

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

The business department of the WEEKLY GUARD is caused considerable trouble by correspondents addressing the proprietors personally.

THE NEW BANKRUPT LAW.

The new bankrupt law went into effect July 1.

Petition for voluntary bankruptcy can be filed now. For involuntary not before Nov 1.

By a "voluntary" bankrupt the law means one who files his own petition.

A voluntary bankrupt files with his petition a schedule of his debts and his property.

If the court decides the petitioner a bankrupt, a meeting of the creditors is called.

Here the bankrupt may speak freely. His explanation may never be used against him in the criminal proceedings.

The creditors select a trustee. He winds up the business and pays dividends.

After one month the bankrupt may apply for a discharge. Notice must be given to creditors.

In "involuntary" bankruptcy, proceedings are begun by a creditor or creditors, who allege an "act of bankruptcy" and ask a decree.

Transferring property to defraud creditors would be an act of bankruptcy; or transferring property while insolvent to certain creditors with intent to give them advantages over other creditors.

A petition for involuntary bankruptcy is served on the defendant, returnable in fifteen days or longer, in the discretion of the Judge.

The bankrupt is entitled to a trial by jury upon questions of fact raised in the petition.

After a decree of bankruptcy is given the proceeding is as in voluntary bankruptcy.

In either class of bankruptcy the Judge may name a referee to consider either the entire matter or a certain question to be considered and reported upon.

If the creditors want the bankrupt to continue the business, he may offer terms which may be accepted in writing by a majority of the creditors. The judge may hear an application to confirm the terms and grant it if he deems the arrangement fair to the creditor, and if the bankrupt has done nothing contrary to the law.

After one month the bankrupt is entitled to a discharge unless he has committed an offense punishable by imprisonment under the act, or destroyed his books with fraudulent intent or for similar reasons failed to keep books.

A discharged bankrupt is still liable for taxes, judgments for fraud or wilful injury, claims not scheduled in time for proof, and allowances and debts created by fraud while acting in a post of trust.

A person may be imprisoned for five years for concealing his property from the court in bankruptcy; for perjury in bankruptcy; testimony; presenting false claims under oath in bankruptcy; receiving from a bankrupt after his petition is filed any property to defraud others, or for blackmailing a bankrupt or creditor.

Wages due clerks, workmen and servants for work done within three months are preferred debts up to \$300 to each claimant.

Any person who failed in business years ago can apply for a discharge and resume business under his own name. Bankruptcy proceedings will be uniform throughout the United States, and creditors in all parts of the country will have an equal chance and share in a bankrupt's property.

PATRIOTIC RESOLUTIONS.

The democratic state convention in session at Sacramento adopted the following resolutions by a rising vote and three cheers:

"Whereas, The war with Spain has been brought to a glorious and successful conclusion; and,

Whereas, This result has been accomplished by the union of all our people, irrespective of condition or party affiliations, animated by the most ardent patriotism, inspired by the holy zeal of carrying liberty

to down-trodden people; and, Whereas, The union of states has been more firmly cemented by the union of hearts against the foreign foe; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, by the democracy of California, in state convention assembled, That a telegram of congratulation, in the name of the convention, be transmitted by its presiding officer, Governor James H Budd, to William McKinley, president of the United States.

THE AUGUST HEAVENS.

Due south in early eve Scorpio sparkles like some line of brilliant stars in the sky. Antares, its chief star and one of the brightest in the sky, burns and blazes in its head. Close by and a little north of Scorpio is Saturn, far off and pale. Mercury as an evening star, shines in Leo. Venus is brightest of all stars near sunset. Mars was in Taurus early in August, five degrees north of Aldebaran. Jupiter is in Virgo still and approaching Venus, as close as two degrees, until the 19th of August. August has two full moons—1st and 31st.

DEWEY AND LEE.

East Oregonian.

Tammany Hall, of New York, has declared for Dewey for president in 1900. Now, if some one will nominate Fitzhugh Lee for vice president the job will be complete. With these sons of Vermont and Virginia as the standard bearers the democratic party would take on new life. It would be far her evidence that sectional lines had been wiped out.

Jacksonville Times: It seems almost certain that Gov Lord will call an extra session of the legislature. Some think it will convene as early as October. Those who were elected as members of that body last June will participate in it, a large majority of whom are presumed to be opposed to the aspirations of ex-Senator Mitchell to succeed himself. Our chief executive seems to be moved about as a pawn upon the chessboard in this matter. If the extra session was at all necessary it should have been held long ago. But the legislators who sat last year could not be trusted by Joe Simon and his henchmen.

Messrs Wilkins and Baker, two Lane county farmers, have written readable letters on the necessity of the steamboat now being built in this city. We would like to hear from more farmers on this subject and also from some of our merchants and professional men. However, only write short pungent letters so they can be printed without delay.

An Affidavit.

This is to certify that on May 11th, I walked to Melch's drug store on a pair of crutches and bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, or Infant's Rheumatism which had crippled me up. After using three bottles I am completely cured. I can cheerfully recommend it.—Charles H. Wetzel, Sunbury, Pa.

Sworn and subscribed to before me on August 10, 1894.—Walter Shipman J. P. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by Osburn & DeLano.

Notice.

Hop picking will commence Sept. 1st, 5th in the Edmunson yard, near Go-hen.

Schilling's Best

tea coffee baking powder flavoring extracts and spices are better than good.

For sale by J. U. Green & Son.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

Blackberries.

Blackberries are now ripe and ready for picking. Buyers can secure same at reasonable price at my place on the Mohawk. For sale at 2 1/2c per gallon. N. HILL.

LOST.—A reddish yellow pup Gordon and Lewellyn, about 1 year old, between Eugene and Springfield. Reward will be paid for information leading to his return to CH ZUMWALT, Irving Ore.

To cure told in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab. lets. Wilkins & Linn will refund your money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B.Q. on each tablet.

Hartest Picnic.

To be given by the Woodmen of Lane county, at Merian's Park, near Eugene, Oregon, Wednesday, September 7, 1894.

Woodman parade, bicycle races, foot races, an oration on Woodcraft. Good music—brass band and orchestra. Wood sawing and wood splitting contest. Nall driving contest for Woodmen's wives. Cash prizes. Baby show, basket dinner, boating on the lake, dancing in the afternoon. The best picnic refreshments will be sold by Woodmen and the Women of Woodcraft. A grand ball in the evening will be held in the pavilion in the park. The Woodmen of the state are cordially invited. Look out for detailed program of literary exercises and contests. One and one-third fare on Southern Pacific lines.

Everybody invited to come. Take a holiday. The more the merrier. M O WILKINS, Eugene Camp, W O TRINE, Springfield Camp, W E WILCOX, Coburg Camp. Committee.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24

DELAY ASKED FOR.—Many of the school children are desirous of picking hops, and their parents in many cases would like to see the date set for the commencement of the same changed from Sept 19th to Sept 26th. This would allow them to work through hop picking and thereby earn money needed badly by some of the children. And again it would help the producers of this crop that brings so much money into Oregon. Directors will probably consider the matter in a few days.

A DIFFERENT ESTIMATE.—A private in Captain May's Company writing to a friend in Eugene says: "I see Captain Will Moon every day and often have a brief conversation with him. He seems to stand the climate very well as far as I can judge by appearances. I only wish I was in his company for he is quite popular among the boys." We publish the above in justice to Captain Moon as some of his men have written quite differently.

A GOOD ONE.—The Eugene Guard says: "Eugene peaches discount the Southern Oregon or California product, and our people are willing to pay better prices for them." To this the Jacksonville Times says: "Bro Campbell is full of spontaneous combustion, as usual. He wants us to dispel the hallucination under which he is laboring with a box of Jacksonville peaches, as we did a few years ago."

PLEASANT REMEMBRANCE.—One of the Eugene recruits writing to his parents in this city from Camp Merritt speaks of a pleasant visit made the camp by Hon S H Friendly of this city during a recent trip to San Francisco. Upon his departure Mr Friendly presented each of the boys with \$2 which was greatly appreciated as they were getting a little "short."

FOR U S SENATOR.—Roseburg Review: "Judge Robt Eakin of the Eighth judicial district, is now being boomed as a proper man for U S senator from Oregon." He is well known in Lane county having been reared near Eugene. He is a brother of Hon S B Eakin. The GUARD thinks he would make a good senator.

MARRIAGE.—The marriage of Mr Robert A Cople and Miss Lella A E Hayes, both well known in Eugene, will be celebrated at the residence of Mr and Mrs J B Harris, this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Rev M L Rose will be the officiating clergyman. The GUARD tenders congratulations in advance.

FINE YEARLINGS.—Seavey Bros, of Mohawk, brought to town today and sold to C N Thompson, the Nebraska stock buyer, nineteen head of black nuley yearling cattle that are hard to beat. They will average over 700 lbs each. They received about \$20 per head for them.

SMALL FIRE.—James Parker, of Pleasant Hill, last week had a small fire in his field; damages, \$50. The thrasher set fire to some straw, and the same made a lively time until the grain in sacks were moved and the thrasher taken to a place of safety.

YOUNG TRAVELER.—The little tot Fay Williams was sent to his home at Albany by Miss Matlock on this forenoon's local train in charge of the conductor. The child is only about three years old. Pretty young railway traveler.

CATTLE SHIPMENT.—C N Thompson, A J Pickard, agent, will ship two car loads of cattle from here tomorrow to Marion station. Soon thereafter Mr Thompson will ship a train load of cattle from that place to Iowa.

NO COMMISSION FRUIT.—It is now a determined fact that no Lane county fruit will be shipped East this year on commission. This is correct. If speculators want our fruit let them pay for it.

CLOCK OPENING.—An opening is being left in the court house tower for a large clock, the dials to be eight feet across.

MARRIED.—Portland Telegram: Miss Della V Pengra, formerly of Eugene, and Edwin S Gill were married August 16th, in Los Angeles, Cal.

GREAT BARGAINS.—F E Dunn announces in today's GUARD a Half Price Sale in Shirt Waists. He means business as he wants to close them out. Read his ad.

MARRIED.—At Dotham, Mo, Aug 10, L E Woodworth and Miss Elizabeth K New. They will reside at Wheeling, West Va.

A REDUCTION OF

25 PER CENT

Our entire line of Colored Shoes.

- \$1 00 Shoes for.....\$3 00
\$3 50 Shoes for.....\$2 65
\$3 00 Shoes for.....\$2 25
\$2 50 Shoes for.....\$1 85
\$2 00 Shoes for.....\$1 50
\$1 50 Shoes for.....\$1 15
\$1 25 Shoes for.....\$1 00

Did you ever hear of such bargains?

YORAN & SON, The Shoe Dealers.

FAMINE IN PROSPECT.

Crops in Several Provinces of Russia Are Worthless.

London, Aug 24.—The St Petersburg correspondent of the Times says: Great uneasiness is felt over the repetition of last year's failure of the harvest. In seven districts of the province of Kazan and largely in the provinces of Samara, Saratoff, Simbirsk, Viatka and Perm the crops are almost worthless. Even the landed gentry are beginning to ask the government for relief, and the prospects of a famine are most grave. The ministers of the interior and of finance are sending out agents to make inquiries and to purchase corn.

The Zemstvos are bestirring themselves to meet the situation. It is rumored that in some districts the peasantry are breaking into the communal granaries and helping themselves.

Notice

All persons are hereby notified not to purchase a certain note given by me to Mary I. E. Skinner, on or about the first day of November 1897, for the sum of One Hundred and Thirty Dollars, more or less, as the same was obtained from me without any consideration whatever, and I will not honor the same, or pay any part thereof.

Dated at Eugene, Oregon, this 20th day of August, 1898.

BLUFORD DEADMOND.

Local Market

August 26, 1898.

- Wheat—51c.
Oats—25c.
Hops—2 to 3c.
Butter—25 to 40c per roll.
Eggs—12c and weak
Potatoes—25c.
Poultry—\$2 50 to \$3 50 per dozen

Circuit Court Cases.

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The following cases were filed today: Chas L Adams vs L J Yoder, et al; foreclosure of mortgage. Judgment is asked for \$3,450. H E Noble vs L J Yoder; foreclosure of mortgage. Judgment is asked for \$100.

Complete Tailor System.

"Complete Tailor System" the latest chart of dressmakers is being represented in this city by Mrs Allie Eastham. Full instructions free of charge will be given at residence on Sixth street on Monday and Thursday of each week from 9 to 11 a m and 1 to 5 p m.

Angora Goats For Sale.

150 head of Angora goats for sale. Prices \$5.00 per head. Write or call upon. C H BAKER, Waverille, Ore.

Oregon Grape Root.

50,000 pounds wanted. Will pay the highest market price for all I can buy. S H FRIENDLY.

Repairs

For any mower or binder in this market to be had at F L Chambers.

BEAUTIFUL HOME FOR SALE.—At a great bargain 12 miles east on the McKenzie, twenty five acres good ground, fine modern house elegant water and very healthy, church and school near by. I N Green box 477 or Hoffman House.

HOP PICKERS WANTED.—John Brown wants 30 hop pickers to commence work Sept 4th; 14 days picking first class hops.

HALF-PRICE SALE.

Shirt Waists. Ladies' Dress Skirts

- Waists worth 50c..... 25c
Waists worth \$1.00..... 50c
Waists worth \$1.50..... 75c
Waists worth \$2.00..... \$1.25

We are bound to sell them out these next two weeks sure. Call early.

THE BIG STORE

F. E. DUNN.

HELL

Is check full of bad things. So be the majority of paints and oils offered for sale. We handle none of this evil trash. You will always find the very best in the paint and wall paper line at

L. A. OVERTON'S Exclusive Paint and Wall Paper Store. Three doors west of Postoffice, Eighth Street.

SPECIAL.

50 Pieces Dimities and Organdies at 5c yd.

All Summer Dress Goods at One-Half Their Value.

Shirt Waists TO CLOSE From 25c up.

S. H. FRIENDLY

Our Wall Paper

...is now ready for inspection

CALL AND SEE IT.



Just Rubber at that Wall Paper in

Griffin Hardware Co's Windows

P. S.—10,000 rolls just received.



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We keep in the lead with line of goods for the

No sale too large, no sale too small to receive our attention and painstaking service

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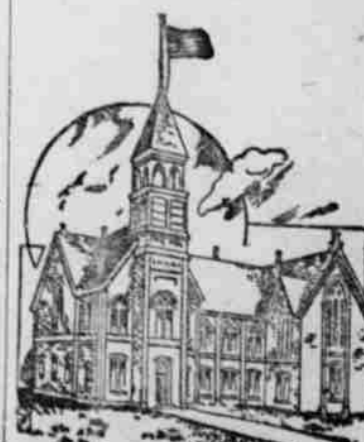
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Never so much goodness crowded into values as you find in our store today.

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Light Expenses—The year from \$120 to \$150. Beautiful and healthful location. No summer term will open Tuesday, September 21. Data regues giving full details of work course as teachers. The graduates of the school are in demand as teachers. P. L. CAMPBELL, Secretary of Faculty.