

WEST SIDE TELEPHONE.

NOTICE.

We have engaged the services of Mr. A. V. R. Snyder to take charge of our local and editorial departments. He needs no introduction to the people of Yamhill.

TELEPHONE WHISPERINGS.

Subscribe Wool, 17@19 cents. Roads in excellent condition. New cigars at Rogers & Todd's. Third, two weeks from now. Do you hear the carpenter's whistles? They speak volumes.

W. R. Brown, Esq., of Amity, was down to see us yesterday. D. C. Narver is down with another attack of congestion of the brain.

Several items of local interest are unavoidably crowded over to second page. The vegetables brought to this market by Rev. J. Hoberg are the best quality.

In the absence of Fred Keller, Mr. I. N. Rowland is running Central market.

Mr. W. J. Sargent, of Bellevue, was in the city and came in to see us Wednesday.

Messrs. Chas. Graves and Frazier, of Bethel, Polk county, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. A. H. Hodson was a delegate from this place to the Grand Lodge in Portland, this week.

Mr. C. R. Cook and family have moved into town, occupying the residence at the corner of 5th and B.

The old pioneer, "Uncle Ab" Faulconer, of Sheridan, spent several days in town during the week.

Letter heads, bill heads, business cards—in fact all kinds of job printing done at the Telephone office.

"Uncle Andy" Shuck is improving his property on B street by building a neat addition to his little residence.

Don't forget the meeting this evening to take into consideration the matter of having a fair at this place, next fall.

Harry Robertson, mate of the steamer Orient, with a large party of Dayton boys, will spend the 4th at this place.

Dr. Watts is over to Olympia, lecturing and working for the furtherance of the license question about to be voted on.

Mr. S. F. Harding suffered an attack of rheumatism in the right arm, Wednesday, which caused him much pain.

Hundreds of the finest of cedar posts are being hauled through town by farmers near here, brought from the mountains.

Messrs. Fred Keller, Portland Adams, J. C. Hoover and Lawrence Woodruff, are out on the North Trask after fish and game.

We learn that Mrs. Geo. Farris' five children recently died of diphtheria, at Goldendale, W. T. This is indeed a sad affliction.

Our farmers surely will not want for harvesting machinery, as there is no end to live agents and all selling the best machines.

Mr. J. W. Gault has sold the property where he is living to Mrs. M. C. Matthews, Graceland 75x100 feet, with good house. Consideration, \$1,000.

Mr. Embury:—Please telephone: Carl Young will sing at the entertainment given by the guild, the celebrated song "Upon the Great Salt River."

J. L. Rogers, Clark Braly and Granville Baker, left here Wednesday morning for an arduous expedition on the Trask. They'll return loaded down.

The posters for the North Yamhill celebration on the 2d, have just been printed at the Telephone office. It is safe to say that they will have a good time.

Mr. John J. Sax yesterday returned from the bedside of his sick father at his farm between this place and Portland. He let him slightly on the mend.

Mr. J. Frazee, proprietor of the Big Nestucca wagon road, was in town Tuesday evening, and made us a pleasant call. His road is in excellent condition. See ad.

Our old "tillenn," A. B. Baker took a short respite and came up and tarried with friends at this place Tuesday night. Al is mail agent from Portland to Tacoma.

A jolly crowd consisting of P. P. Gates, Jas. McCain, Jeff Harris and Ben Houston, started from Lafayette yesterday morning for Trask river, to be gone ten days.

Messrs. John Wortman, G. W. Jones, A. J. Baker, Frank Wisecarver and T. A. Turner will go east onto the head of the Trask for a few days' fishing, starting in a day or two.

Wednesday, as the 11:30 train passed St. Joe, some wheelbarrows which were piled up on a flat car caught the projecting roof of the station house, tearing a portion of it away.

Several parties inform us that the hail storm Monday last played sad havoc with their cabbage and tomato patches, making them look as if a band of chickens had been raiding them.

Deputy U.S. Marshal Frush came up from Portland Tuesday night and returned Wednesday noon, having in charge Jack Cooper, of Wheatland, accused of selling whisky to Indians.

Hon. B. E. Lewis, of Dayton Prairie, was in town yesterday, and informed us that they are sadly in need of rain over his way; that scarcely a drop has fallen there for weeks and that wheat begins to have an unhealthy appearance.

Mr. R. S. Patty, who came out with the immigrants from Johnson City, Tenn., a few weeks since, started back home the 5th of June. Mr. P. traveled over most parts of Oregon and Washington and is very well pleased with the country and as he is a prominent railroad man, his section of the country, his visit to this coast will be a great benefit in his near future. He is a brother of our newsman, T. S. Patty.

Judge Loughary was up to the city yesterday.

R. Harris, the Dayton druggist, was in the city Wednesday.

Dr. Michaux has been called to Winlock, W. T., on a professional visit.

Fourth of July programme Tuesday next. It will be a good one.

If you think the Telephone corps don't mean business come up and see.

Mr. W. H. Harrison, of Amity was in town Wednesday and paid us a pleasant call.

"Mother Goose Lancers" at McMinnville on the 3d of July. Come and see the little folks.

The ladies on the committee on liberty car for the celebration, are active and will make that part of the programme a success.

Strawberries have taken a tumble during the week, nice large berries being shipped from Portland to this city and sold for 25c. per gallon.

The Band of Hope will meet at the M. E. church to-day, at 2 o'clock, p. m., and the W. C. T. U. will meet to-morrow at 2 o'clock at Mrs. Dr. Young's.

Mr. D. Jay, the Lafayette blacksmith is rapidly recovering from injuries received in a runaway scrape. He will soon build a new shop on the old Essex hall corner.

Messrs. Suiter & Daniels, the Lafayette mill men are putting up a building for a cleaner in connection with their mill, that will add materially to their already superior facilities for mill work.

Assessor T. B. Henderson was in town one day during the week and while in conversation with him he informed us that his assessment work for 1886 was being brought rapidly to a close. And he is glad of it.

The 4th of July celebration committee at its meeting yesterday, accepted the services of Rev. J. R. N. Bell, of Roseburg, as orator. Mr. Bell is one of Oregon's best speakers and we may look for something good.

Uncle George Bangasser has been very poorly for some time past. He was able to be out last week, and went out into the mountains, thinking that would benefit him. But it proved to the contrary and he is now compelled to keep his room.

C. E. Conner, brother of A. V. R. Snyder, who was connected with the Reporter a few months since, has lately arrived at his old home in Oregon, Illinois, and is "pulling out" of the Independent in that city. Shake, old boy.

Among the list of pioneers at the reunion on Tuesday we notice the names of Joseph Watt, G. C. Robison, Wm. Chapman, Chris. Taylor, L. W. Harger, R. L. Simpson, W. C. Hembree, M. Crawford and J. Wortman, of Yamhill county, all good substantial citizens.

We feel very grateful for the many complimentary remarks regarding the Telephone. We can assure our friends that we shall endeavor to improve it until it reaches that standard of excellence in the newspaper line which the banner county of Oregon (Yamhill) merits.

There's a mad father in this city, who vows that if a certain young man doesn't make his visits less frequent at his house there'll be hideous sounds in the air, a shooting scrape and a corpse over which Coroner Narver needn't call a jury to decide upon. We give the young man timely warning.

The Nestucca country is being rapidly settled up and two new post offices have lately been established in that section. Dolph, is situated at the junction of the Big and Little Nestucca roads, Mrs. Jos. Hill, formerly of this place, serving in the capacity of postmistress. Woodville is down the Big Nestucca. Wm. Booth, postmaster.

The outlook for the Telephone is indeed encouraging. During the last two days upwards of 200 orders have been received for the paper, and this without any particular solicitation on our part. It is safe to say that before three months roll around we will have 1000 subscribers in Yamhill county, alone, to say nothing of the many that will be sent abroad.

"Wee Davie" is extremely eccentric at times. On Tuesday while working about the door yard of a lady who was afflicted with the mumps, she told him to put up a flag to warn those who wished to go in of the risk in doing so. He did as requested and then going to the door, said: "Madam, I have the flag up at full mast; but as you have them only on one side hadn't I better put it at half-mast?" The flag was left at full mast, and Davy by getting out of the way in good time saved his hair.

We honestly believe that Charley Grissen takes the cake as a big story teller. He says that R. C. Gardner, of the Central hotel, went angling and caught a trout ten feet long, on a pin hook with a thread for a line, and that Dr. Littlefield, in a half-day's fishing on the Trask, caught 1507 trout and that the shortest one measured 2 feet 3 3/4 inches. If these things were not in connection with some fishing expeditions, we should doubt them very much; but under the circumstances we are almost compelled to believe them true.

RUNAWAY SCRAPE.—Last Monday George Todd got mixed up in an ugly runaway scrape and for escaping from the same with a whole skin he can thank his stars. He was cultivating a piece of ground with a two-horse cultivator, using the old-fashioned "jockey stick" and single line. That hail storm came up and George tried to hold the horses, but his one line broke and away went the team, leaving the driver standing and looking at them. They ran round and round the field and finally stopped. All the damage: a broken double tree and tongue and a few bruises on one of the horses' hind legs.

THE McMINNVILLE HOTEL.—This old and reliable house has recently been rearranged and overhauled in all its compartments and is now one of the coziest outside of Portland. Its culinary department is not excelled anywhere, while the weary can rest easily on the slawny beds. Mr. Jos. McGuire, the genial proprietor, is always on hand to see to the wants of guests. Go see.

McMinnville College.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

On Friday, June 4th, the teachers and students of McMinnville college closed their labors for the school year of '85 and '86. On the following Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m., began their commencement exercises, with the University sermon, delivered at the Baptist church, by Pres. Anderson; who in an able sermon showed the dangerous tendencies of the fallacious reasoning, that "It is immaterial what a man believes, provided he is sincere in his belief."

At 7:30 p. m., Rev. S. P. Davis, of Oregon City, in a sermon on Ministerial education, made a forcible and scholarly appeal for an educated ministry.

Monday was mostly spent in decorating the college chapel; and when the work was finished the chapel presented a scene that was, indeed, beautiful. The rostrum was converted into a flower garden, and its front into a lovely moss bank. The room was otherwise adorned with festoons of evergreens and wreaths of ivy.

At 8 p. m., Rev. M. L. Rugg, of Salem, delivered the annual address before the Philergian literary society. The subject chosen was, "Truth Buyers;" and to those who have heard this accomplished speaker, it is needless to say that his address was able, earnest and eloquent.

Tuesday's exercises consisted of the annual educational address at 10:30 a. m., and the annual class exhibition in the evening. The educational address was delivered by Rev. T. G. Brownson, of Albany, who gave an excellent lecture on "The Hindrances, and Helps to American Authorship."

The evening's exercises consisted of music, recitations and orations in the following order: Anthem—"Wake the Song." Invocation.

Oration—J. F. Clarke, of Zena, "Training necessary to the highest success." Male quartet—"Sunrise," by Messrs. Crawford, Chandler, Amasa and Bouty Sanders.

Recitation—Miss Lora Hunsaker, "The ride of Jennie McNeal." Piano Solo—Miss Belle Johnson, "Grand Ga-op."

Recitation—Miss Libbie Kay, "The Double Sacrifice." Music-solo—A. C. Chandler, "The Patter of the Shingle."

Recitation—Miss Myrtle Ralston of Gaston, "The Red Jacket." Music-solo—Prof. Carl Young, "I'll Wait My Love."

Oration—Amasa M. Sanders, of Amity, "Decision of Character." Music-quartet—"Dawning of a Better Day," Mrs. Henderson, Miss Hallie Reid, Messrs. Crawford and B. Sanders.

Every feature of the programme was good, and all who were present were highly pleased. Want of space forbids the particular mention of each one marked. It will be sufficient to say that all did excellently, and showed not only talent but careful preparation and training. The literary part of the programme was highly complimentary to the faithful corps of teachers. Carl Young received a hearty encore after singing his solo. The selections of music were good and well rendered.

Wednesday, June 9th, was devoted to Students Union. At 10:30 Union met and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: J. F. Clarke, Pres.; A. M. Sanders, Vice-Pres.; B. F. Rhodes, Sec.; H. L. Boardman, Ass't. Sec.; Miss Bena Snelling, Treas. At 3 p. m. re-union speeches were made by H. L. Boardman, G. C. Robison, W. H. Black, Mrs. J. W. Cook, Mrs. Sarah Roberts, A. M. Sanders, Prof. Crawford and Judge Caples.

At 8 p. m., Hon. J. F. Caples, of Portland, was introduced to a large and intelligent audience. He then proceeded to deliver an able address on "The Ambitions of Men;" and the solid chunks of good advice and wisdom were well received. This closed the exercises in connection with the college commencement.

To say that the whole programme of the week was enjoyable, is to put the matter very mildly. There were many visitors from the surrounding country who seemed glad to express their appreciation of the work of the college. All spoke in high praise of the magnificent building and the beautiful rural like campus which surrounds it. The shady oaks give to the place a sweetness and freshness which almost surpass the surroundings of any other school in the state. S. & C.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The Oregon Teachers' Association for 1886 will be held at Yaquina, July 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th. State Superintendent McElroy, has secured reduced rates on the West Side and O. P. roads, so that the fare from this place will be \$4 75. This will afford an excellent opportunity for all those who wish to visit the much noted Yaquina section, and thus combine pleasure with duty at small expense. It is at a time of year when many wish to visit the coast, at some point, and we think that a goodly number may be counted on from this place and adjoining country.

AN OLD SETTLER.—Baz Hibbs brought into town on Wednesday a grey eagle that looked as if he might have been here from the time of the flood told about in the good book. He measured a trifle upwards of seven feet from tip to tip, had claws about three inches long and a beak that looked wicked in the extreme. Baz shot him on the wing, with a rifle, in the hills north-west of town. There's no telling how many lambs and pigs this old residenter should be charged with.

VISITORS.—On Wednesday evening's train Mrs. Maggie Bushnell, sister-in-law of Dr. Johnson, and Master Leonard Bushnell, who come from New Bedford, Mass., to spend the summer in Oregon. They were accompanied from Astoria by Mrs. Geo. W. Snyder and Mrs. Hansen, who will remain for a few days. They are all most welcome visitors.

Our Neighbors.

SHERIDAN, June 17, 1886.

Strawberries are plenty at 25 cts. per gallon.

Growing crops need rain badly, and unless it comes soon spring sowing will not be as good as usual. Also the hay crop is fast drying up and will not come up to the average yield.

Campmeeting commences to-day, near Bakston. According to the old tradition this will bring the usual supply of rain.

The frame of Wm. Sleppy's house is up and three carpenters make things lively thereabouts.

By the way they have been carrying lumber inside of C. Whitmer's building there must be some finishing touches going on.

The tide of pleasure seekers has set in toward Nestucca in earnest. The road is in a splendid condition.

Dr. W. Tyler Smith and family are visiting friends in Portland.

Aaron Kenyon is building a new house near the Messenger property, north Sheridan.

The Sheridan bridge needs a couple of good coats of paint and the attention of the county authorities are called to the fact.

OLD BLUFF.

Christian Church Excursion.

From the Statesman we learn that there will be an excursion to the ocean beach at the mouth of the Columbia river, commencing June 29th, and continuing over July 6th, at the following reduced rates: Fare for round trip to ocean and return, from North Yamhill, \$3.75; Carlton, \$3.85; St. Joe, \$4.10; McMinnville, \$4.50; Whites, \$4.40; Amity, \$4.50; and from other stations in like proportion. The proceeds are for a church building in Portland. Address Judge W. H. Adams, Portland, for additional information.

LEO CUT.—While Charley Humphrey was carrying a scythe Tuesday he stumbled and fell, striking his leg with the keen edge of the implement just below the knee cap, cutting a gash about four inches long, to the bone. It was thought for a time that a piece had been cut out, but when Dr. Calbreath was called, he found that owing to Charley being very fleshy the gash naturally gapped open. The flesh was drawn together and sewed up, and as Charley is full of life and grit we shall expect to see him out and ready for a wrestling match in a few days.

FIREMEN'S BALL.—The fire department met Wednesday evening and decided to give a grand ball on the evening of the 3d of July. The committee of arrangements consists of: W. G. Henderson, chairman; Hose Company—W. I. Turner, Eddie Fuller; Hook & Ladder Company—W. F. Bangasser, J. F. Sloane; Engine Company—C. F. Houghton and Carl Young. The boys don't give balls very often, but when they do they go at it with a determination of success, which will be the result in this instance.

Judging from the foundation J. W. Gault is having laid on his lots south of the Baptist church his new residence will be a neat one.

Ashur Saylor's brick kiln will be opened in a few days. See ad.

Business Specials.

10 lbs Costa Rica coffee for one dollar at Baxter & Martin's.

Just received a large supply of powder and cartridges at W. F. Collard's.

Best grade of Eastern twine for binders, 15c per lb. at Baxter & Martin's.

Admission to the festival next Wednesday evening, free. Ice cream and cake, 15 cents.

Mr. Carl Young will sing a solo at the festival, next Wednesday evening. Admission free.

Full steel frame Osborne binders, fully warranted, have been reduced to \$180, by Baxter & Martin.

The programme for the ice cream festival next Wednesday evening will be short, consisting of songs and recitations.

Handsome lace bed sets at D. C. Narver's.

Ice cream, as cheap as the cheapest, at H. H. Welch's.

For a square meal go to the St. Charles—only 25 cents.

Pillow sham holders and lace shams at D. C. Narver's.

Fine photographs at the lowest prices. All work warranted at Sanders & Martin's gallery.

Ice cold and genuine lemonade at H. H. Welch's.

Cheap bedroom suites at D. C. Narver's.

Go to Miss Russ' and look at those hats for 20cts.

"Secure the shadow ere the substance fades" by getting your photographs taken at Sanders & Martin's gallery near the furniture store.

A new lot of goods just received, selling at bedrock prices at D. C. Narver's.

Blackburn & Peckham have just received and are unpacking a fine line of summer dress goods, hosiery &c.

Blackburn & Peckham received on Saturday last their monthly shipment of 40 and 25 cent goods, direct from Chicago, and their bargain tables are fairly overflowing.

Farmers having wool to sell will do well to consult Blackburn & Peckham before selling as they pay the highest prices in the county.

Get triticum for breakfast; cream cheese, 5lbs. 50 cts., for luncheon; fatty and ice cream for desert, and the Belle of McMinnville cigar to aid your digestion, of C. Grissen.

Blackburn & Peckham, the agents of Chas. H. Dodd & Co., are doing the boss machine business of the county, sold some 25 twine binders and two steam threshers.

Still We Lead! And we propose to keep it by constantly adding to our already large stock of Drugs, Medicines, Stationery, Etc. everything in our line of business that can be called for. Physicians will find our stock complete in every respect. Remember that we make a specialty of Prescriptions, and we are receiving them from all parts of the county, and at the lowest possible price. ROGERS & TODD, THE DRUGGISTS.

Jones & Co., Proprietors of—Nestucca Saw Mills, McMinnville Sash and door Factory. Dealers in—White and Red Lead, Linseed and Lubricating Oils, Varnishes of all Description, Kalsomine, Spanish Whiting, Paris Whiting, P. & B. and Princess Metallic Roof Paint, Venitian Red, Spanish Brown, Yellow Ochre, and Hardware. Prices as Low as the Lowest. JONES & Co.

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Baxter & Martin, Dealers in—Groceries and Provisions. Prices to Suit the Times. HUSSEY'S OLD STAND.

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