

EUGENE CITY GUARD.

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EUGENE CITY, OREGON.

OLD HAYSEED.

How He Humiliated the Champion Sport of a Proud Michigan Town. "Talking about sports," said a Goth-

AGRICULTURAL.

THE FARMERS' COLUMN.

THE SUNFLOWER FOR POULTRY.

This state, if somewhat coarse looking plant, has some claims on the attention of those who keep poultry, aside for its use for ornament, in the value of the seed for feeding.

A FINE HOUDAN EGG RECORD.

Having come to this state for my health three years ago and settled here a year and a half since and started fruit-growing, last fall I added poultry-keeping to the business.

FED FOR BUTTER.

It is not necessary to feed oily food for a large production of butter. On the contrary, nitrogenous food mixed with selected food rich in starch and peculiarly well flavored fatty matter is preferable.

DIVERSIFIED FARMING.

The Humboldt Statesman remarks: Farming in California lacks diversity. It is conducted in the same manner as at the south, years ago.

BRIEF NOTES.

Leave plenty of potato to your potatoe if you want strong plants. The Savoy drumhead cabbage is one of the best late varieties ever cultivated.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Oregon.

Adams expects to erect a Baptist church before long. A large number of buildings will be erected in Eugene City this summer.

The Oregon Agricultural company has begun suit against Wallis Nash, second vice president of the Oregon Pacific railroad, in the United States circuit court.

Washington Territory. Engineer Waller died suddenly at Seattle.

Walter Singer, aged 28, was drowned near Puyallup.

Rev. J. C. Fair, pastor of St. Peter's Episcopal church at Tacoma, has resigned.

Louis Hagan's furniture store at Sprague was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$1560; insured for \$500.

Bishop Paddock will erect a new hospital at Tacoma, as the one now in use has been found to be insufficient.

A two-year-old child of G. H. Holbrook, who resides on Penawewa creek, fell into a spring and was drowned.

Rev. E. R. Murgatroyd, of Independence, has been called to take charge of the Presbyterian church of Tacoma.

Sergeant Smith's house, six miles from Walla Walla, was destroyed by fire last week. Loss \$2000; insurance \$1500.

Deputy United States commissioner at Juneau, Alaska, has been arrested and is on trial for not making proper returns of his office.

In Seattle last week, John Stone was married to Miss A. Chapman, just seven hours and twenty minutes after they first met.

Mark Teal, a Frenchman, committed suicide near Whitman station, recently during mental aberration. He was thrown from a horse the night before.

It is a common remark among old citizens of Colfax that the present year speaks more building and general prosperity and activity to that city than any previous year in its history.

Mrs. Leach, prominent resident of Coupeville, Island county, while out for a drive were thrown from their carriage.

The grand jury at Seattle, on the 4th, rendered a report completely exonerating Thomas Burke, F. Hanford, L. R. Banks and E. M. Carr, the members of the Home Guard who were charged with murder for having fired on the mob during the anti-Chinese riot last February.

Following are the officers of the Washington territory Pioneer's association for the ensuing year: President, H. G. Struve, of Seattle; first vice-president, J. G. Swan, of Port Townsend; second vice-president, C. H. Hale, of Olympia; secretary, Francis M. Henry, of Olympia; treasurer, G. A. Barnes, of Olympia; directors, Wm. McLain, of Olympia, and Hilroy Butler, of Seattle. The society meets again at Seattle on the second Monday in October.

A portable military hospital, which formed part of the exhibit of Copenhagen at the New Orleans exposition, has been donated to the United States marine hospital.

Joseph F. Wilson, of Peoria, Illinois, who attained the rank of major in the union army, has been appointed on the soldiers' roll of the house of representatives, to succeed the late General Standard of Vermont. He was disgraced for life at Fort Donaldson.

Pittsburg, Pa.—In an interview on the results of the Cleveland convention, General Master Workman Powderly stated that everything he asked was granted. Said he: "We had no law to limit the indiscriminate use of boycotts, and the entering into of ill-advised strikes. Now we have given to the executive committee or board power to interpose and ascertain the cause and effect of these moves before we sanction them. We reserve power to strike and boycott, because instances may arise when both are imperative, but they are the last resort, and are subject to limitation. There was no necessity of such strikes as the late outbreak in the south-west. That was without the consent of the executive board, but there was no legislation to enable it to act."

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

William P. Davis has been elected clerk and treasurer of the town of Yarmouth, Mass., for the forty-second time.

David McDaniels, of Morristown, Vt., claims to be the oldest Mason in New England. He is ninety-five years old, and was made a member of Mount Vernon Lodge in 1812.

One of the most beautiful and most noted young ladies in Philadelphia fashionable society is a complete and hopeless wreck from paralysis, caused by the indiscreet use of cosmetics.—Philadelphia Press.

Mrs. Elizabeth E. G. Emerson, of Rochester, N. Y., lived in most squalid surroundings and died recently, when it was discovered that she left property worth \$150,000, and bequeathed \$60,000 to the Presbyterian benevolent societies of the place.—Rochester Express.

—Estaquio Padilla, a Justice of the Peace in Santa Fe County, N. M., is complained of for exceeding his authority. He met his sister-in-law walking along the street in company with a young man, and had them both thrown into jail because he did not like the young man.

—It is said that the late Governor Seymour, of New York, settled the question of a monument for himself ten years ago, by selecting a large boulder in its natural state as the only thing to mark his grave. The stone is six feet long, two feet wide and one foot thick. One side will be polished and suitably inscribed.

—Colonel Nicholas Smith, "the great American professional beauty," is a native of Shelby County, Ky., and "was born so." A Louisville paper says that in his youthful years it was his daily habit to stand before his mirror and exclaim: "I thank Thee, O God, for this magnificently handsome face."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

General Hancock was of such cool temperament and steady nerves that on the night of the election he went to bed at one o'clock, not knowing whether he or Garfield would be President, and when his wife woke him at six to tell him he was defeated, he merely said: "It is all for the best," turned over and finished his nap.—Chicago Herald.

Some people speak of General Terry as having been appointed "senior Major General." This is a mistake. There is no such rank. General Hancock's seniority was that of his commission. General Terry becomes the junior or youngest Major General by reason of the date of his appointment. Major General Schofield is the senior of the officers of this grade.—N. Y. Mail.

Among the queer names found in a recent copy of the Congressional Record were the following, many of which rival the most famous inventions and discoveries of Dickens and Thackeray: Joicy Richwine, Zephaniah Crubrough, Anna Nation, Margaret Greathous, Simon Fought, Tunis Swick, Sophia Gump, George Knopsnyder, Boston Fowler, Delilah Knill, Sasser Sullivan, George Washington Waddell, Albertine Coekrum, Elizabeth Goetsphan, Miceajay Joyner, Hartford Motherly, Ambrose Cheyning, David Cornprpsk, F. Courtney Cochmower, C. C. Cololo, J. T. Outhouse, Calvin L. Knick and J. Snodd.

—Young doctor (to elderly professor)—"Herr Professor, if I may be permitted to express an opinion of my own, I would venture to inform you of the reasons which justify me in the assumption that you are sitting on my right-hand glove."—Muncheen's Blatter.

—The Coachman's Club is one of the latest organizations in New York. Its aims and objects are not divulged, but it is supposed a coachman can not be admitted to membership unless he has eloped with his employer's daughter—for "wheel or whoa," as it were.—Norristown Herald.

—Little Edith: "Mr. Sapley, why does my sister Clara always pray when you come to see her?" "Surely she doesn't?" "What do you mean?" "Why, every time you come here and the servant comes up to the library to say you are in the parlor, Clara just shrugs her shoulders and says: O, Lord!"—Exchange.

—A Northampton County school-marm gives the following sentence from the pen of her youngest and brightest scholar, given in answer to the request: "Write in twenty words a definition of 'Man.'" It read thus: "Man is an animal that stands up; he is not very big, and he has to work for a livin'."—Allentown (Pa.) Register.

—The public debt was reduced \$8,288,550 during May.

IS IT REALLY CONSUMPTION? Many a case supposed to be radical lung disease is really one of liver complaint and indigestion, but, unless that diseased liver can be restored to healthy action, it will go on bringing up corrupting matter as to bring on their speedy decay, and then indeed we have consumption, which is scrofula of the lungs, in its worst form. Nothing can be more happily calculated to nip this danger in the bud than is Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery." By druggists.

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—"Say, sis, does Sandy Claws fetch the snow?" "Guess he does, Johnny!" "No he don't neither?" "Why don't he?" "Because he always fetches the rein-deer."—N. Y. Herald.

—When the fashionable young lady makes a dive and a grab at her dress skirt a fellow fetches very much like dodging, for she acts for all the world like she was going for a brick.—Montreal Witness.

—A woman's will is strong and she usually sustains it by law. A lawyer is the only man that is ever known to break a woman's will, and he does it by law. Similia similibus curantur.—Texas Figaro.

—Roman Nose, a Cheyenne chief in the Leavenworth jail, attempted suicide, because, as an exchange suggests, he was tired of Roman his cell. Few of us can understand the anguish a Roman Nose under such circumstances.—Boston Transcript.

—Quotation, Miss Waldo, beginning: "No pent up—no pent up—pent up Ithaca contracts—" Miss Waldo—"No pent up Utica." I think, Mr. Featherly. Young Featherly—"Ah, yes, Utica; thanks, I knew it was some town in Central New York."—N. Y. Sun.

—A sick farmer had an obstinate cow which he wished to get to market. On consulting his neighbors he received the following advice: The carpenter said he'd have a screw driver; the furniture-man said let a bureau drawer; a small boy offered to holler; the newspaper-man said let an editorial leader; the postmaster suggested having a letter carrier; the village toper wanted to do his part, and offered to take a horn; the pickle-vender thought a little gherkin would start her. Meantime the farmer expired of exhaustion and the cow died of grief. This fable teaches that the possibilities of the English language are great.—Oregon Statesman.

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