

LAFAYETTE COURIER.

FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1873.

M. E. Church South. R. T. WEATHERLY, PASTOR. Appointments for Lafayette Circuit as follows: First Sabbath, Happy Valley. Second " Armstrong's. Third " West Chehalis. Fourth " Lafayette.

M. E. Church, North. D. F. SPAULDING, PASTOR. Appointments for Lafayette Circuit as follows: First Sabbath, Lafayette, 11 a. m., and 6 p. m. Second Sabbath, Amity, 11 a. m., 6 p. m. McMinnville, 7 p. m. Third Sabbath, North Yamhill, 11 p. m. Lafayette 6:30 p. m. Fourth Sabbath, McMinnville 11 a. m., and 7 p. m.

LOCAL AND DOMESTIC.

BASE BALL.—A match game of base ball was played at St. Joe., on Saturday last, between the Modocs, of Lafayette, and the McMinnville club, resulting in a victory for the former by a score of 57 to 34. This is the third game that has been played between these two clubs and each time the Modocs have been victorious. In the game played on Saturday last, the Modocs took the lead from the first and kept it up to the end; though after the sixth inning they did some pretty wild playing. The McMinnville club did very well, though it was evident from the first that the Modocs had the advantage of them, as they were well organized and in practice. The fielding on both sides was good, considering the amount of practice the clubs have had. Quite a number of ladies were present from both McMinnville and Lafayette and all appeared to enjoy themselves. We understand that this game decides the game that was in dispute Saturday before last. In the evening a dance was given by the Lafayette boys, at this place, and quite a number were in attendance. Dancing was kept up till 12 o'clock, when all retired to their homes, apparently well satisfied.

We failed to notice last week the enterprise exhibited by our up-river contemporary in filling up his local column. The following appeared in his paper week before last, as a local item, which we find in a little sheet called the Index, and which is two hundred years old.

A young man asked a young lady her age, and she replied: "Six times seven and seven times three added to my age will exceed six times nine and four, as double my age exceeds twenty." The young man said he thought she looked much older.

The proprietor of the Reporter is truly an enterprising man. With his "patent outside" and local items clipped from exchanges, he gets along very well.

REMARKABLE.—Last week a widowed lady filed, in the Probate Court of this county, a petition praying for the appointment of an administrator of her deceased husband's estate. In giving the ages of the parties interested in the estate, she put her own age at 43 years and the age of her eldest daughter at 40 years. When her attention was called to the fact that she must needs be older, she declared that she had given her age correctly. According to this, she must have been only three years old when her daughter was born. Query: How old was she when she was married?

We would be pleased to have the postmaster inform us at what time the post office is open before the mail leaves in the mornings. We had a letter which we wished to get off in the mail last Monday morning, and not having any stamps we went to the office to get some at 8 o'clock, just before the mail went out, and found it closed.

We were presented, last Saturday, with two beautiful bouquets, by two beautiful young ladies. The baskets that the bouquets were in were the neatest that we have ever seen and we shall take special care of them. Thanks, ladies, when ever you have any more flowers, just bring them along.

Assessor Davis has adopted a correct and careful method in his assessments of the county this year. T. B. Handley and Joseph Coxon registered together at one of the Portland hotels.

NEW STEAM POWER SASH FACTORY.—Mr. Oliver Moor has commenced the erection in this place of a sash and door factory on a rather liberal scale. The building is well up, and will probably be under roof during the coming week. This sort of establishment is much needed in this town, and we bespeak for it such patronage as shall insure its success, and warrant its proprietor in further outlays and improvements in the same direction.

Why So?—A plum tree near this burg, besides being laden with a copious shower of young fruit, yet has space to allow to other and queer "plumage." Several of its limbs are thickly studded with a growth resembling in size, shape and general contour mustard pods. Not being versed in all or even half of the mysteries of horticulture we are at a loss to satisfactorily account for this (to us) strange growth—these unseemly excrescences.

The proceedings of the "indignation meeting" held at Sheridan and printed elsewhere in this paper show that the people in the immediate vicinity of the Hasbrook murder have a correct appreciation of the manner in which the case of State vs. Coxon was disposed of, and of the very singular conduct of Mr. Handley in his very unusual relations with the accused since his acquittal.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.—After the 1st of July next, the new postal law requires that all postage on newspapers must be paid at the printing office before they can be transmitted through the mails. We respectfully request all those who know themselves indebted to us to settle, in order that we may be enabled to pay the postage on their papers.

A few evenings since, in this place, an alarm of fire was given, but the promptness of the fire company put a stop to the fiend before any serious damage was done—save the burning of a pile of brush.

Mr. J. H. Olds is about starting a hack line between this place and Portland and will convey passengers and attend to all business entrusted to his care, promptly. See his ad. in this issue.

Mr. Harker, of Dayton, showed us, one day last week, a revolving album, which is the neatest thing of the kind that we have ever seen. Go and get one; price \$2 50.

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.

To all new subscribers we will send the Courier and the Mercantile Director for the price of the Courier. The Mercantile Director is a sixteen page publication and contains valuable information for everyone. Published monthly at San Francisco, Cal.

The "Lafayette idiots" are awful sorry for what they have done and hope the McMinnville girls will pardon them; they did not mean to offend.

ATTORNEYS ABSENT.—Messrs. Bradshaw, McCain and Judge Ramsey, have been absent this week attending the Circuit Court at Dallas now in session.

Ferguson & Bird have lately received a large addition to their already well-selected stock of goods. Go and see them.

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 if

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

The Reporter vouches for Coxon's good actions and motives, and congratulates him over the result of his trial.

After Coxon's acquittal T. B. Handley took him about and introduced him to lady acquaintances.

JOB WORK of all descriptions neatly executed at this office. Give us a call and see specimens.

Plenty of good patent lemonade at Dr. Kelty's.

See all our new ads. in this issue.

Last Friday was a scorcher.

HOME MANUFACTURE.—M. B. Gay, formerly of Lane county, but now established in Salem, is engaged in the manufacture of a first quality of ax handles of native oak, and of a very superior pattern. These handles are far preferable to the pecon handle shipped here from the east, and ought speedily to entirely supplant them. This would effect a saving to Oregon of many thousands of dollars annually.

The young man who was seen feeding a young lady, dove fashion, by moonlight, not long since, now terms it picking "two lips." Of course there are no such young men about here, but just as the mountains there are plenty of 'em.

The Millean bridge has been condemned by the County Court, and A. R. Henry, Supervisor for this District has bridged around and torn the old one down. The Hanna bridge we regard as unsafe—even more so than the one just demolished.

CHAMPION BOUQUET.—The finest bouquet which it has been our fortune to look upon for many a day was sent to this office by Mrs. Armstrong one day last week. Thanks.

"Cut worms" visit early set cabbage by platoons; and they leave their mark before hunting their holes, too.

The fruit crop thus far promises abundance in this section.

Lots of new strawberries just out of town; also plenty of good cream.

TERRITORIAL.

The epizootic has reached Lewis Co., W. T.

There is talk of a gas factory being built at Olympia at a cost of \$18,000.

The total valuation of property real and personal of Klickitat county is \$290,774.

The pauper expenses of Thurston county, W. T. for three months have been \$541 72.

Mrs. A. J. Dunway lectured, on Saturday last, in Olympia, on the subject of marriage.

John C. Graham the actor played to a thousand dollar house in Salt Lake City on the 31st instant.

There are four vessels loading at Port Townsend, with lumber for San Francisco and one for Peru.

Mr. James Chapman, of Olympia, had one of his fingers blown off while out hunting, last week.

The balloon ascension at Olympia didn't come off, because the coin was not thrown in sight.

The Steilacoom Express says that Tacoma is making a final and desperate effort to secure the terminus.

The County Commissioners of Thurston Co., last week granted ten licenses to sell whiskey at Olympia.

The Sioux Indians are willing to fight the whites man to man on open ground. They have stolen a great many horses and cattle out on the plains in Wyoming Territory.

On Monday last three men were discharged, as cured from the Steilacoom Insane Asylum. Their names are George Mansfield, Patrick Fitzpatrick and Jim, a Chinaman.

The Commissioners of the General Land Office has settled the controversy about the Seattle donation claim giving the west half to the assigns of Dr. Maynard and disallowing the claim to the east half made by his two former wives.

The Governor of Washington Territory has received a requisition for arms for a newly organized military company at Goldendale, Klickitat county. As there are none at his disposal at present, we believe the request has not been complied with.

Montgomery has about a thousand men to work on the forty mile extension northward from Tenino, and is busy at grading in the vicinity of Tenino, on the extension northward; it is said that six miles will be ready for the ties next week.

PORTLAND HACK LINE!

J. H. OLDS - PROPRIETOR.

ON and AFTER MAY 16, THERE will be a regular stage running between Lafayette and Portland, making weekly trips, leaving Lafayette every Friday morning at 8 o'clock, returning Saturday. FARE, EACH WAY, \$1 50.

A NEW HACK

Will be placed upon this line in a short time. EXPRESS and other business attended to promptly.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, Under the Act of the Legislature, of the State of Oregon, entitled "an Act to protect Litigants" approved October 24th, 1872, the LAFAYETTE COURIER, a newspaper published at Lafayette, in the county of Yamhill, Oregon, has been designated to publish the Legal and Judicial advertisements for said county of Yamhill, and WHEREAS, The proprietor of said LAFAYETTE COURIER, has filed with the county Clerk of said county, a written stipulation accepting the conditions of said Act, together with a Bond approved as the law directs with proper returns and notice thereof, said LAFAYETTE COURIER, is hereby proclaimed to be appointed and confirmed as the medium through which all Legal and Judicial advertisements for said county of Yamhill shall be published for the period authorized by law.

Done at the city of Salem, this 19th day of February, A. D. 1873. L. F. GROVER, Governor of Oregon. Attest: S. F. CHADWICK, Sec. of State.

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Wheat, best white, @ bushel, 77 Oats, @ bushel, 45 00 Corn Meal @ lb, 1 25 Flour best, @ sack (4 bushel), 12 00 Buckwheat Flour, @ lb, 7 Bran @ ton, 15 00 Hay, @ ton, 12 00 @ 15 00 baled @ ton, 12 00

GROCERIES. Sugar, San Francisco refined, @ lb, 11 @ 15 Island, 10 @ 16 crushed, 20 @ 22 granulated, 20 @ 22 Tea, black, @ lb, 75 @ 1 00 Imperial, 1 00 @ 1 25 Coffee, Costa Rica, @ lb, 23 @ 25 Rio, 24 @ 25 Kona, 24 @ 25 Java, 20 @ 33 Salt, Carmen Island, @ cwt, 1 50 @ 2 00 Liverpool, coarse, 2 00 @ 2 50 dairy, 3 00 @

FRUITS, VEGETABLES, ETC. Apples, green @ bushel, 50 @ 60 dried, @ lb, 6 @ 10 Peaches, dried, @ lb, 10 @ 16 Plums, " @ lb, 20 @ 25 Beans, @ lb, 6 @ 8 Potatoes, @ bushel, 50 @ 60 Onions, @ lb, 6 @ 8

MEATS. Beef, fresh, @ lb, 12 @ 15 corned, 8 @ 10 smoked, 20 @ 25 Pork, fresh, @ lb, 10 @ 12 Veal, " @ lb, 10 @ 12 Mutton, " @ lb, 10 @ 12 Bacon, hams @ lb, 15 @ 18 sugar cured, 20 @ 25 sides, 15 @ 16 shoulders, 12 @

CHICKENS, dressed, each, 37 @ 40 per dozen, 3 00 @ 4 00 BUTTER, EGGS, ETC. Butter, fresh rolls, @ lb, 25 @ 30 packed, @ lb, 20 @ 25 California, @ lb, 20 @ 25 Islands, 16 @ 20 Eggs, @ dozen, 16 @ 20 Cheese, Oregon prime, @ lb, 20 @ 25 California, @ lb, 14 @ 20

Wool, @ lb, 25 @ 30 Hides, dry, each, 75 @ 1 00 green, salted, each, 2 50 @ 3 00 Deer skins, dressed, @ lb, 75 @ 1 00 Sheep skins, wool on, each, 35 @ 50 OILS, ETC. Lined Oil, boiled, @ gallon, 1 50 @ 2 00 raw, 1 50 @ 2 00 Lard oil @ gallon, 2 00 @ 2 50 Coal oil @ gallon, 1 75 @ 2 00 Neatsfoot Oil, @ gallon, 1 75 @ 2 00 Tallow, @ lb, 8 @ 10

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FERGUSON & BIRD, corner of Jefferson and Main; dealers in produce and general merchandise.

KELTY & SIMPSON, north side Main street; dealers in drugs, confectioneries and family supplies.

JOHN BIRD, west side Jefferson street, dealer in stoves and tinware.

ENGLE HOTEL, Jas. H. Olds, proprietor; Main street. Livery stable in connection.

GEM SALOON, south side Main street, I. Sampson, proprietor.

LONE STAR SALOON, R. Harris, proprietor, Main street, just above Engle Hotel.

E. C. BRADSHAW, attorney at law.

W. M. RAMSEY, County Judge and attorney at law; office in the Court House.

LAFAYETTE COURIER, J. H. Upton, proprietor, Jefferson street, in fire-proof brick next door to Ferguson & Bird.

JAS. MCCAIN, attorney; office on south side Main street.

BARBER SHOP, J. R. Majors, proprietor; east side Jefferson street just above tin shop.

DAYTON BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

CHRIS. TAYLOR, dealer in general merchandise, Odd Fellows' building. The cheap cash store.

W. S. POWELL, Saw Mill. Dressed lumber of all kinds, doors and window frames.

HOWARD & STEWART, blacksmiths. Wagons, hacks and buggies ironed. Gunsmithing and general job work done.

LEADBETTER & RILEY; pictures of all descriptions always on hand and frames of all descriptions made to order.

HARKER & CO., Ferry street; dry goods, groceries and general merchandise. Dayton flouring mills.

J. BEST, livery stable Ferry street; buggies and horses to let at all times, at reasonable rates.

ST. JOSEPH BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

KELTY & SIMPSON, cor. 4th and Elm; dealers in groceries, glassware, Queens ware and patent medicines.

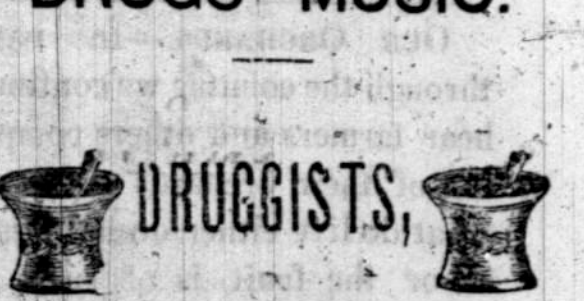
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DRUGS AND MEDICINES, Dr. H. H. Littlefield; music, musical instruments, toys and notions. Also family groceries.

HOTEL, B. M. Watts, proprietor; cor. of 4th and Depot streets. New house and good accommodations.

A CALL. THERE WILL BE A MASS MEETING 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 Wm. GALLOWAY, H. Hawtrr, Secretary. President.

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