

CITY AND COUNTY.

BRIEF MENTION.

For additional Locals, see editorial page. "Do you?" "Do I what?" "Do you take it?" "Take what? Yes! What is it?" "Why the EUGENE CITY GUARD."

For good dentistry go to Clark. Bring your chickens to Bettman's. Property is still advancing in Eugene. Six pounds of coffee for \$1 at Goldsmith's.

Job work a specialty at the GUARD office. Snow was low down on the hills yesterday. For first-class undertaking go to Cherry & Day's.

Gold furniture and low prices, is Ream's motto. All kinds of grain seeds for sale at A. Goldsmith's. Commence to take the GUARD by January 1st, 1883.

The highest cash price paid for wheat by B. Duns. Cherry & Day sells furniture cheaper than anybody. Joe Luckey sells jewelry as cheap! No shoddy, either.

Goods delivered to any part of the city from Goldsmith's. Only eighty-three marriages during the past year in Lane county. Finest assortment of furniture in Eugene at Cherry & Day's.

It is rumored that a marriage will take place in this city tomorrow. A fine line of silk plushes in all shades and grades at F. B. Duns's. The only place where you can always sell your chickens is at Bettman's.

A full assortment of ladies, misses and childrens underwear at Bettman's. Judge R. S. Bean has removed his office to the northwest corner in the Court House.

THE SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS

At the Hymenial Altar, for 1882.

The following persons brought about a union of minds and souls in Lane county during the year 1882. They number 83: W. A. Dixon to M. L. Peep.

Thos. Bellin to Alice Daniels. Jas. M. Luper to Francis Rhea. M. L. Hasbrouck to Emma Wilkenson.

Sanford Skinner to Ellen Kauble. Jas. Brown to Elizabeth Luce. A. C. Huffman to M. E. Ricks.

J. W. Bowman to Ella Gordon. J. A. Hill to Nancy Billis. Jas. Baker to R. A. Walton. R. M. Martin to Ellen Brozila.

David Gerrel to D. G. Linton. Alex. Griffin to Nancy Holloway. L. A. Maupin to Lizzie Canady.

W. B. Scott to Rosa E. Vaughn. Henry Naff to Rebecca Teeters. W. Shelley to Maggie Crabtree.

J. W. Hixon to Mary C. Settle. T. L. Zumwalt to Effie A. Jordan. W. H. Parker to E. A. Poindexter.

Z. L. Collins to Mary Darnwood. P. G. Condon to Emma J. Southwood. O. M. Reed to Lena Closs.

Masquerade Ball.

The masquerade ball given by the Eugene Brass Band, Friday evening, Dec. 22d, was a complete success, and netted the band a handsome sum for their management.

- The following is a list of the characters represented by the ladies participating: Mrs. Laura Kincaid, Belle of the Ball.

We are unable to furnish a list of the gentlemen on account of their not handing in their names to the committee.

Christmas Gift.

One of Eugene's beautiful belles, when no one was in the room with her, and when she supposed no one was in hearing distance, and while she was sitting in the dim twilight by the window reflecting over the many presents which would be bestowed upon different ones in the vicinity during the coming holidays, she forgetfully commenced talking to herself, and in the conversation she was recounting those things which herself and some of her friends would like to have.

Horrible Holocaust.

Last Saturday night at 12 o'clock the lodging house at Luman's mill, in the mountains twelve miles west of Eugene, was destroyed by fire, and two of the inmates, Frank Leonard and George Blake, lost their lives.

Special Meeting.

A called meeting of Eugene Engine Co. No. 1 was held at Dunn's Hall, Saturday evening, Dec. 23, for the purpose of receiving the new engine.

New Years Calling.

There is considerable talk of observing this excellent custom this year. We have heard quite a number express a willingness to enter into it, so that no doubt there will be a good chance for our young as well as older ladies to show their hospitality on Jan. 1st, 1883.

A PHENOMENON.—Monday morning about half-past five o'clock, as the express train from Lebanon was coming down to Albany, persons on the train saw a very remarkable light in the sky about thirty degrees in height, just over the mountain peaks known as the Three Sisters.

CRANBERRIES.—Mr. T. J. Dunton, while in the Eastern States, succeeded in getting about 5000 cranberry cuttings, which he intends planting on some marshy land he owns. He is confident that cranberries can be grown in this country, with good profit.

Personal.

Dr. E. G. Clark spent Christmas at his home in Albany. Geo. W. Hill, of Portland, made this office a pleasant call this week.

Mr. Wm. Clark went to Salem yesterday, where he intends looking. A. Leland, Grand Lecturer I. O. G. T., was in town one day this week.

Mrs. Bell Jennings, is slowly recovering from the effects of a paralytic stroke. Gov. Whiteaker and Mr. E. P. Coleman paid our town a short visit this week.

Mr. Gus Risdon is at present located on the old A. L. Humphrey place, on Long Tom. Miss Irene Dunn, of St. Helen's Hall, Portland, has been spending the holidays in town.

Mr. J. W. Frank, who has been working on the O & C R R extension, has returned to Eugene. Mr. J. W. Bristow, we learn, is clerking in the gunsmith establishment of W. Beck & Son, Portland.

We are sorry to report that the condition of Judge Fitch shows no improvement during the past week. Miss Minnie Star, of Drains Station, is visiting at the residence of Mr. H. N. Crain, in this city.

Mr. S. W. Condon, of Salem, the State Librarian, has been in Eugene this week visiting friends and relatives. Mr. E. C. Alexander went to Salem, Wednesday. He will return to Eugene before leaving for San Francisco.

Mr. V. Behrens, formerly of this city, has been selected as one of the extra men of the Portland Paid Fire Department. Geo. Luckey left last Tuesday for the Ochoce country, where he intends going into the stock business. We wish him success.

The Drains correspondent of the Roseburg Plauddealer says "That Prof. E. P. Henderson has proven himself to be a very able teacher." Messrs. Dr. J. C. Whiteaker, Walter Gray and T. Jeff Smith, all of Portland, have been visiting friends and relatives in Eugene this week.

Dr. Curran Osburn, who is attending the Portland Medical College, was in town during the past week visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Elbert Goodman, we learn, has resumed his old position as messenger for Wells, Fargo & Co. between Corvallis and Portland.

Mr. Elmer Gisy, of Cheney, formerly a compositor on the GUARD, has been in town during the holidays. Elmer is at present foreman of the Cheney Sentinel. Mr. E. L. Bristow, manager of that excellent paper, the Portland Standard, gave us a pleasant call yesterday. Mr. Bristow was formerly one of the pioneer merchants of this city, and was gladly greeted by all his old acquaintances.

We clip the following from the Roseburg Plauddealer in regard to the doings of its foreman, Mr. A. P. Churchill: Our foreman went to Eugene this morning to spend the holidays, and may perhaps get himself a house-keeper, though we have no authority to make such a statement we simply thought he looked as though he wanted to or would like to.

Another year will soon cross the threshold of time and commence its journey, pure and spotless. The old year will join its predecessors with its burden of joys and sorrows, leaving its mark indelibly impressed upon the souls of men. What an appropriate time to commence aright and avoid the temptations and follies that have beset our pathway in the past. The GUARD extends the compliments of the season to its many friends and readers, and wish them a HAPPY NEW YEAR.

PRIZE FIGHT.

It will be remembered that a boxing match occurred at Lane's Hall, some time since, between one Meunt and Morgan. We clip the following from a correspondence from Brownsville, which will interest at least some of our readers: "A case of arbitration came up, in which James H. Moore held a mortgage on what is known as the Brownsville menagerie, given by Wm. Morgan to raise money to use in a prize fight at Eugene City. Morgan started to Portland two weeks ago and sold his share to Mr. James Carl, and the arbitration was to test the ownership. It was decided against Moore. Morgan should be arrested and suffer the consequences of his evil deeds."

FATAL ACCIDENT.

On Christmas night, as a freight train from Dayton was nearing Valley Grove, says the Walla Walla Statesman, ascending the steep grade, a coupling link broke, dividing the train and precipitating brakeman John Thornton, who was in the act of stepping from one receding platform to the other, under the wheels. The rear section passed over his body, mangleing it in a frightful manner and causing immediate death. A coroner's inquest was held over the remains and the usual verdict returned. No blame is attached to anyone, though the condition of the link would seem to imply carelessness somewhere.

WHEAT PURCHASED.

Mr. S. H. Friendly purchased, this week, several lots of wheat. He bought of Mr. G. H. Armitage nearly 5000 bushels, paying therefor 88 cents per bushel, and 3200 from Hon. R. B. Cochran, paying 89 cents per bushel.

MARRIED.—Dec. 24, by J. Handaker, at the residence of Mr. Wm. Kelsey, Mr. A. Daugherty and Miss L. A. Kelsey, all of Creswell, Lane county.

JUST ARRIVED.—A large stock of fine New Years cards, from New York City and St. Louis. Call immediately and make your selections.

DIED.—Jennise Iles, wife of Bud Iles, died at Roseburg, Sunday, Dec. 17, 1882, of consumption, aged 24 years.

BORN.—In this city, Dec. 23, 1882, to the wife of Mr. Jas. McDonnell, a daughter.

Real Estate Transactions for December.

J. and E. Conser to T. J. Cheshire, lot in Eugene; con. \$350. C. M. Horn to O. Beckwith, lot in Eugene; con. \$2000. E. E. Fitch to M. E. Bosworth, lot in Creswell; con. \$200.

John Cogswell to F. M. Wilkins, lot in Eugene; con. \$900. G. Fisher to G. M. Pratten, 1.82 acres; con. \$400. J. Zumwalt to H. Gates, 80 acres; con. \$1000.

A. Renfro to J. H. Smith, 20 acres; con. \$800. J. H. Smith to A. Renfro, 160 acres; con. \$500. Wm. Killingsworth to C. M. Horn, lot in Eugene; con. \$1250.

R. H. Hazleton to N. P. Chriaman, lot in Cottage Grove; con. \$100. A. J. Burneson to Orville Green, 36 acres; con. \$300. J. N. Luper to Jacob Ogle, land; con. \$7870.

Bell Jennings to J. H. McClung, land; con. \$2800. J. H. McClung to H. Mellon, land; con. \$6000. James Mulkey to G. W. Houck, 320 acres; con. \$950.

A. F. Johnson to Jos. Chapin and Louisa Thompson, lot in Cottage Grove; con. \$210. Wm. Cummings to W. G. Luckey and W. J. Luckey, 312 acres; con. \$900. Wm. Cavanaugh to Byron Ellmaker, 10 acres; con. \$50.

Robt. Carey to Geo. C. Miller, land; con. \$2000. Geo. C. Miller to Robt. Carey, land; con. \$2000. Wm. Churchill to A. P. Churchill, land; con. \$5000. N. L. Strange to John M. Roberts, 820 acres; con. \$3200.

Geo. M. Cooper to N. L. Strange, 320 acres; con. \$1700. H. A. Willis to P. C. Nolan, 154 acres; con. \$608. J. M. Morse to P. C. Nolan, 10 acres; con. \$100.

Im. Hawley to P. C. Nolan, 11 acres; con. \$55. W. C. Martin to P. C. Nolan, 11 acres; con. \$150.

A. W. Wallace, per Sheriff, to J. C. Yates, land; con. \$175. Green Sweeney to L. Dennis, land; con. \$150. F. B. Mason to Maxwell and Linder, lot in Eugene; con. \$350. Same; con. \$350.

Cottage Grove Items.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.] COTTAGE GROVE, Dec. 26, 1882.

Mr. Ira Hoffman is very sick with lung fever, at the residence of Mr. Robt. Carey. There was a large attendance at the ball on the 23d, notwithstanding the unfavorable weather.

Married—at the residence of the bride's father, Dec. 26, 1882, by Rev. C. H. Wallace, Mr. Thos. Gough to Miss Ella Carey.

Christmas morning came clear and frosty, and the day was a lively one, both young and old feeling animated by the prospect of having a chance to bestow gifts to their loved ones, to be remembered in the future. The Christmas tree was loaded with those friendly tokens, and the best of feeling prevailed. The brass band poured forth its melodious strains to enliven the occasion. We noticed in the throng several familiar faces from Eugene, among whom were Mr. Orin Moore and wife, Mr. and Miss Gross, and Mr. Darwin Bristow.

PRASE SERVICE.

A praise service will be held at the M. E. Church, Sunday evening, Dec. 31st, for the benefit of the Sunday School. The programme consists of songs, recitations, etc. Admission, 10 cents.

DIED.—At his residence on the McKeanie,

9 miles east of Eugene, Dec. 23d, 1882, Mr. E. D. Lowell, aged 74 years. Mr. L. was a brother of Mr. S. P. Lowell of this city.

Holiday Goods! I HAVE THE LARGEST STOCK Which I Will Sell CHEAPER THAN ANY HOUSE IN EUGENE.

Call and see before purchasing Elsewhere.

Butter, Eggs and Chickens bought for Cash, or taken in exchange for goods at HIGHEST CASH RATES.

G. BETTMAN.

I DEFY COMPETITION LIVE AND LET LIVE.

Must and will sell for 40 days only, 10,000 pair of

Boots & Shoes,

Which I will sell at a sacrifice in order to make room for the large stock of goods for our Spring and Summer trade for Ladies, Misses, Children and Infants Wear. Also Boots and Shoes for Gents and Brogans for all.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Ladies Peble Goat lace for... \$1 65; Ladies Buff Calf lace for... 1 65; Ladies Half Cloth and Leather lace... 1 25; Ladies Half Cloth and Leather button... 2 00; Ladies Half Cloth and Leather button... 2 50; Ladies Peble Goat button... 2 75; Ladies American Kid button... 2 25.

MISSES.

Calf Lace, full stock, \$1 50, worth \$2 00; Calf Button, \$ 2 25, worth \$3 00; Peble Goat Button, \$2 00, worth \$2 50; American Kid Button, \$2 25, worth \$3 00; Peble Calf Lace, \$1 35, worth \$1 75.

CHILDREN'S.

Calf Lace, \$1 00, worth \$1 25; Calf Lace, \$1 25, worth \$1 50; Peble Lace, Box Toe, \$1 50, worth \$1 75; Peble Button, Box Toe, \$1 50, worth \$1 75; Peble Button Kid Top, \$1 25, worth \$1 50.

We have also on hand a large stock of infants shoes which we will sell at Cost. We have rubbers for ladies' and misses for 50 cents; for children, 40 cents; we have rubbers for gents for 75 cents and \$1 00. Also a few more cases of short leg rubber boots which we will sell at \$3 50, sold elsewhere at \$4 80. These goods must be sold inside of 40 days as we will have the largest and most complete stock of BOOTS and SHOES ever brought to Oregon, so if you want bargains call early and secure them.

I am now ready to do half-soleing for 75 cents.

WORKINGMENS BOOT AND SHOE STORE! MARK BARNETT.