First Sabbath, Happy Valley. West Chehalem. Fourth Lafayette.

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Appointments for Lafayette Circuit as fol First Sabbath, Lafayette, 11 a. m., and p. m. Second Sabbath, Amity, 11 a. m., 6. p. McMinnville, 7, p. m. Third Sabbath, North Yamhill, 11 'p. m Lafayette 6:30 p. m. Fourth Sabbath, McMinnville 11 a. m., and

LOCAL AND DOMESTIC

LAFAYETTE AND THE LAST DE-CADE. - The writer arrived in Lafayette ten years ago on the 7th of the present month. During the ten years which have elapsed since then, many changes have taker place in the burg. A great number of new residences have been constructed, some business houses, a mill and a school building, while the population has, during the time, undergone nearly a complete revolution. Of the adult male population of the place ten years ago, only six remain who have continuously resided here during the decade. These are --

J. T. Hembree. John K. Sampson, Jesse Dixon,

W. C. Bedwell, "Irish John" and Frank Large.

The writer, Oliver Moor and Dr. Poppleton have resided elsewhere and returned. We much doubt if so complete a revolution has marked the career of the population of another point of equal size on the Coast as has fallen to the lot of Lafayette during the decade which closed on the 7th of May, inst.

A game of base ball was played at McMinnville, last Saturday, between the McMinnville club and the Lafayette club, resulting in a victory for the latter club by a score of 53 to 51. Brother Snyder, of the Reporter, declines to acknowledge that the McMinnville club was beaten, on the pretext that the score, when counted on the ground, was one in favor of that club. The scorers, after leaving th ground, and before any one else had handled the books, recounted the score and made it as above stated. We got our information from the scorer of the McMinnville club and believe it to be cor rect. Now, friend Snyder, keep cool you did middling well last Saturday and perhaps the boys will let you beat them next time.

NARROW ESCAPE OF A FAMILY .-Mr. Wm. Robertson informs us of an accident which occurred near Doc Sitton's which came near resulting in the death of a family of women and children. The facts are these: A family were moving to Salem, and, crossing the bridge at Sitton's, coming up the steep bank at the end, the team balked and let the wagon back, the same falling down a precipice of some twelve feet. Fortunately the horses wese thrown and were dragged wagon, else they had tumbled down by the "idiots?" eh? in one mass, smashing the wagon, women, children and all together.

AN ABLE DEFENSE OF A BAD Case. Our fellow townsman, Jas. McCain, assisted by Hon. P. C. Sullivan and T. B. Handley, Esq., managed the defense in the Coxon-Hasbrook murder case, and, considering the fact that the case from the commencement seemed a desperate one, it may be assumed that the defense was an extraordinarily able and successful one. Espousing the defense with a full realization of the magnitude of the undertaking, no effort or research was spared in its prosecution, and no point was omitted or neglected which in the remotest degree tended toward the exculpation of the apparently doomed ny has ceased to make tri-weekly Young America and the Young

We have received a copy of the Express. published at Steilacoom, W T., by Julius Dickens, Esq., It has a neat typographical appearanc and contains some very interesting matter. Mr. Dickens is a ready writer and a thorough printer. Success to you, Julius.

Judge Bonham will call a special term to try the new levy of thieves now in confinement here for stealing the span of horses from Rogers. More expense.

FRIGID.—Both of the prisoners in confinement here for stealing Roger's horses, when arraigned before Esquire Hembree, waived an examination, and upon their bail being named at \$800 00 each, one of them very innocently inquired if land or money would be good for security! He was informed that he cou d pledge either land or coin to some party for his bail, when he informed the Court that he "just inquired for informa-

ANOTHER INSTALLMENT .- But few days after Yamhill had sent forward for "immurement" in Castle Watkinds an installment of three convicts, their places in the cage were supplied, lacking one, by a fresh levy captured by Mr. Garrison, of Mc Minnville, who had pursued them from this county from where they decamped with two valuable horses belonging to Mr. Rogers.

Tom Huston had a runaway in St. Joe. last week. A band of music and the toot of the iron horse frightened his team when it left the platform in front of the depot at a high rate of speed. The driver sprang into the wagon-a fearful leap from the platform-as they went, and was thus enabled to call them to a sudden halt.

A young lady who witnessed Geo. Snyder's lubberly exploits in flycatching in the match game of base ball at McMinnville on Saturday, lost her equanimity of temper and suggested in a very audible tone that he (Snyd.,) had "better try his hand catching flies for Upton's Brahmas."

Assessor Davis i round among the property-owners finding out how about \$2,000. rich they are. He is assessing all the Lafayette town lots. This course will speedily develope and fix the ownership of a great many lots which have hitherto paid no taxes and have worked a hindrance to improvements.

The two new birds in Bob Bird's cage are ex-convicts and never did hail from this county. One of them was sent up from Portland and the other from Oregon City. They were simply in Yamhill on "business" when they nipped Mr. Roger's span of grays.

L. P. Beach, Surveyor General of Washington Territory, who died short time since, was an old friend of ours and we sincerely mourn his loss, He was a genial, whole-souled man and leaves a host of sorrowing

ANOTHER HORSE THEIF .-strange fellow prowling about the county stole a horse the other night from the farm of S. G. Reed. The horse afterwards got away from him, and the thief was arrested at Dallas.

Some McMinnville girls on last Saturday dubbed the Lafayette base ballists "Lafayette idiots." What will these "gals" say for the Mo down by the weight of the descending Minnville Club since it was beaten

> Wilson, in jail here charged with shooting Hauxhurst, seems cheerful and happy as the circumstances surrounding him will permit. His trial will be had in Tillamook county in

Members of the Coxon jury have, since his acquittal, asserted their bebelief of his guilt, but contend that the prosecution did not prove it be-

A man named C ark was accidentally shot at Chehalem, last Monday, by a man named Skeens. He was shot in the left breast. He will re-

Holladay's Transportation Compa trips up the Yamhill river; they Pioneer, both juvenile clubs. The make semi-weekly trips now.

The extraordinary verdict of the Coxon jury was the subject of animadversion in Rev. Spaulding's pulpit on last Sabbath.

Who has the bonds for lots 1, 2 and three in block 67; lot 3 in block 68; lots 1, 2 and 3 in block 69. Please inform this office

After a three weeks' term of Court here, the town has presented a somewhat deserted appearance.

INSTALLATION.-Lafayette Lodge, I. O. G. T., installed on Wednesday night last, for the ensueing term, W C T, J. H. Upton; W V T. Miss Nancy Martin; W R S. James McCain; W F S, Judge Ramsey; W T. Mrs. Z. Large: W Chaplain, W. F. Royal; W. M. James Martin; W I G, Miss Susan Brad-

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Hereafter we shall devote one column of our paper to agricultural news. We would be pleased to have farmers and others write us short articles on the subject.

We had neglected sooner to notice the im portant fact that Charley and Frank Starr have been furnishing our people with a good quality of beef, pork and mutton. business card next week.

There will be a meeting of the farmers of this precinct, to morrow afternoon, for the purpose of effecting a precinct organization. All who can possibly attend should be there.

Road Supervisors' receipts, nicely printed and for sale at this office for \$1 50 per hundred. Adapted for any district in the county.

The two new jail birds now on hand are not Yambillians, yet this county has to stand the expense of their capture, keeping and prosecu- ING MACHINE, WATCH, etc.

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The Coxon case cost the county

STATE NEWS

The young men of Corvallis take their lady loves to picaics in wheel-

The Benton Democrat says that the funeral of Judge Thayer was the largest ever seen in Corvallis.

Liquor licenceses or no liquor licences is the question at the Corvallis City election.

Every time Carter's conscience smites him for larceny of several hundred dollars from an organization he professed to "dearly love," he finds solace in some sort of a fling at J. H. Upton.

Gen. Bachelder succeeds Gen. Rufus Saxton as Chief Quartermaster at

The steamers Alice and Shoo Fly. of the Oregon Steamship Co's line, were burned to the water's edge on Saturday night at Oregon City.

The Pacific Base Ball Chib of Portland were defeated by the Oregon City club last Saturday, by a score of 36 to 30, Return game will be played next Saturday at Portland

The Roseburg Pantagraph goes for Wheat, best white, & bushel ... Senator Mitchell for having men appointed to office that that paper does not approve of.

Governor Grover has authorized Gen. Ross to raise a company of one hundred men to protect the settlers in the Lake country

A. B. Meacham arrived at home Monday. He is considered Sheriff Crook, of Curry county

has resigned and Robert Walker has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

The Herald says that Hon. L. Mosher has been appointed to the Judgeship on the Supreme Bench made vacant by the death of Judge

Gen. Ross through the Herald pronounces the charges against Quincy A. Brooks as false and malicious.

Wm. Chance of Astoria, who was an eye witness to what is called the Ben Wright Massacre is preparing a Pork, fresh, b b. full account of the tragely, and it will appear in the first number of the Bacon, hams b b.

Last Saturday a game of base ball Young Americas were victorious by a score of 46 to 27.

The scalp of Split-nosed Jim, who was killed in the lava-beds, is nailed Eggs, & dozen..... to to a bulletin board in Iowa City, Cheese, Oregon prime, & tb....

the lava-beds on the 21st with 16 volHides, dry, each...

to throw a train from the track near Harrisburg, last Sunday, by tearing up a rail. Fortunately the engineer discovered it in time to stop the train, Coal oil

According to the testimony of Mrs. Hasbrook as well as that of several other witnesses, Coxon re- At the Old Brick Corner. forted that he was thrown violently on the ground and afterward stabbed, kicked and stamped! But singular as the circumstance may

appear, there was no mark or sign of violence about his person. The fact is nine out of every ten persons who heard the circumstances surrounding the sad affair detailed, believe that Coxon wilful murder of Benjaman Hasbrook

The Louisiana tumult seems to promise no end.

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Done at the city of Salem, this 18th day of February, A. D. 1872. L. F. GROVER. Governor of Oregon.

S. F. CHADWICK, Sec. of State.

A CALL.

THERE WILL BE A MASS MEETING I of the farmers of Yamhill county at Lafayette on the 17th of May at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of perfecting the organization of the Yamhill County League and transacting other business that may come before the Convention. By order of To be had in the best markets. WM. GALLOWAY,

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