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the late deceased W. V. Henderson, I am now
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cate of deposit.
All collections entrusted to us will receive
prompt attention.

NEWS OF THE HOP.

Delivery on Contracts Has Begun With
the Growers.

Salem Statesman: "A hop grower
approached a local hop buyer Saturday
with the remark: 'What is the price
of hops now?' The L. H. B. said in
answer: 'A strictly choice hop will
bring 13 cents.' That is about the way
the market stands in Salem at present,
although there have been rumors of 14
and 15 cents having been offered.
"No sales have been reported in this
city, but several growers are making
deliveries on their contracts, among
them W. H. Holmes, who is hauling
90,000 pounds of his crop held by Horst,
Lachmund & Co.

"The 1897 hop crop of Oregon is now
said to be about 65,000 bales.
"Agents are scouring the country
for samples and just now the postoffice
is doing an extensive business in the
sale of stamps which are used in for-
warding the samples to Eastern
points."

AT COTTAGE GROVE.

Seclusion Case Ended in Marriage—
Another Scrape.

Daily Guard September 27.
Deputy Constable Robt Veatch to-
day came to Eugene with Geo A Gil-
christ who secured a permit to be wed
to Miss Tillie Miller. They went back
this afternoon, and the ceremony will
be performed this evening. This
evening the wedding was at that place.
Mr Veatch found Gilchrist at Seio and
brought him back Saturday, and after a
consultation of the parties interested
this was deemed the best thing to
do.

Deputy Veatch informed a GUARD
reporter that he would likely be down
again tomorrow with a man. One
Charles Grosham was set upon by three
men, in the Bohemia district, and to
defend himself used the butt end of a
blackjack whip with good results. In
the melee he was cut across the breast.
Grosham was then arrested, and Deputy
District Attorney Harris is trying the
case today.

A Few Pointers.

Florence West: A prominent busi-
ness man of Lane county, Oregon, in a
recent letter to C. H. Holden of this
city, says: "I am all enthusiasm over
the Klondike boat. It is a great propo-
sition and must go." And further
adds, "It would be still better if we
could build forty boats. The rush
next spring will be simply terrible. It
will beat anything that has ever been
recorded in history. Any sort of vessel
to carry people to the Alaska coast will
be in demand at double its cost." This
writer further adds, "The Dalton trail,
Chilcoot and Skaguay passes will take
the bulk of passenger business because
people will be in such a rush that they
will not wait for the Yukon to open.
I think the thing to do is to get the
vessel ready as quickly as possible and
take the first load of passengers to the
Alaska coast in February, and return
and take the summer supplies for the
passengers and other passengers up
the Yukon after the ice breaks." He
closes by saying, "Now get right in
and push things right along and do
not lose a moment."
The above is timely and pointed and
what is better was accompanied with
a \$1,000 subscription.

Fight With a Deer.

The Carville Times says H. T. Bris-
tow, secretary of the Green Pear Fruit
company, and manager of its big or-
chard near Dusty, had an exciting and
unusual encounter with a deer one
day last week. The animal was on
the war path and attacking Mr Bris-
tow bruised him considerably. The
man managed to grasp the deer's antlers
and held the animal thus until his
nephew came to his relief, and with a
knife cut the deer's throat. Mr Bris-
tow has numerous scratches, a torn
suit of clothes and a supply of deer
meat to show for his odd experience.

Linn County Prunes.

Daily Guard, September 27.
Mr N. Chan Needham came in yester-
day from his Oakville prune or-
chard says the Albany Herald. He
says a good many growers in that vic-
inity have contracted their dried
prunes for 4 cents. Considerable
fruit, he says, will go to waste because
of inadequate drying facilities. The
drier of H. M. Stone is turning out a
ton of dried fruit daily. The price of
prunes at 4 cents is equal to over 80
cents per bushel, and leaves a hand-
some profit.

Send Out Invitations.

"Opprobrious," said Uncle Eben.
"Is pretty sho' ter come to ebry man.
But it's a mighty good idee, jes' the
same, for him ter bustle round 'n' send
out a few invitations."—Washington
Star.

Afternoon Meeting.

Afternoon Meeting.—Yesterday
afternoon at 3 o'clock J. A. Dummett,
traveling secretary of the Y. M. C. A.,
delivered an address to the U. of O.
organization in the south parlor of the
dormitory. A good attendance was
reported and much interest manifested

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 27.

S. A. Hullin, of Creswell, was in Eu-
gene today.
Wheat has fallen in price to 70 cents
per bushel.

J. H. Beckley was an arrival on to-
day's 10:50 local.

R. A. Copple returned from Cottage
Grove this morning.

L. P. Tallman and daughter of
Meadow, are in Eugene.

J. R. Ream, of Albany, is in Eugene
on some business matters.

Dean E. C. Sanderson arrived home
from Drain this morning.

The court house foundation work is
progressing at a lively rate.

Jack Gerhard returned from Cottage
Grove on the morning local.

Mrs Darwin Bristow, of Cottage
Grove, came down this morning.

N. L. Cornelius, the Helena, Mon-
as, cattleman, is in the city again.

J. A. Dummett returned to Portland
today, after spending Sunday in Eu-
gene.

Frank Loomis left for Washington
this morning to enter school at De Ko-
ven hall.

Misses Tessie and Nellie Williams of
Cottage Grove, went to Portland today for
a week's stay.

E. H. Lauer, of Portland, is in the
city, having just returned from a visit
to San Francisco.

Dr. W. W. Oglesby, of Junction, re-
turned home today after spending
Sunday in Eugene.

The shades of night are not only
falling fast these days, but they fall
quicker each day.

Geo Alexander returned to his Eu-
gene home this morning, having spent
Sunday with his parents in this city.

C. D. Edwards, of the Register, and
wife, returned this morning from an
outing up the McKenzie and report a
very pleasant trip.

Secretary Kincaid returned to Salem
today after spending Sunday with his
family in this city. His son Webster
accompanied him.

F. M. Blair and family left today for
their future home at Portland. "Bob"
goes at once into the employ of the
Standard Oil Company.

Carl Narreagan is now attending
Stauford University. If he had re-
turned here he would probably have
been in the senior class.

H. E. Ankeny and wife have returned
from a visit to Portland and Salem.
He says times have improved in both
the cities wonderfully.

Condon Globe: Mr G. W. Rinehart
returned home Friday from his
month's visit in Lane county. He is
running a restaurant and livery stable
here.

Miss Mildred Lister, of Indepen-
dence, arrived in Eugene today to en-
ter the U. of O. Her father is state
evangelist of the Christian church and
may locate in Eugene.

Dr Frank E. Smith, of Falls City,
Marion county, killed a seven-point
elk in the hills near his home last
Wednesday, says the Statesman. The
animal tipped the beam at over 1000
pounds.

Arthur Swift and G. W. Gilbert, of
Baker City, have arrived in Eugene,
coming on bicycles. On the mountains
they broke one bicycle, and came in
"tandem," one hauling the other at the
end of a rope.

Florence West: "Among the arrivals
by Wednesday's boat were Messrs Ste-
vens and Campbell of Eugene. They
informed a reporter that they settled
at Eugene in 1847 and 1851 respectively,
but had never seen the ocean till
this trip."

Charles M. Davis has returned from
a six months visit with relatives in
New York, New Jersey, Maine and
other States. He reports having had
a splendid trip, but is glad to get back
to Oregon.

Condon Globe: Mr John Shelly, of
Creswell, Lane county, came up to
Mayville last week to look after the
property interests of his son, Roy,
who met death in such a sad manner
at Condon recently.

RE Eastland, ex-city marshal of
Eugene returned Saturday night from
Sheridan, Montana. He reports that
the fine crops have placed that section
in a very prosperous condition. He
will spend the winter here.

Attorney W. H. Gorman of Seattle,
and J. Behrmann, a Port Townsend
capitalist, have been in town several
days figuring on the Black Butte silver
mine, located two miles east of House's
saw mill.—Cottage Grove Leader.

Myrtle Point Enterprise, Sept 25th:
"Miss Lena Callison accompanied by a
lady friend, passed through this place
Thursday enroute to Marshfield where
they each have positions as teachers in
the Marshfield public schools. Miss
Callison is one of Lane county's most
competent and successful teachers."

Cottage Grove Messenger: How R. M.
Veatch came over from Roseburg Fri-
day last to see how building operations
on his new residence were getting
along. He returned to Roseburg Sun-
day and his daughter, Miss Ermine
and son John, who have been visiting
here for some time, returned with him

"WILL PAY IN FULL."

That is What C. B. Jeffries Says he
Will do—We'll see.

Daily Guard, September 25.
It will be remembered that C. B.
Jeffries packed eleven car loads of fruit
in Lane county recently, and the peo-
ple who packed it have been mourning
the loss of most of their wages.

The following dispatch received this
afternoon, prepaid will be good news to
them, if the promise is kept:

CHICAGO, ILL., Sept. 27, '97.
EDITOR GUARD, Eugene, Oregon:
All statements of my avoiding my
creditors are maliciously false. Am
successfully making arrangements to
pay them in full on my return to Ore-
gon.

C. B. JEFFRIES.

We trust he will also bring back
some money to distribute among our
fruit growers.

EUGENE CANNERY.

Will Finish Drying Wednesday—
Other Work.

Daily Guard, September 27.
The Eugene cannery today places in
the evaporator the last lot of prunes
and pears, and Wednesday will have
finished this part of the work for the
season. If rainy weather continues it
is not probable any tomatoes will be
canned. On the other hand, should
they can tomatoes they expect at the
same time to experiment on drying
potatoes. This is decidedly experi-
mental, however and may not be tried
at all.

Death at Athena.

Carl Reid, the 10-year-old son of Prof
D. V. Reid, principal of the Athena
schools, died Friday night at 9 o'clock
at his home in Athena, says the Pen-
dleton E. O. Dr. Smith was summoned
from Pendleton, and arrived at 8:30
o'clock p. m. The patient was already
in a dying condition, and he was pow-
erless to save the life demanded by the
dark angel.

The boy had been a sufferer for over
a month past. He grew some better
after the removal of the family from
Eugene to Athena, but during the past
week gradually declined. He was at-
tacked with congestive chills, and
never rallied from the last one, which
occurred Friday.

A private letter from Professor Reid
to F. W. Osburn confirms the sad news.
He stated the doctors called the trouble
typho-malarial fever.

Their many friends in Eugene have
learned the news with sorrow, for Carl
was a favorite with his acquaintances,
and of a very bright mind, a boy for
whom a worthy future was predicted.
The many friends of the family mourn
with them over their irreparable loss.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.—Salem Journal:
"The Eugene papers state that the
State University has decided to dis-
pense with the electric lights of the
private corporation now furnishing
light to that city, and will hereafter
make its own electric light with the
dynamo and power used in the me-
chanical department of the university.
Only three state institutions besides
the State University now make their
own lights. These are the state normal
school, the state deaf mute school and
the state asylum for convalescent
hospital. At these institutions light is
urnished at a very small cost from
plants owned and operated by the
state."

FOR A SHIP YARD.—Florence West:
"Capt Hansen has secured from Messrs
C. C. & Simon Prouty, of San Fran-
cisco, a lease of block 3 and part of
blocks 2 and 4 of Morse's addition to
Florence and proposes to establish a
ship yard thereon. All things consid-
ered this is one of the best locations
on the river for a ship yard and we
hope Captain Hansen will prosper in
his undertaking. It means a great
deal to our business men and laborers
and in fact to all the people if we can
have a ship yard established here."

WE HOPE SO.—Today's Oregonian:
"A well-known politician, who has
been sitting calmly by, watching the
progress of political events, gives it as
his opinion that the turning down of
T. T. Geer, as collector of customs in
this district, was done for the purpose
of making room for S. M. Yoran, of Eu-
gene, one of the place's presidential electors,
who wants the place. Yoran is ac-
ceptable to the Mitchell crowd, and
that is the first consideration in [par-
celing out the offices."]

TO BROWNVILLE.—This morning
Miss E. Saltzman and Miss E. Sills left
for Brownsville where Miss Saltzman
opens a branch millinery store. Miss
Sills will be placed in charge, and
after the opening Miss Saltzman will
return home. The ladies of Brown-
sville can be assured of excellent work
and courteous treatment.

BEAR KILLED.—E. J. McClanahan,
E. C. Smith, John Whitney and Sig
Young, returned from a hunting and
fishing trip up to Leaburg, Saturday.
They caught many trout and John
Whitney killed a yearling bear, which
they brought home with them.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28.

Sherwood Burr returned home to-
day.
W. C. Hen, of Freeport, Ill., is in Eu-
gene.

E. H. Lauer returned to Portland
this morning.

Henry Lang, of Portland, was in
Eugene today.

G. W. Shields, of Lone Rock, was in
Eugene today.

C. V. Linley, of Seattle, is visiting
friends in this city.

Mrs Jane L. Young, of Los Angeles,
Calif., is in the city.

Work is being rushed on the new
court house foundation.

J. H. Beckley was a passenger to
Drain on the afternoon local.

G. W. Griffin arrived home from
Cottage Grove this morning.

Dr J. W. Mahon, of Elmira, was do-
ing business in Eugene today.

The state convention of the W. C. T. U.
met at Albany at 1:30 p. m. today.

R. H. Leabo, hop buyer for Faber &
Neils, of Albany, came up today.

C. W. Thomson and Clarence Thom-
son, of Gate Creek, are in the city.

Emma Lowry will soon start a
dressmaking establishment in the Hale
block.

Leo Gerhard left for Roseburg this
afternoon where he has purchased a
saloon.

The saw mill trust in Portland has
raised the price of lumber from \$2 to
\$3 per 1000 feet.

Miss Jessie Winkley has returned
from an extended visit with relatives
in Lane county.

P. B. Whitney, of Ashland, freight
agent of the Southern Pacific Com-
pany, is in the city.

Deputy District Attorney L. T. Har-
ris arrived home today from a profes-
sional trip to Cottage Grove.

Several peddlers in the city today.
Our advice to our citizens is buy of
the home dealer, who pays taxes.

Today's Albany Herald: Mr Ralph
Ohling and family, of Eugene, have
been making a visit to Albany friends.

Henry George, the great single tax
advocate, has been nominated for
mayor of New York, by the silver men.

The Oregonian says W. T. Hender-
son has been appointed postmaster at
Elwood, Lane county vice G. H. Kerns,
resigned.

Misses Alice Smith, of Monmouth,
and Anna Brooks, of Summerville, ar-
rived today to re-enter the University
of Oregon.

Some sneak thief entered the base-
ment of Mrs J. P. Holland's residence
and carried away one hundred jars of
fruit recently.

Miss Ora Read was called by wire,
on Sunday to visit her sister Mrs A. D.
Skaggs, who is lying quite low with
consumption at Corvallis.

Dr E. D. Johnson returned this morn-
ing to his duties as assistant physician
in the insane asylum at Salem, after a
few days visit in Eugene.

The tug Holyoke, which has been
due at Port Townsend from St Michael
since Sunday, is expected to bring late
news from the Klondike gold fields.

Mr and Mrs Bert Vincent were pas-
sengers on this morning's stage for
Gate Creek, where they will remain
for a short outing. Bert is after ven-
ison.

Mrs J. S. Dale and A. J. Johnson
went to Albany this morning to at-
tend the state convention of the W. C.
T. U. as delegates from the Eugene or-
ganization.

Mrs Vashli Johnson and daughter,
Miss Mary left last night for San Fran-
cisco to spend the winter. Two of
Mr Johnson's sons, Grant and Charles
now reside there.

David Barrett, who was so badly
hurt in an accident at Haines' tannery
some time since, is now able, with the
aid of a good pair of crutches to nav-
igate our streets again.

The Solo Press has been sold to A. L.
Cole and R. R. Gill, two bright young
men of Seio, who will take possession
on October 1st, and continue the pub-
lication of a paper in Seio.

W. T. Campbell has presented this
office with a six inch twig of a Logan
berry bush, planted this spring, upon
which were a number of ripe and
green berries and also quite a number
of blooms.

The dryhouse of the O. Dickinson
Company, seed dealers at Salem, burn-
ed yesterday. The loss to the building
and seed is estimated at \$600. The
house was located on the Garden road,
north of Salem.

Yesterday's Portland Tribune: Ros-
well Shelly, of Eugene, who has been
appointed receiver of the land office at
Sitka is in the city making arrange-
ments to embark October 11 for his
post. He is the first man to hold that
position, as the office was created un-
der the present administration.

Today's Oregonian: "C. W. Bursdal,
a mining engineer and expert, from
Spokane, is registered at the Belve-
dere. He is on his way to the Bohem-
ian district, Lane county, to examine
some properties there, and will prob-
ably go to Cooper City, Skamania
county, Wash, on a similar mission."

EARLY HISTORY OF THE STATE.

Facts of Interest About this Oregon
of Ours.

The following compilation of facts
about Oregon may be of value to espe-
cially to young persons. It may
prove useful to some as a means of
ready reference.

1—Capt Robt Gray, of Salem, Mass.,
in 1792, in the ship "Columbia Redi-
viva" sailed into the large river which
he named from his vessel the Colum-
bia.

2—Bryant in "Thanatopsis" refers to
the Columbia river, when he says:
"Where rolls the Oregon and hears no
sound save its own dashing."

3—In 1804 President Jefferson sent
an expedition under Lewis and Clark
to explore the "Oregon country."

4—In 1811 Fort Astoria was built
and became the headquarters of the
American Fur Company.

5—In 1824 an unsuccessful attempt
was made in congress to admit Oregon
as a state.

6—From 1846-50 emigration began to
set in from the east.

7—In 1846 the Northwest boundary
was fixed.

8—In 1848 Oregon territory was or-
ganized.

9—In 1850 the donation land claim
acts were passed in congress.

10—In 1853 Washington territory
was organized.

11—In 1859 Oregon was admitted in-
to the union of states.

12—The square miles of Oregon are
99,030.

13—Population in 1850, 144,708.

14—Population in 1890, 313,767.

15—Length of the state from east to
west, 320 miles. Width from north to
south, 240 miles.

16—There are 32 counties, in alpha-
betical order, as follows:

- | | |
|---------------|----------------|
| 1 Baker, | 17 Lane, |
| 2 Benton, | 18 Lincoln, |
| 3 Clatsop, | 19 Linn, |
| 4 Clackamas, | 20 Malheur, |
| 5 Columbia, | 21 Marion, |
| 6 Coos, | 22 Morrow, |
| 7 Crook, | 23 Multnomah, |
| 8 Curry, | 24 Polk, |
| 9 Douglas, | 25 Sherman, |
| 10 Gilliam, | 26 Tillamook, |
| 11 Grant, | 27 Umatilla, |
| 12 Harney, | 28 Union, |
| 13 Jackson, | 29 Wallowa, |
| 14 Josephine, | 30 Wasco, |
| 15 Klamath, | 31 Washington, |
| 16 Lake, | 32 Yamhill. |

17.—The corner counties beginning
at the northwest and going around to
the right are Clatsop, Wallowa, Mal-
heur and Curry.

18.—The center county is Crook. The
geographical center is about thirty
miles from the east line and about
twenty from the south line of the
county.

19.—A straight line running north
and south through the city of Salem
would pass through the counties of
Jackson, Douglas, Lane, Linn, Marion,
Yamhill, Washington and Columbia.

20.—A straight line running east and
west through Salem would pass
through the counties of Tillamook,
Polk, Marion, Wasco, Gilliam, Grant,
Baker and Union.

21.—Mt Hood is in Clackamas
county, and 11,570 feet (2 1/2) miles high.

22.—Eastern Oregon comprises two-
thirds of the area of the state.

23.—Marion county is in the shape of
a boot, like Italy, with the top in the
Cascades; the head at Jefferson; the
toe at Champeog, and the hollow of
the foot at Salem.

Bessie Rankin a Fast One.

Oregon horses are making fast time
on the California circuit at the fall
meeting. At Stockton last Friday
Caryle Crane lowered his record nearly
4 seconds, taking the second heat of
the 2:13 trot in 2:11 1/2, and the first
and third heats in 2:14 and 2:13 1/2,
defeating the celebrated California mare
Mamie Griffen, Wayland W, and
Galette. The same day Bessie Rankin
chased Joe Wheeler out in 2:11 and
was less than a length behind him at
the wire. Bessie Rankin is regarded
as Altamont's most promising candi-
date for 2:10 honors, and will probably
get well inside of that charmed circle
before the California season ends