Eugene City Guard.

SATURDAY.....AUGUST 19

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

The business department of the WEEKLY GUARD is caused considerable trouble by correspondents addressing the proprietors personally. Address all letters referring to the newspaper or business connected therewith to THE GUARD, Eugene, Oregon.

"WHERE ROLLS THE OREGON."

An editor from the rice fields of Louisiana concluded an extended and interesting account of his nine thousand mile tour with the National Editorial excursion with this compliment to the West and Northwest:

"We had been absent a little over one month on this memorable trip to the great northwest, which is one constant changing, charming, varied panorama, the delights which are indescribable, inexpressible. Among other sights, we have viewed flower-bedecked valleys, fertile fields, luxuriant pasture lands, ideal orchards, gorgeous blossoms, sunny beaches and dancing cataracts. We have hung over chasms so high the streams below where like molten silver threads, and descended into their deep cavernous gorges, between stupendous walls, while the boundless Pacific and the 'where rolls the Oregon' have been ours. Amid such scenes the fast flying days of the National Editorial excursion passed into record."

ENGLISH SUPPORT OF PARENTS

English courts do not hesitate to compel the support of indigent parents by their children. A copy of an English paper of recent date has examples in point. It says:

"James Osmond, of Margate, was summoned for neglecting to support his father, who was chargeable to the common fund of the West Ashford Guardians. Mr G G Taylor, relieving officer, said that originally defendant agreed to pay 1s 6d a week, but afterwards this was reduced to 1s. He had, however, failed to keep up the payments. The relieving officer at Margate had made enquiries as to the position of the defendant, and Mr Taylor read a letter which said he was an employer of labor. Defendant denied that he had signed any agreement to pay weekly installments, saying that he could neither read nor write. His wife signed his name for him. The Bench pointed out that the signatures on the two agreements differed, and upon being shown them defendant admitted signing the letter. An order was made for the payment of 1s. 6d. a week and the costs 10s. 6d.

Stephen Breeds, a tailor, was similarly summoned. Figures were put forward by Mr Taylor showing that defendant could, if he liked, earn nearly £3 a week. An order was made for 2s. 6d. a week and the costs, which in this case amounted to 9s."

NATIONAL BANK BUSINESS.

The complete returns from the national banks of the country giving reports of conditions at the close of business on June 30, show that the aggregate discount business of the national banks at present is $2,492,410,895, which is an increase of $88,819,000 over the discounts and loans of the banks of the April period covered by the last report. In respect to the individual deposits, the increase of business is reflected in a more marked degree. It is now about a year since the national bank holdings' subject to check' mounted above the $2,000,000,000 mark, but the jump of nearly $500,000 in the individual deposit line for the national banks of the country during the past year is the record the banks have to present at this time.

THE WAY THINGS GO.

Floorwalker—What kind of a hat did that 200-pound woman ask for?

Saleslady—She said that she wanted one that was real cute and jaunty.—Puck.

General Lee is to send fifty Cuban girls to Chattanooga to be educated. The experiment will probably result in most of them taking Yankee husbands with them when they return to Cuba. They will be satisfied with the educational facilities of the country.

Admiral Dewey, hero of Manila, is taking a vacation with his flagship in European ports. He writes from Trieste, Austria, a port on the Mediteranean, of flattering receptions from the European populace.

Corvallis Times August 16: A pretty incident of Friday afternoon's exercises was the volunteer's salute to the flag. The band was playing a medley, the closing air of which was the Star Spangled Banner. As soon as the latter air was recognized, the volunteers rose to their feet and bared their heads. The movement was quickly followed by the grand army veterans and then by the entire audience. The effect was very felicitous, and the incident one that will not soon be forgotten.

Secretary of War Root makes the announcement that officers for the five new regiments will be appointed on merit, regardless of political pulls and influence. The country will applaud him if he stays by his good resolution.

There is a veritable quartz mining boom on in Baker county. The Democrat says a prominent Montana mining man made the remark that "over $5,000,000 will be turned loose in Baker county before December."

The deficit for the first month of the fiscal year, July, was about $9,000,000. The treasury officials claim that is a good showing. A "good showing" for more interest bearing bonds!

Secretary Root has ordered General Brooke to report by October 1st what he has done in Cuba. Among the prominent items will be repairing the palace and maintaining his dignity.

Married.

Daily Guard, Aug 16.

A very pretty marriage took place this morning at 7 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs John Stewart, when Rev M L Rose in a plain, impressive ceremony pronounced the words that made Mr George F Willoughby and Miss Nettie Stewart, two well known young people of Eugene, man and wife. They were warmly congratulated by all present.

The residence was beautifully decorated with flowers and ferns. After the wedding an elegant breakfast was served.

Those present besides the bride's family were: Ashley Stevens and wife, J S Luckey and wife, J B Willoughby and wife, Rev M L Rose and wife, George Smith and wife, Mrs Eli Bangs, Mrs Wm Pengra, Mrs Mack Somerville, Miss Carrie Matlock, Miss Ada Bangs and Miss Nellie Gilfrey; Messrs Cass Matlock, F L Chambers, Lester Luckey and L R Willoughby.

The young couple immediately after the ceremony left on a trip to Blue river, undaunted by the rain.

The GUARD extends congratulations and wishes for a long and happy matrimonial life.

ENGLISH HOP REPORT.

"Prospects More Favorable Than For Years."

Mr Stephen Smeed, of Waltersville, sends the GUARD a copy of the Kentish Express, of July 22nd, published in the main hop growing district of England. It gives a good part of a column to hop prospect reports, and summarizes as follows:

"From all the hop-growing districts very favorable reports come to hand as to the progress made this week. The weather has been of a forcing nature, and though rain would have been and would be very beneficial, all traces of backwardness have now disappeared, and in its place is a luxuriant growth of bine, which bears the stamp of fruitfulness. Some Mid-Kent growers on Thursday remarked that certain pieces already looked like a ton an acre, though of course this does not apply generally. Still there is no doubt that the prospects are more favorable than they have been for years, and this is all the more satisfactory because of the extraordinary little spraying which has been required up to the present. Lice there are, but they are very small in quantity, and mould and red spider have not caused any great anxiety as yet, only having appeared here and there in the lower leaves."

DEXTER ITEMS.

Gold Discovery on the Middle Fork of the Willamette.

August 15.

Oh, the horrid rain!

Hops are promising but the weather is very favorable to lice.

D C Mathews broke his saw mill down Monday, obliging him to go to Eugene for repairs.

Logging is in full blast in the Springfield camp just across the river on A D Hylands place.

Hay was badly damaged by the continued rain fall, making it necessary to scatter it to prevent rotting.

Miss Carrie Handsaker, who has been living in San Francisco for the past year and a half, is visiting her relatives at this place.

Several hundred bushels of new wheat have been stored in the Dexter mills. The wheat is exceptionally fine as to quality, but the yield is hardly as good as expected.

Report comes of gold discovery on the Middle Fork of the Willamette river, near what is known as Sand Prairie. This is on a direct line between Bohemia and Blue River.

A most distressing accident occurred near Zion on Friday last. Mrs Myrtle Mayo gave her little daughter May, aged 2 years, what she supposed was a dose of soothing syrup, when almost immediately the little one went into convulsions and in spite of earthly help she passed away in an hour. She was interred in the Springfied cemetery on Saturday.

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Zion Items.

August 15.

George Hillegas and wife of Springfield, came over Saturday. George returned Sunday. Mrs Hillegas will remain a few days with her mother.

Dean Sanderson, of the Eugene Divinity school, spent a pleasant week in the valley quite recently.

A L Roney and Alf Stewart of Goshen, visited Zion on Tuesday last.

Hiram and Jonathan Vincent started their binder again this morning. Pretty wet.

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Delinquent Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that the delinquent tax roll for 1898 is open for the collection of delinquent taxes. Costs will be added after September 1, 1899, and the levy will immediately follow. Pay early and save costs.

Dated Aug 8, 1899.

W W WITHERS,
Sheriff and Tax Col Lane Co, Ore.

Notice of Reward.

Notice is hereby given that the reward of $500 for the recovery of the body of J R Bucknum will be withdrawn after November 18, 1899, and will be only $50 after that date.

Harrisburg, Oregon, August 16, 1899.

MRS. ANNA M. BUCKNUM.
D. BUCKNUM.

Notice to Teachers.

Teachers elected to teach in School District No 4, Lane county, for the coming year, are requested to call at my office and sign their contracts.

Dated Aug 12, 1899.

GEO F CRAW,
Clerk.

Commissioners Court.

A H Fisk, assessing damages	2 00
B F Moore, assessing damages	2 00
Chas Baxter, juror	3 00
E Bangs, livery	15 50
D R Beers, coupon scalp	2 00
Griffin & Veatch, hardware	4 10
John Smith, assessing damages	2 00
Day & Henderson, paupers and furniture	154 00
Eugene Register, printing	2 90
Eugene Register, printing	14 25
A V Dariman, work on crusher	3 00
W L DeLano, drugs	1 70
L N Roney, examining McKenzie bridge	7 00
J L Beaver, lumber	39 19
S L Long, hardware	43 29
Oregon Telephone Co, service for July	3 75
F H Wood, painting	7 70

In the matter of petition of Judkins Point and Pleasant Hill road: J T Callison, Wm Stewart and W L Wheeler appointed viewers and C M Collier surveyor, to meet August 24, 1899.

L Boring, road work district No 30	25 50
L Speaker, work on crusher	9 75
Al Montgomery, board of Peter Godmer	75
Loughmiller & Peter, keg nails	4 00
Mrs L J Holland, keep of Warner children	2 50
Eugene Electric Light Co July service	13 42
P L Bristow, supplies for paupers	2 00
T M Renshaw, work on lawn	33 50
J M Goldson, lumber	5 36
Wheeler Bros & Owen, lumber	12 96
P S (or J) Becker, gravel	7 50
J M Shaub, examining bridge	3 00
H Rebmen, road work	32 25
S C Dotson lumber	22 35
H O Bower, cougar scalp	2 00
Wheeler Bros & Owen, lumber	7 75
W H Weatherson, printing	1 00
D C Hubbard, coyote scalp	2 00
B F Keeney, deputy assessor	40 00
J A Roach, gravel	8 00
Starr & Ava, plumbing	6 25
L R Thompson, gravel	4 20
J W Marshall, bridge work	7 00
M S Hubble hauling	1 50

FOREST RANGERS.

Captain Ormsby Tells About Fires, Sheep and Subordinates.

A Salem dispatch says: "Captain S B Ormsby, superintendent of forest reserves in Oregon, has just returned from Roseburg, where he had a conference with Commissioner of the General Land Office Binger Hermann. They talked over matters connected with the government forest reserve policy and methods of supervision, the commissioner outlining his ideas and Captain Ormsby making suggestions. Captain Ormsby says this has been an exceptional year in the forests. The damage by forest fires thus far this year, he says, is comparatively small, only a few big fires being reported.

There are forty-four rangers and three supervisors in Oregon, and they have put out many fires in their incipiency, thus preventing the killing and burning of a great amount of timber. Captain Ormsby has so far, this year, granted 45 permits to graze sheep in forest reserves, representing about 140,000 sheep, a falling off of 83,000 since last year. Commissioner Hermann, Captain Ormsby says, will return to Washington about the last of this month."

Notice.

The farm belonging to Mr and Mrs James McClaren (Blair place) one mile west of Eugene, is now for rent. Apply at family residence, Sixth and Lawrence streets.

August 11, '99.

Daily Guard, Aug 17.

CRUEL TREATMENT.—A 10 year old son of J M Talley was found, by Policeman Hawk, this forenoon chained and locked to an old railroad iron, several hundred feet north of the Eugene wagon bridge, by the side of the road. Upon being questioned by the officer, the boy said his father had placed him there early in the morning to punish him. The officer came to town and had the attorneys look up the case. It was finally determined to file a complaint in the county court charging the parents with cruel and inhuman treatment and asking that the boy be committed to the Boys and Girls Aid Society, of Portland. Mr Hawk shortly after noon went after the boy but found that he had been removed to Mr Talley's residence. The officers then notified the father that the boy would be taken tomorrow forenoon and committed to the care of the society, peacefully or forcibly. The father partially consented to the former in his talk. The punishment was certainly extreme, whatever the boy's offenses might have been.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN.

Notices under this head not to exceed five lines, 50 cents per week; $1 50 a month; $12 per year.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.—1320 acres timber land near McKenzie river, 20 miles from Eugene. Address, J E HALE, San Jose, Calif. A H FISK, Eugene, Or.

FOR SALE.—Probably the very best 160 acre tracts of land in Lane county, and one of the best in the state of Oregon, owned by Dr T W Harris. This is a very fertile and highly improved farm lying 2½ miles west of Eugene on an excellent road. The doctor bought this farm with a view to breeding fine horses, but having given up the breeding business, has no further use for his farm and desiring to devote himself exclusively to his profession, offers it for sale at a rare bargain. Call on the doctor for terms of sale.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A good top buggy, in first-class order—will trade for 3-inch wagon. C L HANSEN, Franklin, Or.

FOR SALE.—On very easy terms, 4 acre garden track, with house. Enquire on place opposite Kerns orchard, adjoining Eugene. H Lowenstein.

Miscellaneous.

OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE.—When you want an abstract of title call on Eugene Abstract Co, 1st door south of Chrisman block, Willamette street, Eugene, Oregon.

WOOD CHOPPERS WANTED.—To cut fir at 75 and 80 cents per cord. Cash 10th of each month. Apply to C A Miller, Oregon City, Oregon.

WANTED—Second hand household goods. Inquire one door west of Lane's Hall, Eighth street, Eugene, Oregon.

WELL DRILLING.—I am prepared to drill or bore wells of any capacity or depth. Call on or address me at Fairmount, Oregon. CHARLES WEAVER.

GOATS.—All kinds of goats at all kinds of prices at my place near Monroe. For particulars call on Mr Gross near Monroe, or write to Geo A Hoke, Eugene, Ore.

FARM FOR SALE.—216 acres one and one-half miles above Isabel P O, on the Mohawk. 50 acres under cultivation, remainder contains good timber and good pasture; good house, barn, stock sheds, etc. Price $2500. Address E J Munkers, Isabel, Ore.

RESULT OF TEACHERS' EXAMination, Held August 9, 10 and 11, by W. M. Miller, Supt., and G. L. Harwood and Augusta Patterson, Examiners.

FIRST GRADE—3.

Miss Olla Krider, Eugene.
Miss Ruth Stevenson, Eugene.
Miss Mabel Haggard, Eugene.

SECOND GRADE—15.

Leslie Haggard, Eugene.
Dalton Baughman, Pleasant Hill.
Ella Edwards, Junction City.
Alice Fisk, Hale.
A O Mosier, Eugene.
Nellie Loomis, Springfield.
Minnie Spong, Cottage Grove.
Ida Peach, Springfield.
May Dean, Springfield.
Alta M Schneider, Monroe.
Allie Whitney, Pleasant Hill.
Ella Addison, Lorane.
Ada M Smith, Eugene.
Mamie Scott, Fairmount.
Emma Green, Eugene

THIRD GRADE—9.

John Walden, Walker.
Pearl Addison, Lorane.
Fanny Woodruff, Lorane.
R L Spong, Cottage Grove.
Amanda Morehouse, Jasper.
Bessie Moore, Creswell.
Ada B Millican, Eugene.
Lillie Whitbeck, Junction City.
Corlie A Starr, Monroe.

W. M. MILLER,
County School Superintendent.

Real Estate Transactions.

Lester Reynolds and wife to Ansel Wood, 39½ acres in t 20 s r 3 w; $400.

T J Chesher and wife to L P Tallman, 160 acres in t 18 s r 8 w; $200.

George C Frissell 160.27 acres in tp 16 s r 5 e; patent.

J I Jones and wife to A F and William Johnson, 14 acres near Wm Shields' donation land claim; $820.

W D Neely to Jason Neely 156.44 acres in tp 18 s r 8 w; $500.

Charles D Brown and wife to William Horn, land in Cottage Grove; $1,000.

O & C R R Co to Marion Hager, land in tp 19 s r 4 w; $260.55.

J H Seever and wife to W W Withers, 41.57 acres in tp 17 s r 2 w; $1,245 60.

A J Saltsman and wife to Cordelia Reynolds, 12 acres in tp 15 s r 5 w; $400.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

In the matter of the Estate of Samuel Brumbaugh, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by virtue of an order of the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Samuel Brumbaugh, deceased, duly made and entered of record in said Court on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1899, the undersigned administrator of said estate will, on Saturday, the 19th day of August 1899 at the hour of one o'clock p m of said day at the southwest door of the courthouse at Eugene in said county, offer for sale, and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property belonging to said estate towit: The West one-half of the north-west one-fourth (W½ of N W¼) of sec 18 tp 21 S R, 2 W, Willamette meridian, containing 80 acres in Lane county Oregon

W E. Brown, Administrator of the tate of Samuel Brumbaugh deceased.

Henry C Weixselfelder, a subject of the Emperor of Germany, has filed with County Clerk Lee a declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States.