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THE REAL ISSUE IN THE COUNTY SEAT QUESTION.

The real question to be decided in the county seat contest on November 8th, next, is, WHERE will the public buildings of Yamhill county be built—

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Lafayette assents to this latter part of this conclusion but earnestly dissents from the conclusion that she may ever lose her present holdings.

If Lafayette had the advantage of country and transportation, and had been so advantaged in the last dozen years, her growth would have been ample and equal to any other place.

If the money must be spent soon the question then is where. In another article we shall try to present fairly the reasons of some of them at least.

THE WAY IT WAS BEFORE.

In 1858, Lafayette won the county seat contest over Dayton by 14 majority. The vote was in August. In September at the regular term of county court the vote was officially announced.

First, to show the actual cost of the building, that Lafayette says cost \$30,000. Second, to show that the building has been built for exactly 28 years, although re-roofed two or three times.

Third, to show that the people of Lafayette, can get a new court house, very quickly after election and that they will not be any more dilatory in getting a new one in 1888, than they were in 1858.

THE FUTURE OF YAMHILL COUNTY.

If farm lands are to be high in this county, and divided into small holdings, we must have one large and growing city in the county somewhere.

NEWS IN GENERAL.

A Chicago Youth Crushed Between Two Teams. A MOTHER'S TERRIBLE CRIME.

Northern Pacific Report. A Great Effort for the Anarchists. THE SCOTCH YACHT LOOSERS.

The Volunteer Wins by Ten Big Minutes. BRITISH EVICTIONS IN IOWA.

Horrible Death. Chicago, Sept. 27.—A strange and horrible spectacle was witnessed by hundreds of persons in this city yesterday.

When Greek Meets Greek. San Francisco, Oct. 2.—Denis Kearney the well known agitator left this city this afternoon for New York.

Black Kills Her Children and Takes Arsenic. Berkeley, Cal., Sept. 29.—The following reached here today: "Alfred Warner of Trenton township, Kenyon county, on Monday went to a slanty on his farm occupied by his daughter, Mrs. Nancy Black.

THE VETERANS. Evacuation of St. Louis.—Election of Commander-in-Chief. St. Louis, Sept. 29.—This afternoon the evacuation of the city by the rank and file of the G. A. R. was complete.

The 4 x 24 plank adopted by the Democrats of New York, at Saratoga Sept. 28th is as follows: "The unnecessary taxation of the last fiscal year exceeded \$1,000,000,000.

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IN A FREE COUNTRY TOO.

Settlers Evicted In Iowa the same as In Ireland. New York, Oct. 4.—A Washington special says: "The General Land Office in receipt of information that a British syndicate, which is said to have purchased a large tract of land in Iowa from the McGregor & Western railway company, is mercilessly evicting settlers, the title to the land being in dispute in the state courts.

LOOKING FOR TESTIMONIES. Out of this wilderness of words will be culled every scrap, item, remark and ruling every statement of the counsel for the state that may be deemed to have had an unfair bearing upon the issue, and the labor of the extraction of these points from the record and putting them in legal shape will require a week or ten days.

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CHINESE MONOPOLY. English Interests Fighting the Mithras Scheme. San Francisco, Oct. 3.—The steamship Oceanica arrived from Yokohama and Hong Kong this morning.

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THE OPPOSITION. This Earth Is Round, -That was a -Funny Idea.

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NEW FIRM! NEW GOODS! H. H. Welch having moved into Frank Colburn's former quarters on Third street, and having taken Austen Dee into partnership; they having fitted up and renewed their FINE TABLES,

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