

CITY AND COUNTY.

BRIEF MENTION.

Christmas next. Cold foggy weather. For good dentistry go to Davis. Go to Goldsmith's for groceries. Goldsmith keeps the best cigars. Hon S F Chadwick was in town Tuesday. Twenty yards of Calico for \$1 at Bettman's. Job work a speciality at the GUARD office. An addition is being built to Crouch's foundry. New styles ladies visiting cards at the GUARD office. If you wish to buy goods cheap call at S H Friendly's. You can get a No. 1 Mens' suit at Bettman's, for \$7 50. Call and see that large stock of goods for sale at Friendly's. Goldsmith keeps the best line of groceries, and sells them cheap. F. B. Dunn will pay the highest market cash price for wheat. Everything sold at Bettman's at way down prices, for cash or produce. Half cloth double sole Ladies Shoes, plain, for \$1 25 per pair, at Bettman's. Something new—lace kid gloves at S. H. Friendly's. Call and examine them. Cash paid for CHICKENS, HIDES, TALLOW and BEES-WAX at A. Goldsmith's. S H Friendly sells cheap for cash boots, shoes clothing, hats, caps fancy goods, etc. Herace Dillard, of this county, will resurrect the defunct Ochoo Pioneer, at Prineville. Wheat wanted by T. G. Hendricks for which he will pay the highest market cash price. The GUARD is the best advertising medium in Lane county. It has the largest circulation. A large lot of mile-end Clark's spool cotton on sale at T G Hendrick's in lots to suit purchasers. Half cloth double sole, high cut, full scalloped, Ladies Shoes, for \$1 50 per pair, at Bettman's. The parties that came up to Junction in the President's car last Saturday did not kill many geese. Mr. Geo. W. Kinsey has several new hacks and buggies, which he will sell very cheap. See advertisement. The celebrated South Bend chilled iron plows also the Black Hawk plows for sale by T. G. Hendricks. Dr A L Wynn, one of the staunch Democrats of Cottage Grove, made us a pleasant call this week. A full line of GROCERIES, CROCKERY, UMBRELLAS, HATS and RUBBER Goods for sale cheap at T. G. Hendricks'. Mr S H Friendly will pay the highest cash market price for wheat. Give him a call before selling your grain elsewhere. I am at home again, and with my new backgrounds and accessories am prepared to do better work than ever. F. A. RANKIN. A large stock of domestic and imported cigars, also cigarettes and tobaccos just received at Goldsmith's. Call and examine his stock. As a mild, but effectual laxative, as a safe but sure tonic, blood purifier and general strengthener, use King of the Blood. See advertisement. The Salem correspondent of the Oregonian is authority for the statement that Mr E L Bristow will be appointed turnkey of the Oregon state penitentiary. Ayer's Pills promote digestion, improve the appetite, restore healthy action and regulate the secretive functions of the body, thus producing a condition of perfect health. 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. Miss Lizzie Geary, daughter of Rev. E. R. Geary, was at Dayton teaching school when the smallpox broke out. She started for this valley but got no farther than Colfax, where she is informed, where she is quarantined. Elder S. Monroe Hubbard will preach morning and evening, in the Christian Church, next Sunday. Subject for morning, "How Man is Saved;" evening, "The Way of Life." Sunday School at 12:30—noon. All invited to attend. RAILROAD ASSESSMENT.—As will be noticed from the proceedings of the Commissioners Court, published elsewhere, the O & C R R Co, through their attorney, S F Chadwick, ask for a reduction of their assessment in Lane county. The track and improvements are assessed at \$5,500 per mile; the railroad ask that it be reduced to about \$3,000. They claim that no other county in the State assesses their track above \$3,500 per mile, while some of them assess it as low as \$2,500. We do not believe that such reduction would be just and equitable. At \$3,000 per mile the value of the entire road owned by the O & C R R Co would be but \$600,000, while \$10,000,000 of bonds were issued to build and equip the road, representing an actual expenditure of \$6,000,000, or \$30,000 per mile. The railroad should be obliged to pay its just proportion of the taxes. TELEGRAPH LINE.—A telegraph line has been built between this city and Springfield by Mr. G. Cooper, who operates at the Springfield end. Mr. L. G. Adair is agent here. Telegraphic facilities will prove quite an accommodation to the people of that town. DIED OF SMALLPOX.—Many of our citizens remember Wiley Sparks, a pioneer of this county, from which he moved to Washington Territory several years ago. News now comes that he died recently of the smallpox at Dayton in that Territory.

Council Proceedings.

COUNCIL ROOMS, EUGENE CITY, Nov. 19, 1881. Council met pursuant to call of President. Present—Mayor Hendricks, Councilmen Campbell, Johnson, Etris, Sloan, Peters and Recorder and Marshal. Absent—Councilman Lauer. On motion, reading of minutes were dispensed with. President Hendricks then stated the occasion of the meeting—that the dread disease, smallpox, is becoming quite prevalent throughout adjoining districts, and in a fair way to reach our city, and he thought it expedient that we should take some action in the premises. On motion the committee on health was instructed to make arrangements for a building suitable for a pest house, also procure a nurse in case the same should be needed, and empowered to spend any money necessary to effect the same. Councilman Johnson submitted the following resolution which was adopted: Resolved, That it is the sense of the Common Council of the city of Eugene, that it is highly expedient that citizens of Eugene should take prompt action in regard to vaccination as a precautionary measure against the smallpox now prevalent in Washington Territory and in a greater or less degree the cities of this state, and that school boards shall use due precaution to protect the children or students now in attendance upon our schools. On motion, adjourned. H. C. HUMPHREY, Recorder.

Van Duyn.

A correspondent of the Albany Herald writes as follows concerning Van Duyn, better known as Coburg, in this county: It is at present the terminus of the narrow gauge, which was completed to this place last month. Owing to the fact that the large amount of grain in this section was principally stored at Eugene and Harrisburg last Fall, the cars will not run here regularly until next season. A fine depot building has, however, just been completed, and also a telegraph line. Next year two or three warehouses will be built, and then we look for consequent improvements. The land about here is excellent, and the people are steady, industrious and intelligent. The village now has a well stocked store of general merchandise, drug and variety store, post office, blacksmith shop, saw mill and lumber yard, public school house, two boarding houses, and about a dozen and a half private families. It is one of those nice quiet mind-your-own-business kind of places in which the hoodlum has not yet matured, and the vendor of strong drink would come to grief. It is noted, and justly so, for its healthy climate, excellent water, red apples and rosy-cheeked and sensible girls. The public school is well attended, as is also a writing and a book-keeping class, by old and young. The Willamette and McKenzie, in the proper season abound in trout, and the surrounding hills are full of game. Four young men, of the somewhat extensive Smith family, went out for a couple of hours and killed a deer apiece. Wild geese, ducks, quails, pheasants and grouse are abundant. Everybody seems to have a little money and wears a look of calm content, firmly believing that a brilliant future awaits him.

Cottage Grove Items.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.] COTTAGE GROVE, Nov. 24, 1881. Give the yearlings a rest. Church this week by the Methodists. The weather has been very cold and foggy during the past week. Jerome Knox and Minor Wallace, of Lakeview, are once more in our town. We are glad to see their smiling faces once more. Pacific Lodge, I O G T, of Cottage Grove, is in a prosperous condition. At the last meeting seven were initiated, with the following officers: Thos Gough, W C T; Myra Cathcart, W V T; W W Cathcart, W S; O Veatch, W A S; L B Wharton, W T; Chas Vandiwert, W M; Rosetta Veatch, W D M; Mrs M J Wharton, W C; Alice Elliott, W I G; J W Gowdy, W O G; Belle Wooley, W R H S. Dot. Social Notes. There will be a dance at John Lenger's this evening. A Thanksgiving dance was given at the residence of Charles Davis Thursday evening. There was a good attendance. A sociable under the auspices of the Methodist Church was held at Mr A S Patterson's residence Thanksgiving evening. The students of the University had a social gathering at the University Thursday evening. Friday evening a party was given for their benefit at the residence of Dr. A. W. Patterson. SCHOOL MEETING.—The directors of this school district have called a meeting of taxpayers at the Court House, Saturday, Dec. 3d, for the purpose of levying a small tax for the support of the public school. The public school should be sustained and we believe that there will be no opposition to a tax. THANKSGIVING.—Thanksgiving was duly observed by the citizens of Eugene. Services were held at the Methodist Church, Rev. S. Monroe Hubbard officiating, and at the Episcopal Church by the pastor, Rev. A. P. Anderson. Nearly all the business houses in the city were closed during the afternoon. WANTED.—At this office a boy fifteen or sixteen years of age for one or two years to learn the printers trade; must have a fair education. INCORPORATED.—Articles of incorporation have been filed with the Secretary of State incorporating the Cottage Grove Lodge, No. 58, I O O F; incorporators, C H Wallace, J W Masterson and J W Gowdy. Capital stock, \$200.

Commissioners Court.

The Commissioners Court met Monday, November 21st, pursuant to adjournment, with the full board present. In the matter of the application of H F Johnson and others for a county road, at this time this matter came on to be heard upon the report of surveyor and viewers filed herein, and was read a second time. Whereupon it appearing to the Court that Lewis Dennis had filed herein his claim for damages sustained by him by reason of the location of said road in the sum of \$1,000, and that H Bandy had filed herein his claim for damages sustained by him by reason of the location of said road in the sum of \$750. It is therefore ordered by the court that O R Bean, Geo Belshaw and Rodney Scott, be and are hereby appointed as viewers, and are hereby required to meet on the 21 day of December, 1881, to proceed to view said road as surveyed the whole distance through the premises of said Lewis Dennis and H Bandy and ascertain and determine how much less valuable each of said premises would be rendered by reason of said location of said road as surveyed and viewed, and report their findings at the next term of court. At this time it was ordered by the court that the order for the levy of taxes made on the 8th day of September, 1881, be amended so that the county tax be 5 mills on the dollars instead of 1 1/2 mills. C. W. Fitch, County Judge, dissenting. (This is a reduction of 3 mills, the present levy being 17 mills, and the levy of September 20 mills—Ed.) At this time S F Chadwick, attorney of the O & C R R Co, filed a petition and application for a reduction of the assessment on the track of said company in Lane county. The County School Superintendent reported the names of applicants for the vacant free scholarship in the State University who had passed the examination. Whereupon the court decided by lot by drawing the names from a box, whereupon Jennie McClure was declared entitled to the free scholarship in the University from Lane county. Total allowances for term, \$3,642. Whereupon the court adjourned without day.

Dexter Items.

November 23, 1881. E. B. Handaker, has gone to Comstock to learn telegraphy. The squeal of the porker is heard in the land, and "spare ribs" are being harvested. The ferry on the river above here is running again. Messrs Carille, Smith and Parks of Pleasant Hill, returned last Saturday from the Pine Opening and report killing 39 deer and 1 bear. Mr S Rigdon and others start this week in the same direction and expect to slay hiya mowitch. So mote it be.

Local Market.

November 26, 1881. Wool—24 cts per lb. Wheat, on cars—79 1/2 cts per bush. Flour—\$5 per bbl. Oats—30 cts per bush. Hops—19@20 cts per lb. Bacon Sides—15 cts per lb. Hams—12 cts per lb. Shoulders—10@12 cts per lb. Butter—25@30 cts per lb. Eggs—30 cts per doz. Lard—12 1/2@15 cts per lb.

Ten Per Cent. Saved.

Notice is hereby given that the city tax is now due, and the assessment roll is in the hands of J. S. Luckey, City Treasurer. After December 1, 1881, all uncollected, will become delinquent, when 10 per cent. extra will be charged. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Take Notice.

Great bargains and reduction in price of goods for cash at F. B. Dunn's. Call and examine his large and assorted stock.

GO TO WASCO.—On last Monday Hon. J. M. Thompson started for Wasco county, hoping by a change of climate to improve his health, which lately has been failing. He is afflicted with the asthma, and it is thought that the dry cold county of that climate will afford him relief. His many friends would be gratified to hear of his restoration to health.

HOW TO CATCH IMMIGRANTS.—The Oregon Improvement Company break and seed twelve thousand acres of land near Colfax, in Whitman county, next year, says the Seattle Post-Intelligencer. The company will divide these cultivated lands into tracts of various sizes, build houses upon them and sell them on reasonable terms to immigrants. That's the kind of a way to populate the country.

A PAYING CROP.—The hop crop of Lane county this year has been a profitable one. Mr. John Blakey, of Middle Fork precinct, gathered from three acres over 4,500 pounds, which he sold for \$1,075 clear of commission and freight. The picking cost about \$200, leaving him \$875 for his profit, a return of \$292 per acre.

"BENEVOLENT MONOPOLY."—The Oregon & California and the West Side railroads have kindly agreed to carry free of charge to Portland during the month of November, from any station on their respective lines, all Thanksgiving donations for the Good Samaritan Hospital.

HORSE RACE.—The Harpool boys, of Junction, took one of their race horses to Salem and won a \$500 purse last week.

WANTED.—10,000 bushels of oats delivered at our warehouse at the depot, for which the highest market price will be paid. G. BETTMAN.

PORK.—Pork is at a premium. Buyers are paying seven cents a pound for it.

TO MILLERS.—Old type for rabbit metal for sale at this office.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

A column devoted to the interests of the Laurean and Eutaxian Literary Societies, and the State University.

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Brevities.

Rhetoricals were postponed one week on account of the vacation.

The Eutaxians sometimes continue their debates until the "evening lamps are lighted."

The next question to be debated in the Eutaxian society is, "Resolved, That Guitcau has proved himself insane."

The class in History of Civilization has been studying Ethnology and History during the last two weeks, and now they are prepared to commence reviewing in the text book with a better knowledge of the subject.

The corporation of the literary societies of the State University met on Friday of last week and adjourned until Dec. 23, when a full attendance of the members is desired, as business of importance to them all is to be discussed.

Thursday was Thanksgiving day and all the students enjoyed a vacation. This is one of the most welcome holidays in the year. We are always counting up the trial that come to us, and the pleasures of which we are deprived but on Thanksgiving we recall all the joy and happiness we have had during the year, and the memory makes our lives brighter and better.

There was a very pleasant surprise party on Friday of last week at the residence of Mr. Farrington to celebrate the birthday of J N Galtra. The candy pulling was "very funny! not too funny! just funny enough." The greatest surprise of the evening was the phenomenon of a "Taylor" showing great skill as a confectioner, and also managing a large menagerie.

Tuesday afternoon the students were all assembled in the chapel, where they listened to a short address by the President. There has been a great calm in the halls ever since. The students come here from all parts of the State, some from towns and some from farms; some accustomed to one manner of school train, some to another, and some to none, but, before many months all are influenced by the school train here. If a student is once found in the basement; if he is discovered talking or running in the hall once, he will probably not try it again; but learn that this school is managed according to the motto, "persuasion is not government."

Patience.

There is many a lesson for us to learn, and none is more important than the lesson of patience. It is one that every student must learn, but its importance does not make it easy. It is hard to study well and yet not be first in one's class; it is hard to grind out common-places essays, while others write brilliant ones; it is hard to stammer while others are eloquent; it is hard to work well at anything and not be rewarded immediately. Though it is true that Patience gives us a hard lesson to learn, yet she is just as rewarding as she is hard. She will hard study into a pleasure; common-places essays into uncommonly fine ones; stammering words to eloquence; she will turn the hard path of the student into a broad highway strewn with flowers. And when we have finished school let us not forget her, for she still holds the key to our success. All the great things in life are the rewards of patience, the finest written works, the most noted paintings, the noblest characters. Then let this sweet patience, that has done, is doing, and will do, so much for the world, adorn our labor. Let our thoughts, acts and lives be crowned with patience.

Open Session.

On the evening of the 18th the Eutaxians, Faculty, and other visitors, were entertained by the Laurean Society. We have always thoroughly enjoyed our meeting with the Laureans but we think this last the best. The hall was quite full, and should the Laureans continue to prosper as they have, the next open session will require the chapel. Before recess George Hill recited "Parasite" in a feeling and earnest manner, and Frank Huffer presented a word picture of the Emerald Isle. During recess few Laureans were bold enough to cross the line. "Faint heart never won fair lady." The question debated was, "Resolved, That illiterate men should not be allowed to vote." W T Slater was leader on the affirmative, with Messrs Beekman, Fenton and Taylor as colleagues. Leader on the negative, A L Frazer, with Messrs. McGehee, Condon and Courtney as colleagues. The question was an interesting one, and the debaters entered into it with earnestness. They may feel assured that their efforts were appreciated by the Eutaxians. Prof. Johnson, Bailey and Condon awarded to the debaters the praise they deserved, and spoke encouragingly to the society. Throughout the evening the President preserved his quiet dignity notwithstanding tender glances, eloquence, and "double triggered repartee."

FACTS THAT WE KNOW.

If you are suffering with a severe Cough, Cold, Asthma, Bronchitis, Consumption, loss of voice, tickling in the throat, or any affection of the throat or lungs, we know that Dr. KINO'S NEW DISCOVERY will give you immediate relief. We know of hundreds of cases it has completely cured, and that where all other medicines have failed. No other remedy can show one-half as many PERMANENT CURES. Now to give you satisfactory proof that Dr. KINO'S NEW DISCOVERY will cure you of Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Consumption, severe Coughs and Colds, Hoarseness, or any Throat or Lung Disease, if you will call at Wilkins', the Eugene City Druggist, you can get a trial bottle FREE OF COST, or a regular size bottle for \$1. Mulholland, Junction City. Hodge, Davis & Co, Wholesale Agents, Portland.

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The BEST SALVE in the world for Bruises, Cuts, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of Skin Eruptions. This salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price 35 cts per box. For sale by WILKINS', the Druggist, Eugene City; Mulholland, Junction City.

A PLUCKY BOY.—Frank Neley, a boy aged fourteen years, rode on horseback all the way from Missouri Valley Iowa, to Olympia, during the past season; except that he crossed over the Cascades of the Columbia in a boat. A company of 27 started with him, he being the only one coming through overland, the remainder remaining east of the mountains or coming by rail or boat.

A NUT TO CRACK.—Wheat at Saginaw, Michigan, six hundred miles from the shipping points of New York and Boston, has been held the past week at \$1.38 per bushel of sixty pounds. It was selling in this city at 67 cents per bushel at the same time, only one hundred miles from the port of Portland. Who would not be a farmer in Eastern Oregon?—Dalles Mountaineer.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.—What is Life Insurance? Apoplexy, &c.—Many people insure their lives to benefit their families by death—how paradoxical is this. To prolong life by preserving the health would be a far more rational manner of insuring it. Apoplexy is swift and insidious in its attacks, striking its victim without a moment's warning! Happily a preventive has been discovered—Holloway's Pills—the only safe and certain antidote for this disease, they cool the blood and equalize its circulation through the system. To preserve the stomach in a sound condition and the blood pure is the true secret of health—Holloway's Pills will do this most effectually, and thousands owe their actual existence to them at the present day.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—None are genuine unless the signature of J. HAYDOCK surrounds each box of Pills and Ointment. Boxes at 23 cents, 62 cents and \$1 each. *There is considerable saving by taking the larger sizes. HOLLOWAY & Co, New York.

Good Thing.

Peruvian Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A B Beech, a celebrated German Physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in Medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Cold, all Lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Beware of imitations of similar names, lately introduced. Boschee's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75 cents. Sample bottle, 10 cents.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and infirmities of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c. I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York City.

Stop a Moment and Read This.

Look at this list of goods just received at the Farmers' and Mechanics Clothing Store. Sack Suits from \$10 to \$17. Scotch Sack frock suits from \$12 50 to \$17. Sack or 10 & diagonal suits from \$13 50 to \$23. Broadcloth coats and vests, diagonal, Prince Albert coats and vests. Just the thing for Holiday presents. Several new lines of overcoats, reversible and ulsters, all grades and prices, from \$7 50 to \$20. Derby shirt, teekties and the finest line of neckwear in the city. New hats and caps, wool scarfs and gloves. 10 different styles of underwear, all grades and prices. The best stock of silk and linen handkerchiefs, hosiery, &c., for the holidays, in the city. Latest style of hats \$1 to \$3 50. Caps from \$1 to \$1 25. Boys hats and caps. The best line of pants patterns and suits in the city. Cashmere, Diagonal, Scotch and American cloths. Fuits made to order from 30 up. Pants made to order from \$8 50 up! Dark gray Oregon cashmere pants, \$5. All wool pants 4 50 \$4 75, \$5, \$5 50, \$6. Pants \$1 75, \$2 50, \$3 50. Overall 50 cents, 75 cents, \$1, \$1 25. Diagonal pants from \$5 to \$8. The only Gents Furnishing goods store in Eugene City. Clothing cut for anybody. All goods marked in plain figures, and strictly one cash price for all. Call and examine our goods before buying elsewhere.

FARMERS' & MECHANICS STORE, R. J. GRAHAM, Manager.

Lumber! Lumber!

J. B. Rhinehart has been appointed agent of the Springfield Mill Co. He can offer better figures for Lumber now than ever before. All kinds of building lumber delivered on short notice and at very low figures. Don't fail to see Rhinehart before ordering elsewhere. We propose to sell lumber, and don't forget it.

Boots and Shoes.

We have just received direct from first hands in New York, Boston and San Francisco a very large and complete stock of Boots and Shoes and are prepared to offer inducements to purchasers as to quality, quantity and price.

T. G. HENDRICKS.

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