

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1888.

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Persons having Job Printing to do will do well to call on us and get our prices on the same before sending it off to other places to have done.

Rev. J. R. Kirkpatrick of this place went over to Brownsville to attend the prayer meeting there to-night.

He will also hold services there Sunday.

E. E. McKinney, of Turner station was in town yesterday and made this office a pleasant call.

He reports politics as badly mixed in Marion county.

A. R. Cyrus has been busily engaged this week in putting a new binder in running order in Churchill's hardware store.

Call in farmers and examine it.

Rev. Jones, assisted by his wife will hold a campmeeting at Sodaville, commencing to-day. They have a large tent for the purpose. Everybody is invited.

Henry Parrish, proprietor of the St. Charles hotel, returned from his ranch at the mountain house at the foot of the mountains on the Lebanon road and reports the road in excellent condition.

The last opportunity this season to buy a dress for less than cost will be given at Montague's during the coming week.

Bring the money with you as nothing but cash or produce will buy these goods at such a sacrifice.

We are glad to state the reported case of measles at Kim's Hotel at Sodaville, has been pronounced by Dr. Foley not to be measles. The attendance at this popular watering place is much larger this season than usual.

Nice, round, plump, red, luscious cherries there was sent to Dr. Courtney office, of which the EXPRESS was kindly invited to share; new nut Dec, when we get the popular with the ladies we will return the compliment.

Hon. J. K. Weatherford, W. R. Bilbey, O. H. Irvine, W. R. Kirk, Jeff Myers, Judge Blackburn, Judge Whitney, L. M. Carl, J. F. Hyde, John Connor, John Smallman, and Capt. N. B. Humphrey stopped over night in this city Thursday night.

J. A. Winter, the Brownsville photographer is in town and will remain for two weeks providing the business justifies. Give him a call at once; he does first class work and guarantees satisfaction. He is prepared to take family groups, and uses the instantaneous process.

After a short dry spell the glorious rain has come, and abundant crops are fully assured. While all sections of the east are visited by tremendous and violent storms of wind, hail and rain, rivers breaking over all bounds and destroying life and property in every direction, the Willamette Valley is enjoying peace, prosperity, abundant crops of all kinds and fair weather.

Miss Mary A. Jones of Portland canvassing agent of the Home Library Association of New York and Chicago is canvassing in town, and will go to Brownsville in a day or two, and will thoroughly canvass the town. We would recommend our readers to carefully consider the proposition of the company as it furnishes an opportunity to procure any standard work at absolute cost.

The second annual meeting of the Presbyterian Social Union will be held at Aurora, Or., June 6. In the Sunday School division of the work Rev. G. W. Gibbons of Lebanon will open with prayer. The music will be conducted by Prof. Lee, of Albany. The rate of fare on the railroad from Lebanon for the round trip will be \$2.50.

We return our grateful thanks to the sixteen new subscribers from Sedo this week, besides other new names from different localities. We are truly grateful for our increasing circulation.

The weeks issue is seventy-two copies larger than any previous week since we assumed control. Advertisers will please make a note of this, that as we succeed your interest is best subserved.

Our friend Gross, the jolly and affable host at Waterloo, has displayed a commendable public spirit in arranging at his own expense, many conveniences for the traveling public, and accommodation of campers at that celebrated watering place. He is an epicurean and knows exactly how to cater to the wants of his patrons. Travelers will find him attentive to all their wants and moderate in his charges.

BUSINESS CHANGES.—During the past week G. W. Smith, Esq., has disposed of his store, and hardware business to Swan Bros., recently of Kansas. Mr. Smith has been in business in Lebanon for eleven years, and his departure, which will occur in the near future will be regretted by his many friends in Lebanon and vicinity. The gentlemen who succeed Mr. Smith are good business men, and worthy of the confidence of the people. The EXPRESS heartily joins the retiring proprietor in bespeaking for the new firm the very liberal patronage the house has enjoyed in the past, and also in welcoming them as permanent citizens, who will in every particular identify themselves with the best interests of the community.

DECORATION DAY.—Decorations day was observed with very appropriate ceremonies, by John F. Miller Post G. A. R. and the W. R. C. of Lebanon assisted by a large number of the citizens. The procession formed in front of the Fireman's hall, and headed by the band marched to the cemetery where the usual ritualistic ceremony was gone through with, after which they repaired to the Academy, and after singing and prayer Judge Miller delivered a very appropriate oration.

Next came the very interesting ceremony of attacking the lunch baskets, at were filled to overflowing by the ladies of the W. R. C. and others.

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## TOLD BY CORRESPONDENTS

To Our Correspondents.

We would like to have those parties who correspond for us to sign their names to all communications as well as their own de plume. We ask this as a special favor to us as we want to know all our correspondents, as sometimes we desire to write them at various times. Or course to names will be published but we require this as an acknowledgment of good faith on the part of our correspondents.—E.C.

## SCIO ITEMS

Mr. E. Goin's will soon complete the renovation of his mill, under the efficient management of Mr. Rogers who is an expert at the business. A new and complete roller set of machinery will soon be put in operation.

We extend to Dr. and Mrs. Hyde our sincere sympathy on the death of their dear little Archie who was so suddenly snatched away. Truly death loves a shining mark, but heaven holds the jewel that earth has lost.

Some sneak thief entered the residence of Mrs. E. E. Pentland on last Sabbath night while the family was at church, and stole thirty dollars in money. Nothing else was disturbed that they knew of.

There will be an ice cream and strawberry festival at Sedo on next Saturday evening, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. The ladies of Sedo know how to get up a first class entertainment, and those who attend will not be disappointed in rich edibles and a nice time. We hope Lebanon will be represented with a large delegation.

## MOUNTAIN HOUSE ITEMS.

Crops in this vicinity are beginning to need rain.

Mumps are quite prevalent around here.

The fir grove school is progressing very nicely with Martha E. Charlton, of Lebanon, as teacher.

Brother E. D. Johnson, of Brownsville, came up to our school house some four weeks since and organized a fine Sunday school, which has been running very nicely with a good deal of interest. We have the right man in the right place. He understands his business.

On last Sabbath, the 27th, after Sabbath School, by request, Brother E. D. Johnson gave us a lecture or a sermon from the book of St. James, the 5th chapter and 20th verse, on the elevation of society. The entire congregation listened for nearly one hour with intense interest, and all hope that he will give us another one soon.

## "SLIPPERY JACK."

On Sunday afternoon the "thunderheads" which, during the day had collected in the southeast giving promise of rain, assumed gigantic proportions and an evening approached, accompanied by heavy thunder and vivid flashes of lightning, worked its way along the Calapooia range south of town, obscuring the sky and presenting a panorama seldom seen in this locality.

The storm was of short duration, passing off to the southwest, no rain falling in the near vicinity of town.

Handshaking is the "order of the day," to a person not posted, the many inquiries of "how's your health," family well, would seem to indicate an immense amount of good feeling exhibited on our streets, and so we hope it is, but in reality to come down to the solid "Simon pure" quintessence of the business, it means, how do you vote? and who will drive a blank or make a winning when the political wheel is sent a whirling on the fourth day of June; "well" Simon says "thumbs up," and Simon says "thumbs down."

## Teacher's Institute Program.

The following is the program for the Teacher's Institute to be held at Sodaville, Saturday, June 9th.

MORNING SESSION.

Musie. Our new school laws.

L. M. Carl, Sedo.

Methods of teaching Mental Arithmetic.

B. A. Childers, Brownsville.

Musie. Oral exercises.

Z. T. Truelove, Tallman.

Temperance work in the schoolroom.

Miss Lydia Charlton, Lebanon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Musie. Should teachers spend their time and money to attend county and local institutes.

J. M. Williams, Halsey.

School government.

W. A. McGhee, Sodaville.

Musie. Friday afternoon exercises.

Miss Julia B. Thayer Lebanon.

Examination.

F. M. Mitchell, Spicer.

Teachers will please bring the "Song Wave" with them.

C. S. HUNT, Com. on Program.

Taken with Flis and Fly Blown.

Last Sabbath John Warner, son of Dr. Warner of Salem, was found lying by the roadside, about 12 miles from Lebanon, on Hamilton Creek, where he had fallen in a fit, and when found was unconscious, and horrible fly plagues brought him down to Lebanon, Sabbath evening, where he was cared for till Monday morning when he had so far recovered, that he was sent to his home in Salem.

An EXPRESS reporter learned the following particulars of the case. Some four years ago Mr. Warner took a homestead on Hamilton Creek, but had not lived on his claim for about two years. Last fall a man by the name of Embre jumped his claim, and he had come up to see about it. Failing to make arrangement with Embre, he had started to go home, and fell in a fit as before stated.

LATER.—Mr. Cole the gentleman that accompanied Mr. Warner to Salem returned last Tuesday evening, and informed a reporter of this paper that he left him very low, and there was but little hopes for the recovery of the young man.

Chas. Younger started for Waterloo on last Tuesday, where he will fill up on soda water.

S. Witholt, has been for the past three weeks confined to his house by an attack of sickness.

The Crawfordville Brass Band on Friday passed through town on their way to the Picnic Grove at Halsey.

John Sperry, of Portland has been visiting his brother, Rev. Carpus Sperry of this place during the past week.

Mrs. Royal Grover and Mrs. A. W.

Stanard, went to Albany on last Tuesday to attend the Sunday School convention.

A number of our citizens attended the public speaking on last Friday, by Hon. Jas. Tanner, at the picnic grove, Halsey.

D. Brusha, wife and daughter, on Monday last departed for Joseph, Wallowa Valley, at which place they will in the future reside.

Robert Putnam received a very painful cut in the foot from a pocket knife which he accidentally dropped; the blade passing entirely through the foot.

On Wednesday, G. A. Dyson, one of the locaters and part owner of the "Lucky Boy", started for the Calapooia mining district to push work on his claim, prospects of which are most flattering.

On Wednesday, while standing on a fence attempting to mount a restive horse, W. K. Temple was thrown to the ground, receiving some painful, but not serious injuries from the frightened animal.

On Saturday evening at the North Brownsville City Hall, Hon. J. K. Weatherford addressed a large and appreciative audience upon the political issues of the day.

Rev. Carpus Sperry, at the Baptist Church North Brownsville, on Sunday last, delivered to a large attendance a very interesting Sabbath sermon. The Sunday School exercises were as usual, largely attended.

Little Addie Gibler, Brownsville's favorite singer, met with a very painful accident on last Saturday at the Woolen mills; one hand being caught and drawn between the cogs of the "twister", producing some very painful wounds.

Rainfall would be very acceptable in this section to the growing grain as well as improve the dusty condition of our streets which are badly cut up; especially between here and Crawfordville, from which place teams are daily hauling lumber.

A. J. Adams, John Senger and Cap. Von Hagon, returned, over the Calapooia trail on Friday last from the mines situated on the divide; they brought some fair samples of gold bearing quartz taken from their claim, and seem sanguine that they have struck the precious metal in paying quantities.

A horse attached to a road cart, the property of L. Hasbrook, becoming frightened at the water from the street hydrant, broke the hitching strap by which it was fastened in front of the Willamette hotel, and being a "flyer" dashed off at a "2-40" gait for home, where it arrived in quick time, "right side up with care."

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## A Very Easy Grammar.

The grammar in poetry here presented is without doubt the briefest one of English language in existence, and any one ought to commit the lines to memory:

I Three little words you often see, Are articles a, an and the.

II A noun's the name of anything, As school or garden, hoop or swing.

III Adjectives, the kind of noun, As great, small, pretty, white or brown.

IV Instead of noun's the pronoun stand— Her head, his face, your arm, my hand.

V Verbs tell something to be done— To read, jump, laugh, skip or run.

VI How things are done the adverbs tell— As slowly, quickly, ill or well.

VII Conjunctions join the words together, As men and women, wind or weather.

VIII The preposition stands before A noun, as in, or through the door.

IX The interjection shows surprise, As Oh! how pretty, Ah! how wise.

The whole are called nine parts of speech, Which reading, writing, and speaking teach.

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