

# EUGENE CITY GUARD.

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## EVENTS OF THE DAY

### An Interesting Collection of Items From the Two Hemispheres Presented in a Condensed Form.

One workman, John Nolan, was killed and three others fatally injured by a falling pile of bricks in Chicago. The accident was caused by the caving-in of the old brick foundations.

The bark Gainsborough, from Newcastle for San Francisco, coal laden, went ashore near Diamond Head, four miles from Honolulu, and is a total loss. The crew with the captain, his wife and children, left in boats and were picked up by a tug.

Frank Heppburn, a son of Congressman Heppburn, of Iowa, fought a duel in Chester, Ark., and was killed by the second shot from his antagonist's weapon. The duel was the outcome of a joke which Heppburn perpetrated upon W. E. Sims, a saloon proprietor.

An examination of the papers left by Henry Dixon, an Englishman who died in the almshouse in Wichita, Kan., reveals the fact that Dixon was of noble birth, and that his wife was the granddaughter of the Earl of Albemarle and daughter of Lady Georgiana Hill, the Fenian agitator. The story was told in an old diary found among Dixon's papers.

An infuriated mob of laborers battled with the police of South Chicago for the possession of a wagon-driver whom they threatened with lynching, because his runaway horse knocked down several of the crowd. After a fierce struggle in which stones and clubs were freely used, the driver, Peter Zielski, was rescued from his assailants. In addition to the half dozen men trampled beneath the hoofs of the frantic horse, a number of the crowd were severely beaten by the police.

Reports made by three vessels that have arrived recently in New York arouse the gravest fears that the three-masted ship State of Maine, which left New York September 4 with a cargo of coal for Shanghai, had been burned at sea, and that all on board, some twenty-six men, have perished. The State of Maine is well known along the Pacific coast. She has been to San Francisco a number of times. She held the record between San Francisco and New York. The captain was a part owner in the vessel.

Two men and twenty-five horses lost their lives in a fire in Milwaukee, Wis., which partially destroyed Albert Manger's livery stable. The flames spread so rapidly that only three men and a few horses managed to escape.

Hon. W. S. Allen, chairman of the Populist national committee, has mailed to W. J. Bryan a letter officially notifying him of his nomination by that body. No sacrifices are demanded, and Mr. Bryan is neither asked nor expected to abandon his adherence to the Chicago platform.

William Porter, former cashier of the Bank of Kansas City, Kan., which failed last February, was arrested in that city on warrants charging him with receiving deposits when the bank was in a failing condition and he knew it was insolvent. The complaining witnesses are two former depositors. Porter was placed in \$1,500 bonds and in default went to jail.

The American schooner Frederick Gearing was seized off the coast of Nova Scotia, having been caught inside the three-mile limit. She was condemned by the court, and the department of justice has now been notified that the owners will appeal to the supreme court of Canada, as they claim that she was not within the three mile limit at the time.

John McCarthy, the alleged bank-robber, was arraigned in Los Angeles. He made a statement to the court to the effect that his alleged confession, said to have been made to Captain Leed in Sacramento, was a bogus one in toto, and that he has nothing to confess, as he was not connected with the attempt to rob the First National bank of that city in any way. He was held, and his bail fixed at \$5,000.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cavanaugh, an aged woman of San Francisco, has brought suit in the superior court of that city against her husband and her son, charging them with having conspired to rob her of her possessions, and with having held her and caused her to be held a prisoner for four months in a local private insane asylum. The property was acquired through her own hard work taking in washing.

Ida Buchanan, of Hannibal, Mo., aged 16, committed suicide by shooting herself. She dressed herself for burial, then went out in the front yard, lay down on the grass and blew out her brains. She was engaged to be married, and her lover was in the house at the time. She left a note saying her health was poor and that she did not wish to become a burden on any one. Her mother is a widow.

Senator Butler, of South Carolina, chairman of the Populist executive committee, has officially notified T. E. Watson, of Georgia, of his nomination as candidate for vice-president by the People's party. In a long letter conveying the notification, Senator Butler reviewed the history of the People's party and the causes which led to the adoption of a co-operative ticket, which he referred to as "the best silver ticket in the field and one which is more representative of American interest than any other."

The graders employed on the route of the Astoria & Columbia River railroad have unearthed the skeletons of two men on the West farm, at Westport, and speculation is now rife as to whether or not a murder was committed years ago. After the discovery of the skeletons, two old muskets were found and a \$20 gold piece of the coinage of 1865. The muskets are of an ancient pattern and long since went out of use. The clothing had entirely rotted from the remains, and nothing could be found to throw light on the mystery. Present residents of Westport can throw no light on the affair.

### A Mysterious Shooting.

## AS A JAPANESE SPY

Arnold Flosch, of the cloak manufacturing firm of Bernard Pasternak & Co., of New York, is in a hospital with three pistol-shot wounds. His son, William B. Flosch, is in custody on suspicion of having attempted to take his father's life. The shooting occurred in the apartment of the elder Flosch, at the Hotel Peleier. He lived there alone, his wife having died three years ago.

**Work of a Mexican Mob.**  
A mob attacked the American Presbyterian church in Amosa Caliente, Mexico, and broke windows and doors with stones. The minister's house was attacked. The mob also broke every window in the college in the same city. Minister Ransome has been appealed to use his best offices with the government to secure the punishment of the offenders.

**A Storm in Pennsylvania.**  
A storm of wind, hail and rain, which swept the eastern part of Pennsylvania Saturday night was the most severe that has visited that section for a long time. Scores of buildings were unroofed, some utterly ruined, thousands of panes of window glass and many skylights shattered, and apple and other late crops almost destroyed.

**Four Killed and Six Injured.**  
Four men were killed and six badly injured in a collision on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railway, near Connersville, Ind., by a paycar and freight train. The paycar was following the regular freight, eastbound. Both were running as extras.

**Another Bank Falls.**  
The private banking house of Gardner, Morrow & Co., the oldest bank in Central Pennsylvania, has closed its doors, owing to the general depression in business. The firm says it expects to pay every dollar of its indebtedness.

**Impure Water in Schools.**  
The public schools of Chicago are liable to be closed at any moment on the order of the health commissioner, because the water supply afforded them by the board of education without filters is impure.

**Fire in Chronicle Building.**  
A fire broke out in the stero-typing room of the Chronicle building, San Francisco, which destroyed \$2,500 worth of property before it was extinguished, the firemen being handicapped by the height of the building.

**This Dog Deserves a Medal.**  
James Feenan, a well-borer, who resides alone in a small cottage at Berkeley, Cal., narrowly escaped being burned to a crisp, while asleep in his home. He was saved by a little dog, who kept up a frantic howling and tugged at his master's clothes until he awakened him. In escaping from the house Feenan was seriously burned and is now in a serious condition. The firemen who were battling with the flames had a narrow escape. Some giant powder that had been stored in the house exploded and blew to pieces all that was left of the building.

**Tale of Brutal Savagery.**  
The state penitentiary board of Arkansas has ordered the discharge of a number of state employes for cruel and inhuman treatment to convicts in their charge. Two colored convicts had escaped, and when captured they were severely whipped. Iron rings were welded about their necks and one end of a chain fastened to the rings and the other to their waists. They were unable to straighten up when a member of the board saw them. The chains were drawn so tight the men were unable to raise their heads and were compelled to work in that condition.

**Not a Hostile Act.**  
The Brazilian minister in Rome has cabled to Buenos Ayres that he has had a conference with the Italian minister of foreign affairs. The foreign minister declared that in sending the cruiser Piedmont to Brazil, the Italian government had not intended any hostile act against Brazil, being assured that full satisfaction would be given for the insult to the Italian flag.

**Cached Powder in a Stove.**  
Three men of Brighton Park, Chicago, were injured, one of them seriously, by putting powder in a stove to dry. They were preparing to go hunting, and placed the powder in the oven and forgot about it. The building was completely wrecked and their escape from instant death is considered miraculous.

**A Woman Firebug.**  
Ethel Woods, an unmarried lady of about 22 years, of Danville, Ill., has been arrested for arson. Her lover, George Allen, deserted her, and it is charged that she attempted to burn down the house in which he slept. When the fire was discovered the whole side of the house was flames.

**A Mysterious Fire.**  
The stock of woodenware, household goods, etc., of the Carlus Unna Company, of Portland, Or., was damaged to the extent of about \$5,000 by fire. The firm is unable to account for the origin of the fire. The stock was insured to the full amount of the loss.

**Three Times as Many Herrings are Consumed as any other kind of fish.**  
Panle in a Schoolhouse.  
A child tipped over a cupboard in an anteroom in the Ogden school in Chicago, and the sound of breaking so frightened the younger children that they were terrorized and rushed from the building. The report that a fire was in progress in some way gained circulation, and for a time there was no controlling the little ones. No lives were lost, but many of the children were badly bruised and trampled upon.

**For Injuries Received.**  
Mathilde M. Scott, wife of J. Harry Scott, received injuries in the sleeping berth of a Pullman palace car, on her way from Portland to San Francisco, and has brought suit against the Pullman Palace Car Company, and the Southern Pacific Company for \$25,000. She states that she and her husband occupied a whole section, and that during the night the sliding headboard, which did not fit properly in the groove, fell upon her, severely bruising her face and knocking out some of her teeth.

### NO ASTORIA ROAD SOON.

## THROUGH THE LOCKS

First Steamer From "East of the Mountains."  
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Portland, Or., Sept. 21.—Rumors have been afloat for the past day or two to the effect that work on the Astoria-Goble railroad was to be stopped for the winter. There have been so many reports in regard to this road that it is now one attracts but little attention; but it appears on investigation that this latest one, while not wholly correct, is well founded.

From the best information attainable, it seems quite certain that about three-fourths of the men at work on the line are to be laid off today. The three dredges, which have been working night and day building the embankment, or grade, across the tidal-lands above Tongue point, will be kept at work; but will work in the day time only. It was reported yesterday that eighteen of the camps on the road have been abandoned, and that there are only eleven left. This means the cessation of work on the greater part of the line on high ground. The reason given for keeping the dredges at work on the tidelands is that it is desirable to get the grade built there before next spring, as a high flood might interrupt it. The work on the high ground can be done at any time, and next summer to better advantage than during the winter, and there need be no trouble about the road being completed by next harvest. It is said that the reason for stopping work is the impossibility of securing money to carry it on, on account of the financial situation.

**DYNAMITER BELL ARRAIGNED.**  
Accused of Conspiracy and Remanded for a Week.

London, Sept. 21.—Edward Bell, the alleged Irish dynamiter, arrested at Glasgow, was arraigned in the Bow-street police court today. He is described as Edward Bell, alias Edward J. Ivory, an American, and a hotel keeper at 211 Lexington avenue, New York. Bell is accused of conspiring with others to cause an explosion in the United Kingdom. He was remanded for a week and removed to Holloway jail this afternoon.

New York, Sept. 21.—The only Edward J. Ivory in the New York city directory is given as doing business in liquors, at 2201 Lexington avenue and 2018 Eighth avenue. About two weeks ago Ivory went on a vacation, leaving the saloon in charge of the head bartender. He is supposed to be in Boston. The bartender wrote him a few days ago, and received a letter from Ivory telling him about certain matters concerning the saloon. An other Ivory kept a saloon on East One Hundred and Eighteenth street. Some time ago he mysteriously disappeared. In spite of the statement of the bartender, there is good reason for the statement that Bell and Ivory are one and the same person.

**Welcomed by the Chronicle.**  
London, Sept. 21.—The Chronicle this morning has an editorial in which it welcomes the suggestion of the St. James' Gazette that a new diuband, including Great Britain, the United States and Italy, would solve the Armenian problem. The Chronicle looks upon this as a proposal having nothing in common with cynical indifference, and greatly hopes that it will find an echo in the United States. The Chronicle then proceeds to assert that an American admiral was last year ordered to bombard Yildiz palace if there was any further massacre of Armenians.

**These Orders.**  
"These orders," says the Chronicle, "were subsequently withdrawn when the Venezuela dispute came to a head—a single example of the danger of leaving such disputes to simmer until they boil over at the most disastrous moment. The sooner Lord Salisbury and Mr. Olney can agree to the arbitration of the question, the better will be the chance of union which the St. James' Gazette so wisely commends."

**He Got No Patronage.**  
San Francisco, Sept. 21.—The California Hotel Men's Association has decided to institute legal proceedings to compel Major W. B. Hooper, manager of the Occidental hotel, to pay \$300 into the association. This action recalls the story of the difficulties which grew out of the visit to this city in April last of several hundred members of the Hotel Men's Mutual Benevolent Association. To entertain the visitors the local association raised several thousand dollars. Major Hooper subscribed \$300. The visitors arrived and the Occidental hotel manager was called upon to pay. He refused to do so on the ground that he had not been accorded a fair share of the patronage of the visiting hotel men. None of the visitors went to the Occidental. At the last quarterly meeting Major Hooper was expelled from the association.

**Those Who Fell at Antietam.**  
Hagerstown, Md., Sept. 21.—On the Hagerstown turnpike, about 200 yards from the historic old Dunkard church, a handsome shaft of Vermont marble was dedicated this afternoon to the memory of the 545 members of the old Philadelphia brigade who fell in the Antietam battle, near the spot where the monument stands at present.

**A Book Dealer's Death.**  
San Francisco, Sept. 21.—Achille Waldteufel, a well-known Catholic book dealer, was found dead today at his home on Van Ness avenue. Waldteufel was found lying on the sofa in his parlor by a neighbor. Gas was escaping and Mrs. Waldteufel was sleeping in an adjoining bedroom. She says her husband's death must have been accidental. He was a sufferer from asthma and his business has not been prosperous lately.

**Winthrop Found Guilty.**  
San Francisco, Sept. 21.—The jury, after being out five minutes, returned a verdict of guilty against Oliver Winthrop, accused of robbery and assault to commit murder in connection with the abduction of James Campbell, the Hawaiian millionaire.

**Stage Plunged Over the Grade.**  
Wallace, Idaho, Sept. 21.—The four-horse stage from Murray to Wallace plunged over the grade, killing one horse and injuring the others. No passengers were killed.

### A SOARING MACHINE TESTED.

## NORTHWEST BREWERY

Evidence of Steady and Enterprising Items of General

From All the Cities and Thriving States of Oregon.

The Oregon state fair opened last week and closed October 12. Hop-pickers around here are averaging from four to five bushels a day. About 2,000 chickens were received at the Empire City market last week. The rate is ever known.

Myrtle Point has had the ringing of the bells every evening from the street of small boys.

Mrs. Mary Scott has been named as member of the executive board of the Corps.

The cannery at Seaside last week continued fair for a few fishermen anticipate a large season.

Seufert Bros. of the The shipped two carloads of fish to New York. Their running day and night last season began.

Wallawa, Wallawa, a busy appearance. The buildings are being remodeled. General activity is shown.

Several taxpayers in Wallawa who paid their taxes to the county, are anxious to have the county court will regard as regular.

Twenty tons of alfalfa were from the Mosier market to be covered for. The cost of delivering f. o. b. at the market is about \$12 per ton. The now give employment to the men.

W. H. Taylor, of the shipped Hungarian grapes. York last week that the marketable figure of \$1.33 per high figure was because of the quality of the fruit and the packing. Other fruit sold for \$1 per box.

The county court of Wallawa in accordance with the payment of county taxes presented for payment last week, and which had been according to law, cancelled on the evidence of the tax against Baker county.

Donald McKay is at the agency after a trip in the country. The scout who has for by Indian Agent Inspector to be appointed inspector of the late John McKee. The Umattilla and Logans camped on Wallawa last big time gambling business.

Washington.

Five miles of the Yakima recreation is completed, besides the 2,300 utilized.

The assessor of Yakima made a list of all the taxmen in the county who are more milk cows. These such persons.

Jesse Nelson has been the city of Spokane for his imprisonment. He was \$1,950. He was arrested of stealing an express wagon.

The statement of the Walla Walla county sheriff the last fiscal year shows the county amounted to \$12,000. The disbursements to \$11,000.

The Tacoma office of the Pacific Coast Company and the work done there acted at Roslyn. This about the removal of employees to Roslyn.

Quite a few tracts of land cleared up by their owners on the Payallup reservation county road between Payallup and com. It is the richest land and soon the whole area miles will be owned and whites.

The fruit crop in the country is an abundant one of Apples, peaches and grapes low, and no sale for them. On the Sound furnish a very ket for it in quantities. Freight charges are so high that it leaves but little profit.

An appeal has been sent from the decision of Judge Pritchard, of the superior court, in which the Purchasing Company was sum of \$5,000, in a suit for a mortgage, the plant being sold to satisfy the claim.

The land department of the Pacific railway does not propose up its title to the land in Oregon, on which its depot and other are located without a survey company will contest the secretary of the interior to Jacob Schlat title to the of Palouse City.

The Republican county of Chehalis county of Montesano September 20.

The proposed creation nickel-in-the-slot machine devices, which was brought Tacoma city council by Hio, has met with but from agreement thus far, and from learned from inquiry who who at first favored the seems to have been abandoned. A petition asking for the governor of Washington beating and robbing country found guilty of the played by the Northern Kenewick, is being North Yakima.

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