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Respectfully yours,
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FACTS AND FIGURES
of the
Town and County.
OUR PEER-AMID.

The Hollingsworth Hay Bales for \$30 a ton, at a Home's.

Manning, our Hardware and Sewing Machine, has got the agency for the New Home Sewing Machines, and is offering big inducements on them to customers; go and see him. We also notice he has a fine lot of cheap and durable sizes of water pipes—something that has long been wanted in this town.

King of the Blood is out a "cure all," but in all disorders attributable to impurity of blood and its defective circulation, nothing else equals its effect. See advertisement.

A New Home Sewing Machine for sale at Warren's cheap for cash.

In Ayer's Hair Cure we have a positive remedy for fever and ague and all malarial disorders, and one entirely free from quinine, arsenic, or other injurious ingredients. It is the chemical and medicinal triumph of the age.

Lebanon Valley School.
Tuesday July 26th completed a four months term of school in Lebanon valley. During the term there have been 96 visitors. Appropriate prizes were awarded for superior merits, as follows: First prize, Ida Morgan for best behavior; second, Milton Potter for most improvement in penmanship. Each member of the geography class produced a map of Oregon, drawn by themselves. The one drawn by Samuel Shortridge is considered most perfect. Maggie Cronin, Ella Cronin, Minnie Potter, Ida Morgan and Hettie Mangan each presented a beautiful appearance with their neat dresses and wreaths of flowers around their crowns as they appeared in their last recitation. Several visitors were present, among whom was Mr. G. W. Small who delivered a recitation. The teacher desires to say that in his experience as a teacher he has not found a more orderly and well behaved class of pupils, and hopes that his successor may find the pleasure in the labor of teaching them that the writer enjoyed.

Respectfully,
T. J. WILKINSON, Teacher.

Letter List.
Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed for at the Postoffice at McMinnville, Or., August 1, 1881:

Andrews, John,	Kahn, Felix,
Cott, Frank,	Miller, George,
Crosley, J. J.,	McMillen, R.
Davis, B. J.,	Odum, M. W.,
Daly, James,	Shaw, Wm.,
Hall, J. W. F.,	Smith, M. J.,
Jacob, Charles,	Turner, P. M.

In calling for the above letters please say "advertised."

Mr. S. F. Staggs brings us in a specimen of plums which carries the bloom for profit yield. A branch fourteen inches long contained 98 plums, and the little fellows were hitched to the stick about as thickly as they could have been tacked on with shingle nails. Mr. Staggs calls them "Missouri Blue," and prizes the fruit quite highly.

The North Yamhill river channel, up at the foot of the mountains, is jam full of saw logs, which will be floated down to various mills in the valley on the first flood. The Messrs. Petch have furnished a lot of their feet and Smith has also gotten out a large amount. These logs are of the finest quality. We saw a couple of trees at Petch's which it was claimed would cut 20 and 27 thousand feet of lumber. They were monsters.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright had a bit of fearful experience in a runaway scrape on Sunday last. Their horses were large and lively and being hitched to a heavy wagon and a difficulty in spinning right along when they took a notion to indulge in a little run; and accordingly they proceeded. They ran at a break neck speed about a mile with Frank hanging to the lines for dear life and managing to keep the "side up till finally the wheels slipped after his occupants before they ran on another mile, bringing up at the premises of Mr. Jolly. Fortunately nobody was injured and little damage was done.

Some pretty hard reports are afloat from the ranks of our juvenile population. Their little fingers seem to be itching with mischief and mischiefing. And yet it is not to be wondered at. There is nothing new or unnatural about it. So long as children are turned loose upon the streets to do as they please after day and month after month, rest assured their active hands will find employment, either good or bad, and indelicacy is generally for the worse. Parents who cannot devise some plan to employ their children somewhere but in the public avenues of idleness and vice are certainly unfortunate, and the trouble that may come to them in the future as the fruits of their indifference at the present can hardly avail much by way of consolation. Plain speaking, but the fact, think on't.

Back Again
Once more the editor finds himself grasping the lever of the newspaper's machine and endeavoring to infuse sufficient power into the old thing to make it grind. As our readers are doubtless well aware, we have been off "on a spurge" to the Coast, and have spent three very pleasant weeks upon the fresh and verdant shores of Tillamook Bay. This place, of all the summer resorts we have visited is decidedly our favorite. There is a diversity of recreation and amusements here which we do not find at other coast resorts. One can either play the "land lubber" in the midst of a broad and fertile agricultural district, or pass his time at pleasure upon the "silvery waves" of the bay and in the invigorating influences of the grand old ocean beach. There is health in the breezes that come in across the cool waters, and the invalid can find no better medicine to build up the worn and weary system and restore his wasted strength than he will drink in at every inhalation of the atmosphere that floats about the tides, the glens and mountains surrounding Tillamook Bay. All these blessings we have enjoyed in the fulness during our sojourn and can cheerfully testify of their merits. Of our kind and obliging neighbors beyond the mountains we have made brief mention heretofore, and shall probably speak more at length of their affairs hereafter as opportunity may present itself.

The Fields.
Late rains have been quite a drawback to farmers throughout this section. Considerable hay is still in the fields, while grain is ripening rapidly and bringing the two harvests together in a jam. We notice this more particularly in the North Yamhill section, where but little grain had been cut the first of the week, while a number of fields were in shock in the vicinity of McMinnville. Our farmers have been "putting in their best lies" when the sun did shine, however, and with the advantage of improved machinery have made their labor tell. With good weather harvest will set in in earnest next week, and the swift working self-binders with which the country is well supplied will place in comparative safety an immense amount of grain throughout Yamhill county.

Slaven's Cherry Tooth Paste.
An Aromatic Preparation for the preservation of the Teeth and Gums. It is far superior to any preparation of its kind in the market. In large handsome oval pots, price 50 cents. For sale by Turner Bros., McMinnville.

Undertaking.
O. H. Adams & Co. of this place, have a full line of undertaker's goods, from a plain coffin to a superb casket, including a variety of appropriate burial suits, ready for use at once. No need of going further for as fine a burial outfit as you desire.

Library Association.
Following is the programme of exercises for next Tuesday evening, August 9, 1881:

Song	Miss Laura Burnett
Reading	Miss Lottie Dallas
Reading	Miss May Baker
Reading	Mrs. Wyndham
Reading	H. F. Turner
Reading	Charlie Hodson
Recess	
Reading	Miss Cora Wallace
Reading	W. F. Williams
Declamation	Lewis Cooper
Miscellaneous exercises	
Answers to Questions	
Who were the Silver Grays?—J. W. Cowles.	
Why is the President's house called the White House?—H. F. Turner.	
Who was the author of Hall Columbia?—Mrs. Young.	
Who was the man without a country and what was the cause of his banishment?—Miss Susie Loungary.	
Good of the Association.	

College Relocated
It seems that Mr. Cook and the Trustees of McMinnville College failed to consummate their bargain for grounds on the eastern suburbs of town, and the site of the new building has been relocated. Mr. and Mrs. Cozine generously donated 20 acres to the institution, Mrs. Chandler also gave 5 acres more and the Board purchased 5 additional acres of Mr. Cozine, making a total of 30 acres upon which the new building is to be erected. The site is located across Cozine creek about opposite the residence of Mrs. Snelling.

Burned Out.
Brisbine's saloon at North Yamhill was burned to the ground last Monday night. Nothing was saved from the burning building except the proprietor's books. The fire was discovered at about one o'clock a. m., and was under such headway that nothing could be done to subdue it. Mr. Brisbine is strong in the belief that it was the work of an incendiary. Loss, \$1,500. No insurance.

Died.
A little son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Olds, of Tillamook, died at their home on Friday, July 30th, aged about 3 years. Scarlet fever was the cause of the child's death.

LAFAYETTE.
August 3, 1881.
Ex-Deputy Sheriff W. W. Nelson cut his left foot quite severely the fore part of the week, while slashing brush.

The brick foundation for Dr. Littlefield's residence is being laid, and from appearances it will be a fine building.

We notice on our streets to-day five doctors: Calbreath, Poppleton and Large of this place, Buckley of Dayton, and Young of McMinnville. We can't understand it, as the health of this place could not be better than at present.

The concert and sociable to-morrow evening promises to be a success. The Choral Society is to be assisted by Prof. Levinson, a teacher of both vocal and instrumental music, who comes among us well recommended. He has a large class at this place in instrumental music.

Nine of our solid citizens leave us Friday morning for the country near the mouth of the Nestucka. The company is composed of J. J. Hembree, J. T. Hembree, D. J. Olds, A. P. Fletcher, L. J. Fletcher, J. Fletcher, W. W. Nelson, George and Jimmy Moor. Part of them go to look for homes in that section while the rest propose to have a good hunt. "You bet" they're the "boys" to have fun and they'll have it, too.

The new printing firm have commenced business, cleaning up their office and getting ready to get out their paper. It is to be called the Oregon Register, and it is the intention of the proprietors to issue the first number on Friday, the 7th inst. May their newspaperial career be pleasant and profitable. Alex Westfield will run the mechanical part of the institution.

Billy Moor, after an absence of many months, has returned and it looks natural to see him on the streets.

Prof. Tuttle has secured the school at the academy for another year and will open the same on the 5th of September.

Hon. H. Hurley and wife leave for The Dalles, in the morning, to be gone for a few days.

Mr. Whitehead and family left us on Monday for California.

Charley Murphy was in town to-day spinning his yarns, as usual. He says that when he passed Hon. J. D. Fenton's farm the Judge was out swinging a cradle with all the ease that a man many years his junior would do; but that when the Judge espied him he hid behind a shock of grain as though ashamed to have people know he did that kind of work. But we think that is one of Charley's "fish" stories. There's lots of good humor about Charley, if he did come from Illinois. DAD BOBIT.

As Items are scarce and as the occasion deserves it we will give a report of the school exhibition and picnic at Harmony on Wednesday last. Although it looked very much like rain in the morning, and did rain off and on during the day, about one hundred and fifty people gathered at the new school house, and exercises commenced at 10 o'clock with music by the choir and prayer by Rev. Evans; then followed recitations, speeches and dialogues by the pupils of the school, all of which were good and elicited the applause and approbation of the large and intelligent audience. After the exercises by the scholars Miss Retta Yocom recited "The Curfew must not ring to-night," which was well rendered and received, as it deserved, the hearty applause of all. After which the teacher, Mr. Byron Baker, with suitable remarks, presented each pupil and employer with a printed school report, on the back of which is a farewell address in poetry, of considerable merit, written by him. Two prizes were awarded, one to Freddie Baker for the most perfect lessons, and the other to Emma Ralston for the highest standing in the spelling class.—This was followed by the farewell address by the teacher to the scholars and patrons of the school. A speech was then delivered by Rev. Evans on Education, which was appropriate and well received. The exercises were interspersed with instrumental and vocal music which judges declared to be equal to any they had heard in the State. In the beautiful grove near by the tables were loaded with all the substantial and goodies that the practical mothers and daughters of Mill Creek know so well how to prepare, and we must say that all did full justice to the occasion. After dinner the people assembled at the church, because it was larger, and after singing by the Glee Club listened for more than an hour with the closest attention to an address on "Courtship, Love and Marriage," by Capt. LaFollett. Next followed a game of base ball between the Sheridan nine and the Mill Creekers, which was won by the latter. And thus ended one of the most pleasant gatherings ever had at Harmony. The best of order prevailed from first to last, and allow me to thank the boys and girls, too, for their most excellent behavior, for it was the best we have ever seen at a similar gathering in Oregon. This school district is partly in Polk and partly in Yamhill counties, and we are bound to say that the better part is in the latter.

Occasionally.
Lafayette now has an Express office, as it was transferred from St. Joe to that point recently. John Hubbard, the efficient P. M., has been appointed agent. This will be quite a convenience for our neighbors.

DAYTON.
August 3d.
S. W. Sigler & Co. is carrying on one of the finest mercantile businesses in the county. This firm carries a large stock of goods and does a good, safe and legitimate business.

Next in order comes Logan & Haah, livery men, where one can get the finest turnouts in the way of teams and carriages on the very shortest notice. Mr. Logan is a thorough livery man and is always wide awake to serve his customers in a business like manner.

Next comes Muehtler, the best carriage builder and blacksmith in the county. If you don't believe it just call and glance at the excellent carriages and buggies he is turning out. Farmers, there is no use of going to Portland to spend your money for work when you can get a better article at home.

Johnson & Hill started in business here about a year ago. Mr. Johnson is a thorough, go-ahead business man, and with Gus behind the counter we are satisfied that everything will go along all O. K.

Johnson & Hill's new flouring mill is all enclosed and the carpenters are only awaiting the arrival of the machinery so as to put it in running order. We understand that it will be ready to run by the first of October.

Nichols & Detmering carry a very large stock of general merchandise, and from the amount of boxes piled around their store every day that the steamer arrives one would be favorably impressed that they are doing a good business.

Capt. Powell has built an addition to his large warehouse, to be used as an engine room. Capt. P. is a thorough, go-ahead business man and one of the solid men of this burg.

Col. Chris. Taylor, A. L. Saylor and C. G. Saylor left this morning for a tour of Puget Sound and Victoria.—We understand they may extend their trip as far north as Alaska. We expect to see them return clothed in furs.

The railroad company is building 25 box cars at this place to be used for their growing business in the transportation of lumber.

Capt. W. S. Powell, S. W. Sigler, J. J. Shipley and families left this morning for Tillamook on a pleasure and fishing excursion. MORE ANON.

SHERIDAN.
August 1st.
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