

LAFAYETTE COURIER.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1874.

M. E. Church South.

Religious services will be held by the M. E. Church South, as follows: First Sunday Happy Valley, 11 A. M. Second " " 6 P. M. Third " West Chehalis, 11 A. M. Fourth " " 6 P. M. Lafayette, 11 A. M. E. G. MICHAEL, P. C.

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.

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

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

Mails bound South will close at 5 o'clock P. M. each day.

Mails bound North will close at 7 P. M. each day.

Postoffice will close at 8 P. M. until further notice.

Office open from five to six P. M. Sundays.

Aug. 18. J. W. WATTS, P. M.

HUNTING ITEMS.—People seem to think that all a newspaper man has to do in order to obtain seven or a dozen columns of items such as haps, mishaps, things that did or did not happen and never will, that will instruct or amuse or neither, that are true or false or both, that will excite the "risibilities" or cause the briny tear to fall without having to skin onions, that will make the hair stand erect on your head even if you are as bald as a buzzard, to sharpen up your two inch pencil, take a quire of paper in your vest pocket and "take a spin around the block on your left eyebrow." Such is not the case, eggnactly. We tried it the other night—not on our left eyebrow, but was left on our back after a big dog ran be-tween us just as we were going down one of those slick aprons which adorn our sidewalk—and after asking near a dozen men if they "know'd" anything strange or startling we learned that there had been another dog fight on the streets.

GRAND JURY'S REPORT.—The Grand Jury made the following report to Judge Bonham:

We, the Grand Jury, having con-cluded our labors, beg leave to submit the following:

1st. We recommend that the cell in use for a jail in this county be so repaired by placing two bars of iron entirely across the end of the cell in which the door is placed.

2d. We would also recommend that the floor in the hall of the Court-House be repaired.

We find the books of the Sheriff, Clerk and Treasurer as far as we have examined correct.

G. W. JONES, Foreman.

WELL INDOURED.—The Gift Con-certs in aid of the Kentucky Library are not at all speculative. The institu-tion is chartered by the State of Kentucky. The first prize in the next drawing, which takes place No-venber 30, is \$250,000. It is a reliable institution, and some one will get the money. And that there may be no doubt as to the honesty of its man-agement, we cite the facts that the best banks in Louisville indorse it, and that Governor Thomas E. Bran-lette, of Louisville, is the general manager. An institution so favored is certainly deserving of confidence.

PROFESSOR ZAMLOCH.—On last Friday evening this chief of the mys-terious art gave one of his deceptive entertainments at this place. Those who attended are loud in their praise of some of the excellent tricks per-formed on the occasion. The Profes-sor has a peculiar faculty of catching coin, he seems to find it in the air, in the hats, ears, laps and hands of the audience, and we might say finds it "where it isn't as well as where it is." For ways that are dark and tricks that are vain, Zamloch is peculiar.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—Following officers were installed last Tuesday evening by Lodge Deputy Watts for the quarter commencing November 3d in Lafayette Lodge, I. O. G. T.: W. C. T., Geo. P. Dorris; W. J. T., Mrs. A. F. Dorris; W. S., J. J. Hem-bree; W. F. S., Chas. Watts; W. T., James T. Hembree; W. C., Miss N. Martin; W. M., Miss S. M. Bradshaw; W. I. G., Miss Vina Henry; W. O. S., Sidney G. Dorris.

THE ENTERTAINMENT.—Arrange-ments have been made with Profes-sor Zamloch to give one of his enter-tainments for the benefit of the Hall, this (Friday) evening. Last Friday evening the Professor showed to a very fair house, and gave satisfaction to those present, and all felt satisfied they had got the worth of their mon-ey. Tickets were secured at the stores.

BOSTON'S REPAIRS.—When Bos-ton's meat wagon was sailing around through town the other pay selling his good beef to everybody, and the bells on his horses kept time with the driver as he whistled: "Beautiful bells, oh beautiful bell; if you don't want my beef, go to—Morgan's shop."

NOTES.

Muddy. Cold weather. Too wet for croquet.

Now is the winter of our discontent. Who'd have thought Mac was a fid-ler.

Dog-fights somewhat numerous this week.

Streets are getting in a very slushy condition.

Circuit Court has been in session this week.

It has rained at last and the farm-ers are happy.

Old papers for sale at this office. \$1 per hundred.

Take in your plants, or they may get nipped.

Geese are putting in an appearance in large quantities.

Dr. Littlefield wants some oats. See ad. in another column.

November 26th is the day fixed for killing Thanksgiving turkeys.

The first thing that "Newt" bought after getting married was a bedstead.

The largest letter mail ever received at this postoffice came last even-ing.

Don't forget the entertainment for the benefit of the Good Templars to-night.

There are some men around town that beat Zamloch mixing wine and water.

On the outside we publish a synopsis of the proceedings of the last Leg-islature.

There are a good many persons sick with Scarlet fever in this county at present.

QUESTION?—What has become of the Y. L. & T. Co.? Hope this hasn't fell through with?

A vote of thanks was given the mus-icians on the occasion of the necktie sociable by the Lodge.

New married people should get their furniture of Smith & Co. It is handsome, durable and cheap.

The person that gets on the outside of the most three-ply-tangle-leg whis-ky at a Chehalis dance is the bully-boy.

It costs less to take a weekly news-paper than an industrious hen can earn in a year at the market price of eggs.

The reason why we are short on items this week is because the people had to tell the Grand Jury all they knew and more too.

Judge Hurlley will receive bids for attending the draws on the St. Joe, Lafayette and Dayton bridges until next Wednesday.

John Williamson, Esquire, of Che-halem Valley, has, so we understand, leased his farm to Hon. Wm. Town-send, and intends moving to Salem.

At a party in the "Grubby-End" of Chehalis, recently, there were two "knock-downs." Too much bad "fa-rantula juice" appears to have been the cause.

Arrangements are being made by parties fully competent, and who know how to do it, to give a grand ball and supper at this place Christ-mas night.

We have been asked the following conundrum which we have to let our readers guess at: "Why is the wife of I. N. Hembree like a ship without ballast."

Again we call attention of some of the road supervisors in Chehalis to the precarious condition of some of the small bridges. Fix them up by all means and thereby save accidents.

The late rains have raised the river about four feet and cleared out the debris from the effects of blasting so that boats can now come up to the warehouse.

There are two or three young hell-ions in this place that are in the habit of yelling out "Fire! Fire!" Seri-ously, young men, you are old enough to know better, and some time you may regret your jokes.

PERSONAL.

J. J. Daly, editor of the Itemizer, gave us a call during the week. He has been in attendance on the Circuit Court.

We acknowledge a call from Chas. L. Dell and W. Mathews of Portland. Mr. Dell is agent for the celebrated Chemical Paint.

John J. Whitney, Prosecuting At-orney for this district gave us a call during the week. He is a young man of great ability, and will evidently make his mark.

W. J. Martin returned home dur-ing the week from a three year's cruise over South America and Cali-fornia. He returns in about two weeks.

AHEAD.—The Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machine is still ahead on the Pacific Coast as elsewhere, having this year taken the first premium at the Oregon State Fair, Washington County Fair, and California State and County Fairs.

Circuit Court Docket.

Appended will be found a complete list of the business transacted by the October term of the Circuit Court. It is needless to say that this "court" business is rather an expensive luxury for which the taxpayers have to pay.

State of Oregon v. Simon Body, in-dictment for keeping a billiard table without license; plea of guilty; fined \$50 and costs.

State of Oregon v. Lafayette Har-ris; assault and battery, plea of guilty; fined \$10 and costs.

State of Oregon v. Lafayette Har-ris; for selling spirituous liquors with-out a license, nonsuit and defendant discharged.

State of Oregon v. R. Harris; in-dictment for using profane language; jury trial and verdict of not guilty.

W. White et ux, v. J. Watt; action to recover realty, continued.

Aurora Bowman and husband v. J. Watt; action to recover realty, con-tinued.

State of Oregon v. Charles Star, continued.

M. Agee v. W. W. Agee; suit for divorce. Divorce granted.

J. R. Bean v. J. Saxe; injunction; dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

S. Hanna v. School District No. 28; review; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

J. B. Harker—same as above.

A. Hulbert—same as above.

Lucy Hulbert—same as above.

Bangasser & Dielschneider v. H. F. Smith; settled and dismissed.

Hotelling & Co. v. R. Harris; action to recover money, withdrawn.

M. M. Gay v. W. W. West; action to recover damages; change of venue to Columbia county.

L. M. Starr vs. J. E. Harris, et ux; suit in equity; foreclosure of mort-gage.

John Saxe v. J. R. Bean; action to recover possession of land, judgment for plaintiff.

R. P. Bird v. O. H. Adams; action to recover money. Dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

Polly Smith, et al. v. R. H. Lem-son; suit in equity; continued.

State of Oregon v. Wm. Hickey; assault with a dangerous weapon; defendant arraigned and plead guilty; fined \$100 and costs.

State of Oregon v. T. S. Pady; ac-cion of a calf; defendant arraigned; acquitted.

State of Oregon v. T. S. Pady; bar-ony of sheep; def. arraigned; cause dismissed.

State of Oregon v. H. M. Daniels; indictment for assault with a dan-gerous weapon; acquitted.

State of Oregon v. Mrs. Jane Arm-strong, John Thompson, Andrew Smith, jr., Pleasant Smith and P. Smith; indictment for assault with a dangerous weapon; dismissed.

J. Saxe vs. J. R. Bean; action to recover possession of property.

R. P. Bird vs. O. H. Adams & Co.; action to recover money.

Elizabeth Hall vs. Wm. Hall; suit for divorce.

W. J. McConnell vs. R. O. Hoff-man; action to recover money.

A. Sittou v. W. Holcom; review; judg-ment of court below reversed.

Jane Armstrong, et al. v. State of Oregon; review; cause argued and submitted and review dismissed.

Mary Lasselle v. A. Bradbury; ac-tion to recover money; continued.

S. B. Culbertson vs. A. Bradbury; same.

T. E. Fristoe vs. W. B. Carey; ap-pel for costs; cause submitted and dis-cision of Clerk in taxing costs con-firmed.

The Demand for American Machinery.

The New York Sun in speak-ing editorially about the foreign demand for American machinery, pays a high compliment to the mechanics. It says: The improvement in American machinery within the past few years has been so great that large quantities of it have been exported to foreign countries. This is true chiefly of machines adapted to the reproduction of certain forms: automatic machines which are in-tended to make interchangeable work, as in sewing machines, pis-tols, guns, and similar articles. The American milling machine, and the system of milling metals into shape, are now used in all great foreign armories and work-shops, and it needs nothing but ac-quaintance with the excellency of these engines of industry to ac-count for the fact. We do not refer to the exporta-tion of mowing machines, steam engines and boilers, or any article which we have special facilities to make, but particularly to tools which have a national reputation, and which are known in the mar-kets of the world as American

tools. Of these the universal scroll chuck is a familiar example. This is an apparatus for holding a round object in a lathe exactly central with the spindle, so that it is adjusted at once without loss of time. This tool is indispensable in every machine shop, and is large-ly manufactured in this country and much appreciated abroad.

The twist drill is another purely American tool. It is simply a round steel bar, cut like a common auger, with edges suitable for boring metals. It ranges in size from a fine needle to three inches diam-eter. One establishment in this country has gradually absorbed the entire interest of others, and has a steady foreign demand for its wares. A machine firm in Connecticut, which from very modest beginnings ten or twelve years since, has built up an enor-mous trade, has exported in the last three years over \$1,250,000 worth of gun, pistol, and sewing-machine tools. These men have stocked several foreign armories with automatic machines on the American principle, and they are as well known in European mar-kets as they are at home. We might point also to the locomotive engine makers of Patterson and Philadelphia, whose reputation is world wide. The performance of American engines abroad has been so satisfactory, compared with those of local builders, as to secure large contracts, and an order for locomotives to burn anthracite coal, is now being filled at Patter-son for the Russian Government. The demand for American ma-chines in foreign markets has been created solely by reason of the in-trinsic merit of the articles.

Brigham Young is dangerously ill, and his wife feels very bad about it.

Where to go when short of money—Go to work.

For the very best Photographs, go to Bradley & Rulofson's Gallery with an ELEVATOR, 429 Montgomery Street, San Francisco.

Notice.

To whom it may Concern: Not cis hereby given that there is no longer any partnership between J. B. HARKER of Dayton, Oregon and JAMES C. VAN RENSSELAER of Portland, Oregon, which partnership formerly existed at Dayton, under the name of HARKER & Co. Notice is also given that neither said J. B. Harker or any other person is or has been for the past six months authorized to contract any indebtedness that will be binding jointly upon the owners of the Dayton Flouring Mill, and notice is furthermore given that Anna Van Rensselaer will not pay any portion of any indebtedness or ex-pense of any kind whatever, which has within the time above named or may hereafter be incurred in or about or in behalf of said mill, nor permit the same to become a lien upon her interest therein. PH. C. SCHUYLER, Agent of Anna Van Rensselaer and guard-ian of estate of J. C. Van Rensselaer, PORTLAND, Ogn. Sept. 8, 1874.

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