

CHAT ABOUT TOWN.

Prices the lowest—The Red Front.

Another house is showing up at Gladstone.

The depot is being painted by Mr. Davis, the artist.

The Oregon City woolen mill is beginning to take in wool.

C. A. Hermann has gone to San Francisco to be gone about a week.

Hamilton & Washburn are paying the highest price for grain, hay, eggs, etc.

How to preserve fruit without cooking. Inquire of K. E. Williams the grocer.

Rev. D. L. McLain will preach at the United Brethren church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Harry Sladen's house at Gladstone is in progress and will be one of the neatest cottage homes in the county.

The best and only sure way to preserve fruit is with antifermentine. For sale by E. E. Williams the grocer.

The switch has been put in for the park at Gladstone and poles are on the ground and iron will be laid in a short time.

The Lyon & Healy is the best toned and most durable organ made. Sold on easy terms by Borneister & Andersen.

Wanted, to rent within a few blocks of the bridge a house of 7 or 8 rooms and bath. J. Lewthwaite, ENTERPRISE office.

Strawberries are reported quite abundant in most of the fields and with warm weather are likely to become very cheap.

One week from next Sunday Rev. G. W. Giboney will go to Corvallis to preach the baccalaureate sermon at the Agricultural College.

W. R. Connor has taken charge of the carriage and wagon work at Winesett's old stand. Fine lot of goods on hand at the lowest rates.

Position wanted, by a first class wagon and carriage worker. References given and a trial of my work asked. Address Box 460, Oregon City.

Frank Burkhardt has returned from the Portland University after a successful year's work to spend the vacation with his parents in this city.

C. P. Winesett, the undertaker, has just received the finest line of caskets and coffins ever brought to Oregon City. Prices to suit the times.

Clarence Purdon spent several days in Salem the past week taking the examination required for an appointment to the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Married, Thursday, June 8th, 1893, by Rev. T. Eaton Clapp, at his residence in Portland, Miss Alice M. Warner and Mr. George V. Ely, both of Oregon City.

Mrs. H. S. Strango has been at work in the county clerk's office this week while her husband was absent attending the meetings of the Grand Lodge of Masons.

The Woodborn Independent notes that Miss Emma Hedges and Miss Helen Warner of Oregon City spent Sunday and Monday with A. L. Cornwall and wife of this city.

Friday evening at the opera house will occur the graduating exercises of the Oregon City high school. From the program which has been arranged it is evident that those who attend will enjoy themselves.

Parties in from Lacy report the advent of a son and heir at the home of Wm. Willis beyond that settlement. This important event caused great rejoicing in the family.

At their last meeting the members of Achilles lodge, K. of P. voted to pay Ivanhoe lodge of Portland a fraternal visit on the evening of Monday the 19th of June. They go upon an invitation from Ivanhoe.

C. M. West left last Wednesday morning for a trip into the Coast range mountains intending to be gone several weeks hoping that his health which has been quite poor of late will be benefited by the change.

A. M. Blackford, an organizer for the Woodman of the World has been in town for the past few days attempting to revive the interest in that order enough to put Cedar camp which relinquished its charter two years ago on its feet again.

This office is in receipt of a neat card printed at the State Agricultural College announcing the order of the closing exercises together with the dates of each, and an invitation to be present. Lester M. Leland, a student from this county has our thanks for the invitation.

Arrangements are being made by the people of Muino, Molalla, Marquam, Mackaburg, Union Mills and the surrounding country to hold a grand old fashioned Fourth of July celebration at Wright's Springs where there will be a grand rally and a general good time. Pains will be spared to make this celebration the best ever held in that part of the county and everything possible will be done to make it interesting to all who attend.

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Road Improvements—Sandy Bridges Completed—Bills Allowed.

County court met last week in regular session and transacted a goodly amount of business among which was the following:

Petition of John D. Dubois for the refund of his poll tax, road and county on the ground that he was a non-resident allowed and the clerk ordered to draw a warrant for the amount of said tax amounting to \$3.

Application of Wales Russell for an increased allowance for the care and keeping of Samuel Porter, a county charge, granted and \$7.50 allowed for extra care of said Porter since the middle of April and the monthly allowance increased to \$15 per month to date from the first of June until further notice.

Report of A. W. Cooke, supervisor of road district No. 1 approved and expense account allowed as follows: Labor \$506.50, Supervision, \$70, material \$123.95; total \$700.45.

Relative to the recommendations of Supervisor Cooke, it was ordered that he procure the necessary materials and repair the lower Eagle Creek bridge on the Oregon City and Sandy road and that he report his proceedings to the court at the July term.

Claim of J. G. Wilson for damages caused by the burning of his pasture fence in the improvement of the Winston and Union school house road allowed and the clerk authorized to draw a warrant in favor of said Wilson for \$15 in full of damages.

Report of W. H. Smith, supervisor of road district No. 2 approved and expense account allowed as follows: Labor \$414.68; supervision, \$80; material \$190.42; total \$685.10.

Relative to the recommendations of Supervisor Smith it is ordered that he procure the necessary materials and rebuild the Latonette bridge on the Oregon City and Highland road and that he re-deck the bridge near Eli Maddocks.

Report of E. P. Carter, supervisor of road district No. 23 approved and expense account allowed as follows: labor, \$290.17, supervision \$80, material \$98.31, freight \$10.55; total \$449.03.

Report of G. W. Prosser, supervisor of road district No. 5 approved and expense account allowed as follows: Labor \$466.80, supervision \$52; material \$84.

G. W. Prosser, supervisor of road district No. 5 authorized to procure the required help and repair the bridges in his district as per his recommendation.

County Surveyor Sidney Smyth was instructed to resurvey the Baker's Ferry and Fagala Mill road with A. W. Cooke, D. W. Kinnard and Geo. D. Currin as viewers to meet at place of beginning on the 14th of June.

Proposition of Geo. R. Dedman to sell one acre of gravel land to the county laid over till the July term.

I. R. Jones ordered to have the care of Calvin Harrington, a county charge, from and after June 1st.

Clerk authorized to issue a warrant for the sum of \$12 per month from June 1st in favor of Patrick Harris for the care and keeping William Johnson, a county charge.

Relative to the complaint of S. Huelat that a barn built on the Oregon City and Apperson road by W. W. Wattenpugh constitutes a nuisance, the supervisor, W. H. Smith is ordered to investigate the matter and if he finds the facts as stated to cause its removal without unnecessary delay.

Petition of John T. McIntire et al for a county road laid over till July term.

In the matter of the proposition of B. F. Lann et al to have the county road leading from Oregon City towards Highland, it was ordered that when the people interested in said improvement shall subscribe enough to grade the road and pay for hauling the lumber that the court will appropriate a sufficient amount out of the county fund to pay for the lumber necessary to plank the road.

Relative to the collection of mortgages delinquent C. H. Dye was instructed to collect all that are now delinquent and if necessary to bring suit to enforce collection.

Supervisor Cooke reported that the contractor had completed the Grimm bridge and the clerk was authorized to draw a warrant in favor of C. F. Royal for \$339 in payment for said bridge.

Report of R. Scott on the repairs made on the Bull Run Bridge read and approved and a warrant ordered issued to Hoffman & Bates for \$116.67 the amount of their bill for the work.

In the matter of securing blasting material for road work no action was taken, but was deferred till the next term of court.

Petition of O. P. Hedge et al for viewers to a county road granted and Thos. Wiles, F. G. Sumner and Thos. Bohna appointed to meet with the county surveyor at the place of beginning on the 19th day of June at 10 o'clock.

Supervisor A. W. Cooke ordered to improve the Clackamas and Baker Ferry road between Wm. Lewthwaite's and the Baker Ferry bridge by using the amount of the appropriation made at the July term of this court.

Petition of Fred Riens et al for a county road granted and Herman Bruns, T. G. Jonsrud and John Foster appointed viewers to meet with the county surveyor at the place of beginning on the 20th of June.

Petition of Wm. McDonald et al for a

change in the Oregon City and Fred Mack road granted and David McArthur, Robert Brown and David Penman appointed to meet with the county surveyor on the 24th of June at the place of beginning at 10 o'clock.

Petition of P. W. Dicken et al for viewers to a county road approved and W. H. Smith, Mark Hatton and George Kennedy appointed to meet with the county surveyor at the place of beginning on June 20th at 10 o'clock.

Report of viewers on C. C. Hoop's road approved and the road ordered open. The expense account of \$42.80 was allowed.

Report of viewers on C. S. Porter road and approved. Claim of Wm. Larsen for damages read and Geo. Currin, Eli Williams and John Tracy appointed to assess the damage and report at the July term of court. Assessor to meet at Wm. Larsen on the 24th of June at 10 o'clock. Expense account of \$38.50 allowed.

Report of viewers of O. E. F. Lee road approved and road ordered opened. Expense account of \$25.20 allowed.

Report of viewers on Falls Creek road read and approved. Claim of Wm. W. Davis for damages read and Jas. Jr. Gibson, W. H. Wade and Isaac Gordon appointed to assess damages to meet on the farm of Mr. Davis on the 24th of June. Expense account of \$80.60 allowed and ordered paid.

Report of viewers on the Morris Hill road read and approved. Claim of J. Lake for damages read and R. Morton, T. G. Jonsrud and F. Weise appointed to assess damages to meet on the premises of claimant on the 24th of June. Expense account of \$26.50 allowed and ordered paid.

Report of viewers of the Bryant road read and approved and road ordered open. Expense account of \$73.40 allowed and ordered paid.

Report of viewers on the resurvey of the Rock Creek and Baker's Ferry road read and approved. Claim of M. Heinisak for damages read and Jacob Risley, Jas. W. Tracy and Wm. Boring appointed to assess damages to meet at Rock Creek bridge on the 17th day of June at 10 o'clock. Expense account of \$38.90 allowed and ordered paid.

Application of E. R. Charman for refund of money paid for property sold at tax sale, laid over for explanation.

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Report of R. Scott on the completion of the Sandy bridge at the crossing of the pipe line approved and a warrant ordered drawn in favor of Hoffman & Bates the contract price \$6448.00 and the Portland Water Commissioners notified that their part of the payment, \$2400 is now due.

In the matter of the collection of the delinquent taxes the sheriff was ordered to make his return of the delinquent tax sale at the August term of the court.

Relative to the bail bond of T. G. Metcalf forfeited at the November term of court it was ordered that C. H. Dye deputy prosecuting attorney proceed to collect said bond.

Upon application of the Portland General Electric company for permission to lay a four-inch water main across the suspension bridge it was ordered that the company be authorized to lay such pipe at its own expense to be incased in a wooden box, said box to be kept painted at all times by the company which is also to place two fire plugs one at each end of the bridge to be for the protection of the bridge in case of fire and the whole to be maintained without expense to the county.

The following bills were audited and warrants ordered drawn on the treasury:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes entries like 'Application of D. H. Tuttle for aid from the county in supporting an aged father granted and the clerk authorized to draw a warrant for the sum of \$6 per month in favor of D. H. Tuttle.' and a list of various bills and amounts.

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Examination and Graduating Exercises—Interesting Notes.

MORMOUTH, June 11.—The commencement exercises of the State Normal school begin on Saturday evening, the 17th, the first being an art exhibit and musicale. A short cantata is one of the features.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached Sunday morning by Rev. T. Clapp of Portland.

On Monday occurs the field sport consisting largely of tennis and baseball. In the evening is students' reunion.

Tuesday is class day, when the orator, prophet, historian and president take part, and the class tree is planted. The evening is given up to the literary societies, at which time Hon. O. F. Paxton, of Portland, will deliver an address to the societies.

The graduating exercises take place on Wednesday. The class poet also appears on this day. The class is to be represented by twelve of its members who received the highest grades.

Supt. E. B. McElroy will present the diplomas to the graduating class. The alumni will take charge of the evening, at which time the class of '93 will be welcomed as members, and the reunion held. An alumni supper will close the exercises.

The junior examinations continue through this week, there being ten in all.

Last Saturday evening a literary contest between the societies took place. The four contestants who recited the best will take part in a similar manner on Tuesday evening at the society entertainment, when Mr. A. Noltner of Portland will award a medal to the one deserving the most merits.

Next Friday evening the athletes will give an entertainment in chapel. One of the new features is a ring drill by ten young ladies.

Students going home via Portland expect to charter a boat in order to see the falls and other scenes of interest along the river.

On the Diamond.

The past week has not been very favorable for sport on the base ball grounds owing to the continued rainy weather which has made the grounds very wet and muddy.

The Independence team which was booked for here on Saturday and Sunday came down on the Elwood on Saturday reaching here about noon but owing to the heavy rain that afternoon the game was not called at all, and that of the following day would have been passed in the same way but for the desire of the crowd present to see a game played.

The management finally yielded to their wishes and called a game, but it was expressly understood by the members of the respective clubs that the game was not to be counted as anything more than an exhibition one.

The ground was made as good as possible with saw dust but even then it was very wet and muddy rendering it very disagreeable playing for both sides.

Up to the fourth inning the game was quite even and consequently interesting but the pitcher for the Oregon City team fumbled a ball thus permitting Independence to score our runs which practically decided the result of the game which resulted in a victory for Independence by a score of 12 to 5.

Features of the game were Rechner's three one-hand catches on the third and Anderson's running catch.

The score by innings was as follows: Oregon City.....0 1 0 2 0 0 0 2—5 Independence.....3 0 0 4 0 0 1 12

While the day was not very pleasant thus tending to reduce the gate receipts yet the attendance was very fair both within and without the grounds.

It was a matter of considerable comment on all hands that so many should refuse to contribute to the enterprise of our own boys by refusing to pay the small sum of twenty-five cents at the gate and then get on the rocks back of the grounds and watch the game.

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5 CENTS buys either dress braid, boys' straw hat, 12 lead pencils, ink, 25 envelopes, 12 pens, boys' winsor tie, small chimney, 2500 toothpicks, 2 papers pins, 5 oranges.

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