

THREE CAGERS.

The man Tom Young who stole some harness from farmers near Eugene, and who is supposed to have been committing other depredations between Portland and Eugene, was captured near Oakland Sunday afternoon. This is the same fellow who held up Deputy Sheriff Bowe on the West Side Saturday night and made his escape. Bowe was here looking for him and received a message from Sheriff Fiske that his man had left Eugene, routing this way. Mr. Bowe and Marshal Underwood were patrolling the Saginaw roads and when the man came in on the West Side Bowe was alone but halted his man and proceeded to make an examination of the harness. Young sat quietly in the wagon until the sheriff passed around the team and took toward the wagon, when he placed a large size revolver in the deputy's face and told him to be good, and proceeded to drive away. Of course, the Deputy Sheriff was good; although he had a revolver in his hand he did not fire upon the man under arrest and when he found that Young was possessed, Sheriff Fiske with Marshal Lawson, and Sheriff Pratt of Douglas county, captured Young near Oakdale and lodged him in the Lane county jail. It is thought by the authorities that it is more than likely that the fellow's entire outfit is stolen property. The team is supposed to be horses recently released from Mr. Edward's farm between Eugene and Junction, and the wagon may belong to a party at Albany, or possibly in Portland. It is a new wagon of the city delivery style, and is easily worth \$150 or \$175. The horses are said to be worth at least \$100 each, so the value of the team in finding the two set stolen at Eugene are among the outfit. Besides these are blankets, grain sacks, a surgeon's worth of bandages, a five gallon can of axle grease, and various other articles.

He Gave The Gun.

For many months "the big buck" has been the subject of much conversation and speculation, on Musky Creek in the vicinity of the John Palmer homestead. For years this stately king of the forest has roamed his native haunts with the freedom of the "meadows of all he surveys."

Hunters have grown enthusiastic in pursuing the hunt, and tired and disengaged at the end of the chase, coming to camp empty handed and with only the story of how this majestic forest monarch started from the rugged and shaded pine forest and log. Hunters long ago told the story of "the big buck" and avowed that he was not for mortal man to bag. Big, single and in gangs, failed to corral him and often times, so the story goes, he has been known to fight them off and depart his way. But perseverance wins. To J. J. Benson and Frank Palmer belongs the credit of laying this majestic beast low. One day last week were hard upon the hunt, and coming into a small canyon, they walked out upon a fallen tree that extended above and over the side of the canyon. As they neared the trail leading out of the tree, "the big buck" and his companion were started. When they sprang to their feet, they appeared to be unable to locate the approach of the enemy, as the sound came from above them. In a moment the deadly rifle bullet sped on its way from two well-aimed rifles, and the old monarch—the victim of many a chase—fell dead. Both bullets took effect and so the hunter is evenly divided. Mr. Benson stated that the animal weighed fully one-hundred pounds and when they dressed the four quarters they weighed 125 pounds. It was all one man could do to pack the animal 100 feet without resting. Mr. Benson has the horns, which are handsome four pointers and will have them mounted.

Three Piles of Granite.

Something has been doing in the office of the granite and forestry warden this week. It has been known for some time that a considerable amount of disrespect was shown for the state game laws, and while generally speaking the boys do not in fact do much harm when they shoot game out of season, yet there is a law regulating this and the law should be respected. State game warden during the past week has caused the arrest and incarceration of three of the violators with more to follow. August Henry, charged with having two quail in his possession, plead guilty and was fined \$5. A youth charged with killing native birds in the city area was fined \$10, and Chas. Flinnerty charged with killing China pheasant, plead guilty and was fined \$5.

Wm. Bidler Dead.

Wm. reached this city last Tuesday morning that Wm. Bidler, of Oakland, died that morning at 8 o'clock. Mr. Bidler had been in poor health for a number of years, and early this spring made a several week's visit to this city and vicinity, the guest of his brother-in-law, Ira Conner. At one time Mr. Bidler lived here and had many friends who through long years of acquaintances learned to honor and respect him, and who will be pained to learn of his death.

Fine Apples.

A couple of apples that should be the pride of anyone's heart, and which would make the average Easterner green with jealousy, are to be seen in the window. They were presented at this place by A. W. Zinkler last Tuesday, through the kindness of A. G. Taplin, who grew them in his orchard near Saginaw. Mr. Zinkler did not remember the variety, and while the name is certainly worth recording to be fully appreciated they must be seen. One of them weighs 22 ounces and the other 23, measuring 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 16 inches respectively.

Night Service.

D. P. Patterson, local manager of the Telephone Co., who some ten days ago made solicitations for more phone subscribers with the view of establishing a telephone line which the church has met with success, and it is understood that the night service will go into effect about October 1. It will certainly be appreciated by the patrons of the line and is another step along the line of progressive and permanent improvement. In this city.

ENLARGED PICTURES.

G. W. Bradford is now prepared to make enlarged pictures and in order to get his work introduced will make a beautiful enlarged portrait for \$1 for all those having one dozen \$3 cabinet photos. No coupons necessary. This offer will stand good until the 15th of Sept. Everybody invited to call and inspect his work.

STOVES & RANGES

We have just received a complete shipment of AIR TIGHT HEATERS. Call and See Them and get Prices.

Wynne Hardware Co., Proprietors.

Dr. Lowe oculo-optician—Eugene—Mr. Lowe, of Eugene, is in the city.

The best brand of cigars at the Wave.

Perfumes galore at the Modern Pharmacy.

Ice cream made from pure cream at McLeish's.

Cooling and refreshing: McLeish's ice cream soda.

W. H. Moore, of Eugene, was in the city Wednesday.

Call at the Wave for a box of Bon Boys for Sunday.

Almond macaroons are the best now at McLeish's.

Perfume for the sick room at the Modern Pharmacy.

Old hats retrimmed or new ones very cheap. N. E. Elson.

New goods and little prices as usual at Elson.

The odor of the clover blossoms, both in town and on the hills, is most fragrant.

Get your fruits and candies for Sunday at the Wave Ice Cream Parlors.

We have perfumes that will prove a revelation to you at the Modern Pharmacy.

The National Isoparate leaf Note Book for school children at the Modern Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stone, citizens of Lane county, left this afternoon on a visit to Minneapolis, Minn., to be absent several weeks.

The foot-long universities are opening up in every state in the Union and the long-haired students of the noble arts are gathering for the fray.

Try one of these delightful lace messages. Removable black heads and tailings color to the cheeks at All-in-a-Hosting-stomper parlors.

L. T. Harris and Alf Walker, of Eugene, passed through Cottage Grove Sunday en route to Bohemia. They stopped at the North Fairview Inn for the night.

The residence of W. L. Conner on Wall street, a promising shop, and will be completed in the time of the first frost. It will be one of the neatest residences on Wall street.

J. Conlin is building a fine residence in the northwest part of the city a two-story front which greatly enhances the value of the property and add materially to its appearance.

The residence of LeRoy Woods being built by O. H. Willard and Bradley Sheldt is receiving the finishing touches and will be completed at ready for occupancy in a couple of weeks.

Eugene is putting forth every effort to make the District Fair to be held at that place next week, a howling success. It should be patronized by all Lane county citizens and all should endeavor to make it strictly a Lane county fair.

The new building is going forward as fast as masons can lay the brick and the walls will be completed before many days. This building will be one of the most substantial and valuable improvements in the city.

The repairs on the Graham hotel, formerly the Sherwood, are completed and it is modern throughout. The bar fixtures added are very neat and attractive. The hotel has been newly furnished and now offers first class accommodation to all.

Bert Lawton will complete the painting of the exterior of the Oregon & Southeastern depot and office building this week. The building looks very pretty in its new coat of grey and is a neat looking building.

Mrs. Maudie Kelley, one of Cottage Grove's popular teachers, arrived last Friday to take up her school work for the ensuing year.

Thus Parker, the bakery man, was up to Albany the first of the week taking a rest after his tussle with the diphteria.

It is reported that the goods of the Richardson music house will be moved to Roseburg the latter part of the week.

McLellan's is the only place in town where you can buy a box of Aldon chocolates and Bon Bons.

There will be no Sunday school at either of the churches on next Sunday account of diphteria.

Mrs. Horace Cochran, who has been visiting friends at Junction, returned home last Friday.

Attorneys J. S. Medley and Jerome Kaino visited the county seat last Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Bradford departed for Roseburg Monday on a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roberts, of Eugene, arrived Monday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vandenberg.

D. C. Underwood, of Moscow Idaho, is in the city this week visiting Ed Underwood and family.

Cottage Grove flour is as good as any flour made in the valley. Ask your grocer for it.

Fall Millinery, very latest to arrive from 10th and 15th from Chicago with Ed Underwood and family.

Home made Candles always fresh and the best at the Wave Ice Cream Parlors.

Miss Bessie Boyles returned Monday from a few days visit with friends at Salem.

L. B. Canfield returned Sunday from Salem where he attended the State Fair.

W. H. Hawley was in from his Row river ranch last Monday.

Darwin Bristow was down to Eugene Wednesday on business.

Mrs. C. J. Howard and daughter visited Eugene on business.

J. L. Jones was down to Eugene Tuesday on business.

Rev. E. E. Billington who has for the past year been holding the pastorate of the Christian church at this place, and also teaching school at Eugene, having completed his course, will now take up permanent residence in Cottage Grove and have personal charge of the church here. Mr. Billington is a young man of strong characteristics and has put forth much energy, time and hard study to prepare himself for his chosen profession, and in his endeavors should have the hearty co-operation of those with whom he is laboring. Mr. Billington with his family now occupies the Field's residence and will make this his permanent home.

Next Sunday will be the last sermon of Rev. Geo. H. Fiske for this year, however it is confidently hoped by his many admirers and members of his church that he will be returned by the conference to Cottage Grove. At the quarterly conference held a few days ago the members of the M. E. church took occasion to officially express themselves and by vote unanimously requested the state conference which will meet next month in Salem to return Rev. Fiske.

He is an enthusiastic minister, a good worker for his church and deserves the hearty commendation given him by his church. J. L. Jones was appointed lay delegate to the conference.

Dr. J. E. Hosmer moved his family to Eugene last week and this week moved his office fixtures and now occupies one of the best suites of rooms in Eugene, being located in the L. O. O. F. building. Dr. Hosmer has been located in Cottage Grove for about two months and during this time has built up a large practice as a specialist in eye, ear, nose and throat work, and those who have had the pleasure of acquaintance with the doctor and his services be family regret to see him move away. Dr. Hosmer will shift Cottage Grove next Thursday and leave on Wednesday.

Game and Forestry Warden Baker went down to Albany Tuesday and arrested Hugh Brandon, charging him with having in his possession a China pheasant of seasons. Young Brandon had presented the pheasant to a young lady and the warden received the information through her relatives. Mr. Brandon entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$1 and costs. Mr. Baker reports considerable violation of the game laws and binds himself on the go ahead of the game.

The temporary foot bridge erected for footmen, while the new bridge was being erected, has been torn away and a walk built on the south side of the original bridge. This will greatly add to the convenience but by moving the bridge over and putting in a walk on the north side, A better improvement would be well a new steel bridge would do.

The window displays of Mosley & Miller, the energetic building up-to-date, reflect well upon the filling of houses and is well worth visiting. It contains fruits, minerals and cereals and is thoroughly representative of this district. This is the best method in the world to attract the eye of the visitor and is the proper way to "show 'em" that this section of Oregon is strictly first class.

W. B. Hawley, of Lorane, has the many timbers of the entire Bohemia Nugget force for a lack of prunes left at this office Monday. Mr. Hawley has an excellent prime orchard and finds a ready market for all he can raise. If anything wrong should befall the Nugget force it may be attributed to the fact that the entire force is well of prunes.

C. M. Henklein, of Lorane, is in Cottage Grove for a short time Thursday, and called at the Nugget office. Mr. Henklein is one of the successful farmers of Lane county and is a good business. He informs us that he marketed 70 tons of hay at \$12.50 per ton and has left about 70 tons for his own use.

J. R. Brown, father of Mrs. Lee W. Henry, who was seriously injured in the Hay's hop yard, by falling, is rapidly improving. Mr. Brown was seriously injured but is movable to bed and recovering the appearance of the Nugget force it may be attributed to the fact that the entire force is well of prunes.

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