

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Fruit are plentiful. See the new ads on another page. The planting is progressing among the farmers.

Go to the furniture store for your wall paper. Clyde will preach at Zena on Monday.

There seems to be a scarcity of vacant lots in town. The warm weather makes one desire to be on the coast.

Church services are not well attended during warm weather. The Portland News issued a twenty-page illustrated edition on Monday.

There are watermelons in the Astoria market; they may soon be expected in other parts of the county.

Downs which have to depend wholly on the narrow gauge for mail facilities are not satisfied. Mr. Smith is having a new barn erected on her property in the northern part of town.

Money to loan on improved farm property in amounts to suit. Apply to Dr. Popleton, Lafayette.

The O. R. & N. company's new steamer, J. Potter, is now making regular trips to Astoria and Ilwaco.

Royal & Rudder commenced work on the Webster bridge Tuesday. It is to be completed by the 1st of August.

Y. N. Price, the McMinnville photographer, will make cabinet pictures for ever done. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Hygienic kalsomine for sale at the furniture store, the most brilliant, durable and sanitary wall finish in the city.

Gen. Gallentine, an old soldier, died at McMinnville, Monday, July 16, 1888. He leaves a wife and a large circle of friends who mourn his loss.

The Oregon Press Association will hold its annual meeting in the legislative hall at Salem August 10th. Gov. Penney will deliver the address of welcome.

Tuesday was the hottest day of the season. Thermometers varied according to position from 93 to 96 degrees in the shade. This is very warm for Western Oregon.

Wash's concert troupe will give an entertainment at Littlefield's hall this (Friday) evening. Minstrelsy, character songs, comic acting and fire-eating. Admission, 25 cents; children, 15 cents.

It is reported that Col. Jas. K. Kelley and Richard Williams have been engaged by the county as its attorneys in an injunction suit. Fenton & Fenton represent the Pauly Jail company.

The election contest in Lane county the judgeship Judge Bean has rejected the votes for Scott and Fenton, contestants, and finds it a tie. A decision will be reached in a week or two.

On Tuesday, near Corvallis, Lew McStabbed his brother William with a knife ten or twelve times. They were intoxicated, and the injured man probably die. Lew is still at large, and officers are hunting for him.

The habit of sending small boys to the stores for cigarettes is a bad one. Sometimes these same little boys get cigarettes for their own use by telling the storekeeper that an older brother or other person wants them.

One of the best country roads in Yamhill county is between Lafayette and Astoria. The supervisor in that district is unknown to us, but that he understands his business is acknowledged by those who have seen his work.

Frank O'Connor, owing to failing health, has given up the freight and baggage transfer business. Chris Christensen will serve the public in this line hereafter. Passengers will be carried to and from St. Joe morning and evening by Mr. Christenson.

Every American boy and girl should know how to make the American flag in proper proportions. The rule in this is: "The flag is thirteen stripes wide and twenty-one stripes long. Union (blue) is seven stripes square. There is one star for each state in the Union."

Every democrat in Yamhill county should be posted on the issues of the pending presidential campaign. We can get you better rates on the greatest of American newspapers, the New York Herald, than you can obtain elsewhere.

From now to November 13th, 30 cents; REGISTER and World to November 1st, 25 cents.

PERSONAL.

Will Carey is having a siege with the mumps.

M. Redding is acting deputy under Clerk Hobbs.

Miss Belcher, of Astoria, is visiting relatives in town.

John Hanigan, Jr., made final proof on his land claim on Tuesday.

Horace Littlefield returned from Portland last Saturday evening.

Rev. N. Doane preached at the M. E. church on Monday evening.

Miss Dovie Hill, of East Portland, is visiting Mrs. I. N. Hembree.

Mrs. J. J. Hembree and Mrs. Frank S. Harding are visiting friends in Salem.

Miss Maggie Boone is in San Francisco attending the national teachers' meeting.

Mrs. J. L. Hembree departed on Tuesday for a visit to her old home in Kansas.

W. I. Westerfield will move his furniture store one door east of his present quarters.

S. G. Dorris and wife were visiting here this week. Sid reports times lively in Albany.

Rev. F. S. Locke filled his regular appointment at the M. E. church last Sunday evening.

Rev. M. Burlingame will preach at Smith's schoolhouse in Moore's valley, Sunday, July 29th.

Daniel Pierce, near Carlton, is having a bad time with a sore leg, from a kick received from a cow.

Lem Scott, of Portland, once the owner of the Lafayette townsite, was in town the first of the week.

Marion George, agent for the Boynton Saw company, was in town Monday with his wagon. Mr. George will visit all parts of the county with the best in his line.

M. M. Stewart and family arrived in town last week from Southern Oregon. Mr. Stewart is a brother of G. M. Stewart, and they expect to make Yamhill their home.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—Friendship Rebekah Degree Lodge, No. 12, I. O. O. F., of McMinnville, installed the following officers Tuesday evening: Mrs. M. M. Daniels, N. G.; Mrs. Susie N. Ford, V. G.; Mr. E. N. Ford, recording secretary; Miss Maggie Wright, permanent secretary; W. F. Booth, treasurer; Mrs. G. A. Booth, warden; Mrs. N. L. Cook, conductor; C. M. Daniels, R. S. N. G.; S. F. Harding, L. S. N. G.; Geo. W. Burt, R. S. V. G.; Lee Wright, inside guardian.

TEACHERS SELECTED.—The following teachers have been selected by the directors to teach the Lafayette school the coming year: Prof. M. H. Parker, principal; Mrs. Jessie Johnson, intermediate; and Miss Maggie Boone, primary. Prof. Parker comes to Lafayette well recommended, and the prospect for a good school year is very flattering. Mrs. Johnson and Miss Boone are well known here.

A. O. U. W.—The Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia held their annual session at Seattle last week. Following are the lodges in this county and their representatives: Sidon, No. 6, Amity; W. H. Harrison; Charity, No. 7, McMinnville; J. F. Wisecarver; Lafayette, No. 31, J. J. Hembree; Sheridan, No. 34, Charles Whitmer.

NOTICE.—All persons knowing themselves indebted to Geo. W. Briedwell, county clerk, on account of recording fees are requested to call at the office of Fenton & Fenton, at Lafayette, and pay their accounts and get their recorded deeds, mortgages, etc.

THE RIVER STEAMERS, Potter and Telephone, are expected to have a race from Portland to Astoria next Tuesday.

The Northern Pacific Terminal Company had a meeting in Portland Wednesday, and discussed plans for a union depot.

A woman in Boston had to have her tongue slit the other day on account of a cancer. It was at first feared that she would lose the power of speech, but she has since fully recovered and can now talk on different subjects in two languages at the same time. She is unable to sleep, however, as both of her tongues are striving to get in the last word.

"La me!" sighed Mrs. Partington, "here I have been suffering the bigamies of death for three mortal weeks. First, I was seized with a bleeding phrenology in the left hemisphere of the brain, which was exceeded by a stoppage of the ventrator of the heart. This gave me an inflammation in the borax, and now I'm sick with the chloroform morbus. There is no blessing like that of health, particularly when you are ill."

REnews her Youth. Mrs. Phoebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 75 years old, have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain." Try a bottle, 50 cents and \$1, at J. M. Kelly's drug store.

OREGON'S NORMAL SCHOOLS.

These excellent institutions are located at Monmouth, Polk county, and at Ashland, Jackson county. Each school receives aid from the state, and in return a certain number of free scholarships are allowed, which are divided among the counties in proportion to school population thereof. This county is entitled to three free scholarships in each of these schools, and the way to secure them is to get a recommendation from a member of the legislature. Then the applicant must present his application to the superintendent of schools in his county, with satisfactory evidence of good moral character and sufficient scholarship to entitle him to a certificate to teach in the public school. He must also sign the following declaration: "I do hereby declare that my purpose in entering this normal school is to fit myself for the purpose of teaching, and that it is my purpose to engage in teaching in the public schools of this state."

Those not sufficiently advanced to enter the normal course can enter one of the lower departments as preparatory to the normal. The members of the legislature for this county are J. W. Watts, senator, and R. R. Laughlin and W. R. Derby, representatives, who will be glad to help you to a scholarship if you apply in time. The school at Ashland begins September 4th and at Monmouth September 11th. This information is obtained from catalogues sent us from the schools.

UMPUQA AND YAMHILL.—Such are the titles of two fertile sections of Oregon, which are illustrated and described in the July number of the West Shore, for the benefit of the thousands who are contemplating making their homes in that region of big crops and equable climate. The number is also full of information about many other portions of the northwest, as well as choice fiction, poetry, etc. The number is accompanied by a large colored supplement of the picturesque town of Roseburg, the commercial point of the fertile Umpqua valley. Each number of the West Shore contains many engravings of places and scenery in the northwest, and is a perfect mine of information about that promising region towards which so many eyes are turned. Subscription price, \$2.50 per year; single copy 25 cents. Address L. Samuel, publisher, Portland, Oregon.

NATIONAL GAME.—Last Saturday a lively and interesting game of baseball was played at Amity between the Dayton and Amity nines. Up to the above day the Dayton boys had not met their equals, and this fact probably made them somewhat over-confident as to their ability to cope with any country club. After occupying the usual time—about an hour—in selecting an umpire, the game was begun with Vede Olds as umpire, and the Amity boys at the bat. Up to and including the fourth inning this promised to be the best game played in the state, the score standing 1 to 2 in favor of Dayton. In the fifth inning, however, the Amity club made four runs, and in the sixth one. At the close of the ninth inning, after hard work on both sides, the result was announced to be 12 to 14 in favor of Amity.

HORSES KILLED.—Last Saturday Harry Glandon and a boy were going to McCoy and in crossing the west side railroad track were run into by the upbound passenger train, whose approach they had not noticed on account of a cut through which the train passes at that point. Mr. Glandon and the boy escaped unhurt, but the horses were instantly killed and the wagon was completely demolished. The engineer claims that he whistled for the crossing, but Mr. Glandon and others working near by say that he did not. The team was a valuable one, and it was a narrow escape for the occupants of the wagon.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.—The copartnership heretofore existing between Dr. G. W. Goucher and Dr. G. H. Smith, at Amity, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The accounts of the late firm have been placed in the hands of B. H. Springer, of Amity, for collection. Parties knowing themselves indebted to the firm will please take notice.

Last Monday at the transfer on the narrow gauge at Fullquartz landing a cable broke letting a baggage car loose on the incline. Four men were on the car at the time, two of whom were considerably hurt.

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NEW POSTAL REGULATION.

It may be of interest to our readers to know that: "Hereafter any postal card, or any other matter upon the envelope or outside cover of which appears anything which reflects injuriously upon the person addressed, or any one else, or upon his character or conduct, or is plainly calculated and intended to injure his feelings or reputation, or bring him into discredit, or threatens him, will be excluded from the mails, and anything in the nature of an offensive or threatening dun apparent upon an envelope, outside cover or postal card, or conveying the suggestion that such dun is enclosed, will be excluded as non-mailable matter under the new law."

Following is an extract of the law in regard to this matter, which was approved by the president, June 18th: "And all matter otherwise mailable by law upon the envelope or outside cover, or wrapper of which, or postal card, upon which indecent, lewd, lascivious, obscene, libelous, scurrilous, or threatening dilations, epithets, terms or language, or reflecting injuriously upon the character or conduct of another, may be written or printed, are hereby declared to be non-mailable matter, and shall not be conveyed in the mails nor delivered from any postoffice nor by any letter carrier; and any person who shall knowingly deposit or cause to be deposited for mailing or delivery anything declared by this section to be non-mailable matter, and any person who shall knowingly take the same or cause the same to be taken from the mails, for the purpose of circulating or disposing of, or of aiding in the circulation or disposition of the same, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, for each and every offense, be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$5,000, or imprisoned at hard labor not less than one year nor more than ten years, or both, at the discretion of the court."

Evidently notices of assessment such as are sent out by corporations or companies on postal cards, memoranda of lodge dues, deaths in beneficiary orders, etc., are to be considered mailable matter.

SHERIDAN.—Weather is very fine. Many farmers begun cutting wheat last Monday.

Mr. E. N. Branson is rejoicing over the advent of a bran new boy. A. S. Bible says it only costs one dollar to be a Cleveland man now.

A child of Mr. C. Foster has been very ill of late, but is now convalescent. T. R. Bewley has just completed his windmill, and it is a perfect gem for neatness.

Uncle Nathan Connor died very suddenly last Monday, presumably with heart trouble. Charles Whitmer has been attending the Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., at Seattle. He reports a fine time.

Justice Field's court has been crowded this week. A criminal case was heard here on Monday, C. C. Linden appeared for the state and C. Lafollet for the defendants. The preliminary examination resulted in binding the prisoners over to appear at circuit court in the sum of \$100. Bonds were furnished and the boys are free, but not content.

Worth Knowing.—Mr. W. H. Morgan, merchant, Lake City Fla., was taken with a severe cold, attended with a distressing cough, and running into consumption in its first stages. He tried many so-called popular cough remedies and steadily grew worse. Was reduced in flesh, had difficulty in breathing and was unable to sleep. Finally tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and found immediate relief, and after using about a half dozen bottles found himself well and has had no return of the disease. No other remedy can show so grand a record of cures, as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Guaranteed to do just what is claimed for it. Trial bottle free at J. M. Kelly's drug store.

REAL ESTATE.—The following deeds were recorded during the week ending July 14, 1888: State of Oregon to Ed. Wood, n w 1/4 of n w 1/4 and lot 7, section 23, t 5 s, r 7 w, 61 acres; \$122.

H. A. Tucker to F. Barnekoff & Co., parcel of land 6x100 feet adjoining the mill site; \$40.

Wm. H. Wood and wife to L. Bettman, w 1/2 of n w 1/4 of section 29, t 4 s, r 5 w, 80 acres; \$250.

Francis Large and wife to H. Hurley, lot 5, block 7, Hurley & Large's addition to Newberg; \$50.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.—The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. M. Kelly.

CARLTON.

July 16, 1888.

Lots of wool received at our town these days.

Mr. Young's lumber is partly on the ground for his new house.

Jake's little pony is dead; cause, too much rope around its neck.

Our shoemaker has bought his lumber and will build a house soon.

Mrs. C. C. Scott, of Portland, is visiting with the Misses Johnson.

Three engines and two threshers were received in our town in the last two weeks.

Harvest has commenced in earnest today on one of the finest crops ever raised in Oregon.

A. W. Carl, of Washington territory, has been visiting his father's folks, after an absence of five years.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Thompson, of San Francisco, were visiting with their son, L. C. Thompson, last week.

Many thanks to the McMinnville Cornet band for some nice music Sunday. Come again gentlemen.

Born.—To the wife of A. M. McCaskey, a fine daughter. Mother and child doing well; Dr. Calbreath attending.

Mr. Lawrence's family arrived on Saturday evening's express direct from Missouri, and will stop in Carlton for the summer.

Some one tried to break into W. A. Howe's store the other night, but a bullet from Add's little gun persuaded the fellow to leave.

Hon. G. H. Steward, of Vancouver, visited over Sunday with his brother, Hon. J. L. Steward, returning on the six o'clock express.

Asa says he will say yes any time to any maid, whether she is maid of all work or chamber maid, just so he can get married before leap year is out.

HAWK-EYE. In a democratic parade at Oregon City recently there were fifteen men who voted against Gen. Harrison in 1840, and who will vote for Cleveland this year.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, cheap, or phosphate powders sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St. N. Y.

Stoves and Tinware! R. P. UNGERMAN, HAS JUST RECEIVED A LARGE AND well selected stock of Stoves and Tinware, and proposes to sell cheaper than any house in the county. Everything kept on hand, and repairing done satisfactorily, and without delay. Sept. 29, t. f. LAFAYETTE, OREGON.

J. Matthey DEALER IN DRY GOODS! General Merchandise. Highest possible prices paid for all kinds of farm produce.