

Meeting of Board of Regents.

The Board of Regents met in the parlors of Hendricks & Eakin's bank, Thursday, at 3 o'clock p.m. Regents present—Judge M P Deady, Hon Henry Failing, Dr S Hamilton, Dr E R Gray, Hon A Bush, Hon T G Hendricks, Hon Rodney Scott and Judge R S Bean. Absent—Hon L S McArthur.

Bids For Erecting the New University Building.

The following were the bids for the erection and construction of the new University building: W. H. Abrams, \$18,820; W. H. Alexander, 20,500; W. L. Campbell, 22,231; Geo. H. Parks, 22,950; D. W. Zeller, Portland, 24,250; J. W. Bridge, Portland, 26,580; Fenton & Co., 26,600; Hobbs & Co., Portland, 28,493; J. Robertson, 29,500; C. R. DeBurgh, 29,940.

Col. Nesmith Dead.

Col. Nesmith, whose name is inseparably connected with the history of Oregon, died at Derry, Polk county, last Wednesday. He had served the people of this State in almost every capacity, and he served them well.

LAST CHANCE.

A musical concert will be given at the store of Mr H M James this Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. The stock of pictures is getting low and he wishes to announce to the people of Eugene City that he has concluded to close the entire stock out at auction this evening.

DIED.

At the residence of O R Bean, in this city, Tuesday morning, June 16th, son of Mr and Mrs J P Sharp, of Kittitas county, W T, aged two years. Mr Sharp is a brother of Mrs Bean. Mrs Sharp was visiting here when the child took sick and died after a brief illness. Mr O R Bean accompanied Mrs Sharp and she remains home.

A CHANGE.

Mr J. P. Wilcox recently leased the Star Hotel in this city for three years. He has renovated the house, and now all the cooking is done by white women. Meals only 25 cents, lodgings the same. The proprietor has a large barn, of which the use will be given gratis to his farmer patrons. Give him a call; he will do the right thing by you.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Strayed, from about 6 miles south of Eugene, April 15, 1885, a light chestnut sorrel colt, with white strip in forehead and white hind foot. Anyone knowing the whereabouts of the animal will please write to Frank Blanton, Eugene, Oregon.

RUST.

A good many of our farmers are alarmed lest the rust has or is about to kill the Spring wheat. Some declare that the late grain is irretrievably ruined, while others say that this is a mistake. Time will tell.

Senator Allen, of Polk county, paid Eugene a visit this week.

Cottage Grove Items.

Uncle Campbell Chrisman is sick. Mr J S Martin went to Harrisburg Thursday. Miss Alma Spray went to Portland Saturday. Several of our young people went to Siuslaw Sunday. Mr Darwin Bristow and wife went to Eugene Saturday. Mr Frank Whipple went to Siuslaw one day last week. Mr Eakin, of Eugene, father of Herbert Eakin of this place, was in town last week. Insurance agents have been to see Mr Martin concerning the fire. He was paid his insurance. Mr Hale Boren had his hand badly cut by a cant hook while turning a log at Comstock's mill last week. Miss Eliza Taylor came to town last Saturday and was taken very ill. She has not been well for some time. Dr Scarborough was called to see Mr N P Chrisman last Friday as he was quite ill; he is much better now. Mrs O P and Misses Docia and Hattie Adams went to Cresswell Tuesday, and intend going to Eugene to-day. Wm Inman, of Siuslaw, brought a load of strawberries to town last Friday which he sold for 25 cents per pound. He was not long in disposing of them. Mrs Chas McCollough, of Buena Vista, came up to this place last evening. She was on her way to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs Danewood, who live a few miles from here.

Mohawk Items.

To much rain. Grain rusting. Rev. Baxter preached at Stafford school house last Sunday. A little son of N. P. Hammitt has been quite sick, but is around again. Messrs B. and M. Jackson and Geo. Piper, of Yakima, are visiting relative and friends here. Our old friend and co-worker, Jas. H. Corum, who "plies the shingle" at Central School, was here Saturday and Sunday visiting his best girl and many friends. Come some more, Jim. The picnic was well attended considering the inclement weather. In the absence of Prof. Thomas Condon, Messrs J. H. Goodman, J. F. Mulkey and Jas. H. Corum made some very interesting and appropriate remarks. Miss Cora Holcomb's school favored us with a song and recitation which were good. Chas Hoffman's school rendered a song very creditably. The best of order prevailed, about 300 persons present.

PIPER'S OPERA HOUSE.

"Peck's Bad Boy" drew another crowded house last night. The company confirmed the good impression it made on the previous evening, and kept the audience roaring with laughter from the rise to the fall of the curtain. The piece, though devoid of plot, is as full of fun as an egg is of meat, and its merriment never flags. It is a light, airy and comical composition, lacking dramatic surroundings, yet merry in every turn, and by its quick action forcing a laugh from the most lugubrious. The play is conducive to health, as it cannot fail to create a good, hearty laugh, and during the two and a half hours' performance makes people, who witness it, forget their worldly miseries and cares. The people are fond of good things, especially funny plays, and should therefore greet Peck's Bad Boy with a big house, and send the little "cuss" on his way rejoicing.—Virginia City Enterprise.

AN ACCIDENT.

Last Wednesday evening while Dr. Eberly was propelling his bicycle along Ninth street just at the intersection of Willamette street, his vehicle came against the form of Dr. Sharples which threw it over. Dr. Eberly made an effort to catch the iron guard in front of Crain's window to save him from falling, and we are sorry to say that he succeeded, for his right hand came in contact with one of the bars and was nearly pierced through. Dr. Sharples dressed the wound, and Doctor Eberly is getting along as well as could be expected.

MARRIED.

Sunday, June 14, at the home of Jesse Gross, the bride's father in Eugene City, by Rev. T. F. Campbell, pastor of the Christian Church, Allen W. Bond and Miss Rachel E. Gross. May the happiness of this world and the next be theirs.

ORATORS.

Eugene will finish two orators for outside towns on the Fourth of July. Hon. L. Bilyeu will orate at Medford and Judge Walton at Cottage Grove. Eugene is bound to be heard from.

OSBURN & BELASHAW.

Osburn & Belashaw will hereafter deliver goods in their own express wagon, as soon as purchased. They mean business. Try them and be satisfied that they will do what they promise in this matter.

A fifteen-cent barber shop has been started in the Star Hotel. Truly Eugene is becoming civilized.

Commencement over again.

Look out for the I X L Store's new ad in another column. The next State Firemen's Association will be held in Salem. Eugene wishes the University students a pleasant vacation. Remember the sale at Gov Whiteaker's farm next Thursday. John Robinson's great circus will pay Oregon a visit this Fall. Miss Carrie Beckman is visiting at the residence of Senator Dorris. Miss Hanna, of Corvallis and Miss Lula Willis of Roseburg, visited Eugene this week. Mr B B Beckman during the Summer will leave for Europe, where he will spend a year or more. Peck's Bad Boy next Monday evening at Rhinehart's Hall. See advertisement in another column. Mr Samuel Bass, of Salem, paid the GUARD office a pleasant call this week. He is a sterling Democrat. Mr Darwin Bristow and wife, of Cottage Grove, attended Commencement exercises in Eugene this week. Mr Geo Noland, an old time Eugene boy, and now one of the leading lawyers of Astoria, accompanied the fire toys home. Miss Boise, of Salem, has been visiting at the residence of her aunt, Mrs Prof Spiller, in this city, during the past week. Mr Chas R Templeton and wife, of Portland, were in Eugene several days this week attending the exercises at the University. Another case of threatening to kill was heard before Justice Kinsey this week. The defendant was dismissed as there was no evidence against him. Misses Eva and Callie Earhart, who have been the guests of Mr and Mrs Wesley Shannon during the week, returned to their home in Salem yesterday. Mr Johnny Williams, formerly of Junction, has purchased the old Kinsey planing mill property, where he will establish a brewery in the near future. We had written up a considerable amount of editorial matter but on account of giving a full report of commencement, we are compelled to leave it out. Among former University students visiting Eugene this week we noticed Seymour Condon, Wallace Mount, A L Frazer of Portland; and A O Condit and Edward McAllister, of Albany. The third of the series of lectures at the Christian Church will be given tomorrow, Sunday, June 21st, at 8 p.m. Subject: "Work of the fourth, fifth and sixth day of the Formative Period; and Rest of the Seventh day." The Rev O Parker has been summoned to Roseburg to attend a funeral. He will be back to day, Saturday, and will hold services in St Mary's Church of this city to-morrow, morning and evening. A petition has been circulated this week asking the railroad to run the regular freight train to this place daily instead of stopping at Junction. It received the signature of every business man in town. The Guild of St Mary's Episcopal Church will meet at the residence of Mrs Hanchett, on High street, on Wednesday afternoon, June 24th. All are requested to be present as business of importance is to be transacted. Mr Geo M Hoyt represented the Portland News, and Mr. O. P. McFall the Oregonian, at Commencement. Both of the young men are graduates of the institution and were cordially greeted by their many friends here. Gov Z F Moody, of Salem, was in Eugene Thursday and Friday attending the meeting of the Board of Regents. The Governor has also been busy hearing the arguments of the faithful, who want an extra session of the Legislature convened this Fall. Mr V A Ballou, of the Nevada, Iowa, Watchman, paid the GUARD office a pleasant call last Thursday afternoon while the Press Excursion stopped here. He is a thoroughbred Democrat, and claims that the grand old party will elect the Governor at the next election. The people of Eugene gave the Iowa press excursionists a cordial reception. Several of the journalists stopped over, including one belated scissors-wielder, who made remarkably good time for about 400 yards on Willamette street but didn't "get there." He concluded then that Eugene was just the place he wanted to stop at. Mayor Dunn welcomed the visitors in an excellent speech, to which a Muscatine journalist responded appropriately. The Eugene band played several fine airs. The reception tendered to the hose team that attended the Firemen's Association, last Saturday, was a deserved and well-earned compliment. The entire fire department was out in uniform to welcome them home, headed by the Eugene Band. Speeches were made by Judges Washburne and Walton. In the evening the fire boys entertained their friends at the firemen's hall, where speeches were made by a number of our citizens, and also some remarks by Mr Geo. Noland of Astoria.

Irving Items.

Fine day for horse racing and fighting last Saturday. The contest between the races and fights resulted in favor of the latter by five or six majority. There is strong talk of organizing a base ball club at this place. We hope the boys may meet with success. The I O O F meet every Saturday evening and have a good time, considering the small number of members. Mr J H Iwail has a very lame knee, which was caused by striking it against a board two weeks ago. Our Sunday School has a large attendance every Sunday, and we see no reason why it should not be a complete success. Our school is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Laura Montgomery, with a daily attendance of over thirty scholars. Our merchants are having very dull times—nothing to do but whittle; while our blacksmiths have all they can do in the way of repairing machinery. Arrangements have been made with Mrs Mattie Bridge, of Eugene, who has lectured all over the United States on Odd Fellowship, to deliver an address on that subject at the Irving hall on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock; lecture to be free. Everybody is invited, especially those who never heard a lecture on the subject of Odd Fellowship. The lady is very highly praised by all wherever she has lectured in the past. A LOOKER ON. Judge R. S. Bean returned home from Coos Bay last Monday. Mr. S. H. Christian has arrived here and will let the contract for a residence, to be built in the southern portion of the city, in a few days. Mrs. Duniway delivered a lecture at the M. E. Church last Saturday evening to a large and appreciative audience, on woman suffrage. The Agricultural Board added two races to their speed programme, at their meeting last Saturday. First, trotting race for Lane County raised 3-year-olds, 1 mile, first money \$20, second money \$10. Second, walking race, 1 mile, premium \$10. No other business of special importance was transacted. The talk about a change in time had as well be entirely abandoned, for it cannot be done at this late date, and it was so decided at this meeting. A child of Ben Guiley, who lives near Dexter, died June 15th. Mr Thomas Matthews has returned home from his Eastern trip. Three bicyclists from Yamhill county were in town this week. About three bushels of cherries were taken to the depot for the excursionists. Mr Sherman, the railroad manager of the Iowa Press Excursion, and N. W. Durham, reporter of the Oregonian, stayed over here Thursday night, involuntarily, they having been left by the train. Mr. E. J. Eggert and wife, of Columbus Junction, Iowa, who were members of the Editorial Excursion, stopped at Eugene and spent Thursday night here. We acknowledge a pleasant and fraternal call.

BRIEF MENTIONS.

Buy Hayward hand grenades. For good dentistry go to Taylor & Eberly. The highest cash price will be paid for wheat by F B Dunn. Photographs finished neatly and artistically at Winter's. A fine line of silk plushes in all shades and grades at F B Dunn's. Osburn mowers can be purchased at the store of Pritchett & Forkner for \$80. The best candies and oranges can always be found at E Baum's confectionery store. Ice cream, soda water and lemonade at E Baum's, one door north of the St Charles Hotel. 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 Havana. Notice. Taxes of the city of Eugene for the year 1885 are now due and payable to the City Treasurer, at Crain Bros' jewelry store, on the corner of Eighth and Willamette streets, Eugene City, Oregon. All taxes will be deemed delinquent that are not paid within sixty days from the date of this notice. W. S. SHAW, Recorder. Dated at Eugene City, Oregon, June 13, 1885.

Rhinehart's Theatre.

Monday, June 22d. THE FUNNIEST SHOW ON EARTH! ATKINSON'S COMEDY CO.

PECK'S BAD BOY!

Without plot but with a purpose--To make people laugh.

THE WELL KNOWN GROCERY.

The Home of the Pecks. The Picnic at Wanwatos.

Dr. T. W. Shelton.

Physician and Surgeon. ROOMS—At Mrs. J. R. Underwood. EUGENE CITY, OREGON.

Best Selection BOOTS & SHOES.

New Goods Low Prices. Goods must be sold. The largest stock in town. Goods was never offered as LOW. All goods warranted perfect. Now is the time to save your money. Buy your Goods at the great I. X. L. Store.

Pritchett & Forkner.

Hardware and all kinds of Agricultural Implements.

STORE—On Willamette Street, opposite "Guard" Office

Harness & Saddles.

Fine Harness Made to Order. J. H. Klem, Eight Street, Eugene City.

Frank Bros. Implement Company.

FARM AND MILL MACHINERY. La Belle Wagons, McSherry Drills and Seeders, Buford's Walking Plows, Buford's Gang and Sulky Plows, Buford's Ripping and Walking Cultivators, Ramball Wheel Harrows, The Celebrated Holly Tooth, Harrows, Etc., Etc., Etc.

GRAND CELEBRATION

Of the 109th Anniversary of American Independence at Eugene City, Oregon, ON SATURDAY, JULY 4, 1885.

A Salute of 39 Guns at Sunrise.

Officers of the Day.

PRESIDENT... HON. A. G. HOVEY. VICE PRESIDENTS—HONS. E. P. COLEMAN, RODNEY SCOTT, ALLEN BOND, T. A. MILLIORN, and W. J. J. SCOTT.

Order of Procession.

The procession will form at the Court House at 10 a.m., and march to the corner of Oak and Ninth streets, thence to Willamette, thence to Fifth, thence to the grove near the Eugene Mills.

Order of Exercises.

1—Music by the Band. 2—Prayer by Chaplain. 3—Music by the Band. 4—Reading of Declaration of Independence. 5—Music by the Band. 6—Oration. 7—Music by the Band.

Basket Dinner at the Grove.

Baby Show.

Public Vendue.

Take notice: I will sell at public auction at my residence near Pleasant Hill, Lane County, Oregon, on Thursday, June 25, 1885, the larger part of my personal property, such as horses, wagons, buggy, plows, harrows, harness, saddles, etc., etc; also furniture, household goods and many other articles too numerous to mention.

REDUCED RAILROAD FARE.

Arrangements have been made with the O. and C. R. R. Co. for reduced rates of fare. L. N. RONEY, J. M. ABRAMS, H. C. HUMPHREY, E. M. DAY, E. J. McCLANAHAN, Committee.

GREAT NORTHWESTERN REMEDY.

OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER REUFER'S KIDNEY & LIVER REGULATOR. Those who work early and late need a...