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TELEPHONE WHISPERINGS.

Eggs, 15 cents. Butter, 40 cents. Read ad. of the N. P. R. R., in another column. Wood taken on subscription for the TELEPHONE. Fresh fruit wanted on subscriptions at the TELEPHONE office. Fire delegates meet at Firemen's hall Monday evening at 8 o'clock. C. W. Talmage brings the TELEPHONE a new supply of blotters. Thanks. Geo. E. Barnum went to Amity yesterday to build a house for W. R. Browne. County Fair Executive board will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock at city hall. Wm. Holl the jeweler, is putting a new roof on his residence in college addition. Mrs. C. Grissen returned yesterday from a visit of several weeks with friends in California. J. L. Castle, of North Yamhill passed through town Wednesday with a band of 350 fine steers. Messlames P. P. Gates and Wm. Nelson of Lafayette, were visiting in town Wednesday. Mrs. C. P. Bishop returned yesterday from an extended visit to Soda Springs and Brownsville. Our friend and former fellow townsman Wm. Simonds of Whatcom, W. T. is visiting in the city. Am Shadden says he has the best looking wheat fields in Yamhill county, for ton, money or marbles. Will Bangasser returned from Yaquina, Monday, bringing with him flounders and other salt water fish. The Shosone base ball club arrived in Portland Wednesday and will play the Portland nines Saturday and Sunday. The ladies of St. James (Episcopal) Guild are talking of giving an entertainment of some kind, within the next four weeks. Those parties who roasted the chickens in the southern part of town, Monday night, were undoubtedly hard up for something to eat. D. C. Ireland and family leave this morning for Newport, Yaquina bay. They will spend several weeks visiting various points on the beach. Elsie Wright started his machine Wednesday, and threshed out 1704 bushels of grain for Mart High, in a little over half a day. Pretty good for a starter. Willie Logan lost a fine mare Tuesday morning. The animal was tied in a stall, and it is supposed, reared up and fell over backward, breaking her neck. F. E. Hodgkins, assistant secretary of state, and A. F. Wheeler, assistant state treasurer, passed through this city Wednesday on their way to San Francisco, via Yaquina. A resident of this city grew very irreful the other day when, after searching all day for his cow, he found her comfortably stabled and performing duty at giving milk in another man's barn. In these days of improved farm machinery its a great rarity to see grain "cradled," but such was to be seen yesterday in a field on the old Newby place at the edge of town. And it was not such slow work, either. Catalogues have just been issued of the State Normal School at Monmouth. The first term for 1886 begins September 14. There are numerous graduates, and nearly all of them are teaching in the public schools of this state. Coal has been discovered in the Nehalem valley. There are two veins, one three feet thick and the other two feet thick. A company has been formed in Portland who have located a section of land and are now prospecting. If coal is found in sufficient quantities the company will begin operations soon. E. O. Jones, of Amity, gave us a pleasant call yesterday. He reports grain turning out well, though he thinks the recent hot spell had a tendency to shrivel the grain some and is certain to make it weigh light. Some fields it is thought will turn out forty bushels per acre--this will do for an "off year." The harvest is being pushed with great vigor in this section now. The self-binders have been cutting the grain as rapidly as possible, and threshing has commenced in some localities. By the first of next week the machines will be universally at work. The harvest will be very rapidly disposed of this year.

THE GRAND ARMY.

A Few Things Concerning this Organization, and Yamhill County Posts Particularly.

Probably no organization in the United States is attracting more attention just at present than that of the old soldiers of the civil war known as the Grand Army of the Republic. The organization had its inception with the close of the war, and only those who took part in that war, and who fought on the side of the Union, were and are entitled to membership. The early history of the Grand Army in Oregon exists only in the memory of a few individuals, the early posts and department having maintained but a feeble existence and were finally allowed to lapse, without even the formality of a regular surrender of their charters, and nearly all their records have been lost. Baker post, No. 1, of Portland, was instituted in April, 1869; Canby post, No. 4, in May, 1873. Posts were instituted at Salem, Eugene City and other points, and department organization was maintained for a short time. The last meeting of which any record can be found was of consolidated Baker and Canby posts, of Portland, in November, 1878. With the organization of George Wright post, No. 1, of Portland, July 30, 1878, commenced a new era for the Grand Army in Oregon, and the active missionary work of post No. 1, aided by the efforts of staff officers from California and new arrivals from the east, resulted in the organization in 1881 and the early part of 1882 of six additional posts. The provisional department of Oregon was called into existence by general orders No. 16, headquarters Grand Army of the Potomac, dated May 20, 1882, and comrade N. S. Pierce appointed provisional commander, who assumed command in general orders No. 1, dated June 1, 1882. The posts constituting the provisional department of Oregon were as follows: George Wright, No. 1, Portland, mustered July 30, 1878. Meade, No. 2, Oregon City, mustered May 6, 1881. Garfield, No. 3, Portland, mustered July 23, 1881. Lincoln, No. 4, Portland, mustered September 8, 1881. McPherson, No. 5, Albany, mustered September 13, 1881. J. B. Matthews, No. 6, Forest Grove, mustered January 18, 1882. J. W. Geary, No. 7, Eugene City, mustered January 20, 1882. A sufficient number of posts being organized, application was made for a permanent department, pending which three more posts were organized as follows: Baker, No. 8, Marshfield, mustered August 11, 1882. Custer, No. 9, McMinnville, mustered September 23, 1882. Sedgwick, No. 10, Salem, mustered September 26, 1882. There are two posts in Yamhill county--Custer, No. 9, of McMinnville, and Warren, No. 21, of North Yamhill. Custer Post was mustered September 20, 1882. Following is the roster:

OFFICERS. Past post commanders, J. C. Cooper, D. H. Turner, A. L. Newgard and Chris Taylor. Post Com. J. W. Gault, Co. B, 1st Or Inf S. V. Com. P. P. Gates, Co. E, 1st Or Inf S. V. Com. J. A. Peckham, Co. G, 6th Mich Inf S. V. Master G. A. Stearns, Co. A, 1st Or Inf Chap. T. H. Henderson, Co. D, 6th Mo Cav Officer of Guard, J. Seivers, Co. C, 124th Inf Q. M. Serg't J. W. Covert, Co. E, 67th Inf Adjutant, J. B. Gardner, Co. E, 2nd Inf S. V. Sergeant, J. C. Cooper, Co. A, 1st Or Inf Officer of Day, J. Moeris, Co. B, 1st Or Inf Serg't Major, A. M. Hoffman, Co. A, 50th Ill Inf MUSTER ROLL.

ELIOT, R. P. Co. B, 1st Oregon infantry. BOOTH, W. T. Co. L, 16th Kansas infantry. BARNETT, Jas. Co. L, 1st Arkansas cavalry. CURR, Sumner. Co. D, 4th California infantry. NEWGARD, A. L. Co. B, 6th S. V. Special Coy. C. R. Co. B, 6th S. V. Cavalry. GARDNER, H. H. Co. E, 8th Illinois infantry. DOWLING, W. P. Co. D, 7th Illinois cavalry. HARRISON, W. Co. B, 1st Oregon infantry. HARTMAN, P. Co. L, 1st Minnesota artillery. JONES, Don. Co. B, 1st Missouri infantry. HENDREY, J. B. Co. B, 1st Oregon infantry. HOPFIELD, J. Co. K, 26th Wisconsin infantry. HOPKINS, H. Co. M, 1st Wisconsin cavalry. HUBBARD, J. B. Co. C, 1st Oregon infantry. LISCHNER, C. Co. F, 5th Iowa cavalry. LOHAR, E. Co. G, 9th Illinois cavalry. MALONEY, M. Co. B, 5th Cal. infantry. NEWGARD, A. L. Co. K, 11th Wis. infantry. PHELPS, J. C. Co. G, 7th Illinois infantry. TOWELL, C. W. Co. G, 26th Ohio infantry. ROAD, I. P. Co. B, 8th Iowa infantry. SANDERS, A. D. Co. P, 12th Kansas infantry. SAYLOR, A. L. Co. B, 1st Oregon infantry. SIMLER, C. W. Co. H, 7th Missouri cavalry. TAYLOR, CHRIS. Co. Oregon infantry. TURNER, D. H. Co. C, 12th Indiana infantry. WESS, Wm. Co. E, 11th Michigan infantry. WHITE, A. C. Co. D, 26th Wisconsin infantry. YOUNG, Albert. Co. C, 2d Missouri artillery.

Following is the roster of G. K. Warren Post No. 21, of North Yamhill: OFFICERS. Past post commanders, J. F. Middleton and T. G. Stevenson. Post Com. J. L. Laughlin, Co. B, 1st Or Inf S. V. Com. H. Leathman, Battery B J. V. Com. Wm. Frakes, Co. B, 55th Inf Inf Quartermaster, Geo. Belle, Co. C, 8th Ill Inf Chaplain, N. S. Allen, Co. K, 7th Wis Inf Officer of Guard, H. Webster, Co. D, 16th Inf Adjutant, J. Stevenson, Co. C, 8th Ill Cav Adjutant, A. J. Killin, Co. E, 1st Or Inf Surgeon, J. F. Middleton, Co. H, 17th O Inf Officer of Day, J. F. Middleton, Co. H, 17th O Inf Sergeant Major, R. Martin, Co. G, 15th Kas Inf MUSTER ROLL. Clark, J. Co. C, 37th Ohio Inf. Hall, W. M. Co. A, 14th Illinois Inf. Rogers, E. C. Co. B, 1st Oregon Inf. Roberts, H. Co. E, 6th Iowa Inf. Tollman, C. C. Co. G, 12th Michigan Inf.

The Twentieth National encampment of this order meets at San Francisco on the 3d of next month, and it is probable that there will be very few, if any, representatives from this county. Blackburn & Peckham have just received and are unpacking a fine line of summer dress goods, hosiery &c. Soap 75c per box at Paxter & Martin's. But not Thomases; cold water bleaching soap. 142c Ice cold and genuine lemonade at H. H. Welch's. 14c Half gallon Mason jars at \$1.50 per dozen at Baxter & Martin's. 142c

ATTEMPT TO WRECK A TRAIN.—A dastardly attempt was made to wreck a train on the Oregon Pacific railroad last Monday. The east-bound passenger train had just passed the summit, and had started down the grade of the coast range, when, on coming around a curve, the sharp eyes of the engineer discerned a rail having crossed the track, but a short distance ahead. He at once whistled for "brakes," and reversed his engine, but he had not time enough to entirely stop the train, and his engine struck the rail, and dodged off smoothly on to the ties. After an hour's delay, the engine was replaced on the track, but little the worse for the accident, and the train came into Corvallis but a few minutes behind time. Nobody hurt. The engineer and entire train crew were very cool over the accident, and to the engineer's coolheadedness is due the saving of many lives. The deed of lawlessness on the track was a dastardly one, and, if possible, the perpetrator should be brought to justice. No blame can possibly attach to the railroad company or any of its employees for the accident.—Statesman.

ERUPTION OF MR. HOOD.—Word was received here Thursday, says a Dalles paper, from a party near Mt. Hood, that there was a slight eruption of that mountain on last Saturday evening. Volumes of smoke were seen to issue from one of its craters, and streams of fire occasionally shot forth, lighting the sky for a great distance. It is to be hoped that our half-extinct volcano will not take a notion to resume its fiery belchings and bury our cities with lava and ashes as did Vesuvius in the year 79, when it destroyed Hieropolis and Pompeii with some of their inhabitants. Religious Services—Sunday Next. Instead of services being held at St. James (Catholic) church, Rev. J. S. White goes to St. Patrick's church, Muddy. St. James (Episcopal) church, Rev. John C. Fair rector. Service and Holy Communion at 11 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Services at the Baptist church. Subject for 11 o'clock a. m.: "Christ delivering up the Mediatorial Throne." For 7:30 p. m.: "In Union is strength." All are cordially invited. G. J. BURNETT, Pastor. C. P. Church services at the usual hours Sunday. Subject for forenoon discourse: "One thing by which we may become great." Subject for evening discourse: "Religion in politics and business." All are invited to attend these services. T. H. HENDERSON, Pastor. To the Farmer. Messrs. F. Barnekoff & Co., have thoroughly renovated and overhauled the Fellows' warehouse at McMinnville, recently purchased by them and are now ready to receive grain. They will clean and store at 3 cents, and will be ready to buy and pay the highest price going. IN CASH. Sacks kept on hand and sold to farmers at the lowest rates. This is a perfectly responsible firm, and those having grain to sell or store, or in need of sacks, should call and see them. For easy washing use perline—sold by Paxter & Martin. 142c Ice cream at the Bakery Saturdays & Sundays. 142c

List of Stock and Fowls.

Upon which premiums will be paid at the Yamhill county fair in September next:

- CLASS 1—CATTLE. Division 1.—Short horns. Best bull four years old and over; best bull three years old; best bull two years old; best bull one year old; best cow and calf; best cow four years old and over; best cow three years old; best cow two years old; best cow one year old; best heifer calf, and the same for grades. Div. 2.—Herefords. Same as Division 1. Div. 3.—Aberdeen Angees and Galloways. Same as above. Div. 4.—Devons. Same as Div. one. Div. 5.—Jerseys. Same as above. Div. 6.—Holsteins. Same as above and same for grades. Div. 7.—Ayrshires. Same as above. CLASS 2—HORSES. Div. 1.—Clydesdales. Best stallion 4 years old and over; best stallion 3 years old; best stallion 2 years old; best stallion 1 year old; best mare and colt; best mare 4 years old and over; best mare 3 years old; best mare 2 years old; best mare 1 year old; best colt. Same for grades. Div. 2.—Percheson Norman. Same as Div. 1. Div. 3.—Canadians. Same as above. Div. 4.—Cleveland Bays. Same as above. Div. 5.—Trotters. Same as Div. 1. Div. 6.—Thoroughbreds. Same as above. Div. 7.—Shetlands. Same as above. Div. 8.—Best jack and best jenny. CLASS 3—SWINE. Div. 1.—Berkshires. Best aged boar; best yearling; best pig 3 months and under 6; best sow and pigs; best aged sow; best yearling sow; best sow pig 3 months and under 6. Div. 2.—Potand China. Same as Div. 1. Div. 3.—Red Jerseys. Same as Div. 1 and 2. Div. 4.—White Chesters. Same as above. Div. 5.—Essex. Same as above. Div. 6.—Yorkshires. Same as above. CLASS 4—SHEEP. Div. 1.—American Merino. Best buck 2 years old and over; best yearling buck; best lamb 3 months and under 6; best ewe two years old and over; best yearling ewe; best ewe 3 months and under 6; best ewe and lamb; best pen of three lambs. Div. 2.—Spanish Merino. Same as Div. 1. Div. 3.—Cotswolds. Same as above. Div. 4.—Leicesters. Same as above. Div. 5.—Southdowns. Same. Div. 6.—Lincolns. Same. All other breeds same as division 1. CLASS 5—POULTRY. Div. 1.—Fancy—Bronze. Best gobbler; best hen; best exhibit. Common-Turkeys same as Bronze. Div. 2.—Chickens. Light Brahmahs, Best rooster, best hen and best exhibit. Dark Brahmahs same as Light Brahmahs. Buff Cochins, White Cochins, Black Cochins, Brown Leghorns, White Leghorns and other breeds the same as Brahmahs. Div. 3.—Ducks. Pekin, best drake best duck and best exhibit. Black Cayuga and other breeds of ducks the same as the Pekin. Div. 4.—Geese. Ewden, best exhibit; Toulouse, Hong Kong, White China, Egyptian, African and other breeds, best exhibits. The managers are at work upon the premium list for cereals, mechanical arts, etc. etc., and as soon as the list is completed it will appear in these columns.

Business Specials.

Churning done at the Amity steam mills for \$2 per ton. Fresh roasted peanuts at H. H. Welch's. W. H. Bingham's stock of furniture is full and complete. Prices to suit the times. If you want good furniture, at low prices, go to W. H. Bingham's. For a square meal go to the St. Charles—only 25 cents. Farmers having wool to sell will do well to consult Blackburn & Peckham before selling as they pay the highest prices in the county. Fine photographs at the lowest prices. All work warranted at Sanders & Martin's gallery. "Secure the shadow ere the substance fades" by getting your photographs taken at Sanders & Martin's gallery near the furniture store. Best meal in the city for 25 cents, at the McMinnville Hotel. 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. The McMinnville Gopher is at his old tricks again. This means that Chandler has gone to well digging. Anyone wanting a well can not do better than to engage him, as he does the best work in the shortest time, and guarantees satisfaction. 121c.

Notice to Farmers.

Suiter & Daniel, proprietors of the Lafayette Mills and Warehouse, desire to inform the farmers of this vicinity that their improvements are now completed, and are ready to clean and store any amount of wheat that may be brought to them, at 3 cents per bushel. Their facilities for handling grain, are not excelled anywhere in the county. They are guaranteed as Cheap Freight Rates by rail, as from any other point in this vicinity, besides having the advantage of competition by boat during boating season. They are also prepared to loan sacks this season, as heretofore, to their customers. They desire to call particular attention to their security against risk by fire, as they have no exposure to their main warehouse nearer than 115 feet, while the boiler and engine are nearly 180 feet distant. Past experience ought to convince farmers that this is no small matter, as it gives those who store with them a cheap rate of insurance, and but small risk if they do not insure. SUITER & DANIEL. July 27—m1.

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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 are filling them at the lowest possible price.

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The Standard Fence! Substantial, Cheap & Durable. Just what is needed by every Farmer, as it is very convenient for fencing in sacked grain in the field, after threshing. Manufactured by G. HUBBARD, McMinnville Oregon. Be sure and see this Fence. HO! FOR THE COAST!! THE Little Nesteen Wagon Road. Is the Easiest and Best on the coast. Fine fishing, hunting, and the loveliest beach. Many of the tough points on the road have been cut off so that the road can be traveled much easier than heretofore. D. E. EMMETT, Pro.

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