

FRIDAY, JUNE 11.

Miss Grace Brown arrived home this afternoon. Mrs. A. Hood, of Florence, is visiting in Eugene. P. C. Brown, of Portland, a visitor, is in the city. Dr. W. Kuykendall had a trip south this afternoon. Dolis D. Neer, of Portland, spent last night in Eugene. Rev. A. D. Skaggs, of Corvallis, arrived up this afternoon. Students are now leaving for their homes on every train. Miss Laura Tilton arrived home from Monmouth this afternoon's local. Studies at the university have been completed for the year 189 school year. Anton Pfauer, president of the Forest Grove bank has resigned and disappeared. The number in the graduating class of the Agricultural college is seventeen this year. Mrs. R. M. McMurphy went to Cottage Grove today to attend the Sunday School convention. Rev. Bonnell will deliver the Fourth of July oration at the celebration at Monitor, Marion county. The police in San Francisco stopped the Mather Starkey fight, declaring a draw in the seventh round. Architects are still coming to town to present plans for the new court house and Christian church buildings. Mrs. Garrett and son Oscar, the latter a student at the university, left today for their home near Oakland, Oregon. Miss Eyn Vaughan, who has been attending the school for the blind at Salem, returned home this afternoon. Miss Ella Kent of Drain, who has been a guest at the home of Mayor Kuykendall, returned home this afternoon. The cruiser New York left New York harbor last night under sealed orders. It is surmised she goes to Cuban waters. The Oregon trotting horse Klamath won the great race for all trot at Denver, Colo., yesterday. Time: 2:45, 2:20, 2:21. In the trotting "stake" race at the state fair "Lady Memo" by Oregon Wilkes has been entered by G. W. Gill of this city. A letter just received from Otto Roberts, dated at Kaslo B. C., states he is clerking in a store with a salary of \$50 per month. It is reported that Jonathan Bourne Jr., is going East to live and not return to Oregon. He is one of the smartest politicians in the state. The Oregon horse Klamath, won the free for all trot at Denver yesterday, best time in five. Klamath took the third, fourth and fifth heats. Eugene Bristol, a S. P. R. conductor is in the city today. He is a son of the old Lane county pioneer, the late Hon. E. L. Bristol. The funeral of Joseph Springer, who died Thursday, took place at the Catholic church yesterday. Interment at the Catholic cemetery. Mr. Arnold killed a large cougar up Mohawk yesterday afternoon. It had been playing havoc with sheep in that section. The commencement exercises of the agricultural high school take place June 19 to 23. We acknowledge an invitation to attend. Quite a number of the University students left for their respective homes on today's trains. At this forenoon's train the U. of O. yell was given. Miss Maud Cooper, of Independence is in the city to remain over commencement week of the U. of O. Her sister Miss Dorothea, is a member of the senior class. Soda-ville items in Lebanon Advance: Father Chesler and wife have gone to Lower Soda. Mother Chesler's health appears to be declining. Her many friends hope soon to see her well again. Cottage Grove Messenger: Henry Day says he has been putting in his spare time the past week moving. He is now pleasantly located in the Hawley residence. Fred Fisk is confined to his room with illness that threatens typhoid fever, and will probably be unable to attend the graduating exercises of the senior class, of which he is a member. Roseburg Plaindealer: The announcement that the round houses of Grants Pass were to be brought here, made by a local paper, seems to have been premature. No such action has been taken or is contemplated. Geo. W. Handwerker and family arrived from Salem today, driving up in their own conveyance. They will visit with their Lane county friends until the last of next week. George looks as if Salem official life agreed with him. Hon. Philip Matschan of Salem state treasurer, visited in Eugene over last night. He has hosts of friends here who gladly greeted him. We ask to wedge a pleasant call. He returned to Salem on this morning's local train.

PROGRAMME.

For the Union Sunday School Picnic to be held near the Ping Yang School House, Mohawk Saturday, June 19, 1897: Song by the school. Prayer by Rev. Cross. Song by the school. Words of welcome, by William Duryse. Recitation—Miss Ella Hayden. Music—Quartet. Recitation—Grace Neal. Recitation—D. H. Zumwalt. Song—Dora and Ollie Duryse. Recitation—Francis George. Recitation—Myrtle Stewart. Instrumental music. Recitation—Minnie Drury. Recitation—Joseph Neal. Address—Rev. Cross. Music—Quartet. Dinner. Song by the Juvenile class. Recitation—Carrie Duryse. Recitation—Robert Harris. Instrumental music. Recitation—Elythe Albro. Recitation—Adda Hansbury. Son by the school. Recitation—Carrie Tompson. Short address by Rev. Platt. Song—Quartet. Wm. Duryse will be chairman, and John Sporens marshal of the day. Plenty of awnings, and a good stand to be kept on the ground. Exercises will begin at 10 a. m. Everybody come and bring your basket.

SAFE ROBBED AT JUNCTION. The Burglar Made a Good haul—\$490 Taken by the Thief.

The most expensive robbery ever perpetrated in Junction City occurred Wednesday night, says the Times. The safe in Lewis & Nichols' butcher shop was opened and the thief was rewarded with a haul of \$490. Of this amount \$440 belonged to J. M. Nichols, Milt Barnett and Mr. Goodman, which represented their earnings in the many cattle shipments at this place. The remainder belonged to Lewis & Nichols. Entrance was made through the back window and the combination of the safe was worked to perfection. Two suspicious characters were seen in the evening but the marshal saw one of them board the 10:50 overland. It is a mystery all around and will perhaps be solved.

New Circuit Court Cases.

G. B. Tutman vs John E. Belshaw and Dora Belshaw, his wife; to recover \$110.43, with interest at 8 per cent from Oct. 1, 1889, and disbursements of action.

Daily Guard, June 12.

IS DOING TIME.—Frank T. Stokes, an advertising rustler of note, who prints the rules and regulations of novels with advertisements of the business men thereon, is now in limbo, having reached that place this morning for a 4 days sojourn. Yesterday afternoon he was quickly wearing the point where sidewalk get narrow, when he was brought up before Police Judge Dorris and showed his fine Italian hand at pleading his own case to such an extent that leniency was given him, but as he was proceeding in the same manner again this morning the above resulted.

Daily Guard, June 12.

SOCIETY SOCIAL.—The Young Peoples' Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church, held their monthly meeting last night at the parsonage. Thirty young people were present. After the program of the evening, a social hour was enjoyed by all. Some of the members, who are students in the university, took their departure on the overland train, for their homes in Southern Oregon.

DIED.—At the home of her daughter in this city at Washington and First streets, June 10, 1897, Mrs. Violet D. Gibson aged 84 years, 10 months and 16 days, of pneumonia fever. Deceased leaves five children, Mrs. W. A. Craig and Mrs. Marsters residing in this city. The funeral will occur at 2:30 Sunday afternoon, to the Mulkey cemetery, Rev. J. T. Abnett officiating.

Daily Guard, June 12.

ENJOYABLE EVENT.—Last night the annual students hop proved to be an event long to be remembered by those attending. About 35 couples were present and the entrancing strains of terpsichorean music did not cease until the wee sma' hours.

Daily Guard, June 12.

PLEASANT HILL'S PICNIC.—The annual picnic at Pleasant Hill, which is always looked forward to with pleasure by Eugene residents, took place today, and notwithstanding the threatening weather and Pague's predictions Eugene is very well represented.

DAILY GUARD, JUNE 12.

ARM BROKEN.—Last evening the 8-year-old son of Professor F. G. Young while playing on the balcony, fell and broke his right arm near the shoulder. Dr. Brown set the injured member and the little patient is now progressing nicely.

STATE G. A. R. CONVENTION.—On Monday at Independence the state G. A. R. convention will be held. Several will go down from here, among whom are F. A. Reinsnet, J. A. Burlingame and R. H. Miller.

THAT JUNCTION PICNIC.

Eugene People Scored.—Junction Whiskey Too Strong for Them.

Our feelings have been badly lacerated by some scurrilous imitations indulged in by our esteemed contemporary, the Times, of Junction. Just think of it: Eugene people went to Junction, drank some whiskey, or rather the stuff that is dignified by the name of whiskey—got noisy and obstreperous, and had to be taken care of by the police. Then uncomplimentary remarks are made about it. Eugene people are not used to that Junction article, and the officers of that city should have borne with them and treated them kindly even though they came in warlike attitude and essayed to sweep the town clean.

Take warning from the past and hereafter when a Junction feast is provided lock up that forty rod whiskey and set out an article that has been run through the Willamette until its fighting Jewish qualities have been eliminated. True and time again it has been demonstrated that Eugene people cannot withstand Junction whiskey. Prevention is better than cure. Keep it away from them. We republish the unkind article of the Times:

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GOES TO PORTLAND.—Brownsville Times: Rev. J. E. Snyder will go to Portland for the first time next week when he has accepted a call from the First Presbyterian church of that city. On next Sunday, June 13, at 11 a. m., Mr. Snyder will preach his farewell sermon to the Presbyterian congregation, and in the evening he will preach a farewell sermon to the general public. During Rev. Snyder's residence here of a little less than two years, as pastor of the Presbyterian church, he has been blessed with wonderful success in his ministerial work, through which a large and handsome church edifice has been erected and over 150 new names added to the membership of the congregation. The people of Brownsville and vicinity will regret very much that Mr. Snyder and family will remove from their midst, but wish them many happy years in whatever locality their lot may be cast. Mrs. Snyder and children will not go to Portland for two or three weeks.

AN EPISODE.—An Astoria dispatch says: "Charles Eastland, who has been at work on the railroad line near Fort Stevens, had a strange adventure while on his way to the city. By mistake he started through the fort, against passing through which there is a law. When well within the works he was discovered by Engineer Hozard, who stopped him and told him that he could proceed no farther. Eastland asked him if he could return the way he came and received a negative answer. The engineer stated that permission from the secretary of war was necessary to promenade through the fortifications. Eastland asked if the secretary was around, and was promptly run out of the enclosure. The officials have considerable difficulty in keeping people out of the works. Visitors aside the guards a most daily."

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MACCABEE PICNIC.—Yesterday the Maccabee annual picnic held at Goshen one mile east of the city in the Matlock grove, was rewarded with a goodly attendance. A program was rendered consisting of addresses, recitations and music. Amusements were also provided for in the way of horse races, bicycle races, a ball game, etc. It was a very successful affair and those attending from Eugene were more than well pleased.

SERIOUSLY ILL.—Thursday's Roseburg Review: "Dr. S. Hamilton is seriously ill at his home in this city, but is reported slightly improved. Dr. E. J. Pague was called from Oakland last night in consultation with local physicians, returning home on the Roseburg local." He is a member of the board of regents of the University of Oregon. His many friends in Eugene hope he will soon recover.

BIG CATTLE DRIVE.—The big drive of 2000 head of cattle from this county to Wyoming started today from the Davis ranch, near the Hayden bridge. They will be taken across the mountains in two divisions, the first leaving this morning and the second tomorrow. They will be two or three months on the road.

THE SOLDIERS HOME.

The Commissioner of Pensions Writes Concerning the Matter.

Hon. George W. McBride, United States Senate, Washington, D. C., Sir: In response to your letter of the 15th instant, enclosing a communication from Mr. E. F. Chapman, of Eugene, Oregon, relative to certain rules recently adopted by the board of managers of the Oregon State Soldiers' Home at Roseburg, Oregon, I have the honor to state that this bureau has received numerous complaints relative to this matter and that it is understood that the board of managers of said institution have adopted a rule which requires that when an inmate shall receive a pension he shall be allowed four dollars per month thereof for incidental expenses and the remainder shall be paid to dependent relatives, if he have such, and that it has been contended that this rule is in violation of the provisions of Section 4745 of the Revised Statutes of the United States as amended by the Act of February 28, 1883, which provides that any pledge, mortgage, sale, assignment or transfer of any right, claim or interest in any pension which has been or may hereafter be granted or issued, or upon any pretext of such security or promise, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars and the costs of the prosecution.

It is alleged that inasmuch as the inmates of the Home in question are required to turn over their pension checks to the officers of that institution, the provisions of said Section are violated; but the rule complained of is substantially the same as the rule in force in a number of the twenty-one State Soldiers' Homes which exist in the United States. The Act of March 3, (see 27 Stat. at Large, 667) provides, in appropriating money for the aid of State Soldiers' Homes, that one-half of any sum or sums retained by State Homes on account of pensions received from inmates shall be deducted from the aid therein provided; thus, in effect, sanctioning the rule in question. If it should be held that the rule in question violates the Section and Act referred to above, it would be necessary not only to prosecute the officers of the Home, but each inmate thereof.

For the reason stated, I do not believe that any further action on the part of this bureau is expedient or necessary and consider that the question as to the propriety of the rule complained of is one which is properly within the province of the state authorities to determine.

H. CLAY EVANS, Commissioner.

THE NEW COURT HOUSE.

Plans for the New House of the County to be Decided upon Today.

In conversation with County Judge Potter today a GUARD reporter learned that plans for the new court house will be decided upon by the county commissioners this evening or tonight. Several prominent architects have in the past two weeks submitted plans for their approval but owing to their work in other matters have not had time to fully consider them until now. The citizens of the county generally will rejoice that the building is now assured.

A Badly Runged Trial.

Oakland Record: The trial of Wm. J. Sherlock indicted for murder in the first degree in killing Chas. J. Walker in Lake county was a bungling failure. The prosecution failed to state in the indictment that the murder was committed in Lake county and the prosecution also failed to prove the dying statement of the deceased. The prosecution's case was all "balled up" for the want of technical knowledge of the requirements of the law. The defense put in no evidence. Judge Hale instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty, which they did without leaving their seats. District Attorney Jeffrey tried the case alone and the attorneys criticised his legal acumen quite severely. Sherlock is a stockman and Walker was a sheep herder. The dispute was over a range.

A PIONEER ILL.—Cornelius Hills, one of the oldest pioneers of Lane county, is very sick at his home at Jasper. Little hope is entertained of his recovery. Mr. Hills came to Lane county with the emigration of 1847 and settled at his present home on the Middle Fork of the Willamette river, twelve miles above Eugene. Mr. Hills came to the fall of 1847 while Eugene Skinner, the pioneer settler, came in the spring of the same year.

RACES POSTPONED.

The Eugene Cycle Club's Meet Postponed until Friday, June 25.

Owing to the rains and uncertain weather the management of the picnic to have been given by the Eugene Cycle Club at Meriau's park this afternoon postponed the same until Friday, June 25. It is to be regretted that this unavoidable postponement occurred, but on the new date set everyone can rest assured that a most excellent program will be rendered.

Sunday School Convention.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or, June 11, 1897.

The eighth annual convention of the Lane County Sunday School Association was formally opened yesterday, June 10th, in the Methodist church at Cottage Grove. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Nellie D. Harp, of Junction, the vice president, Rev. Geo. D. Needy, presided. After a short, earnest devotion service, very cordial addresses were made by Ed. Ar King and L. T. Woolley, of Cottage Grove, welcoming the visiting delegates and setting forth the purpose and importance of the convention. Responses were made by Clyde Fogle and A. E. Wheeler of Eugene, Mr. Wheeler supplying the place of Wm. Pitney of Junction, who was too ill to be present.

After enrollment of delegates and appointment of committees, encouraging reports of the work in various districts of the county were read before the convention. Much enthusiasm was shown, and the delegates were made to feel that their welcome was indeed heartfelt and sincere. The evening session was held in the Cumberland Presbyterian church. A very helpful praise service was conducted by Rev. R. C. Brooks. A male quartette composed of Bryant Drake, Rev. Brooks, Rev. Gilbert and Clyde Fogle then rendered a selection which was very well received. Rev. M. L. Rose, one of the speakers of the evening, was not present, but Rev. Gilbert, always ready for the occasion, took his place on the program and addressed the convention in a very helpful and instructive way, on the subject of "Progressive Sunday School Work."

Mrs. R. C. Brooks then favored the audience with one of her always delightful solos, entitled "The Holy City."

This was followed by another address by Rev. Brooks, who further developed the line of thought so ably introduced by Rev. Gilbert. Many valuable thoughts were brought out and it is to be regretted that there was not a larger attendance to be benefited by them. The evening program was closed with another selection from the male quartette.

In spite of the small number in attendance, much interest is manifested and the convention promises to be a very successful and enjoyable occasion. A number of very instructive papers on various lines of Sunday School work will be presented today.

C. V. F.

THIRTY YEARS ABOVE THE SNOW LINE.

Henry Cable, a Baker county mine owner, said to a reporter in Pendleton the other day: "This is the first time I have been out of the snow for 30 years." Mr. Cable is one of four brothers who own the Columbia mine, in the Cracker creek region. The four brothers have for nine years been working on the mine, and it is today thoroughly well developed. The Cable brothers are very independent of others, being equipped to do all their own engineering work, their assaying and anything else demanded, and even have a private photographing outfit, both for business and pleasure. Mr. Cable is now on his return to the Cracker creek region, having been spending some weeks in San Jose, Cal with his brothers. In February last they banded their mine for a sale at a good price, and his brother will not return there any more. Mr. Cable and his brothers have been miners for 20 years. During the first 10 years of his long stay up there he did no mining, but has for 20 years been so engaged, and for the last nine of the 20 has been hauling the Columbia. Henceforth, having spent 30 long years in the lonely regions of snow and craggy canyons, he will probably live in California and give up the hardships of mining.

TEACHERS ELECTED AT JUNCTION.

Times, June 12: A special school meeting of the board of directors was called Saturday for the purpose of electing teachers for the fall and winter term of school. Owing to the large number of applications, supplemented with voluminous endorsements, the meeting was a lengthy one. There were forty applications and after careful consideration the following were elected: Principal, W. W. Allingham. First Intermediate, Miss Anna Crain. Second Intermediate, Miss Fannie Griggs. Principal, Mrs. Marie Johnson.

SATURDAY JUNE 12.

O. P. Hoff of Irving is in the city. Mayor Kuykendall returned home this forenoon.

Secretary Kincaid arrived up on the afternoon train.

C. P. Houston, of Junction City, was in Eugene today.

Dr. W. W. Oglesby, of Junction, was in the city today.

C. P. Houston, of Junction, was leaving the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Perman were up from Junction today.

Hon. J. J. Daly of Dallas, was an arrival by this afternoon's train.

W. B. Andrews went to Cottage Grove this afternoon to spend Sunday.

Attorney Benedict of Florence, has arrived in the city to attend circuit court.

State Superintendent G. M. Irwin passed through this afternoon going south.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Rowland returned last night from a three weeks outing at Walton.

Miss Lillie Baker, a U. of O. student, is convalescing after an attack of measles.

G. B. Claiborne, of Stockton and A. C. Bassett of Minto Park, California, are in the city.

Miss Della McFarland left on this morning's local for a visit to Oregon City and Portland.

Frank Ankeny has gone to his father's mines in Jackson county to spend the summer.

Mrs. Boliver Coggswell and little child are up from Harrisburg for a visit with relatives.

Geo. F. Crow left for a short visit to San Francisco this morning. He goes by the Yaquina route.

Pendleton Tribune: Miss Clara Lane, of Eugene, is visiting Miss Myrtle Lane in this city.

School Superintendent C. S. Hunter returned from Florence last evening. He reports a very pleasant trip.

S. P. Agent E. E. Boyd and wife, of Oregon City, came in on the 2:34 local and will visit a short time.

Geo. H. Yerington came in from the Blue River mines yesterday, where he had been for the past month.

Fred Fish left yesterday with the Simms cattle drive for Wyoming. He will be absent about 4 months.

Messrs. Beaudreau and Copple, two Divinity students, left for Cottage Grove and Hebron this afternoon to conduct meetings.

Chauncey M. Lockwood, private secretary to Secretary Kincaid, came up this afternoon accompanied by his family for a short visit.

Miss Hela Gilbert, of Albany, came up today and will visit at the home of J. W. Howe on Thirteenth street during commencement week.

Miss Dora Blume, of Pleasant Hill, returned last night from an extended visit of more than a year with friends in Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Harry Templeton and Ed Bryson, now students of Williams college, Pennsylvania, arrived on the afternoon train and will spend commencement week in Eugene.

Dr. Charles Edward Locke, of the Taylor street M. E. church, Portland, arrived this afternoon. He will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at Villard Hall at 11 a. m. tomorrow.

Sid Horn and family leave tomorrow on a trip across the mountains. They will go by the McKenzie wagon road, follow up the Deschuttus river and return across the military road. They will be gone about two weeks.

The Corvallis Times says many cords of wood are being hauled to Corvallis at present. It is sold at a ridiculously low price—\$2.00 per cord for fine oak wood, delivered. But this is on a par with other things and is all that consumers can pay.

Hon. D. P. Thompson, of Portland, the newly-appointed member of the board of regents of the University of Oregon, came up this afternoon and will lecture at Villard Hall tonight on "Turkey and its People." He is an ex-U. S. Minister to that country and well qualified to give an interesting address. He is a guest at the home of Hon. H. R. Kincaid and will return tomorrow to Portland.

R. E. Davis and E. J. Pierce, of San Francisco, arrived here on the overland this morning and left for Leaburg on the McKenzie in the forenoon. The gentlemen are experts with the rod and fly, and annually take a summer outing at some one of the numerous trout streams of the coast. This is their second trip to the McKenzie, of which they speak as a trout stream in terms of the highest praise.

The Corvallis creamery will begin operation next Monday. The plant has a capacity of 2400 pounds an hour, or the product of about 1000 cows. The building is 26x52, two stories high and the churn is a 400-gallon affair. All of the appliances are of the latest pattern, and the concern is the property of George Taylor, who was given by the citizens of Corvallis a bonus of \$500 to establish the enterprise.