

THE EUGENE CITY GUARD.

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1887.

Hop Outlook.

We publish the following letter which is self-explanatory:

New York, June 1, 1887.

Mr. G. BETTMAN, Eugene City: Dear Sir— We beg to address your good-selves regarding the sale of hops in the market, as the indications now are, that the Pacific Coast produce will be largely sought for here this season.

All reliable reports from the interior of this State agree that a large proportion of the roots were killed by the exhaustive blight of last year, and it is safe to say that this State will not produce a half and possibly not a third of a crop this season.

While no pronounced advance has yet resulted, a gradual rise in value has occurred during the last fortnight, and to-day spot Pacifics are held two cents above what they were two weeks ago.

As the spring weather, though very backward, is now upon us, brewers will undoubtedly have to soon come into the market, and as holders are firm in their position, we believe a sensible advance must again soon occur.

Choice '86 Pacifics are to-day held at 20 and 24 cts., medium grades from 13 to 18 cts.; small demand for '85 at 7 to 10 cts.

We remain, Yours truly, WARD A. HEPBURN.

Florence Items.

June 7, 1887.

Rev. Walls returned to Gardner Monday. Mr. H. C. Humphrey arrived in Florence today.

Mr. Kyles' store is receiving a coat of paint this week. The people of this vicinity intend to celebrate the Fourth.

Mr. Gates and family arrived in Acme Monday, the 6th. Strawberries are beginning to ripen. Festivals are now in order.

Mrs. Stratton, Messrs Saubert, Patterson, Garnier and others went to Roseburg last week to make final proof on their claims.

The mischief did not go out last week as reported. While attempting to back out it got on north spit, and after making several attempts to get off at high tide, was finally compelled to send to Gardner for a tug.

Goshen Gossip.

June 8, 1887.

Refreshing showers. Hay making soon in order. Mr. Geo. F. Dashiell started for Arlington this week.

Mrs. Wm. Gainey has been very ill with rheumatism. The attendance at the Grange Saturday was not very large.

Mr. N. J. Ponger returned this week from a business visit to Big Prairie. Miss Rebecca Cummings has been visiting at Pleasant Hill the past and present week.

"Hooley" was the favorite game with two of our teacher's little (?) boys one day last week.

"Twas \$300 that A. J. Keeney received for his team instead of \$200 as stated in our last.

Mrs. B. Gray, of Portland, visited with her daughter, Mrs. Jessie Clayton, during last week.

Mr. H. C. Matthews accompanied Mr. Christman to the foot of the mountains with his cattle last week.

Messrs Lane, Lee and Wesley Matlock, Ira Stewart and Cecil Dority started on a rusticating tour to the vicinity of Florence Monday.

Mr. B. K. Rheimsnider and moved into the residence of Geo. Krumrey. The latter will start to Yaquina Bay this week to be gone until about harvest.

Mr. N. Berkshire and son Philip made a visit to the latter's claim, near Lake Creek, last week. The father returned, but Philip remained in the woods.

Thos. and Cas Matlock, of Eastern Oregon, left Denver, Colorado, on May 31st, for New York, whither they go with their four race horses. They won several purses at the former place.

Mr. A. J. Shanks, principal of the Crawfordville school, in Linn county, made us a pleasant call the first of the week. He was on his way to Cottage Grove where he has some thoughts of locating.

The citizens of that town would do well to induce him to become one of their number, as he is an honorable young man.

Dexter Pickings. June 10, '87. Mrs. Wm. Preston, of Eugene, is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Minnie Rowan is staying with Mrs. Wm. Fenton in Eugene. Mr. D. C. Hunsaker and wife visited relatives in Eugene Saturday and Sunday.

Next Sunday Rev. Mr. Kent will preach at the Lost valley school house and Rev. S. Jenkins at Trent.

The meeting at Trent resulted in eight accessions to the church, seven by immersion and one by letter.

Mr. W. D. Meador was suddenly taken ill Wednesday, but we are pleased to state that he is able to be up.

Mr. A. Roney spent Tuesday night in Eugene, and, returning next day brought a load of iron for the Lost creek bridge.

Mr. H. C. Morgan started Wednesday with his cattle for his Windbary ranch to pasture them during the Summer and Fall.

A few very refreshing showers here the first of the week, which did great good in increasing the growth of cereals and gardens.

School at Trent, under management of Mr. J. W. Parks, will be continued another month, the first term having closed last Friday.

Parties who have crossed the military road from the other side report only about five miles of snow in the mountains, and think it does not exceed a depth of four or five feet.

The M. E. church will hold a camp meeting just across the road from this place, beginning about the 19th. Mr. Hyland has put his ferry boat in running condition to convey across the river all those who wish to attend.

Through misinformation we are obliged to correct another statement. Work on the bridge did not begin last week, but began last Tuesday, and it is thought that it will be completed in the course of two or three weeks.

Cottage Grove Items.

June 8, 1887.

Have been having some rain in light showers the past week. Born, to the wife of Mr. Cyrus Miller, June 8, 1887, a son.

Mr. E. M. Brattain was visiting at Mrs. Small's the first of the week. Quite a number of persons went on the excursion from here to Florence Saturday.

Mr. J. V. Arnold, formerly of this place, paid his old friends a visit the latter part of last week.

Mr. W. H. Taylor and Miss Bell Powell were married June 4, 1887, Mr. Chas. Stouffer J. P. officiating.

Mr. J. P. Currin left here Saturday, June 4th for Portland on his way to survey the Umattilla Reservation.

Mr. Hiram T. Yancy died June 4, 1887, aged 82 years and 10 months. He was buried in the Sears graveyard by the Masons.

Messrs Frank Wooley, I. H. Veatch, J. S. and W. H. Medley left Monday morning to join Mr. J. P. Currin, as they were chosen members of the party.

Mr. M. C. Kennedy and wife left here Tuesday morning for their home in Edwards county, Kansas. They were well pleased with Oregon, and think they will return before a great while.

Business matters called them home and cut their visit short, as they had contemplated staying until Fall.

VERITY. UPPER SPRINGFIELD ITEMS. June 9, 1887. Gardens are very good in this neighborhood.

A few showers this week which greatly benefited every thing. There was no school here Friday as Miss Sherman went to Siuslaw on a visit.

Mr. J. S. Gorrie left this place a few days ago for Portland. Come back soon, John.

Mr. W. E. Goodman has finished his logging contract and delivered the lumber in Eugene.

Mr. P. Wilcox, wife and daughter and the Misses Melce spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Camp Creek.

There was no temperance entertainment last Wednesday evening as was announced four weeks ago. We hope the idea has not been given up as the cause is a good one, and everybody who attended the last entertainment expressed themselves well pleased.

PUMPKIN HUSKERS. The members of St. Mary's Episcopal Church have filed articles of association incorporating the church, with A. L. Parker, Rector; H. R. Clark and B. J. Hawthorne, wardens; and W. J. Miller, C. D. Combs, John Davis, Wm. Skelton and John Bassett, vestrymen.

Gen. Catlin two years ago the Republican candidate for Mayor of Brooklyn, has joined the Democratic party. Gen. Catlin, who won his title in the late war, says the Republican party in New York and Brooklyn is hopelessly demoralized.

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All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the Executrix at the office of G. B. Dorris, at Eugene City, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

ELIZABETH H. BREEDING, Executrix. June 10, 1887.

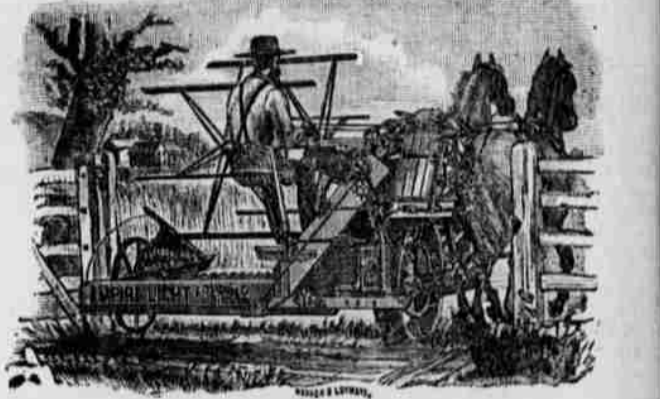
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