

Eugene Guard.

SATURDAY .....FEBRUARY 21

DEFENDS A PLAIN ATTEMPT TO STEAL.

What must be the opinion of Lane County timber owners regarding the Eugene Register? About the logging stream franchise bill it says:

The bill has been gone over carefully and all features eliminated that would in any way interfere with the rights of lumbermen, whether their interests be large or small, and the measure which has already passed the house and been wisely amended in the senate should have no trouble in becoming a law.

In the broad commercial sense the law is perfectly just and should be enacted.

With all this pretty palaver there is not a timber-land owner along the McKenzie and Willamette rivers and their tributaries that does not feel that should such a bill happen to become a law he would be robbed of a considerable part of his holdings. There is no guesswork about this statement. The timber-land owners appreciate the danger, and, to a man, condemn the measure.

EXCUSES THE MASTER.

In opposition to the logging bill the GUARD says Eugene people own 20 sections of timber on Quartz Creek and that the holder of a franchise on this stream would make a handsome sum off these owners for running their logs. Now as we understand it there is nothing in this proposed bill to prevent the owners from combining and taking out a franchise on their own account. The GUARD is badly scared long before there is possibility of anyone being hurt. Any individual, association or corporation can take out a franchise under provisions of the bill.—Register.

This is about as lame a defense or excuse as possible of a measure that if passed would virtually confiscate a good share of the values of timber lands held by small owners in Lane County. It is asserted that "any individual, association or corporation can take out a franchise under the provisions of this bill." This is not true, at least only partially so. The bill provides that priority of claim to the stream should carry possession of the franchise. Even the Register, we do not think, would have the hardihood to claim for a moment that the people who have engineered this very objectionable scheme would not be the first to file their surveys and maps of the streams of which possession is desirable.

Holders of timber lands had just cause for being "scared" before they were "hurt." It was a finely concocted scheme.

CHANCE TO GET BRAINS FOR SENATE.

The casting of the greater part of Multnomah's vote for ex-governor Geer for senator yesterday makes it apparent that the Geer forces will go to Editor Scott of the Oregonian whenever called upon. Of course the ex-governor realizes that the prize hangs above his reach and will make the best bargain possible in the disposal of the votes under his control.

The state would be big gainer through the election of the Portland editor—would get a man of brains who knows the wants of the state instead of the usual graft from the legislature of some palavering politician.

Senator Kaykendall will have cause to remember his vote on the "logging stream" bill if he ever comes before the people again.

In order to avoid paying his just taxes young Rockefeller swears that he is worth only \$30,000. His father ought to give him one day's income and put him on his feet.

A new office with about as much use as a wagon for a fifth wheel, that of State Examiner of offices, is proposed. The principal part of the bill work be the drawing of salaries, though it is supposed that county officers will be kept check of.

If there is anything ridiculous about the laws of Oregon it is in the paying of such meager sums to members of the legislature. There is Mr. Shelley leaves his business for forty days, pays expenses at Salem, and gets but \$141! And the other Lane County members get nearly the same amount. It is shameful!

LIST OF CIRCUIT COURT JURORS

Men Who Will Try Cases at the Regular March Term.

- Sheriff Fisk and County Clerk Lee have drawn the jury list for the March term of circuit court, as follows: M J Hillgas, farmer, Creswell. Alfred Brattain, farmer, Camp Creek. W T Carroll, capitalist, Eugene. Wm Seavey, farmer, Mohawk. Geo Fisher, real estate agent, Eugene. J R Sellers, capitalist, Eugene. A J Harlow, farmer, Springfield. W H Abrams, manufacturer, Cottage Grove. C D Holloway, blacksmith, Fairmount. Jerry Atkinson, farmer, Siuslaw. G H Hale, farmer, Chester. J D Cox, farmer, Long Tom. C Hodas, liquor dealer, Eugene. Amos Wilkins, farmer, Willamette. J W Neet, farmer, Bailey. Walter Blachley, farmer, Lane. A J Campbell, farmer, Wendling. Lincoln Taylor, farmer, Cottage Grove. Chas Friabee, farmer, Irving. Lane Matlock, farmer, Goshen. J A Armitage, farmer, Springfield. I E Stevens, real estate agent, Eugene. Thos Van Duyn, farmer, Willamette. C Hays, farmer, Jasper. W R Goodman, farmer, Long Tom. G N Castle, farmer, Siuslaw. Geo Smith, farmer, Springfield. A Yerington, druggist, Eugene. Wm Reed, farmer, Goshen. Marion Smith, farmer, Junction City.

Cloverdale Items.

Guard Special Service. CLOVERDALE, Feb 18.—Mrs John Winzenreid and daughter, Lets, are spending the week at Springfield visiting relatives.

Misses Louise Mathes and Myrtle Smith spent a few days with Eugene friends this week.

Mrs Shaffer, of Southern Oregon, is visiting at the home of her brother, Wm Barnett.

Floyd Mathes spends most of his odd days at the home of his friend, Mr Schmitt's. Wonder why?

Warren McFarland, of Cottage Grove, is spending this week down on the farm.

Loren Scribner has rented the Frank Winzenreid property and is busy putting everything in readiness for the future.

Mrs May Kelly and friend, Mrs T D Sullivan, went to Eugene today, expecting to return tomorrow.

L R Long, of Cottage Grove, spent Sunday with his friend, Miss Mathes.

Quite a number of young people attended the masquerade ball at Creswell the 18th and all report a fine time.

New Process.

The new process of tanning glove leather has proved to be of great advantage as by it the leather is not affected by fire or water or steam. This is accomplished by working asbestos in the leather during the tanning process, and it is a secret process, guarded very closely by the tanners. Gloves made of this leather wear extra well and give the wearer more value for the cost than gloves made of common leather. We have now a big stock of gloves made of this leather in a variety of styles and prices.

Notice these prices: 50c, 60c, 70c, 75c, 90c, \$1.15, \$1.20, and \$1.25. Common gloves at 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, and 45c. We would like for you to call and examine these good gloves. Yours, BARKER GUN WORKS, 9th St., Eugene, Ore.

P.S.—We will send them by mail any place for same price.

Homes for Children.

The Oregon Children's Home Society has children for placement in good family homes. Ages from one month to fourteen years. Five hundred children have been received by the society since 1895 and placed in homes on this upper coast. More than twenty thousand children have been placed in homes in twenty-five states in twenty years. Address Supt. I F Tobey at 606 Marquam Building, Portland, Or.

Landscape Gardening.

Otto 8th, expert landscape gardener. Pruning and all kinds of garden work. Call at Wald House.

The Best Prescription for Malaria, Chills and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay Price 50c.

Seed Oats.

Choice seed oats for sale. Address DOUGLAS & Co, Eugene. Steps to the South and Works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

J. W. KAYS' FURNITURE CO Embalmers and Funeral Directors

Day & Henderson, Undertakers and Embalmers, Cor. Will and 7th

Goshen Items.

Guard Special Service. Goshen, Feb. 18.—Mr. Winters, who has lived alone on his farm near the Coast Fork bridge for a year or so, has sold his farm to Chester Winters, his nephew, and has moved to Eugene to reside in the future.

W. J. Mulkey, of Monmouth, who has been visiting his son Chauncey, of Pleasant Hill, returned home Monday.

Alex Stewart and wife, of Waitsburg, Wash., stopped off here Sunday on their way home from an extended Eastern trip, and visited with his brother, Wm. Stewart for a few days.

Miss Annie Kupetz came up from Eugene Monday to visit her parents.

A. A. Keeney, who was visiting his brother, B. F., here, went to Eugene Monday where he will visit for a day or so with his brother, J. M., before leaving for Tacoma.

It is rumored that Will Elliott is thinking of taking a position of night clerk in a Creswell hotel.

M. E. Tallafiero, of Natron, visited with his son-in-law, B. F. Keeney, Wednesday.

Henry Streeter has gone to Douglas, Eastern Oregon, to engage in work there.

J. H. Hamilton, section foreman here for the S. P. Co., was the man who prevented a wreck at this place Saturday morning, when the delayed north-bound overland express train ran into Goshen six minutes ahead of time and was stopped by Mr. Hamilton's frantic signals when under full headway. This avoided a head-end collision with the south-bound work train which was making for the passing track at the depot. The trains were stopped within but a few feet of each other—so close that the engineer and fireman on the work train apprehended their danger and jumped from their engine before engineer "Curly" McQuaid, of the overland, stopped his train. A debt of gratitude is due Mr. Hamilton on the part of the passengers and train men for thus preventing a very serious wreck.

Mr. Bangs, through our stage driver, Mr. C. M. Parker, requests all patrons along the route (Dexter-Goshen), to provide mail pouches or sacks for their mail, which is carried free along "Star" routes. This request is occasioned by reason of some complaints having been made relative to the misplacement of mail which through mistake sometimes occurred. It is our opinion that while these mistakes did occur, the principal "kickers" were those who were not familiar with the law to the extent of knowing that they were receiving daily accommodations from the carrier who has never refused to take up letters left in way-side boxes, although the law does not require it of him. Some people do not appreciate accommodations.

Mrs. Lois Nye, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Hamilton, will return to her home in Portland tomorrow.

Pleasant Hill Notes.

Pleasant Hill, Feb. 17.—Elliott Bros. have sold their store to Mr. Strother, lately from the East, who is re-stocking the store in all departments.

Miss Daisy Jay returned last Wednesday from a two weeks' visit with friends in Portland.

Dalton and Ruby Baughman have returned from Trent and Unity, where they have just finished long terms of school.

Uncle Jed Wheeler has sold his store and residence property to Tom Walker, who will immediately occupy the same.

Miss Elsie Parks has returned from Salem but expects to leave at once for Ashland to resume her studies in the State Normal school there.

Mrs. P. N. Laird visited relatives in Eugene and Creswell last week.

The subject of a co-operative creamery is being earnestly discussed by the farmers here, but the outcome is still uncertain.

Miss Jane Mitchell is visiting friends at Cottage Grove.

Mrs. Etta Baughman, of Monmouth, is visiting relatives and old friends for a few days.

Ed Parks left this week for Silver Lake where he is an employee of Porter Bros.

Anon.

NOTICE OF STOCK HOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stock holders of the North Fairview Mining Company will be held at the office of the North Fairview Mining Company in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, on the 7th day of March, A. D., 1903, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day for the purpose of electing a board of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before this meeting of the stock holders.

Dated at Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, this 13th day of Feb, 1903. WILLIAM FABER, President. L. T. HARRIS, Secretary.

Wants Interest in Sawmill.

Party with \$2500 wants to buy in interest in small sawmill. Address "Wisconsin," care of GUARD, Eugene, Or.

You Know What You're Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay, 50c.

NEWS NOTES FROM FLORENCE

Shipping Is Lively on the Siuslaw-Sawmill Improvements, Etc.

Guard Special Service. Florence, Feb. 19.—O W Hurd is just completing a large two-story addition to his residence in Florence.

Next week a large force of men will commence on O W Hurd's mill here.

M E Seibert & Co, of Acme, have contracted all the lumber they can cut in their mill for one year.

Important improvements have been made in the Spruce Point mill and it is now running at its full capacity.

The schooner Bells was brought in on Monday. In addition to a large quantity of freight for our merchants she brought three large boilers and machinery for the Acme mill which will nearly double its capacity.

The new tug contracted for by O W Hurd is to become of the best on the coast and is expected to be here by the first of July.

There are five schooners here loaded with lumber and will probably be sent on their way today or tomorrow. The Bells will finish unloading today and will then load with lumber at the Spruce Point mill.

The I O O F gasoline boat will soon be ready for use.

Lawns are being cleaned up and flowers and shrubbery planted, showing that the country is very much alive.

Courthouse Notes.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Mary E. Croft to James Humphrey lots 10 and 11, block 9, and lots 12 and 13, block 28, Frazier & Hyland add to Eugene.

California & Oregon Land Co. to V. F. Herbert, 40 acres in tp. 21 s, r 3 e, §200.

S. M. and Elizabeth Elliott to Wm. E. and Anna Smith, 40x80 feet in Eugene, §1300.

J. L. and G. H. Jones to Maud Masterson, 1 acre in tp. 20 s, 3 w, §200.

U. S. to Ole Roe, 160 acres in tp. 22 s, 3 w, patent.

Union Trust & Investment Co., to Wm. McMaisters the "Bald Butte," "Wild West" and "Grover" mining locations on Bald Butte mountain in tp. 23 s, r 3 w, §1.

Rufus Mallory, Trustee, to Carl E. Fisher, lot 3, block 38, Springfield, §100.

F. A. and S. E. Rankin to Z. A. Davis, all claim and interest in 80 acres in tp. 16 s, r 4 w, §1.

Albert E. and Sarah F. Davis to Willie E. Davis, east 36 feet of lot 7, block 4, original plat of Springfield, §1.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

The notarial commission of I. P. Inman, of Lorane, is filed.

MINING LOCATION.

F. J. Hurd locates "Morgan" claim in Bohemia mining district.

Wm. Odgers and W. F. Hines locate "Gold Reef" mining claim in Blue River district.

Wm. Odgers the "Early Bird" claim in Blue River district.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Kate Moores vs. Seman Oliver, to recover money. A. C. Woodcock attorney for plaintiff.

LOG BRAND.

J. B. and J. S. Hills have filed log brands as follows: Letter N, 1 1/2 inches long; letter N in an oval circle 2 3/4 inches long and 1 8/10 inches wide; letter N in circle.

A Damage Suit.

Roseburg Review: Mrs. Ella Wall, of Cottage Grove, has filed a suit in the Douglas county circuit court against the Oregon Securities Co. for \$10,000 damages. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant corporation removed ore amounting to the sum asked from the Evening Star mine in the Bohemia district, of which she is owner. She also asks that the defendant be enjoined from any further removal of ore from said mine. A C Woodcock, of Eugene, appears for plaintiff.

City Property for Sale

Lown and have for sale about 800 lots in seven different additions to Eugene. Am laying off a new addition. Lots sold on reasonable terms for \$50 and upwards. I employ no agents, I alone sell my property. These lots are going fast, so anyone wanting to purchase would do well to call early. Some of this property would be exchanged for desirable timber lands. T & H HENDRICKS.

No Prices Like Ours on

GROCERIES

- 1 lb. Sage, 5c. 1 lb. Tapioco, 5c. 1 lb. English Breakfast Tea, 25c. 20 lb. Good Rice, \$1.00. 20 lb. Silver Prunes, \$1.00

W. M. Green, Phone Main 25-1 619 Willamette St.

Hardware and Sporting Goods



Having recently added a complete line of HARDWARE and SPORTING GOODS to my bicycle business in the Walton block I invite you to call and examine the stock. Everything new and up-to-date.

The 1903 Bicycles

Have arrived. Most complete repair shop in town where all kinds of repairing is done. A full line of Bicycle Sundries and Tires.

Cass Matlock The Bicycle Man.

513 Willamette Street.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN.

Notices under this head not to exceed five lines, 50 cents per week; \$1.50 a month; \$12 per year.

Lost and Found.

STRAYED.—From Coburg, Feb 7, a dark brown mare with light bay two-year-old colt, both with halters. A suitable reward will be given for their return to Ira Tanton, Coburg, Oregon.

LOST—A white steer about 2 years old, and a brindle hound pup a year old in May. Steer marked with half undercoat on left ear. Please leave with John Hostetter, Siuslaw, Ore.

WATCH LOST.—Near Luper station during the Lyons chase Monday, a lady's gold watch. Finder return to the GUARD office and receive reward.

For Sale.

LEGHORN COCKERELS—Pure bred Brown Leghorn cockerels for sale. Terms reasonable. Apply at the farm of L C Vitus three miles east of Irving on river road, or address L C Vitus, Eugene.

Miscellaneous.

AUCTIONEER.—Parties wishing to make sales would do well to call on Samuel Jamieson, professional auctioneer, Eugene, Ore.

List of Letters

Remaining unclaimed in the post-office at Eugene, Oregon, Feb 18, 1903 Cramer, R M Dougherty, C H Fisk, Mrs Frank Hendrickson, Miss Nola Long, Col J McDunbury, A Pickens, W T Tabor, M C Watson, T W Young, M S When calling for the above please say when advertised. H F McCORNAK, P M.

TO CURE A BOLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E W Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

C S Farrow & Co will sell you the best plows and harrows.

Dr Lowe, the optician, will be in his Eugene office all next week. Have him test your eyes for glasses.

GRAIN-O THE PURE GRAIN COFFEE

Even children drink Grain-O because they like it and the doctors say it is good for them. Why not? It contains all of the nourishment of the pure grain and none of the poisons of coffee. TRY IT TO-DAY. At grocers everywhere; 15c. and 25c. per package.

Horses Wanted...

The old reliable business firm, the Seattle Auction and Sale Stables, Inc., which holds special auction sales every day and regular weekly auctions every Friday, receive horses, 1 or 10, on consignment and will sell on commission or will buy your horses outright. If you have any number of horses you wish to dispose of at the Seattle market prices, no matter how far you are from the city, write us full descriptions and we will let you know what the prices are and how they are selling. All communications promptly answered. N T Joubert, Mgr., N J Walker Auct., 1212 Western Ave., Seattle, Wash.

Extra Special No 11 - - Saturday Night, 7 to 9.

at FRIENDLY'S

We aim to make this Extra Special Sale The Biggest we have had

By giving better values than we have yet given at any of our Extra Special Sales.

50 doz Ladies' (strictly all wool) hose selling regular at 40c and Saturday from 7 to 9 ALL GO AT.....

50 doz Misses' black all wool hose, sizes from 4 1/2 to 8 1/2, extra good value at 25c Saturday 7 to 9 p. m. .... (2 for 25c).....

GENTS' FURNISHING DEPARTMENT. 75 doz Men's Fancy Socks selling reg 35c to 50c Saturday 7 to 9 p m

100 doz Men's Cotton Socks, selling reg at 25c Saturday 7 to 9 p m or 3 pair for 25 cents.

10 doz Men's Handkerchiefs sold at 15c, Saturday 7 to 9 p m

10 doz Men's Handkerchiefs regular 10c kind Saturday 7 to 9 p m

The above goods may be seen in our window. We have never had such an array of beautiful Spring goods as we have for the coming season. Spring Stock nearly complete.

A good hen

Does business every day and lets you know it.

When She Doesn't Cackle You know there's nothing doing.

Call at our store and investigate this proposition.

IOWA GROCERY COMPANY

Successors to J. L. Page.

I Have

bought out L. C. Skeels' grocery store. With the continuation of the old customers and others also. Will try to treat you right. Corner grocery store 9, st.

JOHN PRYOR.

First showing of spring wash goods

We have put on sale our first shipment of Spring Styles in Grenadines, Organdies, Dimities, Gingham and all the delicate weaves in silk and linen.

We are also showing our complete line of Shirt Waists, Silk Waistings, Plain and Changeable Silk Taffeta.

The soft guaranteed quality. We will take great pleasure in showing you our NEW GOODS.

Tolmie & Traver

Successors to P F & Son