

CITY AND COUNTY.

BRIEF MENTIONS.

Read our supplement. City taxes now delinquent. For good dentistry go to Clark. Bring your chickens to Bettman's. Baker, the tailor, boasts of a new sign. Election Nov 4th—one week from Tuesday. Fishing tackle of every description at Luckey & Co's. Farmers are busy putting in their fall grain. Mens' clothing. A large stock just arrived at Bettman's. The frame of Sloan's new livery stable has been raised. Photographs finished neatly and artistically at Winter's.

A ROUSING RECEPTION.

Tendered to W D Fenton, the Eloquent Orator of Yamhill.

Last Wednesday night a torchlight procession two blocks long, and wild cheers from the assembled multitudes, paraded the streets of our city and escorted the Hon W D Fenton, candidate for Presidential Elector, to the place of speaking. The court house was at once packed full of people and many could not obtain entrance. After three cheers had been given for our candidates with a hearty good will, the speaker of the evening, Hon W D Fenton, was introduced in a neat little speech by Hon R B Cochran. The address was at once brilliant, able and powerful, holding the audience in breath for the whole. His happy hits and keen home thrusts were enthusiastically applauded. An abstract of Mr Fenton's speech does it injustice, from the fact that it was so compressed, and pointed and connected. There is not a superfluous word in the whole address, and many ordinary speakers would have required five hours to have presented the same arguments. The address in full should be printed, and placed in the hands of every voter in the State.

The Reception of the Big Monopolist at Salem.

Some of the strange features of the Dolph meeting at Salem described by the correspondent at that place of the Sunday Welcome, would seem to indicate that "reform is needed" among the Republican "bosses" of Marion county. The Dolph meeting had many peculiar features which were carefully noted by the voters of Marion county. The fireworks were purchased by our citizens last Fourth of July and not used, and "naturally" fell into the hands of this crowd—in some dark manner, of course. The economy of craftily obtaining the rockets would do honor to the reputation of McFadden Pattin, the consul. Another noticeable feature was the unceremonious thrusting out of the torch rank that distinguished pyrotechnical engineer, Tom Scott, and substituting a gentleman from Asia by the euphonious name of Jim Chung. Tom Scott and his entire corps of sappers and miners are slow to be reconciled to cheap Chinese labor. Dolph's Portland crowd made a nice show on the streets with their little torches, but they were all mad because the men of Salem sent hoodlum boys who were not voters to take places in the procession.

GRAND DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

Speeches by Hon J M Geary and E L McKee, of Portland.

Hon John M Geary and Robt L McKee, of Portland, will address the citizens of Lane county on the political issues of the day, at the court house in Eugene City, on FRIDAY EVENING, Oct 31st, at 7:30 p m. Everybody invited to attend, especially the ladies. These are two of the best talkers in Oregon. The Cleveland club will appear in full uniform. Mohawk Items. October 21, 1884. News scarce. Good people plenty. Miss Sallie McGhee was visiting in Eugene last week. J M Spores raised over 3000 pounds of hops on one acre. Robt Shelton, of Eugene, was visiting Geo Scott last Sunday. Mr Pope, merchant of Portland, was on Mohawk the first of the week. Some farmers are using their hop houses for drying corn, pumpkins, apples, etc. The apple crop is good in this valley, and Bruin makes a visit now and then. Misses May Hammitt and Sarah Yarnall were visiting friends in Eugene last week. Mr A W Ison is again working on the new brick hotel in Eugene. Geo Yarnall is on a trip to Buzzard Roost last Sunday, and Monday went to Cottage Grove. If the Cottage Grove correspondent will watch closely, he will occasionally see two of a Mohawk's young men wandering about there. One of our young men stays at home now and whistles the time, "The girl I left behind me." Rev Mr Baxter preached last Sunday at the Upper school house. Next Sunday he will preach at the Ware school house. A young man started Sunday morning to see his girl. He could not cross the river on the drift and the ferry boat was sunk so he "oonied" the ferry rope. "Patience wins."

Personal.

Judge R S Brown has been holding court at Roseburg this week. Mr R M Cull, of Cottage Grove, paid Eugene a visit yesterday. Mr A Stint of this city has been visiting at Salem during the week. Mr Casey, a substantial farmer of Woodburn, called upon us last Saturday. Mr Eugene McCornack was in town this week visiting relatives and friends. Messrs C E Byers and G W Gibson, of Smithfield, were in town during the week. Messrs J P Shields, David Mosby and E W Whipple, of Cottage Grove, were in town this week. Miss Eliza Goldsmith, who has been visiting in Portland for some months, has returned to her home in Eugene. Mr T M Martin, of the half-way house between Eugene and the hot springs of the McKenzie, was in town Thursday. Judge J J Walton returned from Roseburg Wednesday, where he had been in attendance upon the Circuit Court of Douglas county. The Markets. Hops.—We clip the following from Cochran & Co's hop circular under date of San Francisco, Oct 17, 1884. While the New York and London markets do not quote higher prices, still there is an under current of strength there, which has imparted a firmer feeling in hops; the volume of business is not very large, for offerings are very meagre; still what lots are being offered are taken up more readily than ten days ago; the German market is also reported firmer. We believe the time is near at hand when the forces which have combined to keep the brewers out of the market for legitimate needs, will be completely overthrown, and with their destruction, the market will assume an active and healthy condition. We confirm our reports of the 3d and 10th inst, respectively, and we continue our challenge, that we defy a successful contradiction of the statements therein. A number of articles are going the rounds of the press, evidently written in the "Bear" interest, but the careful and thoughtful reader will see the absurdity of their statements; for instance, they estimate the yield on the Pacific coast for this season, double what it was last year; again, that England has produced one-third more than last year; these, with other statements, equally absurd, show conclusively that the writer did not write intelligently, for it is a matter of fact that the Pacific coast will barely have 60,000 bales, and last year England raised 520,000 cwt, and this year only 400,000 cwt; now, what do their statements amount to? We quote the market nominal, 15 to 20 cents. Receipts for the week, 2968 bales. Receipts for the season to date, 13,255. Sinking at Junction. By request, Hon John Whiteaker will address the citizens of Junction City, on the political issues of the day, on Wednesday evening, October 29th. A cordial invitation to be present is extended to all. PORTLAND.—The following paragraph taken from the New York Tribune, shows that the metropolis of Oregon is assuming gorgeous proportions as a shipping port: "Portland, Oregon, now ranks fifth among the commercial cities of this country, and among the cities which she outranks is Philadelphia."

STATE UNIVERSITY.

A column devoted to the interests of the Lausan and Estaxian Literary Societies, and the State University. OUR WALTONS..... Editors. Brief Items. Mr E Brattan entered school last Thursday. Miss Emma Ashley entered school last week. Senator Dolph visited the University last Monday. Miss Ruby Spiller visited the Eutaxian society Friday. Wallace Mount, of the class of '83, came up Saturday. The Laureans will give an open session one week from Friday. Misses Jennie and Eliza Spencer were in town Wednesday. Herbert Johnson commenced teaching school at Goshen last Monday. The senior class will have exercises in the auditorium the 1st of October. Miss Ella Burbridge, of Mill Creek, entered the University last Monday. The Latin class under Prof Woodcock commenced studying Caesar Monday. Bert Collier, who has been studying this Summer, returned home last week. The sand bags and wands have again made their appearance in the University. Mrs J H McClung and Mrs H Johnson visited the University one day this week. Henry McClure has left the class in History of Civilization to join the class in mechanics. Jennie McClure and Will Roberts have been chosen annualists for the societies for this year. Hon S Colver, of Jackson county, and Win Smith (of Eugene), visited the University Wednesday. Miss Emma Dorris was compelled to remain at home part of last week on account of her eyes. Miss Mary Dorris, who has been quite sick with the typhoid fever at Ashland, is much better. Caspar Sharples, who has been spending the Summer in Eastern Oregon, returned home Thursday. Edward Bailey of the class of '82, will return home in February, having completed his course in medicine. The names of Clara and Fannie Condon and Katie Vandyke were proposed for membership Friday. The young gentlemen of the higher algebra class have a new method of solving problems. They reduce them to their lowest terms and give them a dose of H Hobbins' Wizard Oil. Quite a number of students were invited into Professor Johnson's room last week to be interviewed about the number of studies they had. One of the Eutaxians has become so indolent, that while her mind is occupied solving questions of importance her hands are busy knitting. James Eakin returned home Monday from Eastern Oregon and will enter the senior class after Christmas. A certain teacher in the University, who came in to hear the class in Livy recited was soothed to sleep. It is warranted a sure cure for the worst case of restlessness. We have been informed of a case of matrimony which is to occur on or about the 25th of December, between an Alumni of the University and a young lady who attended school here last year. A tall senior sitting by the stove in one of the professor's rooms "wrait in thought," was so startled by the whistling of the morning train that he suddenly fell from his chair, causing a smile to overspread the serene features of the class reciting. The question to be debated in the Lausan society next Friday night is, "Resolved, That Blaine should be elected." Leader, A. H. Morrill; E. C. Cusick; colleagues, W J Vauter, Mark Bailey. Leader on the negative, F Miller; colleagues, W Miller, O P Coshaw. "Neighbors in a particular vicinity are continually annoyed by a certain Lausan calling on a fair Eutaxian and after bidding her adieu, standing counting the board fences for fear of entering the wrong pew." A certain enthusiastic little Democrat was so excited Wednesday evening when the band commenced playing, that she gathered up her father's overcoat and rushed down street mistaking it for her own. At the corporation meeting on the 23d, a committee consisting of Miss Anna Patterson and Messrs L W Vauter and W Roberts were appointed to make arrangements for a series of lectures to be given by the Rev Joseph Cook of Boston. Miss Aggie McCornack and Dr E Geary of the class of '80, were married in Eugene, Wednesday, Oct 22d, and left on the afternoon train for Eagle Point, which is to be their future home. The Eutaxian society extend their best wishes. The question debated in the society this week was, "Resolved, That Wellington was a greater general than Washington." Leader on the affirmative, Emma Holt; colleagues, Ida Patterson, Ida Hendricks, and Laura Smith. Leader on the negative, Dora Scott; colleagues, Oscar Walton, Emily Bristol and Etia Moore. Reform! Reform! A worthy sub-freshman, apparently greatly agitated at the depravity exhibited in the mode of dress of young ladies, recently read an essay exhibiting the inconsistency of the female toilet, and giving much wholesome advice. Another reformer a few days after delivered a discourse pointing out the futility in the actions of girls and urging an immediate reform. We hope that these praiseworthy efforts on the part of the gentlemen may not be without result, and we do not think they will—when the embodiment of all masculine perfection begins to point the finger of scorn at defects in feminine attire there has got to be a change. Young ladies don't you know that the error of your ways is apparent to all? Don't you know that the masculine toilet, beautiful in its severe simplicity, is a fearful contrast to your own so artificial? Sometimes you know boys' collars will nearly cut their ears off and their cravats so tight as to make their complexion quite florid, but then nothing human can be perfect and this is no exception. How can you give the pure hearts of such sincere well-wishers by your unparagonable ignorance in all that constitutes a knowledge of good taste in wearing apparel? And young ladies who will you grieve when the gentleman speaks to you? Don't you know when a young man's mind is soaring far above the realms of material things, and he condescends to give you the least bit of a part of his thoughts, that nothing is more exasperating to him than for you to giggle instead of listening with profit by his remarks. Why, it's awful! We know it's a dreadful compliment to have a young man speak to you, but then you must not show your delight by laughing; you must be more careful of their feelings; they are always so careful of yours. They must be reformers. EUTAXIAN.

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