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CITY AND COUNTY.

REMOVAL.

The patrons of the GUARD will take notice that the office has been removed to the room across the hall, from its former place. The office is now above the Grange store.

BRIEF MENTION.

Rain and mud.
River booming.
The "Legionnaires" and exhibition.
Clew Jackson's best sweet navy tobacco.
Mr. Whipple of Cottage Grove was in town this week.
O. C. Taylor is running three ditching machines near Junction.

Masks for the masquerade may be obtained at Crain Bros. music store.

The Library Association of Monroe has purchased \$140 worth of books.

Ben Hyland, at Junction, turned over his back and put his elbow out of place last Monday.

Read Dr. Nicklin's new ad. The Dr. has been appointed U. S. examining surgeon for pensions.

"Our Boys" is the engaging topic of the Jacksonville papers. Way don't they send for Dr. Watts?

The property of Daniel Norris, deceased, will be sold at administrators sale, February 23rd. See "ad."

Prof. Comton and Bell returned from Roseburg, last Monday, where they had been attending a teachers institute.

Willie Rabell, writes an interesting letter from India, to his father, at Dallas Polk county. We publish it on the first page.

The writing schools at the university and public school under the direction of Prof. Garrison are making great advancement in the art of penmanship.

We acknowledge a pleasant call from Mr. Walter Moss, traveling agent for the Mercury. As the Mercury is a first-class paper outspoken and fearless, we wish him success.

Jackson Grant the half breed Indian, who shot at Sheriff Eakin last summer, has been convicted of the murder of Dennis Spellon, at Portland and sentenced to be hung on March 21st.

Business men should not forget that blank notes, bill-heads, statements, letter-heads, and every description of commercial printing are neatly and promptly executed at the GUARD office.

Rev. E. M. Dixon of the Cumberland Presbyterian church is holding a revival meeting at Pleasant Bend, Douglas county. There were four teen accessions to his church on the 19th inst.

A good paper pays its subscription price dozen times a year. Something will be seen in it that will save money, give information and pleasure. He that reads a good paper does good to himself. He that aids in its circulation does good to his fellow man.

I. O. O. F. Installation.

On the occasion of the public installation of the officers elect of Spencer butte lodge and Wimaupala encampment, last Tuesday night, Old Fellows hall was well filled by the invited guests, and families of Old Fellows. The Eugene Choral society was in attendance, and as usual filled the station acceptably. The following officers were duly installed by J. C. Church, D. G. M.; J. R. Campbell, N. G.; Sol Steinheiser, V. G.; S. W. Miser, R. S.; Frank Harrington, P. S.; J. L. Rankin, T. F. Dudley, Warden; T. W. Harris, Con; S. H. Friendly, O. G.; T. W. Shelton, I. G.; B. F. Dorris, and J. J. Walton, supporters N. G.; John Linger, and Chas. Horn, supporters V. G.; F. M. Wilkins and Lon Cleaver, S. S.; Jesse Cox, Chaplain. Encampment officers: T. W. Shelton, C. P.; Frank Harrington, H. P.; Sol Steinheiser, S. W.; John C. Church, Scribe; F. Dudley, J. W. J. J. Walton, P. G. R. of the Grand Lodge of the United States, delivered a brief sketch of the history of Spencer Butte Lodge; and as anything we could say would not do justice to the merits, and beauty of the composition, we forbear further comment. We trust that Judge Walton will furnish us the manuscript for publication. After this address, the company adjourned to the Astor house, where a fine supper was spread to which justice was done by the assembly. The party then adjourned to the hall where social converse and dancing, were indulged to a reasonable hour, when all departed for their homes.

RAILROAD.—The citizens of Springfield, are agitating the railway question. A meeting was held at that place last evening, for the purpose of talking up the matter, and receiving subscriptions in aid of the proposed road, from Springfield to Salem. Considerable enthusiasm is manifested among those living on the proposed route. We should be glad to note its success, as every railway built will help relieve the country of the monopoly, that now binds it down. A narrow gauge could undoubtedly be built, from the head of the valley to Portland, for one fourth of the amount that the O & C. R. R. Co. claim as their capital. A surveying party will leave Springfield Monday to make a preliminary survey of the line.

THE BEST COUNTY.—J. W. Swinney, Esq. living on the hill back of the ranch of J. S. Thomas, called last Saturday; and, in a conversation with us, stated that his land, last summer, averaged 24 bushels to the acre of good wheat, notwithstanding the exceeding dry season. He says he moved here five years ago from Lane county, Oregon; and that he likes this county infinitely better than old Lane, or in fact any other county he ever struck. Such is the almost universal testimony.—Eugene News.

Entertainment.

The entertainment given by the Lauean and Eutaxian societies, last Saturday evening, was a creditable performance. As our space is limited, we can give but a brief notice of the merits of the several productions presented. "Drifts that Bar My Door;" a recitation by Miss Anna Pengra, was given in a manner, that showed that lady to be possessed of no mean elocutionary powers. A scene from the "Merchant of Venice," was produced with considerable spirit. We are glad to note the departure, in this instance, from the petty plays that amateurs generally exercise their talent upon. It shows a correct taste in the societies, when they discard the sensational dramas that pass current, and present standard literature upon the stage. Mr. C. Wass, as Shylock, and Miss Ida Duur, as Portia, deserve special mention. The other actors in the scene sustained their parts with ability. "Elder Sniffles Proposal," by Miss Julia Adams, and Mr. C. A. Woody, created considerable merriment, and was well acted. Its effect was, however, somewhat marred by the haste of the lady in speaking before the applause had subsided. Miss Minnie Lockwood recited "The Maniac" with pathos and feeling. The "Annals," composed by Miss Eva Rice and J. N. Peary were read by Miss Rice. They abounded in telling hits and provoked considerable merriment and laughter. The vocal selections rendered were well sustained and proved that Eugene is possessed of some fine musical talent. The brass band—well, we shall give it by its silence. A crowded house greeted the performance, and the audience appeared well pleased.

Oregon at the Paris Exposition.

By the kindness of Mr. Geo. Belshaw, we are permitted to copy the following letter from Mr. J. Van Burden. We are gratified that a citizen of Lane county should contribute so essentially to the success of Oregon in the Exposition. With careful culture, we are satisfied that Lane county can beat the world for fine grain.

PORTLAND, Oregon Jan. 15th, 1879.

DEAR SIR: In reply to your letter of Dec. 26th, I would say, that but one medal has been given for all the different kinds of wheat that were under my charge at the Paris Exposition. This medal was a gold one, and was given for the whole as a collection exhibit. All medals will be ready for distribution about the 1st of May. I wish further to say however, that it was mainly on account of your wheat that the medal was given. I expect the samples of wheat here before long, and shall be happy to give you some of them. Respectfully yours J. VAN BURDEN.

MASK BALL FOR FEB. 7TH.—Everything is being done by the committee to make this the finest and best conducted ball ever given in Eugene. The Hall will be beautifully decorated with mottoes and evergreens, the music will consist of a band of seven pieces, with a good caller. During the evening the celebrated "Sleigh Bell" polka will be rendered, introducing bells, whips, &c. Floor managers and reception committees will do everything to make all run "smooth as a marriage bell." Come out and have the best dance of the year. A prize of \$5 to be given for the best sustained character by a lady, and also \$5 for the best character by a gent.

NEW ENGINE.—Corvallis has purchased another new engine and is now well protected in the event of a fire. Eugene with more wealth and population sits idly by inviting by its negligence the destroyer. We trust that before this year has closed the Common Council will give this matter some attention. The city should either secure a good engine or build a reservoir on Skinner's butte. In a few years the saving of insurance alone would pay the cost.

BLUE RIBBON CLUB.—The meeting of the blue ribbon club last Wednesday night was well attended. Several stirring addresses were made including a legal exposition in which the legal aspects were discussed. We were surprised to hear the learned council admit his ignorance in regard to laws which he was sworn to obey and execute. The number of blue ribbon brigade was swelled to 750.

Blue Ribbon Club.

The Blue Ribbon Club will meet next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, at the M. E. Church. The following is the programme:

- Music.
- Prayer.
- Music.
- Address—Rev. Dr. Geary.
- Music.
- Essay—J. N. Peary.
- Music.
- Address—Prof. Bell.
- Music.
- Twenty minutes for volunteer speeches.
- Circulation of pledge.

By order of Executive Committee, S. C. PRICK, Chairman.

SADDLERY AND HARNESS.—Mr. Wm. Preston is prepared to furnish saddles, and harness of the best quality, at prices that defy competition. With a number of years experience in the business, at this place, he understands perfectly the wants of the trade.

A CHANGE.—Mr. A. C. Briggs has purchased the harness and saddle shop, formerly owned by Mr. D. B. Lakin. Mr. Briggs has purchased a large stock of goods used in his line, and is prepared to do good work on short notice. See ad.

MORE LIGHT.—On the occasion of the entertainment last Saturday evening, the hall was left almost without light. Those who are interested in the hall should furnish more light.

TAXES.—Sheriff Eakin has collected about \$30,000 taxes to date. Those who are still behind, would do well to interview that accommodating officer, and secure his assistance.

Alcohol as a Remedy.

EUGENE CITY, Jan. 20, 1879.

ED. GUARD:—We have an epidemic at this time prevailing, which has proved uncommonly fatal in this as well as some of the neighboring counties. This complaint is somewhat peculiar and has been called brain fever, catarrh fever, bilious fever and pneumonia. It may properly be called bilious pneumonia, which rapidly runs into a typhoid condition. There is no age exempt from the complaint; making its attack without any known predisposition. The patient is suddenly seized with pains in the head and back, sometimes to produce almost instantaneous delirium, succeeded by chills alternating with hot fits and almost accompanied with sickness at the stomach and vomiting. The matter discharged is principally bile and the quantity many times is immense. As this disease usually assumes a low form, there is no dispute of ardent spirits as a remedy in its treatment. The writer, (a physician) having paid special attention to it in other States, and is satisfied it results from miasma, caused by the decay of animal or vegetable matter, combined with moisture. He would therefore recommend citizens and farmers to obtain good liquor from a responsible druggist and dispense it in moderation to their families from the child to the adult. By so doing they may ward off several cases of this disease as well as doctors and druggists bills. Not recommending the immoderate use of liquor, which bears along with it its own condemnation, yet independent of its use in disease, Sir James Paget, one of the ablest and distinguished of English surgeons says: "My study makes me as sure as I would venture to be on any such question that there is not yet any evidence nearly sufficient to make it probable that a moderate use of liquor is generally or even to many persons injurious and that there are sufficient reasons for believing that such a moderate use is on the whole beneficial." Professors Gross and Pancoast, of Pennsylvania, also recommend good whisky to the aged and infirm to aid digestion, increase the force of circulation, arrest the decay of the tissues by moderating the energy of nervous force.

SCALPEL.

In Memory of Ina McClaren.

Tender blossom of matchless beauty fair,
Culled by angels from realms of light,
And set to bloom in mystic gardens there,
Far from sin and sorrow's scorching blight.
A dear bright form, years ago, gone before,
Met thee at the pearly shining portals,
And lo! she came to the further shore,
O! a land of love and joy eternal.
No woe whose blissful joys divinely gleam,
You'll dwell forever, ever more,
Far beyond life's troubled seething stream,
Sisters, one in love, grief, you'll near depart.
Now dear papa, mama and brother bereft,
Weep, oh! weep not for the loved ones gone before,
To win you home to the land of the blest
Where they await you on the golden shore.
A FRIEND.

Church Notices.

Preaching in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Prayer meeting on Thursday at 7 P. M.

Preaching in the M. E. Church to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. A. Wood. Morning service, "Conversion;" evening, "God's Willingness to Pardon," and Revival service. Sunday School at 2:30 P. M. L. G. Adair Superintendent.

Services at the Baptist Church to-morrow morning and evening. Morning subject, "Paul an Example of the Grace of Christ;" evening subject, "Bible Doctrine of Total Abstinence." Sunday School at 3 P. M. B. F. Dorris, Superintendent.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—Items of local news are always thankfully received by the GUARD from all points in the county. Send them in, anything everything, who has got married, who wants to, who is dead or ought to be, who has given birth to twins, or triplets and how the old man took it, who got a head put on, be sure and give the correct names of the assaulter and assaultee; especially if they are ministers or church members and would hate to see it in print, or if anything, else happens which should, for special reasons be kept secret, just send it in "and faith we'll print it."

Settle Up.

Mr. Jas. McClaren wishes all who are indebted to him to call and settle up. Those that he has trusted should call and square up their account. By this means they will save more severe measures as he must have money. All who are owing him will do well to heed this notice.

For Sale.

Mr. Chas. Lauer offers for sale his dwelling house and lot. Also a fine lot of furniture; terms reasonable. Apply to Mr. Chas. Lauer.

NOW IS THE TIME.—The new year has just commenced. Improve your opportunity and commence it by subscribing for the GUARD.

FOR SALE.—Two fine building lots for sale. Enquire at this office.

DIED.

Near Crosswell, January 18, 1879, Oral A. son of A. J. and Jennie Goodman, aged, 4 months and 27 days.

Nasal Catarrh and Lung and Bronchial affections, and all diseases arising from an impure state of the blood, positively cured. Dr. Souville Mathieu, the eminent French physician and surgeon, and inventor of the Paris Sphenocenter which has given relief to thousands suffering from those terrible diseases in Europe and the United States. This wonderful instrument was invented by Dr. Souville Mathieu, for the treatment of Nasal Catarrh, Lung and Bronchial affections.

Ladies' Attention.

Berlin Fashion Patterns at Dunn & Stratton's.

Another fat Man Reduced

H. A. Kufus, dealer in dry-goods, Wood-hull, Ill., writes Botanic Medicine, Buffalo, N. Y. June 22d, 1878: "Gentlemen—Please find enclosed \$5. for which send me, by express, Anti-Fat. I have taken one bottle and I lost five and one-quarter pounds"

Astonishing Success.

It is the duty of every person who has used BOSCHER'S GERMAN SYRUP to let its wonderful qualities be known to their friends in curing Consumption, severe coughs, Asthma, Croup, Pneumonia, and in fact all throat and lung diseases. No person can use it without immediate relief. Three doses will relieve any case, and we consider it the duty of all Druggists to recommend it to the poor dying consumptive, at least to try one bottle, as 40,000 dozen bottles were sold last year, and no one case where it failed was reported. Such a medicine as the GERMAN SYRUP cannot be too widely known. Ask your Druggist about it. Sample bottles to try sold at 10 cents. Regular size 75 cents. For sale by all Druggists.

We have just received from the Eastern factory, direct, a large stock of window shades and wall paper; among the latter are many very pretty styles embracing Grained Panels, Embossed, Gilt and Lace Patterns, Satin and Common Blanks, all of which we sell cheap, and no charge for trimming paper.

Robinson & Church at the Hardware Store keep the largest and best selected stock of wall paper and border in Eugene City, comprising in part, Brown, Blanks, Satin, Gilt and Embossed paper, which they purchase direct from the Eastern factories and will sell as cheap as the market. All paper trimmed free of charge.

Dr. Mittle's Vegetable Nourishment Will cure all diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs. Hundreds have been cured after all other remedies had failed. His English Danielson Pills have no equal in all cases of Diseased Liver, Dyspepsia or any Bilious Derangement. Many of your leading citizens of this city will vouch as to their virtues. To be had by all druggists.

IN THE WHOLE HISTORY OF MEDICINE, no preparation has ever performed such marvelous cures, or maintained so wide a reputation, as AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, which is recognized as the world's remedy for all diseases of the throat and lungs. Its long-continued series of wonderful cures in all climates has made it universally known as a safe and reliable agent to employ. Against ordinary colds, which are the forerunners of more serious disorders, it acts speedily and surely, always relieving suffering, and often saving life. The protection it affords, by its timely use in the throat and lung disorders of children, makes it an invaluable remedy to be kept always on hand in every home. No person can afford to be without it, and those who have once used it never will. From their knowledge of its composition and effects, Physicians use the CHERRY PECTORAL extensively in their practice, and Clergymen recommend it. It is absolutely certain in its remedial effects, and will always cure where cures are possible. For sale by all dealers.

A FREE CURE

For consumption, bronchitis, asthma, catarrh, throat and lung diseases. Also a sure relief and permanent cure for general debility, dyspepsia and all nervous affections, by a simple vegetable medicine which cured a venerable missionary Physician who was long a resident of Syria and the East, and who has freely given this valuable specific to thousands of kindred sufferers with the greatest possible benefit, and now he feels it his sacred christian duty to impart to all this wonderful invigorating remedy, and will send FREE the original receipt complete, with full directions, to any person enclosing stamp for reply.

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Next door to the Grange Store, Willamette street, Eugene City, Oregon.

Have just opened a full line of fresh
Drugs, Medicines & Chemicals.
Also a fine assortment of
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ALL KINDS OF
Mixed Paints, Lead, Oil, Varnish, Brushes, WINDOW GLASS and PUTTY
Which they will always sell on reasonable terms.
Careful attention given to Physician's Prescriptions.

S. S. HOFFMAN, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Wishes to inform his patrons that the room that he has removed from town is false. He may be found at his OFFICE—Judge Risdon's former residence on High Street.

S. M. FRIENDLY,
HAS JUST OPENED FOR THE SPRING AND SUMMER TRADE
THE LARGEST STOCK OF GOODS
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OUR STOCK OF CLOTHING
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MEN'S AND BOYS' BUSINESS AND DRESS SUITS
As can be found in the country, and at prices that cannot fail to satisfy.

OUR DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT
is well filled with a splendid assortment of all leading styles and fashionable shades of goods.
EMPRESS CLOTHS, MOHAIR, and
AMERICAN DRESS GOODS,
Plaid, Plain and Opera Flannels of all colors,
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Ladies' and Gents' Underwear, SHAWLS and SCARFS;

WOOL BLANKETS,
ALL COLORS.
Trunks and Traveling Satchels.
HATS and CAPS in the leading styles.
OIL CLOTHS for floor and table use.
BOOTS AND SHOES.
We would call special attention to our stock of
Mens' and Boys' San Francisco Boots,
Which we have sold for a number of years with great satisfaction. Every pair warranted.
A complete stock of
HARDWARE, PLOWS and FARMING UTENSILS.
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And all choice FAMILY GROCERIES at astonishingly low rates.
LIVERPOOL & CARMEN ISLAND SALT.
Highest price for all kinds of produce and
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HAVE FOR SALE at the LOWEST Rates
IRON, STEEL, AXES, ANVILS, NAILS, ROPE, Cable Chains, Glass, Putty, Tanned and Pocket CUTLERY, GUNS, PISTOLS, AMMUNITION, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, Blasting Powder, Fishing Tackle, Etc., Etc.
We invite an examination of our goods, confident that our prices will suit the times.

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DOLLAR MADE!
BEFORE PURCHASING, GO TO
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The best and most complete of all, and sold on the most reasonable terms.

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A. HUNT, Proprietor.
Shop on Willamette street, 2nd door north of hardware store, Eugene City, Or.
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LADIES' MISSES' CHILDREN'S SHOES,
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If you wish to buy your goods cheap, you must go to the store of

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Outside of Portland, and they sell goods cheaper than it can be bought anywhere in the Willamette valley.
The firm of Lurch Bros. consists of Aaron Lurch and Ben Lurch.

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WILL DO WORK CHEAPER than any other shop in town.
HORSES SHOD FOR \$1 50,
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All warranted to give satisfaction.
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AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS of all kinds at inside figures by T. G. HENDRICKS.
DRESS GOODS—NEW STYLES and low prices. Just received by S. H. FRIENDLY.
THE BEST SHOES EVER BROUGHT TO this market, at the lowest prices at T. G. HENDRICKS'.
S. D. Costa, who lives eight miles south of Eugene City, has a lot of fine Merino bucks, both pure bloods and grades, for sale very cheap. Sheep-railers would do well to call upon him before looking further for his stock.

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