

POSTOFFICE HOURS. From 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. From 7:30 p. m. to 9:30 p. m.

CHURCH NOTICES. Methodist Episcopal Church—Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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Presbyterian Church—Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

St. James Catholic Church—Services every Sunday at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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Only a Country Girl tonight.

E. L. Weed made a business trip to Seattle this week. The tax roll will be turned over to the sheriff for collection on Feb. 12.

O. P. Coshow will move into the Cook house on college side next week. A fruit growers' convention will be held in this city at the court house on Feb. 16 at 10 a. m.

The postoffice matter has been settled and the local politician is now on the lookout for offices.

The annual election of the officers of the fire department will be held on Monday, February 19th. John Evenden left Tuesday morning for California. He received a telegram from Clark Italy that his wife was very sick.

A. Matthews wishes to express his thanks for the many acts of kindness and courtesy extended to his family during the sickness and death of his wife's father.

Several large shipments of fruit trees have been delivered in this city during the past few weeks. The fruit acreage is increasing very fast and it will be but a few years before this county will be the greatest fruit producing section of the state.

The headlight is agitating the construction of a bridge across the Nestucca near Beaver. One of the reasons given for the bridge is that "in the course of time if the new road to McMinville is finished the absence of a bridge will force the south part of the county to become tributary to that city."

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly expect to produce their unique comedy, "Home, Sweet Home," next Wednesday evening. This play is more highly spoken of by the press than any of Mr. Kelly's plays. It is loaded with pure, wholesome fun and valuable pointers for married people, also those contemplating that important step.

Parties impending visiting the mid-winter fair should patronize the Union Pacific steamers, as this company has placed in effect from Portland the low rate of \$22 to San Francisco and return, which includes meals and berth. Full particulars can be obtained by addressing W. H. Hurlbut, A. G. P. A., Union Pacific system, Portland.

The regular subscription price of the TELEPHONE-REGISTER is \$1 a year and the Weekly Oregonian is \$1.50. Any one subscribing for the TELEPHONE-REGISTER and paying one year in advance can get both the TELEPHONE-REGISTER and the Weekly Oregonian for \$2. All old subscribers paying their subscriptions one year in advance will be entitled to the same offer.

An athletic club is to be organized in this city. Already the ground for a quarter mile track has been rented and as soon as the weather permits it will be put in condition. It is the intention of the club to put a football team in the field next fall. The city has several fine sprinters and bicycle riders and some of the prizes in the next trials will no doubt fall to this city.

The steamer Toledo is not making regular trips to this city. The business is so light that she only comes when there is a load for her. A considerable amount of straw conigned to the paper mills at Oregon City is waiting for her. The government shows but little kindness to the people of this section. The navigation of the Yamhill will be easier if the snag boat would put in an appearance once in a while and clean out the river.

A republican club was organized in the city last week. The officers are: J. C. Cooper, president; J. W. Cowles, vice president; C. H. McKinney, secretary; Wm. Christian, treasurer; E. M. York, sergeant at arms. The delegates to the state convention of clubs were O. H. Irvine, S. A. Manning, J. F. Calbreath, M. U. Gortner, R. L. Conner, John E. Holman, F. E. Rogers, E. N. Ford and C. H. McKinney. It bears the name of Lincoln.

A letter from Mr. Geer, the proprietor of the steamer Toledo, informs us that the boat will come to McMinville but once a week during the balance of the season. He will, of course, bring the boat up for a cargo at any time. An effort is being made by him to have the river improved and he informs us that it will cost not to exceed \$5000 to build locks at Lafayette, making the river navigable at all times of the year. Before the water subsides he will give an excursion to Oregon City. He will, during the summer, make daily trips from Dayton to Portland and return, and by a stage line to this city, which he will also establish, it will be possible for the citizens of this city to go to Portland and return the same day for one-half the fare charged by the railroad.

The Military Ball. The ball given by B company on Thursday night last at the parlors of the McMinville dancing club will be known as the best one of the season. The ballroom was decorated beautifully—thanks to the labors of a number of the members of the company. The music stand was draped in red and blue having the crossed rifles of the company on three of its sides. On each corner of the stand was draped a flag, the whole relieved by sprigs of evergreen and ivy. The effect was beautiful, and many expressions praising the taste displayed were heard. Near the entrance two large flags were crossed and gracefully draped, at the intersection of which stood the great American flag, a fine specimen of the bird and eagle, a fine specimen of the artist's hand. The taxidermist's art. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him. Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had a severe fever some of his leg doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box of Bucklen's Arnica salve cured him entirely. Sold by Rogers Bros.

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To the Teachers.

Your presence and assistance are earnestly solicited at the next local institute to be held at Dundee on Saturday, Feb. 24, 1894. The program will be the discussion of the following subjects interspersed with songs, recitations, etc. Class Exercises, G. A. Prentiss, Dundee public schools; Geometrical Progression, Prof. Northup, McMinville school; How I Teach History, Mrs. Yannie Martin, Newberg public school; Geography, F. J. Deach, West Chehalis school; Language for Beginners, Gertrude Pound, district No. 24.

These meetings are growing very interesting. The patrons are beginning to understand that this is a good place to attend teachers. Those teachers who attend regularly are acquiring broader views, better methods and greater enthusiasm with each successive gathering. The subject of progression bids fair to be especially interesting at this meeting. The principles by which the sum of a geometrical series is obtained are to be demonstrated by arithmetical methods. Don't fail to be there if possible. Respectfully, J. B. STELWELL, Supt. The Branch System.

Gov. Penoyer and State Treasurer Phil Metchan were in Pendleton on Friday last and this is what the first named official said to an East Oregonian reporter: "Mr. Metchan and I were in Union to look up eligible sites, and we succeeded in finding one which will be taken in case it meets the approval of State Secretary McRidge. The land joins the town site on the west, along the road leading from Union to the railway depot. There are 620 acres of beautiful land lining the highway for about a mile. It is peculiarly adapted to the purpose sought, being rich and capable of producing an immense quantity of grain, vegetables and fruit. The purchase price will be \$25,000 or \$40 per acre, in case this land is bought, leaving \$55,000 to be devoted to the buildings and improvements of the money raised by last year's levy. We propose to push things as rapidly as we can, and the \$55,000 will all be expended during the coming season."

February Cosmopolitan. The secret of the great success of the Cosmopolitan is not so hard to find if one looks carefully over the number for February. A story by Valdes, the famous Spanish novelist, the first from his pen to appear in any American magazine, is begun in this number. Arthur Sherburne Hardy's story, "A Rejected Manuscript," is charmingly illustrated by L. Marold, who we believe makes his first appearance in the magazines on this side of the water. A profusely illustrated article on the designing and building of a warship appeals to the interest taken by all in the new navy, and a thrilling description of a naval combat under the significant title, "The Meloban and the Penthe-roy" describes, after the manner of the Battle of Dorking, a possible sea-fight, the outcome of which is watched by the entire naval world.

The Prune Business. Lewis Chapman, one of the most successful and enterprising farmers and fruit-growers of South Douglas county, shipped a carload of dried prunes from this place this week to a firm at Red Lodge, Montana. Mr. Chapman informs us that from two acres of 7-year-old Petite prune trees he dried 12,000 pounds of prunes, and that from four acres he has realized \$1040 at 61 cents a pound. The expenses figure from the time of cultivating about \$40 per acre. Mr. Chapman has also shipped 4000 pounds of dried apples and says that he could handle several carloads, could they be secured, at a good price. Mr. Chapman is not at all discouraged with the present tone of the prune market, but says he will set out more trees and can make big money on prunes at one-half the present price.—Riddle Enterprise.

BUYERS AND BUSINESS DIRECTOR. You are respectfully invited to call at the office of J. H. Nelson and settle your accounts.

Don't be deceived into buying a cheap organ for big money from a sleek agent, when you can buy the Estey or Earhart at bottom prices at C. Grisen's music store.

For fine watches and jewelry go to D. A. Smith. Repairing of all kinds done at reasonable rates.

Orin C. Skinner has a little more old oak wood for sale at \$3.00 per cord, also old fir, 2ft. at \$3 per cord.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became a Man, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Notice is hereby given that all persons who own or have dogs in their care, in the corporate limits of the city of McMinville, must pay the required tax to the city recorder on or before March 15, 1894.

W. T. VINTON, Recorder of the City of McMinville. Specimen Cases. S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

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SHADEN—At the residence of his son, A. M. Shaden, on Sunday, February 4, 1894, of paralysis. T. J. Shaden, aged 86 years. The funeral was held from the Christian church Tuesday.

"Uncle Tommy" Shaden was born in Tennessee in April, 1808. Prior to his removal to the Pacific coast he lived in Arkansas and Missouri. On the 16th day of May, 1842, he with 100 others started for Oregon. But 55 of the party were over 18 years of age. Nearly every man of that train has been prominent in the affairs of the state and to their sturdy independence and conservatism is due the present greatness of Oregon. But few of the members of that train are alive today to tell the experiences of the trip and we will use the words of Hon. Medore Crawford, a member of the party, but now deceased, to give the reader an idea of the condition of the valley when "Uncle Tommy" first gazed upon its broad expanse. In the "History of the Willamette Valley" Mr. Crawford relates:

"On the fifth day of October our little party, ragged and hungry, arrived at the Falls, now Oregon City, where we found the first habitations west of the Cascade Mountains. Here several members of the Methodist Mission were located, and a saw mill was being erected on the bank of the river, on an arriving safely after so long and perilous a journey, was shared by these hospitable people, each of whom seemed anxious to give us a hearty welcome and render us every assistance in their power. From the falls to Vancouver was a trackless wilderness, communication being only by the river in small boats and canoes. Toward Salem no sign of civilization existed until we reached French Prairie, where a few farms near the river were cultivated by former employees of the Hudson's Bay company. West of the falls some fifteen miles was Tualatin plains, where a few settlers, mostly from Red River, had located. Within the present limits of Yamhill county, the only settlers I can remember were Sidney Smith, Anous Cook, Frances Fletcher, James O'Neil, Joseph McLaughlin, Williams, Louis LaBonte and George Gay. There may have been one or two more, but I think not. South of George Gays on the west end of Salem, on the east side of the Willamette river, there were no settlements in the territory.

There were in the valley some twelve or fifteen Methodist missionaries, most of them having families, under the general superintendence of Rev. Jason Lee. Some of them were living at the falls, some at Salem, and some at Mission farm, ten miles below Salem, opposite the place now known as Wheatland. At these places, especially at the falls and Salem, many improvements were being made, and employment was given at fair wages to all who desired work. Payment was made in lumber and flour from their mills at Salem, cattle and horses from their herds, and other articles from the farms at the falls, kept by Hon. George Abernethy. There was no money in the country, in fact I do not remember having seen a piece of money of any description for more than a year after my arrival. A man's financial condition was based upon his cattle and horses, and credit on the Hudson's bay company's or Abernethy's brooks. With these he could procure everything that was purchasable in the country. All kinds of tools and implements were scarce and generally of the most primitive character. There were no wagons in the country. Carts of the rudest manufacture were in general use, which among the French were frequently bound with rawhide. Ground was ploughed with wooden mouldboards, grain was threshed in rail pens by the tramping of horses and cleaned by winnowing in the wind, and transported in canoes and batteaux to Fort Vancouver to market. Most of our clothing came from the Hudson's Bay company, was all of one size, and said to have been made to fit Dr. McLoughlin, who was a very large man. Boots and shoes were more difficult to be obtained than any other article of clothing; for myself I had no covering for my feet for two years, either summer or winter, but buckskin moccasins, still I never enjoyed better health in my life."

MOLL—At the residence of his son-in-law, A. Matthes, in this city, Feb. 1, 1894, David Moll, aged 68 years, of paralysis. Mr. Moll was a pioneer of 1851. He was buried near his former residence in the Waldo hills.

\$100 Reward \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and removing all impurities, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Sent for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CUREY & Co., Toledo, O.

Probate Court. Estate of Wm Sweeney; bond approved. Estate of Jos Hodge; final account approved Saturday, March 10th set to hear same. Estate of Alice A Logan; final account filed and Saturday, March 10 at 10 a. m. set to hear same. Estate of Henry White; petition to sell personal property at either private or public sale granted. Estate of Geo C Belt; bond approved. Estate of Jos Hutecheroff, C Obye and A S Killen appointed appraisers.

Estator. Estate of James Turner; final account filed and Tuesday, March 6, at 1 p. m. set to hear same. Estate of W T Jones; petition for appointment of Elizabeth Jones as executrix filed and the same is hereby approved without bonds. Will admitted to probate.

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 Rogers Bros.

Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, M. L. Morrison, after this date. Whitson, Or., January 25, 1894. M. L. MORRISON.

WILL REBUILD.

The New Receiver of the Oregon Pacific Makes the Road Pay Expenses. HILLSBORO, Feb. 6.—The cost of maintaining the public school here for the past year is \$11,071 per pupil. The average daily attendance is 300, instructed by eight teachers. A new paper has been started at Forest Grove. The salutary is simply "Hello." As near as can be ascertained it is popular in politics, but is as weak that party.

A Mrs. Billings was tried here yesterday for assault. Her children have been in the habit of attacking the neighbors' children when passing on their way to school. Mater stood off and huzzahed. The jury acquitted her, but the verdict contained a reprimand to her for not having better control of her children.

A district school of 5 mills has been levied in this district. The city tax is also five mills. The county levy is to be made this week.

A romantic couple in a neighboring village chose 12 o'clock, midnight, as the time for having their wedding ceremony performed. They are now happier than common people.

The general merchandise firm of Hughes, Morgan & Rogers sold out to A. M. Laidlaw, of Portland, last week. At present the fight promises to be for the office of county judge, but no candidates have been mentioned.

Messrs. C. E. Scott, ex-receiver of the Oregonian Railway Co., R. A. Burich and A. J. Ray have interested themselves in a dairy enterprise in this county. They have leased the Col. T. Cornelius donation land claim, 500 acres, where they will establish a creamery about March 1st. At first they will milk 100 cows and gather milk from the farmers around. Mr. Ray is quite well known in Benton and Lincoln counties, where in the flush times of the O. P. railroad, he was engaged in a banking business.

Town was somewhat lonely last Tuesday, made so by a large delegation that attended the republican club meeting in Portland.

The Odd Fellows are in earnest grappling with the problem of rebuilding the hall. The plans now proposed contemplate a structure 27x100 feet on ground and walls 34 feet high.

The city council on Monday night last, levied a city tax of 5 mills. This will, with revenue from licenses, pay the current year which are estimated at \$2000, incurred last year when no tax was levied, that will have to go over. The big item of expense is the light and water bill, amounting to \$1800.

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