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CITY AND COUNTY.

Wheat. We have heard of no sale of wheat during the past week. Portland quotations are the same, \$1.35 per cental, sacked, equal to 50 cents per bushel here.

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THE MERCURY SAYS OF THE CROP IN MARION COUNTY: The most of the fall wheat in this county is cut and threshed. The grain is plump and good, but the yield is far below last year.

NO SMALL POX.—The Mercury of last Saturday says that a physician of Eugene had written to Salem for vaccine matter, stating that there was a case of small pox in town, and there was great probability of its spreading.

NEW COUNTY.—We are in receipt of the Harrisburg Nucleus. It is neatly printed and well filled with interesting matter. Its mission on earth seems to be the division of certain counties in order to make a new one of which Harrisburg shall be the county seat.

TO LEAVE US.—From the Dayton, W. T. News we learn that our townsman Mr. H. H. Wolfe, has formed a co-partnership with D. C. Guernsey of that place to engage in the mercantile business.

ABOUT FINISHED.—The bridge across the river at this place is nearly completed, about the only remaining work being to put the covering on. Miller & Son will finish their contract next week, and a few days will suffice to complete the approaches.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.—The Board of Equalization for this county will meet at the County Clerk's office on Monday next, when all grievances in reference to assessments will be heard.

NEWS FROM THE MOUNTAINS.—A letter from Pine Oconings, on the Military Wagon Road, Lane County, dated Aug. 13, to the Mercury, states that frost occurred there the night before. Also, that two soldiers, giving their names as Sergeant Catlin and Private Little, stayed there the night of the 10th, stating that a short time before two soldiers at Fort Klamath had killed the Paymaster's Clerk and robbed him of \$5,000 and that they were in pursuit of the murderers.

NEW TEXT BOOK.—We were this week shown by Prof. Rogers, formerly of New Haven, but for the last ten years a resident of Coos County, the manuscript copy of a work designed as a school geography. From a somewhat hurried examination it appears to us to be a most decided advance in the way of a text book for school use.

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BRIEF MENTION. Dr. G. C. Harris has moved his family to Eugene, John Cogswell is doing the Centennial at Philadelphia.

THE MCGIBENY FAMILY WERE IN OAKLAND, CAL., on the 10th inst. W. L. Adams will deliver the annual address at the State Fair.

HON. H. H. GILFRY LEFT SAN FRANCISCO on his way home yesterday. Queen's circus will be at Yreka next Saturday, coming this way.

D. P. THOMPSON STATES THAT THE EXACT COST OF THE LOCKS WAS \$139,000. Mrs. E. L. Bristow came up from Salem last Saturday and returned on Monday.

L. SOLOMON OF JUNCTION, who has been East for the past two months, returned on the last steamer. Bishop Harris, of Chicago, presided at the M. E. Conference which convened at Salem on the 23rd inst.

THE GEORGIA MINISTERS, a company of 300 of twenty genuine signs, will open in Portland next week. John Kelly, the newly appointed Collector of this district, entered upon the duties of the office last Wednesday.

GEORGE STOWELL and family are in town visiting relatives and friends. They will return to Portland next week. J. C. Berry, of the Salem flouring mills, is offering 60 cents per bushel for good clean wheat, sacked and on board the cars.

Mrs. S. A. WILLEY has taken a lease of the Astor House. Mr. Pennington retired and gave her possession last Tuesday. Herbert F. McCormack, of this county, has been elected Valetudinarian of the Medical Department of the University of California.

MISS INA E. CONDON will open a private school in the school building of the Episcopal church, on Seventh street on the first Monday in September. Baker, who was arrested at Roseburg for bigamy, gave bonds for his appearance at the Circuit Court of Douglas county, and has opened a tailor shop at Roseburg.

THE EMPORIUM ACADEMY will open for the ensuing academic year on Monday, September 4th, under the direction of Prof. F. H. Grubbs, principal, assisted by Mrs. F. H. Grubbs. Jerry Lucky started for California overland with a four-horse team on the 1st inst. at Sacramento to sell his team and continue on East, visiting Iowa, his and the Centennial. He will be absent about two months.

A BENEFIT WAS TENDERED the performers of the Italian circus in Portland on Thursday evening. These men were left in Eugene in strained circumstances, through what appears to have been a case of mistaken identity on the part of their employers.

WELLS, FARGO & CO., offer a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of each of the three robbers who waylaid the stage on the 10th inst., and Postal Agent Underwood also offers \$200 more, making \$1,500 in all for the three robbers stopping the stage.

THE RUBBER STAMP MEN who were arrested at this place and taken to Douglas county for trial on a charge of having passed through a wheat field and left the fence down, were discharged, and a Roseburg paper states that they have begun an action against Mr. Smith for damages in the sum of \$4,000. They are high-priced cusses.

LOST.—A common drawer key and a post office box key attached to a ring. The finder will confer a favor by leaving them at Dorri's tinshop.

BUSINESS NOTICES. Steinheiser yesterday received a fresh lot of California fruits, vegetables, etc. Go and lay in a supply before they are all gone.

CHEAPER THAN READY MADE.—R. J. Graham has the agency for the goods manufactured at the Ashland Woolen Mills, which he is selling at from \$1.25 to \$1.37 1/2 per yard and no charge is made for cutting it into garments. These are superior goods and this offer will enable any one to obtain clothing cheaper than the same quality can be bought anywhere else.

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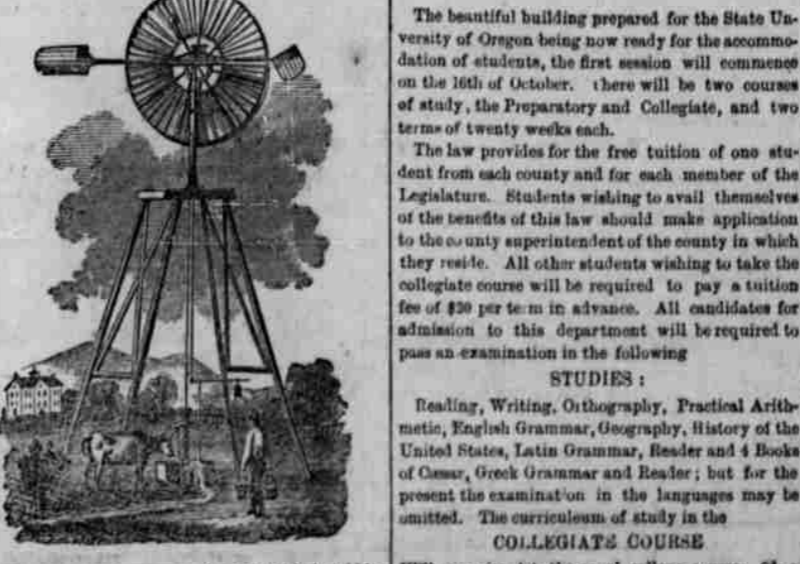
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