

CITY AND COUNTY

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1891.

High Bank Happenings.

Mr. Wilkerson of Coconango was here last Sunday. Douglas & Co. have received the engine for their dairy house. Labe Young of Fall Creek passed through here last Sunday on his way to Springfield.

The engineering party's force has been increased. The new men will work on the trestle here.

Just as Stephens & Staples had gotten under heavy driving piling their engine trestle over but fortunately no serious damage was done. This breakdown will delay the work some time waiting for repairs.

It is again our sad duty to chronicle another death from diphtheria. Nellie, the eleven-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gray, of Thurston, was the victim of the grim reaper of death on Tuesday, January 13, and was buried here the following day.

May angels guard and keep Faithful watch while you sleep. Slide Ridge Items.

Singing at Mr. Humphrey's in the near future. It is the fashion on Slide Ridge for the boys to wear the engagement rings.

A party at Mr. Harkin's Tuesday, Jan. 27. A good time is expected. P. F. Carter is the Lowell blacksmith. If you need work done in that line, give him a call.

Mrs. Mattison has been very sick but we are pleased to learn she is improving. Miss Malen Carter has also been sick but is better.

Woman's rights have begun at Lowell. The other day a single girl was taken as a witness for a married man to prove up on his claim. Hurrah for woman's rights.

Uncle Tommy Carter of Lowell died Jan. 14 of dropsy near 70 years of age. The remains were consigned to their last resting place in the Lowell cemetery, funeral service by Rev. G. M. Demmitt. He leaves an aged wife, six sons, two daughters, and a host of relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

A Few Oddities. N. Y. Mail and Express. "Bad lands"—Unusable lots. Warranted all wool—Sheep. A great falling off—Niagara. "One of the finest"—A needle. Children's letters—The alphabet. A red-hot policy—Fire insurance. "Half seen"—The third day out. A southern stagger—The Virginia reel. A moneyed institution—The slot machine. Not a well matched team—Yale and Princeton. An upright announcement—"Standing room only."

The report of the national department of agriculture for the year 1890 credits Oregon with 12,865,000 bushels of wheat, 3,071,000 of corn, 38,355,000 of the largest yield of any single state, but the Dakotas together are credited with 40,411,000 bushels. California and Ohio are next, each with something over 29,000,000. The total wheat yield of the country is put down at 359,262,000 bushels.

Holloway's Sale. Never was there a better opportunity to purchase anything in the jewelry line, and get the most and the best for the least money, than at present. Holloway will sell at clearance prices for the next 30 days. Inquire of J. W. Schumate at G. Bettman's, Eugene, or write to J. Klein, Albany.

A Bargain. I have three good building lots within three blocks of the new school house that I will sell at a bargain if sold within the next 30 days. Inquire of J. W. Schumate at G. Bettman's, Eugene, or write to J. Klein, Albany.

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Horses Wanted. L. Senders, the Albany horse dealer, together with a horse buyer from Springfield, will be in Eugene on Saturday, January 24, 1891, to buy horses of the following description: Bays and blacks from 4 to 8 years old; weight from 1075 to 1150; 15 to 16 hands high, well broke, sound and in good condition. Also may purchase other desirable horses offered.

Clearance Sale. I have 34 Medium, Heavy and Light Weight Overcoats, which I will sell at Actual Cost. S. H. FRIENDLY.

Merchant Tailors and Furnishers.—J. D. Schaff, who has been on the road in Oregon as a commercial traveler 18 years, is now a member of the firm of Schaff & Steffen, 89 Washington street, Portland, in the Hotel Parkers building. This new firm, the members of which have had a long experience in the business, carry a full line of gentlemen's furnishing goods and clothing. All grades of dress goods carried in stock, and suits made to order on short notice.

Remember that we will send the GUARD for one year with Webster's Dictionary in good binding for \$5.50. A great many have already taken advantage of this offer. Call and examine the dictionary.

For Sale.—Two cottages and three lots within three blocks of the Geary school house. Apply to W. Schumate at Bettman's store.

Hardware.—Balducci's material, tools of all kinds at bottom prices. F. L. CHAMBERS.

Clearance Sale. 141 suits of mens and youths clothing on my front counter to be sold at actual cost during my clearance sale.

ORGANIZATION.—At a recent meeting of the faculty of the medical department of the Oregon State University, the dean of the college was instructed to acknowledge the merits of Dr. Koch's lymph, and to send for a quantity for use in the hospital. It will be fitted city. When it arrives we will be fitted city in the Good Samaritan and St. Vincent hospitals where patients can receive special treatment. The lymph was ordered about ten days ago, and if the order can be filled at all it should arrive here within ten or twelve days. Most of the leading physicians of Portland are favorably inclined toward the celebrated German's discovery, toward the use of the lymph treatment in this city will be watched with interest. It is only institutions of recognized standing that are able to procure the lymph at all.

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Brevities.

HOLLOWAY'S WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, SPECTACLES AND MUSIC. Henderson, dentist. Call on Cassell for sidewalk lumber. Try High Grade catsup at Goldsmith's. 5 cans choice peaches for \$1.00 at Sladden & Son.

A number of new ads this week. Read them. Money to loan on farms. Enquire of Judge Walton. 5 cans choice peaches for \$1.00 at Sladden & Son.

The public schools of Eugene held examinations this week. We issue a six column supplement with the GRAM this week.

Hot and cold baths every day in the week at Jerry Horn's barber shop. Bring your old scrap cast iron to the Eugene Iron Foundry where you can dispose of it.

Robt. Hayes has been suffering lately from a very sore throat. It is getting better. For fine suits made to order and ready made clothing, go to Hanson & Son.

C. Marx, Barber Shop and Bath Rooms, First door north of Dunn's new block. Go to Phelps' Spencer Butte nursery for 3 year old apple, pear, cherry trees, etc.

Mr. Geo. C. Gray has the sole agency for all brands of the celebrated Grand Punch Cigars. Before getting or selling your pipe see A. V. Peters. Clean Cavalier barby wanted.

E. C. Laks, marble cutter and dealer in monuments, shop on Eighth street, Eugene. A bill introduced by Senator Veach provides for a lower rate of toll at the Oregon City locks.

You can buy goods cheaper at Goldsmith's than at any place in town. He pays no store rent nor clerk hire.

The Junction Pilot says Mr. Boyd, of Eugene, is thinking of establishing a photograph gallery in that city.

Enquire of your grocery dealers for Eugene flour, a home production; best in the market at \$1.00 per sack.

The Hoffman house has rented the room in the rear of the Lane County Bank block and will use it for a sample room.

The lymph manufactured by Dr. Koch, and used for tuberculous complaints, has been given the name of Koochine.

Geo. Bancroft, the eminent historian, died in Washington City, D. C., on the 17th inst. after a brief illness. He was born in 1800.

After looking about Eugene for a month, I finally concluded to locate in Fairmount and my family is well pleased with my choice.

The Missionary Festival to be given by the C. W. B. M. of the Christian church will be held in Rhinehart's hall on the evening of Friday, Jan. 30.

How much cheaper it would have been to feed the Sioux and Cheyennes than to fight them, to say nothing of the wear and tear upon the National conscience.

The first bill to pass either the senate or the house, was the Portland Bull Run water bill, which went through the senate Tuesday morning without any opposition.

The stock and miscellaneous articles belonging to the Thos. Matthews estate were sold in Lost Valley precinct last Saturday at public sale. Fair prices were realized.

No one denies that for pleasant, healthy homes, those fertile acre lots in Fairmount have no equal and are the most desirable both as to location, price and everything else.

Representative Crook of Curry county following the precedent already established, has introduced a bill to reimburse Curry for some roads that that county has already built.

The Fairmount Co. through Mr. G. M. Miller is making arrangements with the R. E. Co. to make an excursion from Seattle, Portland, etc. to Fairmount, some time in June next.

Dr. G. W. Biddle may be found at his residence on Olive street, between Fifth and Sixth streets one block west of the Minnesota Hotel. He is prepared to do all dental work in the best manner.

Golden Age Rolling Disc Harrows, with or without seeder attachment, they are the best made, and at a price that all can afford one, at hardware store opposite Baker's Hotel.

F. L. CHAMBERS. The good receipts at the Corvallis post office for the year ending June 30, 1890, according to the report of the postmaster-general, was \$1,143.58 and the total expenses, \$1,814.98.

See notice of sheriff's sale. The property belonging to Mattie Carter on the corner of 7th and Oak streets will be sold by the sheriff, Tuesday, February 24, to satisfy a judgment obtained by E. C. Smith for \$42.31.

The word "hobo" as used in Oregon for a bad character, is said to be derived from the Indian word "Holomococ," a bad or evil genius. In other states it is used as a term of derision, and has had probably a different derivation.

But few people are aware that to send a remittance to a lady's company that if you are in the company and the person so sending is liable to a fine of \$200 or a year's imprisonment or both. Such, however, is declared to be the case, and postmasters are required to report all such letters.

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Florence Notes.

The West, Jan. 10. Geo. M. Miller will commence his bank building in the spring. The new hotel at Glenada is to be three stories and basement. The Captain of the Mischief reported seventeen feet of water on the bar when he crossed last Friday.

Gen. Odell gives it as his opinion that the recent survey will be accepted about April following. Capt. Bergman brought about five tons of hay from his farm to this town a few days since.

The steamer Lillian took quite a party to the mouth of the river last Sunday, to see the Mischief cross the bar. The first meeting of the Board of Trade met in Cady's hall on Friday last, with E. Knowles as temporary chairman and E. A. Bean temporary secretary.

A committee of five, Wm. Kyle, O. W. Ward, F. E. Freeman, H. F. Alley and Joe Morris, were selected to draw up the constitution and by-laws governing the Board of Trade.

The following are the new officers of the Peoplas Lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen: M. W. C. D. Thomas; Foreman, Jos. Morris; Overseer, A. O. Funke; Recorder, Frank H. Rogers; Financier, Wm. Kyle; Receiver, Jas. A. Mitchell; Guide, A. F. Ward; Inside Watchman, J. Busch; Outside Watchman, G. L. Houghton; Medical Examiner, T. C. Mackey, M. D.; of Sunset Lodge. Date of meetings, 1st and 3d Saturdays of each month.

Thurston Items. Jan. 17, 1891. Rev. D. C. Kellen is holding a meeting at Lorane. The school at this place has closed on account of sickness.

Mr. Isaac Whitaker lost two children last week of diphtheria. Miss Viva Kollens has been quite sick the last two weeks but is much better at present.

Ross Matthews has finished the school at Davis school house and is teaching at Pleasant Hill. Died, Jan. 12th, of diphtheria, Nellie, youngest daughter of T. L. and Olive Gray.

Mr. Chas. Webber has completed a neat dwelling at this place. It is to be occupied by his family that are expected to arrive from Germany soon.

Senator Eastham Dead. Senator E. L. Eastham, of the Oregon Legislature, died at his home in Oregon City, Sunday morning, Jan. 18. He had been sick and had not been in attendance at a session of the legislature, though few, so seriously ill. On receiving the news at the State House Sunday morning the flag was placed at half mast.

Senator Eastham leaves a large estate valued at nearly half a million dollars. He was president of the Willamette Canal & Lock Co., and president of the Portland Electric Light Co.; manager of the bank of Oregon City, and also a large owner in the water power at Oregon City, and a large owner in the water works at Walla Walla and owned much valuable property near Oregon City.

Best line of plush and light weight cloth wraps from 10 to 35 dollars show of Portland, now on exhibition at A. V. Peters'. Col. W. F. Vilas has been unanimously nominated for U. S. Senator by the Democratic majority of the Wisconsin legislature.

Dysinger has received a consignment of ten tons of assorted glass, and is ready to fill all orders for glass and sash with dispatch. All those afflicted should avail themselves of the opportunity of consulting the most successful specialist, Dr. Blakelee, on the coast, free.

Dr. Soper, the veterinary surgeon, was incarcerated in the city jail Tuesday under a ten days sentence on the charge of drunk and disorderly conduct.

Oliver's new steel and old reliable chilled plows, sulky, gang and walking and at reduced prices. F. L. CHAMBERS. About all of the part of Fairmount north of the R. R. track and more than 20 acre south have been sold. People appreciate their liberal way of doing business.

Farmers report that the soil is in splendid condition for the plow. There has been enough rain to saturate the ground, but not enough to make it muddy and unfit to work.

Cottage Grove and Springfield want their charters amended and Senators Veach and Eakin have introduced bills accordingly which it is hoped will be satisfactory to the residents of those towns.

State Senator Parberry, of Montana, suffered a paralytic stroke in the senate chamber last Wednesday, which is reported very severe. Dr. Parberry has visited Eugene several times, being a brother of Mrs. Shaw, of this city.

Prineville News: We learn that a reward of \$200 has been offered by the county for the arrest and detention of Bob Magee, the slayer of Lee Annis. In addition Mr. J. F. Amis, father of the murdered man, offers \$100, making a total of \$300 for Magee's capture and detention.

L. D. Scarbrough of Creswell gives notice in his ad that he offers special inducements to cash purchasers in order to reduce his large stock of merchandise. He will pay the highest market prices for all kinds of produce. His prices are such that no better bargains may be obtained.

Holloway says: When spiders are seen going up the wall backwards, and seen walking in single file toeing in it's a sure sign that measles will be light among the children this year.—But—

It does not prevent his keeping a more select line of watches, clocks and jewelry than ever, with a greater determination than ever to please all.

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A Worthy Project.

M. S. Barker started out with a subscription paper in the middle of the week to see what he could do towards obtaining subscriptions of stock with which to commence the manufacture of tubs, buckets and wood-ware, a line of boy's wagons and baby carriages, or some other line of manufacture as the stockholders may determine.

The scheme proposed is to commence with a capital stock of \$10,000 divided into shares of \$100 each. No one person to own more than three shares. Payments on stock to be made at the rate of \$5 per month for the first three months, \$3 per month thereafter until the share of stock is fully paid for.

After three payments are made it is proposed to borrow money sufficient to commence the enterprise and issue bonds to be taken up as the payments on stock are made.

The scheme appears a feasible one and would interest our people in some line of manufacture that would contribute materially to building up the town, and giving life to hard employment. Abundant water power is at hand and going to waste, that might be turning wheels while the busy hum of machinery would be heard. It requires but a little from each, and we trust our citizens will assist the enterprise with substantial contributions. They are not giving up their money away. The stockholders will determine the success or failure of the project.

A Statement. A few weeks since the result of a test of the public sentiment in Cottage Grove regarding a state appropriation for the Columbia Exposition was published in the GUARD. We had, from the best of authority, what we stated, viz: That two petitions, one in favor of an appropriation of \$250,000 and the other against, were placed side by side in a business house, so that the public could see signatures to either, and after two days the petition against the appropriation had 92 names while the other had but 1. The Cottage Grove Leader of last week questioned the fairness of the test. The following letter from Mr. J. P. Curran, in whose store the petitions were kept, will convince all who have the least acquaintance with that gentleman that the institution of the Leader is entirely unfounded.

Cottage Grove, Jan. 21. EDITOR OF THE GUARD: In last week's issue of the Cottage Grove Leader there is a statement that the petition for the appropriation of \$250,000, for the world's fair was kept hid under the counter, while the renunciation only was in sight. Now those papers both were in my store and I wish to state that the charge that the petition was kept under the counter is false and unbecoming. They lay side by side and were seen and read by about one hundred citizens of this place. J. P. CURRAN.

Springfield Items. Jan. 22, 1891. This town now can afford a bulletin board. A young man was here yesterday from California with the intention of putting up a store.

Mrs. J. C. Jennings and son are visiting friends at this place. Mr. A. Wheeler is building a new boom just above the foot gates.

E. W. Zanawell is fixing up his house, by raising it up four or five feet from the ground. Old Grand Pa Briggs is just alive and that is all; at last accounts, he was sinking very fast. He is in his ninety-first year.

Mrs. Mary Stearn's new building is now completed. She is moving in, and will soon open out a new stock of ladies' goods. The city marshal has got his hands full dealing with horses. Tuesday night he found a dead horse belonging to T. L. Zanawell of Mohawk.

And still our little town is holding its own. It will not be long until the sound of the whistle will be heard, and then the people will wake up to its cry. TA TA.

Hadleyville Items. Jan. 21, 1891. Mrs. J. A. J. Crow is convalescent. Mr. B. F. Bond of Irving is visiting at this place.

W. F. Gordon closed a very successful term of school at this place last Friday. We shall miss the smiling phiz of Friend "Bully" very much.

For genuine open hairdressing the people of this vicinity and Elmira come pretty well to the front as it took two four-horse teams to haul the supplies that were donated to the unfortunate Mr. Eames, who lost his house and all its contents by fire a short time ago.

We understand that Al. Churchill of Eugene is intending to bring one of his mammoth stump pullers to the farm of general postmaster and give a free exhibition of its wonderful powers. Of course we will all go and see the fun. O. P.

Resolutions of Respect. WHEREAS, It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe to remove from among us a former member of the department, Geo. O. Swift, therefore be it Resolved, By the Eugene Fire Department that in his death we have lost a friend and brother fireman who was respected among us for his manly and generous qualities.

That, while we mourn his loss we ever remember that the deeper sorrow rests upon those who were dearest to him, and we therefore extend to the bereaved family and especially to his sorrowing widow our deepest and sincerest sympathy.

That, a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the family of deceased and a copy of same be published in each of the city papers. ED. ANDREWS, S. W. CONDOX, GEO. A. FORBES, Committee.

Amendments to the Charter. The city council has drafted a bill making several changes in the Eugene charter. The same was introduced in the senate Thursday by Senator Eakin, read the first time by title only, upon suspension of the rules, and referred to the committee on corporations. So far as we have been able to ascertain the boundaries of the city will be enlarged on the east about 66 feet; south, two blocks, and the northeast corner squared out. An excellent provision is that the council be given power to improve alleys. Under the present charter they do not have that right. The office of assessor is created and the appointive to the mayor. Other minor changes are made.

Clearance Sale. Ladies' Neutrals, Jackets and Children's Cloaks at 1/2 former reduced prices during my Clearance Sale. S. H. FRIENDLY.

DIED.—Jim Moore, an Indian, died at his illness two miles southeast of Eugene, Friday morning. He was buried by the county.

GOOD LUCK.—You are, if you trade with Davis the popular tailor, whose ad will appear next week.

K. P. BALE.—The Eugene lodge Knights of Pythias will give a grand ball at Rhinehart's hall, Friday evening, February 13.

LUMBER NOTICE.—Go to the Depot lumber yard for cheap lumber. Andrews will not be understood.

DIED.—At Irving, Jan. 22, 1891. Letta, youngest daughter of S. L. and Bess Bond, aged 4 years and 4 months.

Personal.

Joe Klein made Eugene a visit Thursday. Dr. Hill of Albany was in Eugene Tuesday. H. C. Humphrey is expected home to day or Monday.

Sheriff Noland was in Salem several days this week. Governor Whiteaker went to Salem on business Thursday.

Capt. W. A. Cox, of Acme, was in Eugene several days this week. Chas. Laster was among the number who went to Salem this week.

Wm. Edris has been spending the week at Snowden Springs, near Drain. J. W. Hanson, of Fairhaven, Wash., made rollers in Eugene a short visit Saturday.

Bolivar Cogswell is still confined to his bed and is quite ill. His lungs are affected. Geo. Alexander, of the Lebanon Express, was in town several days the first of the week.

A. Goldsmith and son Charles left for San Francisco Wednesday morning via Portland. Senator Eakin recovered from his illness so that he could take his seat in the senate Monday.

J. N. Bunch has gone to Washington on a business trip. He will be absent about three weeks. County Clerk Walker attended a convention of the county clerks of the state at Salem Tuesday.

E. J. Frasier returned from California Wednesday morning. He is looking well after his trip, and reports having been successful in his real estate transactions. Henry Owen graded the town with his presence Wednesday. The present legislature is too corrupt to allow of his attendance. The legislative halls and the third house will miss him.

A County Abstract. The Commissioner's Court met at the court house Monday and concluded a contract with Mr. A. E. Wheeler for an abstract of the real property in Lane county. Mr. Wheeler agrees to give a description of all real property together with the names of present owners, and make township plats, in giving all real property except tracts of three acres and under. He will receive for his abstract 15 mills on the valuation of all real property missed by the assessor for the current year 1890 that shall be assessed by the sheriff and the taxes collected thereon. If, as estimated, \$350,000 will be uncovered, Mr. Wheeler will receive \$4000 for his part. The work must be completed within twelve months, but Mr. Wheeler as fast as he completes a township plat will turn it over to Sheriff Noland.