Eugene City Guard.

SATURDAY,..... .....MAY 1.

PARTY BED FELLOWS.

Ex-president Cleveland's late gold manifesto puts him entirely outside the pale of the demecratic party. Grover may have no use for the party, but it is absolutely certain the party has no use for him. No former president of the United States had so little standing with the party that elected him as has Cleveland to day. His bugle cry will rally no party adherents. The gold democrats are already, either in secret or open alliance, with the money powers that dominate the republican party. The alignment is distinct. Mr Cleveland's pronunciaments will deceive no one.

The republicans must take Grover into full fellowship. Imagine Brother Harvey Scott of the Oregonian connubiating, drawn together as it were, by a bond of love for the shining yellow metal Harvey is Grover's and Grover is Harvey's.

OUR SENIOR SENATOR.

Some people cannot appreciate talent. The Albany Democrat has been keeping tab on our senior senator and pays its respects to him in the following versatile manner:

"Senator McBride continues to be alive to the interests of Oregon He is proving continually his great capacity as a statesman. Besides laboring with his sleeves up for an appropriation for a public building at Salem he has put forth his best efforts—leaving nothing undone—for securing the permission of the proper officers for the war vessel Oregon to go up the uncertain channel of the Columbia and the Willamette, to Portland, to receive that $4,000 punch (and lemonade) silver service. Great is Senator McBride! By the way also a very nice gentleman personally."

"Cyclone" Davis, the middle-of-the-road populist leader of Texas who supported McKinley and got snowed under as a candidate for congress, is out with a long letter demanding a platform of "sound money and protection." It is strongly suspected Cyclone got the former for his treachery to the nominee of his party, and the world certainly needs the latter from his class of people.

The public wash-houses, on large scale, is in successful operation in England and Germany, and now it is being introduced in America. In all of our great cities of large population where there are congested districts and many tenement houses, these public laundries where women can go and do the family washing are a great boon to civilization.

No more scratching coins of the government. The last congress passed an act providing that a person defacing a gold or silver coin of the United States is liable to a fine of $2000 and five years in prison. This stops the bangle fad along with other forms of coin defacement, and protects gold and silver from being light weight, as it has in the past by trimming.

The natives in the Yukon mining district are paying the usual penalty for their enforced contact with our modern civilization. The men are plied with poisonous liquors while the women are debauched. The extermination of the inoffensive natives is a question of but a short time.

Many reputable journals use more or less ready print plate matter in their publications, but the Portland World is the first publication, pretending to be a newspaper, that is wholly made up of the stuff Not one line of original matter in it except advertisements. A genuine newspaper freak.

The wheat market is a frisky one at present. No telling what a day may bring forth. Speculators and gamblers are probably manipulating the exchange. Such sudden rises and falls cannot be accounted for on any other supposition.

The Salem Journal says Secretary Kincaid is "home" from Eugene. Mr Kincaid may live, or rather exist, in Salem most of his time, but Eugene is his home.

A CHANCE TO EXPLAIN.

Doctor Chapman cannot answer the public statement published in the GUARD as to his return of assessable property to the Lane county assessor, and seeks to evade the force and effect of the publication of his official statement to the assessor by pitifully whining that the GUARD is unfriendly to him.

The GUARD is not on trial before the bar of public opinion. It is Doctor Chapman who is called before the bar of public opinion to explain how it is that with a $3000 annual salary he has not rendered to the Lane county assessor one single cent of money, notes or accounts, and paid for 1896, but the pitiful sum of 44 cents tax on a small lot of household belongings.

The friendliness or unfriendliness of the GUARD has nothing to do with the pitiful showing he makes on the tax roll of his adopted home.

The columns of the GUARD are open to Doctor Chapman for explanation as to how, after having drawn thousands of dollars from the public treasury, he made a sworn return to the assessor that he did not have one dollar of money, notes or accounts on hand when the assessor met him last year. His salary is $250 a month, paid quarterly. Is it not probable a portian of a quarters salary was due when he was asserted?

Doctor Chapman does not stand in the light of a private citizen. The honorable position he holds renders it imperative he should fully explain the great discrepancy between the lucrative salary he enjoys and the insignificant return made to the assessor.

DANGEROUS BRIDGES.

The fatal street railway accident in East Portland, while not due to a defective bridge, will have the effect of calling public attention to the many bridges and elevated roadways in and about Portland that are in questionable condition. Since boom times repairs on elevated roadways have not been promptly made and many of them are unquestionably in a dangerous condition. While the general public has not before been aware of the danger, the street railway employes have been fully alive to the risk they incurred in the performance of their onerous duties. Long working hours, coupled with constant danger, has not made their job a pleasant one.

A DIFFERENT RACE.

Much useless sympathy is wasted on the Greeks in their conflict with Turkey. The modern Greek is but a shadow of the ancient Greek made famous by their art, literature and song.

It was Byron who was imbued with the lofty idea of liberating Greece from Turkish rule. He changed his mind after viewing the modern article, and in his immortal poem lamented the decadence of a noble race He sang:

"The isles of Greece! the isles of Greece!
Where burning Sappho loved and sung;
Where grew the arts of war and peace—
Where Delos rose and Phoebus sprung."

Then this sorrowful strain:

"Eternal sunshine gilds them yet,
But all, except their sun, is set."

John Horrigan, know as "praying John," of Ellis, Kan., has made it a practice for many years to go out on the prairie at sunrise and sunset, no matter what the weather or season or his condition of health, and there to offer up prayer. His knees have worn away the turf and hardened the soil at the place of his devotions.

A fitting monument for general Grant was dedicated in New York yesterday. Countless thousands paid honor to the memory of the dead hero.

STOP AND THINK.—A peddler has been doing the city selling some sort of a preparation, which he styles cement Of course he is finding plenty of knowing ones who invest. He sells his preparation at from 25 to 50 cents, or whatever he can get, and goes on his way rejoicing in search of another victim. A reliable cement could doubtless be purchased from any merchant for half what the peddler sells it for.

Indianapolis Journal: "After all," said the man at the end of the discussion, "no man really knows what his neighbors think of him." "I came mighty near knowing once" said the citizen, with a reminiscent look in his eye, "but the jury disagreed."

LAWS OF TEACHING.

Some Suggestions That Don't Cost a Cent.

1. There is no school unless the father, the mother, the teacher and the pupil keep school together.
2. Know thoroughly the subject to be taught and explain to the pupil why you teach it.
3. Gain and keep the attention of pupils. Excite their interest.
4. In your teaching use language that your pupils understand.
5. Begin with the known and go by easy steps to the unknown. Take the whole class with you.
6. Excite self-activity in the pupils and lead each to diecover truth. Show the class how to study.
7. In each lesson let a halt be made and then have pupils fix points already made, the conclusions reached, and premise upon which the conclusion is based.
8. The teaching must touch the whole nature of the child and stimulate to higher action and more industrious habits of work, of silence, of obedience, honesty and truthfulness Three-fourths of education is the habit of work.

Unity Items.

April 27.

Spring has come.

Mr J N B Fuller started his drive of saw logs for the Eugene Lumber Co. Monday. Mr Wm Edwards, of Eugene, is in the drive.

The U B quarterly conference convened here Saturday and Sunday. Elder Wyatt of Philomath, presided.

Mr Law of Springfield, was in this vicinity Saturday looking over Mr. Hunnicutt's land with the expectation of trading property in Springfield.

Sunday school is progressing nicely with Mr A D Hyland as Superintendent.

There is quite a number of acres of corn being planted in this community.

Mr and Mrs G M Neet and Mrs Fred Warner were guests at Mr W Warner's Sunday.

Mr P T Carter applied for license to preach, at the quarterly conference, which was granted.

The M E quarterly conference will convene at this place the third Saturday and Sunday in May.

Quite a frost Tuesday morning. We notice the frost last week damaged some early fruit, as they are falling off in large quantities.

It is reported that a wolf dragged one of Mr Sprages' sheep in the brush but it was rescued by some boys before it was killed.

R K Holbrook made a short visit with Mr Darling.

COR.

Creswell Casualties.

April 29.

The people are wishing for more rain as many have plowing yet to do.

The frost on the morning of the 27th and again this morning injured the strawberry crop considerably.

B F Scott has ove four acres in strawberries and Wm Tiffany has three acres. There are enough Jersey cows here to furnish the cream to eat them with.

Rev J F Day is putting his house in habitable shape. We hope he will make this his permanent residence.

We do not hear of many potatoes being planted this spring and the chances are they will be a good price next season.

County School Superintendent Hunt will hold a teachers' institute here tomorrow. We expect a rare treat in Prof Letcher's lecture in the evening.

There are a number of "valuable (?) dogs" in this place whose owners neglect to feed them, to the risk of other people's sheep and smoke houses.

Farmers near this place have endured the trespassing of willful violaters of the game law for a long time to be repaid by seeing the penalty of the law inflicted, not on one of the detectors of the law, but on one not only innocent of any purpose of violation of the law, but has endured the insolence of some of the very persons who, through openly avowed spite, secured his conviction.

We would be glad of honest help in reporting happenings in this place, but the party writing from here this week to the GUARD make some misstatements, for which there was no good reason.

ZEPH.

The Overland Route to Glory.

"This is a narrow guage. No room nor need for a double track. All trains run in one direction. No danger of collision with ideas running wild, or of being ditched in the gully of false doctrine by running into the open switch of speculation. Getting on at the station of Humility, no return-trip tickets are issued. No transfers are needed. The engines are fired with holy zeal from on high, and are supplied with water drawn from the wells "springing up into everlasting life" along the road.

Standing on the platform of faith, already I fancy I hear the signal to go ahead, and the conductor cry: "All aboard! Next stop is Victory."

There is no sleeper attached to this train. Truth stands her watch with Virtue, and Patience takes her turn.

It does not sidetrack at the station of Regret, but runs straight through to the promised land. The Master is at the throttle. He sounds the danger signal, my brother, to warn those who may be asleep upon the track. Do you hear and heed?"

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GREAT WALL PAPER and PAINT SALE

During House Cleaning time we are going to continue the sale of paper hangers. Our stock is now large and varied as ever at that we can please you in both price and goods. Call early and secure bargains.

Yours to serve,

L. A. OVERTON, 3 doors west of Postoffice.

TURKS vs GREEKS.

I want to say that I am not so much interested in the welfare of the Greeks and Turks as I am in the matter of informing the people of this vicinity that I have added a line of

BOOTS AND SHOES, GENTS FURNISHING GOODS

Ladies and Gents Straw Hats,
Hosiery,
Thread,
Needles and Pins,
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Which are marked at prices that make sales
Call and be convinced that this is not idle talk
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W. W. CHESSMAN, - Springfield, Oregon.

BIG SLAUGHTER!

In shoes. Discounts of 33 and 50 per cent on Broken Lines. These shoes are as good as any in our store, but will be sold at this reduction on account of being broken sizes.

We also have the best line of shoes ever carried in Eugene, and at prices to suit the times.

YORAN & SON,

The Shoe Dealers.

Waterville Items.

April 27.

Jack frost has been doing some damage to early gardens and fruit trees.

Billy Haden is decorating J W Shumate's house with the paint brush.

C H Decker is building a porch in front of David Brooks' house.

Kate Shumate who was burned very badly last week, is getting along well, her grand parents Mr and Mrs T J Vaughan of Coburg are with her now.

William Eyler and wife were visiting with G W Milam and family Sunday.

Hop growers are very busy training hops which are growing very rapidly.

John Waring is building an addition to Mrs Collin's house.

Mrs C H Decker will soon start east to visit with her relatives and friends, to the news run.

Mrs F M Dotson has just returned home from Eugene where she has been visiting with her daughter.

Mrs John Deachman celebrated her birthday one evening last week by entertaining quite a number of her friends at her home.

F.

Kate Shumate, who was so seriously burned, is improving. Also Mr Shumate's hand.

Born, to the wife of B F Watt, of Thurston, a daughter.

Born, to wife of George Hendricks at Waterville, a son. She is the daughter of Dr B F Brevell of Thurston.

Grandma Vaughan, who fell and hurt her leg, is some better.

Sunday the water in the McKenzie river was so low that the boat at Hendrick's ferry had to have horses to pull it across. Since then the river has raised and is now without the use of horses. The owner a smaller and lighter boat is built the better and cheaper for the county until a bridge is built.

CON.

Populist Address.

Hon W S U'Ren, populist representative from Clackamas county, will deliver an address at the court house in this city Tuesday evening, May 4, at 8 o'clock, on the initiative and referendum. The public is invited. He speaks the following day at Junction City.

Daily Guard, April 28.

TO SALMON CREEK.—County Judge Potter and Commissioners Callison and Bailey, accompanied by contractor L N Blaney, left early this morning in a hack for Salmon Creek. 45 miles up the Willamette on the Military route. Residents above Salmon Creek have petitioned for a bridge across that stream and the members of the court have gone up to look out the location and make an estimate of the probable cost of a bridge. It will require the remainder of the week to make the trip

AN INSURANCE QUESTION.—Albany Democrat: The matter of insurance on the farm residence of A Settlemier, burned yesterday is an interesting one. The policy expired at 12 o'clock. The fire was first seen at about 12:30, but it may have started before 12, which is what would count in the figuring on the matter. Then again the policy had been ordered renewed, which would no doubt make the company responsible, and it is probable the risk will be paid without contest.

THE TROTTING BRED STALLION.

SPRINGFIELD ABDALLAH.

Will make the season of 1896 as follows

Monday at G O Walker's barn, Walker
Tuesday " " " " "
Wednesday " " " " "
Thursday " " " " "
Friday at Eli Bangs' livery stable, Eugene.
Saturday at Eli Bangs' liver stable, Eugene.

Description and Pedigree

Springfield Abdallah (8 8 dark brown, 16 hands high, and when in good flesh weighs 1200 pounds; splendid disposition. He was foaled May 18, 1888, and bred by S. B. Thompson of Springfield, Kentucky. Sire, Woodford Abdallah, record 2:24 and sire of Kinnikinnick 2:08¾, by Woodford Mambrino, record 2:21¾, and sire of Alberbaird, 2:21¾, Mambrino Dudley, 2:22 Cuckoo, 2:21, Magnolia, 2:24¾, and many other fast trotters; he by Mambrino Chief 11, of lady Thorn, 2:30, Woodford Abdallah's dam by Pilot Abdallah, sire Frontsmith's Mac 2:21, and Rosebud 2:29¾, 2nd dam by Cracker, thoroughbred, sire of Boston, sire of sale winner, the great dam of Maud S, 2:08¾, and dam of a number in classes of thoroughbreds. Woodford Abdallah sired at $50, the season, Springfield Abdallah's dam, Sallie Lee, was by Springfield Jim, by Kentucky Clay, by Cassius M Clay Jr., dam by Membrino Messenger, by Membrino Waymaker, by Old Membrino, by imported Messenger 2nd dam, Mattie B, by Jewell, 3d dam, Bettie Brown, by Norman, Jr., by Alexander Arabian, sire of Lola, 2:17, May Queen, 2:28, Blackwood and others.

TERMS—$10 to insure. Mares from a distance will be pastured free. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

G. O. WALKER.

Also you will find at Bangs' stable the same days and same price, the colorated English coach horse, YOUNG ECCLOCK, (Yolo Bebe.)

G. O. WALKER.

Dexter Items.

April 27.

Frank Taylor made a business trip to Eugene today.

Farmers are done sowing small grain and corn planting is already beginning A large crop of it will be planted.

Earl Barbre started Monday for a visit to relatives in Salem. He goes from there to The Dalles, where he will stay during the summer.

We understand that the Trent boys have organized a nine and are playing ball in good earnest. The Dexter lads should practice up and have some fun.

Grandma Holbrook is considerably improved in health.

Messrs Ed Chandler, Will Twilley and Ed Gibson started Thursday with a team, for a trip as far south as Ashland to look at the country and to find work, they say, but we venture to predict that they are trying to get away from work instead of finding it.

Mrs Milton Veach is very dangerously ill at present writing and small hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Has the school apportionment been made? If so we would like to see it in print.

Mr Beaudreau, of the Divinity School, delivered three interesting discourses at this place Sunday.

Rev Brackwell of Springfield, will preach here on next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock

BIG EAR.

Daily Guard, April 29.

ACQUITTED.—Adam Grentz, who was arrested at Junction City on the charge of assaulting George Jackson, was tried before Justice Butler in that city yesterday and acquitted. The arrest grew out of a fight between George Jackson and Charles King, in which the former had his leg broken twice. Grentz was charged with aiding King in the fight, but the evidence did not show him to be guilty. King made good his escape before he could be arrested and has not yet been apprehended.

PIPES MUST GO.

CIGARS THIS WEEK.

We bought them so low, we are ashamed to tell you how low. Good ones too. They first wanted $25 per thousand, wholesale but we will sell you 50 for 25 cts, or 3 for 5 cts. Wholesale or retail Look at our window.

Wringer Prices Busted Too

Good iron frame wringer.....$1 50
Good wood frame wringer.....1 75

AX BILLY.

..Removal Sale..

RACKET STORE

Commencing April 8th,

We will sell many lines of goods at cost. Our present quarters are not large enough for our increasing

CASH BUSINESS!

We shall move into the large double room adjoining us about the 15th of May, and until that time shall make prices on many lines of shoes that will make the move pay you. . . . . .

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An Elegant Line
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Latest SPRING STYLES

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The best salve in the world for cuts bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded Price 25 cents per box. For sale by

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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.