

CITY AND COUNTY.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Mr. Villard at the University.

Cottage Grove Items.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

The Siuslaw Road.

FRIDAY, April 23, 1883.

EDITOR GUARD:—As I have been informed that the County Commissioners are doubtful as to whether they have a legal right to make further appropriations to aid in the opening of the Siuslaw wagon road to tide-water on that river, I have taken the liberty of expressing my views on the subject. The code of Oregon provides, on page 333, sections 3 and 4, that the county commissioners may "aid" in the construction of public highways on petition, &c. A review of the history of the road discloses the fact that in the spring of 1882 subscriptions were solicited and private subscriptions taken amounting to about \$1500 in money, labor and material. A superintendent was appointed, and the first work (after the survey) commenced in June, 1882, and all the subscription collected was expended on the work. Shortly after, petitions were extensively circulated in various parts of the county and numerous signed. So we are to presume the commissioners were satisfied that section 4 had been complied with, and an appropriation of \$1500 was made, and subsequently \$3000, to aid in the construction of the road. (Our figures may not be quite right, but the case is the same.) All the above was expended during the summer and fall of 1882, and about 22 miles (the worst part) of the road was completed, except blasting on two or three rocky points, leaving 14 miles still to be opened to the end of the survey at deep water. Now I would inquire if it would be right to ask the friends of the road to go over the grounds again with new petitions, before the commissioners would be justified in completing the work already begun by their predecessors; or let the thousands of dollars already expended become a total loss to the county. The opening of the road would be of great benefit to the county at large by giving us an independent outlet to the ocean. With the best bar for many miles north or south, a good harbor and deep water for many miles into the interior, and splendid timber on the tributaries, it would develop an immense lumbering region, also dairying, fruit growing and hop raising, and be a great convenience to the many worthy settlers already located along the streams and near its mouth. It would also be a great inducement for many more to settle in and improve that portion of our county, and at the same time open up a summer resort for those of leisure and means, where they may fish and hunt to their heart's content without leaving the county. After due consideration, if it should not be considered legal, reasonable and profitable, let us abandon the enterprise, and in future weigh well all such projects before commencement and not abandon them when half completed. Respectfully, A. C. JENKINS.

Salutatory. With this issue of the University column, we assume the duties of Editor, and take upon us all the attendant trials and tribulations. We have always set it down that the lot of an editor is an arduous one; and when we see in the misty realms of the future, heaps of manuscripts, the result of sleepless hours and a prodigious waste of lamp-light, our courage almost deserts us. But we nevertheless take encouragement in the reflection that our mature years, and of course, great experience may enable us to surmount all difficulties. Yet, we would have it understood that while we so estimate ourselves, we will try to be generous and not make our column so elegant and fascinating as to eclipse all like efforts, for we remember, when we were young, how embarrassing it was to be overshadowed by the masterly genius of others! With these few prefatory remarks, we dismiss the subject, hoping for the kind indulgence of all.

Brief Items. Word with the seniors: "Does your picture flatter you?" Query:—What is to be inferred when a gentleman calls on a lady three times in one day? Miss Lucy Murch is teaching school near Latham. May she have success in her new vocation. The trigonometry class has finished that book very creditably, and has taken up analytical geometry. Give me liberty to know, to think, to believe, and to utter freely, according to conscience, above all other liberties.—John Milton. Our distinguished benefactor, Mr. Henry Villard, paid a short visit to the University last Monday. He renewed his promise of future aid. Miss Reubie Spiller, who graduated in last year's class, and who is now attending Wesley College, is spending her vacation visiting friends in Boston. The names of several of the University teachers and students appear on the programme of the State Institute, to be held in this city on May 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th. Miss Stelle Whiteaker, who is teaching near Junction, paid her friends in Eugene a short visit last week, and reports herself well pleased with her school. The small boys who held the door when a Prof. wished admittance, under the impression it was some other boys, felt "smaller" when they discovered their mistake. The Laureates have elected new officers. Wonder if the new administration will have "grit" enough to find a question for open session, after they have decided to give one. Last week the Eutaxians debated the question, "Resolved, that the jury system is a failure and ought to be abolished." Decision was rendered in favor of the negative. The decorations that were put up last year for commencement were taken down a few days ago by the lady seniors, and the appearance of the auditorium is much improved. "Life is made up, not of great sacrifices or duties, but of little things, in which smiles and kindness and small obligations give habitually, are what win and preserve the heart and secure comfort."

Final Report of Grand Jury. The grand jury of Lane county, State of Oregon, for the April term, 1883, and for their final report say: That we have examined into all crimes brought to our knowledge; that we have examined the different county buildings and offices, and find that it is necessary to improve the county jail in the following particulars: That a well built sink close to and adjoining said jail, and that a pipe be laid from said well into said jail and proper appliances erected to draw the water therein, and erect a wash sink therein, and further, lay a pipe from said sink for the purpose of carrying off the slops and refuse water, the said pipe to communicate with a cesspool to be dug at a convenient place near the said jail for that purpose. We therefore recommend that said necessary improvements be made. We have examined the Clerk's office and county vault, and find the walls of said vault on north and east sides cracked and the north-east corner of said vault considerably sunk down, thus rendering said vault unsafe for the protection of the county records in case of fire, and therefore recommend that the necessary repairs be made to put said vault in a safe and proper condition. We find the office of the Clerk kept in excellent condition and in good order, with credit to said Clerk. We have also examined the Sheriff's and Treasurer's offices and find them both well kept and in good order and condition, doing credit to the incumbents of said offices. Otherwise than the above we find everything kept in good order in and about the Court House. JOHN TAIT, Foreman of Grand Jury.

Personal. We are pleased to notice the form of Mr. B. H. James upon our streets again. Mr. W. M. Renshaw left on the last steamer for California, where he goes to visit relatives. Mr. Wm. F. Osburn arrived in town by last Tuesday's train, on a visit to relatives and friends. Joel McCormack and Mr. Offutt left yesterday for the Lower Siuslaw to investigate lands in that vicinity. Wm. Moore and Mr. Smith went to the Siuslaw this week for the purpose of investigating timber lands. Mr. A. D. Cook, who recently went to Albany to work, has returned home. He reports Altany very dull. Mr. S. E. Goodman is at present employed as Wells, Fargo & Co.'s messenger on the N. P. Railroad near Wallula. Mr. Ben Whiteaker, son of Gov. Whiteaker, went to Salem on last Saturday's train, and has entered the Billard School at that place. Miss Mary Test, formerly of Eugene, is in New York studying instrumental music, where she will remain for some time before going to Europe. Dr. Hemmenway, who was post surgeon at Fort Klamath for a long time, has been ordered to Fort Vancouver, W. T., and passed through Eugene last Saturday, accompanied by his family. The doctor is a genial gentleman and a first-class practitioner. Rev. A. P. Anderson and his estimable family left for their new home at Oregon City yesterday. We regret the departure of Mr. Anderson and family from Eugene, as they were among our best citizens, and are highly respected by all acquainted with them. We commend them to the good people of Oregon City.

Should be Increased.—The mail service on the route between Eugene City and the McKenzie bridge should at least be increased to a semi-weekly. A large amount of mail goes over this route, and we think the government should immediately order the increase of service. We call Postal Agent Simpson's special attention to this route.

Notice and Judas Valley Items. H. Callaway is working the Rev. J. C. Richardson ranch, in Judas Valley. There is a material difference in the looks of the McDaniel estate since its purchase. The general health of our valley is much improved, the fatal and much dreaded fever having nearly disappeared. Rev. J. C. Richardson, formerly of Judas Valley, but now a resident of Eugene, I understand, has sent to California for his father to come to Eugene and spend the remainder of his days with him and his wife. They are both very much attached to the old gentleman and are very anxious for his return. PRONER.

BRICK YARD.—The hands for the brick yard have arrived and are putting things into shape as speedily as possible. A large amount of brick will be used here this summer.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.—The following resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Judge C. W. Fitch were passed by the Circuit Court, Monday, April 16, 1883: WHEREAS, It has pleased an all-wise Providence to remove from our midst by the hand of death Hon. C. W. Fitch, therefore be it RESOLVED, that by the death of Hon. C. W. Fitch, the Bar of this judicial district has lost one of its brightest members, the county an efficient and faithful officer; the community a good citizen, and his family a kind and affectionate husband and father. RESOLVED, That a memorial page be set apart in the journal of this court, and that these resolutions be entered thereon and filed. RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions, under the seal of this court, be transmitted to the family of our late brother of the Bar, C. W. FITCH. RESOLVED, That this court do now adjourn until to-morrow morning, out of respect to the memory of our late brother C. W. Fitch. Respectfully submitted, JOSHUA J. WALTON, GEO. S. WASHBURN, L. BILLEY.

A WOMAN'S DEAD SHOT.—One Smith, alias Murphy, alias Beck, at Missoula, Montana, was shot and killed by Mrs. Judge Stephens, while affecting an entrance to her house on the night of the 18th. He is one of a hard gang and was run out of Butte by the vigilance committee. There is talk of organizing a vigilance committee at Missoula. The judge was not at home at the time of the shooting.

WORKING-MAN'S STONE.—The Portland Daily News has enlarged to a seven-column quarto and shows signs of improvement. An individual from Southern Oregon was arrested this week for disorderly conduct and fined \$17. A nice assortment of cut patterns for ladies' and children's clothes at R. G. Callison & Co.'s, at New York rates. Seven cans tomatoes for one dollar, and other canned goods cheap, at Swift & Co.'s. This year's put up and fresh. Mr. S. H. Friendly will pay the highest cash market price for wheat. Give him a call before selling your grain elsewhere. Some excellent hop land for sale in tracts from 10 acres upward. Price from \$8 to \$12 per acre. GEO. M. MILLER.

Mr. J. R. Rhineland, Eugene's enterprising painter, is busily engaged at present numbering and placing business firms' advertisements upon the postoffice boxes. To-morrow evening, April 25th, Dr. Geary will preach on a subject particularly interesting to students, "The Universe the School of Mind." All are cordially invited to be present. A Goldsmith has just arrived from France with an immense stock of fresh groceries and a fine stock of glassware, which he will sell cheaper than anyone in Eugene. If you want bargains in boots and shoes, call around and see for yourself, as I do not want any of these goods in my new building next summer. Working-Man's Store, opposite the postoffice. A patent medicine "Doctor" spoke his little piece upon our streets last Thursday evening, but did not succeed in selling a dime's worth of his "all-healing" medicines. He says Eugene must be an extraordinary healthy place. Rev. D. E. Bushnell, D. D., of San Jose, will preach at 11 o'clock to-morrow at the Presbyterian Church, at the request of the pastor, and there will be no services at that hour at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Call at my office and get some of these circulars descriptive of the country and send East to your friends. They contain more information, such as the immigrant wants, than you can write in a letter of twenty pages. GEO. M. MILLER.

At the VARIETY STORE, for a big American dollar, you can buy either 9 lbs. coffee, 14 lbs. rice, 10 lbs. sugar, 3 lbs. tea, 12 lbs. Boston's soap, 35 good candles, 8 cans tomatoes, 100 nut-megs, or anything you want will be ordered direct from San Francisco for a very small commission. T. J. GEHRE, Manager.

PROPERTY PURCHASED.—Mrs. J. G. Brownlee has purchased the lot on the corner of Seventh and Oak streets, paying \$550 for the same. We understand she will build thereon during the coming summer.

MARRIED.—At the house of the bride's father, in Lane county, Oregon, on the 25th of April, 1883, by Elder G. M. Whitney, Mr. Oliver Hyde and Miss Laura Bussey.

IMPROVEMENTS.—More building will be done in Eugene for the season of 1883 than any year in its history. A good indication of our prosperity.

Programme of the Sessions to be held at Eugene Next Week. A teachers' institute for the second judicial district will be held at the public school hall in Eugene, May 1, 2, 3 and 4. Following is the committee of arrangements: Hon. R. G. Callison, Hon. R. R. Cochran, President J. W. Johnson, Hon. T. G. Hendricks, Hon. L. Blyen, Mrs. L. G. Adair, Miss Nettie McCormack. The committee on music is as follows: Prof. J. E. Fenton, Mrs. M. G. Odell, Miss Alice Dorris, Prof. E. E. Burke, Miss Mia Underwood.

PROGRAMME. TUESDAY, MAY 1—EVENING SESSION. Address of welcome, Prof. J. E. Fenton, Prin. Pub. School, Eugene City. Responses, Prof. H. L. Benson, Principal Umpqua Academy. Address, President Van Scoy, Willamette University. Lecture, Prof. George H. Collier, State University.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2—1 O'CLOCK P. M. Institute work and organization, Superintendent E. B. McElroy. History—Methods of teaching, Prof. J. E. Fenton. Sill's Grammar, Prof. T. M. Martin, Lane county. "Miscellaneous," Dr. J. H. N. Bell, Corvallis.

THURSDAY, MAY 3—MORNING SESSION. Discussion, "Best Methods of Teaching Penmanship." Leaders: Prof. J. W. Herron of Polk county, J. M. Neville of Lane county. Orthography, methods of, Miss G. E. McLaughery of Eugene public school. Methods of Teaching Composition, Superintendent F. Nigler of Polk county. General discussion, "Primary Reading and Spelling."

AFTERNOON SESSION. School Hygiene, Dr. A. Sharpley of Eugene City. Normal lecture, Miss A. R. Lass of Willamette University. Moral Training in Public Schools, Miss N. McCormack of Eugene public schools. Physical Geography, Prof. D. H. Hartson of Polk county. Normal lecture, President D. T. Stanley of State Normal school, Monmouth. Discussion, "How to Secure Punctuality." Leaders: J. E. Fenton of Lane county, M. Jenkins of Lane, Lincoln Taylor of Lane.

FRIDAY, MAY 4—MORNING SESSION. Discussion—Organization of Schools. Leaders: Supt. P. A. Moses of Linn county, G. K. Hale of Lane county, J. M. Neville of Lane county. English Grammar—Mrs. M. P. Spiller of State University. Discussion—Methods of Teaching Mental Arithmetic. Leader, Hon. H. B. Webb of Douglas county. Relations and Duties of Directors to the Public Schools—Hon. R. B. Cochran, Lane county. Discussion—Written Arithmetic. Leaders, Supt. E. A. Milner, Benton county, Prof. A. F. Herschler, Corvallis, Prof. D. W. Jarvis of Polk county. Drill Elements—Prof. B. A. Cather, Principal Roseburg public school.

AFTERNOON SESSION. Discussion—Should Text Books be Printed Questions? Leaders: Hon. L. Blyen, Eugene City, C. K. Hale Lane county. Qualifications of Teachers—Mrs. M. C. Fenton, Eugene City. Discussion—English Literature in Schools. Leaders: Prof. E. E. Burke, State University, Prof. H. L. Benson, Douglas county. Class drill in Calisthenics—Miss Mia Underwood, Eugene public school. Lecture—Prof. Thos. Condon of State University.

EVENING SESSION. Recreational entertainment. Executive committee—E. B. McElroy, Superintendent of Public Instruction; Supt. A. W. Patterson, Lane county; Supt. F. W. Benson, Douglas county; Supt. E. A. Milner, Benton county.

REMARKS.—Last Thursday Messrs. Geo. Swift and E. G. Clark hired the new carriage just received by Mr. John Stewart, and accompanied by lady friends, concluded to attend the picnic on the McKenzie River. All went well until after they had arrived at the grounds and hitched the horses to a tree, when the animals, becoming scared, broke the halter and proceeded to demolish the \$350 carriage in first-class style. After running several hundred yards, the team overturned the vehicle and were captured. The party had to be sent to town for another conveyance, and returned to town about 10 o'clock P. M., sadder but wiser. It will cost in the neighborhood of \$100 to make good the damages.

RENTED.—Mr. J. M. Hicks, of Minneapolis, has rented the building formerly occupied by the late J. D. Kinsey, and is buying all the coming fruit crop available, with a view of causing the same for shipment East. Such an enterprise will doubtless prove profitable, as well as to furnish a market for all the surplus fruit raised here.

I. O. O. F. PICNIC.—The picnic given by the Coburg Old Fellows was numerously attended. The procession was led by the Harbinger brass band. Judge J. J. Walton delivered the address, which was highly complimentary. Everybody in attendance had a pleasant time.

FARM SOLD.—Messrs. Robt. and Bala Vaughn have sold their farm, consisting of 300 acres, including the present crop, for the sum of \$12,000, to Mr. Philippi, of Linn county.

TELEGRAPH OFFICE REMOVED.—The Western Union Telegraph office has been removed from the depot to a room over Wilkins' drug store.

Mr. Henry Villard, on his return from Southern Oregon, paid the University a short visit. He was met at the railroad near the campus by the Faculty and many friends of the institution and escorted to the University building. A crowd of people and students assembled in the auditorium to hear a few remarks from Mr. Villard, President Johnson introduced Mr. Villard to the audience, who came forward and made a short speech. He said he was very much pleased to meet the students and people, but he could stay only a few moments, and hence could not say but little. He said the Faculty and friends that he proposed to take as much interest in the prosperity and welfare of the institution in the future as he had in the past. He referred to his proposition to the Legislature to give the institution \$50,000 as a permanent endowment, provided the Legislature would give as much, and when he inquired of President Johnson to ascertain how much the tenth of a mill would yield per annum, and was told it would be about \$5,000, he said he intended to give as much as the Legislature. He mentioned the fact that his time was all occupied in constructing the great transcontinental railway, the Northern Pacific, which would be completed in a few months, and then he would have more time to pay us a visit. He thanked the audience for their kind attention, and said he wished to have an interview with the Faculty and Regents. The audience was then dismissed, and he was shown through the different apartments of the University, especially the library room and philosophical apparatus to see the library Mr. Villard donated to the University, and also the additional apparatus. He seemed to be very much pleased with his visit, and although he remained but a few moments, he said much to encourage the Faculty in their noble work.

To be Extended to Junction. Mr. Henry Villard, the manager of all the railroad lines in the Northwest, has given notice that the O. & C. E. R. Co. intends extending its line from Corvallis to Junction City. Orders have been given to immediately commence the work of extension, a distance of about twenty-five miles. The work will be comparatively easy. There are two rivers to bridge—the Mary's and the Long Tom, and considerable trestle work will have to be built across the low lands between Monroe and Junction. For about twenty miles of the distance the road will run through a rich agricultural region. It is understood the link will be finished before winter. We congratulate the citizens of Junction upon the prospective completion of the road, as it will send a renewed current of life through the business interests of that city. We learn that Mr. J. H. Berry is already talking of building a large hotel there.

The "Gum Boot Route" in Oregon. We clip the following dispatch from Wednesday's Oregonian: WASHINGTON, April 24.—In the star route case, after recess, Kerr took up the "gum boot route" from Eugene City to Bridge Creek, Ore. on, so called because one of the postmasters to be used that the mail over the upper route was carried in one rubber boot. Kerr summed up the evidence concerning this route, with the following expressive rhyme: The mail was small, Some any at all; A letter or two and a paper, Went over this route, In the leg of a boot; And the horse on a five-mile caper. [Laughter.] "And," Mr. Kerr added, "the contract was made for a profit of \$900 per annum. The route from Canby to Camp McDermott, Oregon, was next taken up, and consideration of the evidence relating to it occupied the line up to adjournment."

Collegiate Items. The school at this place has closed for want of patronage. Miss Orilla Vanbur, daughter of Thomas Vaughn, has gone on a visit to her brother's, who resides in Idaho. Scarcely any of the farmers in this vicinity are heavy seeders, on account of the late heavy rains, but the grain that has been sown looks fine. The mill at this place is being repaired so that as soon as they get their logs they will go to sawing. Several men are at work putting in logs on the McKenzie River. Rev. B. S. McLaughery, of Eugene, preached at the Old Fellows' hall last Sunday. There is Sunday school at the same place every Sunday. A Sunday school will be organized at the Coburg hall the first Sunday in May.

CARP CULTURE.—Mrs. J. C. Tolman, says the Ashland Tidings, has embarked in the fish raising business. She has one German carp which represents an outlay of \$32. Sometime since she sent to Eugene for twenty dollars' worth of carp, having a nice place for their occupation on the Judge's farm above Ashland. The expressage on the fish amounted to \$12, and only one of the whole lot survived the transportation. Thirty-two dollars for one fish is a price which beats the charges for fancy chicken eggs. The one fish was doing well at last report, butting his "homoneness." Whether he will "increase and multiply" or not we leave to the future to determine.

WOMEN MILLS.—In conversation with a leading business man, we learn that the contemplated woolen factory at this place is about to become a reality. Eugene certainly has a great water power and a vast producing country about it, and there is no reason why a factory of this kind, as well as others, should not pay.—Portland News. We hope the above may be true, but we have not heard the subject matter talked here recently.

CROSSWALKS.—By order of the City Council, the numerous crosswalks on Willamette street have been torn up and removed, and hereafter such walks will only be allowed at the intersection of alleys. We believe that the business interests of the city demand at least three to the block.

FOLEY SPRINGS.—Readers of the GUARD will please read the advertisement of the Foley Springs, in another column. Campers are cordially invited, notwithstanding reports to the contrary.

RESIGNED.—At the last meeting of Eugene Engine Co., J. M. Sloan resigned as a member of the Board of Fire Delegates, and Mr. J. H. McClung was unanimously elected to the position.

Frank Woolley's child is better. Mrs. Hamilton Veatch is very sick with bilious fever.

Mr. J. H. Hunt, of Siuslaw, was in town Saturday. We learn that Mrs. Yancy's health is improving somewhat.

There is a general complaining of colds this changeable weather. There was a little row between some young chaps here last Saturday.

We had quite a snow Monday, the 23d, and frost and ice Tuesday morning.

Mr. R. W. Veatch has taken a ranch; so, girls, beware, for he is a "heart-throber."

Mrs. Huntley, of Oakland, returned home Monday. She has been visiting here at Mr. Frack Whipple's.

Mr. Hocketier is doing a good business in the picture line. His tent is crowded nearly all the time.

There has been some complaint of grain being injured on low lands by the cool and excessive rains.

We learn that Mrs. N. P. Chrisman is detained east of the mountains on account of the smallpox being there.

It is amusing to see the young ladies exerting themselves to look prettier than nature intended when they set for a picture.

We understand that the game law does not much check hunting and running deer with hounds in the vicinity of Brambaugh's mill.

Yesterday and to-day came in clear and bright; consequently we feel cheerful, as the mud will soon be dried up and the miserable roads good again.

We understand that a certain young clerk of this place has let the contract of filling up the cavity in his head, caused by the extraction of his teeth not long since, to Dr. Strange, of Drain, which will add materially to his looks, and doubtless to his comfort.

AFEX. Circuit Court. The following cases were disposed of by the Circuit Court after we went to press last week:

State of Oregon vs Henry Carter and Wm. Breeding; assault with a dangerous weapon. Fined \$50 each.

C. F. Clough vs Mary Clough; suit for divorce. Granted.

Missouri Evans vs Jasper Evans; suit for divorce. Granted.

H. E. Gardner vs Wm. P. Gardner; suit for divorce. Referee's report filed. Taken under advisement.

J. Woodbridge vs E. Woodbridge; suit for divorce. Granted.

L. Salomon vs J. A. Bushnell; to recover personal property. Judgment of non-suit.

W. H. Baber vs F. G. Vaughan; to recover money. Judgment for plaintiff for \$502.93 and interest and \$93 attorney fees.

R. V. Howard vs F. Kratz et al; to settle partnership. Referred to T. J. Smith to take testimony.

Mary G. Ritchey et al vs Josiah Craig et al; suit for partition. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Malvina J. Hays vs Joel A. Pitney et al; suit for partition. Referee's report confirmed.

School Commissioners vs Wm. Holland; worth; suit for foreclosure. Continued.

Mary A. Love vs Gideon Cantowine; to settle deed. Transferred to Linn county.

J. P. Chesher vs C. W. Washburne; to recover money. Continued.

T. M. Hamilton vs J. E. Attebery; suit for injunction. Judgment made perpetual.

J. E. Bosserman vs S. E. McClure; to recover money. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Jerry Yarnell vs J. B. Underwood et al; foreclosure. Decree of foreclosure granted.

J. W. Majors vs G. W. Foster; to recover money. Judgment for want of answer.

Springfield Items. SPRINGFIELD, April 26, 1883. Mr. James Ebbert and wife propose visiting Eastern Oregon soon. We are sorry to say that Wm. McFee is lying dangerously ill at his home of typhoid pneumonia. The farmers are taking advantage of the beautiful weather. They believe in making hay while the sun shines. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodman start for the Spokane country next week, where they go to visit their daughter, Mrs. Gilbert.

In giving the number of business houses last week, we failed to mention the boot and shoe shop. We beg your pardon, Johnnie.

John of Springfield is going to Montana, where he expects to reap a rich harvest, as the machinery there certainly will not be so hard to handle as in Lane county. The members of the star chamber will be left out in the cold.

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BRIEF MENTION.

Pleasant weather. Next Tuesday May Day. Fishing parties numerous. Cherry & Day, undertakers. For good dentistry go to Clark. Bring your chickens to Bettman's. Property on the rise in Eugene. Circuit Court adjourned Wednesday. Syrup of Figs at Luckey & Bristow's. Job work a specialty at the GUARD office. Parker's Ginger Tonic at Luckey & Bristow's.

All kinds of grain seeds for sale at A Goldsmith's. Cheapest tobacco in town at the VARIETY STORE. The highest cash price paid for wheat by F B Dana.

Try Carolina Tolu Tonic, at Luckey & Bristow's. Go to Mrs Fenton and Powell for fashionable dressmaking. See new advertisement of Cherry & Day in another column. Go to Swift & Co.'s for fresh California candies, crackers, &c.

One boy took two shots at another one day this week. No arrests. Swift & Co. will pay the highest market price for chickens.

It is none too soon to begin talking up a Fourth of July celebration. The GUARD has the largest circulation of any paper in Lane county.

A fine line of silk plushes in all shades and grades at F B Dana's. The only place where you can always get your chickens is at Bettman's.

Geo. E. L. Applegate, of Klamath county, talks of removing to Ashland. A full assortment of ladies, misses and children underware at Bettman's.

The brick building one door south of the Grange Store will be sold Monday. Freshest and finest groceries, cigars and candies at Swift & Co.'s. Try them.

Swift & Co.'s goods are all new and bought for cash, and are sold cheap for cash. Hides, furs, chickens and all kinds of produce bought for cash at A. Goldsmith's.

A good stock of paints, oils and varnishes always on hand at Luckey & Bristow's. The picnic held at Spores' bridge, on the McKenzie, was a very successful affair.

See the advertisement of Byers & Co., of Cottage Grove. They sell at low prices. Swift & Co. sell canned goods, put up this year, as cheap as can be bought in town.

The Commercial Herald, published at Portland, is a valuable paper to the merchant. I will guarantee every pair of boots and shoes that is put on me.

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A patent medicine "Doctor" spoke his little piece upon our streets last Thursday evening, but did not succeed in selling a dime's worth of his "all-healing" medicines. He says Eugene must be an extraordinary healthy place. Rev. D. E. Bushnell, D. D., of San Jose, will preach at 11 o'clock to-morrow at the Presbyterian Church, at the request of the pastor, and there will be no services at that hour at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Call at my office and get some of these circulars descriptive of the country and send East to your friends. They contain more information, such as the immigrant wants, than you can write in a letter of twenty pages. GEO. M. MILLER.

At the VARIETY STORE, for a big American dollar, you can buy either 9 lbs. coffee, 14 lbs. rice, 10 lbs. sugar, 3 lbs. tea, 12 lbs. Boston's soap, 35 good candles, 8 cans tomatoes, 100 nut-megs, or anything you want will be ordered direct from San Francisco for a very small commission. T. J. GEHRE, Manager.

PROPERTY PURCHASED.—Mrs. J. G. Brownlee has purchased the lot on the corner of Seventh and Oak streets, paying \$550 for the same. We understand she will build thereon during the coming summer.

MARRIED.—At the house of the bride's father, in Lane county, Oregon, on the 25th of April, 1883, by Elder G. M. Whitney, Mr. Oliver Hyde and Miss Laura Bussey.

IMPROVEMENTS.—More building will be done in Eugene for the season of 1883 than any year in its history. A good indication of our prosperity.