Eugene City Guard.

SATURDAY.....APRIL 10.

Still on the lips of all we question
The finger of God's silence lies;
Will the lost hands in ours be folded?
Will the shut eyelids ever rise?
O friend! no proof beyond this yearning,
This outreach of our hearts we need;
God will not mock the hope he giveth,
No love he prompts shall vainly plead.

J. G. Whittier.

CAN CHANGE HIS SKIN.

"Can the Ethiopian change his skin, or the leopard his spots?" wrote the holy man in sacred writ. Prof Blake, a Kansas scientist, says the Ethiopian can do that very thing and he will take the job of making a white man out of a darkey without the least doubt of his ability to successfully perform the feat.

The Prof says the color of the negro is due to a carbon pigment underlying the skin and can be so transrormed by electricity as to leave the subject with a fair complexion. This will be done by the decomposition of the molecules o carbon. It only remains to find a practicable method for applying the electricity to be able to wipe out the color line for all time.

"WX HOPX."

Said an article in a western paper apologetically, "that our rxadxrs will pardon this wxxks issux and thx sxxmingly mystxrious absxncx of a cxrtain lxttxr. Shooting Sam Bibbxr camx into our officx yxstxrday and statxd that as hx was going hunting and had no ammunition hx would likx to borrow somx of our typx. Bxforx wx could prxvxnt it hx had grabbxd all thx lxttxrs out of thx most important box and disappxarxd. Our subscribxrs can hxlp rxplxnish our stock if all thosx who arx shot by Sam will savx thx chargx whxn it is pickxd out of thxm and rxturn it to us. Nxvxr mind if it is battxrxd a littlx." —Press and Printer.

Senator Mark Hanna evidently believes he is still engineering a presidential or some other political campaign, as he continues to send out ready made editorials to the republican press. The motives of the arch-boodler are manifest when it is considered these appeals are made in the interest of monopolies and leeches upon the body politic. The old man is simply carrying out his ante-election contracts The monopolies delivered the goods last November and now the people are called upon to make payment.

For the first time in twenty-eight years Ohio has two republican representatives in the United States senate. Invariably republican on national issues, and generally so in state contests, it has been Ohio's strange fortune that her representation in the senate has been uniformly divided between the parties for nearly thirty years.

General Coxey says the people's party is practically dead. He states that a new party, name unknown at present, will be organized at Nashville next July. Its principles will be the government control of railroads and the issue of non interest-bearing bonds, abolishing gold.

Governor Budd of California is not holding down the gubernatorial chair as a matter of fun. The other day he got his pen into use and promptly vetoed over $2,000,000 of unnecessary appropriations that had been made by a complacent easy going legislature. A governor like that earns his salary.

Local election returns from Ohio and Michigan show an almost unbroken series of democratic victories. Cincinnati may be given as a sample. In November the city gave McKinley 20,000 plurality; now it is democratic by over 7,000, while the vote is but 13,000 short of the presidential vote.

Stratton, the Cripple Creek millionaire, refuses to go into any money making schemes. "What I am trying to do," says he to promoters, "is to keep my income down within the limits of decency."

The Lebanon Advance says the woman who thinks more of the ballot than she does of her baby will never boost this old nation forward many notches.

CIRCUIT COURT.

A Heavy Verdict Rendered in the Church Bond Case.

85. Charlotte Hurst vs Karness Wade; action in ejectment. This is a suit where plaintiff deeded to defendant her property on condition that the said defendant provide for her during her life time.

The following jury was drawn in the above case this Wednesday afternoon: J P Barger, G D Chamberlain, James Hoffman, W H Hoffman, D Tilton, H A Vaughan, J W Lakin, E B Barger, A F Stormant, J S Higgins, M Pitcher and E P Williams.

Jury retired Wednesday evening and Thursday morning, after an all nights session, reported that they could not agree and were discharged; continued until the next term.

91 John McCollum vs Agnes McCollum; divorce. Dismissed on motion of plaintiff, and defendant given judgment for $15 the amount of her costs.

The judge overruled a motion for a new trial in the case of J H Akers et al vs S May and T A Milliorn; also a motion for a verdict for defendants notwithstanding the verdict of the jury. Defendants given 30 days in which to file a bill of exceptions.

In re estate of Joseph Bailey, deceased; demurrer to final settlement by Emily Bailey sustained. The administrators, T G Hendricks and J H McClung allowed 10 days in which to file their answer to the affections to said final account.

J O Rhinehart vs the city of Eugene and the Eugene Eletric Light Co; new hearing requested. Taken under advisement.

78. C P Houston vs H S Wallace et al; injunction. Continued.

At this time the court allowed G Handsaker $12 as bailiff.

The court adjourned for the term at 1:30 P M Thursday.

An adjourned term of the circuit court convened at the court house this forenoon at 11:30 p. m.

Officers present—Judge Fullerton, Sheriff Johnson and Clerk Jennings.

The following proceedings have taken place today:

Judge J C Fullerton, of Roseburg, is in the city.

Attorney J C Cooper, of Lemati, is in Eugene.

2: In re assignment of C C Goldsmith, an insolvent debtor, assignment. Order of distribution of 84 cents on each $1. Dismissed.

49 W G Pickett vs Isaac Darniel et; confirmation. Referred.

Charlotte Hurst vs Karness Wade; action in ejectment. Set for trial tomorrow morning, April 6th.

Laura A Harris vs Sherwood Burr, R B Henderson and M L Walsis, as judges of election of school district No. 4; known as the right of women to vote at school election.

The case was argued by Geo B Dorris for plaintiff and E R Skipworth for defendants, and was submitted last evening to the court, who announced that he would decide the case about July 1st.

47 J H Akers et al as the building committee of the M E church, Junction vs S May and T A Milliorn; to recover money.

The following jury was drawn in the above case: T B Anderson, J W Stormant, J J Poll, W B Andrews, A F Stormant, J S Higgins, M Pitches, E B Barger, E P Williams, J M Sloan, John Brent, S B Jackson.

The case was given to the jury this afternoon and in a few minutes a verdict was rendered for the amount sued for, $1500 and costs.

On trial.

S Handsaker appointed bailiff for the term.

R J Mathews vs Sarah A Taylor et al; sheriff ordered to make deed.

Thos W Jenkins vs Minnie A Jenkins; suit for divorce. Divorce granted.

Klamath Reservation.

As many inquires have been made we publish the following concerning the opening of the Klamath Indian reservation to settlement:

"Letters from all parts of the Pacific slope are coming to the Oregon City land office making inquiry concerning the Klamath Indian reservation, the impression having got abroad that a date for opening it to the public has been set. This impression probably grew out of an inaccurate note in a San Francisco paper wherein an inspector who had been sent out to examine the Klamath reservation was quoted as praising the richness of the land and in such manner as to give the inference that it was open to settlement. That reservation does not lie in this land district at all, but is in the Lakeview land district. However, it has not been opened for settlement. The president will issue a proclamation, and the register and receiver of the Lakeview land office will give ample notice of the opening before it takes place."

Stricken With Paralysis.

Special to the Guard.

CRESWELL, April 8.—At his home, six miles east of Creswell, at 6 o'clock this morning, Hugh M Walker, father of ex-Clerk Wm Walker, was stricken with paralysis; the stroke paralyzing his entire left side, even to half of his tongue. Mr Walker is 76 years of age and is one of Lane County's oldest and most respected citizens.

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FREIGHT MOVEMENTS.—W Sanders will ship a carload of cascara segradi to New York city on tomorrow morning's freight. * * * S H Friendly will ship three carloads of wool to Portland on tonights freight.

Unity Items.

April 7.

The weather is somewhat reasonable.

The question was asked in the Daily why township 18 range 2 west, was surveyed when it was all lying in the timber reserve, is simply because there are several settlers in the township who settled before the reserve was taken.

Alf and Charley Matteson visited Springfield Saturday.

R C Edwards is on the sick list this week.

Mr Sam Stires of Middle Fork, passed here enroute to Smith & Howard's logging camp where he will work for a few weeks.

Jos. Matteson made a business trip to Eugene Saturday.

J R Holbrook was on our streets this week.

James Howard visited Eugene this week.

M E Edwards went to Egypt Monday to commence school.

M Y Warner and G W Breeding made Eugene a visit this week.

J R Holbrook and Alby Matteson will discuss the secrecy question in the near future; Mr Matteson taking the negative.

Jos. Matteson is in Egypt again. He's all right.

Rev Blackwell occupied the pulpit Sunday.

Sunday school is progressing nicely at this place. Everybody invited.

The Sunday school is preparing to give an entertainment on Easter Sunday.

Mr Nelson of Whimberry, passed here this week from Eugene, where he had been for a few days.

Mr Morgan visited Jasper this week.

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Jasper Items.

Rain, rain, more rain more rest.

Lindley Bros are repairing their mill for a summer's run.

Miss Belle Keeney, a student of the U of O, is spending vacation with her parents at this place.

H G Keeney made Eugene a business call Saturday.

Miss Nettie Sanders went to Eugene Saturday, where she will be engaged in work at How's restaurant.

M Blackburn passed through here Sunday on his way to his ranch on Fall Creek.

C R Sylvester visited friends and relatives here Saturday evening and Sunday.

Rev D W Bridges rendered a very interesting discourse at this place Sunday.

There will be a play given at the school house Friday evening, April 9, '97, by the Pleasant Hill Dramatic Club. Title: "Out in the Street." Everybody invited to come. Admission 10 cents; children under 8 years free.

Raymond Perdew of Fall Creek, passed through here this evening on his way to Springfield.

Born—to the wife of A Methney, April 5th a daughter. Abb now wears a ten by fifteen smile on his countenance.

Miss Bertie Sylvester visited friends in Eugene Saturday.

COR.

Cedar Flat Items

Mr Editor not seeing any items in GUARD from this place for some time I will hand in a few.

Sime Putnam has been visiting friends in Eugene the past week.

Mr C E Hover left last week for Chico, California. He will work at the carpenter's trade there this summer and will return here this fall.

Bade Vaughan has been hauling hay the past week to feed his live stock.

Miss Vernie Putnam returned home Friday after a pleasant visit with friends at Creswell.

Chapman & Son are sawing quite steady now. They are turning out a fine lot of rough and dressed lumber.

Alfred Vaughan has bought a place in the valley and will move on the same as soon as he can get his house built; also Sime Putnam bought a piece of land near the J A Putnam place which he is getting ready to build on.

CEDAR TREE.

Creswell Casualties.

April 8th.

B B Scott has sold his property in Creswell and will soon go to California in hopes of benefitting his wife's health.

Gus Teutsch, who has been in California all winter working for the famous "Red Seal" company arrived home on a visit yesterday morning.

C F Moore is spending the vacation "yanking" a bucksaw.

At the Union Sunday school last Sunday the following officers were elected for the year: C F Moore, superintendent; Mrs S J Downing, assistant superintendent; Miss Grace Hunter, secretary; Mrs Jennie Scott, treasurer, and Laura Morse, librarian. The school is in splendid working order notwithstanding the loss of many members by the organization of another school in the place.

Farmers are very busy these fine days getting their delayed farm work done.

ZEPH.

Pleasant Hill Items.

April showers make May flowers.

School began here last Monday with Jas Donaldson as teacher.

Sunday school elected officers as follows last Sunday: Jas S Kelley, supt; W L Bristow, assistant; Helen Swift, sec. Sunday school meets hereafter at 10 o'clock.

Mr L A Wheeler of Eugene was in the neighborhood last week.

B F Mulkey of Dallas came up last Saturday returning Wednesday taking his little girl with him.

John Handsaker came out from Eugene last Monday. He took advantage of the occasion and walked to Goshen and came afoot the rest of the way.

The Pleasant Hill orchestra meets every Monday night. They are putting up some good music.

The Drama entitled "Out in the Streets" will be played at Jasper Friday night and at Goshen Monday night.

Several parties attended the Drama at Dexter last Saturday night. They speak in high praise of the affair.

Win and Kate Wilson are home this being vacation at the U of O.

Jno Shelley and son Harry, I. J Cornelius, R Drog, W H Baughman and S C Mulkey paid Eugene a visit last Monday from our place—this is tax paying time you know.

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AN ERRING YOUTH.—Ira Cox, an erring youth from the Siuslaw country was given an examination before County Judge E O Potter last evening and sentenced to the state reform school at Salem. The boy will be 16 years old in May. The complaint was subscribed to by his mother. It is not certain that any more charges can be received at the reform school at present because of its crowded condition and for that reason the boy will be kept here for a day or two until the matter can be investigated.

Notice.

TO THE FARMERS: Owing to the circuit court being in session on March 6, the time set for a meeting of The Farmers Protective Association, said meeting has been postponed to the third Saturday, the 17th, day of April.

In the meantime the officers will meet on Saturday, March 20th, to draft a plan of action and to attend to other business of the association.

J. C. RICHARDSON, President.
J. H. WEST, Secretary.

Announcement.

This is to inform the public that we have purchased the "Corner Drug Store" of Mr Hemenway and intend to continue the business at the old stand. To Mr Hemenway's friends and customers, we will ask you to kindly continue your patronage and we assure you we will try and serve you as well in the future as you have been served in the past.

Yours very truly,
VINCENT & WALTON.

A MIS-COUNT.—In counting the vote of the city election in the first ward the judges made a mistake, giving W H Luckey, candidate for councilman, 20 votes too many. This cuts his majority to 53 but does not alter the election.

SHERIFF'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution, duly issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lane, on the 30th day of March, 1897, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 8th day of March, 1897, for the sum of One Hundred, twenty-two and no 100 Dollars in gold coin of the United States with interest thereon from said 8th day of March, 1897, at the rate of ten per cent per annum and twenty-five dollars attorney's fee and the further sum of five dollars costs, also accruing costs in a suit in said Court wherein W E Brown was plaintiff and Volney Hemenway as administrator of the estate of Martha J Bogart, deceased, and Charles Walker Bogart, Stella Bogart and Edna Bogart were defendants; and against the above named defendant, Volney Hemenway as administrator of the estate of Martha J Bogart, deceased, and on decree of foreclosure and order of sale rendered in said Court, commanding me in order to satisfy said judgment and costs and accruing costs to sell the following described real property to wit: The north half of the northeast quarter (¼) and the north half of the northwest quarter (¼) of Section 24, in Township 19, South Range 1 West W M, containing 160 acres in Lane County, Oregon. Now therefore, I will offer for sale the above described real property, at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, on Monday the 10th day of May, 1897, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M, and 4 o'clock P. M, to wit: at 1 o'clock P M of said day.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1897.

A. J. JOHNSON,
Sheriff of Lane County, Oregon

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Lane county.

Charles Laner Plaintiff
vs
F. C. Carson, Geo M. Carson, J H. Bushell, Sternberg & Sanders, and Isaac Carson Defendants.

To Isaac Carson, the above named defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned to appear in said court on or before the second Monday in June 1897, that being the first day of the next regular term of said court and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed therein or judgment and decree will be taken for the foreclosure of the certain mortgage executed by the Defendant S. C. Carson and George M. Carson in favor of the Plaintiff upon the following described real property situated in said Lane County Oregon to wit: Commencing at the Northwest corner of county survey No. 865 on the division line between the East and West halves of the donation land claim of J. D. Hornbuckle claim No. 55 in section 19 To 18 S R 4 W thence North to the center of the lake on said claim thence along the center of the line of the lake to the North line of said claim; thence East to the Northeast corner of said claim; thence North on the East line of said claim to the Northwest corner of County survey No 176; thence North 78 deg. 15 min. West 40.00 chains to place of beginning containing 342 47 acres of land in Lane county Oregon and for a recovery of the sum of $3300 00 in United States gold coin with interest at 8 per cent per annum since January 24th, 1896 and taxes assessed against said sum and $225 attys. fees and for costs and disbursements of suit against the Defts. S. C. Carson and George M. Carson, and such other relief as to the Court may seem equitable. It was ordered by the Court. The Hon. J. C. Fullerton judge at the regular March term thereof 1897 that service of this summons be made upon you by by publication in the EUGENE WEEKLY GUARD a newspaper of general circulation Published weekly in said county for six consecutive weeks.

GEO. B. DENNIS, Pltf's. Atty.