MITCHELL MEN DESPERATE.

Seats of Absent Legislators will be declared Vacant, and Majority of Joint Convention Will Elect.

Special to the GUARD.

SALEM Or. Feb 19.—Benson house postponed consideration of the Crawford resolution until seven thirty this evening. The roll call of joint convention showed thirty five present, and the joint convention adjourned until 10:30 this evening.

It is believed the Benson house will declare twenty seven seats vacant and proceed to the election of senator with a quorum of thirty-two in the joint assembly.

[We have information that if no quorum is secured by this evening, the legislature adjourns sine die at midnight, the seats of absentees will be declared vacant and those present will proceed to elect a United States senator.]

This is Senator Mitchell's last chance, and he will make this move, then appeal to the United States senate for recognition.

Hats Off.

Ladies, hats off, please.

Ladies will please take off their hats.

In endance with the city ordinance, and to avoid unnecessary trouble, ladies will please remove their hats.

Remove your hats during the performance. You can check them with the maid, who is always in at endance and is careful and experienced; or you can hold them in your lap, and if you find that inconvenient, request one of the ushers to have them checked for you.

These are specimen extracts from the programme of the Chicago theaters since the anti hat ordinances there went into effect. They work like a charm.

UNITED ARTIZANS' ASSEMBLY.

Mr C H Fleming, district deputy and organizer for the United Artizans, is in Eugene. Mr Fleming is here to help in building up Eugene Assembly No 61. Members will be initiated in all the degrees for the nominal sum of three dollars and twenty five cents, medical examiner's fee included.

United Artizans furnish aid to members the same as other fraternal beneficiary societies do and secure the safest kind of protection for the smallest possible outlay, provide for old age, have a reserve fund and a limited assessment. Any one wishing a copy of constitution and by-laws can have the same by calling on Miss S C Rankin, secretary.

Resignation Tendered.

EUGENE, ORE., Feb. 19th, 1897.

TO THE CITIZENS OF LANE COUNTY:

I have this day tendered to H D McGuire, state fish and game warden, my resignation as deputy game warden of Lane county, the same to take effect the 25th inst. I will devote my entire time to the practice of my profession. M. O WILKINS

DELINQUENT.—The GUARD has not yet received its allowance of government garden seeds to which it was in former years deemed entitled. This is the second year we have been thus slightingly passed by. We didn't care much last year, for it wasn't a good year for gardening anyway. The late rains made everything backward. But this year the outlook is better. And we hear the quality of seeds being sent out now is away ahead of anything in the past. Stories like the following make us feel bad about being cut off the list: "It appears from trustworthy accounts that several packages of government pumpkin seed were broken in a car shortly after leaving Washington and that in recognition of the benevolence of a paternal government these seeds grew so fast that by the time Chicago was reached the whole train was covered with vines; and when the train rolled into San Francisco the mail clerks were sitting on top of the cars eating pumpkin pies cooked by the fire of the Hon Bill Stewart's latest speech."

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THE NEW FLAG POLE.—This afternoon at the Central school building the flag pole, which was broken a few weeks ago, was again raised. The pole has been repaired, and is now ninety feet in height, being somewhat shorter than it formerly was. The seven hundred or more children of the Eugene public schools were in attendance under the care of their teachers and when the flag was again raised they gave three hearty cheers, followed by their beautiful salute to the flag spoken in unison: "I pledge allegiance to my flag and the republic for which it stands; one nation indivisable with liberty and justice for all." Rev P R Burnett then led in prayer, after which the "Battle Hymn of the Republic" was sung by a chorus of school children, led by Mr Lakin. An interesting program had been prepared in honor of the occasion, but owing to the weather the school children were dismissed after the song.

LAMPS STOLEN.—Some one entered the observatory of the University of Oregon and stole two transit lamps and a lot of kerosene oil. The lamps were worth about $5 each and the thief got in all about $15 worth of stuff. The building is located on top of Skinner's butte just north of the city and far enough away so that the thief could work without fear or detection. An entrance was effected by cutting a hole through the wooden door and raising the latch on the inside. The burglary was first discovered when the class in astronomy went to the building last night to take observations.

GOING TO MONROE.—Dr. Chas. Band, who recently opened up a stock of drugs in the Titus building on Ninth street, is packing up his goods and will remove them to Monroe where he will open a drug store. Dr. Band and Dr E. D. McKenney, also of this city will associate themselves together for the practice of medicine and will locate in Monroe. Dr. Band is now at Monroe but Dr. McKenney will not remove his family to that town until about June.

FRIDAY FEBURARY, 19.

Spring weather.

The streets are drying up.

Time to plant early garden.

Last day of the legislature.

Mrs C J Howard is on the sick list

Some tramp musicians are doing the town.

The streets are dry enough for bicycle riding.

L L Woodmansee of Portland, is in the city.

The S P repair carpenters are doing some work in this city.

Revival services continue at the U B and Christian churches.

The Salem Statesman thinks a senator will be elected tonight.

Miss Maud Wilkins left this morning on visit to Albany and Corvallis.

Mrs H J Day and children went to Independence today to visit with relatives.

Miss Gladys Severn of this city is visiting her homestead near Meadow postoffice.

The L E Blain Clothing Company and L E Blain, of Albany, yesterday made assignments.

The frame is up and the roof on the new building, which is being erected for the Dorris photo studio.

Postoffice Inspector J C F Gordon of San Francisco, left for home on the early train this morning.

Deputy U S Attorney Dan Murphy, of Portland, returned to that city on this morning's early train

Ed and Jean Cattron and Ed Clodfetter arrived today from Monmouth and will visit with relatives.

The open season for catching trout begins April 1. Fishermen will soon have a chance to cast the line again.

President Chapman, Rev C C Bell, S M Yoran, J F Robinson and Leslie Scott were passengers north this morning.

The newspapers of Honolulu are making a strong fight for the annexation of that island to the United States.

At least one interesting breach of promise suit will soon come up at the next term of court unless settled before that time.

R H Cashow, of Salem, who has been visiting his brother-in law, J M Howe, in this city since yesterday, returned home today.

In an action in the Marion county circuit court, Kola Nois, yesterday, recovered judgment against Phil Nois, the hop buyer for $2,350.

C A Bushnell, who has received a position as traveling agent for an Eastern photographer supply house, will enter upon his duties next week.

L Swinton, advance agent for the Carnito theatrical company was in the city and has made arrangements for the appearance of his company here next Wednesday night.

Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman of Kansas City, Missouri, who is to lecture for the W C T U at the M E church tomorrow night, arrived on the afternoon train from Albany.

City Marshal H J Day has been appointed a special deputy United States marshal and T J Craig has been placed in his custody until his bond is filed. He expects to have his bond raised by this evening or tomorrow.

The following women are said to be the six wealthiest in the world: Senora Isidora Cousino, $200,000,000; Hetty Green, $50,000,000; Mme. Baroness Burdett-Coutts, $20,000,000; Mme. Barrios, $15,000,000; Miss Mary Garrett, $19,000,000; Mrs Woleska, $10,000,000.

Ed Horner, of Corvallis, visited the legislature the other day and made a great blunder. He mistook a member of the legislature for a bootblack and asked him for a "shine." Whether the fault lay in Mr Horner's powers of discernment or the general appearance of the legislatives is hard to say.

The Roseburg Review says: W W Cardwell, attorney, has presented an order from J Nelson, the fraudulent check swindler now in jail here, for $101, the money found on Nelson's person when searched after being arrested. Sheriff Agee refused to turn the money over on the order, and Cardwell has sued him for it in Justice Hamlin's court.

A story is going the rounds to the effect that Joe Hinkle, school teacher of Juniper, probably owes his life to some of his scholars. It appears that it was Mr Hinkle's propensity to sleep which might have resulted in such a dire calamity. Report has it that Mr Hinkle fell asleep with his feet in the stove during school recess early this week, and his feet, or rather his shoes and pants were on fire when some of his scholars rushed in, aroused their teacher and saved him.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY. — Mrs Ivy reached the 50th mile-stone in the journey of her life Thursday. In honor of the occasion a number of her lady friends called on her in the afternoon at the home of Dr and Mrs T B Ford at Twelfth and Mill streets, to help her celebrate the event. The affair was a surprise to Mrs Ivy but she soon recovered and seemed greatly pleased. A very enjoyable time was had. Those present were: Mesdames: Rowland, Johnson, Holloway, Roe, Hollis, Warnick, Williams, Cockerline, Abbett, Craig, Hall, Walton, Craig, Patterson Warner, Rankin, Fogle, Star, Campbell, Millage, Sweeney, Dunn, Bushnell, Davidson, Keeney, and Miss Cook.

DIED.—At his home at Fifteenth and Ferry streets in this city Friday, February 19, at 3 p m, of pneumonia, Mr I. H Clark, aged 65 years. Deceased leaves one daughter and four sons. His wife died about two years ago. Deceased had lived in Oregon about 11 years and came to Eugene from Portland two years ago. He served during the civil war on the gunboat "Gazelle." The funeral services will be held in the Christian church at 2 p m tomorrow, Sunday, February 21, Rev M L Rowe officiating. The remains will be taken immediately after, under the auspices of J W Geary Post, No 7, G A R, of this city, to the I O O F cemetery for interment.

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BOND FILED.—T J Craig has filed his bond in the sum of $4,000 and the same has been approved.

SALVATION ARMY MARRIAGE IDEAS.

Two of the Portland Corps Married At a Public Meeting.—Pointed Remarks on the Occasion.

A marriage in the Portland Salvation Army corps was celebrated Wednesday evening. The officiating Major, in his remarks paid his respects to the bloomer and bicycle fashions. He said in part:

"Let a woman have a husband she can look up to and respect. Unless such is the condition her married life is sure to be a blank and a failure. She may don bloomers; she may ride a man's bicycle in her efforts to rise above the plane of the weakling she has married, but there is no happiness, not even momentary pleasure in this for her. Woman was not made to wear the breeches"—prolonged applause from the audience—"and in her heart of hearts she detests the husband that allows her to do it. The one craving of an honest woman; yes, the longing of her very soul is that she may have a husband she may look up to, and when you see a married woman wearing bloomers you may depend upon it that her longing is not satisfied."

The Card of Thanks.

Just how and where the "card of thanks" idea started, and why it is that newspapers are asked to publish them, we don't know. The man or woman who contemplates sending a "card" to any of the newspapers should read the following card in the Eldorado Times: "I desire to thank the friends and neighbors most heartily in this manner for their united co-operation during the illness and death of my recent husband, who escaped from me by the hand of death on Friday last while eating breakfast. To the friends and all who contributed so willingly towards making the last moments and funeral of my husband a howling success, I desire to be remembered most kindly, hoping these few lines will find you enjoying the same blessing. I also have a good milch cow and a roan gelding horse which I will sell cheap—God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform; He plants his footsteps in the sea and rides upon the storm—also a black and white shoat very low."

Who is Thomas Smith?

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The Oregonian of today says a man supposed to be from Eugene or Roseburg, from papers found in his pockets fell in a saloon cellar in that city Friday evening and fractured his skull, dying from injuries received about 1:30 o'clock this morning.

He had $7 or $8 in his pockets, a contract for digging a ditch and an expense bill of the S P railroad. Smith came to Portland from the south on the 15th. We cannot learn of any man of that name being missing from Eugene.

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AN "AT HOME."—Miss Clara Condon entertained a number of her friends at an "at home" at the Condon residence, Eleventh and High streets, from 8 to 11 last evening. After the guests had all arrived slips of paper were handed each one present. These slips bore the name of a song and it became the task of the recipient to describe the song with a drawing. Following the slips were fastened to the walls of the room and then began the work of recognizing the songs by the drawings which were intended to describe them. Mr Kauffman took first prize and Miss Emma Wold second. After this game a "special spread." The menu appeared on a big letter S and each dish began with the letter (s). This over a more substantial repast was served and was greatly enjoyed. Those present were: Rev I S C Brooks and wife, Mr D Link and wife, Mr McMurphey and wife, Mrs Lacas, Misses Emma and Jean Wold, Densmore, Swift, Ellen and Celia Loomis, Parrot, Pankhurst, Hill, Warner, Pattie, Stowell, Mount, Scott, Kauffman, Ackerman, Wilkins, Adair; Messrs Spencer Brown, Gilbert, Gross, Farrington, Kauffman, Carlton, Gamber, Wilkins, J Kauffman, Whittlsey, Hopkins, Stalker, Hulin, Huston.

A MINSTREL SHOW — Saturday's Salem Statesman: Mrs Hallie Parrish Hinges returned yesterday from Portland, whither she went several days ago to attend the wedding of a friend. Mrs Hinges goes to Eugene Monday, where she will make preparations for the presentation of an entertainment similar to the one presented here by the Jolly Lady Minstrels twice during the past winter. Mrs Hinges will attend to the drilling of the company, and on Sunday, February 28th Prof Hinges will join her, when the final arrangement for the production will be made under their direction. The entertainment will be held on Tuesday evening, March 24, after which the principals, Prof. and Mrs. Hinges, will go to Portland to prepare for participation in the Elk's entertainment which is to be held in the near future.

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MOUNTAIN RANCH SOLD.—Stephen Rigdon and wife of Pleasant Hill were in Eugene today, and many of their old time friends were somewhat surprised to learn that they had sold their mountain home at the Pine Openings, to Mr Gilbert of this city. For 25 years "Uncle Steve" and his wife "Aunt Zelpha" have entertained the traveling public at this noted point on the Military road, the former being kept busy most of the time during the Summer season handling supplies, while the latter ministered to the wants of the traveling public. They have earned a good long rest.

IRA REPORTS.—Register Feb 19: I L Campbell the affable editor of the GUARD, who recently took unto himself a wife and then started pell-mell through Oregon, Idaho, Wyoming and with evident determination to pass through Mexico, Chicago, and some other places, took time by the forelock sufficiently long while at Green River, Wyoming, Tuesday, the 16th inst, to post a card to his paper the following intelligence: "Tuesday. All well. I. L. C." Great Scott, Ira, no one expected sickness so quick.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20.

Rev Father Black returned from Portland today.

P E Snodgrass and little girl visited Harrisburg today.

Miss Blythe Hoffman entertained at "an afternoon tea" today.

Mrs J F Nixon and children returned from Harrisburg this afternoon

This forenoon's sunshine turned to snow this afternoon greatly to the surprise of all.

E H Lauer of Portland, arrived on the 2 o'clock train and will visit at home over Sunday.

A good time for old and young at the Rebekah social in Armory hall Monday evening, February 22.

A lodge of Maccabees will be instated at Creswell tonight by Deputy Supreme Commander Metzler.

Miss Mary Haines went to Corvallis today to visit with her sister, Miss Rebecca, who is attending the O A C.

Among those who returned from Salem last night were J F Robinson, Geo T Hall, S R. G R Chrisman and J M Williams.

February continues to make a record for itself. Several days of beautiful spring-like weather end up in a snow storm.

Mrs Dr Dale will entertain Mrs Hoffman, during her sojorn in this city. She will remain in Eugene until Sunday afternoon.

Dr W Kuykendall, County Judge E O Potter, Mayor J D Matlock, J A Burlingame and Representative L Bilyeu arrived from Salem today.

Uncle Sam's present pay roll is a very robust document, according to the figures furnished in the last report of the civil service commission. It shows 178,737 positions in the civil branch of the government, and an annual output on account of their salaries of about $160,000,000.

Teachers' Institute

Programme of the Teachers' Institute to be held at Cottage Grove on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 26 and 27 1897:

FRIDAY 7:30 P. M., AT C. P. CHURCH

Inst. Music—Lizzie Knox.

Recitation—Ruby Thomas.

Music. "Oregon"—High School Girls.

Concert Recitation—Pupils from Miss Underwood's classes.

Lecture—Prof F G Young of U of O.

SATURDAY 9 A. M., AT THE SCHOOL BUILDING.

Singing—By the Institute.

Primary Reading—A class exercise—By Miss Charlotte White.

Percentage and Its Applications—Wm McQueen.

Alcoholic Drinks and Narcotics—J W Abbett.

Recess.

Singing—By the Institute.

Primary Language—A class exercise—Miss Underwood.

How to Secure Regular and Punctual Attendance—Mrs L M Dunnewood.

1:30 P M.

Singing—Pupils from Miss Hopkins' classes.

Concert Recitation—Pupils from Miss Wilde's classes.

Geography—A class exercise—Mrs L W Hopkins.

What should be done with that Bad Boy—Miss Mabel Wynne.

How I Manage and Govern a Country School—Myrtle Ostrander.

Recess

Mental Arithmetic—A class exercise—Mrs W M Sutton.

Penmanship—A class exercise—Prof W H Powell.

Grading Country Schools—Discussion led by Prof J R Kendall

All teachers within reach are expected to be present and take some part in the exercises. School officers, patrons and friends of the public schools are cordially invited to attend this session of the Institute.

In addition to the class drills, the Principal and teachers of the Cottage Grove school are preparing an exhibit of school work, which will add greatly to the success of the institute.

C. S. HUNT,
County Supt.

IT WAS ONLY A DOG.—On Saturday evening at a late hour the residents and business habitans on south Willamette street were thrown into a state of violent excitement. That a foul murder had been attempted in one of the dark alleys of that region no one doubted. Low moanings were heard and everyone rushed to the street. The sounds seemed to come from the alley or rear of the frame buildings back of the Titus block. Several strong men were soon on the scene but they did not wish to add to the chances of a double crime by rushing into the darkness from whence the awful moanings came and where for aught they knew the villian who had committed the deed might be lying in wait for another victim. However something must be done and a light was procured. By that time a large and very excited crowd had arrived and the investigation began. The sounds were located in Nixon's fish market, but the building was locked and the proprietor was away. However, an entrance was finally effected through a rear window and the sequel to the supposed horrible crime was revealed. It was a huge mastiff dog and the animal evidently had been having bad dreams. The crowd dispeared remarkably quick.

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HOUSE BURNED. — Ed Judkins' house at the end of the long railroad trestle near Judkins' point burned at noon yesterday. The house and all its contents were destroyed. No one was at home when the fire occurred, the family being at church. The origin of the fire is unknown. The house was old but was a very good structure. It was insured, but the amount is not known.

MASQUERADE BALL.—The Masquerade ball that was given at Lane's hall by Mr L Brown was one of the greatest dances of the season. There were about one hundred couple present. The prize was won by Arthur Anderson as being the best represented in the masks. The dance was opened by the grand march at 8 o'clock.

SKULL AND BRAIN CRUSHED.

A Twelve Year Old Boy At Coburg is The Victim of a Kicking Horse.

A horrible accident occurred at Coburg last evening. George Shaub, aged about 12 years had the whole top of his head crushed in by a kicking horse.

Shaub is a stepson of Lafe Hendricks. The family reside in Coburg. One of Mr Hendricks' daughters left this city on last night's overland train for California. The family accompanied her there and were all away from home when the accident happened.

It is supposed that young Shaub went to the barn about 5 o'clock to attend to the evening chores. When the family arrived home about an hour after that time they found the boy lying on the barn floor. He had been kicked by a frisky horse, which had always been considered perfectly trustworthy. The top of the unfortunate lad's skull and brain was crushed in. He was still breathing and was carried to the house. A messenger was sent to this city for a physician and secured the services of Dr C E Loomis, who rendered all the aid possible last night. The boy was still alive today and Drs. T W Harris and C E Loomis left this afternoon for Coburg, but the hope of saving the boy's life is considered very doubtful.

LEGISLATIVE NEWS.

A Senator Got Disgusted and Quit. —No Other Changes.

SALEM, Feb 22.— No quorum at the joint legislative session today.

Senator Hughes of Washington county quits the joint convention.

McKinley Mitchell of Marion announces his intention of voting for Bourne, or any other republican for senator, regardless of the party caucus.

University Athletics.

Oregonian: A meeting of the University of Oregon Athletic Club was held Saturday, at which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President, J R Coleman; vice-president, Richard S Smith; secretary, R S Bryson; treasurer, C M Bishop.

A communication from the faculty was read, which stated that any student who wished to hold a position on any track, athletic, baseball or football team of the university must maintain an average of 85 per cent in all his studies. The regulations also say that a man must have been a student in the university for three months, and that all games and contests must be approved by the faculty.

In regard to football, the communication says that the football season must close December 1, and that the coach must be of good moral character and a college graduate.

The prospects for a track team this year are quite good. Higgins, Bryson, Kuykendall, Newsome, F Templeton, C Templeton, Coleman, Bishop, Naregan, DeLashmutt, Travis and Hurley, of last year's team, are still at the university. These, with such new material as can be developed, should form a track team that will be able to compete with any college team in the Northwest.

The Successful Ones.

The following is a list of those who received certificates at the recent teacher's examination:

First Grade.—Leonard Taber.

Second Grade.—L C Lea, Geo F Kling, Ora W Wood, Ina Bown, Mabel Haines.

Third Grade.— Mabel Haggard, Frances Masterson, Mahlon Day, Dela Morris, Emma Green, Doris Hamilton, Alice Stromberg, Walter Dillard, Leon Edmunson, Walter Smith, Harry Duckworth, Bernice Warbunton, Albert Tiffany, Nels S Fenne, Frankie Beeler, Etta Bowerman.

The examination was one of the hardest, if not the hardest, ever sent out by the State board.

The examination of the state papers will not be completed until next week.

Washington.

So, when a great man dies,
For years beyond our ken.
The light he leaves behind him lies
Upon the paths of men.
—Longfellow.

W. C. T. U. LECTURE.—Mrs Clara C Hoffman of Kansas City, Missouri, lectured under the auspicies of the local Women's Christian Temperance Union in the M E church Saturday evening to a large audience. Mrs. Hoffman is an earnest, intelligent and forcible speaker and kept her hearers highly entertained. She disclosed a great many facts in regard to the cause which she represents and by her visit has greatly encouraged and strengthened the local W. C. T. U. Mrs Hoffman lectured to another large audience in the M E church at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

DIED.—W W Chessman of Springfield, yesterday received a telegram from Ogden, Utah, stating that Dr. Rowland, formerly of this city, had just died in that city. Another telegram gave the information that his son, A S Rowland had preceded him in death. The younger man died of consumption. He formerly resided at Springfield and his wife is now in that city. He went East with the hope of benefitting his health and was accompanied by his father. The cause of the elder man's death is not known. He has two brothers in this city.

DIED.—Hanna Taylor, a single lady aged 59 years, died near Hale postoffice Saturday, February 20, 1897, of paralysis. The funeral was held today and the remains interred at the cemetery at that place.

The following is taken from the Prescott, Arizona, Pick and Drill: "Frank Gilstrap, a typographical artist, and a music genius, has arrived from Visalia, California, to accept a position on the Pick and Drill. He will be a valuable adition to the musical element and has been "gobbled" up already by the band boys.—Journal-Miner." Gilstrap brothers have sold their paper in Visalia and Tulare, California. W J has accepted a position in the secretary's office.

Commissioners' Court.

Feb. 3.

In the matter of the South Slough road in township 18 south, range 11 west; established.

At this time J W Shumate and E F Chapman presented a petition of three hundred and two citizens of the county for a bridge across the McKenzie river at Hendricks ferry. Taken under advisement.

In the matter of the petition of E M Bowerman for a county road: Alfred Brattain, L L Schell and O A Campbell appointed to view and C M Collier to survey same.

Feb. 4.

At this time tax certificate No 11 issued September 28, 1896, was ordered cancelled because of double assessment.

In the matter of the Shelley road in township 18 south, range 2 west: Established.

In the matter of the West and Mitchell road in township 18 south, range 2 west: A Matthews having filed a claim for damages, John Winzenreid, J B Cruzan, and Daniel Streeter appointed to assess same.

In the matter of the Wheeler road in Fairmount: Established.

In the matter of the Day and Coverdray road in townships 17 and 18 south, range 6 west: Established.

In the matter of the Lombard road, in township 18 south, range 4 west. G W Roberts, J L Lombard and E A Wooley having filed claims for damages, J R Park, George Fleeman and E J Crow appointed to assess same.

In the matter of change in road 505 in township 17 south, range 5 west. Change ordered. Petitioners to pay all costs.

Feb. 5.

Changes of boundary line of road district No 14 ordered.

Changes of boundary line of road district No 98 ordered.

W A Adams appointed justice of the peace for Mabel precinct, there being no qualified justice in that precinct.

Feb. 6.

Bond of T B Anderson, commander of J W Geary Post No 7, in the sum of $500 for proper expenditure of indigent soldier's fund for ensuing year, approved.

C M Collier drafting table	$ 13 00
Chas W Lyons bridge work	20 00
F W Prentice M D examination F Moss insane	5 00
T E Loomis M D examination F Moss insane	5 00
J L Zigler pauper supplies F Moss insane	2 60
W H Spaugh viewer to assess damages to premises Mrs Bean	13 40
W M Kerby viewer to assess damages to premises Mrs Bean	4 20
S C Sparks viewer to assess damages to premises Mrs Bean	1 50
Chas Stouffer juryman inquest Kate Adkins	1 00
I H Veatch juryman inquest Kate Adkins	1 00
James Hemenway juryman inquest Kate Adkins	1 00
Walter Cochran juryman inquest Kate Adkins	1 00
R W Veatch juryman inquest Kate Adkins	1 00
J C Wallace juryman inquest Kate Adkins	1 00
Dr Geo Wall witness inquest Kate Adkins	1 50
J M Sherwood witness inquest Kate Adkins	1 50
Rose Lincoln witness inquest Kate Adkins	1 50
Wm Adkins witness inquest Kate Adkins	1 50
J E Jennings work on assessment rolls claimed $50; not allowed.	
I L Simpson work on assessment rolls claimed $50; not allowed.	
W C Yoran clerical work claimed $15; not allowed.	
Glass & Prudhomme file case $145 80; continued.	
Henderson & Linn meidelnes for Susie Carter, 1895; continued.	
Mrs Julia A Bean damages by Florence road	25 00
Eli Bangs stage for two men from Florence	10 00
A W Edris keep of child	5 00
Irwin Hodson & Company books for assessor	60 50
F D Button commissioners' court bailiff five days	7 50
J T Callison commissioner seven days' court services	21 00
W T Bailey services February term of court	15 00
W T Bailey mileage	9 00
W T Bailey on Burton road	3 0
J W Kays, burial expenses of Fayrand	20 00
Fred C Bean, deputy sheriff	5 00
Paul Hammitt, coyote scalp	2 00
A C Jennings, 100 stamped envelopes	21 80
J M Keeney, bridges	1 15
E O Potter, writing letters to supervisors	5 00
E O Potter, postage	2 00
I L Campbell, printing	14 25
L T Harris, deputy district attorney F Moss insane	5 00
Charles Grishong, lumber	3 65

Violets are in demand. Nearly every yard about the city is well stocked with the little beauties.

Mrs Clara C Hoffman, the W C T U temperance lecturer, who spoke in this city Saturday and Sunday, is advertised to be at Winters, California, February 25.

An Albany editor says he saw a lively fight between a snake and six frogs the other day. That's nothing to what he probably will see if he does not sober up.

J W Gowdy has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late E P Thorp of Cottage Grove. The appraisers' report shows the value of the estate to be $1246.74. It is encumbered by mortgages.

Times have changed since the first legislature of Oregon met. That session lasted three days and enacted laws enough to amply provide for carrying on the business of the country. The members voted themselves $1.25 per day and board, and the entire expenses of the session were $67.50.

An amusing answer was given by one of the would-be teachers at the recent examination of applicants for teachers' certificates before the county board. To a question in physiology "How many bones in the upper extremities and which one the most important?" Comes the answer: "140 bones. The jaw bone."