

## Eugene City Guard.

SATURDAY, APRIL 15.

### Deserving of Appointment.

The Prineville Review says: Prominent among those who are aspirants for appointments to federal offices in Oregon, and one who is both capable and deserving, is Hon. George Noland, of Astoria, who is being urged by his many friends to apply for the appointment of U. S. district attorney for the district of Oregon. Mr. Noland is well known to many of the residents of Crook county, having studied law in G. W. Barnes' office in Prineville, and having practiced for a short time in the courts of this county after having been admitted. For several years past he has been one of the leading attorneys of Astoria, having gained that prominence by his superior ability and attractiveness in his profession. During the last presidential campaign Mr. Noland was a candidate for elector on the democratic ticket, and made an active campaign in the western part of the state, thus by his untiring energy he has rendered services deserving reward. But aside from what the democratic party may owe him for past services, his master ability, strict integrity and moral worth entitle him to recognition by the administration, and his appointment would not only be acceptable to a large majority of the people of the state, but they would consider it a compliment to all Oregonians to see the honor of the position of district attorney conferred upon a native son.

The bicycling days will soon be here. The patrons and devotees of the wheel are already beginning to take the road.

The meetings of the State Horticultural Society were well attended and considerable interest was developed. Fruit growing is being done in a practical manner by men who conduct it in a business way.

Hon. C. B. Bellinger who has been appointed a United States district judge, has rare legal attainments. His elevation to the distinguished position will meet with the unqualified approval of the bar of Oregon.

In 1873 when the crime of demonetizing silver was committed the white metal was relatively worth more than gold. And now the gold bugs protest against further purchase of silver because of its depreciation. They seek to retain the advantage secured by their almost criminal act.

Postmaster-General Bissell is winning golden opinions for his straightforward ways. A man went to him with a petition for postmaster at Mayflower, Cal., indorsed by Senators Voorhees and Palmer. "You are mistaken," said Bissell, "if you think I'll accept Illinois and Indiana indorsements for California offices."

The decision of the city council to assess and collect taxes independent of the provisions of the Manley bill is for the best interests of the city although if payment of taxes was resisted the title made under forced sale would be clouded. The people will pay their taxes and the city will not be under the necessity of borrowing money.

One of the most essential qualities of a successful farmer is economy. J. Sterling Morton, the new secretary of agriculture, appreciates the principle and is applying it to his department. In the Bureau of Animal Industry alone he has dispensed with the services of a sufficient number of persons to reduce its expenses \$125,000 per annum. He found that a number of doctors had been drawing salaries of \$1,200 per annum for stamping out pleuro-pneumonia long after the disease had entirely disappeared.

Hon. John H. McClung, who has served Eugene as mayor for the past official term, and who has served as councilman for a number of years, retired last night. He has always been a faithful public servant, and has labored at all times for the best interests of the city, without reward. He has given much of his valuable time to help build up a city that we are all proud of. Every man, woman and child owe their thanks to Mr. McClung for the manner in which he has so faithfully labored for their interests. The GUARD hereby thanks him for the many courtesies and favors received at his hands during his long term of office.

The editorial department is again at variance with the telegraphic part of the Oregonian. The man at the helm says Cleveland has been discharging fourth class postmasters at the rate of 1000 a week. The telegraph man says that from March 4 to April 3 but 370 were removed. The editor makes his stupid lie the occasion of a half column homily on civil service, mug-wumps, and indirect abuse of Mr. Cleveland and his party. "Thou shalt not bear false witness" is a commandment that the Portland nine-story tax-dodging concern appears never to have heard of. At least it makes no effort to obey the injunction.

### PERSONAL.

DAILY GUARD, APRIL 13.  
E. J. McClellan visited Junction today.

H. R. Hayes leaves tonight for a trip to San Francisco.

Ben Lurch, of Cottage Grove, visited Portland yesterday.

W. H. Hoffman returned last night from a trip to Portland.

Mrs. Schlueter went to Portland on a business trip this morning.

C. H. Baker and F. M. Dodson, of Walterville, were in town today.

Rev. L. D. Driver and S. Merian returned from Salem this afternoon.

Rev. C. M. Hill returned to his home at Portland on the local this morning.

John R. Reid went to Portland this morning intending to return tomorrow.

T. N. Segar and Geo. Penson have formed a copartnership in the Coal Hill nursery.

Mrs. J. E. Elbert and children went to Irving on this morning's local to visit relatives.

Geo. T. Hall went to Portland this morning to receive a car load of hops which he recently purchased there.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Payton, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Farrington and families were accompanied home this afternoon by Mrs. Dr. Payton.

C. C. Behnke, of Florence precent, started from here this morning on a trip to Canada, and will receive the World's Fair before his return.

Bishop Holt, of the United Brethren church, passed through this morning en route to Portland and is expected to return and deliver a sermon at the church here Monday night.

Zeke Bailey and wife, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Lane county, left for their home at Weiser, Idaho, this morning. They were accompanied by their son and Albert Winters.

C. H. Baker, of Walterville left on this morning's local for Chicago, where he will stay until after the opening of the World's Fair and then visit at Marion, Georgia, his trip lasting, in all, two or three months.

**Notice to Endeavor Societies.**

President Miller says that in electing delegates to the Portland convention, April 27-29, we should add the number of active, associate, honorary and temporarily absent members, then elect five for the first fifty, and one for every ten over fifty.

So if your total membership is 70 you are entitled to seven delegates. Send only your most active members.

ALBERT SHELTON.

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**ARRESTED AND DISCHARGED.**—E. C. Byers was arrested at Junction City by Deputy Sheriff Croner, yesterday, upon a complaint from Justice Kinsey's court, of this city, charging him with the larceny of some water pipe from the store room of J. H. Goodman. After the arraignment of the defendant in court, the charge was dismissed, on motion of the prosecuting attorney, as the complaining witness, J. H. Goodman, requested it and paid all the costs in the case. It appears that the pipe in question belonged to Mr. Byers, therefore he was not guilty of any crime whatever.

**WILL FENCE.**—Salem Statesman: "The Southern Pacific has commenced the fencing of all their track in Oregon. The first shipment to arrive came in the first of the week, consisting of six cars of lumber and three of barb wire. There are about 80 miles of this track in Marion county alone, and it will be fenced in at a cost of about \$250 per mile. Work will be commenced at once and it will be completed as soon as possible. It is estimated that the expense of fencing will be covered in a short time, as the amount of money expended in making good the loss of live stock is enormous."

**DEATH OF A MINISTER.**—Rev. David K. Nesbit, died at Apollo, Pa., on Monday, April 23. Mr. Nesbit was well known in religious circles throughout the United States, having been a most popular pulpit orator and public lecturer, and writer of religious and secular articles for the last twenty years. About fifteen years ago he resided in Corvallis, occupying the Presbyterian church, being very popular in the pulpit and on the lecture platform. His death resulted from heart disease.

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**COMPROMISED.**—John Millett, who lives near Junction City, was arrested yesterday morning on a complaint made by L. N. Edwards, charging him with killing one of his cattle and was taken before Justice Butler of that city. The case was compromised upon Millett paying Edwards \$26, the value of the animal, and Millet was discharged from custody.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**

E. J. Frasier to Geo. N. Frazer, lots 23 and 24, blk 16, F & H's addition; \$30,000 COUNTRY.

J. M. Kitchen to J. A. Hagan, 100 acres land; \$500.

Mary E. Dodson to Peter Ashley, 5.33 1/2 acs, r. 17 s., r. 1 w.; \$1.

T. J. Johnson to L. D. Scarbrough, one-ninth interest in 161.03 acres in 20 s., r. 3 w.; \$80.

Sidney Horn to Clara A. Berry, 9 acres in 17 s., r. 12 w.; \$2700.

F. M. McCulloch to Wm. H. Muncey, land in 17 s., r. 12 w.; \$500.

A. P. Anthony to George Masterson, 100.31 acres in 17 s., r. 9 w.; \$3000.

Helen M. Halsey to Richard Kocher, all lands belonging to estate of Wm. M. Halsey, deed of correction.

G. W. House to Geo. A. Houck, land in Lane and Lincoln counties; \$1.

Spur of Oregon to George Severn, 170.64 acres in 17 s., r. 4 w.; \$100.

Instrument made to correct former deed.

Jno M. Smith et ux to D. F. Stewart, 20 acres in 17 s., r. 1 w.; \$100.

**J. F. AMIS,** Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public.

Attorneys made and recognized. Legal documents drawn and prepared. Real estate bought and sold. Deeds recorded. A general intelligence office conducted. Office at residence, East side, Willamette street between Sixth and Seventh streets.

EUGENE.

For a square deal, go to Goldsmith's.

**WANTED.** SALVEMEN. LOCAL AND TRAVELING. To represent a firm that has invested capital to represent a firm that warrants money back first-class and work all the year round, no month to the right way. Age 25-35, stating age.

L. E. MAY & CO., Hardwaremen, Florists and Seedsmen.

St. Paul, Minn.

(This house is responsible.)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12.

Changeable weather.

The cholera has reached France.

Portland has a case of smallpox.

Quite a ball storm this afternoon.

Nightwatchman Matthews was on duty last night.

Dr. L. D. Scarbrough of Creswell was in Eugene today.

Only 17 fourth-class postmasters were appointed yesterday.

Geo. H. Hunter of Portland spent last night in Eugene.

The Salem Chinese refuse to register as required by the U. S. laws.

Deputy Sheriff Smith returned home from Salem on last night's train.

The strike on the world's fair buildings at Chicago has been settled.

The Second Regiment, O. N. G., will not have an encampment this year.

Sheriff Noland returned home from Roseburg on this morning's local train.

The 74th anniversary of Odd Fellowship occurs on the 26th of this month.

Mrs. H. W. Holden and little daughter went to Roseburg this week to visit a week.

Wm. Benson left on a business trip to San Francisco on last night's overland train.

Dr. W. Kykendall is in Salem today attending the funeral of the late Dr. D. Payton.

Mrs. Bolt, Chow, of Junction City, is in Forest Grove, attending the funeral of her uncle, David Sears.

Herman Wise, an Astoria merchant, well known here, has made an assignation.

Chas. E. Wolcott and A. E. Wheeler, of Eugene, have been appointed notaries public by the governor.

John B. Bailey is the oldest man in Salem. He was formerly a resident of Lancaster, Lane county.

Thos. Brown was able to come down town today after a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

A two-year-old child of Emmett Butler died at Junction City, Monday night of spinal meningitis.

Dr. Curran Osburn, of Portland, came up on this afternoon's train to visit relatives for a few days.

The New York legislature has voted to abolish capital punishment. The law will go into effect Sept. 1.

Try the Matlock Lodging House, Furnished rooms to let by the day, week or month. 25 cents per night and up; \$1 per week and up.

Geo. Frazer will leave for Pendleton Thursday. Mrs. Frazer is at that town now as a delegate to the Women's Relief Corps state convention.

City elections were held in New York and New Jersey yesterday, and the democrats were generally successful.

A daughter of Mr. McArtney of Junction died at the family residence in that place Monday morning, aged about 10 years. The funeral services were held yesterday.

Several Eugene people went to Junction today to attend the performance to be given by the Carolyn Gage Co. in that city tonight.

Salem Journal: Several members of the Laureau society of Eugene, and of the Philanthropian society of Salem, visited the joint session of the societies Friday night.

Second Lieut. S. A. Clemon, Corp. O. L. Sargent, privates N. D. Westfall and H. A. Harned, from Co. G First U. S. Infantry, are at the Hotel Eugene to receive recruits for the U. S. army.

There will be confirmation services at the Episcopal church on Friday evening, at 7:30 p. m. Bishop Morris will deliver the sermon. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

A man named Baker was arrested yesterday for indecent exposure. He was fined by Recorder Dorris \$5 and costs, and is now serving out his time in the city jail.

Thomas Linville, of Astoria, deputy collector of customs at that place, visited Sheriff Noland this morning. He was a witness in the Richardson examination at Roseburg yesterday.

Governor Weisaker went to Portland on the Roseburg local this morning on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Jarvis. He will attend the Jeffersonian banquet Thursday evening and expects to return Saturday.

Albany Democrat: A shirt manufacturer has been through the valley bidding bids. A Salem hotel, the Revere House, in this city, a Eugene hotel, etc., got left. The fellow remains a few days and skips away, owing his board bill.

A few days ago P. A. Pully ran 100 yards at Santa Anna in 9 seconds, breaking the record. His opponent was Tom Morris, who had defeated several of the fastest runners in the world. The record heretofore has been 91 seconds.

C. B. Moores of Salem is in town on business connected with the sale of land of the Moores estate situated four miles below Eugene on the prairie road. There is about 1800 acres of the tract remaining unsold. It is a fine body of land and should command a good price.

Portland Welcome: The Evening Telegram says it would have been better that Richardson's deception should never have been discovered than that our confidence in humanity should have been so shaken. However that may be, each person may have his own opinion, but if the fellow had really been the hero the journal pictured him, confidence in its ability to discriminate between fact and fancy would not have been warped all out of shape. It is hardly going to say above par.

Priney Review: Yesterday afternoon Judge Skinner united in marriage A. B. Conly and Louisa J. Barnes. The wedding occurred at Mr. Conly's residence, eight miles west of town. That no regrets or jealousy is harbored by the bride's former husband, Larkin Weaver, because of the marriage, is proven from the fact that he was willingly accompanied Mr. Conly to the clerk's office to attest as in his former wife's age. We wish Alex, unbound joy, and when resting in his beloved's arms, may be their experience all the joys of wedded bliss, and may his "shadow" grow no less.

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