CITY AND COUNTY

SATURDAY,.....SEPTEMBER 25

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE.

Monroe Will be Connected With the Main Line at an Early Date.

J H Thatcher, superintendent of the Oregon Telegraph & Telephone Company is in the upper end of the valley on a tour of inspection. Through the local agency a GUARD reporter learned that the object of his trip is to select the most feasible route for connecting Monroe with the main branch. It will likely be done at a point between Harrisburg and Junction. Mr Thatcher came to Junction and went from there to Monroe.

This is a branch that has been greatly needed, and will be appreciated by the company's patrons. More definite news regarding the new branch will be given on Mr Thatcher's return from Monroe.

Attention Ladies.

See window display of ladies and children's colored and black shoes. New for winter. The latest.

F E DUNN.

Second Hand.

A lot of second hand bicycles, buggies, hacks, wagons and plows, and at away down prices on both new and second hand at

F L Chambers.

Capes and Jackets.

New fall line of ladies plush capes and cloth jackets has arrived. Call and see them before they are picked over.

F E DUNN.

Stoves.

At factory prices still, at F L Chambers.

Notice to Fruit and Hop Growres.

The Eugense Soap Company is manufacturing a first class Whale oil soap for the purpose of spraying hops and fruit trees, which we offer you at a reasonable price. Call at the Factory and examine the same.

WEST EIGHTH ST., NEAR CREAMERY, Eugene, Oregon.

To Exchange.

Will exchange 7 lots, one store building, 1 dwelling house, 1 barn, a good garden, fruit of all kinds and plenty of it, located in Springfield, for Eugene property. For information inquire of

E W ZUMWALT,
Irving, Oregon.

Eugene Mill Storage Reduced.

Storage on wheat reduced to 2½ cents per bushel to take effect with the beginning of the present wheat season.

EUGENE MILL & ELEVATOR CO.

For Trade.

A good paying general merchandise for trade for a good farm. Inquire of

W. SANDERS,
Eugene, Or.

Bargains.

We are closing out our line of dishes and glass ware. Now is your chance for real bargains.

Sack twine at 22 cents a pound. Best machine oil 40 cents a gallon.

I. K. PETERS, 9th street.

For Sale.

1 piano, 2 horses, 2 buggies, 1 hack, 1 road cart, 1 set double harness, 4 sets single harness.

Will trade for lumber and shingles.

A S MCCLURE.

Save Your Grain.

Few realize that each squirrel destroys $1.50 worth of grain annually. Wakelee's Squirrel and Gopher Exterminator is the most effective and economical poison known. Price reduced to 30 cents. For sale by Osburn & DeLano, agents.

Notice.

I will give $5.00 to any person who will put me in communication with one William J Stretch. There is no criminal charge against him.

J S STILES,
City Marshal, Eugene.

Farms for Sale.

I have now thirty fine farms in the Willamette valley for sale. These farms include every variety in size and price. For description list, address

GEO. M. MILLER,
Wilkins Block, Eugene, Or.

Money to Loan.

On farm lands at good terms. For particulars apply to

E. J. MCCLANAHAN,
Eugene, Oregon.

Oats Wanted.

Inquire of AX BILLY.

STOLEN OR STRAYED.—Bull dog, heavy set, dark body, white breast also white spot on back of neck, whloe ears, large lips, "answers to the name erib". Whoever retains said dog after this notice will be dealt with according to law.

JOHN DAVIS,
Tailor, 9th st. Eugene.

For Rent.

Two good farms. For terms and particulars apply to S R or J V Jenkins, Crow, Lane county, Oregon.

Ah, they are wise who advertise
In winter, spring and fall;
But wiser yet are they, you bet
Who don't let up at all.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

Black Land plows, Callison & Son.

John Cogswell, of Leaburg, is in Eugene.

Blankets 75 cents a pair and up at Dunn's.

A fine second hand Phaeton for $60 at F L Chambers.

Martin Huffman will soon leave for Eastern Oregon to locate.

Ernest Sloan intends spending the winter in Eastern Oregon.

Go and see Callison & Son's new stock of farming implements.

J S McMurry returned from Cottage Grove on this morning's local.

Genuine No 40 Oliver chilled shares at 50 cents, at F L Chambers.

R H Hurley, of Portland, was a returning student on today's 2:04 local.

Chas Mayhew is at the Stockton fair managing the pacing filly, Bessie Rankin.

Miss Balm Mann came up from Salem today to resume studies in the U of O.

Frank Stewart has returned from Blue River with Bangs' four horse team.

Miss Eva Vaughan went to Salem this morning to attend the blind school.

Superior drills and seeders,
Callison & Son.

Attorney A C Woodcock arrived home this morning from a short business trip south.

H E Ankeny and wife went to Portland on this morning's early train to visit two or three days.

Crescent bicycles still lead at $50.
F L Chambers, Agent.

Miss Lettie Smith left Monday for Narrows, Oregon, where she has been engaged to teach school.

The California hop crop turned out lighter than was expected and is now estimated at 40,000 at 45,000 bales.

Highest cash price paid for wheat.
F. E. DUNN.

Roseburg Review: Miss Rose Parrott has gone to Eugene to resume her studies at the State University.

Superintendent D A Paine, of the Oregon insane asylum, at Salem, arrived up on today's afternoon local.

Jacksonville Times: Will Johnson has gone to Eugene to resume his studies at the University of Oregon.

All kinds of farming implements.
Callison & Son.

Mr and Mrs Dan Troutman and family, of Lebanon, are visiting with M S Hubble and family in this city.

Dr Robert Burnett and Charles Higgins, of Astoria who have been visiting friends here, started home today.

Mrs Ed Hall, who resides near Moscow, Idaho, returned home this morning after visiting relatives in this city

Roseburg Review: Miss Effie Knowlton, of Cottage Grove, spent several days visiting friends here last week.

Dr and Mrs J J Finley left on the 4:19 overland this morning for a short visit at Portland and other down-valley points.

Lewis Powers of the McKenzie Bridge, is in Eugene. He expects to attend a business college at Portland this winter.

Dontwait until all those fine Charter Oak Cook Stoves are all sold then pay 50 per cent more by your negligence. F L Chambers still has a good assortment.

Boliver Cogswell, of Muddy, Linn county, was here today with several teams to haul sash and doors to his home from Midgley's factory. He is erecting a new residence.

Dr. G. W. Biddle may be found at his residence on Olive street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, one block west of the Minnesota hotel. He is prepared to do all dental work in the best manner.

Something to Depend On.

Mr James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into hasty consumption. Having Dr King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise all she began to get better from the first dose, and half a dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at Henderson & Linn's Drug Store.

Stock Ranch For Sale.

400 acres of best stock range, all well fenced and crossed fenced. Timothy and orchard grass two or three feet high; 2 barns with stall room for 80 head of cattle, 20 tons of hay, one new Dering mowing machine, nearly new, hay rake, wagon, plow, harrow. Plenty of spring water on the place the year round. Good place for a dairy; 4 miles east of Coburgf Price, $2,800. Address or enquire o

C DOMEYER,
Coburg, Or.

Horses for Sale.

I have four head of good work horses, well broke, that I will sell cheap for cash, or will exchange them for hay, oats or wheat. Call on or address

G W KINSEY,
Chrisman building, Eugene, Or.

COURT HOUSE SUIT.

It Only Asks for the Restoration of the Square.

Another Suit Promised.

Daily Guard September 22.

The following complaint was filed in the county clerk's office this forenoon:

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Lane county.

J E Davis Isaac Gray, R E Campbell, I D Driver, James A Ebbert and W W Haines, plaintiffs vs The City of Eugene; and E O Potter, J T Callison and W T Bailey, board of county commissioners of Lane county Oregon, defendants.

The above named plaintiffs complain of the above named defendants, and for cause of suit alleged as follows:

First—The above named plaintiffs are residents, property owners and taxpayers of Lane county, Oregon and bring this suit in their behalf as such and in behalf of the other residents, property owners and taxpayers in said county.

Second—The defendant, the city of Eugene in a municipal corporation existing and acting as such under the laws of the State of Oregon.

Third—The defendants, E O Potter, J T Callison and W T Bailey, constitute the board of county commissioners of said county, duly elected, and qualified and acting as such.

Fourth—On the 14th day of June 1853, Charnel Mulligan made a bond to the then board of commissioners of said county and their successor in office, to make a deed to said boards to and for the use of said county of certain lands described in said bond, a copy which is hereto attached, marked "Exhibit A," and made a part hereof

Fifth—On February 11, 1856, said Mulligan and his wife made a deed to the then board of county commissioners in office for the use of said county for the lands described in said deed, a copy of which said deed is hereto attached, marked "Exhibit B" and made a part hereof.

Sixth—On the 30th day of August, 54 Eugene F Skinner and his wife made a bond for a deed to the then board of county commissioners and to their successors in office, and through them to the people of said Lane county, for the use and benefit of said county, to certain land described in said deed, a copy of which said deed is hereto attached, marked "Exhibit C," and made a part of this complaint.

Seventh—On the 17th day of May, 1855, said Eugene F Skinner and his wife made a deed to the then board of county commissioners and their successors in office for the use and benefit of said county, to certain lands described in said deed, a copy of which said deed is hereto attached marked "Exhibit E" and made a part hereof.

Ninth—Plaintiffs further allege that at the July term, 1853, of the commissioners court, of said county of Lane the then board of county commissioners of said county duly caused the lands described in the above named conveyances to be surveyed and platted into lots, blocks, streets, and a public square, a correct copy of which said town plat is hereto attached, maked "Exhibit F," and made a part of this complaint.

Tenth—That said plat made as aforesaid was duly recorded in Book A of the Record of Deeds of said county, on May 5, 1856, and by means of said plat and the recording thereof, as aforesaid, the streets and public square as therein described were dedicated to the public use, said streets to be used as streets and said public square to be used by the people of said county according to the customary use of public squares in towns and cities, and on the 7th day of December, 1854, the then board of county commissioners of said county, by a resolution duly adopted confirmatory of said dedication, declared that the public square as indicated on said plat (a copy of which is hereto attached as "Exhibit F") should be and remain a public square; and thereafter, while said public square was an entire public square, undivided by streets or otherwise, lots and blocks in the immediate vicinity and around said public square were sold and bought, occupied and improved, by citizens of said Lane county, upon the faith that said public square was to remain, as it then was an entire and undivided public square.

Eleventh—Plaintiffs further aver that at the July term, 1855, of the county commissioners' court of said county, the then board of county commissioners duly passed an order declaring that a space 100 feet in width extending from the outer edge inward the entire distance of said public square should be forever set apart and established as a street or public highway, as indicated upon "Exhibit G" which is hereto attached and made a part hereof, whereby the said 100 feet were dedicated to the public to be thereafter used as a public street by the people of said county and lots and blocks in the immediate vicinity of said 100 feet were sold and bought, occupied and improved upon the faith that said 100 feet would be and remain a public street according to said declaration.

Twelfth—Plaintiffs further allege that said city of Eugene has assumed the right to divide said public square into four parts by extending through and across it Oak and Eighth streets, which said streets intersect each other at right angles in the center of said square, and has graded said streets in and through said square, and said streets in and through said square are now used under the authority of said city by the public for street purposes; and plaintiffs aver that the division of said square as aforesaid and the use of the same for street purposes as aforesaid destroys its utility and beauty as a public square, is contrary to the object of its dedication as aforesaid and is in violation of the rights of plaintiffs and the people of said county by depriving them of the use of said public square for all the purposes for which a public square is used.

Thirteenth—Plaintiffs further allege that on May 9, 1896, the then board of county commissioners of said Lane county, consisting of A H Fisk, Eli Perkins and J T Callison, commenced a suit in the circuit court of the State of Oregon for said Lane county to re-establish the rights of the people of said county to said public square as an entire and undivided public square according to its original dedication; but on the 14th day of June, 1897, the present board of county commissioners consisting of E O Potter, J T Callison and W T Bailey, wrongfully caused said suit to be withdrawn and refused to proceed therewith, and still refuses to take any action to restore to the people of said county said public square according to its original dedication; and therefore plaintiffs in behalf of themselves and other people of said county, the beneficiaries of said dedication, are compelled to bring this suit to re-establish their rights to said public square.

WHEREFORE, plaintiffs having no adequate remedy at law, pray for a decree declaring that said public square shall be and remain an entire public square undivided by streets, acording to the original dedication thereof, and said defendant, the city of Eugene, its officers, agents and servants, be enjoined from making, improving or using any streets across said public square and that said board of county commissioners of said Lane county be commanded to prevent the use of said public square for street purposes; and for such other and further relief as in equity the interests of plaintiffs and the people of said Lane county in the premises may require, and for their costs and disbursements herein.

GEO. H. WILLIAMS,
L. BILYEU,
Attorneys for plaintiff.

The complaint was sworn to by J E Davis before W K Scarborough, a notary public in Eugene Sept 21, 1897.

A plat of the donations by Skinner and Mulligan and also of the public square is attached.

PROBABLY ANOTHER SUIT.

Attorney Scarborough says that at the present time it is the intention of the above named plaintiffs to bring an injunction suit against the county commissioners, prior to the convening of the October term of circuit court asking that they be enjoined from proceeding with the erection of the proposed court house. The grounds, will be the constitutional provision limiting the indebtedness of counties to the sum of $5,000. He says at the present time the bond is being signed, and already five reliable citizens have attached their signatures to the same with the understanding that five more names are to be procured.

Of course, the suit already brought, does not attempt to stop the building of a new court house. It only applies to the square.

The Matrimonial Column.

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FINLEY-STAFFORD.

Last evening at the home of Hon and Mrs J M Stafford, on the Mohawk, their daughter, Lena, was united in marriage to Dr J J Finley, of this city, Rev Wm S Gilbert, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Eugene officiating. The wedding was very quiet only a few friends being present to witness the nuptials. The bride is one of the most popular young ladies in Lane county, has resided here from childhood, and is a daughter of one of the county's respected and well-to-do farmers, who has represented the commonwealth in the legislature. The fortunate groom, who has resided here several years, is one of the progressive young professional men of the city, and has many friends who will hasten to congratulate him on securing one of Oregon's fairest daughters, and in extending to both well wishes for the future in which the GUARD joins. Dr and Mrs Finley have both been prominent in the social life of Eugene and will be welcomed back in their new relations. They will be absent from the city until about October 1. No cards.

HOWER - HOWELL.

In Eugene, Oregon, Sept 21, 1897, Ira P Hower and Miss Edna Howell, were united in marriage at the home of Rev Robert Leslie, pastor of the First Baptist church, of this city. They will go to housekeeping at once in a little cottage, corner of Seventh and Pearl streets. The groom is a prominent young business man of this city, and has made many friends during his several years residence in the city. The bride is well and popularly known and prominent in lodge and church circles. The GUARD joins in extending congratulations and well wishes.

QUITE SICK.—W O Trine is quite sick in the Sisters' Hospital at Sacramento, Cal., with malarial fever, muscular rheumatism and other complications. Yesterday a dispatch was received here from the Sisters asking his wife to come at once. Later a second one was received saying he was a little better. Mrs Trine left on the 11:28 o'clock train last night for Sacramento to join her sick husband.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

S Smeed was in the city today.

Frank Hampton has returned from Crook county.

A number of new students arrived by today's trains.

V A Gray and wife have removed to a farm near Irving.

Miss Anna Oglesby returned home to Junction this morning.

Al Holden is down in Yamhill county sampling hops for Horst Bros.

Frank Gross has taken a position in the racket store of Perry Frank & Sons.

Mrs Thomas Awbrey returned to her Cottage Grove home on today's 2:04 local.

Rev Robert Leslie was a passenger for Roseburg on today's afternoon local.

Parkomath has two lodges, each of which has opened with "flattering prospects."

The Manufacturers' Fair opened at Portland last night. A large crowd was present.

W W Haines was a passenger north this morning in the interest of the Eugene tannery

It is said an offer of 16 cents per pound was refused for choice hops at Salem yesterday.

Mrs John Blakely and son Frank, who reside up the military road, were in the city today.

C L LeMasters returned here from Tillamook county today and will resume his studies at the Divinity school.

John Cogswell left for Portland today where he will attend the Manufacturers Association Fair for a few days.

Arthur Comegys went to Harrisburg this morning where he will be on duty for his company, the Southern Pacific, a couple of weeks.

Dave Rogers, of Prineville, has been in Eugene after supplies and started homeward with heavily loaded wagons this morning.

Miss Holmes, of Astoria, who has been in the city to enter her sister, Miss Amy in the State University, returned home today.

"Uncle Jack" Keeney, of Goshen, is visiting friends in the city, and says he never had better health in his life although he is 75 years of age.

Hops in Lane county will move rapidly in the next 30 days. Indications are that the market will remain firm with an upward tendency.

James H Harris has attached a large number of fruit crates, boxes, baskets, etc, belonging to C B Jeffries, et al, for wages due, amounting to $46.50.

John Handsaker, formerly of Goshen but now of Tacoma, Wash, recently received first prize at a fair held in that city for carpets, rugs and peaches.

Hon Charles B Moores has been appointed register of the U S land office at Oregon City, vice R A Miller, time expired. This is the position that Hon T T Geer declined.

Mrs Frank Scott, of Creswell, came down this morning. Together with her husband, she has just returned from a pleasant two weeks visit at various California points.

J R Crow, who has resided for years near Junction City, passed through here this afternoon with his family bound for the Palouse, Wash, country. He goes over the McKenzie road.

Eugene's contingent in the Northwestern Territory have not been heard from since last June. It is just possible they have struck it and will keep the good news quiet until they return.

Messrs J J, Carl and Wm Stewart, of Watsonville, Cal. arrived here this forenoon to take possession of their farm southwest of this city which they recently purchased from Dr P K Watters.

Yesterday's Corvallis Times: E P Greffoz made a hurried trip to Eugene returning yesterday. This was the judge's first visit to that city and he was particularly impressed by the fine condition of their sidewalks.

Roseburg Review: "The fruit shipped East from Riddle by the Earl Fruit Co, will probably entail a net loss to the growers of $300 for picking and other expenses. Many carloads were shipped from that place."

Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, says "This country is on the verge of a war with Spain." Naval reserve officials have been urged to be prepared. Vacancies in the navy are being filled with dispatch.

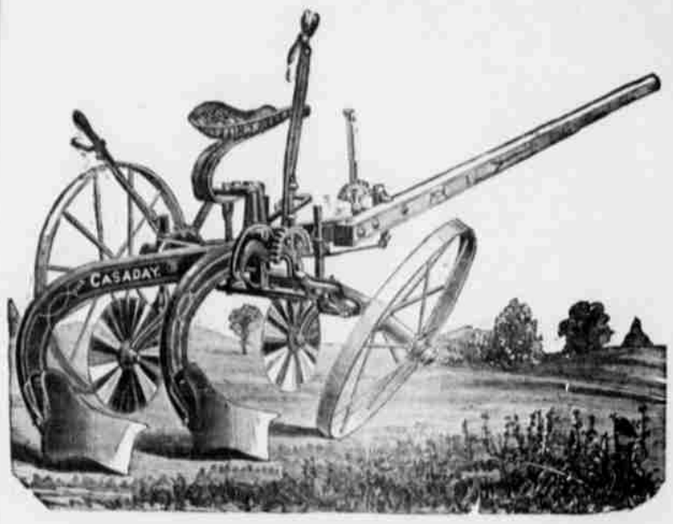
James Ebbert, of Springfield, left for Farmington, Wash., on this forenoon's local train, to look after his large interests in that section. He says his crop is turning out splendidly in that vicinity. He orders the DAILY GUARD to follow him during his month's trip.

Dr Paine has been here looking after his prune orchard. He informs us that he will lose his entire crop by reason of failure to get them dried. He will return to Salem tomorrow. Lane county needs more fruit dryers. In fact every five-acre orchard should have one.

The many Eugene friends of Rev Earl Wilbur, of Portland, will be pleased to hear that formal announcement has been made of his bethrothal to Miss Dorothea Eliot, daughter of Rev E T Eliot, D D, pastor of the Unitarian church of that city. They will be married this fall.

F J Bachelder, the well known San Francisco jewelry drummer spent last night in Eugene. He has been travelling for the same firm in Oregon since 1870, and is over 70 years of age, and most men take him to be not over 50 years of age. He is a first class gentleman in every particular.

OLIVER'S GANG.



As well as the walking plows, give universal satisfaction.

Don't be short sighted....
....and buy an imitation.

Oliver Steel Plow

Guaranteed to Scour.

A fresh carload now at...

F. L. CHAMBERS,

SOLE AGENT.

UNTAMABLE BURROS.

Idaho Men Make an Unsuccessful Attempt to Corral a Band.

A party of Idaho men attempted to corral the burros that roam in the Snake valley below Grand View ferry with a view of shipping them to Klondike. The attempt was a failure. The burros when cornered would turn and break for the horses, braying as only a frightened beast of that character can, and the horses became uncontrollable at such an onslaught.

There are reported to be some 1500 of these animals in that locality and the only way in which to secure them seems to be by using the lariat.

Court House Foundation.

Contractor Roney has a large force of men at work on the new court house foundation. They are divided up as follows: 20 digging trenches for foundation, four stonemasons in Eugene cutting rock, seven men at Fairmount quary, three teams hauling rock, seven men hauling and handling brick, seven men at Yaquina Bay getting out stone, six men hauling sand and gravel; total 42.

The trenches for the foundation are 24 inches deep, below the 24 inch excavation, reaching gravel. The foundation will rest on a concrete base 24 inces deep and 48 inches wide.

The brick, 100,000, to be used in the foundation, will all be on the ground tonight.

Tomatoes Wanted.

The Eugene cannery wants 5,000 to 6,000 pounds of tomatoes for canning purposes. Leave word or enquire for further information of J H McClung or F M Wilkins.

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BLUE RIVER ROAD. — Recorder Dorris returned today from Blue River where he has mining interests. He reports that only three quarters of a mile remains to be built of the road for which the county court recently appropriated $500. He states also a larger number of men than usual are working on claims and prospecting.

Daily Guard, September 22.

MOTION TO DISMISS.—The attorneys for Miss Jennie Smitson, this afternoon filed a motion to dismiss the damage suit against the Southern Pacific Railway Co. They will now probably commence an action against the Southern Pacific Co.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE.—Dollie E Rauch has sued her husband, H D Rauch, for divorce. They were married in Lane county July 4, 1893. One male child is the result of the marriage. Desertion is alleged.

DIED.—Sept 20, 1897, at Thurston, Arthur Conley, aged 10 years, of typhoid fever. The remains were interred in High Banks cemetery yesterday, Rev Platt officiating.

FOR SALE—80 acres of land; has small house and barn, fencing, slashing, etc., and living water. For further particulars, inquire of W Sanders, Eugene, Or.

Schlatter Dead.

Some months ago the story came that Schlatter, the healer, who went into the mountains to fast for 40 days, had miserably perished by the roadside, 15 miles from Casas Grandes, Mexico.

The body was found and identified by the Bible he carried, and other effects. But the story was denied, and the eccentric healer was said to have been seen in the flesh in various places, healing the sick and blessing handkerchiefs, as usual.

Now comes the official confirmation of Schlatter's death in the manner stated from G R Azeariel, an official of Casas Grandes, who says that the effects of the dead healer are in the court house of that town, and will be turned over to the state of Colorado if a formal request is made by the governor of that state.

The people of Denver are especially interested in Schlatter's personal effects, because from that city he went forth a second Messiah to become famous throughout the land.

The State Historical Society of Colorado will proceed at once to obtain the relics and place them on exhibition and Governor Adams will be promptly asked to make an official requisition on the Mexican authorities for them.

Bids For Lumber.

Sealed bids will be received at the blacksmith shop of Luckey & McMurray until Monday, Sept 27th, 1897, at 12 o'clock m., for the furnishing and delivery of about 90,000 feet of lumber for the city of Eugene, specifications on file at said blacksmith shop. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

W L LUCKEY,
Chairman Street Com.

Angora Goats For Sale.

200 head of first-class Angora Goats for sale—1, 2, 3 and 4 years old. Price $2 per head for the ews, and $2.70 per head for wethers. These goats have averaged 4 pounds of mohair per year. A sample fleece may be seen at this office. For additional information address the GUARD, Eugene, Oregon.

Farm For Sale or Rent.

About 800 acres near Walker Station, Oregon. Terms, easy. Call on

J F WALKER,
Walker, Oregon.

THE FIRST TO ENTER.—The Jefferson-Scio baseball team, a group of fine players, culled from the two nines representing those two towns, entered their club for state fair honors yesterday, with Secretary C D Gabrielson, says the Statesman. The personnel and assignments of the of the outfi are as follows: Wm Jones, captain and 2d base; Samuel Headrick, shortstop; B Russell, pitcher; E Russell, right field; E Cochran, catcher; E Conoway 3d base; S Dugger, pitcher; S Cornell, 1st base; A Cole, center field; William Miller, catcher; Roy Gill, left field and R E Hilber, 3rd base and manager. There would be an excellent chance for an all-Lane county team to enter.