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**EUGENE LODGE, No. 11, A. F. and A. M.**—Meets first and third Wednesdays in each month.  
**SPENCER BUTTE LODGE, No. 9, I. O. O. F.**—Meets every Tuesday evening.  
**WIMANAGA, EUGENE LODGE, No. 6, M. W.**—Meets on the 21st and 28th Wednesdays in each month.  
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**J. M. SLOAN, M. W.,** COMMANDER.  
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**PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,**  
 EUGENE CITY, - - - OREGON.

**GEO. M. MILLER,**  
 Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law, and  
 Real Estate Agent.  
 EUGENE CITY, - - - OREGON.  
 OFFICE—Over W. F. & Co.'s Express office.

**A. I. NICKLIN, M. D.,**  
 Physician and Surgeon.  
 EUGENE CITY, - - OREGON.

**DR. JOHN NICKLIN,**  
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 (Formerly of Yamhill County.)  
 RESIDENCE—Two doors south of M. E. church.

**DR. JOSEPH P. GILL,**  
 CAN BE FOUND AT HIS OFFICE or residence  
 whenever not professionally engaged.  
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 REPAIRING OF WATCHES AND  
 CLOCKS executed with punctuality  
 and at a reasonable cost.  
 Willamette St., Eugene City, Oregon.

**JEWELRY ESTABLISHMENT.**  
**J. S. LUCKEY,**  
 DEALER IN  
 Clocks, Watches, Chains, Jewelry, Etc.  
 Repairing Promptly Executed.  
 All Work Warranted.  
 J. S. LUCKEY.  
 Elsworth & Co.'s brick, Willamette street.

**LYNCH & PAGE,**  
 In Dorris' Brick Building.  
 DEALERS IN  
**Groceries and Provisions.**  
 Will keep on hand a general assortment of  
 Groceries, Provisions, Cured Meats,  
 Tobacco, Cigars, Candies,  
 Candles, Soap, Notions,  
 Green and Dried Fruits,  
 Wood and Willow Ware,  
 Crockery, Etc.  
 Business will be conducted on a  
**CASH BASIS,**  
 Which means that  
**Low Prices are Established**  
 Goods delivered without charge to Buyers.  
**ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE WANTED**  
 For which we will pay the highest market  
 price.  
 LYNCH & PAGE.  
 10th Street, Eugene, Ore.

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### F. B. DUNN'S,

**MARKING DOWN OF OLD GOODS**

A large assortment of Ladies and Childrens Hose at 12 1-2 cts.

Good Dress Goods at 1 1/2c Best Corset in town for 50c

An immense stock of New and Seasonable Goods.

Fine Cashmere in every shade.

New and Nobby styles in CLOTHING.

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The finest stock of French KID SHOES ever brought to this place.

BOOTS and SHOES in all grades.

GROCERIES of all descriptions.

**Liberal Discount for CASH.**

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**TWO PRICES!**

**CASH AND CREDIT.**

PATRONIZE THE MEN WHO HELP TO BUILD YOUR BRIDGES, ROADS AND SCHOOL HOUSES, whose interests are your interests! Are permanently located and spend their profits at home. Take notice that.

**A. V. PETERS,**

Will sell goods for CASH at greatly reduced prices, as low as any other CASH STORE.

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| Best Prints 16 and 18 yards..... \$1 00               | Fine Cheviot Shirts, 50, 75 cts and \$1.                 |
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| Clark's and Brooks spool cotton 75 cts per Doz.       | Mens' Underwear, Shirts and Drawers, 50 ct               |
| Plain and Milled Firmels, 25, 35, 45 and 50 cts.      | Mens' Overshirts, 75 cts. and \$1.                       |
| Water Proof, -  | Mens' Overalls, 50, 65, 75 cts and \$1.                  |
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**And all Other Goods at Proportionate Rates.**

Also the Celebrated  
**WHITE SEWING MACHINE!**  
 None better for strength, size, and durability. At greatly reduced rates.  
 To my old Customers, who have stood by me so long I will continue to sell on same terms as heretofore on time, but if at any time they wish to make CASH purchase, I will give all an, as others, the full credit on my reduction.  
 A. V. PETERS

**Robinson & Church,**  
 DEALERS IN  
**SHIELF & HEAVY HARDWARE**  
 HAVE THE  
 Best Selected Stock in Oregon

**NOTICE TO SHEEP OWNERS.**  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL Sheep owners that they must dip their sheep as soon as they are diseased. The law makes provisions that when the owners fail to do so, that the Inspector shall cause it to be done at their expense.  
 S. D. COATS,  
 Sheep Inspector for Lane Co., Or.

**CRAIN BROS.**  
 DEALERS IN  
 Watches and Jewelry  
 Musical instruments, Toys, Notions, etc.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry repaired and warranted. Northwest corner of Willamette and Eighth streets.

**THIS PAPER** may be found on the 1st of every month. For sale at the office of the **EUGENE CITY GUARD**, 10th Street, Eugene, Ore.

**The Summer Solstice.**  
 On the 21st of June, at 8 o'clock in the morning, the sun enters the sign Cancer, and inaugurates the great physical epoch known as the summer solstice. He has reached his extreme northern declination of twenty three and a half degrees, and, just grazing the tropic of cancer, pauses for a few days in his course before turning his steps from our northern clime. The familiar terms explain the apparent movement, the word tropic coming from a Greek word meaning to turn, and the word solstice coming from two Latin words meaning the sun stands still.

The days remain the same length, fifteen hours and sixteen minutes, for nine days, from the 16th to the 25th. On the 25th a change comes, and a decrease of one minute marks the southern course of the sun. In a few days the change will be apparent to careful observers. The sunrise and sunset points will sweep slightly to the south, and the sun will not mount so high at noon-day toward the zenith. The movement of the sun toward the south and his lessening meridian altitude will go on until the 21st of December, when the winter solstice occurs, and the days have reached their minimum length. The process will then be reversed; the sun will move northward, and his meridian altitude increase until he comes round again to the summer solstice of 1883. Observers can see for themselves the changes in the sun's place in the heavens that marks the change in the seasons, and will readily note that the further south the sun rises and sets, the shorter will be the days, and the lower the altitude of the noonday sun the less will be the intensity of the heat.

This oscillation of the sun to the north and south, and his varying meridian altitudes are only apparent, the real cause of the movement being the revolution of the earth around the sun with her pole inclined twenty-three and a half degrees to the plane of her orbit. her seasons varying according to the manner in which her surface is presented to the sun. In the north temperate zone the sun's rays now shine with full force, and summer reigns supreme. The mornings and evenings mark his furthest progress northward the noons show his highest meridian altitude, the evenings bears witness to the period when his beams linger longest above the western horizon after sunset.

It would seem as if our hottest days should occur about the 21st of June, when the sun's perpendicular rays fall upon this portion of the globe. But such is not the case. As midsummer approaches the quantity of heat received from the sun during the day is greater than the quantity of heat lost during the night, and there is therefore an increase of heat each day. The daily increase reaches its maximum at the summer solstice. But the heat garnered up by the process causes an accession of heat each day until the heat lost during the night is just equal to that received during the day. This happens some time in July or August. Our hottest weather for this reason occurs some time after the summer solstice, just as the hottest part of the day is some time after midday, and the coldest part of the night is toward morning.

There are four great time marks in the annual revolution of the earth, the vernal equinox, the summer solstice, the autumnal equinox, and the winter solstice. The summer solstice is the most interesting and suggestive of them all. It is, in our zone, the culminating point of solar power, the gala day of the sovereign who holds in his hand the issues of life and death for every member of the human race. The earth rejoicing in verdure, the perfection of foliage, the brilliant flowers, the ripening fruits, bear witness to the fertilizing power of his benignant beams. Out door life furnishes the conditions of enjoyment, and earth, air and sky hold out separate allurements to increase the number of those who share in the general holiday. So delightful are the charms of midsummer that one longs to make them immortal, hold back the sun in his course, and perpetuate the present condition of his reign.

But such are not the conditions of human life. The seasons come and go, swayed by an omnipotent hand; at the culminating point of solar intensity the picture changes, the supreme moment passes. Before the sun that rises on the 21st of June sinks below the horizon, his face will be turned from us, the earth will have traveled thousands of miles toward the region of cold and darkness. A fraction of light will be lost from the longest day, a fraction of darkness will be added to the shortest night.

No one can help mourning over the loss of the first minute of daylight that follows this summer solstice. No one can help rejoicing over the gain of the first minute of daylight that follows the winter solstice.

On the 26th the decrease of one minute in the day's length is recorded on the astronomical calendar. It is only a minute at first, but minutes will be piled upon minutes, as the earth rolls on, until the last of July, the day will be forty-seven minutes shorter than it was under the beams of the solstitial sun.

**Total Depravity.**  
 It almost makes one believe in the doctrine of total depravity of humanity when such scenes occur, as one of which we take an account from the Cheney Sentinel, having taken at Cabinet Landing on Lake Pon' d Oreille, the front of construction of the Northern Pacific. It says:  
 On Sunday morning last at 1 A. M. a shrill scream accompanied by the crack of a six-shooter attracted the surging crowd of gamblers and laborers who were making night hideous at Cabinet Landing. Not that a pistol shot or a scream or things of unusuality as to be very electrifying to the populace of that very lively town; but in this instance a man was lying in front of Hargrove's saloon shot through the heart. Wayne Fitten, a half-breed cook in one of the camps had been shot and instantly killed by one of the girls known as Maud. During the early part of the evening Fitten had been quarreling with Maud and on meeting her on the street with Chris Lemley, a well known sport, he savagely attacked her. Lemley interfered, throwing the assailant to one side. He again sprang toward her, when she drew a six shooter and shot him dead. Probrate Judge Melder, of Rathrum, happened to be in town and was pressed into service as coroner. He empaneled a jury, who returned a verdict of justifiable homicide. It would be impossible to portray on paper the scene in the saloon which had been pressed into service as a court room. On a rough board lay the bloody form of Fitten, and within arms reach adjoining lay the forms of two men dead drunk. The room was filled with men some drinking at the bar, some swearing that the girl served Fitten just right, others that the wench should be hung; and all endeavoring to tell the coroner what to do, while an occasionally displayed six-shooter rendered his position anything but pleasant. He finally appealed to the proprietor of the house to remove the dead drunk couple, as their snoring rendered it impossible to hear the witnesses. The whole affair would have been grosslyly dealt but for the grimness of it. A fight was imminent several times, but finally the body was coffined and the crowd dispersed. Maud and Lemly and one or two others brought the body down to Spokane Falls, where on Tuesday it was buried.

**A Close Race.**  
 W. H. Holmes of Marion county, is elected Prosecuting Attorney of the third district by 16 majority over W. H. Piper, present incumbent. When we consider that there is a Republican majority of 730 in the district, it will readily be conceded that Mr. Holmes made a splendid race. He is a lawyer of good ability and will make an excellent attorney.

The Albany ladies brass band has been engaged to play at Lebanon on the 4th of July.  
 David Brown, an old pioneer, died at his home in Forest Grove last week, aged 85 years.

## STATE NEWS.

The Albany city council has placed saloon licenses at \$400, and beer licenses at \$100 per quarter.  
 Frank Hershner has been employed as principal and Miss Mary L. Porter assistant of the lower district school; Corvallis, for the coming year.  
 Mrs. Pat. Powers is circulating a petition in Washington county for signers, asking Gov. Thayer to pardon Jack Powers, now on her sentence of death. The number of signers is said to be considerable, and it is thought that the petition will be the largest ever sent to a governor in this state asking such a pardon.  
 Vigorous preparations are being made for the celebration of the 4th of July at Independence. The oration will be delivered by Hon. H. Y. Thompson of Portland. Among the attractions will be a base ball contest between the Dallas and Monmouth clubs for a cash prize of \$30 and the champion bat of Polk county.

The following particulars of the accidental death of a little son of Mr. Tatom of Polk county, two week ago are furnished. An older son of Mr. Tatom was engaged in hauling gravel and two little brothers had got upon the gravel rack to take a ride. Just as the team was driven through the gate one of the horses commenced kicking, and Arthur fell off, and was run over by the wagon, being so badly injured that he died in less than an hour. In trying to save his brother the driver lost all control of the team and they ran for over half a mile before he could stop them. The other little one clung to the wagon and was not injured. The deceased boy was aged 6 years and 2 months.

**On The Stamp.**  
 One of Baltimore's retired capitalists was formerly an Ohio politician of some note. A score of years ago while making a canvass for the Legislature, he took the stamp, and in one of his speeches at Dayton he was interrupted by a man in the crowd, who called out:  
 "Frazer (his opponent) says you grind the poor."  
 "I grind the poor! Great Heaven! but last fall I gave away 500 bushels of potatoes to the poor of this district."  
 "Frazer says you are a temperance man."

"Merciful Scott! but what a liar! Why, my friend, I am so drunk now that I can hardly stand on this box."  
 Frazer says you got your start by buying skunk skins," continued the man.

**Just the Fit.**  
 A little weedy-looking but rather prepossessing young man applied at the office of a prominent newspaper the other day for a situation. The proprietor, after eyeing him a minute or two asked:  
 "Have you had any experience as an editor?"  
 "Well, nothing to speak of particularly," the young man replied cautiously. "But I've been cowhided several times, have been married six months, never had five dollars in money at one time, and have worn borrowed clothes ever since father quit buying them for me, so I thought perhaps I might work in."  
 He went to work at once.

When the Indian chief, Howlish-Wampo, died, between \$350 and \$600 were buried with him. Whether or not this money was intended to defray his expenses after crossing the river Styx, and reaching the "Happy Hunting Grounds," we are not informed. But some far more practical white man with an eye to business, recently dug down into the grave of the Umattila chief until he came to his bones and bagged the money aforesaid; thus leaving the noble red warrior without a single farthing in the dim land of dreams.