

BASE BALL.—Quite a number of players came up from the country in the vicinity of Lafayette, North Yamhill and St. Joe, last Saturday, and after a game of several innings in which our visitors did some decidedly sharp playing, they all joined in with the base-ballists of this place and vicinity and organized a rousing club, with over 30 signers to the constitution. The boys desire us to speak a good word for the business men of McMinnville, who all came up promptly and signed their names with the club, and paid their dues in to the treasury. The boys are making up a nine that they think can walk away with the laurels against anything in Oregon, and we shall always think so, too, until a test shall prove to the contrary. The next meeting of the club will be at this place next Saturday.—Reporter.

Now that there is a county club organized we hope the boys will go in to make a success of it and, when sufficiently well organized and drilled, pit themselves against any and all clubs in the State for the championship, which they might have once had obtained had it not been for the want of nerve. There are a few players here and at Dayton, who would materially add to the strength of any club, who should add their names to the roll at the meeting at McMinnville to-morrow.

DIED.—It becomes our painful duty to chronicle the death of one of our most esteemed citizens, Miss Susan M. Bradshaw, only daughter of Hon. E. C. Bradshaw, of this place, whose soul "took its flight across the dark river, from which there is no returning, on last Tuesday evening at five o'clock. The deceased was an universal favorite with all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance, and no one in the community will be more missed. The funeral was preached by Rev. W. Butts in the church last Wednesday, and while the friends were taking a last look upon the remains, there was scarcely a dry eye among the large audience. The corpse was taken charge of by the Good Templars, of which Order she was an honored member, and the remains interred under the ceremonies of that body. The deceased was aged 18 years, 4 months and 3 days. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community in this, their sad affliction.

BAD PRACTICE, BOYS.—The genus hoodlum, of this place have a new invention whereby some of them are very apt to get seriously injured. The best name for it is an "Infernal Machine." The modus operandi is as follows: A blank cartridge is perforated; mounted on small wheels and loaded with powder and shot; one of the boys holds it up to his face and takes aim at an old can, another touches it off with a lighted match or a heated wire. This machine shoots with sufficient force to go through a sheet of tin. Owing to their patriotic proclivities, and the near approach of the 4th, they will be permitted to continue this harmless (?) amusement.

LUCKY.—The wheel of fortune in its mysterious revolutions has turned up a neat little fortune for the Morin boys—Jo, John and Labe. They are in receipt of papers which entitle them to a one-fourth share of a small property in Kentucky, valued at over forty thousand dollars—and not a million as at first reported. Boys we don't begrudge you your good luck. We had just as leave you had it as anybody we know of unless 'tis ourself.

WORK COMMENCED.—We are glad to see that operations have been commenced by the gentlemen who intend erecting shops for the purpose of manufacturing furniture, sash and doors, etc. We hope that our citizens will lend a helping hand and rush this enterprise through to an early completion, as it will materially add to the prosperity of the place.

CAMP MEETING.—The meeting at Gaunt's bridge under the auspices of the M. E. Church, South, which terminated last Monday, was largely attended, and a few members added to the church. Among the ministers from abroad we noticed Prof. Emery, Elder White, F. W. D. Mays, Dr. Skipworth, and a number of others.

MARRIED.—North Yamhill Lodge I. O. G. T., last Saturday night devoted a little from its usual routine of business, and two hearts that beat as one—Mr. John Dunn and Miss Mary Messinger were united in matrimony by B. W. Dunn, J. P. We wish the young couple happiness through their life's journey.

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

Following resolutions were adopted by Lafayette Lodge, No. 31, I. O. G. T., at a special meeting Wednesday afternoon.

WHEREAS, Our friend and sister, Susan M. Bradshaw, has been stricken by disease and removed from our midst by the fell destroyer Death, and

WHEREAS, In the death of sister Bradshaw our order has lost a useful member and our community an honored citizen. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we extend the bereaved family of the deceased our heartfelt sympathies, reminding them that their loved one is "not lost, but gone before."

Resolved, That our lodge room be draped in mourning for the period of twenty days.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the LAFAYETTE COURIER and the Yamhill Reporter for publication, and a copy be furnished the afflicted family of deceased; also a copy spread upon the minutes of this lodge.

Submitted in F. H. and C., S. M. KELTY, S. M. HURLEY, A. G. P. DORRIS, Committee.

HURT.—Master Gustavus Smith, received a fall from his horse one day last week which caused him considerable pain. A certain party did not act the part of the "Good Samaritan" when he found his horse loose and Gustavus bleeding by the roadside, but simply asked: "Can you make it home," and drove on.

DELEGATES.—The following persons were delegates from this county to the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. which has been in session in Portland this week: C. J. Handley, Lafayette Lodge; C. G. Rowell, Sheridan; Alex. Watt, Amity; C. D. Johnson, McMinnville.

ACCEPTS.—From a letter to the committee of arrangements for the celebration at this place, from Uncle Aaron Payne, we learn that he will be here, no preventing providence, the Reporter to the contrary, notwithstanding.

TEACHERS' NOTICE.—There will be public examination for those wishing certificates, on June 26th at the Lafayette School house, commencing at 9 o'clock A. M.

RUNNERS.—During the week not less than a dozen runners for business houses have been in town.

NOTES.

Rainy wether, and farmers happy. New potatoes are large enough to eat.

Camp-meeting at the Hibbs ground is progressing.

A "Liberty Car" will be one of the attractions at this place, July 3d.

They play a new game at North Yamhill which they call ditch digging.

We hear that the late wind and rains knocked down some of the grain in this county.

It is remarkable how readily the "tender-foot" fall into the habits of the fall-hedged web-foot.

Martin Light come to the front. Your son Henry P., waits you to write him at Salem, Oregon.

Some measures should be adopted that will put an end to the hoodlumism which prevails at the camp-meetings.

George Hibbs while running his horse last Saturday had a terrible lip put on him by the animal falling down.

Mr. Mercer has had quite an acquisition to his family by the arrival last evening, from Missouri, of six beautiful nieces.

We have been unable to get the names of those who will occupy the Liberty Car at the Fourth coming celebration.

Somebody or something without the fear of the law or Jimmy Dorris, got away with about forty of his thoroughbred chickens yesterday.

Butler & Co., are having a mammoth well dug in the western part of town—8x8 feet square. This will give sufficient water to run the engine to be used in their furniture establishment.

Mr. Trav. Johnson put in an appearance last week after an absence of thirteen years. He remarked that the country had "grown up with sage brush." Anybody would know that he had been living in a sage brush country—Nevada.

The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Rulofson for the best Photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world. 123 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

North Side Wolf Club.

LAFAYETTE, June 12, The North Side Wolf Club met pursuant to adjournment, J. Wisecarver presiding.

Minutes of last meeting read and after amending were approved. J. J. Haynes reported the capture of several young coyote scalps.

Moved, that in our judgment, talking into consideration the number of members which we now have and the number of scalps to be paid for, it would be proper and expedient for the secretary to levy an assessment of 50 cts upon each member, therefore we so instruct him. Adopted.

The assessment was levied and \$17 50 were paid in, the balance to be collected by the collectors.

A motion to strike out that portion of Article 5 pertaining to the use of strychnine was laid over until next meeting.

No little interest was shown at this meeting. One prominent member gave the following answer to this question:

Mr. Fryer after having captured twenty coyotes in a very brief space of time, shall we permit this organization to die?

ANSWER. No. I am certainly not willing to let my portion of it die. I did not learn until today that so many had been captured. We are doing exceedingly well, so I say let's go on with it.

We now have 135 members with almost positive assurance of 50 or 75 more between this and fall. When this club was organized it was not expected that much could be done before fall. It now costs each member to catch a full grown coyote but 18 1/2 cents. Note the difference.

On motion adjourned to meet the second Saturday in July.

W. J. WIMER, Sec. N. S. W. C.

OREGON NEWS.

The Dixie (Polk county) empenment will begin this week.

The State Manufacturing Company will soon resume the business of manufacturing boots and shoes at the penitentiary at Salem.

Ten miles from Roseburg there is a field of wheat containing 85 acres, from which it is expected, 3,000 bushels will be obtained.

Buyers are offering 82 cents for wheat at Albany, and 50 cents for oats.

The Patrons of Husbandry will celebrate the coming Fourth of July in grand style at the Overbeck Grove, near Jacksonville.

The commencement exercises at Christian College, Monmouth, commenced Saturday evening last.

Clackamas county jail is now tenantless.

Immigrants are getting to be very plenty in Washington county.

An interesting campmeeting was in progress from last Saturday until Tuesday at Harris' bridge, Washington county, under the ministrations of Revs. Richardson and Burnett, of the Christian Church.

The county commissioners of Polk county last week appointed Hon. R. S. Crystal county treasurer, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of the late treasurer.

Mrs. Briggs and son, indicted by a grand jury of Josephine county for the killing of John Delamatter last year, whose case has been transferred to Jackson county for trial, have arrived in Jacksonville for trial.

Richard Hammond, of Ashland, met with a serious accident the other day. While in the act of pulling his gun (which he had left leaning against a porch) toward him, the hammer scraped its edge and went off, emptying a heavy charge into his arm, which entered at the wrist and came out at the elbow.

The boy, who answered the question in geography, "What is the shape of the world?" by answering, "Round like a brick" has grown up into a reckless man, and edits the Fort Scott Monitor. On Monday he printed all about the centennial of the battle fought at Lexington, Kentucky.

LAFAYETTE MARKETS.

Table with columns for FLOUR GRAIN, ETC. and GROCERIES. Items include Wheat, Oats, Corn Meal, Flour, Buckwheat Flour, Bran, Hay, Sugar, Tea, Coffee, etc.

Table with columns for FRUITS, VEGETABLES, ETC. Items include Apples, Peaches, Plums, Beans, Potatoes, Onions.

Table with columns for MEATS. Items include Beef, Pork, Mutton, Bacon, Lard.

Table with columns for BUTTER, EGGS, ETC. Items include Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Lard.

Table with columns for WOOL, HIDES, ETC. Items include Wool, Hides, Deer Skins, Sheep Skins.

Table with columns for OILS, ETC. Items include Lard Oil, Tallow, Neat-foot Oil.

EXPRESS LINE, Dayton to St. Joseph.

Will run a hack from Dayton to St. Joe, via Lafayette, connecting with the cars every day. All business promptly attended to. J. HEST.

Send 25c to G. P. ROWELL & CO., New York for book (24th edition) containing lists of 2000 newspapers, and estimates showing cost of advertising.

Advertisement for HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR REGENERATOR. Includes an illustration of a bottle and text describing its benefits for hair.

Every year increases the popularity of this valuable Hair Preparation; which is due to merit alone. We can assure our old patrons that it is kept fully up to its high standard; and it is the only reliable and perfected preparation for restoring GRAY or FADED HAIR to its youthful color, making it soft, lustrous, and silken.

Buckingham's Dye. FOR THE WHISKERS. As our Refresher in many cases requires too long a time, and too much care, to restore gray or faded Whiskers, we have prepared this dye, in one preparation, which will quickly and effectually accomplish this result. It is easily applied, and produces a color which will neither rub nor wash off. Sold by all Druggists. Price Fifty Cents. Manufactured by R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N.H.

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Advertisement for RADWAY'S READY RELIEF. Claims to cure various ailments like rheumatism, neuralgia, and toothache in a short time.

Advertisement for RADWAY'S READY RELIEF. Focuses on its effectiveness for ailments like indigestion, headache, and general weakness.

Advertisement for HEALTH! BEAUTY!! featuring DR. RADWAY'S SASSAPARILLIAN RESOLVENT. Claims to improve blood and complexion.

Advertisement for DR. RADWAY'S SASSAPARILLIAN RESOLVENT. Describes it as a blood purifier and its benefits for various skin and internal conditions.

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Advertisement for KELTY & SIMPSON, DRUGGISTS. Located in Lafayette, OGN.

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