

LOCAL MATTERS.

Mr. W. C. Kenedy is forging matters in a new building and will soon be ready to blow.

The open sessions mentioned in last week's issue, were postponed on account of the protracted meeting.

A fine 35-mile Spy-Glass, cost \$50; price, \$18, at Uncle Harris' 702 Kearny Street, San Francisco. Send for it.

Messrs. Kramer and Hoge, having a good supply of horse shoes are now prepared to accommodate any and all with promptness and dispatch, who may feel disposed to have anything done in that line.

We wish to call attention to the new "ad" of Mr. W. J. Wells, our townsman, in this issue. The quality of Mr. W's work is well known, and he asks a continuance of the liberal patronage he has been receiving.

It is reported that there has been a tax levied on all assessable property in the school district just north of town, and contract let for putting up a new school house this summer. We are pleased to know that people are alive in the cause of education.

Dr. J. M. Powell, the popular proprietor of the Monmouth Drug and Prescription Store, is playing "ye local" for us now, and our readers will agree that he handles his pencil to good purpose, as well as his tinctures, powders and pills. [See Messenger.]

Prof. J. P. Blake, well known to the friends of education in this valley, spent a few days in our town last week, visiting the college and admiring its beautiful situation and that of the surrounding country. The Prof. is as enthusiastic, lively and full of poetry as ever.

The Grangers of Lewisville have engaged the services of the Monmouth S. C. Band to furnish them with music suitable for their picnic at that place on the 19th inst. We hope the boys will enjoy themselves to their fullest, as the Grangers are never wanting for plenty to eat.

While in Independence the other day, we dropped into the Carriage Shop of Mr. E. Rowe, and had the pleasure of being "shown through" by that gentleman. His work is unsurpassed by anything we have seen, and as Mr. R. is a first class painter, he gives his work a finish that is a pleasure to see. See his advertisement in another column.

Bro. D. T. Craig has bought an interest in J. S. Cooper's Livery Stable, and the business will continue under the management of these gentlemen. They are well supplied with saddle horses as well as single and double rigs for the accommodation of the public. They are running a semi-weekly hack to Salem—Tuesdays and Fridays—besides their daily line from Albany to Dallas and return.

The stage of the "Wes Side Line," will leave Albany daily on and after May 1st, at 5 o'clock A. M., passing the towns of Buenavista, Independence, Monmouth, Dallas, Amity, and McMinnville, arriving at St. Joe at 6 P. M., making connection with trains to and from Portland. Messrs. Cooper & Craig of Monmouth will operate the line between Albany and Dallas, and will put on good rigs. The public can depend on speedy and comfortable passage.

As a result of our protracted meeting there were fourteen immersions on last Sunday. B. O. Campbell, assisted by Bro. Waller, conducted the exercises through last week. Since then the old and venerable Bro. J. J. Moss, of Salem, has been occupying the stand. He is not wanting in that book religion, which enables him to utter words replete with pith and point, in such a manner as to receive the approbation and command the greatest respect both of saint and sinner. Under the earnest solicitation of the brethren, Bro. Moss continues the meeting.

The Dallas Brass Band and the Monmouth S. C. Band will co-operate in furnishing plenty of the finest music on Saturday next, at the summit of Mount Pisgah, for the enjoyment of those who have been so long anticipating something of this kind, and so earnestly awaiting the proper season to "roll around," in which they would be permitted, as the birds of spring, to go forth among the "trees" and enjoy the healthy "brezes" replete with the harmonic chords that so enlivens the mind, strengthens the body and quickens every part of one's nature.

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GRANGE PIC NIC AT LEWISVILLE, POLK COUNTY.—A Grange picnic will be held at Lewisville on Saturday, the 19th day of May, 1877, under the auspices of Mono Grange No. 25 P. of H. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody (and his wife). Members of the order will please bring their regalia. Members of the order of P. of H. will form in procession in front of the Grange Hall at 10 o'clock A. M., and march to the ground where the picnic was held two years ago. A general good time is anticipated. H. C. McTIMMONDS.

The Annual Christian Co-operation of Oregon. COMMENCING JUNE 14, 1877. REGULAR DAILY SERVICES.

From 8:00 to 8:45 o'clock A. M.—Bible Class. 8:45 " 9:00—Recess. 9:00 " 10:00—Social Meeting. 10:00 " 10:30—Recess. 10:30 " 11:30—Sermon. 11:30 " 11:45—Exhortation. 11:45 " 1:30 P. M.—Intermission. 1:30 " 2:30—Sermon. 2:30 " 2:40—Recess. 2:40 " 3:40—Meetings of Church Messengers, Sunday School Delegates, College Trustees, or Ministers. 3:40 " 4:00—Recess. 4:00 " 5:00—Sermon. SPECIAL EXERCISES.

Thursday, 14th, 4 P. M.—Opening Discourse, by Elder J. E. Roberts, of Monmouth. Friday, 15th, 1:30 P. M.—Discourse on Missionary Work, by Elder G. W. Richardson, of Bethel; the co-operation organization at 2:40 P. M. Saturday, 16th, 1:30 P. M.—Discourse on Christian Education, by Elder T. F. Campbell, Pres. Christian College; the Trustees of Christian College meeting at 2:40 P. M. Monday, 18th, 1:30 P. M.—Discourse on Ministerial Association, by Elder J. J. Moss, late of Illinois; the ministers meeting at 2:40 P. M. Tuesday, 19th, 1:30 P. M.—Discourse on Sunday school Work, by Elder Leo Willis, Superintendent of the Salem Sunday school; the Sunday school delegates meeting at 2:40 P. M. Wednesday, 20th, 1:30 P. M.—Discourse on Religious Literature for Families, by Elder D. T. Stanley, editor of the CHRISTIAN MESSENGER. Thursday, 21st, 1:30 P. M.—Discourse on Pastoral Labor, by Elder P. R. Burnett, of Eugene City. Friday, 22nd, 1:30 P. M.—Discourse on Christian Union, by Elder H. M. Waller, of Monmouth. Saturday, 23rd, 1:30 P. M.—Discourse on Family Religion and Training, by Elder R. H. Mess, pastor of the Salem church. Bros. A. W. Lucas, of Monmouth, J. Todd, of McMinnville, and Wm. McCall, of Trent, will serve as a committee on preaching, providing for the supply of all unoccupied time. L. L. ROWLAND, Committee on Co-operation.

From a Physician. Hyde Park, Vt. Feb. 7, 1876. Messrs. Seth W. Fowls & Sons, Boston. Gents—You may perhaps remember that I wrote you several weeks ago in regard to the use of the Pruvian Syrup for my wife, who was suffering from general debility, the sequence of typhoid Eisertery. I had tried the most noted physicians in this State, and also in Canada, without relief. At your recommendation she commenced the use of the Syrup, the first four bottles made but little impression, but while taking the fifth she began to improve rapidly, and now, after using six of the dollar bottles, she has regained her strength, and is able to do most of the work about the house; and I feel that I cannot speak too highly in praise of the Pruvian Syrup. I have prescribed it to several of my patients, and have procured the sale of several dozen of it here. You can make any use of this letter you see fit. Yours very truly, H. D. BELDEN, M. D.

"It's Only a Cough" has brought many to untimely graves. What is a Cough? The lungs or bronchial tubes have been attacked by a cold; nature sounds an alarm-bell, telling where the disease lies. Wisdom suggests "try Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry"; it has cured, during the last half of a century, thousands of persons. As long as you cough, there is danger for the cough is a Safety Valve. Use "Wistar" and be cured. Sold by all druggists.

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