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Unless some outhoughted action in taken in the premises, Theodore Darrard will be hanged in California today, Cometers societies in San Francisco refuse to allow his remains to be buried on their premises, and the condemped man's mother says the remains will be creamated.

It is reported that Martin Quinn in reported that Martin Quinn, populist candidate for congress in district, has been attacked with gold fever, and that he will resign osition as superintendent of streets ortland and his himself away to address next apring. It has also reported to us that neveral pronta populists not in Portland are asing for a trip to the same region as the June campaign is over.

It has been a long time, indeed, since so many good things has been said of an old year as was the case with the one just persed to history. The year was eshered in under more favorable circumstances than the three or four years preceding it, and time brought to pass quite all the good dangs which was claimed for it. The present year, ton, has brought many sceeptable changes, even in its infancy, and as its days and months go by it will prove itself entitled to every good word which has been spoken for it. The year 1898 will bring about many hanges for the better.

Nover in the history of any publication issued on the Northwest coast did any paper do itself such absolute credit as did the Portland Oregonian in its annual New Year's edition of 1898. The smount of work connected with such an undertaking cannot be calculated by one not familiar with the many intricate features of typographical mechanism. Data to be gleaned for such a paper required the work of many mouths by a large force; its preparation for the compositor required skill and learning, and its illustrations represents the outlay of much money and time. The good results to our state accruing from that paper's efforts will be great, and the people of our commonwealth should be proud of the issue.

One not brought into immediate consider with properties. Pretty nearly every store in Portland making any pretentions whatever along that line is crowded day and night with people buying and tooking at articles to take with them to the northern regions. The demand for heavy clothing started into operation many wolen mills, and the demand for mining tools has so increased that establishments dealing is that line of goods have employed extra help and added thousands of dollars worth of goods to their already large stocks. The next three months will witness an immense increase in business in Portland.

Last week thors was an effort made by one faction of the republican party in Multnomah county to harmonize the differences and stand as a unite to light the elements of populism in that recently. This promosition was and.

Lasr week there was an effort made y one faction of the republican party and faction of the republican party and faction of the republican party and faction of the differences and stand as a unite to ght the elements of populism in that county. This proposition was submitted by the Hursch people to the imon-Oregonian faction, and so far as re are able to understand it, is a fair and honorable signification of their rillingness to join forces and let past ifferences be a thing no longer for ontention. The people of Columbia ounty are too familiar with the hisory of this factional fight in Multionach to require a review of it at this imo, but every voter in our county salarss, we believe, that Multinomah's roubles effect, to a certain degree, the omibilities of a solid strength in our county. These differences have grown set of circumstances better known in fultnomah county than here, yet cut ide counties sit and look upon the whole matter as a foolish and detrinantal state of affairs. We believe that for the sake of success, the Multionah differences must be settled, and if the Simon-Oregonian faction manot see their way clear to act in accordance with the proposition submitted, let them offer some more feas ble one. The people of the state are ratebing the action of Multnomah ismais republicans, and in our opinon the Simon-Oregonian faction must either act in accordance with the proposition submitted to them or offer nonething better. In the snewer submitted yesterday we see no means provided whereby the differences may be ettled, only upon an appeal for harmony, and in that appeal no means is provided whereby the differences may be abler, and the fight will go merrily on, resulting disastronsity in Multinomah county. The present unsatisfactory administration of city governmental affairs of Portland are a result of disruption in the republican party in that may, and the bad affect is not contined to that city, but extends, in a certain degree, into overy city and comity in the state. We are not here any the pro

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HOULTON HAPPENINGS.

J. H. Uris has returned to Fort Stevens.

We recognized Mr. S. A. Miles' countenance is town Wednesday.

Meille Seaver is errecting a residence on his lot in the north end of town.

L. B. Burlin, of Portland, is a visitor at Captain James Cox's this week.

Mrs. G. D. Gilson, who has been quite tick for some time is greatly improved.

Cora Burlingame is slowly recovering, and we hape all serious trouble is past.

Prof. C. E. Hall closed a four month's term of school at this place last Friday.

Mrs. and Mrs. N. A. Perry celebrated the first day of the year with Captain and Mrs. Henderson.

Miss May Burlingame left Saturday to

The Union Sunday school held its annual election has Sunday, and will be conducted for the ensuing year by Grandma Little, as superintendent.

places could be heard in either town.

The United Artisans held their annual election last Monday evening, when the following officers were chosen: E. E. Hasen, M. A.; May Cox, Supt. G. D. Gilson. Secy.; Alma Urie, Treas.; J. Spence, inspector; Minnis Dunn, M. of S. Meeting first Monday evening of each month. All members of the order in good standing are cordially invited.

Some one's terrible boys rang the bell and made a ridse.

And waked people from sleep no dear, to wish them a happy new-year.

They rang out the old and rang in the new new who could it be, done by but two?

VERNONIA GLEANINGS.

The holiday festivities are a thing of the

J. T. Adams paid Forest Grove a bu

Again the rumblings of discord and co tention are heard in this city.

O. C. Spencer returned to University Park Friday to resume his studies. M. Davidson was receiving legal advice of Justice Shannahan Friday.

Following is a report of the Marshland school for the term ending December 24th: Whole number of days august 58 Whole number of days attendance 16305 Whole number of days attendance 16305 Number of times tardy 8 Whole number of days absence 1835 Number of times tardy 8 Whole number arrolled 82 Number of times tardy 8 Whole number arrolled 82 Neither absent nor tardy 8 Whole number arrolled 82 Neither absent nor tardy 8 Miller brothers spent New-year's Day at the home of Mr. C. C. Moyer, at Peris, Miss Justic Cobisti went to St. Helens don'ng exercises were held in the Marshland half. Quite a number of friends and patrons gathered in the hall, which was appropriately decorated, and heard the following programme rendered: Teacher song—"America" 8chool Recitation—"A Little Visitor Nation advanced in by the young folks.

Recitation—"A Little Visitor" School
Recitation—"A Little Visitor Nellia Colvia
Recitation—"Christmas Bells" Malcolm Elliott
Recitation—"Mamma's Darling" Elliott
Duet— Pictures in the Clouds" Della Graham and Teacher
Concert Recitation—"Parts of the Body"
Recitation—"Christmas Gitts"
Lens Colvin

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Recitation—"Christmas Gits"

Recitation—"The Dressed Turkey"
Recitation—"Grandma's Mistake"
Scale Colvin
Recitation—"Santa Claus on the Train"
John Colvin
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John Colvin
Recitation—"Gifts for Pets"
Nellie Elmer and Lena Colvin
Recitation—"Christmas Philosophy"
Rimer Colvin
Recitation—"Santa Claus and the Mouse"
Song—"Vacation"
Recitation—"Two Little Stockings"
Recitation—"Two Little Stockings"
Recitation—"Two Village Backmath'
Recitation—"The Village Backmath'
Recitation—"The And Out"
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Restation—"The Village Blacksmith"

Recitation—"In and Out" ... Basic Colvin Dialogus—"Rules"
Della Graham and John Colvin Recitation—"Merry Spring" . Nellie Colvin Vacation Acronic.
Duet—"Good Night"...
Della Graham and Teacher Luan Witson, Teacher.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. Hall, of Clatekanie, was in our city

Marroweck, of Scapponer, was in town Wednet/ay on business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shehlon were in the metropolis last Saturday.

Mr. 1. H. Copeland was attending to business in Portland on Monday.

W. E. Stevens was looking after business interests in Portland Monday.

Mrs. J. G. Watts. of Scappoose, is visiting relatives at Mayger, this week.

County School Superintendent Watts was in this city Tuesday and Wednesday.

J. C. Johnson and Norman McKay, of Scappoose, were in Portland Monday.

Miss Mary Burke, of Rainier, visited relatives in this city a day or two last week.

Wm. Mellinger, sr., of Vernonia, is now

Wm. Mellinger, sr., of Vernonia, is now operating a shingle-mill near Rocky point. Chas. Meserve, of Portland, representing the Daily Tribune, spent Sunday in this its

br. and Mrs. H. R. Cliff spent the first ay of the year with Mr. and Mrs. Frank

resent month.

Mr. C. L. Parker, of Pittsburg, was at
ending to business matters here Tuesday
and Wednesday.

County Surveyor Meserve, of Delena, was a town yesterday attending to matters onnected with his office.

Prominent among the lawyers in attendance upon the circuit court which convened here Wednesday were J. C. Moreland, R. Stottt, W. B. Dillard, Geo. E. Davis, G. W. Cole, J. W. Day, Harrison Allen, W. F. Timmons, A. L. Franier, W. H. Conyers, C. H. Piggott, Geo. A. Hall, W. J. Elice, G. A. Brodie, T. J. Cleeten and others.

Entertainment Tonight. Following is the programme to be re-ered this (Friday) evening at the open

Vocal solo—"The Bong of the Flag. (DeKoven). Portland High School Orches

Watch-Meeting at Reuben.

VALLEY NEWS ITEMS.

N. J. Dupont spent Christmas in Port-J. Wilverding is building a new bars on

A social party met at Mr. Moyer's bonne on the last evening of the old year. A bountiful supper had been prepared to which all present were invited to pertake of after which various anusements were indulged in by the young folks.

MARRIED.

KULPER-WAY.—At the First Congregational chorch, in Portland, by the Rev. Arthur W. Ackerman, on Saturslay, January I, 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m., Mr. Otto Kulper and Mias Francesca Way.

Mr. Kulper has been an employe on the steamer Mascot for several years, and it well known by the seople of this city, while Mrs. Kulper has resided in this city with her parents for a good many years, and was quite popular among her young friends. The young couple left on the evening train that day for a tour through Southern California. They will return about February 18t, and will be at home after that date at Woodland, Wash.

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