

CITY AND COUNTY.

BRIEF MENTION.

County jail empty. Thanksgiving next Thursday. See Sheriff's sales in another column. All kinds of grain seeds for sale at A. Goldsmith's. Roast turkey and cranberry sauce is approaching.

The Siuslaw Bar.

We publish the following correspondence, for the benefit of those interested in the Lower Siuslaw country. It seems from the Engineers' report that the water on the bar is very shallow, which is a serious fact, when it is known that several different vessels, drawing from ten to fourteen feet, have passed over the bar during the past year.

The Oregon City Fishway.

Walter Baldwin, of Corvallis, appointed by the Legislature to look after the fish way at Oregon City, and Messrs Moore and Carswell of the carp crew, have returned from Oregon City, whither they went to make an examination of the falls. They report that there will be no difficulty in putting in the proposed McDonald ladder. It will not, however, be put in over the falls, as most people suppose, but along side of the canal which will prove a better and cheaper plan.

Tay Items.

Fair weather still continues. Our store is to be enlarged. Coyotes still continue to kill sheep in this vicinity. Mr A D Hyland has been enlarging his store lately.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

A column devoted to the interests of the Laurens and Estacian Literary Societies, and the State University. JENNIE McCLEURE, EDITOR. Brief Items. Thanksgiving next Thursday.

Personal.

Mr A Lurch, of Cottage Grove, paid Eugene a visit last Thursday. Now is the time for our merchants to advertise holiday goods. It will pay.

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