

Goshen Items.

Sept. 8, 1891. M. E. church is "go" we are in...

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Brevities.

HOLLOWAY-WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY SPECTACLES AND MUSIC. Day & Henderson.

Canvas shoes at O. E. K's. Walton & Skipworth, Lawyers.

Call on O. E. Kransse for foot wear. Call on Caswell for sidewalk lumber.

Rubber bottom shoes at O. E. Kransse's. Sheet music at Patterson & Christian's.

Money to loan on farms. Enquire of Judge Walton. See the new styles of Oak furniture at Day & Henderson's.

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

Carpets, carpets, all new styles for spring trade at Day & Henderson's.

For fine suits made to order and ready made clothing, go to Ed Hanson.

See the new invoice of oak furniture, all new patterns at Day & Henderson's.

21 dollars will buy a solid, antique, oak bed room set at Day & Henderson's.

C. Marx, Barber Shop and Bath Rooms. First door north of Dunn's new block.

Blank deeds, mortgage deeds and chattel mortgages for sale at the Grand office.

\$5.00 worth of ladies' shoes to be sold at or below cost. J. D. MATLOCK.

Mr Geo F Crow has the sole agency for all brands of the celebrated Tansil Punch Cigars.

Remember that Hanson & Son have the best selected stock of clothing in town.

Bring your old scrap cast iron to the Eugene Iron Foundry where you can dispose of it.

Sixteen-inch seasoned fir wood for sale at coast by S. Meriau, corner Oak and Sixth streets.

Eugene Flour \$1.35 per sack. The Eugene Flouring mills make the best quality of roller mill flour.

If you are getting too old for your spectacles, or if they do not exactly suit you take them to Watts and have new lenses fitted.

Best line of plush and light weight cloth wraps from 10 to 35 dollars shown at Portland, now on exhibition at A. V. Peters.

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.

The best family remedy is undoubtedly Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier. Harrowed, it accomplishes relief where many other medicines fail to do. It may be safely given to the infant as well as the adult.

Peddlers are like the Irishman's flea, and often irresponsible, so buy an organ of a reputable house, and that will not fall to pieces with the first damp weather. Call and see Holloway's.

Henderson, dentist. Oxford fits at O. E. K's. Fountain pens at Watta's.

ARRESTED.

John Maxwell, a wealthy farmer, accused of larceny. Sheriff Noland called 11 o'clock this morning arrested John Maxwell, a wealthy farmer, who lives about six miles north-west of Eugene, on a complaint sworn to by J. M. Martin, charging him with the crime of larceny.

The complaint drawn by the Prosecuting Attorney is as follows: The said John Maxwell did on the 8th day of September, 1891, near Irving, in Lane county, then and there being, then and there lawfully and feloniously take and carry away 28 sacks of wheat, the personal property of Marshall and James Martin, of the value of more than \$35, contrary to the statutes of the State of Oregon in such cases made and provided.

The preliminary examination was set for 4 o'clock this afternoon, and was being held before Justice G. W. Kinsey, as we went to press.

Attorneys Walton & Skipworth has been retained by the defendant.

DISMISSED—John Maxwell, who was arrested Tuesday on complaint of J. M. Martin, charged with larceny of some wheat, was given a preliminary hearing before Justice Kinsey in the afternoon. At the close of the evidence for the State, the Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, on motion, had the case dismissed, and Mr. Maxwell was discharged from custody. From the evidence it appears that the case should have been tried as a civil action instead of a criminal one. The trouble was over the proper division of the wheat crop raised by J. M. Martin, he being a renter on Mr. Maxwell's farm. No evidence was submitted that would prove that Mr. Maxwell was guilty of any criminal charge.

GETTING FRIENDLY.

A Wild Black Bear Invades the City Limits.

This afternoon at about 1:30 o'clock a black bear was noticed on the north side of Skinner's Butte near the west end. Hunters procured all available guns and started in pursuit of his lordship. Barney Payne, one of the best marksmen in the county got sight of the bear as he was swimming across the river, and at a distance of about 150 yards shot five times and missed it; and another party shot four times with like results. They were evidently badly excited. The last seen of the bear he got out of the water and ran into the brush. A large crowd is still in pursuit of it as we go to press.

Barney Payne has arrived from the seat of war and says that he was half a mile distant when he did the shooting. The hunters failed to catch the bear that was seen adjoining town.

Union Pacific Complaints.

The Union Pacific company has filed papers to restrain the Oregon railroad commission from enforcing the reduced freight rates. The action is begun before Judge Boise of the circuit court. A writ of review has been asked for the matter before the court and time set for hearing is the 21st of September, at Salem.

What the company seeks by its pleadings is a writ of review of the rates fixed in the court. It sets up certain leases of lines of feeders, upon which it is called to pay certain fixed charges of 5 1/2 per cent or \$2,556,593.64 per annum; that the net earnings from the leased lines the first year were only \$2,228,443.87, etc. Hence the company asks that the Oregon commission rates be annulled as not compensatory and the commission restrained from enforcing the same.

Estray Sale.

Taken up by the undersigned in Eugene, Sept. 7, 1891, one sorrel mare, 8 or nine years old, about 15 hands high, hind feet white. A few white chinch marks on her sides.

I will sell the above described animal at public auction for cash in hand at Kyle & Lowrey's saloon in Eugene, on Saturday, Sept. 28, 1891, at 2 o'clock p. m. J. T. WITTER, Nightwatch.

Jetty Work.

Information comes from Plummer that Mr. Lyell, the civil engineer in charge of the jetty work at the mouth of the Siuslaw is proceeding expeditiously.

He has made arrangements for the building of eating and sleeping houses and the scows and derricks needed on the work. A rock will be quarried near the old cannery. A series of boring will be made on the south spit to determine the depth of rock.

A FINE INVENTION.—Albany Devoe, proprietor, has invented a machine for measuring cloth which promises to be a big thing for him and Messrs. Hollenbeck and Wendell of the C. B. R. store, associated with him in its ownership. Very simple in its operation, it will measure cloth of all widths, or ribbons even, with accuracy and great rapidity, an indicator showing constantly the amount reeled off, together with the total price, at any amount per yard desired, never missing a cent or an inch in length. It also has a special attachment for measuring goods for all hives, one that will save a great deal of time. Its capacity for general use is 70 yards, which of course is more than ordinarily needed. The machine is a remarkably ingenious one, displaying considerable study and investigation in its construction. The owners will go East after awhile and introduce it. As there is nothing in the market or ever invented covering this field there is no reason why there should not be a fortune in it for the owners.

OUR LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

Council met on call of the mayor Wednesday evening, Sept. 9th. Present—Mayor McGinnis, Councilmen Davis, Pace, Walton, Osburn, Griffin and Preston.

The following proceedings were had: Ordinance No. 173, setting apart the principal received for the sewer bonds and adding the same to the sewer fund. Passed and ordered enrolled.

Ordinance No. 174, providing for the improvement of the alleys in block 10 and blocks 1 and 2, in Mulligan's addition on the west, between Olive and Charlemont streets, and between 8th and 9th streets in block 10, and the alley between Olive and Charlemont from 8th to 11th street in blocks 1, 2 and 3, in Mulligan's addition on the west. Ordinance passed and recorder ordered to give notice to owners of property and contractors.

The matter of drainage through the Snodgrass alley, between Williams and Olive streets, referred to the street committee with power to act.

A resolution was passed reimbursing the general fund for amounts advanced to the sewer fund, and warrant ordered drawn for the same.

On motion the material furnished and labor performed on sewer work allowed and warrants ordered drawn.

WALKING CONTINUED.—A number of walking contests will take place at Stewart's Park, Eugene, Saturday, September 26th, between W. G. Day, A. C. Jones, Mr. Wood, Mr. Eaton and John Mackey. See advertisement in another column.

Commissioners' Court.

Met in Eugene, Oregon, Wednesday morning Sept. 3, 1891, at the Court House. Present Judge Scott, Commissioners Parker and Hyland, Sheriff Noland and Clerk Walker.

The following proceedings were had: The James Frazer road: J. F. Smith, James Keeney and Doc Sylvester appointed viewers and C. M. Collier surveyor. The Coulter road: continued for the term.

The Florence and North Fork road: continued for the term.

ALLOWANCES. Geo. Downes, cougar scalp \$2 00 F. S. Warner " " " 2 00 F. R. Peipert " " " 2 00 Ed Davis " " " 2 00 J. M. Hoffman " " " 2 00 H. Gilbert " coyote " 5 00 M. Wilkins " " " 5 00 D. J. Gover, gravel " 3 78 P. E. Fremont, gravel road " 77 16 Allen Noffsinger, chairman " 4 00 J. G. Grover, gravel " 2 16 J. E. Gray, gravel " 2 00 Wm Scott, lumber " 5 00 G. H. Forrest, hardware " 5 00 Orville Fisher, lumber " 15 75 Lindley Bros, lumber " 17 00 Jos Koch, balance on road district in a p. " \$60 00 C. J. Dodd, rebate on tax " 40 30 W. K. Taylor, bond of paupers " 45 00 A. Wheeler, supplies for paupers " 1 70 Thos McCauley, nursing paupers " 7 50 C. A. Russell, board and care of paupers " 62 00 G. W. Masterson, board and care of paupers " 16 00 Meyer & Kyle, supplies for paupers " 12 00 E. L. Luckey, supplies for paupers " 20 75 T. T. Kayser, supplies for paupers " 12 00 Fisher & Bunch, supplies for paupers " 5 65 D. A. Payne, supplies for paupers " 43 00 J. L. Page, supplies for paupers " 27 85 M. E. Brownlee, board of paupers " 10 00 H. J. Tabor, board of paupers " 20 00 Mrs L. J. Hill, board of paupers " 19 50

Road districts map and boundaries of early Friday morning. Advertisement of Joseph Koch, and it is ordered that the boundaries of all organized districts be changed to conform to said map and descriptions filed therewith and that the County Clerk enter said descriptions in the road records as the correct description and boundaries of all road districts.

The following were the bids for the bridge over Little Fall Creek: C. W. Thompson \$1,275.00 J. Edminston " 1,378.00 Hoffman & Bates:—Howe truss, timber abutments, 1,160.00 Pratt combination " 1,240.00 All steel " 1,775.00 Portland Howe Truss, for the sum of \$1,550.00 Howe truss, 100 ft. span " 1,550.00 W. T. Campbell:—Howe truss, 90 ft. span " 1,150.00 Bow truss " 970.50 Approach, per foot " 1.40 Pacific Bridge Co:—Pratt combination and bent " 1,608.00 Howe covered " 1,260.00 W. H. Alexander:—Howe truss " 1,300.00 Apron " 170.90 Enclosed " 172.00 L. N. Honey:—108 ft. strain beam truss " 1,125.00 90 " " " 1,030.00 108 ft. Howe truss " 1,300.00 90 ft. Howe truss " 1,150.00 L. J. Royce " 719.00 Covered " 988.74 L. N. Honey being the lowest bidder was awarded the contract for the 108 foot Howe Truss, for the sum of \$1,300. Court still in session.

DROWNED.

The Willamette Claims Another Victim. From Wednesday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon Geo. H. Park met his death by drowning in the Willamette river on the bar at the head of the mill race. With his son Frank a lad of ten years of age, he was returning from Cheshire's hop yard where his wife and children were picking hops. When about one-third of the way across the bar his clothes became entangled and he fell into the river into swimming water. He seemed to lose his presence of mind and instead of going with the current endeavored to swim up stream.

His efforts were witnessed by J. E. Davis and Jas. Johnson, who were on the wagon road at Jindkin's point. They used every effort to induce him to swim down stream but without avail. He told his son to save himself and take care of his mother and his sisters and the boy swam out to the bank during the time he was trying to reach the rifle from which he had been shot. It was too late for him to return to the surface as he was hit by the bar.

The boy gave the alarm at the hop yard and within a few minutes Waldo Chesber and a young man named Gibson came and used every diligence in recovering the body which was found about 15 minutes after the accident. It was too late for him to return to life and they were compelled at last to give up efforts to resuscitate the drowned man. The watch worn by the deceased stopped at 3:03 o'clock.

The remains were conveyed to his former home near the University and tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon all that is mortal of Geo. H. Park will be laid at rest in the Masonic cemetery. He came to Eugene about fifteen years ago and by intelligent efforts in his trade of capeset accumulated considerable property. A wife and nine children survive him. His wife was made about a year ago and his provisions his eldest daughter, Miss Jessie Park, and Hon. A. G. Hovey are named as executors. Mr. Park was aged 51 years, 1 month and 17 days.

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Pumps, pipe and gas fittings at Miller & Long.

D. Linn & Son, furniture and undertaking. Cook stores from \$4.50 to \$60 at Miller & Long's, 9th street.

Nice assortment of hardware at Miller & Long's. Refrigerators at list prices at D. Linn & Son's.

Oats bought and stored by the Eugene Milling Co. Miller & Long is the cheapest place for stoves and tinware.

Keep saying over to yourself, "I can get hardware at Miller & Long's." The best buggey made for the money, is F. L. Chambers \$60 pleasure wagons.

Attention Farmers. Call on Miller & Long for Stoves, Tin and Hardware. 40,000 bags to loan to those who desire to store their wheat in the Eugene Mills.

Owners of farms desirous of tenants call on the Eugene Improvement Co., Register block.

Why! Sleep on the floor when \$2 will buy a double bedstead at Day & Henderson's.

Carpenters and contractors will save money by getting tinning and plumbing from Miller & Long.

Tinuing, plumbing and job work of all kinds done cheap and on short notice at Miller & Long.

Miller & Long are sole agents for the celebrated Gold Coin and Gordon Stoves and Ranges in Eugene.

Remember that the Eugene Milling Co. is buying oats, and storing them also. Liberal prices offered.

Don't pass by D. Linn & Son's furniture store without examining their fine new line of furniture just received.

If you want a suit of clothes or a pair of pantaloons go to Davis, the tailor. He guarantees satisfaction and low prices.

We have several pounds of old type, which is much better for babbling machine boxes than the common babbit metal and will be sold for less money.

The Weekly Grain now goes to press early Friday morning. Advertisements of local for the weekly should be handed in by Thursday evening. For the daily by two o'clock of the afternoon of each day.

Public school begins Monday. The travel on the railroad is increasing. Empty dwellings are a scarce article in Eugene.

The State University begins its sessions one week from Monday. Miss Dell Walton has returned from a business trip to San Francisco.

Miss Mary Potter is visiting Miss Kate Buick, at Roseburg. Hop pickers have excellent weather in which to pursue their occupation.

The finishing coat of outside paint is being put on the Chrisman block. The State Fair begins next Monday. Lane county will give it a liberal patronage.

The cannery is busy now. The plum and peach crop is now being worked on. Miss Alice Dorris has gone to Tacoma to accept a position in the public schools of that city.

We have 40,000 wheat sacks to loan to those storing their wheat with us this year. Give us a call. EUGENE MILL CO. A letter received from Astoria Monday says that Joseph Moore is improving, and that his chances for recovery are excellent.

The Lane county horse race was run second in a race at Portland Monday, and Douglas' horse Johnny Moore was distanced in the trot.

Several attempts were made Tuesday by incendiaries to burn the balance of the Dales. If the incendiaries are detected they will not be given the benefit of a trial.

Two Salem girls marry traveling photographers and thereafter the capital city displays great agitation. The quiet city of Marion county should protect its girls.

Bear seem to be plentiful this year.

Lane county watermelons are in the market. 500 bushels of clean orchard seed wanted at Goldsmith's.

Two carloads of brick have arrived here this week for the sewer from Oakland, Oregon.

It now appears that there are twenty-six heirs to the B. S. Willour estate.

The suit for divorce, in Portland, between Annie and Gus Hiekkathier, has been dismissed.

A couple of agents representing a Masonic Mutual life insurance company are soliciting in Eugene.

J. J. Chamberlain, formerly of Eugene, has been appointed night telegraph operator of the Salem railroad office.

Mr. Morehead, who has been running a job office here, will soon remove to Junction and start a paper at that place.

We are informed that all the new rooms on Willamette street now being built by Messrs. Hall and Ellison have been leased.

Thomas Whitworth, an old resident of Pendleton, Or., was thrown out of a wagon Sunday by a runaway team and fatally injured.

Shelves and cases are being placed in the rear end of the Council room for the preservation of city records. A good idea.

Repairs for Deering, McCormack, Osborne & Bailey and Champion Mowers and Binders can be had at F. L. Chambers Hardware Store.

Andrew Pearson was killed at Hayne's slough, Coos Bay, last week, while cutting down a tree, which "kicked" back injuring him so that he died in a few hours.

The Cumberland Presbyterian church building at Coburg is inclosed. The contractor expects to have the structure completed in about four weeks. It will be a handsome edifice.

In attempting to save the life of a seven-year-old child of J. O. Henthorn at Astoria, Tuesday, Charles Storm and the child were both drowned.

The distillery at Medford will commence business as soon as the bonds of Frank Galloway and J. A. Whiteside, the storekeeper and gauger, are approved at Washington and their commissions received here.

The recruiting rendezvous at Salem under Lieut. Brown has broken up, the detachment of aged standing guard on Coos Bay, whence the officer will proceed in a few days, to remain until his departure for San Francisco in October to serve his tour of duty with the light battery at the Presidio.

Hon. T. T. Geer, Speaker of the late Oregon Legislature, who has been visiting at the residences of Joel Ware and William Renshaw, returned to his home in Marion Co., by Tuesday morning's local train.

The contractor for sinking the wells at the new pumping station of the Eugene Water Co. arrived in Eugene with his plant Wed. Two twelve inch wells will be sunk to a depth of about 75 feet or until an abundant supply of pure water is obtained.

Hon. J. B. Condon, one of the old veterans of the Rogue River war, although over 60 years of age, stood guard on Coos Bay, all last night and shouldered his musket with all the vigor of a young soldier. The gentleman is a brother of Prof. Thos. Condon of this city.

Engineer Kelley has sent the Eugene and Roseburg sewer plans to McMinnville for inspection. That town needs sewerage and could do no better than employ Mr. Kelley to make plans and superintend the work. His plans for the Eugene sewerage system give excellent satisfaction.

A correspondent from Fish Lake in the Cascade mountains writes that a daughter of Dr. Lane, ex-Superintendent of the asylum, while barbedotted stepped on some ground over the burning roots of a stump, fell into the coals and was so seriously burned on her feet that she will not be able to walk for several weeks.

The Roseburg Plasterer says one of the mines in the Bohemia district has been bonded to some capitalists for \$180,000. We learn that two capitalists have been inspecting the Anna mine in that district and it is reported they have offered \$30,000 each for the mine. The Bohemia district may yet get into the hands of some big company that will bring forth the precious metals hidden there.—Oregonian.

A big enterprise is now nearing completion near Central Point, Jackson county, whereby the Rogue river will be turned into a new channel for a distance of several miles and the bed raised. The ground has been thoroughly prospected, and shows up in good shape. All the mines of that section have taken a new lease of life since Dr. Breden's stamp mill has been turning out so rich. A number of new locations have been made and development work is in the order of the day.

Miss A. Wagner, who has been a resident of Eugene for the past two years, left on Thursday train for her old home in Mulberry, Arkansas.

The Willamette valley does not need the services of a rainmaker.

The contractor for boring the Water Co's wells arrived with his plant Wednesday. It