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FRIDAY, MAY 13. Commissioners Court. Met at the Court House Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Present, Judge Scott, Commissioners Parker and Walker, Sheriff Noland and Clerk Wyalder. The following business was transacted: ALLOWANCES. Win Putman, witness, \$1.80 Geo Young, 1.80 R Scott, transportation of paupers, 20.00 Lewis Hamner road; C Cole, Henry Baxter and J C Nicholson appointed viewers and C M Collier surveyor. Low Pass road; O Bennett, Geo Carter and Seth Harpole appointed viewers C M Collier surveyor, to meet May 11, 1892. The Bernhardt road; Mark Hadsall, Wm Karnovsky and John A. McCord appointed viewers and A. R. Buttolph surveyor, to meet May 18, 1892. Petition of Lewis Burg for road of public use; Wm Inman, J. Job, and R. B. Hayes appointed viewers to assess damages to the premises of Geo. Hoselton, John Holland, Leo and Elizabeth Burg, if any, to meet for said purpose, on May 15, 1892. A. G. Hovey allowed \$7.20 rebate on tax on property wrongfully assessed. Mrs. L J Hill, keeping paupers, 17.00 Comery & Cray, supplies paupers, 13.90 N L Lee, medical attendances, 10.00 D A Paine, medical attendance W Thurman, 36.00 W W Prentice, medical attendance Simmons' child, 5.00 D A Paine, medical attendance Simmons' child, 35.00 Knowles & Getty, pauper supplies, 8.00 M E Bollman, pauper supplies, 12.68 H. Worthley, keeping paupers, 25.00 Robt. Johnston, meals for paupers, 30.00 Portland Hospital keeping paupers, 30.00 N D Sweet, keeping paupers, 20.25 Geo Wall, medical attendances, 7.00 D Bristol, pauper supplies, 8.00 Chas Grosser, keeping pauper, 10.00 Lon Farris, supplies for pauper, 10.00 Wm Bogart, keeping pauper, 20.00 A D Hyland, supplies for paupers, 16.00 W S Miller, supplies for paupers, 8.00 E D McKenney, medical attendances paupers and prisoners, 15.00 Jesse Simmons, keeping paupers, 12.00 Jno McCullom, keeping paupers, 5.00 W H Walker, 3 days labor with team, 10.00 D M Paine, 1 cayote, 5.00 H E Ray, 1 cayote, 5.00 F R Moss, 1 cayote, 5.00 C W Brewster, 1 cougar, 2.00 S L Renne, 10 cayotes, 50.00 Geo Herzog, 6 cayotes, 30.00 Ordered from and after this date the bounty on cayotes be and the same is hereby reduced to \$2. W S Sutherland bridge lumber Dist. \$2, \$54.00. W E Holdridge, supplies paupers, 9.35 In matter of John Winzenrod road, D. Stanton, Theodore Martin and G. W. Hawley appointed viewers to meet May 16th. Hugh Kay, cayote, 5.00 Wm McCulloch, supt District 64, 25.00 A B Gilbert, ch'n Douglas road, 2.00 F R Merritt, 2.00 — Kelley, exman, 2.00 C M Collier, surveyor, 13.80 F L Chambers, road material, 39.75 J W Majors, lumber Dist 42, 85.28 U W Mfg Co, lumber court house, 11.49 Thos Uttinger, bridge work, 10.00 Harvey Day, bridge work, 15.00 Eugene Lumber Co, lumber, 8.50 J W Harz, nails, 4.70 Harshberger & Beebe, lumber for Dist 8, 38.80 J L Page, jail supplies, 30.80 L Bilyeu, attorney county vs Thompson et al, 5.00 J Smiley, ex Jno Hutchinson insane medical attendances, 7.00 Geo D Barnard, stationery, 53.80 H N Crain, judge primary election precinct No 2, 2.00 C Hodes, judge primary election precinct No 2, 2.00 P E Snodgrass, judge primary election precinct No 2, 2.00 Chas Curry, clerk primary election precinct No 2, 2.00 Giney Mathews, clerk primary election precinct No 2, 2.00 J L Page, pauper supplies, 19.10 T W Harris, ex inmate Hutchinson Croner & Blair, hauling to jail and safe, 5.75 A Sharples, ex Hutchinson insane, 5.00 A Sharples, ex Wallin insane, 5.00 Horn & Paine, keys to court house, 1.50 H B Kincaid, printing, 27.50 J S Lueker, transmitting state tax 50.00 E O Potter, deputy district atty, 25.00 A C Woodcock, atty Hutchinson, insane, 5.00 Morris Johnson, wito's Hutchinson 9.00 J S Schrimpf, 5.00 Perry Neff, 5.00 Joe Gates, 5.00 W Williams, 5.00 L Bilyeu, atty Lane county vs R B Dorris, 5.00 A C Woodcock, 5.00 J Smiley, ex Wallin insane, 5.00 J Smiley, Hutchinson, insane, 5.00 Eugene Reuter, printing, 20.50 L W Brown, ex insane, 5.00 J Smiley, medical attend Therman 12.00 J Smiley, ex Wallin, insane, 85.50 J Smiley, med attend Holloway, 4.00 G W Kinsey, work on court house, 1.50 A Goldsmith, jail supplies, 1.10 J Koch, map work, 5.00 E Anderson judge primary election Eugene No. 1, 2.00 S Bias, judge primary election Eugene No. 1, 2.00 Chas Croner, judge primary election Eugene No. 1, 2.00 A Osburn, clerk primary election Eugene No. 1, 2.00 A E Reimes, clerk primary election Eugene No. 1, 2.00 Giese & Prudhomme, books, 24.50 E Schwarzbach, stationery, 5.45 John Beverly, work on court house, 7.50 Eugene Light Co, light, 24.50 E P Matlock, jail supplies, 5.35 E P Henderson, J P, state vs Roberts, 5.00 A M Griffin, each paid for jury, 5.00 State vs Jy Schneck, 5.00 E P Henderson, J P, State vs Holman 2.00 Chas Kissing, constable, fees McBece case, 4.00 Warrant drawn in favor of E Williams commander J W Geary Post No 7, G & B for \$200, to be expended for relief of indigent soldiers, their widows and children. Morris Johnson appointed superintendent road dist 23. Dr L W Brown resigned as physician of prisoners in jail and E D McKenney appointed in his stead. SOLD.—The bonds of the Junction City school district to the amount of \$7000, has been sold to the bank of that city, which pays \$5 premium for them.

FRIDAY, MAY 13. Willamette street received a cleaning last night. It looks much better now. "Our Boys" concert company plays at Junction tonight, opening the new opera house at that place. Springfield Messenger; R. M. Veach, will carry Lane county. The Methodists are now collecting the money subscribed for building their new church in Irving precinct. Molausk item: J. W. Christian and M. S. Barker, both of Eugene, were up on the Molausk this week and located claims. There is still room for more. Senator Dolph has succeeded in the senate in having the Siuslaw harbor appropriation raised from \$10,000 to \$20,000, and the lower Willamette from fifty thousand to a hundred thousand dollars. Now we suppose our dear Binger will take all their credit for the same. The Springfield Messenger says that if Eugene citizens do not raise the Siuslaw railroad subsidy it will not be the fault of the editors of the Eugene papers, who deserve credit for the earnest and untiring effort they have made in behalf of the enterprise and the best interests of the city. Mrs. Woodworth, the revivalist, who created so much excitement a year ago at Oakland, Cal., by the prophesy that San Francisco would be swallowed by the bay, is in Salem, and is pitching her tent for a three months' revival. She is of the church of God and begins meetings on Friday night. Coos Bay News: Chas. Herman notifies all parties through the Bandon Recorder, not to trust his wife Eva, who, he says, has left his bed and board, etc., what we hear is correct, it was the want of bed and board made her leave, and caused her and her six children to seek refuge somewhere else. At a regular meeting of the Reading Room Board, May 12, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Resolved, That the thanks of this board are due and the same is hereby tendered to E. J. Frasier for his generous and unselfish gift of five dollars to the funds of this board. By order of the committee. Coos Bay News: Geo. A. Dorris, candidate for prosecuting attorney on the democratic ticket, has been on the bay for several days past. He is a most agreeable gentleman, a good lawyer, and the people of Coos will subscribe their best interests by giving him their votes. Edmund Hall, a millionaire of Detroit, Mich., intended to visit Myrtle Point last week and examine the resources of the country, but on arriving at Roseburg he was informed that he could not get down without danger to life. Her roads are greatly needed in Coos and Douglas counties. Wallace Rogers and John Loftus are sinking a shaft on the ledge recently uncovered on the hill back of Ashland. The ledge was two feet wide at the surface. The shaft is now down about twenty-five feet, and the ledge has widened to three feet. The Ashland Tidings says the vein has every appearance of being a true fissure, and the boys are taking out some very fine looking rocks. Grants Pass Courier: Doc Holton proposes a novel exhibit from Southern Oregon to the World's Fair. He will gather a company of veterans of the early Rogue river wars with their moccasins and buckskin pants. Lish Applegate will tame 'em and the effete crowd can get a glimpse of the early settlers who subdued this country with a mining pick in one hand and rifle in the other. The old warriors are getting pretty well thinned out. Jail Breakers Captured. The Harrisburg Courier gives the following account of the capture of the thieves: Wm. Andrews and Harry Arnold, the two men who were held at Eugene awaiting trial for horse-stealing, and who broke jail last Wednesday, were captured at Muddy station last Thursday night at about 10:30 o'clock, by our city marshal, Geo. McNeil and his deputy C. L. Morris. Sheriff Noland, of Lane county, had furnished Deputy Sheriff McClain of this county with a description of the fugitives, warning him to be on the lookout for them. Watchman Alstead of the S. P. R. R. bridge was also posted. Yesterday, the "birds" appeared at the bridge and bartered a garden hoe for their supper. Mr. Alstead recognized them and at once came to town and informed Mr. McClain, who proceeded to scour the timber in the neighborhood of the bridge, but was unable to discover them. At about dusk last evening, Mr. Morris recognized the men as they passed along the street in front of his residence, and proceeded to follow them. This he was successful in doing until they reached the flouring mill, when they managed to give him the slip and escaped, protected by the darkness. But he had determined to secure them. He went to Mr. McNeil's and told George what was going on; together they devised a plan that proved successful. Preparing themselves they boarded the north-bound freight train for Muddy at 9:15 o'clock, and concluded to await results. They concealed themselves near the track, and scarcely had an hour passed when the jailbreakers were commanded to halt and march back to town. As soon as the quartet reached town they were interviewed by Mr. McClain, who pronounced the prisoners the men he was after and gave them lodging in the city's "hotel." This morning they acknowledged their guilt, but in the mean time Sheriff Noland was telegraphed for and he is expected to arrive on the 11 o'clock train. A reward of \$50 was offered for their apprehension. REAPING A HARVEST.—A band of gypsies are camped near Eugene, and from reports, are reaping a rich harvest from the superstitious. A number of respectable young ladies and gentlemen have had their fortunes told, and some of them are feeling very much depressed because the "stars" are against them. "Suckers" never will cease. Some play at bunco games and others at more foolish ones. SLIM ATTENDANCE.—A party in from Glentena says only four voters were present at the speaking of the county nominees at that place, while there were twelve candidates present. A pretty good average.

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SOME SALOONS.—Portland Sunday Welcome says: There are 371 licensed saloons in this city, 233 of which are on the West Side, while Aldina and East Portland have 19 each. In addition to these there are four places where beer is sold exclusively, sixteen restaurants that pay liquor licenses and one mercantile house that manufactures liquors for mechanical purposes alone. J. S. LUCKEY, DEALER IN Clocks, Watches, Chains, Jewelry, Etc. Repairing Promptly Executed. All Work Warranted. J. S. LUCKEY. T. G. HENDERICKS, President. S. B. EAKIN, Jr., Cashier. First National Bank Of Eugene. Paid up Cash Capital \$50,000 Surplus and Profits, \$40,000 Eugene City - Oregon. A general banking business done on reasonable terms. Sight drafts on NEW YORK, CHICAGO, SAN FRANCISCO and PORTLAND, OREGON. Bills of exchange sold on foreign countries. Deposits received subject to check or certificate of deposit. All collections entrusted to us will receive prompt attention.

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The Junction City Times, whose editor and proprietor is a strong republican, says: A few weeks ago the Register was loud in its denunciation of the county jail and could hardly find words to convey to the public the liability to disease and ill health owing to its unsanitary construction and condition. And now because Sheriff Noland allowed Clarence McBece the benefit of open air a portion of the time during the day, and on the recommendation of the county physician at that, it has been censuring him for his humane acts. It is plain to be seen that the Register's motive is to injure him politically but its little wail will fall short of its mark. It is no flight of ours and from a financial standpoint, we don't give a continental who is elected to that office, but we believe in justice and fair play. If Sheriff Noland erred it was in the interests of humanity. If he has fallen in his duty as an officer and if there are any black spots on his official character, show him up, and if the statements are made good we will reproduce them. We want facts not fiction. The Register's criticism has simply made Sheriff Noland friends in this section of the county.

HOSE THIEVES CAPTURED. They Are Back Now in the Old Den. Daily Guard, May 13. The two horse thieves, Wm. Andrews and Harry Arnold, who broke jail last Wednesday afternoon, were captured last evening by Deputy Sheriff Dan McClain, of Harrisburg, who will receive the reward. They crossed the Harrisburg bridge and down through the town about eight o'clock in the evening. Deputy Marshal Marshall noticed them and suspecting they were the men wanted followed them long enough to see them start down the railroad track. He was then joined by Deputy Sheriff McLean and Marshal McNeil and the three boarded the freight train and stopping at Muddy intercepted them. Deputy Sheriff H. J. Day brought the prisoners home on this afternoon's local train, and they seemed much depressed in spirits. The Sheriff's office acted promptly in the matter sending descriptions of the men to every officer in western Oregon, besides to many of the farmers, thereby making it nearly impossible for them to escape detection. Besides deputies were on the lookout in many portions of the State. The Sheriff's office is in a quandary how to safely keep them, as the jail is in an unsafe condition. They will have to be kept in close cells, heavily shackled, or the jail guarded, or else sent to a neighboring county's jail. In all candor, it is not about time that the Lane county erected a jail, worthy of the name.

A. G. Hovey Attacked. As Mr. Hovey was going to his residence the other evening he was met by three men, who, after speaking all round, first asked him, "what's the news?" He replied, "nothing special, some little political attention today more than usual on account of the public speaking, I presume." "How is the Siuslaw Railroad progressing?" "Well, rather lowly, but surely, I think." "How much of the subsidy have they raised?" "I do not know the amount now subscribed, but it is estimated at about \$70,000." "Will they raise the \$100,000?" "Oh! I think so, there are but few who are able, that absolutely refuse, and many who are not so able have subscribed very liberally." "Must they have the \$100,000?" "Yes, that is the lowest sum." "What will Eugene do if they don't put it up?" "Do, they will all go to Heaven in their own way, I guess." "And what will you do?" "I propose to go on foot, and I intend to reach there without train or whistle." There was a laugh, but all agreed there should be a regular train to Siuslaw. RAILROAD REPORTER. A Woodmen Camp Organized. At the final organization meeting of Eugene Camp No. 115, Woodmen of the World, Friday evening May 13, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Consul, Prof John Struab; adviser, Prof S E McClure; banker, F M Miller; clerk, W R Hollenbeck; escort, Geo D Linn; watchman, R E Bristow; sentry, Wm Yoran; examining physicians, Drs D A Paine, Wm Kuykendall; managers, T A Henderson (3 years), D A Paine (2 years), Alex Cockler (1 year); delegate to head camp, Prof S E McClure; alternate, Rev D A Walters. A vote of thanks was tendered Head Consul Falkenberg and J M Woods for the splendid camp they have created in our midst. There are 64 charter members, composed of the leading citizens of the city. False. Daily Guard, May 14. Today's Register has the following: "It looks as though the democratic press of the State is supplied with editorials from headquarters. The GUARD and the Albany Democrat had one on 'wardlaw in the senate' the same evening and they were identically the same. Both appeared to have been written by the editors themselves, there being no credit." This is false, as far as it applies to the GUARD, and the editor of the Register must have been aware of it when he penned the above article, for the editorial in question is duly credited to the St. Louis Republic, as all our readers know. We do not consider such journalism as reputable. NEW RESTAURANT.—Frank Brown has refitted the Robinson restaurant, cigar and confectionery store in good shape, and reopened it for business. CERTIFICATE FILED.—Joel Ware, independent candidate for county clerk, has filed his acceptance. His petition contains 61 names. BORN.—In Eugene, May 12, to the wife of U. G. Chinn, a daughter.

ARMSTRONG, James W. Carpenter, F. M. Doyle, C. Edwards, W. E. Davis, E. How, Lloyd. Hovey, Henry Scott, J. Shepherd, James Shepard, Artist—Mrs Skinner, Frank Walker, Rimer, Wallis, Sam. A charge of one cent will be made on each letter given out. Persons calling for letters will please say when advertised. MINNIE WASHBURN, F. M. A PECULIAR CASE.—According to the following from the Salem Journal, signing petitions for licenses outside of cities is unsafe business: A new law question has been raised by an attempt to collect costs of Ed McKinney and about one hundred others, petitioners in the Robt. Thompson liquor permit case from Turner precinct. There are something like \$156 unsettled costs, or a sum of \$2 apiece and as the costs went against the petitioners the suit now brought by Bonham & Holmes is to hold them responsible. Copies of the execution have been served by Sheriff Croisan on all the petitioners and enough property has been levied on—five horses and a wagon—to cover the bill. The sale is set for May 30, but the petitioners have served notice that they will resist the sale and fight the case in the courts. The costs now amount to \$25. None of the parties have offered to pay and have employed counsel. OPERA HOUSE OPENED.—"Our Boys Concert Co." opened the Junction City opera house in the new hotel building, May 13th, in their specialties, to a good audience. Several from Eugene attended. The financial results were not particularly encouraging to the company, the expenditures being equal to the receipts. AN EFFICIENT OFFICER.—Cottage Grove Leader, independent republican: "We announce the name of James E. Noland as a candidate for sheriff of Lane county. Mr. Noland is the regular democratic nominee, a political and social gentleman who has a host of friends, and has made an efficient and successful officer."

THE COUNTY CANVASS. The democratic nominees will speak at the dates and places hereafter mentioned. The speaking will commence at all places at 1 p. m., excepting Lake Creek, which will be at 10 a. m.: Smithfield, Monday, May 23. Cheshier, Tuesday, May 24. Spencer, Wednesday, May 25. Hadleyville, Thursday, May 26. Loran, Friday, May 27. Cottage Grove, Saturday, May 28. Creswell, Monday, May 30. Rattlesnake, Tuesday, May 31. Springfield, Wednesday, June 1. Walterville, Thursday, June 2. Mohawk, Friday, June 3. Eugene, Saturday, June 4. All endorsing candidates are hereby invited to be present and participate in the discussion. By order Democratic County Central Committee. L. BLUYEY, Chairman. J. H. WHITEAKER, Secretary. CAPTAIN BELL'S SPEECH. A Thorough Presentation of the Tariff Issue. Daily Guard, May 14. The large audience of farmers, laborers and other citizens that filled the Court House yesterday afternoon listened for over two hours to a most interesting and to the best exposition of the tariff question ever made in Eugene. Capt. Geo. W. Bell was the orator and he considered every phase of the question, its relations to labor and capital, its effect on the prosperity of the country and the part it had taken in the past thirty years in building up the vast fortunes and millionaires that now exist. He showed it was contrived as a war measure to raise the necessary funds and afterwards all that part of it onerous to capitalists and corporations had been repudiated while the tax on the products of manufacturing industry had been increased. Comparisons were made with the rates of tariff since the beginning of our government and the state of our manufactures showing that the rate asked by them as infants had been gradually increased until they had reached an almost prohibitory point, rendering the best foreign goods free from foreign competition and enabling them to fix prices by means of trusts and combinations. The labor phase of the question was exhaustively discussed. Cheap foreign labor was extensively imported to supplant home labor at lower prices, and in fact at the starvation limit, by many of the corporations which are protected by the government. Strikes are common. Tramps line our highways. The benefits do not go to the laborer but the manufacturer who uses the fortune to further oppress the working man. The laborer is the protected industry except those where the highest skill is required, receive less wages than those work in unprotected industries. Agricultural products have been depressed by the operation of the law. We must sell a large proportion of it to foreign countries when we are not allowed to buy of them. They cannot be protected by good prices, in fact constantly are forced for that reason to seek new markets, where they can buy and sell. India has been opened as a wheat supply country and the speaker showed how the agriculturist unprotected had to compete with the lowest-priced labor in the world. In Liverpool he had seen two steamers unloading wheat, one from India and one from the United States. It sold at the same price but the former was grown and cultivated by men who received \$1.00 per day. The wheat growers in India are not protected by means of our new lands, superior brain and muscle, and far better methods of cultivation, are we able to compete. At the same time the India ship could take home in exchange, the value of the cargo, about \$145,000, while the American could buy but \$100,000, having to reserve \$45,000 worth with which to pay duties. It is impossible in a short newspaper article to give anything like a fair resume of the speech but to say the least it was fair, logical, concise and held the undivided attention of the auditors during the long period of its delivery. Daily Guard, May 13. PROHIBITION SPEAKING.—R. A. Calderwood addressed a good-sized audience at the Court House last night on the political issues of the day, from a prohibition standpoint. He is a pleasant speaker.

Letter List. May 13, 1892. Armstrong, James W. Carpenter, F. M. Doyle, C. Edwards, W. E. Davis, E. How, Lloyd. Hovey, Henry Scott, J. Shepherd, James Shepard, Artist—Mrs Skinner, Frank Walker, Rimer, Wallis, Sam. A charge of one cent will be made on each letter given out. Persons calling for letters will please say when advertised. MINNIE WASHBURN, F. M. A PECULIAR CASE.—According to the following from the Salem Journal, signing petitions for licenses outside of cities is unsafe business: A new law question has been raised by an attempt to collect costs of Ed McKinney and about one hundred others, petitioners in the Robt. Thompson liquor permit case from Turner precinct. There are something like \$156 unsettled costs, or a sum of \$2 apiece and as the costs went against the petitioners the suit now brought by Bonham & Holmes is to hold them responsible. Copies of the execution have been served by Sheriff Croisan on all the petitioners and enough property has been levied on—five horses and a wagon—to cover the bill. The sale is set for May 30, but the petitioners have served notice that they will resist the sale and fight the case in the courts. The costs now amount to \$25. None of the parties have offered to pay and have employed counsel. OPERA HOUSE OPENED.—"Our Boys Concert Co." opened the Junction City opera house in the new hotel building, May 13th, in their specialties, to a good audience. Several from Eugene attended. The financial results were not particularly encouraging to the company, the expenditures being equal to the receipts. AN EFFICIENT OFFICER.—Cottage Grove Leader, independent republican: "We announce the name of James E. Noland as a candidate for sheriff of Lane county. Mr. Noland is the regular democratic nominee, a political and social gentleman who has a host of friends, and has made an efficient and successful officer."

NOT VERY MODEST.—Brother Moorehead, of the Junction Times, is a married man. He has the following item in his last issue: "A political notice on the corner is unique in nothing else. The speaker says he will 'address' the audience. If the ladies will attend, we will be there."

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