies of Cottage Grove are going to give the C. M. A. band a benefit on Friday evening, March 13. A good program will be rendered; a singing contest by small boys, admission 15 cents.
 We are sorry to learn that Lafayette Veatch, an esteemed pioneer citizen

of this vicinity, is quite ill at his home two miles west of town. His condition showed a slight improvement at last reports.
 If anything of unusual interest happens in your locality don't wait to write us about it, but step to the nearest phone or telegraph office and notify us at our expense. We want the news while it is news.
 Mrs. Juliette Jones, district superintendent of the Oregon Children's Home Society, of Portland, is spending a few days in Cottage Grove, receiving contributions to the worthy cause. She is working in a very hearty manner.
 F. Gilstrap, father of the proprietors of the daily Eugene Register, spent a few days in town this week in the interests of his sons' paper, which has become one of the brightest and newsmen of the Willamette valley dailies.
 B. M. Atkins and wife of Independence are visiting with the former's father, A. B. Atkins of this city. The junior Atkins is connected with the electric light plant at Independence. The LEADER was favored with a pleasant call.
 The warm chinook winds and the rain of the past few days has taken most of the snow out of the mountains and we may look for some bright spring weather soon. The streams are slightly swollen by melting snow and the rain.
 Mrs. Chas. Wright of Walker was brought to this city this morning to undergo a surgical operation. The delicate operation was very successfully performed by Drs. Anderson and Hosmer, Dr. Macey administering the anaesthetic.
 The sheriff's books were opened last week for collection of taxes. Creed Hammond, M. S. Wallis and James Parker are assisting in the office. The sheriff stated that the first day's receipts amounted to more than the first day's receipts for any other year.
 I. L. Campbell, for many years prominent in the Oregon newspaper field, associated with his brother, J. R. Campbell, in the publication of the "Guard," at Eugene, has retired from the business, which will be continued by J. R. Campbell.
 The regular quarterly conference of the M. E. church was held in this city Saturday and Sunday, Dr. T. B. Ford, presiding elder of this district conducting the services, assisted by the local pastor Rev. Feese and Rev. Gardiner of Saginaw. The meetings were interesting and well attended.
 Andrew Nelson, who is installing a new electric light plant in the Booth-Kelly Mills at Springfield, spent a few days in the Grove the early part of the week. In a pleasant call at our office he informed us that he would complete his work at Springfield and return home in a few days.
 Long & Bingham's saw mill in this city was closed down Wednesday in order to make some necessary repairs on the engine after a long, steady run. Mr. Bingham took advantage of the brief respite in operations to attend to business matters in Portland. The mill will resume active operations today.
 The Pleasant Hill Creamery Association has filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk. The object is to build, equip and operate a creamery at Pleasant Hill. The capital stock is \$800 divided into 150 shares of \$5 each. The incorporators are: R. J. Hemphill, H. C. Wheeler, D. G. Linton, William Klugaw, J. F. Brewer.
 Mrs. S. W. McIvaine and little daughter arrived a few days since from Portland to join Mr. McIvaine, who holds the position of night clerk and operator for the S. P. Company at this place. The family is recently from Indiana and express themselves as very much pleased with this western country and Cottage Grove in particular.
 A meeting of the Republican Congressional committee was held in Portland yesterday to arrange for the nomination of a candidate to succeed the late Congressman Tongue. Chairman Dr. Harris, of Eugene, presided, and several committeemen of distant counties were represented by proxy. The convention will no doubt be held at Eugene as the committee favors that place.
 Darwin Bristow, of the well known firm of Eakin & Bristow, returned home from Newport the early part of the week where he went for a little rest and recuperation. He reports delightful weather on the coast during his stay and that he enjoyed his midwinter vacation very much. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hendricks and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Preston of Eugene, on his coast trip.
 W. H. Lincoln is making a reputation as a fruit grower, his Italian and Petite prune orchard in particular producing unusually fine fruit. He brought 10 pounds of evaporated petite prunes to this office this week which will run 30 to 40 to the pound and are first class in every particular. This is conclusive evidence that this section of Lane county will produce just as fine prunes as are grown in our sister county—Douglas.
 Clyde Pickard demonstrated his ingenuity recently by constructing in every detail a miniature steam engine, every part of which was of his own manufacture. It is a perfect working model and develops enough power to operate a sewing machine or other small machinery. If more of our young men would devote their leisure time in such mechanical experiments they would become more useful and successful citizens.
 Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Lobdell will give one of their popular musical recitals at Martin's Hall Friday night, March 20th, assisted by Miss Fannie McCallum, pianist and E. R. Moon, reader, consisting of soprano solos by Mrs. Lobdell, bass solos by Mr. Lobdell. Readings, comic and other songs by E. R. Moon and piano solos by Miss Fannie McCallum. If you want to hear a voice that you will never forget come and listen to Mrs. Lobdell. If you like to laugh you should hear Mr. Moon. A complete program will appear next week.

CITY ELECTION IN APRIL.
 Full Ticket Nominated in Convention Thursday Evening.
 A well attended and somewhat spirited meeting was held in the city hall last Thursday evening for the purpose of nominating a full municipal ticket to be voted on at the regular city election to be held Monday April 6, 1903. Mayor Dr. Job called the house to order and in a brief concise manner stated the object of the meeting. At the conclusion of his remarks John W. Baker was chosen chairman of the meeting and Doc Patterson, secretary. After considerable parliamentary sparring the meeting settled down to business and Dr. Job and Hon. R. M. Veatch were nominated for mayor. A vote by ballot was taken which resulted as follows: Dr. Job 70; R. M. Veatch 69; Frank Wheeler 1; Dr. Job was declared the choice of the convention for re-nomination for mayor. Interest it seems centered almost entirely on the nomination of a candidate for mayor, the other nominations being practically by acclamation, the ticket being completed as follows: Mayor, Dr. Job; recorder, J. E. Young; treasurer, Herbert Eakin.
 Councilman, first, or south ward, J. P. Curran.
 Second, or middle ward, Oliver Veatch.
 Third, or north ward, Dr. G. Wall.
 The councilmen whose time expire April 6 are J. K. Barrett, Oliver Veatch and W. C. Johnson. The present mayor, recorder and treasurer were re-nominated, and as far as we have been able to ascertain, their administration of the city's affairs has been most able and satisfactory. They have showed an enterprising, progressive spirit, yet have been conservative and economical.
 It is rumored about town that an independent ticket may materialize on or before election day, headed by R. M. Veatch, and the movement seems to be well advanced. We might go into detail and point out the superior qualifications of the candidates in question and their peculiar adaptability for the office to which they aspire, but we refrain from so doing—beg to be excused, at present, for all parties are well known to the citizens of the town and we are willing to abide by their choice at the polls April 6.
 County commissioner, H. D. Edwards was in town Tuesday and made this office a pleasant call. While at this place he visited Mr. Powell's place on Coast Fork to inspect the county road at that place which was washed out and considerably damaged by the high water last winter. Mr. Edwards says it is probable that the court will purchase a small strip of land from Mr. Powell at his place and set the fence back in order to widen the road. Similar action will be taken by the court in providing a new roadway at the south end of the Harding farm two and a half miles northeast of this city.
 The celebrated Menley Quartet of Chicago delighted large and appreciative audiences at the C. P. church in this city Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. This splendid musical organization visited this city one year ago and so well pleased were the people with their entertainment that a very cordial greeting was extended the quartet on its second visit. The prohibition, patriotic and pathetic songs were of the highest order and the harmony of their music was perfect. Mr. Knox, the impersonator, has few equals in his line and is very properly styled the "King of Impersonators." The short temperance talks interspersed in the program by Mr. Menley are strictly to the point, logical and convincing.
Married.
 ALLISON-ATKINS—At the home of the bride's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Atkins, in Cottage Grove, Tuesday evening at 9:30 o'clock, March 10, 1903, Mr. S. B. Allison and Miss Fay Atkins, Rev. Billington, pastor of the Christian church, officiating.
 The ceremony was witnessed only by relatives and a few intimate friends of the bride and groom, at the conclusion of which hearty congratulations were extended and the bridal party partook of a dainty wedding repast.
 The bride is one of the most charming and most popular young ladies of this city and enjoys the high esteem of a host of admiring friends. The groom is a very exemplary young man who enjoys the confidence and esteem of all who know him. He is proprietor of one of the leading tonorial parlors in this city and has built up a profitable business through his industry, skill and genial manners. The happy couple will reside in one of the groom's cottages on River street where they will be at home to friends. The LEADER joins with many friends of the bride and groom in extending hearty congratulations and wishes for a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.
 COPPERNOLL-AWBREY—At the home of the bride's parents in Eugene, Wednesday, March 11, 1903, W. L. Coppernoll and Miss Mae Awbrey, Rev. F. E. Billington officiating.
 The wedding was a brilliant social affair and was attended by quite a number of relatives and friends of the highly esteemed contracting parties. The LEADER joins their many friends in extending congratulations.
BORN.
 MILLER—To the wife of Eugene Miller, at their home on Elk creek, March 10, 1903, a 3 pound boy.
 Cottage Grove Council Honored.
 The district convention of the Fraternal Aid Association will be held at Cottage Grove April 16, 1903. The district comprises the whole of Oregon and a part of Washington.

OUR CUSTOMERS GET THE BENEFIT

Our prices and values have had a falling out, and our customers get the benefit. The few odds and ends in all the lines of merchandise we carry should not be overlooked by you. We have mens shirts, shoes, underwear, hats, and clothing in broken lots very cheap—not in quality, but in price. The only thing you find cheap in our store is the price. Our clean-up sale during the last month is away beyond what we expected, and when we start in about the 1st of April on our spring goods, it will be practically a complete new stock . . . Just keep in mind that our grocery line is complete in every respect, and that our prices are less than most stores sell for, because we buy in large quantities and get all there is in it

GARMAN, HEMENWAY CO.
 LEADERS IN MERCHANDISE

PASSING OF A GOOD MAN.
 An Honored and Esteemed Pioneer Citizen.
 Hon. John Calvin Wallace, after a prolonged illness passed peacefully away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. H. Hemenway, in this city, Thursday, March 5, 1903. Soon after he was stricken with the illness which finally resulted in his death, he was taken to Portland, where his daughter, Mrs. R. R. Giltner resides, and where he was given the very best medical attendance, but without avail. Just one week prior to his death he was brought back to the old home to pass his last fleeting days among his friends of many years.
 Deceased was born in Randolph county, Mo., April 15, 1833, and was therefore nearly 70 years of age at the time of his death. In 1852 he accompanied his parents to Davis county, Iowa, and from there to Oregon in the fall of 1864, settling in this vicinity where he has since continuously resided. He was elected to the Oregon legislature to represent Lane county in the lower house of that body in 1880 by the Democratic party, serving his constituency with ability and zeal and with credit to himself. He was married in 1857 to Miss Harriett Veatch, who survives him. To this union was born six children, of whom four survive, Harvey and James Wallace, of this place; Mrs. R. R. Giltner, Portland, and Mrs. D. H. Hemenway, of Cottage Grove. He also leaves three sisters and three brothers to mourn their loss.
 He professed religion when about 18 years old and united with the Cumberland Presbyterian church. He was also prominent in the Masonic fraternity, which organization assisted in conducting the last sad rites over his remains. Mr. Wallace was a man of far more than ordinary intelligence and ability. He was a genial, whole-souled gentleman and knew few if any enemies. He was a devoted, faithful husband, a kind and affectionate father, a good neighbor and a true friend, and his cheering presence will be sadly missed by his multitude of friends in this community.
 The funeral services were conducted at the C. P. church in this city on Saturday March 7, and were largely attended. An eloquent sermon was preached by Rev. C. A. Wooley, Rev. Beck, pastor of the church, assisting in the service. The remains were laid to final rest in the Masonic cemetery west of town, in the presence of a large assemblage of sorrowing relatives and friends.

The flood situation is causing the greatest fears at many points in the Mississippi valley. It is predicted that the water will reach the record of 1884 when hundreds of lives were lost and millions of dollars worth of property destroyed.
 If you want to see something nice ask to see the Pedalis Shoe, with patent shoe lace pocket. A classic shoe, artistic and comfortable. McKay's turns and welts at \$2.75 and \$3.00 at Lewis & Veatch's.
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