

M. E. Church South.

Appointments for Lafayette and Tillamook Circuit are as follows: First Sabbath, Happy Valley, at 11 o'clock A. M., McMinville, 6:30 P. M.

Dr. J. W. Watts will preach at this place the second Sunday in every month at 11 A. M., and in the evening at early candle-light.

L. SAMUEL, is our duly authorized Agent at Portland, Oregon.

BASKET MEETING.—The Basket Meeting for Dayton work, including the Fourth Quarterly Meeting for that circuit came off last Saturday and Sunday. It was a time of more than ordinary interest.

STOVES.—J. R. Lake was in town during the week, making arrangements with parties to supply them with Oregon made stoves. This is a branch of industry that should receive liberal patronage from all classes.

OFFICERS ELECTED.—Following members of Lafayette Lodge, No. 34 I. O. G. T., were elected for the ensuing quarter: W. C. T., C. F. Royal; W. V. T., Mrs. C. F. Royal; Sec. J. J. Hembree; F. S. Charles; W. S. Treas., Mrs. A. F. Dorriss; Marshal Miss K. D. Yocum; Chaplain, Miss Nancy Martin; W. I. G., Miss V. Henry.

RIBS BROKEN.—Mr. J. P. Morgan, who resides near Sheridan, fell from the loft of his barn to the floor, a distance of eight or ten feet, striking his side across the manger, thereby fracturing three of his ribs. Medical assistance was immediately summoned. His suffering for a time was intense, and it appeared at times as though he could not live.

BLACKBERRYING.—Quite a number of the citizens of this place have gone to the Coast mountains to gather blackberries. Among whom are: Messrs. Hembree, Harris, Pierce, Henderson,—there are too many of the fair sex for us to enumerate them. From accounts they are having a good time, and getting lots of berries.

NEW POSTOFFICE.—We are glad to note that a postoffice has been established at Carlton on the O. C. R. R. This office will accommodate a large number of persons with easy access for their letters, papers, &c. J. F. Fryer is the P. M.

ACCIDENT.—We are informed that Mr. R. J. Lancefield, of Amity met with a rather sad accident a day or two since. He was removing some part of a stairway, when it all became detached and fell striking him across the leg and fracturing it.

MARRIAGE.—Mrs. Duniway will, by invitation, deliver an address on the subject of "marriage" at the Court-House on Monday evening. Let there be a goodly number present to hear the lecture.

NEW MUSIC.—Dr. Littlefield has just received the following new and splendid music from M. Gray: "In the Bright Summer Land," "Sailing in the Moon Light," "Against the Stream," and "Barnum's Great Hippodrome."

Dr. Littlefield has just received some fine bird-cages, new music and fishing tackle. Give him a call.

Ferguson & Bird retain their old stand and sell goods at very small profits.

Kelty & Simpson have "heaps" of nice things.

"Caesarism" and a Third Term.

About a year ago the New York Herald evoked the ghost of Caesarism, and declared that there was a scheme on foot to run President Grant for a third term. Most sober-minded people were at the time disposed to look upon this as a mere sensationalism, designed to enliven the dull monotony of the heated term, when live to topics were scarce and the perspiring public yearned for something to accelerate its sluggish pulse.

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They had a holiday in the Cincinnati Enquirer office when Ben Butler's last speech came in, and they prefaced that memorable philippic with such gentle comments as "Ben bounced 'em—High old times in the House last night—Butler puts on his war paint and goes on a general scalping expedition—Numerous trophies of the raid dangling at his bloody belt."

Turning the tables.—While some colored people were being baptized recently in the river at Nashville, one became unmanageable, and seizing the minister, who was small, threw him over her head, almost drowning him.

A Wisconsin clergyman has been found guilty by a church council of "not always handling the truth with sufficient carefulness to meet the demands of veracity."

MISCELLANEOUS.

Notice. In the matter of the application of J. J. Colard, guardian of the minor heirs of J. O. Henderson, deceased, to sell real estate.

SACRAMENTO, July 14.—The beet growers around Brighton, five miles from this city, have been greatly excited for a week past over the appearance of the army worm in their beet fields. The worm is a new-comer, and has appeared in vast quantities over an area of at least three miles.

THE EXTENT OF THE DAMAGE. They have eaten up nearly all the

beets that were planted by the Beet Sugar Company, and the fields of John Rooney, which are mostly planted with beets, are almost as clear as when the seed was first put in. They cover the ground in a hideous black, crawling mass, and present a most loathsome sight. They eat the tops entirely off the beets, not even leaving the stems of the leaves; but after these are all eaten they descend to the beet itself and devour it. There are a great many willows in the vicinity, and it is probable the moth that lays the egg out of which the worm is hatched is harbored by them. When the worms come out they commence their depredations on the nearest fields to the willows, and this fact has been observed in former years. The course traveled by the worms is from the southwest to the northeast.

AN ARMY OF TURKEYS CLEARING OUT THE PESTS.

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Final Settlement. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Amanda Brown, Administratrix of the estate of W. W. Brown, deceased, has filed her final account in said estate, and that the County Judge of Yamhill county, Oregon, has ordered that said final account be heard at the regular August term of the Probate Court of said county on Tuesday the 11th day of August, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Lafayette, Oregon. All persons interested are therefore required to appear at said time and place and make objections to said final account if any exist.

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