

Corvallis, May 13, 1881.

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CHURCH DIRECTORY.

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES.—Preaching every second and fourth Sabbath in each month at the College Chapel, by the Rev. F. P. Davidson. Services begin at 11 A. M., and 6:30 P. M. All are invited.

PREBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Regular services every Sabbath morning and evening. Sunday School at the close of the morning service. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7 P. M. Public cordially invited.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.—Services regularly every Sabbath—morning and evening, unless otherwise announced. Sunday school at 9 A. M. each Sabbath. Prayer meeting every Thursday at 7 P. M. Public cordially invited.

M. E. CHURCH.—Regular services every Sunday, at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday-school at the close of the morning service, with Bible classes for old and young. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. A general invitation and cordial welcome.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.—Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M., at the college chapel. Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Public cordially invited.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCERT.—Early last Friday evening crowds of persons were seen on the streets all going in the direction of the city hall to witness the concert given at that place by the Prebyterian Sunday school, and long before the time to commence the hall was filled by an expectant audience.

The chorus consisting of over forty voices was simply excellent, the time was clear and the different parts sounded clear, distinct and melodious. We give below a portion of the programme that occurred on account of the execution merits and special mention.

"Seasons," solo and chorus in costume, admirably executed by Misses Sarah Jacob, Edie Robinson, Emma Webber and Nellie Simmons. "A Good Name" solo and chorus in which Misses Ella Chenoweth, Clara Blair, Lizzie Keese and Minnie Elliott exhibited decided musical talent.

"Come to the Harvest"—solo and chorus well sung by Misses Mattie Burnett, Clara Abbey, Laura Kourthausner and Laura Emrick. "Harvest time is passing by," was simply beautiful, the solos were sung by Misses Ollie Kiger, Flora Parsons and Minnie Newell, with a full chorus of the whole school.

A dialogue entitled, "May Queen," was well performed by George Vincent, Ida Ray, Clara Blair, Clara Abbey, Ruth Newell and Louisa Webber, also a dialogue the title of which we failed to note was presented by Miss Hattie Right and Bert Johnson, Bob Wilson, Tommy Jones, John Demick and John Seraffon.

Little Hattie Friendly also sang a solo, entitled "Grandpas Spectacles" that called forth loud and continued applause. A declamation, "The Polish Boy," by Miss Addie Kelly was executed with equal aplomb. The recitations were all well selected and admirably rendered and so far as we noticed them as follows: Rufus Rawlins Ride, by Miss May Johnson; Sacred Religious Games by Miss Nellie Blair; Barbara Fletcher by Annie Kelsey; My Jewish, by Miss Ida Belknap; Miss Millie Dohse's solo, Tender and True was a good selection and well sung.

LOCAL NOTES.

Strawberries and cream. "Among the Breakers" at the opera house to-morrow night. Miss Liza Callaway is visiting friends in the City.

The "Big 4's" will be with us next Thursday. Presbyterian church sociable to-night at B. W. Wilson's. The Fireman's Picnic will be on Queen Victoria's birth-day.

The "Big 4's" is the best minstrel that has ever been on the coast. The Knights of Pythias will give a picnic at Albany on the 30th. Subscriptions received for the "Toledo Blade" at the News Depot.

The minstrel next Thursday will be the biggest show ever in Corvallis. Walter Jackson and Mark Mayer, of Portland, are in the city. Geo. Holman with Hodge Davis & Co., of Portland, is in the city.

Dr. F. A. Vincent is having his office thoroughly overhauled and repainted. If you want to borrow money on your farm, or sell it, call on Bryson & Young. John Marks Sen., an old pioneer of Linn county, died at his residence near Lebanon last week.

Glen O. Holman Esq., formerly a teacher at Philomath college is now city attorney of the Dalles. An account of a few ships having arrived, wheat has advanced to \$1.30 per cental in Portland. The "Big 4's" has 25 men in their minstrel troupe and their actual expenses are \$350 a day.

It makes a person wish he had a large family to buy shoes for, to go through S. H. Look's store. Will Wheeler don't talk to common people this week. It is a girl, weight twelve pounds. Dr. C. R. Templeton and wife returned to Albany last week from a two years sojourn in Philadelphia.

Mr. H. H. Keesling, formerly of this city but recently removed to Portland, was in the city this week. Our fellow townsman, T. J. Buford, made a trip to Portland last Monday, and returned on Wednesday. Bryson & Young have money to loan in any sum to suit, on good real estate security at low rate of interest.

A flour mill is soon to be started in Sweet Home valley Linn county civilization encroaching on the Cascade mountains. Half fare on the W. O. R. R., for the picnic on the 24th. This will doubtless bring a large number of visiting friends. R. S. Johnson, salesman with H. G. Martson, took his departure for McMinnville this week where he will reside in future.

Chemoweth & Johnson pay cash for copy warrants, and city orders, also discounts notes and loan money. Call and see us and we will make the rough places smooth. John Lewis says he sells beef steaks as big as his foot at Lewis Osborn's meat market, but that is rather immense if true.

The New Northwest and Riverside are engaged in a killenny discussion, we are sorry to see women bringing their quarrels before the public. Dr. F. Cantoria, of Corvallis, Linn county, is visiting in the city. We are glad to learn that Dr. L. H. meeting with good success in his new home. High School. The new school building has been down from the lumber yard and favored us with a view of the grain prospects in that part of Linn county as excellent.

An essay on Temperance read at the temperance meeting last Monday has been handed us for publication but owing to the crowded condition of our columns, is of necessity declined. Graham, Hamilton & Co. have now in stock the new school books adopted by the Board of Education, for the use of the public schools and will sell them at the introductory and exchange prices.

C. D. Burkhardt, about 68 years of age, one of the old pioneers living about one mile east of the depot at Albany, died on last Saturday morning at 4 o'clock and was buried on Sunday last. One by one they go. The cow ordinance of the city of Corvallis requires that all persons having cows within the corporation shall keep them securely housed during night time. Look out for the marshal and fines for violating this ordinance.

The plug uglies will appear at the picnic on the 24th at the conclusion of the day's exercises. Jack Alpha has taken this matter in hand and every body who has seen him perform in this capacity knows he will make it a decided success. P. P. Gates formerly U. S. mail agent on west side railroad but now in the mercantile business at Yamhill is in the city over Sabbath and from some reason failed to get away on Monday. We are glad to see his genial countenance on our streets. A man by the name of Marshal was arrested, charged with stealing a pair of boots and taken before Justice Wrenn on last Monday; the prisoner declared his innocence but entered a plea of guilty in court and was duly registered at King's hotel with board guaranteed for thirty days by the county.

MINSTRELS.

THE "BIG 4'S" OPEN THE SEASON TO AN IMMENSE HOUSE—A GREAT SUCCESS. For some time the amusement-loving portion of our citizens have been praying for a season of minstrelsy, and their wishes were granted in the arrival of the "Big 4's." They came, bringing with them flattering notices from the first newspapers in the country. This troupe, however, received the most flattering notices from the press of San Francisco, and we confidently expected something far above the average and were not disappointed. The doors were thrown open, and such a rush was never seen in this city.

Before 8 o'clock the gallery was packed like sardines in a box, and men and boys almost tore each other's coats off in their scramble to get inside the doors. Many however were compelled to depart, and they were exceedingly long faces. The dress-circle and parquette were in a great part reserved, and in a few minutes before 8 the box office closed, there being no more room, and many were turned away from the lower floor. The curtain rose amid the deafening roar from the gallery. The first part gave assurance to all that they were being entertained by acknowledged stars of minstrelsy.

Billy Arnold is the first-act comedian on the stage and was loudly applauded. The "Big 4's" surpassed anything in the line ever beheld in Oregon, and a better pleased and satisfied audience never left New Market Theatre. This is one of the best companies that has ever visited this city, and what is more their business is all new.—Telegram, May 4.

NEW FLAG.—The citizens of Corvallis have procured the necessary funds and sent to San Francisco for a flag for the use of the city which will float over the city on public occasions. The flag staff has been procured and will be raised in a few days, as soon as prepared, it will be eighty three feet in height, the money used for this purchase, was subscribed to defray the expenses of the 4th of July celebration here two years ago, and has ever since been in the bank until this sensible use was made of it.

LETTER LIST.—Following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for at post-office at Corvallis, May 10th. Persons calling for them will please say "advertised." Jenkins Arimonti, Ozer Cathrine, Lloyd Mary Mow, Stephens Mrs. S. A. Taylor, Ella. Alin F. S., Louis Hammond, Briggs A. P., Spencer Geo., W. D. Holtes A., Fisher S. B.

THROWN FROM A HORSE.—Last Friday Mr. Fred H. Francis of King's Valley, was thrown from his horse about a mile West of Corvallis, receiving several painful bruises on different parts of his person, the most severe of which was on the right thigh which will perhaps continue to be sore for several days, he was immediately taken to the house of Capt. Symonds, and Dr. Farrar called who dressed the bruises and at last accounts the patient is doing well.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.—The temperance meeting on Monday night was well attended and opened with singing and prayer. Essay by W. W. Johnson and an address by Rev. Mr. Haberham, followed by remarks by Mr. Hoxter, after which the pledge was circulated and signed by a large number of persons. We were unable to be present, so can not give further particulars, but are informed that considerable interest was manifested. We are glad to see the good work 'o'on.

NABBY IN EUROPE.—Nabby will go to Europe this summer and will send regular correspondence to his paper the "Toledo Blade," during his travels. This will make the Blade one of the most readable papers in America during the next few months and every one who wishes to enjoy a real treat of innocent humor should subscribe. T. J. Buford is the agent in this city is authorized to take subscriptions at reduced rates. Call at the news depot.

HANDSOME PRESENTS.—Mr. R. C. Kiger has handsome presents for his birthday presented to him on his birthday by Mr. Henry Simonds, the case is beautiful, carved and is really a thing of beauty and reflects credit on the taste of the donor, Mr. K. was also the recipient of a most delicious cake presented at the same time by Miss Amelia Stock, the good qualities of which we unhesitatingly endorse.

A CORRECTION.—In the last issue of the Gazette we gave the new express rates compared with postage from this city to San Francisco since then we have been informed that those rates were for Portland and not San Francisco the error being printing the rate bills. The rate to San Francisco is as follows: Mail 2 lbs, 32c; 3 lbs 43c, 4 lbs 54c, 5 lbs 65c, express: 2 lbs 30c, 3 lbs 41c, 4 lbs 52c, 5 lbs 63c.

Mart Taylor, the ponderous nosed showman was presented with a new suit consisting chiefly of feathers buttoned with tar, by the citizens of Parker Folk county, last week and allowed ten minutes to display the same and then requested to depart, which he did and when last seen was hoofing it over the railroad ties accompanied by his trained dog Jack. Sic transit gloria dog show.

PICNIC.—The fireman's picnic is on the 24th inst., and not the 30th as stated in our last issue. This change has been made for good and sufficient reasons and will not detract from the pleasure of the occasion every preparation is being made to make the whole affair a decided pleasure.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—All persons indebted to the estate of Henry Warrior, deceased either on account or note will call at my office and settle the same within ten days as the books and notes are in my hands for collection and must be paid. J. R. BRYSON, Attorney for Estate.

Z. J. Hatch of the steamer McCully was in town last Friday and Saturday. He intends making regular trips between this place and Portland from and after June 1st. THE GREAT QUESTION in congress is, who is going to perform the duties of president, James A. Garfield or Roscoe Conkling. LUMBER.—Parties wishing to purchase lumber will find it to their interest to inquire of Allen & Harris, Philomath Oregon. 203v.

NORTHWESTERS.

It is rumored that a woolen mill will be built at Elk Creek, in Douglas county. Campmeeting will commence on June 29th at Sodaville, Linn county Oregon, and continue two Sundays. A young boy in Albany, not more than 14 or 15 years old was recently taken to the city jail in a state of beastly intoxication.

On Wednesday, the 4th inst., the smoke-house of M. C. Brown, at Dallas, was destroyed by fire; loss about \$100; no insurance. California capitalists are negotiating for the franchise of the Coos Bay and Roseburg railroad company. It is supposed with a view of completing the road soon. A man in Walla Walla, killed and ate five bob white quails, who was arrested and fined \$5 for each quail which, together with costs amounted to \$43. Board by the meal is high in Walla Walla.

James Putnam, of Sweet Home, while slugging brush a few days since, had the misfortune to cut himself very badly. The ax, went clear through his foot, striking the sole of his boot. He will doubtless not be in condition to do any more slugging for some time to come. Dr. J. A. Davis and his family, formerly of this place, who recently removed from Albany Oregon to Texas, expecting to make the latter place his future home, have lately returned to Albany not well impressed with the prospects of the mammoth state. This is the second time he has left Oregon for the purpose of finding a more desirable place.

We learn from the Placidator that, Wm. R. Willis has sued Dr. Geo. W. Hoover for sixty dollars. It seems that Willis and Hoover, an waged sixty dollars each. Willis betting that Garfield would get 20, 000 majority and Hogan the contrary. Each one claimed the stakes, which was held by Hoover, who gave them up to Hogan upon his executing a bond of indemnity to Hoover against loss. Willis sued for the amount of stakes placed by him in the hands of Hoover.

On May 1st some unknown party attempted to burn the store of Mr. Cyrus Hedden at Scottsburg. It seems that some one had crept under the store and scraped some chips together in three piles and set them on fire, two of which went out, the other pile burning until it burned through the floor which was discovered by a small boy who gave the alarm. It was extinguished without serious loss. A new stock of general merchandise had just been received by Mr. Hedden which had not been insured.

From the Oregon City Enterprise we learn on Saturday April 30th Mrs. Padraon on returning home on Sunday, after visiting neighbors, found her husband lying close to the house in an insensible condition in a pool of blood. She instantly summoned some of her neighbors who came just in time to see him breathe his last. They followed the road he had come by the blood to the place in the woods where he had been at work where they found a large pool of blood and the man he had been using covered with blood with the iron band off of it. It was supposed that in using the mail, the ring had flown off striking him on the shin, where there was a deep laceration caused by various veins, which were broken by the blow as also were probably some of the large arteries beneath. He had attempted to bandage the wound, but the flow of blood was evidently beyond his control. He was about 50 years of age. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of "accidental death."

Geo. Stephenson, of Jacksonville, will stand his celebrated stallion, Sic Walker, in Corvallis and Albany the coming season, commencing April 2nd and ending July 1st, 1881. For particulars inquire at Sol King's stable, Corvallis. Have Wistars Balsam of Wild Cherry always at hand. It cures coughs, colds, Bronchitis, whooping cough, croup, influenza, Consumption and all throat and Lung complaint. 50 cents and \$1.00 a bottle.

The Peruvian syrup has cured thousands who were suffering from Dyspepsia, Biliary Liver complaints, Boils, Humors, Female complaints, etc. Pamphlets free to any address. Seth W. Fowler & Sons, Boston. WANTED.—Communications from every part of the county, at the GAZETTE office. Trains will run on May 23, 24 and 25 at half rates for the picnic.

FACTS WE KNOW.—If you are suffering with a severe Cough, Cold, Asthma, Bronchitis, Consumption, loss of voice, tickling in the throat, or any affection of the throat or lungs, we know that Dr. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY will give you relief. We know of hundreds of cases it has completely cured, and that where all other medicines have failed. No other remedy can show you so satisfactory that Dr. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY will cure you of Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Consumption, severe Coughs and Cold, Hoarseness, or any Throat or Lung Disease, if you will call at Graham, Hamilton & Co. a drug store you can get a trial bottle free of cost, or a regular size bottle for \$1. Hodge, Davis & Co., wholesale agents, Portland.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblain Corns, and all kinds of Skin Eruptions. Itching Swellings, and all other eruptions. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price 35 cents per box. We Challenge the World.

When we say we believe, we have evidence to prove that Shiloh's Consumption Cure is decidedly the best Lung Medicine made, in as much as it will cure a common or Chronic Cough in one half the time and relieve Asthma, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Croup, and show more cases of Consumption cured than all others. It will cure where they fail, it is pleasant to take, harmless to the youngest child and we guarantee you your money every day whose lives are made miserable by Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour and distended Stomach, Liver Complaint, Constipation, when for 75 cents we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by Allen & Woodward, Druggists.

Do You Believe It. That in this town there are scores of persons passing over their faces every day whose lives are made miserable by Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour and distended Stomach, Liver Complaint, Constipation, when for 75 cents we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by Allen & Woodward, Druggists.

WHY SUFFER NEEDLESSLY. With the convulsive spasmodic tortures of fever and ague and bilious remittent fever, when Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, acknowledged to be the real curative of malarial fevers, will eradicate the cause of so much suffering. No less effective is this benignant alternative in cases of constipation, dyspepsia, liver complaint, and in general debility and nervous weakness. For sale by all druggists and dealers generally.

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New this Week.

GRAND MAY DAY PICNIC & BALL, GIVEN BY THE Corvallis Fire Dept't TO Monumental Co. No. 2.

BASKET PICNIC At the Court House yard, and Ball at Hamilton's Hall MAY 24th, 1881. Committee of Arrangements: GEO. M. GERHARD, R. F. BAKER, N. BEAVER, F. A. VINCENT, J. B. AVERY, E. H. TAYLOR, E. H. TAYLOR, Full Programme next week.

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