

THE EUGENE CITY GUARD.

SATURDAY.....MAY 10, 1890.

SUPPLEMENT.

Crop Weather Bulletin No. 8.

Of the Oregon Weather Bureau, Co-operating with U. S. Signal Service, Central Office Portland, Oregon, for week ending Saturday, May 3, 1890:

Weather—The weather for the past week has been above the normal. Since January 1st it has averaged below the normal. There was no rainfall during the week. From January 1st to date more than the average has fallen; from July 1, 1889, to date, about the average has fallen. The amount of sunshine has been above the average for the week the nights have been much warmer and no frosts are reported. This is the second week of good growing weather this season and all vegetation has shown the beneficial effects of the weather. While the low lands are generally moist yet, general rain would prove beneficial.

Cereals—Winter and spring sown wheat is reported to be in excellent. Prospects were never better at this season for a bountiful wheat crop, is reported from various wheat districts. Early spring sown grain is up; the late sown grain would be materially benefited by rain.

Fruit—The weather has been especially favorable to the fruit crop. The warm nights and bright sunshine have done much towards advancing fruit past its stage liable to be injured by frost. The peach and apple crop will be less than an average; other fruits and berries give promise of an immense yield. Many acres of new orchards will come into bearing this year.

In Washington county maple, alder and hazel are in leaf one month later than last year. Ground is in excellent condition. In Clackamas the ground is drying out. On the uplands of the Willamette valley rain especially is needed. In Benton, at the Agricultural college, grasses are heading out, garden peas quite high, radishes and lettuce growing finely, strawberries as large as a dime, apple trees in full bloom. Oak trees have generally leafed out in Western Oregon. In Douglas county, in the neighborhood of Roseburg, the peach crop was generally killed by the April frosts. In Jackson county grape vines are budding out one month later than last year. In Eastern Oregon sheep-shearing is in full away; the clip is good and wool weighing well. Plums and prunes, in the interior section, are in blossom. The grain prospects throughout this section were never better. Spring grain is generally up. **B. S. FAUCI,**
Asst. Director Oregon Weather Bureau.

U. S. District Attorney F. F. Mays, of Portland, has been instructed to appeal the case of the United States vs The Dalles Military Wagon Road Company and the Oregon Central Military Road Company to the supreme court of the United States. The cases were decided by Judge Sawyer, of the United States circuit court, in favor of the road companies. The Oregon Central road is the one running from Eugene across the Cascade mountains, and The Dalles Military is the one running from The Dalles to Boise.

It has been mentioned that Dick Blow is the youngest railway conductor in Oregon. It might also be remarked that the throttle to the locomotive pulling his train is handled by the youngest engineer on the coast. This engineer is E. J. Stroud, who is but 21 years of age. His run is on one of the hardest divisions in Oregon, being between Junction and Roseburg. It is a night run, but the young engineer and conductor always make it all right.

Political Speaking.

The Democratic and Republican central committees have arranged the following appointments for their candidates to meet the voters of the county and discuss the political questions of the day. The meetings will take place at 1 o'clock p. m., and a full attendance is requested:

Mohawk, Wednesday, May 14th.
Springfield, Thursday, 15th.
Coburg, Friday, 16th.
Irving, Saturday, 17th.
Walterville, Monday, 19th.
Rattlesnake, Tuesday, 20th.
Creswell, Wednesday, 21st.
Cottage Grove, Thursday, 22nd.
Siuslaw, Friday, 23d.
Hadley's, Saturday, 24th.
Spencer, Monday, 26th.
Chesher, Tuesday, 27th.
Richardson, Wednesday, 28th.
Long Tom, Thursday, 29th.
Junction, Friday, 30th.
Eugene, Saturday, 31st.

JOHN WHITEHART,
Chairman Democratic Committee.
W. H. ABRAMS,
Chairman Republican Committee.

Dressmaking.

Mrs. E. Christian has opened dressmaking parlors in Matlock's building, second floor, and first room at the head of the stairs. Dressmaking in the latest styles. Particular attention paid to cutting and fitting. Residence on Pearl and Twelfth streets.

Notice.

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