

THE EUGENE CITY GUARD.

SATURDAY, JULY 9, 1887.

Hon. P. A. Collins of Boston thus emphasizes the sentiment of the Democracy of Massachusetts regarding the renomination of the President:

There can be no question as to the position of the Democracy of our State toward the administration. We all believe in President Cleveland's honesty of purpose, and when the time comes for him to decide on his course in reference to another term the Massachusetts Democracy will not be backward in expressing to him their hopes that the decision he may make may give them the opportunity to endorse his candidacy heartily and very cheerfully.

David Dickson, of Georgia, willed a million to his illegitimate mulatto daughter, the child of a black slave mother. The white relatives of Mr. D. tried to draw the color line through the will, but the Georgia Supreme Court objects. In deciding the case the court says:

"All distinctions as to the rights pertaining to citizenship between the two races are abolished; and as to their civil rights, they stand on the same footing. The rights of each race are controlled and governed by the same enactments and principles of law."

The yellow girl got the money, and Sherman politics got a black eye, both given by the court.

A Mile Leap.

A dispatch from Quincy, Ills., July 5, says: At the much talked of leap from the balloon made by Prof. T. P. Baldwin at the fair grounds near this city to-day, over 20,000 people witnessed the performance, which was very daring. Baldwin ascended to a height of one mile, and then, holding his parachute, launched himself into space. The parachute was eighteen feet in diameter, and made of cord and strong silk. When the jump was made it was closed, and the first two hundred feet the aeronaut dropped like a rocket. Then as the parachute expanded, the descent became less rapid, and the strange apparatus floated steadily down like a bird. It was a grand sight. The descent was accomplished in three minutes and twenty seconds. Baldwin struck the ground with some force, but not enough to injure him. The descent varied about a quarter of a mile from vertical, and the professor struck the ground about a mile and a half from where the ascent was made. His attempt to collapse the balloon when jumping failed, and it soared away skyward when released of his weight. He made a similar leap in California last winter, the distance being 1,000 feet.

SIGLIN'S RECOMMENDATION.—A few days ago Brigadier General Siglin received from Adjutant General Drum at Washington, a letter asking for information concerning the Oregon militia, and for any suggestions the general might feel like making concerning the organization of the militia. Gen. Siglin in due time replied, and after giving the desired information stated that he had just one suggestion to make. "Ever since the year 1861," wrote he, "by the code of tactics the station of the brigadier general has been seventy yards in the rear of the center of his brigade when drawn up in line of battle. Since then great improvements have been made in fire arms, and the distance to which a bullet from the rifle of an enemy will reach has wonderfully increased. In view of this fact, I would respectfully suggest that it would be eminently proper for the space between the brigadier general and the line of battle to be greatly augmented, and that the general be given several additional aids with which to direct the movements of his troops from the further distance."

Springfield Items.

July 8, 1887.

Miss Messenger has gone to Ashland for a short visit.

Mrs. Susan Linder has been quite sick for the past few days.

Hon. John Kelley is down again with his old complaint, rheumatism.

Mr. Henry Stewart is manipulating the electric key at the Eugene depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Lackey of Siuslaw were visiting at the residence of their daughter, Mrs. Lyne the fore part of the week.

Justice Churchill fined a man \$10.00 last Tuesday for driving 30 head of horses across the county bridge at this place.

A brand new American flag was hoisted in our village last Sunday evening and a poor doled Republican yelled, "a rebel flag!" and vowed it should trail in the dust, but it didn't.

Amanda Cheshire, daughter of Presley Cheshire, aged about 17 years died at her home July 3d, the remains were taken to Oak Hill cemetery for burial. Amanda was beloved by all who knew her. The sorrowing family and friends have the sympathy of the entire community.

A young man by the name of Ellege was arrested last Wednesday at the instance of Lefe Wilmot, United States mail carrier for the alleged crime of assault. Mr. Ellege had a trial before a jury and was acquitted, the jury being out only eleven minutes. If the plaintiffs had to pay the costs in such cases it would prove a good lesson.

The picnic at this place on the Fourth was a grand success. The exercises in the forenoon were very interesting. Mr. Garrison delivered the oration in good style. We are sorry to say that a young hoodlum during the exercises had the audacity to steal a fine cake from the dinner basket of Mrs. Smitson. No gentleman would be guilty of such conduct. The choir discoursed some splendid music during the day. Our success is due to the exertions of Mr. Linder as Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements. We desire to thank Mr. Linder for the courtesy extended to members of other committees and more especially to the committee appointed to procure a flag.

Goshen Items.

July 7, 1887.

Most all have recovered from the joys of the 4th.

Miss Mary Stevens is visiting with Miss Nettie Stewart.

Mr. Wm. Hampton and brother started across the mountains yesterday.

The train in some manner set fire to the grass adjoining the track in Mr. Eby's pasture on Tuesday, which resulted in the burning of several rods of fence for him.

Mrs. Wm. Toel, of Sumner, W. T., is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Dougherty.

Messrs. Hens Bennett, Thomas Keeney and Chas. Sellers no doubt would be pleased to see Mr. Reid, of Crosswell, and settle with him for their nights lodging in his barn Monday night. A dance there was a false alarm.

Miss Nellie Hampton has returned from The Dalles.

A SLEUTH.

Mr. S. B. Eakin, Sr., has returned from a year's visit to Illinois, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Katie McQueen, who will visit here.

The Siuslaw.

Congressman Hermann has addressed a letter to the Secretary of War earnestly urging that official to direct an early survey of the bar and harbor. Mr. Hermann's statements in regard to the business that is beginning to push into that section is correct and an early survey should be ordered. The following is the letter:

ROSEBURG, Or., June 30, '87.
HON. SECRETARY OF WAR:

Sir:—The people of the southern portion of Oregon express much dissatisfaction consequent upon the delay in commencing a survey of Siuslaw bay and harbor, as provided for in the last river and harbor bill. The Engineers' Corps for this division of Oregon through Chas. F. Powell, Captain of Engineers have made the preliminary examination and report the bar and harbor worthy of improvement and, therefore, calling for a final examination and survey. In calling upon the engineer office at Portland, Oregon, last week I find the engineer without any orders from Washington as yet.

There is urgent necessity for this survey. Great improvements have commenced on the Siuslaw river. Three salmon canneries are established and in construction, a saw mill for export is established and manufacturing lumber in which the country abounds. Three new steamers are on the river, a large number of settlers are tilling the soil, the U. S. mails are running regularly but all these various enterprises are largely dependent on an improved outlet to the sea. Steamers and schooners do enter across across the bar for cargoes but since no survey exists on the bar or in the harbor no insurance can be had on cargoes, export or import. An official survey will aid matters very much. But now everything is in suspense. I therefore urgently appeal to you for an order on the engineer corps here to commence survey at once and relieve the public anxiety.

Very Respectfully,
BINGER HERMANN, M. C.

City Transfers.

D R Christian to F J Wilcox, lot in Christian's addition; con. \$100.
Nancy E Holt to G R Chrisman, lots in Eugene; con. \$5000.
James Offutt to Margaret Offutt, two lots; con. \$500.
M B Kinsey to N L Packard, lots in Eugene; con. \$500.
Phoebe B Kinsey to M B Kinsey, lot, con. \$150.
P G Reno to Eli Bangs, lot, con. \$500.

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the postoffice in Eugene City, Oregon, July 7, 1887.
Addoston, F. A. Keeney, Mr. E. J.
Bunsopie, Miss G. Kirby, Mr. Emma
Edwards, W. C. Lovejoy, Orlando
Henderson, Jennie Potter, L. A.
Hicks, Georgia Wharton, E. J.
Persons calling for the above will please say advertised, giving date.
F. W. OSBURN, P. M.

There has been a Mormon rebellion; others of like character are possible. A temperance war may provoke that most frightful form of tyranny, mob rule. Had the police been routed on the night of the anarchists' assault at Chicago it would have taken an army to save the unprotected city from burning and pillage and the unutterable horrors of the sack. A less peace-loving or self-poised man than Samuel J. Tilden would have stirred political passions, inflamed to the fighting point, into bloody revolt.—Chauncey A. Depew.

The ancients erected of wood the monuments to celebrate their victories in civil wars, while their monuments to commemorate victories over hostile nations were of stone or enduring metals. They intended that the mementoes of civil war should perish with the wars they celebrated, while their victories over other people should stand for all time.

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

BRIDGE NOTICE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE County Commissioners Court for Lane County made at the July term thereof, 1887, sealed plans, specifications, strain diagrams and bids will be received at the Court House in Eugene City, Oregon, at 11 o'clock A. M., on July 29th, 1887 for a bridge to be built across Lake creek on the line of the Siuslaw wagon road.

Dated July 9th, 1887.
Geo. S. WASHBURN, Co. Judge.
Geo. B. DAY, Commissioner.
A. N. GREEN, Commissioner.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, OR., July 6, 1887.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or Clerk of the County Court of Lane Co., Or., at Eugene City, Or., on Saturday, Aug. 13th, 1887, viz: Silas Renfrow, Homestead Entry No. 3331 for the S. 1/2 of S. 3, Sec. 4, Tp. 16 S., R. 7 West, W. M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: B. Post, Geo. Graham, Wm. Campbell, Ben Campbell, all of Franklin, Lane County, Or.
CHAS. W. JOHNSON, Register.

NOTICE.

In re application of W. S. Johns, for a pardon: Notice is hereby given, that the above named W. S. Johns, will on the 20th day of July, 1887, apply to the Governor of the State of Oregon at Salem, Or., for a pardon of and for the crime of burglary, charged to have been committed in the county of Lane in the State of Oregon on the 20th day of April, 1886, and of which he was convicted in the circuit court of the State of Oregon for Lane county at the November term thereof on the 6th day of November, 1886, and by the court sentenced, on the 11th day of November, 1886 to three years in the penitentiary of the State of Oregon.
W. S. JOHNS,
per L. H. MONTAGNE,
his attorney.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: J. C. Wallace H. M. Wallace, A. F. Johnson, Allen Kirk, all of Cottage Grove, Lane Co., Or.
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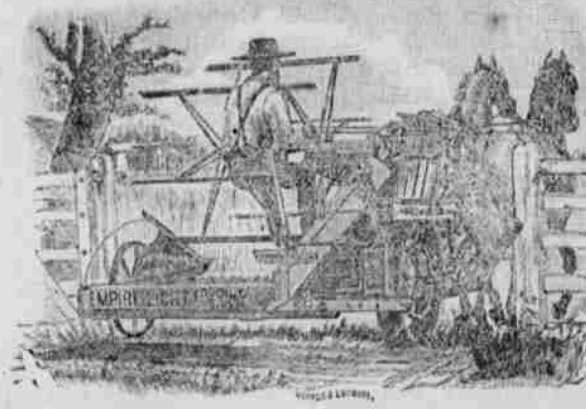
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