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WEEKLY EUGENE GUARD. CAMPBELL BROS., Publishers. OFFICE—East side of Willamette street...

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FROM MEXICO.

Wanderer Writes Concerning Customs, Habits, Etc.

QUITE INTERESTING.

GUADALAJARA, Mexico, August 18, 1898. EDITOR GUARD:—The hospitals here are one of the sights...

The servants have a way of addressing me that seems strange; but I find they speak to all ladies in the same way.

I am going to the city of Mexico next week and if the GUARD'S readers have survived all I've written of Guadalajara I may find something further to say.

THE WANDERER.

STAMPEDE TO TAGISH.

Southeastern Alaska Wild Over Gold Report. Oscar Kendall of Portland, has received a letter from James McClosky, dated Juneau, August 15...

"I have just arrived from the new strike after a 21-days' trip, and have struck a young Klondike. You will see all about it in the papers."

"Skagway and Dyea are deserted and Juneau soon will be. All have gone to the new diggings. Kendall, it is something grand."

"I can miss it now. It looks as if we were coming my way. When I find out more about the mine, I will let you know."

A LONELY DEATH.

Chas. A. Parker Found Dead at His Cabin in the Mountains.

Roseburg Review: Saturday evening when J. F. Noah was returning from a hunt on Boulder creek...

Even business appointments are not kept to the hour or minute. Still, we could not expect a Mexican to rush past half a dozen friends on the street without stopping to "shake hands."

There is one odd thing that struck me when I first arrived, the news boys on the street offering me the next day's paper at four o'clock in the afternoon.

All Americans count in gold. They say, "So and so is worth so much gold." My friends are rather disgusted because I count everything in American currency.

It sounds oddly to say adios both at meeting and parting. Every one is called by their first name. It is Senor Jose or Senorita Isabella, whatever your first name may be.

I have spoken before of the cheapness of wages. A good sewing woman can be had for eighteen cents a day Mexican cash.

Some of the churches here are very beautiful and are in great numbers, nearly every street having its church. There is but one protestant church, a very pretty edifice the Congregationalist.

Much has been written of the patient donkey or burro, I had an adventure with one the other day, the details of which I will not dwell upon.

MINUS TWO FINGERS.

Young Edwards Has a Threshing Accident.

OCCURRED THIS MORNING.

JUNCTION CITY, August 22.—Young Edwards, aged about 20 years, son of Isaac Edwards, while oiling their new thresher when it was at work near this city...

BOYS ARE DYING.

Three Oregon Recruits Succumb at Camp Merritt.

Camp Merritt, S. F., Aug. 12.—After an unequal struggle with the elements three Oregon recruits have succumbed and now lie dead at the field hospital here.

The funeral of the late Charles Mead, the Oregon recruit who died in San Francisco, occurred this forenoon from the armory to the I. O. O. F. cemetery at 10 o'clock.

GREAT DEAL BETTER.

Walter Shelley Writes to His Father.

Daily Guard, August 22. J. M. Shelley was much pleased yesterday morning on receiving a letter from his son, Walter J. Shelley...

It says that for three weeks after he had the measles that he was totally blind. Then an operation was performed on his left eye and he is now able to see out of it fairly well.

NEARING THE END. Aged Oregon Pioneer Stricken With Paralysis at Salem.

Salem, Or., Aug. 21.—Peter H. Hatch was stricken with paralysis this morning, and his recovery is beyond hope.

There are seven living children, 17 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren.

2500 MEN WANTED!

To call at the Big Store and buy one of our Famous Gold and Silver Golf Shirts, \$1.25 quality for 95c.

Also—A fine assortment of \$8.00 and \$10.00 suits, all wool, new patterns, for \$6.65.

All Summer Goods [at greatly reduced] prices.

F. E. DUNN.

OUR STEAMBOAT.

Hon. C. H. Baker Has His Say About This Enterprise.

HEARTILY IN FAVOR.

EDITOR GUARD:—I raise to second Jasper Wilkins' motion in regard to the steamboat. I have been a hearty advocate of the building of such a boat for years...

Should an outsider scan the subscription list he would be surprised at the miserly amounts subscribed by many of the Eugene merchants. The fact is, that these very merchants could well afford to subscribe all the money needed for this enterprise...

The normal school has closed. The vegetables and groceries are very reasonable; hay is 75 cents per hundred.

BURIED WITH HONORS. Young Mead is given a Soldier's Burial.

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The grave was covered with handsome flowers, and his comrades fired three volleys over the same.

This another one of the patriotic young men goes to his Maker. His memory will be preserved by many.

A Brick With A History.

Florence West: A few days ago E. C. Knowles of Mapleton received by express a brick which is a reminder of his youthful days. Mr. Knowles was born in New Hampshire in 1820.

The brick with the foot print on it remained in its place in the chimney till some three or four years ago when a nephew of Mr. Knowles obtained it and gave it to his mother.

She sent it to her brother in Oregon who received it a few days ago and now he can see the size of track he made nearly 80 years ago.

SUNDAY TRAGEDY.

Alleged Wronged Husband Killed by the Despotism of His Family.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 22.—A special to the News from Wilbur, Wash., says Dave Speagle shot and killed Bob Penix there yesterday.

Penix started out to kill Speagle, and the latter killed him in self-defense.

CROOK CO. EXCITEMENT.

From the Prineville Journal.

Another mining excitement is raging on Upper Trout Creek. About a year ago Mr. Knight, an experienced miner and prospector discovered gold bearing quartz in that vicinity and lately he and Mr. Wilson returned there and have located an eight foot ledge of quartz from which at a depth of about 8 feet they had several assays from different assays, the lowest of which was \$182 and the highest \$452 to the ton in gold.

The ledge is said to have been traced several miles, and to be the same on which Maupin and others built an arastra more than 20 years ago.

Up to August 10th over 30 claims had been located, principally by friends and acquaintances of the discoverers from Dayton, Walla Walla and Pendleton.

The claims are in a narrow belt easterly and westerly across Long Hollow on the north side of Trout Creek about two miles from Mr. James Wood's place.

Attorney Woodcock informs us that he has completed threshing and that he will have 78,000 bushels of wheat.

FROM NEWPORT.

An Interesting Letter From This Summer Resort.

NEWPORT, Or., Aug. 19, '98.

We arrived here the 17th inst.—found the roads in an excellent condition. The farmers were threshing all along the line until we reached the mountains. I saw some fine prune orchards and the crop of prunes is very good—dryers are being put in readiness to dry the prunes. I saw very few hop yards.

This is a nice place to camp or board. There are several hundred campers on the old camp grounds, which is about one mile square. All the cottages are occupied and the hotels are full, but there is plenty of room for more.

The surf bathing is enjoyed by a great many as there is a smooth beach and no under current is strong enough to be dangerous.

Fishing is good, any one can catch a fish that likes the sport.

Rock oysters are plentiful; every morning the beach is lined with people digging in the rocks for oysters. The rain or mist has been visiting us until noon each day since we came, which makes it a little disagreeable, but everybody is having a good time any way.

Some Eugene people are here. The Normal school has closed. The vegetables and groceries are very reasonable; hay is 75 cents per hundred.

G. W. M.

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DAILY GUARD, AUGUST 22.

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The services at the armory were quite impressive. Rev. Mr. Abbot, pastor of the M. E. Church, preaching an appropriate sermon. It contained much good advice. The music by the choir was excellent. J. W. Geary Post, G. A. R., and Company "C," O. N. G. acted as an escort to the remains in the funeral cortege.

The Emergency Corps, Ladies Patriotic League and Woman's Relief Corps were represented. The grave was covered with handsome flowers, and his comrades fired three volleys over the same.

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GOOSE LAKE IS AT A LOWER EBB NOW than it ever has been since the new meander line was surveyed and located by J. W. Hamaker, in 1888.

The last hard winter followed that season, and it is predicted by many Lake county stockmen that another severe one will follow this dry summer.

Preparations are being made upon this supposition, and they are in hopes of a large snowfall, which will insure good crops next year.

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FOR BUILDING NEW COURT HOUSE.

Dallas, Aug. 22.—Saturday the county court made an order that advertisement be made in The Oregonian for bids for the construction of the foundation of the new court house, the bids to be opened September 7. The foundation is to be completed this fall, but contracts for the erection of the building will be let this year, to give contractors ample time to purchase and deliver material for an early start next spring.

TERritORY LOST BY SPAIN.

April 21, 1898. Closed August 11, 1898. Duration of Hostilities... 113 days. Expenses of Actual War: Americans killed... 279. Spaniards killed... 2,199. Vessels destroyed, American... 0. Vessels destroyed, Spanish... 35.