A. M., McMinnville, 6:30 r. M. Second Sabbath, Tillamook Third Sabbath, West Chehalem, 11 A. Unity School House, J P. M. Fourth Sabbath. Armstrong's

Dr. J. W. Watts will preach at this place in., and in the evening at early candle

House, 11 A. M., Lafayette, 6:30 P. M.,

ized Agent at Portland, Oregon.

Agent at Portland.

DIED .- Mr. M. McDonald died at his residence, four miles west of Me- with him. He told his brother that just at dark, he left the house withminnville, on Tuesday morning last, on Saturday night, while at home, he out saying where he was going. Not of consumption. He has been troub- had secured a razor with the intention returning the next day, some inquiry led with this disease for twenty years, and during the past winter has suffered painfully. Mr. McDonald was his little children laying asleep his continued until Friday, the 15th inst. one of Yamhill's most bonored and courage failed him and he could not when J. C. Nelson came to my place respected citizens, and his loss is commit the deed. On Tuesday night adjoining Mr. Pearson's, and requestmourned by a large circle of friends. He was buried last Wednesday with Masonic ceremonies at the Baptist Church cemetry near his residence, the house to the store and walked the shut, but unlocked; on entering the that Dr. Bernhisell, the first delegate attended by a large concourse of platform for some time, when his mourners. Mr. McDonald was born August 4th, 1818, in Ross county, Ohio. He came to Oregon in 1865,

who knew him. ELOPEMENT .- Not long since, the quiet town of Amity was thrown into ed up the railroad track a short disa furore of excitement by the clope- tance when he asked his brother if ment of a gentleman and his niece, a there was any place he could get out young miss of 17 summers. They of sight, and went behind a bunch of went to the Yaquinna Bay with the brush, then kneeling down it appears intention of entering the holy bands and using the small blade of a pockof matrimony, but owing to the se- et knife severed the carotids and jugwere disappointed; and after remain- ular vein. His brother looking in ing there about a week, the disheart- that direction could see the lower ened couple returned home. The af- part of his body and one hand which fair has caused quite a scandal in was covered with blood, and immedithat village, and, we understand, that ately went to where he was and called there is talk of lynching the gentle- for assistance. The dying man moman. We suppress the names of the tioned his brother to keep still as he parties for the present, hoping things did not want to see his little son; he may be amicably settled between the parties.

Urser .- On last Wednesday, as R. S. Bassett, the singing teacher, was |- His wife and children were all at coming to town, his horse became Portland, except one son, frightened at a cow in the road and jumped to one side, overturning the carriage in which he was riding. The horse then started to run, dragging Mr. Bassett quite a distance on the ground. Although he was somewhat bruised, he is still able to attend to business.

Champions of the Red Cross have a manipulating the Democratic Con- ton, Ohio. flourishing Encampment in this city, vention in his own interest. This arwhich is steadily increasing in num-ticle is a fraud upon its face. The bers. Persons who have joined think first ballot for County Judge stood: the workings of this new temperance Order is perfectly grand, and that it vis destined to become the temperance scattering, 5. The second ballot was: organization of this Coast, and per- Bradshaw, 19; Burch, 34. So all of haps of the United States.

CAMPMEETING .- This season owing to the cold, disagreeable weather the campuceting; have been unusually backward. The first was at Webfoot under the auspicies of the Christain manifest at this meeting.

NEW ORGAN.-Dr. Littlefield, our enterprising druggist, has been treating himself to a new and splendid organ-Shoninger & Co.'s make. He be secured at a bargain.

FOUND .- On the 8th inst., Mr. J. H. Clunic found a small sum of money which the owner can have by calling on him.

People seem to be running courscle in this place. Another unfortunate shuffles off his

mortal coil. Our friend, T. D., has got it bad-

the base ball fever. Measles is what's been the matter

with Jack Robinson. Good nights for taking buggy-rides -Johnson keeps 'em to hire.

There is some talk of a match game of ball being played at the pienic at

The Dayton folks will try another picnic on to-morrow (Saturday), if it don't rain.

Two women became belligerent on of the last rain, the streets one day this week, one had an ax and the other a board. [This is only hearsay and we can't vouch the cwner can have by calling. Also for it.-ED.]

Some of our citizens are talking of taking a pleasure trip to Tillamook. You had better wait until the snow is gone for fear that it might not be as pleasant as you would imagine.

with an ELEAVTOR, 429 Montgomery ing for themselves than to listening Street, San Francisco.

On Wednesday last the citizens of Carlton were thrown in the wildest onfusion by the announcement that J. M. Fryer had committed suicide. For particulars of the sad affair we are indebted to Mr. F. J. Fryer, a brother of deceased. It appears for some months past, in fact, ever since the fire in Portland last August, his health has been very poor. About a month since his mind began to grow weak and his brothers went to Portthe second Sunday in every month at 11 a. land and had him come with them to the North Yambill, where he remain-DFL SAMUEL, is our duly author- ed some time and strong hopes were entertained of his recovery, so he rebrother coming up asked him to come with him as he wished to show him a and was a farmer respected by all lot, thinking thereby to divert his attention from his troubles; they went over together and coming back walk-

> died in about twenty minutes. Coroner Young was summoned and

Deceased was forty-nine years of ige; was born in Green county, Ky.; came to Oregon in 1852. About six years ago he engaged in the mercantile business in Portland. He leaves a large circle of relatives and friends

it necessary to hold an inquest.

o mourn his death. The Reporter has an article in FLOURISHING .- The Independent which Hon. C. H. Burch is accused of Bradshaw, 20; Burch, 17; Fenton, 10; Mr. Fenton's friends went for Burch on the second ballot. The contest its height.

between Judge Fenton and Mr. Bradshaw had become quite animated and the Convention thought it best to take up a third man, and did so .-Church. Considerable interest was There was no fraud or intrigue about it. Furthermore Mr. B. had no knowledge of it until the Convention

He read a thorough course of common law in Missouri prior to coming are paying handsomely. is agent for these organs and one can to this State; has kept himself thoroughly posted in statute law. His being an old resident, a large taxpayer, a man of good education, taken in connection with the fact the he has studied law, will undoubtedly convince the people that he is the man Now comes the beautiful weather. for County Judge. Let everybody work and vote for C. H, Burch, the

farmer-lawyer for County Judge. We hear of offers by Republicans to swap votes. We say to Democrats that they must not allow themselves such offers. Be not deceived by such mence. offers, but vote the whole ticket.

Wheatland has got 'em- the meas- dillon.

Hunting strawberries is what's the Query .- Did the Dayton pienie

have anything to do with the cause One day last week a gold pen was found and left at this office which

a pocket book, but ere we could write up the item the owner called for it. Religious denominations should not hold camp-meetings just before an election, as it induces too many can-For the very best Photographs, didates to attend, and consequently and the sausage market there is the sheep and sixty per cent. of the go to Bradley & Rulofson's Gallery they devote more time to electioneer- depressed.

to the teachings of God's word.

Committed Suicitie.

WEST CHEHALEN, May 16. EDITOR COURIER: + A young man named Zimri Pearson committed suicide by shooting himself in the head, in his cabin, on Chehalem mountain

last Monday night. The deceased came from Ohio in the summer of 1872 to Portland, while there he unfortunately caught the smallpox. After his recovery h came to this neighborhood and took a homestead, upon which he built cabin, and spent a portion of his time in approving it, and occasionally working for others. He was very industrious and of good habits, and had the esteem of all who knew him. For Wm. Mathews is our authorized turned to Portland. On Saturday the last three weeks he had been information was received that he was working for L. W. Hargar, in Chehaagain unwell. Mr. F. J. Fryer went lein Valley, obout five miles from his to Portland and had him come home cabin. On Monday, the 11th inst., of killing himself, but seeing two of was made concerning him, which was he rested poorly, in the morning ate ed me to go with him to his cabin. very little breakfast, and went from When we get there we found the door cabin a horrible speciacle was pre-

> His feet were crossed and his head there was a bulket hole in the center of his forehead, and on his lap lay a navy revolver with which he had done the deed. Decomposition was progressing rapidly, and the Coroner behold an inquest. A jury was summoned as soon as possible, who heard the testimony, and rendered the following verdict:

WEST CHEHALEM, Oregon, 1 May 15, 1874.

We, the jury empanified to inquire into the cause of the douth of Zimri Pearson, find that the deceased was from Ohio, aged 22 years, and that he was a printer by trade, and that he came to his death ly shooting i.imon hearing the testimony did not deem self with a navy revolver, on, or about, the 11th day of May, 1874. Signed: John Brishite, J. P. Shuck, A. J. Killin, Isaac Latellen, D. C. Atkins, Jeremiah Obriga.

The evidence clicited no cause for the act, further than that he had seemed low spirited and had not eaten much lately. He left 'no writing to throw any light on the sad affair; but had burned all his latters which were his mother, was written at New Mil-

B. C. WESTFAIL, Justice of the Peace. OREGON.

The annual base ball fever is a

Albany clamors for more tene-The La Grande Grange is in running order.

Church concers attract the young folks of Salein.

The mines in Southern Oregon Pack treins incambulate the

trails of Eastern Oregon. Pienies are being gotten up

every corner of the State. Chicken-thieves are raiding on

the shanghais at Jacksonville. The La Grande paper says the San Diego River into False Bay. spring rains have insured full Nesmith introduced a bill providing

Operations on the Southern Oreto be cheated and imposed upon by gon Wagon Road will soon com-

The Indians on the Siletz Res-Rogers is the next County Clerk. ervation are in a prosperous con-

> "Sparkin'" on the cars was the cause of a black eye a few days several days, the bodies being much

A few days ago a chalk mine miles from La Grapile.

factory has suspended work for one week, to make needed repairs. The cars struck a cow at the

depot at Albany, the other day,

tains is fast improving, and heavily lailen teams can cross without scrious difficulty.

Information 's wanted of Benj. dere Swigut, Mt. Holly Springs,

Cumberland comay, Pennsylvania. ined in the Salem jail on a charge murder for the killing of Thom as Hubbard, escaped la-t Monday morning, but was recaptured in a few minutes, as the jailor and othels were present when he got out.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

A dispatch states that the tug Taros

except the captain and first engineer.

the 14th the Arkansas trouble was amount received for that purpose, discussed. , It was decided to await the action of the Legislature. Orders will be issued as soon as the Leislathre decides who is Governor.

Mormon apologists cite the fact from Utah, was a polygamist, as a sented; there sat poor Pearson in a precedent for not expelling Cannon. Bernhisell's membership anti-dates the present Congressional act, maklicentious practices of Congressmen if there is a report against him.

The Massachusetts Senate on the 14th refused a third reading of the resolution for a Constitutional Amend

sats: The President will recognize Baxter by proclamation to-day, as Governor of Arkaisas under the Attorney General's opinion.

At a meeting of the Congregational Board of Education, at London, on the 14th, Sir Charles Reed read papers warmly praising the American system of education and expressing a hope that it would be equaled, if not exceeded, in England within two

The President has recognized James Luidlaw as British Vice Consul at Portland, Oregon.

A dispatch from Haydenville, Mass., known to be numerous. One letter says: The reservoir supplying the partly consumed, supposed to be from manufactories of Williamsville, Leeds and Haydenville was broke on the morning of the 16th. The torrent swept down the hills a: d through those villages, almost completely -destroying them Whole houses and Wheat is heading out in Lane many factories were carried off. Several tenement blocks were crushed, and the inmates had not time to escape. Dead bodies are constantly arriving. It is estimated that 144 persous have perished. The reservoir 7:30 P. M. comprised 150 acres, and had an average depth of thirty feet. It was drawn up in day-time to supply the mills at Haydenville, Williamsburg and Florence. The reservoir was constructed about 12 years ago.

Yeto, the leader of the Saga rebellion, was decapitated and his head exposed to public gaze.

A dispatch, dated May 14th, says the Carlists are harrassing the Republicans in their entrenchments near

Houghton has introduced a bill appropriating \$80,000' for expenditures by the Secretary of War in turning

for the adjudication and issue of patents to Mission land cases in Oregon and in Washington, Idaho and Mon-

tana Territories. California Items.

John Overena and his wife and four children were found murdered, on the 18th, at their place at Lajolla, about twelve miles west of San Diego. It is supposed they had been murdered decomposed. No clue as yet.

Hail McAllister has been employed was discovered one and a half by the combination of wholesale liquor-dealers of San Francisco to contest in the Courts the constitution-The Willamette Woolen Manu- ality of the local-option law.

Advices from the Modoc country of the 7th indicate the election of the In- Pickles, dependent ticket.

It is stated that eighty per cent. of cattle in Big Valley have died.

The road over the Blue Moun- Dayton has a base ball club.

A CARD.

SALEM, Oregon, May 11, 1874 In the speech of J. C. Tolman, Republican candidate for Governor, made on last Saturday. he stated that min Swigut, who left Montana for there was no law for charging a fee Oregon in 1868, Address Theo of \$6 for each State deed The act of October 27, 1864, Code, page \$85. has the following provision in relation to State lands. Part of section 6-"And when the purchase money Thomas Gerrand, who was con- and interest, if any, shall be fully paid, the purchaser shall receive a deed, substantially in the following form, on the payment of a fee in coin of five dollars therefor." This provision is now the law. But the section requiring a part of these fees to go to the compensation of the Board of School ed. All fees, therefore, required by law, have been collected and paid in-

Land Commissioners has been repealto the State Treasury, and not a doflar of them retained by or paid to any member of the Board or other officer. blew up on Lake Huron on the morn- The report of the Board of School ing of the 14th. All hands were lost, Land Commissioners, made to the last Legislature, gives the name of each man who has paid a fee for a At a special Cabinet meeting on State deed, and shows the whole and that the same has been fully paid to the Treasury. See report of the Board of School Land Commissioners, page 80. This report was examined and fully approved by the last Legislature. T. H. CANN, ..

Hack, Hack, Cough, Cough.

Clerk B'd School Land Com.'s.

Cough is a symptom by which various diseased conditions of the throat bronchial tubes and lungs manifest themselves. But whether it arises ing polygamy a cerime. Cannon from the instation produced in the had fallen back over his shoulders; threatens, in defense, to expose the throat and larynx by taking cold, Is now open for storage, free of charge to from an attack of the Bronchuis, and the ous other causes, nothing will allay it may see proper to sell. more permanently than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It does bridge and no ferriage, and will accommond that whether it is a recent atnot matter whether it is a recent attack, or a lingering cough, the Dising so far away, I was requested to ment for Woman's Suffrage-ayes, covery is in either case equally well Duyton, Ocaober 2, 1873. adapted for its relief and permanent A New York dispatch of the 15th cure. In fact it will cure a cough in one half the time necessary to cure it with any other medicine, and it does it, not by drying it up, but by removing the cause, subduing the irritation and healing the affected parts. No. time should be lost in commencing the use of the proper medicine for the relief of a cough, -- unless this course is pursued, serious and dangerous dis-

ases of the lungs is liable to result.

J. J. WHITNEY will speak at the folowing times and places:

Jefferson, Wednesday Speaking to begin at 1 o'clock P. M.

Opposing candidates are expected to be present and participate in the discus

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

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P. M. of each day except at Portland and the Dalles, at which places it. will begin at Opposing candidates are expected to be

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

The opposing condidates will address the citizens of Yambill County as follows:

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East Chebalem, Monday.

West Chebalem, Tuesday.

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