

OUTSIDE OPINION.

The State Press on Lane County Public Buildings—Not Complimentary but Contains Much Truth—It Voices the Opinion of Visitors to Eugene.

The press of the State is devoting much of its valuable space to the subject of the Lane county public buildings. The Oregonian of Jan. 27th in the course of an editorial says:

"Clearly Lane county needs new buildings, and it will doubtless get them unless its county court represents a past era and is deaf to the voice of progress."

The East Portland Vindicator of Jan. 10th has this left handed compliment for Lane county:

"Lane county is claimed by its citizens and local papers, to be fourth in the list in wealth and prosperity in the state. And yet the beautiful city of Eugene, the county seat, is adorned with an old board court house unfit for even a third-class livery stable, while the county jail could not be converted into a respectable pig sty. Wake up, old Lane, or you'll get badly left."

Coming home to our own family one of them, the Junction City Pilot, adds its quota as follows:

"That was mistaken kindness manifested by the people of Eugene City, when they rushed to the rescue of that rickety old concern called a county jail, and whose high state of dilapidation is a disgrace to their city and to the county of Lane, when it was in process of cremation a few nights ago. Its was right, of course, to rescue the inmates, but there the rescuers should have stopped and let the poor old jail go. It was not a kindness, however, (although intended to be), to those of our people who wish to see our great county of Lane and its beautiful capital, appear well in the eyes of all, and especially to strangers who come to seek homes with us.

Not far from the old jail stands the old court house, and while it is not so ancient looking, nor quite so advanced in dilapidation, it is anything but creditable to our county.

We have a county that is equal and we believe superior to any other county in the state, in everything that goes to make up a good and desirable place in which to live. In climate it is unsurpassed, and in fertility and natural resources its superior cannot be found west of the Missouri river. It has an intelligent and progressive people, it has fine academies, colleges and public schools, and such old rookeries of public buildings as we have, are not in keeping with them. We hope the people of Eugene will, the next time either these buildings take fire, run the other way unless they can save human life or something more valuable than our present court house and jail."

These are the honest sentiments of men who have nothing particularly at stake in the matter, and it is but an index, to the opinion that is entertained, by newcomers to the county, of our public buildings. Steps should at once be taken to replace them, so that we may no longer be the laughing stock of the state.

A Pioneer.

A correspondent of the Princeton News, presumably Knox Huxton, gives the following interesting account of the life of Sam'l McCollum:

I have been informed that Uncle Sam McCollum died near Eugene City, Lane county, on the 9th of this month. He was born nearly ninety years ago in Kentucky. His exact age or place of birth I do not know; but I do know by a quarter of a century's acquaintance with him that he was one of the kindest and most sympathetic neighbors that it has ever been my fortune to have. He was always ready in sickness to lend a helping hand, and there are many who should truly remember him for his material aid in sickness, which he gave freely without expectation of pay or reward.

Mr. McCollum was a pioneer of pioneers; he was a pioneer of Missouri and, in 1830, crossed the plains with six teams to Oregon.

He settled in Lane county, eight miles south west of Eugene City, where he lived until about twelve years ago, when he moved to Bridle creek in this county, where he lived until 1867. He removed to his old home then, which he had not sold, in Lane county.

The life of Uncle Sam was an eventful one. On the plains in '50 he had the cholera and at one time was laid out for dead. After arriving in Oregon, he did not hunt for his previous hunting, at one time his family would have suffered for food. In 1855, he, with his son-in-law, Hall Bailey, and Hall's brother, E. Bailey, now a venerable and respected citizen of this county, were attacked by Indians in Southern Oregon and Hall Bailey was butchered. He was driving an ox team in advance of a drove of hogs that McCollum and E. Bailey were driving; they being apprised of danger by hearing the firing, Hall made good their escape. Mr. McCollum's aged wife, three sons, who were with him in his last illness, and one daughter Mrs. J. F. Amis, of this county, survive him. He lived a long, eventful, useful and honest life. Truly, he was a "diamond in the rough."

Pleasant Hill Items.

Jan. 31, 1889.

Mrs. S. Handaker is visiting at Jasper. Born, Jan 29th, to the wife of Ludwig Muller, a son.

Mr. T. Mulkey is home again from his visit in Polk county. We'll not have any new moon during the month of February.

Mr. W. L. Bristow was at home from Creswell for a short time on Sunday.

The weather has been so favorable the present month that the farmers have been plowing every day.

The Guard was misinformed some time ago when it stated that Andy Chiechester, of Fall creek, was supposed to be lost in the mountains.

After making what we trust was a pleasant visit, Mr. and Mrs. Baughman returned to their home recently. Come again, for you make sunshine wherever you go.

A team belonging to Dr. Sharples, in charge of H. Mulkey, run away one day last week. But little damage was done to the back though one of the horses was injured. U. R. S. TRAWL.

Irving Items.

Jan. 31, 1889.

J. R. Yates and John Holland visited Salem last week. We presume they got their respective bills through the legislature.

Several select parties affording plenty of amusement for the young people have been held around Irving the last two weeks.

One of our young men was suddenly aroused during the day some hours one morning last week by being told that the house belonging to his best girl's father was on fire; and was it not for his good nature we think some one would be sporting a black eye just about this time.

GRACE.

Spencer Butte Items.

Jan. 31, 1889.

We will thaw out this pen and write a few items.

Stock is looking unusually well for this time of year.

Miss Mabel Dunn's term of school at Dexter has closed.

Hunting coyotes and coons is the principal occupation of our sportsmen.

What prevented the wedding which was to have taken place about New Years.

The Camas Swale school closed last Friday, with a grand exhibition at night.

Mr. Wilkes has sold his ranch and moved to Eugene, where he has engaged in the real estate business.

Mr. A. M. Osborn has moved to the country for the winter. He is fast recovering from his recent accident and will be able to walk in about two months.

The Lauran ex-Editor recently took a trip to the Butte. On account of the roads being very muddy, young Byron did not accompany him.

At last our neighborhood is to have what it has long been in need of—a preacher. Rev. Wilcox, of Pleasant Hill, has rented the Smith farm and moved thereon with his family. A.

All Over a Horse Trade.

Albany Herald, Jan. 29th.

A serious altercation occurred yesterday afternoon in an old barn at the Stephen's place in this city between A. T. Thomson and Jesse Clark, which may result in the death of the latter. The participants had traded horses. Thomson started home and found that the horse he had traded for was worthless. He came back and proceeded to take his own, when Clark, who was armed with a shovel, and was accompanied by Geo. Sparrell and George Miller, essayed to keep the horse traded by Thomson. Thomson received a wound on the top of the head about four inches long. He drew his pocket knife and stabbed Clark in the chest, inflicting a serious and perhaps fatal wound. Clark and Thomson were both placed under arrest on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon. The former is too badly hurt to appear at present for examination and is in the deep end of the chest on the left side. Dr. Maston, the physician, thinks the chances are even for his recovery. Clark is a gypsy horse trader and Thomson is a German living on a farm a few miles below this city and bears a good reputation.

Cabinet Possibilities.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—It was learned tonight from a gentleman, whose information is direct, that four places in General Harrison's cabinet have been definitely settled and, while not all of them have been formally accepted, there is no doubt about their doing so.

In the first place Blaine wrote to General Harrison more than ten days ago, accepting the secretaryship of state. Allison will be the next secretary of the treasury. This has unquestionably been decided on, and, although Allison's letter accepting the honor has not been written it will be within a week. Alger will be a member of the cabinet, taking the position of secretary of war, and, as announced sometime since, Wanamaker will be postmaster general.

For Oregon.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—It is the observation of railroad men that the general tendency this season among immigrants and prospective settlers is toward Oregon and Washington Territory, where farming lands can now be purchased at reasonable prices.

THE TEN WON.—The question of who should convey the electoral vote of Oregon to Washington was solved by aid of a deck of cards. Each one of the electors was anxious for the honor, and several schemes were suggested, such as pulling straws, wet or dry, shaking the dice, drawing by lot, but the cutting of the high card was finally decided on. A deck of cards was well shuffled. Elector Fulton made the first cut, a ten spot, Kopus seven, and McLean a deuce. Fulton, therefore, went east with the returns.

Speaking of the mild open winter we have enjoyed so far, a professor says: "We had just such a winter in 1854-55. In February, '54, the trees were all leaved out, and in that month I cut a patch of brush where Columbia City now stands, and burned it and planted onions in the ground in April, and had a splendid crop." There are some who keep looking for a spell of cold weather, and say we shall have some in February. It is possible, but everything seems to indicate that spring is coming early.

The mint building at The Dalles, which cost the United States over \$100,000, was sold recently by S. L. Brooks to E. L. Smith for \$7,500. It is now used as a livery stable.

Dentistry.

Dr. N. J. Taylor wishes to inform the people of Eugene and Lane county that he has re-purchased his old office of Dr. Looney, and is ready to attend to all cases of dentistry and dental surgery. He will be glad to see all his old friends and patrons and many new ones, at his office upstairs in the corner room of the Matlock.

Special Notice.

On account of the change in the firm of Lambert & Henderson those who know themselves indebted to said firm are earnestly requested to call at once and settle as Mr. Lambert wishes to go away. All accounts remaining unsettled when he goes away will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. LAMBERT & HENDERSON.

A good digestion waits on appetite and a good appetite is one of the surest signs of perfect health. If you are low spirited, irritable, bilious, or have an irregular appetite, then we advise you by all means to take Dr. Hensley's Dandelion Tonic.

For weak and delicate women nothing builds up the entire system more thoroughly and effectually than Oregon Kidney Tea. It is especially adapted to diseases peculiar to the sex, is pleasant to take and in every instance proves of great value. Oregon Kidney Tea is composed of herbs found in Oregon, is put up in tin boxes, and can be prepared fresh by simply steeping in hot water. It contains no mineral substance whatever, is pleasant to take and never fails to cure kidney or urinary troubles. Sold by druggists.

Chillblains, unpleasant sores from the feet and other parts of the body, nasal catarrh, ring worm, poison oak, eye on the eye, granulated eyelid, eruptive diseases of the skin, all disappear after using Dutard's Specific. War wanted to effect a radical cure in every instance. Sold by druggists.

Forest Grove, Or., March 8th. I have been troubled many years with weakness of the kidneys and have tried many different remedies, sought aid from different physicians and even changed climate to obtain relief, but have met with indifferent success. Hearing through a friend of the value of Oregon Kidney Tea, I obtained a box of it and have derived more benefit from it than from anything else I have yet found. J. T. HUFF.

Dr. Darrin Arrived.

One of the DR. DARRIN, of Portland, has Arrived in Eugene, and has opened Offices at Baker's Hotel.

THEY MAKE A GENEROUS OFFER.

Through the earnest solicitation and request of patients and others in this vicinity, the Doctors have been prevailed upon to visit Eugene. One of the Doctors has now arrived and has opened an office at Baker's Hotel, where he will remain until March 1st. They come to us laden with testimonials, a few of which we will present to our readers. They make a generous offer of treating the poor free of charge from 9 to 10 daily until further notice. Consultation and examination at all times free. Read the following testimonials and be convinced of their wonderful skill.

NINE DOCTORS FAILED.

Most Remarkable Cures—How They Were Done by an Advertising Doctor.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC: I feel that I would not be doing my duty to womankind if I did not let them know how badly afflicted I have been and how and where to be cured. Ten years ago I was taken with painful menstruation, and I have been troubled that way since that time, accompanied with troubles in every conceivable way. About three months ago the climax came and I was prostrated with pain through the heart, chest and lungs, and confined to my bed, from excessive hemorrhage or flowing. After nine doctors of different schools of practice gave me up, I applied to Dr. Darrin and he has cured me so I can walk from my residence to his office. I am overjoyed with the result of the cure. MRS. E. A. ABLE.

The following tribute to the gift and skill of Drs. Darrin is a remarkable instance of generous impulse worked out against professional prejudice, and is worthy of record:

CARD TO THE PUBLIC.—I have for the past two years been afflicted with chronic pericarditis, accompanied with great pain around the heart all that time, with excessive circulation, sleepless nights, fear and distress. I was unable to attend to the duties of my profession. I had exhausted my knowledge of medicine, as also that of my colleagues, and found no relief until coming under the electro-magnetic treatment of Dr. Darrin. A little more than a month elapsed since I received this treatment, and I can truthfully say that I am cured. I have none of my former trouble, and wish thus to give my personal experience in the interest of humanity. I have been a practical physician fourteen years, and am well known in this city and in Marshfield, Oregon. I deem it but justice to the public and Drs. Darrin to write the above. DR. STEELE.

TOTAL DEAFNESS CURED SIXTEEN YEARS AGO AND REMAINS PERMANENT TO THIS DAY.

MR. EDITOR:—In 1872 my daughter was taken with the membranous croup and upon her recovery was left totally deaf. I called on two eminent physicians who said they could do nothing for her. As a last resort I took her to Dr. Darrin, who cured her, and she has never been troubled. I consider it one of the greatest cures of electro magnetic treatment on record, and with great satisfaction give this. I reside in Berkeley, Alameda County, Cal., and will take great pleasure in answering any inquiries concerning this remarkable cure. Yours respectfully, Wm. S. DUBLE.

Miss Akers, of Junction City, Restored.

Editor Oregonian.—I wish to add my testimonial to the thousands already published of the skill of Drs. Darrin in the cure of disease. I had been ailing over two years, and my friends thought I was going into consumption. I took a bad cold which hastened the development of the disease. I took cod liver oil and all manner of disagreeable medicine, and was examined by several physicians and pronounced going into quick consumption. Against the advice of friends, I took treatment of Drs. Darrin—it was my last hope. I have been saved by their treatment. The treatment is not disagreeable in the least. Anyone interested in this mode of treatment can refer to my people in Junction City, Oregon, which is my home, or at 69 College street, Portland, Or., where I reside. MISS EDNA AKERS.

A Prominent Lady of Corvallis Recites Her Experience With Drs. Darrin.

Dr. Darrin; Dear Sir.—I wish to express my gratitude to you for the wonderful results your electro-magnetic system of cure has done in my case. Two years ago I was stricken down with apoplexy. Numbness and great pain in my head and neck followed for a long time. Other afflictions came thick and fast. I had chills, liver and stomach derangements, causing vomiting for weeks. In short, my whole system was thoroughly permeated with malarial poison, and continued so until last October, when I had a second stroke of paralysis. Hearing of you, I put myself under your care, and now after three months' treatment, I rejoice to tell you I am restored to health, and can be referred to at Corvallis, Or. If this will be of service to you, publish it. MRS. N. P. BRIGGS.

Doctors' Terms of Treatment.

Drs. Darrin can be consulted free at Baker's Hotel, Eugene City, Oregon, until further notice, and will under no circumstance take a case they cannot cure or benefit. Consultation free. Charges reasonable. The poor treated free from 9 to 10 a. m. daily.

Office hours from 1 to 4 daily; evenings from 7 to 8; Sundays from 10 to 12. All curable chronic diseases, loss of manhood, blood taints, syphilis, gleet, gonorrhoea, stricture, spermatorrhoea, seminal weakness, or loss of desire of sexual power in man or women, catarrh or deafness, are confidentially and successfully treated. Cures of private diseases guaranteed and never published in the papers. Most cases can receive home treatment after a visit to the Doctor's office, and circulars sent free.

N. B.—The doctors' stay in this vicinity is limited to March 1st.

Notice.

My wife, Addie F. Stewart having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, all parties are hereby warned not to trust her on my account as I will not be responsible for any debt she may contract after this date. DRAIN, Or., Jan. 25, 1889. H. W. STEWART.

Geo. W. Kinsey, Auctioneer.

When you want your goods, household furniture or land sold at auction, call on Geo. W. Kinsey, the pioneer and most successful auctioneer in Lane County. He will attend to all sales on a reasonable commission.

Eggs for Hatching.

From America's best breeds: Wyandottes, Plymouth Rocks, Light Brahmans, Brown and White Leghorns, Partridge Cochins, White Wyandottes and Black Minorcas. Winners of the highest honors at all the largest exhibitions for the past eleven years.

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MRS. I. P. McNAUL.

Notice of Marshal's Sale on Tax Warrant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by virtue of a warrant issued on the 28th day of Jan., 1889, by B. F. Dorris, Recorder of Eugene City, to me directed, requiring me to levy upon and sell all property on High street in said Eugene City, Lane County, Oregon, upon which there is a delinquent street assessment, and it appearing from the certificate of said Recorder thereto attached there is a delinquent assessment of \$29.58 against Lots 6 and 7, Block 18, of the original town of Eugene City, and that said property is owned by D. M. Risdon.

I have this day levied upon said Lots 6 and 7, Block 18, Original Town of Eugene City, and shall offer the same for sale to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in Eugene City, Lane County, Oregon, at 1 o'clock p. m., on Monday the 4th day of March, 1889.

Terms of sale cash. Dated at Eugene City, Lane County, Oregon, this 28th day of Jan., 1889. H. J. DAY, Marshal of Eugene City.

Administrator's Sale of Real Property.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by virtue of an order of the county court of Lane County, Oregon, made at the January term thereof, 1889, I, James M. Carter, administrator of the estate of J. C. Carter, deceased, will sell at public auction at the Court House door in Eugene City, Oregon, on Saturday, March 24, 1889, between the hours of nine o'clock, A. M., and four o'clock, P. M., of said day at one o'clock, the following described real property, to wit, belonging to said estate: The South East quarter of the Northwest quarter and the South West quarter of the North East quarter, and the North West quarter of the North East quarter and the North East quarter of the North West quarter of Section Two, in Township Nine North, Range One West, W. M., containing one hundred and sixty acres of land in Lane County, Oregon. Terms of sale, cash. JAMES M. CARTER, Administrator.

Notice of Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned administrator of the estate of Sarah A. Cathey, deceased, has filed his final account in the matter of said estate and Monday, the 4th day of March, 1889, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, has been fixed by the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, for the hearing of objections to said account and for the final settlement of said estate. Dated, Feb. 1, 1889. R. S. CATHEY, Admr.

L. BLYDE, Atty.

Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Matthew Wallis, administrator of the estate of William Gaine, deceased, has filed his account for final settlement of said estate, and Monday the 4th day of March, 1889, has been set for hearing the same. By order of the Court. MATTHEW WALLIS, Admr.

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Stockholders Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Blue River Mining Co. will be held at the office of the President, in Eugene City, Lane Co., Oregon, on Wednesday, the 20th day of February, 1889, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing five directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may regularly come before the meeting. Jan. 24th, 1889. R. M. DAY, Secretary.

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A twelve horse power Wood, Tabor engine in first class condition. Genuine French burrs, 24 inches in diameter for chopping. Also 60 feet of ten inch pipe. Will be sold cheap for cash or trade for horses. Inquire at the Guard office of John Holland at the Hill farm, four miles below Eugene.

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