

CITY AND COUNTY.

BRIEF MENTIONS.

Pioneer Day next Thursday. See citation in another column.

The hotels report considerable travel.

Plow! Plow! at bedrock prices—J. M. Hendricks.

Recorder Shaw has finished the assessing of Eugene.

The county jail has been whitewashed throughout.

The highest cash price will be paid for wheat by F B Dunn.

Photographs finished neatly and artistically at Winter's.

See the advertisement of Dr Vanmoniscar in another column.

The Aubrey boys returned from east of the mountains yesterday.

Don't fail to attend the Pioneer celebration in this city next Thursday.

A fine line of silk plushes in all shades and grades at F B Dunn's.

The McKenzie wagon road is now open and in splendid condition for travel.

Excellent music has been engaged for the Pioneer Reunion next Thursday.

Osborn mowers can be purchased at the store of Pritchett & Forkner for \$80.

Lane County Pioneers will celebrate next Thursday. Everybody invited to attend.

The best candies and oranges can always be found at E Baum's confectionery store.

Two excellent rooms to rent. Inquire of JOSHUA J. WALTON.

Ice cream, soda water and lemonade at E Baum's, one door north of the St Charles Hotel.

The Memorial services of the G A R will be held at Rhinehart's Hall this evening. Admission free.

The Vigor of Life troupe are in Southern Oregon camping this way. "And all it costs is a dollar a bottle!"

The GUARD does all kinds of job printing cheaper than any other office in Lane county. Call and get estimates.

Come one, come all to the Pioneer celebration next Thursday. An excellent time will be had by those in attendance.

Mr O R Bean intends building a dwelling on his lots on the corner of Tenth and Mill streets during the coming Summer.

If you are in want of agricultural machinery of any kind, remember that Mr J M Hendricks keeps a full assortment.

Mr S H Friendly will pay the highest cash market price for wheat. Give him a call before selling your grain elsewhere.

E Baum sells the best cigars and tobacco ever offered for sale in Eugene. Cigars from 5 cts to 25 cts apiece, and all pure Havanna.

It is thought that the Albany Dramatic Company will give a performance in Rhinehart's Hall on the evening of the Pioneers Reunion.

The undersigned will be at Eugene City on Saturday, May 30, 1885, for the purpose of castrating riding horses.

DR. J. T. BULLINGER.

Some petty thief stole a coat valued at \$12 from the wagon of a farmer, hitched in the rear of Goldsmith's store one day this week.

The 12th annual session of the Oregon Universalist State Convention will be held in the city of Albany, on the 11, 12, 13 and 14 of June next.

Mr R W Pritchard, well known here, is an inmate of the Oregon Insane Asylum, having been committed to that institution about one month since for treatment.

Excellent sermons were preached in the Presbyterian church, last Sunday morning and evening by Revs Geary and Campbell respectively, in commemoration of Decoration Day.

We noticed in last Sunday's Oregonian a fine descriptive article on the City of Washington, written by Mr T C Judkins of this place. It is a good piece of work, spicy, interesting and well written.

The mother of Mr Wm Renshaw, who lives about six miles south of here, is very ill and is not expected to live but a few days at the most.

Joseph Lane desires to announce to the citizens of Eugene that his hall can be had free of charge for religious and charitable entertainments, provided they furnish oil and clean the hall after using the same.

Persons who are wearing artificial teeth that look unnatural and distort and destroy the natural expression of the mouth, or "won't stay up," should call on Henderson the dentist. Special aims will be taken with such cases. No charge unless satisfactory results are obtained.

A hen's egg sent to us by Mr Joseph H Sharp of Latham measures seven by eight inches. All ambitions hens should take notice and give up the hopeless task of laying big eggs, as they can never beat this one. A hen's egg which might be taken for a bird's accompanied the larger one, showing what a hen can do in a small way.

The Rod and Gun Club, of Portland, hold their annual shooting near that city on June 6, 1885. Prizes have been hung up aggregating about \$1000. We understand that Messrs Peet, Eberly and Paine of this county will be present to contest for some of the prizes and we will remark right here that we believe they will bring some of the prizes home with them.

Mr D M Risdon inform us that some person shot one of his best horses with a shotgun on his Long Tom ranch, one day this week. Another was stolen from the stable the same day. The missing animal is branded with a "G" on one of its shoulders and is a light bay, 3 years old. It is a mean trick, and the man who was base enough to practice it, should do service in the State Hotel at Salem.

We find this in a recent Priceville News: "Some parties lately from Eugene City have rented the fixtures belonging to the restaurant, and intend to resume the business. They will be ready to feed the hungry public on Monday." This cannot possibly be the Luckey-Marx crowd as they would not start a restaurant to feed anybody else. It makes them rustle to find enough "grub" to feed themselves.

PIONEER REUNION.

To be Held in Eugene, Thursday, June 4, 1885.

The Lane County Pioneer Reunion will be held in this city next Thursday. It is expected that there will be a large attendance of old pioneers and their families. A grand time is anticipated. Exercises will be held in front of the Court House, where suitable shade will be prepared and seats and stands erected. The speeches around the camp fire will be one of the pleasant features of the occasion. The following programme will be observed:

- 1—Procession of Pioneers to be formed in front of the Court House under the direction of Grand Marshal G S Washburne and Assistant St John Skinner.
- 2—Camp to be formed near stand erected for the purpose.
- 3—Music.
- 4—Prayer by Rev Philip Mulkey, Chaplain; alternate, Rev Jacob Gillespie.
- 5—Music.
- 6—Oration by Rev Dr Geary; alternates, Rev I D Driver and Hon John Barnett.
- 7—Music.
- 8—Reading of annals by Judge Walton.
- 9—Music.
- 10—Meeting around the camp fire, at which time short speeches, toasts, etc., will be in order, after which a grand basket dinner will be enjoyed.

There will be a business meeting at the Court House after the ceremonies are over at the grounds, for the purpose of electing officers to serve the association the ensuing year, and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

A grand ball will be given in the evening at Rhinehart's Hall.

Dexter Items.

Dexter, May 28, 1885.

"Twins by thunder, and both boys, too," so says B Franklin Ginley.

Mr Samuel L Cannon, a pioneer to Oregon in 1834, died quite suddenly at his home on Sunday last, aged nearly 50 years.

Persons who are in the habit of traveling the Military Road going to Eastern Oregon, should be advised that the same is closed near the crossing on the Middle Fork. This road was built more than twenty years ago and was always supposed to be a public highway, having cost some hundreds of thousands of dollars of the people's land to open it, and until the land on the north bank of the river came into the possession of A D Hyland, the people could either ferry or ford the same, but "to add insult to injury," not only the road is obstructed but the fords also. Have the people any rights which some men are bound to respect? Will Mr Hyland condescend to inform the people through the columns of the public press by what authority he thus annoys the public.

M. O. T.

Fourth of July Celebration.

There will be a meeting of the citizens of Eugene at the Court House.

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 20,

for the purpose of appointing proper committees to have charge of the coming celebration of the Fourth of July. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

MARY CITIZENS.

NEWS FROM NEW ORLEANS.—Mr Geo. Belshaw has received a letter from Commissioner Allen of this State. Mr Allen says that the committee examined the sheep grain over one month before and gave their judgment, but that after diligent inquiry, he had not discovered what it was. The committee has not examined the other wheat exhibits. The Commissioner writes that thousands have viewed and wondered at Mr Belshaw's show of what Oregon soil and climate can do, with intelligent cultivation.

HOSE TEAM.—The following is the hose team of Eugene Engine Company that will attend the Astoria Tournament to compete in the different races: D M Sloan, captain, Chas Brady, John Brady, Wm Seavey, Thos Seavey, E J Pritchett, John Withrow, Frank Belshaw, Willard McGhee, E D Thompson, Elroy Coffin, Chas Croner and Bert Danton. The boys are drilling nightly, and we hope they may be lucky enough to win one or more prizes.

ASSAULT.—A slight scrimmage took place about a week ago between A. Hickson and L. Finn on the McKenzie river, about twenty-eight miles east of Eugene. The first named was arrested and brought before Justice Kinsey in this city last Wednesday, when he pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs, the whole amount being about \$40.

A QUESTION.—Last week a Mr Ferguson and son of Lane county, were in Corvallis. Mr Ferguson was a widower and he and his son have a child each. What relation are the children to each other. What relation is the son's child to the old man and the old man's child to the son?—Benton Leader. Give it up. Too hard a nut for us to crack.

DAMOR AND PYTHIAS.—The Frederick Wards company played to a well filled house at Rhinehart's Hall last Monday evening. It was the best theatrical performance that Eugene has been blessed with for several years. About \$365 was taken in at the door.

KILLED FIVE INDIANS.—Mr L W Gay, formerly of this county, reports, killed five Indians in the Comer d'Alene mines. It appears that he was traveling between two mining camps when he was attacked by six Indians, five of whom he sent to the happy hunting ground, sixth making his escape.

FOR BLUE RIVER.—About forty Chinamen left Eugene last Wednesday for Blue river where they go to mine during the coming Summer. We understand that another drove will leave here some time next week for the same destination.

MARRIED.—In Portland, Thursday evening, May 28, 1885, Geo M Miller was married to Mrs Lizide N Kanoff, both of this city. They have the congratulations of their friends in Lane county.

POKER BALL.—The Lane County Pioneers will give a grand ball at Rhinehart's Hall, Thursday evening, June 4, 1885. Everybody invited.

JOHN RHINEHART,
Chairman Committee.

PLANS ARRIVED.—The plans and specifications for the new University building have arrived. See the advertisement in another column to contractors.

WEDDING CARDS.—We have just received from Chicago the finest lot of wedding cards and invitations ever brought to Oregon. Prices for the same very liberal.

Brevities.

Today is Decoration Day.

Buy Hayward hand grenades.

See summons in another column.

Cherries are a drug on the market.

See new Sheriff's sale in another column.

E. H. & L. Co No. 1 meets at their hall Monday evening.

Dr. Wm. Osborne has removed to Cottage Grove for the practice of his profession.

It is nearly a certainty that the new brick St. Charles Hotel will be built this summer.

Mr J W Sloan was kicked by a horse he was shoeing a few days ago. He now uses a cane.

A number of immigrants arrived in this city direct from Texas last Saturday and will locate in Lane county.

Dr E G Clark and wife have returned to their home at Portland, after a very pleasant visit in this city.

In the future parties wishing to secure the use of Lane's Opera Hall can do so at the low rate of \$6 per evening.

Dr T W Shelton will let the contract in a few days for a small dwelling to be built at the west end of Skinner's Butte.

The house that has stood upon the east end of Skinner's Butte for so long a time has been moved by the owner, Rev O Parker, to the lot just north of Ebbert's warehouse.

Prof. Collier has let the contract of building his residence to Messrs Garrison & Fenton. The improvements intended by the Professor will cost in the neighborhood of \$4,000.

Mr F T Merrill, the noted bicyclist of Portland, will superintend the bicycle riding at the County Fair. It is expected that there will be at least eighteen races.

The Oregon Synod of the Cumberland Presbyterian church will meet at their church in this city on Thursday, June 4, at 4 P M. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Articles of Incorporation were filed in the office of the Secretary of State last Wednesday, of Eugene Engine Co No 1, with Messrs G S Washburne, Alex Cockerline and V McFarland as trustees.

The best family remedy is undoubtedly Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier. Harmless it accomplishes relief where many other medicines failed to do so. It may be safely given to the infant as well as the adult.

Match game of baseball at the Coburg picnic to-day between the University club of this city and the Harrisburg club. This is the second of the series, the University club having won the first game.

There will be a grand picnic at Coburg, to-day, Saturday, May 30, 1885. Hon. L. Bilyeu of this city will be orator of the day. Music furnished by the Eugene City Band. Basket dinner, foot race, fat man's race, music and dancing.

After the services at the cemetery on Memorial Day, the ladies of J. W. Geary Relief Corps, No. 4, Department of Oregon, will decorate a mound dedicated to the memory of the unknown dead, and all who lost friends in the war are invited to prepare a banquet or wreath to be deposited thereon in their memory. By order of the committee.

An Albany exchange says: Judge Kelsey of Corvallis is, we understand, endeavoring to organize encampments of Indian fighters, after the manner of the G A R. This is a good move, one which Judge Kelsey is peculiarly fitted for carrying forward, having obtained an enviable reputation as an Indian killer in the Rogue River and other wars of early Oregon history.

An invitation is extended to all members of the Christian Church in this State, by the Marion county brethren, to be present at their annual meeting and thus partially reinstate the Annual State Meeting. Those who wish to camp will find suitable grounds. The meeting will convene at Turner station at 2 p m on Thursday, June 25th, and remain in session over two Sundays.

Mr R W Andrews, late of Ohio, was called one day this week to doctor a cow belonging to Mr H N Crain that was considered beyond recovery. He successfully saved the brute. Mr Andrews is thoroughly conversant with the diseases of cattle, having had years of experience in that direction. Any one having sick cattle should give him a call. He has located here permanently.

Mohawk Items.

Mohawk is taking a boom.

Mr J M Stafford has some very fine Norman colts.

Still raining; the Mohawk has risen about three feet.

John Spores makes regular Sunday trips to Buzzard Roost.

Mohawk grange meets the second Saturday in each month.

Arrangements are being made for permanent picnic grounds near Mr J Yarnall's.

Mr Robt Bowlsby and the family of M John Stewart, Eugene, paid us a visit yesterday.

Mr McFarland has been sick for some time at the residence of Mr Yarnall, but is again able to be around.

A P Churchill and wife, of Corvallis, paid Mohawk a visit last week. Alva thinks of moving back to his farm, but his better half thinks he had better build a new house first.

Will Parsons and Geo Scott attended a calico ball at Junction last Friday night. They report the ball a success. Geo S kept a picked guard with him for fear of making another mistake and "mash" a married woman.

There will be preaching at the Stafford school house next Friday evening, also two sermons on Saturday and Sunday, with basket dinner each day. Rev I N Mulkey, of Pleasant Hill, will conduct the services. A good meeting is anticipated.

SHAD FOR SALE.—Hon. Spencer F. Baird, United States Fish Commissioner, is collecting a car load of shad to be sent out here, says the Portland News. It was expected to start the car on May 1st, but considerable difficulty has been experienced in securing the needed amount of fish, and the car will hardly be loaded before another week or so. The shad will be turned loose in the Willamette at Salem, which is said to be a good locality for their propagation. Parties wishing to can secure a bucketful, providing they own a suitable pond.

Real Estate Transactions for May.

Geo W Luckey et al to E K and C S Henderson, interest in lots in Eugene; consideration, \$150.

Nelson Swaggart to J D Hampton, 114 acres; con, \$1,000.

L N Thompson et al to Chas Lauer, lots in Eugene; con, \$1,500.

U S to Charles Tufts; patent.

M M Allison to M Wilkins, 820 acres; con, \$3,000.

T M Reed to E H Hawkins, 240 acres; con, \$1,100.

U S to James D Lord; patent.

U S to Cornelius Hackshaw; patent.

H H Page to P G Reno, lots in Eugene; con, \$1,000.

C C Bowman to Ira Bowman, lot in Springfield; con, \$175.

Benj Hyland to A Thayer and P F Harvey, 160 acres; con, \$1,411.

Wm Durant to J M Pritchett, lot in Eugene; con, \$375.

Addie Laird to Henry Laird, 120 acres; con, \$600.

P A Kennedy to Wm Laird, lot in Springfield; con, \$350.

Henry Maxwell to Sarah Durant, lot in Eugene; con, \$300.

B J and W B Pengra to W J Pengra, lots in Springfield; con, \$600.

Darwin Bristow to C F Muser, land; con, \$350.

J A Jeans to J C Inman, 13 acres; con, \$36.75.

J H Friederick to J A Jeans, 87 acres; con, \$400.

Geo M Miller to M Wilkins and sons, land; con, \$6,524.

J H Miller to M Wilkins and sons, land; con, \$1.

C H Miller to M Wilkins and sons, land; con, \$1.

J W Washburne to R P Allison, 90 acres; con, \$1,500.

A W Patterson to M A Plymate, lots in Eugene; con, \$300.

Darwin Bristow to T G Hendricks, lots in Eugene; con, \$270.

J J Walton to Rufus Clark, lot in Eugene; con, \$1.

J J Walton to M J Clark, land; con, \$1.

R M Day to J W Cherry, interest in lots in Eugene; con, \$140.

W S Simmons to M M Sever, land; con, \$2,500.

A L Vaughan to District No 60, land; con, \$1.

F B Dunn to E J St Nit, 240 acres; con, \$500.

D R Christian to C B Bowers, lots in Eugene; con, \$320.

Phoebe B Kinsey to Mary Lorez, lots in Eugene; con, \$250.

J H McFarland to M Mann, lots in Cottage Grove; con, \$100.

Benj Hyland to J P Cheshire, 73 acres; con, \$335.

Wm Shields to A J Chance, lot in Cottage Grove; con, \$50.

J R and C B Cardwell to John and Joseph Davis; con, \$70.

Florence Items.

May 21, 1885.

Fine growing weather. Weeds look as well as gardens do.

The new saw mill has sent out samples of their first sawing of lumber.

Jacob Thompson has gone to Astoria, where he will reside during the Summer.

Saubert has gone to Portland to purchase more machinery for his saw mill. He also intends purchasing machinery for a saw and door factory.

Three strangers from the East are here looking for places to locate. We understand that they are relatives of Capt Cox, who resides a few miles east of here.

Archie, a little son of A and M E McLeod, was scalded severely recently by pulling a cup full of hot water from a table upon his breast. At last accounts the child was improving.

The young men of this vicinity are paying regular visits on Fridays to the Gumbly school house. Madame rumor says the school marion will commit matrimony ere the end of the term. Who is the lucky man?

Owen Andrews is building another fine row boat which will be ready to launch in a few days. Mr A has built some of the finest row boats on the Siuslaw river, and at reasonable prices.

Smithfield News.

May 26, 1885.

Mr Eritsoe is burning a large coal pit.

Hurrah for Lake Creek. Two dances in one week.

The rain is over and has given general satisfaction to the farmers.

Mr C E Byers has returned from Portland with a fine stock of goods of all kinds.

Postmaster Bryant received a package last week in the shape of a fine boy. No postage used.

Wm Taylor, of Lake Creek, was in our place to-day and reports the rainfall much more at his place than here.

Mr J T Rowland left our quiet little village to-day, to locate five miles east of Harrisburg on the N G R R.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

A column devoted to the interests of the Laurean and Eutaxian Literary Societies, and the State University.

C. S. POWELL, EDITOR.

News and Reviews.

The Seniors' vacation commences on June 3. The Normal Senior arch is very nearly finished.

The students are anxiously waiting for vacation.

Mr. Gore, father of Vina Gore, is in town visiting.

Miss Anna Henderson is teaching at Camas Prairie, W. T.

The physiology class are nearly through their review.

Mrs. Walker, nee Minnie Durant, was in town last week.

Miss Etta Hill is not now an attendant of the University.

The class in higher algebra commenced reviewing this week.

The class of botany in field work will finish on Friday next.

Miss Ella E. Geary is visiting her brother in Southern Oregon.

Many of the students attended the theater on Monday evening.

Last Friday ended the rhetorical work of the classes for this year.

The father and aunt of Les Kelly are in this city paying him a visit.

Miss Alice Dorris is expected to return to her home on Saturday.

Miss Mary McCormack returned to her home a week ago last Saturday.

Mr. Baas anticipates a visit to his home during the Senior vacation.

We don't see why some one did not take Prof. Bailey's \$50 challenge.

Miss Emma Bean, who is teaching at Latham, paid Eugene a visit last Saturday.

That school of Miss Lockwood, an honorary member of the Eutaxian Society, closes on the 5th of June.

The Laureans have decided upon the evening of June 5th on which to give their last open session.

On next Friday, June 5th, public exercises will be held in the auditorium. They will be the last for this year.

The Normal Seniors meet twice a week to practice their class song. Mr. Gore is very kindly assisting them.

The University Baseball club seems to have been encouraged by its victory at Harrisburg, and is now practicing daily.

The class in ancient history are making rapid progress in order to get through in the short time allotted to them.

The class in constitution will finish the constitution of the United States this week, then take up the constitution of Oregon.

Miss Etta Moore, instead of returning this summer to her home in Linkville, expects to go to the coast with Miss McCown.

Miss Reubie Spiller closes her school at Amity this week, and will visit a week at Salem before returning to her home in this city.

The Springfield school, under the instruction of Misses Carrie Walker and Lucy Murch, former Eutaxians, will close next Friday.

The geology class has finished and been examined on the text book, and will now turn special attention to the geology of this coast.

Miss Uran, who was called to her home several weeks ago by sickness, returned to the city last week, but has not re-entered school.

Miss Jennie Spencer, an old Eutaxian, begins teaching at Elmira next week. The Eutaxians wish her abundant success in her new vocation.

Miss Jessie McClung intends as soon as her recitations in the University have been finished to start for California, where she will spend her summer vacation.

The question ably handled by the Eutaxians last week was, "Resolved, that England should not have jurisdiction over Ireland." Leaders: Annie Coffin, affirmative, and Bessie Day, negative.

The faces of the surveying class have become a reliable index of the weather. When it rains they rejoice, having one study less; but when the sun shines there is sorrow among them.

The question, "Resolved, that the faculty have no jurisdiction over our column" was vigorously (?) debated by the Eutaxians at their last meeting. The affirmative gained the question in spite of the earnest (?) effort of the negative.

Misses May Bonnette and Mary Potter have ceased their attendance at the University until next year. However, their presence at the University on Friday afternoons indicates that they have not lost their interest in the Eutaxian Society.

The Senior classes will finish their final examinations next week. Then will follow one week's vacation before their closing exercises, by which they will sever the many pleasant associations which they have favored during their school life.

MARRIED.—At Salem, Thursday, May 28, 1885, by Rev. N. Doan, Mr. J. L. Rumsey and Miss Jennie Nicklin. The happy pair have the congratulations of the GUARD.

\$843,644.—This is the total amount of the taxable property of Eugene as assessed by W. S. Shaw, Recorder.

The Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal Church will meet on Wednesday afternoon, June 3, at the residence of T. H. Cox on Willamette Street in Humphrey's row.

Lumber.

Messrs Stearns & Patten, of the Mohawk Mills, would respectfully invite the attention of those needing Lumber or Shingles to their new yard established on the corner of Willamette and Eleventh streets. All lowest dressed or rough lumber delivered at rates. Call and get estimates. CLANAHAN, Agt.

Notice.—I am going East and during my absence, Hendricks & Eakin will attend to my business.

JAMES SANFORD.

Eugene, March 23, 1885.

FARMERS TAKE NOTICE.—A good dinner can be had at Baker's hotel for 25 cents.

Personal.

Jeff Smith is visiting in Portland.

M. L. Rollins continues to improve.

Mr Thomson, the piano tuner, is in town.

Gov Whiteaker was in town last Thursday.

Prof J H Lambert, of Halsey, is in town visiting friends.

Dr Hume, of Pennsylvania, is in Eugene visiting friends.

Judge R S Bean is in Coos county holding a term of Circuit Court.

W W Scott, of Cresswell, paid this office a visit last Wednesday.

Mrs. T. M. Jackson, of Springfield, is in San Francisco visiting friends.

Senator E. P. Coleman and family left for a brief visit to Crook county last Saturday.

Mr W H Barnhart, of Portland, visited friends in this city a couple of days this week.

B. P. Porter, agent for Hayward fire hand grenades, gave this office a business call last Wednesday.

Mr Abe Goldsmith returned from San Francisco yesterday. He is feeling first-rate and is himself again less one eye.

Hon W J McConnell, a prominent Republican politician of Yamhill county, paid Eugene a visit last Wednesday.

Mr J W Cherry left last Wednesday on a pleasure and business trip combined to Victoria and New Westminster, B C.

E Niles, the insurance compact man, was in town several days this week. He has lowered the rates of insurance on several ranges of buildings.

Mr and Mrs Chas Adler, of Astoria, and Mr S L Baer, of Baker City, have been in Eugene this week visiting at the residence of Mr S H Friendly.

Mrs C W Fitch and family have returned home from Jackson county, where they have been visiting for some time. We are pleased to report that the health of Mrs Fitch has improved greatly.

Judge Washburne and Mr H C Perkins returned home from Lake county last Tuesday. Judge Washburne brought with him a pair of young owls, which he presented to Mr Robert Hays, where they can now be seen.

Patrons A J Zamwalt and wife and R Doty and wife represented Lane county at the State Grange this week. Mr John Simpson and wife were also present and given full voting privileges. The meeting was largely attended.

Mr J. L. Rumsey paid Eugene a visit last Tuesday and returned to Portland Wednesday morning, rumor says for the purpose of marrying a young lady in that city who is well known here. Mr Rumsey will return to the East in about a month, where he will in the future reside. In company with others, he has purchased large timber interests in East Tennessee and North Carolina, and the gentlemen will erect large mills and cut the timber and ship it into the Western States. We wish him much success in his anticipated matrimonial business, and also in his lumber interests. He will return again to Eugene for a brief visit in a short time.

Cottage Grove Items.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

May 26, 1885.

Miss Etzina Taylor is quite ill.

There was a dance at the City Hall Friday evening.

Mr Joe Bean, of Eugene, was in town Monday.

S B Withinton sold his ranch this week to Whipple Bros.

Mr Nathan Damewood killed a large cougar Monday.

Mrs A J Barlow returned home to Jackson county Saturday.

Dr Wm Osborne, formerly of Eugene, has located at this place.

Mr Robt Breeding is very ill from an abscess near the knee joint.

Deputy Sheriff Cochran and O O Veatch went to Siuslaw last Friday.

Mr J C Spray and wife left this place for Eastern Oregon Tuesday.

Weather delightful; no rain since Monday. Crops are looking flourishing.

A little child of Mr York Hines, of Cresswell, was buried here Monday.

Mr Frank Whipple and family returned from Marion county last Saturday.

Messrs Lafe Hendricks and Alf Kelsey, of Cloverdale, were in town Saturday.

Messrs Jas Hawley, Jas Wallace and Rufus Cochran went to Siuslaw last Sunday.

Mr Porter gave a test of the Hayward hand grenade fire extinguisher here Monday evening.

Mrs Ben Lorch is having a store house erected in the corner of her lot near her residence.

Mrs Brumley, we are sorry to state, will soon leave us, as her term of school will end this week.

We understand that W W Cathcart contemplates erecting a brick store at the depot in the near future.

Miss Peggy Underwood, of Eugene, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs Frank Whipple, returned home Tuesday.

We are sorry to hear it said by people from other towns, that Cottage Grove has boys with more cheek than any other place in Oregon.

Mr J M Hendricks paid Cottage Grove a visit Monday, and located an agency for the Walter A Wood's machines with Eakin & Bristow.

VERITY.

At a meeting of Equalization for Eugene City, all met in the Council Chamber for the purpose of correcting all errors in the assessment roll on Wednesday, June 3, 1885. The meeting in another month.

The University Baseball Club will play a match game on Pioneers' day, next Thursday, against any club in Lane county.

Railroad carpenters are at work on the tracks at the Union place.