

CITY AND COUNTY.

BRIEF MENTION.

'Cool nights. Shows numerous. Colds are popular. Everybody wants rain. Strangers continue abundant. For good dentistry go to Clark. Bring your chickens to Bettman's. To-morrow is the first day of October. Quantities of fresh venison in the market. The State Fair was a success financially. Medical Lake Salt at Hays and Luckey's. Six pounds of coffee for \$1 at Goldsmith's. Job work a speciality at the GUARD office. Hop picking is completed for the season of 1882. See change in the Sheriff's Sale advertisement. Good furniture and low prices, is Ream's motto. All kinds of grain seeds for sale at A Goldsmith's. The highest cash price paid for wheat by F B Dunn. Cherry & Day keeps the best stock of undertaker's goods. Jack Frost made his appearance last Wednesday morning. Bettman will pay more for chickens in Cash than any one in town. Goods delivered to any part of the city from Goldsmith's. See summons and administrator's notice in another column. Fresh citrate of magnesia made daily at Hays and Luckey's. The Good Templars of this city now meet in Odd Fellows Hall. The carpenters are at work on the new brick store of Lynch & Page. The only place where you can always sell your chickens is at Bettman's. Eugene Hook and Ladder Co No 1, meet at Dunn's Hall Monday evening. 10,000 people wanted to eat at the new restaurant kept by Mrs O J Laird. Mattie Taylor is a charming child actress—S F Alta. Lane's Hall, Monday night. Mr Milt McMurray has built a small real estate just west of his blacksmith shop. The fire engine for this city was shipped from the manufactory one day this week. Immense stock of crockery and glassware at greatly reduced prices at Goldsmith's. The number of hogs that are now being put in shape for market is larger than ever before. Who is doing the undertaking business? Ream. Who is selling the furniture? Ream. Money plenty with everybody except the printers. Delinquents will please take notice. If you want to get the highest price for your HOPS call at BETTMAN'S before selling. Mr Clark & Son of Albany secured the contract for the brick work on the new bank building. White paper, just the thing for writing upon with pencil, for sale at the GUARD office. We are placed under obligations to Senator T G Hendricks, for Legislative documents. Several Portland gentlemen passed through here this week en route to the noted Foley Springs. Little Mattie Taylor is the cleverest of child artists—S F Examiner. Lane's Hall, Monday, Oct 21. Ream don't advertise anything he can't back when he says his stock of undertaking goods is the best. Messrs Hieckathier and Whipp have dissolved partnership in the marble business. Mr Hieckathier will continue the business. A reunion of the students of the State University was held in the chapel of that institution last Saturday evening. When you come to town be sure and patronize the new restaurant, kept by Mrs O J Laird. The best of meals will be served. You can get 3 cans of tomatoes for 50 cents, 1 can fresh peaches for 25 cents, and the best tea in town at F B Dunn's. 133 acres of good farm land well improved, near Eugene City, for sale. GEO. M. MILLEN. Mr S H Friendly will pay the highest cash market price for wheat. Give him a call before selling your grain elsewhere. The Mattie Taylor Company gave the most delightful performance ever given in Napa—Napa Register. Lane's Hall, Monday evening. Mr W T Campbell is building a small residence, to rent, on Olive street. Anyone wanting to rent a desirable residence should call on him immediately. The sidewalks of this city are in a very bad condition. If repairs are not made soon, some one will break an arm or leg, when the city will be called upon for heavy damages. The Mattie Taylor Combination are a host of talent, worthy of ovations for their excellence in song, music, comedy and general entertainment.—San Jose Herald. Lane's Hall Monday night. Mrs O J Laird has re-opened the restaurant on Willamette Street, and is now prepared to furnish the best of meals and at prices that will suit the times. Give her a trial and be convinced. The largest assortment of folding chairs and rockers, marble-top center tables, pier mirrors, hat and coat racks, window cornice and picture moulding at Cherry and Day's, that has ever been brought to Eugene, all at prices that can't be under-sold. Ream, the undertaker and furniture dealer, will receive in a few days a splendid assortment of rawhide furniture, which he will sell way under any prices ever offered in Eugene. Don't buy until you see his stock. You can get 10 lbs of sugar for \$1. " " 6 1/2 lbs of coffee for \$1. " " 3 lbs of tea for \$1. " " 6 cans of oysters for \$1. " " 7 cans of tomatoes for \$1. " " goods cheaper than elsewhere at Goldsmith's the cash grocer.

"Do You Hear John Long"

At a meeting of the Democrats of this city the following resolutions were unanimously adopted: WHEREAS, John Long was nominated by the Democratic convention of Lane county in April, as a Democrat, and WHEREAS, Said Long was elected as a Democrat to the legislative assembly by Democrats at the June election, and WHEREAS, The said John Long, contrary to the usages of the party and contrary to the will of the Democrats of Lane county, voted for John H Mitchell, a Republican, for Senator, and WHEREAS, At the time said John Long voted for said Mitchell, there was nominated by the Democratic members of said legislative assembly, a Democratic candidate for Senator; Therefore, be it RESOLVED, That we, the Democrats of Lane county, in mass meeting assembled, hereby denounce the act of said John Long, in voting for said Mitchell, as contrary to the will of his constituents, and RESOLVED, That we hereby arraign him for having betrayed the confidence reposed in him by the Democrats of this county, and RESOLVED, That we hereby request the said John Long to resign his seat as a member of said legislative assembly. R. C. COCHKAN, Chairman. F. W. OSBURN, Sec'y.

The New Paper.

We have examined a copy of the Los Angeles Evening Telegram, the paper that is said to be entente for this city, where the publication will continue under its present management. The paper is Republican in politics, of the stalwart stamp, and claims to be only issued on the Pacific Coast, outside of San Francisco, that furnishes the daily dispatches, fresh from the wires. It is an eight page, five columns to the page, nice clean type, and filled with choice reading matter and a large amount of advertising. There is considerable speculation here as to its coming. Some claim that it is the Mitchell, or straight Republican, who want an organ for their party. Others say that Mitchell's friends caused the dispatch to be sent in order to intimidate the Oregonian, and force them to Mitchell's support. As for ourselves, we know nothing, nor do we care. A dispatch dated Los Angeles, Sept 18th, says: The paper paid off its editorial staff, compositors and carriers to-day immediately after the issuance of the last Los Angeles number.—Portland Standard.

Lane County Fair.

We take the following from the Harrisburg Disseminator, which we commend to the people of Lane county: "The article in the Eugene GUARD, written by Geo Belsaw, the well known successful wheat raiser of Lane county, meets our views so thoroughly that we cannot refrain from giving it entire. While farming in the State of Illinois, we joined with others in getting up the kind of fair that is proposed to be held in our neighbor-county, and it is the only kind of a fair we ever took part in. Where there are no entrance fees and no premiums, the chance for swindling operations are lessened, and a more purely agricultural exhibit is obtained, and better feeling prevails. We believe that if fairs were carried on in this manner generally better results would come from them and would augment to our Lane county neighbors to keep them up in just that shape. We bespeak a general attendance at their fair from this vicinity. It is in easy reach and will pay in pleasure received from the trip if nothing else."

Horticultural Society.

All who are interested in growing and marketing fruits are requested to meet on the first evening of the fair, at 6 o'clock, at the office of the Secretary, to take steps towards the organization of a County Horticultural Society. Legislation is being demanded by the State Horticultural Society in the interests of Horticulture. Recognizing the fact that fruit growing will soon be of paramount importance in this valley, and that no other county in the State possesses greater advantages for that health-giving, wealth-giving business than our own, we ask all interested to meet with us there and help us make a beginning of what Lane county ought to have, a helpful, instructive and interesting Horticultural Society. J. E. CHURCHILL.

Ent!—"Send me, dearest mother," wrote a young Oregon State University girl to her parent recently, "a fresh supply of the delicious product of the Theobroma Cacao, adulterated with farinaceous substances or animal fats." "The darling girl," soliloquized the fond mother, absently; "how she is improving. I have no idea what Ethelinda can require, but I am sure that it is something costly and connected with her variegated studies, so I will remit unto her a ten dollar bill." And when Ethelinda opened the letter she laughed merrily, and with her face beaming with smiles she turns to her friend, Bianche Sibylline Smyffe, and said, "Great sakes, ain't this gay? I thought the old woman would't tumble. I wanted a four-bit box of chocolate candy, so I shot the encyclopedia at her and she sent me an X. Bully for she! Let's go and hoist in the fruit cake."

DIED.—At her late residence in this city, Sunday morning, Sept 25th, Mrs Joannah Goodchild, aged 59 years and 9 months. The funeral sermon was preached at the M E Church, Monday, and the remains interred in the Odd Fellows Cemetery. The deceased had lived for several years in this city, and leaves many warm friends, who will cherish her memory.

To SALEM.—Messrs Geo Noland and Geo A Dorris, of this city, went to Salem Thursday, for the purpose of appearing before the Supreme Court, to attend the examination required by law, to practice before the courts of this State. We are assured the boys will pass.

Personal.

Mr Mulligan, of McMinnville, has moved to this city. Dr E G Clark paid Salem and Portland a visit this week. Mr James Humphrey and family have returned to Seattle, W T. Capt Flavel, of Astoria, came down from Foley's springs Thursday. Julius Goldsmith has accepted a position in Mellis Bros store, Portland. Mr A Lorch, of Cottage Grove, paid Eugene a short visit this week. Sam Rosenblatt, who has been in Colorado for the past year, is in town. Mr E J Haight and wife, of Portland, paid this city a pleasant visit this week. Mr Wm Renshaw and wife attended the Mechanics Fair at Portland this week. Deputy Sheriff Wallis went to Portland Wednesday, to attend the Mechanics Fair. Mr E P McConnell of Wasco county, is visiting relatives and friends in this county. Dr W V Henderson was registered at the St Charles Hotel, Portland, one day this week. Mr George Archberger, who is at Raney's springs, we learn, is much improved in health. Railroad Agent Adair has returned from Salem and assumed his duties at the office in this city. Mr Givens Day is at present clerking in the store of Mr J P Cochran, Paisley, Lake county. Mr E J Megler, one of Astoria's wealthy cannery men, returned from Raney's springs last Tuesday. Messrs B F Dorris and A W Stowell were registered at the Chemeketa, in Salem, one day this week. Judge R S Bean returned from Coos county last Saturday, where he had been holding a term of court. Mr J W Wright, the Junction lawyer, was in town one day this week, attending to legal business. Dr H F McCornack, formerly of this county, has been nominated for coroner in Columbia county, W T. Mr J S McCain, formerly of this city, was in town this week visiting friends. He is at present stationed at Hillsboro. Mr Vic Behrens, of Portland, was in town this week, to attend the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs Goodchild. Mr Walter McCornack, who has been in Eastern Oregon several months on a surveying expedition, returned home last week. Dr J P Gill, Commander of the Grand Army Post here, went to Portland Wednesday, to attend a meeting of that organization. Mr Peter Runey, the genial proprietor of Foley springs, came down from these noted springs last Thursday evening. He went to Portland yesterday. Mr Joel N Pearcy, a State University student, will be one of the class applying to the Supreme Court for a certificate to practice before Oregon courts.

Progress South.

Mr Koehler, the Vice President and manager of the O & C R R, authorizes us to state that the arrangements are now complete for the extension of business on that road to Riddle's station, six miles further south. The road was opened for freight and passengers to that point last Monday, the 25th inst. Riddle's station is situated in the Cow creek valley, and the southern terminus of the road will be moved from Myrtle creek to that point. This will be a great advantage to the people of Jackson and Josephine counties who are obliged to haul their goods through the mud in winter. And six miles of saving on a road with mud up the hobs, is no small item. We rejoice in every step that marks the progress of this road overland to California, although we are sorry for our Myrtle creek neighbors who were anticipating a harvest of good things by being a railroad terminus all winter.

Case Compromised.

The Secretary of the U S treasury, says the Standard, ordered that the case against the Captain of the German ship Fritz be dismissed upon the payment of \$1,000 and costs of the prosecution. The captain was convicted some time ago in the United States court, in this city, for a violation of the law regulating the construction of berths in vessels, and was adjudged to pay a fine of \$3,500. The case was referred to the Secretary of the treasury, who consented to let the captain off a little easier. The fine and costs were paid recently.

S. B. No. 23.

The following bill was introduced by Senator Hendricks, Sept 23d, 1882: Sec. 1. That the sessions of the Legislative Assembly shall be held biennially at the Capital of the State, and that the time of meeting be changed from the second Monday of September, as provided in Article 4, Section 10, of the Constitution of Oregon, to the second Monday in January, in the year 1885, and on the same day of every second year thereafter.

To PORTLAND.

Mr A S Patterson went to Portland last Monday to consult with doctors of that city in regard to his arm. We understand that his physician here was of the opinion that it would have to be amputated. Mr Patterson has the sympathy of many friends in his present affliction.

A MISTAKE.

We were mistaken about the provision in the City Charter not exempting indebtedness within the city. The Legislature struck that portion out.

MARRIED.

On the 24th inst, at the residence of A A King, by Rev E P Henderson, Mr B H Lyons and Miss Cynthia A Watson, all of Lane county.

A FAILURE.

Morrill's minstrels showed at the Court House last Wednesday evening to a very slim audience. A second-class show is always poorly attended in this city.

Junction City Items.

JUNCTION, Sept. 27, 1882. The weather still continues fine. The Old Fellows hospital is no more. The addition to the hotel building is undergoing a plastering. Mr Berry's saloon is being painted preparatory to occupancy. Wheat hauling is pretty near a thing of the past. Farmers talk rain and plowing. Prof Campbell commences a select school next Monday. Come ye children unto school. Mr Henry Judson is moving into town to enjoy school privileges. School numbers sixty pupils. The grand harvest ball, to take place next Friday evening, at Baber's Hall, is the next season in order. Rev I D Driver ministered to the spiritual wants of this people, preaching Saturday afternoon and evening, also Sunday morning and evening. Preaching next Sunday. Mr Heath, the harness maker, has purchased an Estey organ; his neighbors say that they can hear, every now and then during the day and night, the melodious tones of its base. The monotony of our little town was slightly broken by the Morrell minstrel troupe entertainment, Tuesday evening. Their performance and entertainment are reported as middling.

Cottage Grove Items.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.] COTTAGE GROVE, Sept. 25, 1882. Weather fine, and roads in good condition. Some wheat was sown here last week on summer fallow land. The public school commenced here on the 18th, with 70 scholars in attendance. Mr H Chance sold his store here to M C E Byers. His buildings were purchased by an immigrant. Immigrants from all quarters are arriving here. Every available cabin is occupied, and still they come. The young folks met at the residence of Mr Chas Stafford and tipped the light fantastic toe for a few hours Saturday evening. The timbers for the new bridge are on the ground, and all who have seen them pronounce the job of heaving a splendid one. Mr James Medley did the work. ALEX.

LANE'S HALL

To be Extended 30 Feet and the Stage Enlarged.

Mr Joseph Lane, the proprietor of the above named hall has a force of carpenters at work, extending the building, enlarging the stage and thoroughly renovating the building. We learn that an addition of 30 feet will be built to the hall; the stage will be moved back, and will be enlarged to a frontage of 24 feet and a depth of 20 feet. This will enlarge the hall and stage to such proportions that it will pay first-class troupes to visit our city. Our amusement loving citizens hail the improvement with delight.

A Happy Surprise.

On last Tuesday evening, during the absence of Mr Frederick Dudley, at the regular meeting of the Odd Fellows Lodge, about twenty of his friends met at his rooms in the University building, and on his return had a table well spread with the delicacies of the season. The event was one of interest, as it was to celebrate Mr Dudley's seventy-sixth birthday. Praise is due Miss McMurray—who for kindness and consideration for the wants of others, Miss Mary's equal is seldom met. A FRIEND.

Pianos and Organs.

A fine assortment to arrive soon from the most celebrated makers. All instruments warranted and the warrant made good at home without trouble or expense to the purchaser. Patronize home, and save yourself all trouble. CRAIN BROS.

PROSPERITY.—We clip the following from a correspondence in the Oregonian, showing the prosperity of Eugene. It is not over-rated: "If any doubt that Eugene is prosperous a trip to this place will convince them of their mistake. A large number of new buildings have been erected and trades and labor of all kinds have been taxed to their utmost. Money is plenty and the old cry of 'hard times' is no longer heard. Every dwelling house in Eugene is occupied and a great demand for more. Real estate is rapidly advancing and but little of it is offered for sale. The cause of this improvement in business is owing to the great impetus the building of the northern and southern railroads has given to trade and finance generally, besides this wheat and hops have turned off an average crop, and prices for wheat moderately good and for hops very high.

DR. A. M. L. POTTS.—This noted lecturer has entertained our people with her admirable lectures during the entire week to crowded houses. She is a pleasant and agreeable speaker, and shows by her lectures that she has made the human system a lifelong study. The lady leaves for Roseburg Monday.

A BLK.—The show given by Miller Bros, who claim to be spiritualistic mediums, at the Court House, was the most consummate humbug that was ever inflicted on a people. The Oregonian and Standard ought to have more principle than to give such bilks complimentary notices.

WOOLEN MILL MACHINERY.—The remainder of the machinery for the woollen mill will arrive to-day. It has only been on the road between here and Boston about eight months.

BASE BALL.—A match game of base ball will be played between two University nine's, to-day at 2 o'clock, P.M., near the depot. Everybody invited to attend. MARRIED.—At the residence of the bride near Smithfield, Sept 24th, by Rev A Harrison, Mr John A Cole to Miss Mary R Donkey all of Lane county.

IBRIBERY FOR MITCHELL.

An Offer of \$8,000 Made to Nichols of Wasco to Vote for the Discarded Boss.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.] SALEM, Or, Sept 27—9 P.M.—Yesterday afternoon Bob Ford, of Polk county, a man who has been about the city several days working in the interest of Mitchell, called at the opposition headquarters and approaching B F Nichols, a member from Wasco, formerly a resident of Polk county, remarked that they had long been friends, and that he (Ford) was disposed to do Nichols a favor when the opportunity presented. He said further that the present situation offered a chance for Nichols to put himself in independent circumstances for the rest of his life, and that he could easily arrange the matter. Nichols, greatly insulted, put Ford off, but in consideration of old friendship between them, said nothing about the matter. On the floor of the House to-day, before the session opened, Ford again approached Nichols and after some preliminary talk, flatly offered him \$8,000 to vote for Mitchell. Nichols indignantly left Ford and informed several of his fellow members of the offer, and the whole story is current on the streets to-night. I have the story from Nichols' own lips and he is ready to make oath to the facts as here stated. The above has been read by him and is sent for publication with his attest and approval. ALFRED HOLMAN.

Brevities.

Several parties here sold their hops for 32 1/2 cents per pound this week. An adjourned term of the Commissioners Court will convene Monday. Eliza Foley, formerly of this city, is teaching the Prineville public school. Two of our citizens got in a street quarrel this week, and contributed \$8 each to the city treasurer therefor. The convict McGregor, who recently escaped from the penitentiary, was captured in Coos county and is once more domiciled in prison. Mr G V Boggs, lately from Napa, California, was a successful applicant for a school certificate at the late examination, and will open the school at Irving station, Monday Oct 2d.

Local Market Report.

Friday, Sept. 29, 1882. Wheat—75@77 cts., on board of cars. Oats—40 cts., nett. Flour—85 per bbl. Eggs—23 cts. per doz. Butter—30 cts per lb. Sides—15 cts. per lb. Hams—13 cts. Shoulders—10@12 1/2 cts. Lard—15 cts. Hops—50@52 1/2 cts. Wool—22@23 cts.

County Fair.

Active preparations are being made on the grounds selected for the coming County Fair. The race track is in splendid condition, and several races have been arranged to take place between fast horses. The farmers have promised a good display of produce, horses, cattle, sheep, etc.; and we have no doubt but that all who attend will have a good time. Remember that next Thursday and Friday are the days selected for the First Annual Fair.

In Memory of Mrs. Goodchild.

She has gone home to glory To receive her reward, For the cross of her savior Which she faithfully endured. Farewell, dear friend, Our loss is your gain; With God's help we'll strive To meet you again. MRS. M. A. HORN.

WANTED.

A copy of the Eugene GUARD of July 15, 1882. Any of our subscribers having a copy of that issue will confer a favor on us by sending it to this office, as our files are incomplete without it. FIVE HOUNDS.—Mr H C Owen, during the week, has bought and sent to his home here, two very fine hounds. It is said the Saint paid the sum of \$100 for one of them. Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness and symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75cts. bottle. Sold by Osburn and Co, Eugene.

A Comet.

A comet is now visible in the eastern skies, between the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock, A.M. All who wish to view it should take advantage of the present time. We copy the following from the San Francisco Bulletin in reference to it: On the morning of the 21st, before sunrise, the tail had a length of five degrees and a width at the extremity of about one-third of a degree. The outer limits were much brighter than the interior. The nucleus was well developed and so was the envelope. On the morning of the 22d the tail was between six and seven degrees long, well and sharply defined, but markedly narrower than on the previous morning, being about one-third of a degree wide at its extremity. On the morning of the 19th when first seen at Table Mountain the tail was not over three-quarters of a degree long and expanded to half a degree, with a much more rounded and extended envelope. This feature of the contraction of the width of the comet is very marked. To those of our readers who wish to see a brilliant spectacle, an early rising just before five o'clock will fully repay them, and especially the younger and more enthusiastic ones. Besides the comet, Jupiter will be seen in great brightness, with the remarkably dark belt around his equatorial region. Saturn will also be visible two hours ahead of Jupiter; but requires a fair telescope to see his rings now, nearly at their greatest opening.

Foley Springs.

These healthful and medicinal hot springs have been purchased by Mr Peter Runey late of Astoria. Mr Runey will thoroughly rest and renovate the buildings on the premises, and will be prepared to accommodate those in quest of health or pleasure. Fish and game are plentiful in that vicinity, the scenery is magnificent, and those wishing a summer tour could go to no better place.

A Delicious Appetizer.

That ensures digestion and enjoyment of food; a tonic that brings strength to the weak and rest to the nervous; a harmless diarrhoea cure that don't constipate—just what every family needs—Parker's Ginger Tonic.

FOR RENT.

The building adjoining Rankin's Bazar. Inquire at this office.

Sleepless nights.

made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy.

To MILLMEN.

Old type for rabbit meat for sale at this office.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sole everywhere. 25 cents a bottle.

BUCKLE'S ARNICA SALVE.

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 WELLS'S, the Druggist, Eugene City; Mulholland, Junction City.

Mr S H Friendly

has received a large stock of goods for the spring trade and is prepared to suit his customers as to quality and price. He will sell for cash or credit as cheap as any other store in town, and as his goods are of the best quality he guarantees satisfaction. Men and boys clothing a specialty. Give him a call.

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throat

should be stopped. Neglect frequently result in an incurable Lung Disease or Consumption. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES are certain to give relief in Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Catarrhs, Consumption and Throat Diseases. For 30 years the Troches have been recommended by physicians, and always give perfect satisfaction. They are not new or untried but having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation, they have attained well merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age. Public speakers and singers use them to clear and strengthen the voice. Sold at 25 cents a box everywhere.

GRAND OPENING. GRAND OPENING! NEW GOODS! FOR THE FALL & WINTER TRADE, Just received from SAN FRANCISCO BY G. BETTMAN, CONSISTING OF Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Fancy Goods, Ladies Dress Goods in LATEST Styles, Everything necessary to a well regulated Store. Butter, Eggs and Chickens bought for Cash, or taken in exchange for goods at HIGHEST CASH RATES.