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WORK AT UNIVERSITY.

The Light and Water Plants Will Be Put in at Once.

Other Improvements Made.

This morning a GUARD reporter visited the University of Oregon grounds and found that work has already commenced on the improvements ordered at the recent meeting of the executive committee of the board of regents.

The new electric light and water plants will be placed in the physical laboratory in the basement of the gymnasium. Workmen are today excavating to place in a foundation for the new pumps, which will be located just west of the two boilers.

The water power will be augmented by two tanks, 1500 gallons each, which will be placed in the towers of Deady Hall.

The intention is to allow needy and worthy students to do as much of the work as possible, especially those who have the laboratory work in their curriculum.

The Collier barn is being thoroughly overhauled and refitted for Professor McAlister's new quarters, and the astronomical observatory will be quartered there also.

The wires to the various buildings from the electric light plant will be above ground, the poles having already been placed in position for the system of electric bells which was put in by Seth McAlister.

Janitor Close is busy also with his work and is straightening up the campus fence. When the first semester opens September 20th everything is expected to be in good shape.

The Oregon congressional delegation Saturday agreed upon the following recommendations for appointment to federal offices in Oregon: United States marshal Zoeth House, of Umatilla county.

GLORY TICKETS.—Since our last report the issuance of marriage licenses has taken a boom, and Clerk Jennings predicts an increase of business in that line this fall.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6.

J. Davies returned from Junction today. Postmaster Roney of Goshen, was in the city today. Judge J. J. Daly of Dallas, spent Sunday in Eugene.

Mrs. Phil Neis of Salem, has returned from Foley Springs. Dean Sanderson arrived home on today's morning local.

J. A. Bushnell and wife of Junction, were in town over Sunday. Albert Walker of Springfield, was driving business in Eugene today.

J. H. Goodman went to Cottage Grove this afternoon for a short visit. Miss C. B. Keese and brother, Harry, of Jasper, were in the city today.

Dr. W. W. Oglesby of Junction, was an arrival by today's afternoon local. Hon. H. B. Miller went to Newport today to accompany his family home.

Mrs. S. Handaker and son Thomas, left on this morning's local for Tacoma. Miss Agnes Harris arrived home today from Salem, where she has been the guest of Mrs. C. F. Martin.

James Riekel, nightwatch at the capitol building, Salem, is up for a week's visit with his family. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott of Creswell leave tonight for a trip to California.

Hon. H. R. Kincaid and wife and son, Webster, were registered at the Hotel Helena, Helena, Montana, last Friday.

This is a labor day according to a law made by the Oregon legislature. Our people are laboring but not celebrating.

THE EUGENE IN TROUBLE

Gave the Canadian Authorities the Slip—A Dangerous Craft for Ocean Navigation.

Still Hounded for the Yukon.

The river steamer Eugene, that was built for traffic on the upper Willamette, her builders not supposing she would ever encounter dangers more serious than snags and shallow river bars, is on her way to Alaska loaded with Klondike gold seekers.

The Eugene was not built with the view of withstanding the pounding and buffeting of the ocean waves and, although her hull was strengthened before leaving Portland, she may never reach the great Yukon river.

It well illustrates the passion gold awakens in the minds of men that hundreds should take passage in such an unsuitable and dangerous craft for ocean navigation.

"VICTORIA, Sept. 2.—The river boat Eugene, from Portland, was today chased up the Sound by a British customs tugboat for violation of the rules of this port and those of the Union.

The Bristol followed her out and a little later, so the story goes, a tug was dispatched from Nianaimo to bring the Eugene back, or at least to take off the customs official.

"Behind this little trouble with the customs officials there is a story current among local capitalists that Captain McIntyre of the Bristol, does not relish his task of towing the Eugene.

"The Eugene, at the time she reached Union was under a fine of \$400, imposed for the violation of the entrance and clearance law at Victoria.

SUED FOR LIBEL.—C. B. Jeffries, of the firm of C. B. Jeffries & Co., fruit packers and shippers, 326 Chamber of Commerce was arrested Saturday on complaint of Willis Brown, for publishing in a circular alleged false matter in which it was said that he was dodging his creditors, etc.

her with the customs authorities. The reply was that the owners must attend to the case. Taking into consideration the promise of the miners who are her passengers that they will seize her upon her arrival in Yukon waters;

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR. Bishop Hargrove, of Nashville, in Eugene—A Sketch of His Labors.

Bishop R. H. Hargrove and wife of Nashville, Tenn., arrived here from the north this afternoon and will visit for a day or two.

The Bishop came west early in August to hold five annual conferences of the M. E. church, South. Having already presided over the Montana and East Columbia conferences, he will next preside over the Columbia, which convenes at Roseburg the 9th prox.

Bishop Hargrove is one of the most eminent of the general superintendents of his church. Having been elected bishop in May, 1882, he has traveled over the United States and Mexico preaching and laboring in behalf of Christianity and in the interests of his own church.

Mrs. Hargrove's wife, is a lady of rare attainments, and is as zealous in the work of the church as is her distinguished husband. She is general secretary of the Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society, and is traveling with the Bishop in the particular interest of that department of the work especially committed to her care.

MORE POOR PRICES.—The Sacramento Fruit World of Thursday, has the following dispatch, which is self explanatory, and makes fruit growers wear solemn faces: Chicago, Sept. 2.—C. F. N. 10, 213, fm Eugene, August 23rd: Hannelein Bros, Italian 55, Bartlett's 85; Sugar, Silver 50, Italian 55. 894 packages grossed \$196.

A QUICK SETTLEMENT.—Last week the O. & E. steamer outward bound from San Francisco to Yaquina, damaged a cargo of sugar consigned to E. H. Ingham, this city.

GRAND COMMANDERY.—The grand commandery, Knights Templar, will convene in Eugene, Thursday, Oct. 8th. Ivanhoe commandery, of Eugene, is making great preparations to entertain them suitably.

MARRIED.—At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Chapman, in Fairmont, Saturday, Sept. 4, 1897, by Rev. M. L. Rose, Maren Rose and Miss Gussie E. Chapman. The GUARD tenders its congratulations.

COURT HOUSE INJUNCTION.

Two Cases Will be Made—Injunction and to Restore Square.

Papers Will be Filed This Week.

A GUARD reporter today saw Attorney W. K. Scarborough and from him learned that the work of enjoining the commissioners from erecting the court house will be commenced at once.

"Two suits will be made," said the attorney, "one an injunction restraining them from building, and the other to restore the square as it was originally."

FATAL ALBANY ACCIDENT. The Victim Formerly Lived at Cottage Grove.

John Duffley has been running a little garden patch on the Willamette river, says the Albany Democrat, since 1891, living in a little cottage or hut all alone, doing his work and coming to the city when he had things to sell, but generally returning home at night.

Moving the Court House. Work was commenced this morning by the contractors, V. McFarland and Chas. Johnson, on the job of moving the Lane county court house from its present site on the public square to the lot fronting on Seventh street, north and a little east of the building.

Accident at Lebanon. Sunday afternoon as G. W. Aldrich and his son, Edward, proprietors of the Champion flouring mill at Lebanon, were attempting to stop a leak in one side of the warehouse, the whole of the warehouse gave way, completely covering them.

ADULTERY CASE DISMISSED.—Deputy Prosecuting Attorney L. T. Harris, who was called to Cottage Grove to act for the state in an adultery case before Justice Medley of that precinct, returned on the morning local, and to a GUARD reporter stated the case had been dismissed.

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SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR. THE BEST SPRING MEDICINE. Is SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR—don't forget to take it.

THE "BRIGHT WILLAMETTE." A Changing Shifting Channel on the Lower River—Boundary Line between Two Counties.

Simpson, the Oregon poet, in his beautiful "Ode to the Willamette," says, "Time that mars us, mains and soars us, leaves no track or trench on thee," but a person coming down the river at the present time, says the McMinville Reporter, would come to the conclusion that Father Time is making as much of an impression on the river as he is on the human race.

The river is changing and shifting continually; land that was on this side five years ago now is in the middle of the river, and land that was in Yamhill county ten years ago is now in Marion county. At other places land that was in Marion county is now in Yamhill. It is not known in the fall in what channel the river will be in the spring.

Capt. Hatch with the new U. S. tug boat, Mithana, has about thirty-five men employed building wing dams to throw all the water into one channel, driving piling and filling in with dirt and fascines to keep the water from cutting through the sloughs.

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The county will occupy the building as usual for the years 1897 and 1898, or until the new court house, which will be built on the site of the old one, is finished, when the property falls to Mr. Campbell to be used for any purpose he may elect. It is expected the moving will require about two weeks time.

A side walk to better accommodate the public will probably be built on the north and east sides of the street that faces the court house in those directions.

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The plaintiff was Thomas Berry and the defendant was his wife and one Frank Henderson. Berry and wife had separated being unable to reside together amicably, and on returning to his former domicile Berry claimed to have found evidence sufficient to warrant him in bringing the above charge. It appears to have been a case of jealous husband, and the charges without foundation.

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