CITY AND COUNTY.

Mohawk Items.

July 18, 1889.

Haying is not yet over in this vicinity.

The Mohawk Grange met last Saturday.

A little child of Mr. I. Zumwalt is quite sick.

Miss Minnie Scott, of Eugene, is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Lee, of Salem, is visiting at the residence of Mr. J. McGhee.

Mr. J. M. Stafford and daughter, Miss Lena, visited Brownsville recently.

Mr. Robert Williams, of Dexter, made this place a visit one day this week.

Several from here attended the basket meeting at Camp Creek last Sunday.

Preaching at the Baxter school house next Sunday, it being the regular appointment of Rev. Mr. Tribe.

Miss Mae Hoaumit spent several days last week with relatives and friends in Eugene, returning home Sunday.

Mr. W. I. Butler, who has been working at Dexter during the past month, returned to this place last Tuesday.

Mr. Mathews contemplates moving with his family to Eugene in the near future. By his removal Mohawk will lose a valued citizen.

Mr. B. Stafford, of W. T., has been visiting his brother, J. M. Stafford of this place. Mr. Stafford formerly resided at this place, and this is the first visit here since leaving eighteen years ago.

Passing through this valley and glancing at the moving panorama of grain fields, we came to the conclusion that there will be a very good harvest in this part of the county, despite the seeming enmity of the weather gods. To the inexperienced eye many fields of fall grain shine forth assurances of a bountiful harvest, while spring grain has the appearance of being equal to the average crop. The average farmer is prone to look upon the bright side of things too brightly when prosperity smileth, and upon the dark side too darkly when adversity frowneth; and perchance when harvest comes he may find that he has yet a fair crop of grain—enough, at least, to knock off another chunck of mortgage. UNO HOO.

The Work Completed.

Col. Robeson, with his corps of engineers, passed through Prineville last Monday en route for Albany, having completed the work of locating the line of the Oregon Pacific from Deschutes to Snake river. During this season Col. Robeson has located 180 miles of of road, which he says is the best work he has ever done. Of the route the Col. says it is the nearest level and most direct of any transcontinental line in America. From Deschutes to Snake river, he says the work of construction will be very light and can be done with great rapidity when once the work is begun. The work he has done this season completes the locating of 512 miles of line east from Albany and all that now remains for this section to have a railroad is for the O. P. Co. to push their work to completion which will no doubt be done at an early date.—Prineville Review.

Walton Items.

July 14, 1889.

Red huckleberries are ripe.

It sprinkled here the evening of the 13th.

Many new settlers are passing down the road.

Gardens are looking well despite the unusual dry Summer.

The Sunday school has a good attendance. Mr. Whitcaker is the superintendent.

A number of gentlemen have been in this section recently looking for timber land claims.

A Grange was organized here about two weeks ago by State Lecturer John Simpson, with fourteen charter members. At the meeting last Saturday there were five initiations. The organization bids fair to be a popular one in this section. OCCASIONAL.

City Tax Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the City Tax for 1889 is now due and payable to J. C. Gray, Treasurer, at his office in the Grange Building, Eugene City, Or.

All taxes not paid in 60 days from the date hereof will become delinquent and subject to additional cost.

Eugene, June 14th, 1889.

B. F. DONEIS, Recorder.

Estray Notice.

Taken up by the undersigned, June 26, 1889, a dark brown horse, 3 years old, 15 hands high, branded on right shoulder with letter M with a cross bar under the letter. The horse is gentle but has not been worked. The owner can have the same by calling on me and paying charges.

B. F. FINN, Leaburg, Oregon.

Winter Photo Prices.

Cabinet photos are now $5 per dozen; former price $6. Don't forget the place.

WINTER PHOTO CO.,

Entrance, 1st stairs south of A V Peters.

Eugene, May 31, 1889.

Sheep for Sale.

For sale, 400 head of sheep, 150 mutton, balance stock. Terms: Six or twelve months, with interest and approved security. Apply to T. C. Stearns, Judkins farm, or GUARD office, for further particulars.

Why will you go about with that listless air and pale face? Have you no life, no ambition? You seem to care nothing for what transpires around you. The beauties of nature do not interest you, and you feel that life is a burden. If you would have the vigor and elasticity of youth return, enjoy a good hearty meal, and feel like an altogether different person, then take Dr. Henley's Dandelion Tonic. It certainly produces remarkable results.

Delicate women who complain of a tired feeling, pains in the back and loins, desire to sleep, dizziness, painful or suppressed menstruation, will find in Oregon Kidney Tea a faithful friend. It can be relied upon in every instance to give immediate relief from kidney and urinary troubles. Thousands of women are suffering every day from some disorder of the kidneys or liver, who might be permanently cured by using Oregon Kidney Tea.

Dandruff is probably one of the most difficult diseases of the scalp to cure, but Dutard's Specific never fails to remove it permanently. Soreness after shaving is instantly relieved by its use.

Portland, Oregon, July 29.

My kidneys were in a very bad condition. The urine was like brick dust, and I suffered a great deal with my back. All remedies were unavailing until I tried the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, which gave me almost immediate relief. H. HAMILTON.

ONCE A PAINT.—Tuesday's Oregonian has the following notice, the subject of which worked in Eugene at the printer's trade for a number of years in days of yore: "Billy" Beers, one of the old-time Portland printers, who was connected with the Herald for years, is in the city for the first time in seven years or more. He is now an honest granger and has a homestead away in the heart of the Coast Range on the headwaters of the Yaquina river. He finds Portland a different place from the village of eighteen or twenty years ago, and complains of the noise. He will try to get away to his quiet home in the wilds to-day, where the dun deer is waiting to be shot and eaten by him. He is browner and healthier and happier than when cooped up in a printing office slinging type, though his hands are not so soft or white, and he has no desire to return to the busy city again to live.

FOR SALE—A sixteen-foot header, very cheap. Inquire of Geo. Belshaw, Eugene.

Brevities.

Henderson, dentist.

See change in C. H. Paine's ad.

Wall paper at Eugene Book Store, formerly Collier's.

Screen doors and windows for sale at Midgley & Parker's.

School Books exchanged at Eugene Book Store, formerly Collier's.

Ask your grocer for Junction flour. It is excellent.

A new band is talked of, to be composed entirely of young men.

Linn Woods of Prineville is rusticating at the Belknap Springs.

Excavating for the new I. O. O. F. Temple has been commenced.

The Hoey Bed Lounge, the best lounge in the market, manufactured by R. D. Brown.

Mr Geo F Craw has the sole agency for all brands of the celebrated Tansill Punch Cigars

Take your produce to the Pacific Tea Co. and get the best prices.

Smoke the Happy Hours 10 cent white labor cigar of Markus & Co.

Hot and cold baths every day in the week at Jerry Horn's barber shop.

We are in the lead, never behind. Always get there. City Bakery and restaurant.

Dr. Scott's Electric Corsets at Eastern prices. For sale only at G. Bettman's.

Preston wants you to come and see his saddles and heavy team harness.

Before storing or selling your oats see A. V. Peters. Clean Chevalier barley wanted.

Try our cream puffs. City Bakery.

Remember we deliver every thing with our own wagon, City Bakery.

The Prineville Review says Mr. Venzie is canvassing for books in that section.

Wid McGhee's team got scared at the show dogs Tuesday and took a spin. No damages.

See the change in the advertisement of the First National Bank, in another column.

E. C. Lake, marble cutter and dealer in monuments, shop on Eighth street, Eugene.

Al Wilson killed a rattlesnake in the mountains last week that had thirteen rattles.

E. P. Stiles has been appointed postmaster at Port Terrace, a new office on the Siuslaw river.

Mutton buyers from California and elsewhere have left about $5000 in Lake county this season.

The Eugene Hercules cigar two for 25 cents is the best. Manufactured by the Eugene Cigar Factory.

Carpets! Carpets!! S. H. Friendly has just received a large and varied assortment. He will suit you.

Van Allstine, the chronic drunk and wife-beater, was sentenced Saturday to twenty days in the city jail.

The "Cuban" and "Yarra" cigars at Horn & Paine's. Try them; they are the best in the market for the money.

Those who have promised wood on subscription account should haul it now or immediately after harvest.

We have received the first number of the Lafayette Ledger. It is a newsy paper and should receive a liberal support.

Grouse hunters are now abroad in the land. Hunters report trespass notices more numerous than the young birds.

See Friendly's special advertisement. He has large quantities of wheat sacks, hop burlaps and kiln cloth. Give him a call.

All kinds of fancy dress and dry goods just received from the East, which must be sold at once. Call at Bettman's and examine.

"Prof." Norris gave an exhibition with a number of trained dogs at Rhinehart's Theater last Tuesday evening. A fair audience was present.

A fine burning out in the Hoffman House Monday evening caused a fire alaam to be rung. The department responded quickly. No hose was unreeled.

The old Baptist church building has been purchased by I. E. Stevens and moved to a lot on the corner of Eighth and Pearl streets. It will be fitted up for a dwelling.

Some person unknown knocked a horn off Mr. J. G. Gray's fine Jersey cow this week. It was a mean act, for which the perpetrator would have to pay, if he were known.

Goldsmith, the grocer, has just received from the East one of the largest assignments of lamps ever brought to Eugene. He will sell them at prices that defy competition.

Midgley & Parker, at their factory on 8th street, east of the mill race, manufacture and keep for sale, doors, windows, frames, mouldings, etc. Estimates furnished on application.

Two brothers, Charles and Fred Thornton, were drowned in the Rogue river at Grant's Pass last Monday evening while bathing. They were proprietors of the soda works in that town.

Carpets of every style and grade at Friendly's. These carpets have just arrived and have been well selected to meet the demands of this market. Call and examine his varied assortment.

Take warning all you farmers that have summer fallow to work go and get one of Paine's Boss Cultivators, and stop your fooling. The Boss does the biz and don't you forget it.

The Congregational church will hold morning and evening services at Rhinehart's Hall on Sunday, July 21, to which all are cordially invited. Preaching by Rev. P. S. Knight of Salem.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, the eminent New York divine, will visit Oregon next month. It is said he will speak at Portland and Salem. He charges $600 per night, so Eugene will have to excuse him.

Dr. W. V. Henderson has returned from Chicago, where he took a course of lectures and instruction in the latest methods of dentistry. Call and see him at his office if you are in need of work.

S. H. Friendly keeps the largest and best assortment of clothing, ladies dress goods, hats, etc. He is continually adding the latest and newest styles to his stock. His prices are fixed to suit the times.

The best family remedy is undoubtedly Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier. It may be safely given to the infant as well as to the adult, and it will give relief where other medicines fail to do so. Keep it in the house.

Ayer's Hair Vigor has long held the first place, as a hairdressing, in the estimation of the public. Ladies find that this preparation gives a beautiful gloss to the hair, and gentlemen use it to prevent baldness and cure humors in the scalp.

Words cannot express the gratitude which people feel for the benefit done them by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Long-standing cases of rheumatism yield to this remedy, when all others fail to give relief. This medicine thoroughly expels the poison from the blood.

There are thousands of little birds about this city that destroy innumerable numbers of insects and do more good in the way of protecting fruit trees than can be easily imagined. Those boys who are in the habit of throwing stones at them and robbing their nests should be attended to.

The salmon pack on the Columbia up to date amounts to 226,000 cases, a shortage of 69,000 cases compared with last year. Fish Commissioner Thompson says that the law prohibiting the taking of salmon on Saturday nights and Sunday is being violated by a number of the fishers, and the intention now is to establish river patrols and put a stop to the law breaking.

On Sunday Frank Craw shot himself through the heart about 9 o'clock in the evening, near the residence of Mr. Levi Henkle, who lives near Philomath, Benton county. The young man has been living with Mr. Henkle off and on for two years. He came to Eastern Oregon from Lansing, Michigan, about three years ago. He recently took a trip to Denver, Colorado, for his health, and spent the Fourth there.

Hotels crowded.

Early apples ripe.

Horn's addition to Eugene.

Call on Dr. Shelton for cheap building lots.

Jos. Theimer offers for sale his residence on Seventh street.

It is said that there are twenty-three practicing physicians in Eugene.

Brushes, combs, picture frames at Eugene Book Store, late Collier's.

Ice cream to-day and for the rest of the season at City Bakery and Restaurant.

For the best and cheapest spring beds and lounges go to R. D. Brown's.

A fine line of silk plushes in all shades and grades at F. B. Dunn's.

Bibles and New Testaments at Eugene Book store, formerly Collier's.

Guitar and violin strings at Eugene Book Store, formerly Collier.

Timber land hunters leaving Eugene for the mountains almost daily.

There is said to be over thirty pile drivers at work along the Seattle water front.

Large crowds are said to be at Belknap's, Busey's and Frizzell's, on the McKenzie.

A few choice lots for sale in Ellsworth's addition to Eugene. Apply to Dr. McDonald.

Eggs, 20 cts; butter, 20; wheat, 60; wool 21½.

Havana Cigar clippings for the pipe at the Eugene Cigar Factory.

Sheet music and music books at Eugene Book Store, formerly Collier's.

Briggs makes best cabinet photos for $4 per dozen at his portable gallery in Springfield.

The rear end of the Minnesota Hotel is on wheels. It will reach its destination some time to-day.

Marriage licenses issued this week: R. P. Long and Emma L. Pritchett; T. H. Millhorn and Almora Copho.

From June 1, '89, First class Cabinet photos will be $5 per dozen at the studio of

F. A. RANSAY.

Bob Hendricks of the Salem Statesman is the proud father of a boy. It happened on July 17th.

The railroad pay train passed through Eugene Wednesday, making the employes of the company quite happy.

Geo. Williams, a former student here, was married in Portland and is now engaged in farming near the metropolis.

Clothing, boots and shoes just arrived from New York, at G. Bettman's. Will be sold cheap for the next 30 days.

Wednesday afternoon D. L. Leathers, was run over by the Portland and Vancouver railroad in East Portland and killed.

I have just received from the East over $2,000 worth of cloths. Suits made in the latest and best styles. J. DAVIS.

Oil paintings, picture frames, wall brackets, clock shelves, hat and cloak racks, window poles, etc., at R. D. Brown's.

The Oregon Conference of the United Brethren in Christ has appointed Rev. A. Bennett to the circuit of Lane county.

No preaching will be held in the Presbyterian church for the next three or four weeks. Sunday school and prayer meeting as usual.

For first class photographs go to Briggs' portable gallery at Springfield cabinet photos, $4 per dozen, other sizes in proportion.

The Elmira bridge across the Long Tom has been replaced by a new one. Johnny Zimmer acted as foreman of the construction.

The Electric Light Co. is putting in an additional water wheel to run their dynamos. The business of the company is increasing rapidly.

Wid McGhee, while excavating for the C. W. Young building, by some means was struck by a limb of an apple tree under the right eye, making an ugly gash.

A new law provides for the publication of all county warrants in county clerks' offices for seven years or over, and their cancellation within a certain time.

Henderson the dentist has returned fully prepared to attend to all difficult cases of dentistry. Office in same old quarters, upstairs in First National Bank block.

Miss Eva Shinn, who will be remembered here by many, was married July 24, 1889, at Oakland, Cal., to a Mr. M. B. Stone. The happy couple are now residing in Alameda, Cal.

Hon. Binger Herman is making a tour of the valley. He will be in Eugene in a few days. A number of aspirants for government officers are anxiously awaiting his arrival.

The ladies of St. Mary's Guild will meet Wednesday at 2 P. M., July 24, at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Craw. A full attendance is desired, as there is sewing to be done.

SECRETARY.

Ben Cotton, the horse breaker, was kicked on one of his thighs by an unbroken Eastern Oregon horse last Sunday which compelled him to remain in his room several days.

Fire bugs have been trying to burn the city of Spokane Falls, W. T., recently. A vigilance committee has been organized by the business men of that place to deal with such creatures.

Robt A Caples, formerly a student in the State University here, is now reporting the proceedings of the Washington Territory Constitutional Convention for the Seattle morning Journal.

J. C. Luckey, well known here, being a brother of E. R., J. S. and Warren Luckey, has entered upon his duties as agent at the Warm Spring Indian reservation. He will make a popular and efficient officer.

The mayor and Common Council and the editorial fraternity, the committee selected to receive the editorial party desire to thank the people of Eugene for the hospitable manner in which they treated the visitors.

Rev. I. D. Driver has left the East for his home. During his visit he has delivered over 200 lectures, talks and answering questions since he left Portland. He will probably arrive at his home here the first of next week.

The "University Bookstore" handles new and staple goods only; there are no better in the market. Everything is fresh and clean. There is no need of tramping up ancient shelf worn drugs, no reduced prices college or other kindred devices, and no imitating of other parties' advertisements or facilities.

Portland Sunday Welcome: "The engagement of Miss Pinkie Sears, daughter of Geo. C. Sears, and Mr. Maurice Y. DuBuisson, is announced. They will be married early in the Fall. Miss Sears is well known by many in Eugene, who offer their congratulations.

W. A. Cox returned Monday from Independence, where he has the contract for building a fine two-story brick. He is also erecting a fine block for Kline at Corvallis, and two bricks at Scio, all of which are under way.—Albany Democrat. Mr. Cox is well known in Eugene.

The Eugene Foundry is crowded with all kinds of work, but the skilled workmen employed, are able to fill orders on short notice. They are now working on store fronts for Roseburg and Eugene, and have just finished the iron work for the Hunt building. The foundry does as good work as is turned out in Oregon.

A few days ago Fearn Cochran, of Tangent, after using a cultivating plow placed it upon the top of a wood pile near the house. During the afternoon the rays of the sun shining upon the bright mould board of the plow generated sufficient heat to set the wood on fire. It was observed in time to extinguish it before any damage was done.

A correspondent writing from Summerville to the Gazette, speaking of Mr Turner Oliver's visit to that place, says: Turner is a young man of ability, and the day is coming when the beautiful tribute or prediction of Poet Brainard of Union, on his defeat in the election, will be verified and Turner will climb the ladder of fame to the topmost round.

Read the statement of the First National Bank in another column.

Wheat is on the rise in San Francisco but on the decline in the European markets.

Hawkins, the Salem murderer, has been found guilty of murder in the second degree.

"Jack the Ripper" has murdered another victim in the Whitechapel district, London.

The Nebraska excursionists stopped at Junction 20 minutes and were royally received.

It was nearly as hot when we went to press as the place that rhymes with well; 92 degrees.

The brick masons will probably finish the brick work on the A. Hunt building this afternoon.

The editorial party was under the management of Mr. A. L. Wissell, President of the Association.

Uneasiness has been felt on account of the scarcity of lime by our contractors. A car load arrived last night.

Mr N Gilmore has started a brick yard at Junction. It is rumored he will soon build a brick store in that place.

Julius Stratton well known here by old residents, was married in Portland July 17th to Miss Mattie Powell of that city.

Eugene Bonn has been elected Principal of the Junction City public school. He has bought lots and will build in that place.

The barn of James Parker, near Junction was burned last Thursday night. Total loss, $500; insured in Pacific Insurance Co. for $300.

The lowest bid for Coleman's proposed hotel was L N Roney, $10,700. Mr. Coleman has not fully determined whether or not to build.

Mr. George Belshaw, the premium wheat grower of the world, presented the Nebraska excursionists some fine bunches of wheat that surprised them. They will exhibit them at Omaha.

One of the wheels of Mrs. S. Meeks' hack came off in front of the GUARD office Friday morning and in jumping out the driver got his foot caught in one of the doubletrees, when the horses started to run. Luckily they were caught in a few feet, or a fatal accident would likely have been the result.

Creswell Items.

Creswell, July 16th, 1889.

M. C. Close will start up his dryers Aug. 1st.

I. W. Franklin's fine residence is about completed.

Our new railroad and express agent here, Frank Scott, has got into his new quarters.

New Methodist church under contract to Wm. Hunter is rapidly approaching completion.

A Mr. Doty of San Jose, Cal., and Mrs Henning of San Francisco, Cal., are rusticating here.

James Robinette is getting ready to build a fine residence at foot of Mitler's Butte adjoining town and wants to rent or sell his tel.

D. D. Williams living on the old Sellers place up Camas Swale is supplying Creswell and surrounding county with nice meat and runs a team regular.

The Cloverdale Swiss Cheese Factory is running now. Success to A Vatuone, the proprietor. He is also building a fine barn 50x100 with all modern conveniences.

I. L. McDaniel, the celebrated breeder of fast stock, is here looking up affairs and making improvements on the fine farm he bought of Close; look out for some races soon.

Messrs Close and son, Reed and wife and a friend from Portland spent four days on the McKenzie fishing and by looks of trout brought home should judge they only caught 3 pound ones—McKenzie for trout.

July 17, '89.

We noticed some exchange of property in our town last week.

Jas Stoops and Doug Sellers of Pleasant Hill were in town Sunday.

Mr. Franklin visited his son, Herby at "Eden Farm" Sunday.

Marcus Kelley and Thompson, Morrs and families visited relatives near Goshen Sunday.

Photographer Briggs has been practicing his art in our town for a week or so. He removed to Springfield today.

The young man(?) who bilked several persons near Goshen out of several week's board and lodging, played his little game at this place recently.

In the way of improvement our little town is marching right along. This is all due to our wide awake citizens who believe in keeping pace with the advancement of other localities.

Robt Hawley, who recently took a number of his horses to "Eden Farm" near Goshen for pasturage had the misfortune of losing one of the finest ones by being crippled by the cars, necessitating it being shot. It seems that he is having bad luck with his horses, as the other day he lost another fine one by its being so seriously injured by falling in some way against the corral in which he was attempting to break it that it also had to be killed.

While Uncle Joe, the Dexter miller, may not have thought to give Ellis another quarter last Sunday, our boys made amends for his neglect for when they see a good looking couple dining at the city hotel, they're not going to stand by and allow said couple to make a meal of a telegraph pole, as long as Uncle Uncle Jimmy Robinette's barn can afford a bundle of sheaf oats, hence the explanation to the company's officials that that straw was not placed as kindlings with which to burn its property. A LITTLE TAD.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.—One span of bay mules, about 15 hands high. One mule branded T. P. on right hip; saddle marks on both. One mare mule and one horse mule. Last seen three miles north of Harrisburg, going south. Any information leading to their recovery will be suitably rewarded by

W. H. HARTLESS, Corvallis, Or.

Eugene, July 16, 1889.

THE FIRE STILL BURNS.—Notwithstanding the fact that it is over a month since the great fire occured at Seattle and that several showers of rain have fallen since then, it is said that smoke may still be seen from the large heap of sawdust near where the Commercial mill stood.

LOCATED HERE.—Mr. Glen O. Holman, late of Baker City, has located in this city for the practice of his profession—the law. He comes well recommended. Mr. Holman's family, wife and four children, came with him, and they have gone to housekeeping.

DIED.—At Medford, Oregon, July 16, 1889, the infant son of Julius Goldsmith and wife. The remains were interred in the Jacksonville cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Goldsmith have the sympathy of their many friends here.

LOST.—In Eugene, circus day, a bird dog 2 years old, dark brown, carries anything given. A liberal reward will be paid for returning him to T. E. Seavey, 5 miles northeast of Eugene.

FARM PURCHASED.—Prof. J. W. Johnson has purchased of T. N. Wills, 240 acres of farm land for the sum of $5,000. The land is located adjoining Prof. Johnson's farm in Linn county. He got a bargain.

MARRIED.—At the residence of F. F. Spoor, Sunday, July 14, 1889, Mr. Robert P. Long, and Mrs. Emma L. Pritchett, Rev. Geo. A. McKinney officiating.

MARRIED.—In Junction City, Sunday, July 14, 1889, Mr. T. H. Millhorn and Miss Almora Copeland, Rev. Wm. Houston officiating.

Nebraska Editorial Excursion.

Upon invitation of the Mayor and the Common Council, the Nebraska editorial excursion visited Eugene Friday morning at 4:15 A. M. on the regular train, their two Pullman cars being switched off. At 8 o'clock the party were entertained with breakfast at the Hoffman House, the same being an excellent one. After breakfast the entire party were driven about our city and vicinity in carriages and hacks, also visiting the State University and grounds. Many were the compliments paid our city and people. The party was then escorted to the depot by large numbers of our people.

At the depot, after the beating of a fine selection on the drum by Major R. H. Hendershott, the president of the association introduced J. S. Hoagland, of the Lincoln State Journal. He made a few remarks, thanking the people for the hospitable manner in which they had been received, and promised a return of the same if the Oregon editors should ever visit their State. He also said that Oregon had many advantages that her older sisters did not possess, and that in a few years we would have a large population. He wished to especially thank Grandma Munra for the splendid breakfast.

Mayor Hovey responded in some timely and well-chosen remarks, regretting that the party could not stay longer with us, and wishing them a pleasant homeward journey.

The train pulled out promptly at 10 o'clock amid enthusiastic cheers.

Sixty persons were in the party, among them being twenty ladies, the entire party being in some way connected with the press. The following is a complete list of the names:

Brown, E. A., Nebraska City Press.
Badenz, Mrs Dora L, Norfolk Daily News.
Burr, W E, and mother, Riverton Enterprise.
Baumer, John, and daughter, Omaha Railway News.
Davidson, Sol, and wife, Nebraska Tribune, Omaha.
Denny, I. D, Red Cloud Democrat.
Davenport, A C, and wife, South Omaha, Stockman.
Ewolet, L D, Sutton Advertiser.
Garrety, J F, mother and child, South Omaha Drover's Journal.
Goshorn, R M, Wayne Hill Herald.
Hart, Atlee, Dakota City Eagle.
Hubner, Chas., Nebraska City News.
Hedde, Fred and wife, Grand Island Independent.
Hoagland, J S and wife, State Journal, Lincoln.
Johnson, T B and wife, Stockham Reporter.
Keithley, J K and wife, Weeping Water Republican.
Kohn, M, wife and daughter, Capital City Courier.
Lewis, H P, Omaha World.
Mullon, J T and wife, Omaha Bee.
Mullon, O A, wife and daughter, Lincoln Call.
Morton, O C, Nebraska City News.
Mauray, Matt, and sister, David City Press.
Oliver, J L, wife and child, Fairfield Herald.
Parkyn, J O, and wife, People's Advocate.
Purcell, E H, Daykin Recorder.
Pollock, A L, Omaha Mercury.
Roose, B F, Western Workman, Lincoln.
Robinson, E J and wife, Rushville Standard.
Sprague, F W, and sister, Rushville Sun.
Stevens, Mrs L A, North Platt Tribune.
Stonehill, G L, Omaha Herald.
Warner, C A, Stockville Faber.
Waring, R, Abaline Reflector.
Walker, H C, Douglas Enterprise.
Wessel, L, Jr, Chairman, Capital City Courier, Lincoln.
Wecter, J C, and sister, Alliance Argus.
Wild, J A, and wife, Wilber Republican.
Wilson, C B, Plattsmouth Herald.

Real Estate Transfers.

EUGENE.

M E McPherson to J D Wilson, lot in Packard's addition; con, $500.

W M Renshaw to E J Crawford and J N B Fuller, land on river; con, $1000.

SPRINGFIELD.

H R Clark to M L Wilmot, lot; con, $700.

A W Powers to C M Dority, quit claim to four lots; con, $40.

COUNTRY.

U S to M W Cassida, 319.86 acres; patent.

J D McCandless to John E Haskins, land; con, $400.

State of Oregon to Sadie Melson, 320 acres; con, $400.

State of Oregon to Geo Melson, 320 acres; con, $400.

State of Oregon to James Stewart, 40 acres; con, $100.

C J Hills to H H Jacoby, 1.50 acres; con, $1.

John Winzenreid to Rudolph Wanger, 44.51 acres; con, $250.

First 1889 Hops.

Mr. S. Smeed, the noted hop grower of Walterville, Lane county, shipped by Wells, Fargo & Co's express, from Eugene, last Wednesday, one bale of hops grown this year, to R. Weaver & Bros., of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The hops were of the Kentish Goldens variety and were of fine quality. He picked them Tuesday morning, dried them in the evening, baled them Wednesday morning and brought them to Eugene before noon. We think this is the first shipment of 1889 hops made from the Pacific coast East this season. This shows what the soil and climate of Lane county will produce! These hops will likely bring prices in Milwaukee that will astonish our people, as we think they will be the first offered for sale in that market.

Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received by the undersigned from contractors to furnish material and build the Odd Fellows' Temple, on Willamette street, according to plans and specifications. The brick and all iron work will be furnished on the ground by the undersigned trustees. Plans and specifications can be seen at Judge Walton's office. Bids will be closed July 27, at 10 o'clock A. M. The undersigned hereby reserve the right to reject any and all bids. J. J. WALTON,

July 16, 1889. B. F. DONEIS,

F. M. WILKINS,

Trustees.

FOOT RACE.—An exciting foot race was run last Saturday afternoon near the Chesher school house, between Messrs. Cook and Montgomery, for $200 a side, being witnessed by about 250. The race was 100 yards, Montgomery giving Cook 10½ feet on the outcome. The judges failed to decide who won the race, and the same was called a tie and the money drawn. The time reported was 11¼ seconds. After the foot race a number of scrub horse races were run for small sums.

AN ACCIDENT.—County Clerk Ware met with quite an accident last Thursday afternoon, about two miles beyond Springfield. He was returning home from a trip to his Mohawk farm, when his horse became frightened at a pig, and threw him out of his dog cart, bruising him considerably and breaking one of his ribs. He is getting along nicely and will be out in a short time. The horse very nearly demolished the dog cart in which Mr. Ware was riding.

THE GRAIN.—We are informed by several reliable farmers that the yield of wheat will be much heavier than expected two weeks ago. In fact, from their talk, we think the crop will at least be an average one. They say the cool weather allowed the grain to fill in good shape and prevented its ripening too fast.

TO TRADE.—A dog cart, and harness to trade for a cow. For particulars apply to Dr. J. C. Gray, dentist.

FOUND—A pair of spectacles, opposite GUARD office, Thursday. Owner can have same by paying for this notice.

A CURIOUS CASE.

Mr. I. N. Duckworth Asks to Be Committed to the Insane Asylum.

Mr. I. N. Duckworth, an old pioneer and highly-respected citizen of Lane county, who lives near Elmira, came to town last Saturday, hunted up County Judge Scott and asked that he be committed to the insane asylum at Salem. He said that he was aware that something was wrong with his mind, and that he had been unable to sleep for some time past, and that he was afraid that he might become insane and might commit some violent act, therefore he wished to be cured, if possible, before it was too late—at his own expense, as he is in good financial condition. The County Judge could find no law empowering him to have him committed, as he talked and acted in a reasonable manner. Mr. Duckworth then procured the certificates of a couple of our physicians as to his being a trustworthy citizen, etc., and a letter to the superintendent of the asylum asking that he be privately treated. Mr. Duckworth writes us from his home at Elmira, under date of July 17th, saying that he would start to the asylum Thursday, July 18th, and requesting that we make an item in reference to his case, as he wishes to send the paper to friends in the East "to let them know of my misfortune in life." He says he hopes to be permanently cured in a month or so. He was badly hurt by a runaway team a few months since, and his life was despaired of, and many think this is the cause of his trouble. This is certainly a strange freak, for a man to contend that he is losing his mind, when most persons who are insane believe firmly that they are the most sane persons in the world. We hope that Mr. Duckworth's stay at the asylum will be short, and that he will return perfectly cured, as he is one of our best citizens and highly respected by all who know him.

Blue River Mines.

BLUE RIVER, Lane Co., July 14.

A few lines in regard to the work in different claims on Gold Hill may be of interest to many parties owning interests who can not be here at all times.

The Trinity company is working on a new tunnel. The vein is ten feet wide and looks well.

Messrs. Robe and Blanchard also have opened up a tunnel, which is in seventy-five feet. The ore runs high in gold, from $40 to $150 per ton.

The Lucky Boy company have been going right along with their tunnel. The vein from the start looks fine. They intend putting up a mill in a short time.

F. B. Mason has been working on his promising claim, the Tough Nut. Mr. Mason's health lately has not been good, so he has this summer been engaged in the fishing business on the McKenzie river, finding a good market in Eugene.

The Eugene company have been surveying one of their claims to run a 500-foot tunnel to strike the vein at a greater depth.

In all fifteen claims are being worked.

M. S. SMITH.

To Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Executive Committee of Regents of University at the office of First National Bank, until 4 o'clock p. m. of Monday, July 29, 1689, for furnishing all necessary material and work for the erection and completion of a gymnasium building on University campus. Building to be completed by Oct. 1, 1889. Contractor to give good and sufficient bond in the sum of $5,000, conditioned for the faithful performance of his contract. A certified check for $500 to accompany each bid, to be forfeited to University in case contractor fails to enter into contract if accepted. Right to reject any and all bids reserved. Plans and specifications can be seen at office of R. S. Bean, Secretary Committee.

T. G. HENDRICKS, Chairman Committee.

July 15, 1889.

Letter List.

Letters for the following persons remained uncalled for at the postoffice in Eugene City, Oregon, July 19, 1889:

Atkinson, John W	Burnell, H R 2
Gale, Mrs E M	Hembree, H C
Landbruser, Johnson	Long, Mrs Garrett 2
Norton, John 2	Taylor, Samuel

Warren, G H

A charge of one cent will be made on each letter given out.

Persons calling for the above will please say advertised, giving date.

F. W OSBURN, P. M.

FALSE.—Last week we published a dispatch from the Oregonian, which stated that H. D. Miller, a former cashier of the Malta, Ohio, National Bank, had left that country and was short $30,000 in his account. The dispatch was evidently the mean revenge of an enemy. On closer view the story it tells is silly. That a defaulter for $30,000 should live here six months, and be here now, and it known to the bank authorities, without arrest, stamps it as a romance and a fiction.

SIUSLAW RAILWAY.—A party consisting of eight men started on the survey of the Siuslaw railway last Monday morning, commencing at a point opposite Eleventh street. The party is under the supervision of C. M. Collier, who runs the level, and Alf Kirkland, who uses the transit. The party expects to complete the work in three weeks from the time they commenced. We opine that they will find a road that will surprise all, on account of its easiness to build.

SCHOOL REPORT.—The following is a report of the school in district No 94 for the month beginning June 17th and ending July 12th: Whole number of pupils enrolled, 28; average attendance, 24. Pupils not being absent during the month were Alice Fisk, Frank Fisk, John Horn, James Bush, Tommy and Joseph Hise, Etta Evans, Laura Rush, Grey Cook, Olive Evans, Nora Goodman. Number of visitors, 23.

G. L. HARWOOD, Teacher.

ANOTHER BARN BURNED.—We are informed that a few days since the barn of Mr. Rube Hill, who resides in the Long Tom country, took fire and burned to the ground. About ten tons of hay, a set of harness and a horse were burned. Whether the fire started by accident or otherwise we did not learn.—Junction Pilot.

HORSES WANTED.—The undersigned desires to purchase light and heavy draft and carriage horses and mares. All draft horses must be pluggy built, sound and in good order. Age from 5 to 10 years, weight from 1,000 to 1,500 pounds. I will be in Eugene on Saturday, July 27th, 1889. Bring your horses and I will pay you the highest cash price. L. SENDERS.

TUNNEL ABANDONED.—Work on the tunnel on the O. P. near Breitenbush has ceased, it having been decided to go around the hill. One hundred feet had been dug. The tunnel would be over 500 feet long, and it was found that over a month's time and considerable expense could be saved by changing the course in this way, hence the decision.—Albany Democrat.

THE SIUSLAW BAR.—The U. S. Surveyors have been at work on the Siuslaw river bar this week but had not finished when our informant left. It is reported that the surveyor said that the bar was showing up splendidly and would get from them a favorable report. If this is true, the Siuslaw country will boom before many months.

EUGENE.—On and after Monday, July 22, 1889, the postoffice at this place will be known as Eugene, instead of Eugene City. Postmaster Osburn has already received new blanks, etc.

GIRL WANTED.—A girl is wanted to do general house work. Inquire at the residence of Chas Lauer for further information

Personal.

R. R. Hays has gone to the Foley Springs.

Mrs. Laura Kincaid visited Roseburg this week.

Mrs. J. E. Fenton has joined her husband in Portland.

H. R. Clark and family have removed to Corvallis.

C. L. Winter has gone up the Columbia view-taking.

Attorney McCollum, of Junction, was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Norris Brown returned to her home in Salem Monday.

"Two-stick" Johnson has returned from a trip to Yamhill county.

Mose Neugass of Corvallis was in town a day or two this week.

Will Espey and wife of Portland visited here several days this week.

Attorney A. E. Gallagher has been on a visit to Yamhil county.

Mrs E J McClanahan visited her daughter, Mrs Ella Houston in Roseburg this week.

Mr. Frank E. Belshaw, of The Dalles, is visiting in Eugene. He came up Thursday.

B. D. Paine, W. T. Peet and J. C. Church and son started for the mountains Monday.

Jerry Horn and wife returned from a week's vacation to the country last Sunday.

J. R. Beam returned from Yaquina Bay last Monday. Mrs. Beam returned Wednesday.

Mrs. N. J. Taylor and Mrs. M. A. Lynch have gone up the McKenzie to spend a week or more.

Mr Anderson, who has worked for R M Robinson for several months has gone to Portland to work in a restaurant.

Harry Perrine came up from Albany last Tuesday. He is getting along as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

Ed White, of Prineville, is visiting relatives and friends here. He is just as "delicate" as ever. It is rumored that he will not return to bunchgrass alone this time.

Joseph Klein and wife started up the McKenzie last Wednesday morning to spend a couple of weeks. Tony Klein, of Albany, is in charge of the store during his absence.

Frank Witter returned here last Sunday. He says that the party consisting of R. M. Day, J. B. Campbell and himself had ill luck from the time they left Eugene. At the crossing of the Middle Fork they broke a single tree; then shortly after they sprung an axle of their wagon so badly that the same had to be left on the wayside, so he concluded to come home. The others packed their outfit on one of the horses and left for the other side of the mountains, in excellent spirits notwithstanding their mishaps. They will not return for two weeks yet.

Pleasant Hill Items.

July 18, 1889.

Messrs Ross and Carson Mathews are assisting J K McKenzie with his harvest.

Mrs A J Cruzan and Mr A J, Jr., where visiting at Mr N G Hyland's last week.

Farmers are as busy as bees taking care of their crops. Threshing will begin next week.

After going on crut