# West Side Publishing Company

FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 1892.

A BURTHDAY SURPRISE -Mrs. W. P. Connaway was most agreeably surprised Christsmas evening, when a number of her most intimate friends called upon her en masse, it being her affirmed 16th birthday. She was presented with many nice presents, and a most enjoyable evening was passed in the participation of various games and amusements after which the guests took their departure, wishing her a long and happy life.

REUNION PARTY.-A number of Monmouth, Or. young ladies and gentlemen congrega-ted at the residence of J. R. N. Bell last bottom lands along the river are moov-Monday evening, the occasion being a reunion of the members of a party that took a trip to Yaquina last summer. Incidents relative to such a trip were anticipation of, or the looking back changed to "Can you support me?" upon such trips, gives about as much enjoyment as the realization thereof, After participating in games and music for a time, the good-night leave was last night to a delighted antience.

entered the gun store of Deyoe & Froman, of Albany, and took several pistols and guns. After they completed the job, they secured a skiff, and came down the river about onehalf hour ahead of their pursuers, Deputy Sheriff Smith, and three assistants, who captured the supposed leader of the gang, Wm. Dempher, at the Little Palace hotel, and was taken back to Albany on the S a. m. boat the next day,

signed, next week in the public school New Year. of Independence, and Prof. T. J. Jack-Coleman comes from the State Normal National bank. at Monmouth, with ability, experience Jackson is of the State Normal, but more recently one of Polk county's mest successful pedagogues. The Wast Side offers its best wishes for the success of all pedagogical practitioners.

exhibition some manimoti, turnips and temps causes great embarrassment, and history. It is a work of 2550 pages. Rev. Wilson, P. E. of the M. E. potatoes. The turnips were grown by many blushes. C. P. Wells three miles south of Inde-July, and after being out of the ground evinced a preparation worthy the os- containing notices of eminent person- does. The meeting was enjoyed by all until the old year swung back into the one potato weighing six and one half Independence at her home just north Stok Company will offer this work pounds, and these are by no means of town last Wednesdey evening in among its premiums. exceptional cases.

friends and members of the First Bap- the holidays. tist church of this city remembered Physicians all over the country re- mouth. William Leonard and family, by his parishioners and the members "up to snuff," of his congregation. May this chro- A family living in Salem consists of will not attempt to give a description nometer be to him in dividing time a well-to-do Chinaman, Jim Hong, his of the delicate viands set before us. into minutes and hours, what he will wife, a blue-eyed Caucasian of prepobe to his people in dividing the Scrip- wife, a blue-eyed Caucasian of prepotures into their analytical parts, giving baby nine months old. The couple are sumptuous repast than we enjoyed the both to saint and sinner their portion man and wife, and to all outward apin due and ancient form.

item taken from an Eastern paper was There is an old adage: "What every- rious accident Wednesday morning. handed to us by Dr. Farra, as Corvallis body says must be true." Henry Cook, When a few miles below Independence is about to build a cannery it will be of of New Knoxville, Ohio, in a recent one of the axles of the tender broke and interest to our readers: The canning letter says: "Chamberlain's Cough caused the trucks to give way and left factory started at Mound City, Mo., Remedy has taken well here. Every- the wheels to roll at random; but as it kindness and good will which can be last January, has paid out for fruit and body likes it on account of the imme- was not intended that there should be shown in no other way. labor \$16,000. The Mound City Times diate relief it gives." There is nothing a wreck, the wheels kept the track unin speaking about it says that one man like it to loosen and relieve a severe til they reached the depot when another sold the crop raised from eleven acres cold. For sale by all medicine dealers, engine was telegraphed for to take the He was formerly a citizen of Polk, and \$141 50; another, four acres. \$110.27.- naway, Secy.; W. L. Hodgin, Tyler, Corvallis Gazette.

year. Some of them were ladders however, or devices of some sort of a new and povel style. These festivities of our Savior's natal day were held at the attended. The little folks of our city and is quite a credit to our city. the better for face recurring holidays. eases. For sale by all medicine dealers, ing are invited to be present. We gladly wecome every Christmas

porter last weel did the P. T. Barnum Investment company. A full adjustact in good style It was absolutely necessary to getsome work from Monmouth to the afternoon train for the west Side, and he last regular trip of the motor had ben made, and the confidence of all those desiring property work was still at Monmouth, hence, Henry Clodfelter lit the importance of the situation, and lad only a few moments in which to act, therefore he upon on business. per man's life are much like angel's whenever needed and believe it to be visits, few and far betwee. We must not forget to say that our sporter got there, just the same.

It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents tion, or money refunded. Price 25 cents there, just the same.

It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents sickness of our dear dughter Gracie.

Pennville, Sullivan county, Missouri. For sale by any druggist.

MR. AND MRS. E. E. KRENGLE. there, just the same.

#### COCALS.

next week, throughout the entire

into his new brick which is fast near-Read the new ad, of the law firm

sue of the WEST SIDE. The District Institute, held at Eugene this week, was a splendid success, The people of Eugene are fully abreast

Nice new house to rent. May pay ent by boarding owner if desired. Call on or address W. J. Spillman,

ing to higher ground, as the river t getting too close for comfort.

The off-repeated question, "Do yo love me?" in engagement, should be Prof. Millard, the celebrated singer.

pher, alias Henry Williams, with the this week. We extend to him and his each week these gentlemen promise assistance of three unknown parties, family a hearty welcome into our midst. you something that it will be really The Christmas boliday sales last worth your while to read.

Thursday were great. Some sales of

who was shot and captured down on

The WEST SIDE force is under many obligations to Mrs R. A. Fuller for a THE TEACHERS.—Miss Belle Cole-bounteous supply of Chritmas cake, man will succeed Mrs. McAdams, re-and all join in wishing her a happy

In a personal mention last week, lo son has been elected supernumerary of cating the law office of Geo. A. Smith, the same school. Mrs. McAdams goes we made a slight mistake, his office the dictionary and also of superior to a principalship in Salem, and Miss may be found over the Independence

"Now is the winter of our discontent made glorious summer" by Ayer's Sarinvigorates the system and enriches would do well to make a note of this.

visited the real estate office of Kirkland church, and return and take another however, contains the name of every serry to say, that Mr. Brown is but & Gibson and to his surprise found on seat, and another girl. Such a contre. personage of note since the dawn of little improved, if any.

C. P. Wells three miles south of Independence from seeds sown the last of unusually handsomely dressed, and dictionary of biography and mythology Wilson preached ably, as he always sweetest strains of music filled the air, several days the combined weight of casion, while the groomsmen displayed ages of all ages and countries with the who attended.

A GOLDEN REMEMBRANCE.-The ville, who is visiting with her during took his Christmas dinner with Wil-

their worthy and devoted pastor, Rev. port the reappearance and rapid increase of Oak Grove, and a gentleman from bridges gone. He also speaks of the nie Tetherow, Mrs Hedges, Mr and Mrs A. J. Hunsaker, Christmas eve by pur- of la grippe, commonly called "the Nebraska, joined with us in doing juschasing and placing upon the Xmas grip." In ancient Greece a sneeze was tice to the delicacies set before us. The tree a very handsome and valuable so rare a thing that it was considered a "Goboler" which failed to roost out of gold watch as a present, and as a token sign of good luck, which shows clearly sight the night before adorned the table of the high regard in which he is held that people of ancient times were not and tempted the appetite to partake of

to the factory and it brought him At the annual election of officers of train on. The broken engine while at-\$835.83, or over \$66.98 per acre. More Lyon lodge No. 29, Dec. 26, the follow- tempting to turn on the turntable, ran than enough to pay for the land. And ing officers were elected to serve for the hind trucks off the track and caused other who had less than twelve acres the ensuing Masonic year: G. W. several hours of hard work to get it on got \$279.62; another ten and a half Shihn, W. M.; Dr. O. D. Butler, S. W.; again, after which they left at a slow acres, \$265.5s; another seven acres, E. L. Ketchum, J. W.; W. P. Con- rate for Portland.

Christmas trees in Independence this and induces refreshing sleep, is some- Chapman, at the foot of Jefferson street thing marvelous. It never fails to give for some kind of an engine of war be-

J. M. Vanduvn moved into his new The exercises preceeding the distribu- residence last Monday, just finished by and this engine will be used to pour a tion of the presents were well rendered Mr. Plant. It is a next cottage indeed, at the various places, and all were well displaying much modern architecture,

were out infull dress, and on the tip- "We know from experience in the toe of expectancy for the beautiful gifts use of Chamberlaiu's Cough Remedy which they did receive. Many a home that it will prevent croup," says Meswas made happy by the gifts made to sers. Gadberry & Worley, Percy, Iowa. regular meeting of the Polk Co. Fruit the children, and we were glad to see al- They also add that the Remedy has Growers' Association, will be held at most universal interest taken in these given great satisfaction in that vicinity. Dallas on Friday January 8th, 1892, at festive occasions by the citizens of our and that they believe it to be the best 2 p. m. All members of the associatown. The filing generation will be in the market for throat and lung dis tion as all those interested in fruit grow-

> Will Whiteaker, who had his photograph gallery burned out on December 1st, was insured by the California ment was made, and all damage paid promptly by James Tatom, manager and purest. It unites brethren and and agent for the company. Mr. Tatom

chartered the whole rain, and for fif- There is little doubt but that many teen minutes the Wer Side Publish, persons suffer for years with ailments ing Company through its agent was that could easily be cured by the use of owner of an entire ailroad, rolling- some simple remedy. The following guides them into paths of virtue and stock, depots, telegram lines, and all incident is an illustration of this fact: hereditaments, both erporeal and in-corporeal, thereunto blonging. But her side the greater part of the time soon, like the morningnist, our wealth for three years, until cured by Chamvanished, and we were toot as usual, berlain's Pain Balm. It has, I think, Such spots of enjoyment a newspa- permanently cured her. We also have

# F. Austine, of Portland, this week

bought out the furniture business of Barsee & Shurtliff of Monmouth. The usa will be conducted as heretofore, with the motto of "live and let live." We regret the retirement of etter than wedding cake is, more cake. Messrs Barne & Shurtliff, and wel-The week of prayer will be held all come to our midst their succession Success to you all.

Your reporter, your humble servant J. F. O'Donnell moved, this week, thinks Beamer & Craven are the best boys. Christmas eve we stepped into their saddle and harness emporium of and knowing that we had been riding Daly, Sibly and Eakin, in this week's considerable during the last month and probably thinking our pony had become somewhat lazy, they presented us with a nice pair of spurs with which we could ride the Wiser Ston fully booted and spurred into the affection of the people of Polk. Well "we shall see what we shall see," as the blind man said. Boys accept our best regards and wishes for your business suc-

Advertisements are often as interesting to the general reader as any portion of a paper. They are not, as some believe, merely baits for the numerous 'suckers' which everyone says exist in every community, but they tell you where the things of luxury or necessity In this life may be obtained. And who spending the holidays. can blame the advertiser if he endeavors held forth at the Presbyterian church by arguments to prove to you that his house is the best place to buy? With The proffessor is a magnificent singer, this issue the Wist Side begins the R. L. Shelley moved into the house publication of a series of advertisements recently vacated by J. M. Vanduyn for the firm of Taylor & Wilcox, and

An elegant premium offered by the our merchants ran from \$300 to \$500 West Side company will be Worces-worth in one day. This is a great ter's Unabridged Dictionary. This work is at present leading Webster's Albertson, the Tacoma bank robber, Dictionary as the standard of this country. Worcester's contains nearly the Oregon coast, has been sentenced a hundred more pages than the latest to ten years in the Washington peni- Webster. But the most significant fact as to the merit of the two books is that while Webster's International Dictionary sells for \$10, Worcester's Unabridged easily leads with \$12 as the owest selling price. The great house of the J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia, published this book, and their name is at once a guarantee of unsurpassed scholarship in the contents of workmanship in the mechanical departments. We regard "Worcester one of our lest premiums

Everybody who can read is often ouzzled to know who personages are the blood that cold weather becomes book or new paper before him. The the wedding of Rev. D. V. Poling and ent were rich and handsome while the positively enjoyable. Arctic explorers dictionaries have short biographical Miss Alice Williams last evening. lists in appendices, but many names Mr. W. C. Brown returned last Young men should be careful, when are necessarily omitted from them. Saturday from California where he they leave their best girl in a seat in Lippincotts' Dictionary of Biography has been in quest of health. We are Between the covers of this great work church, held quarterly meeting here the bride's parents, where a sumptuous The Wind Reaches a Velocity of Forty The bridesmaids last evening were may be found a complete pronouncing last Saturday and Sunday. Rev. supper was partaken of, and where one half pounds. They also showed us tained several of the young people of antee of its high character. The WEST

> honor of Miss Nora Cooper, of McMinn-Good Dinnen.-Your correspondent to the place of his boyhood days. liam Ireland and family near Monthe deliciously browned "bird". We Suffice it to say, that no party on

pearance live together as contentedly A BREAK-Down.-The south bound How They be East.—The following and happily as most married people do. passenger train came near having a se-

> WARLIKE PREPARATIONS.-Many peoinstant relief, even in the worst cases of ing got ready in a hurry for the war throat and lung trouble, and is the best against the Chilians. There being such was here last. urgency in this matter, there is no

> > S. W. Do GHTY, Seey.

Of all the pleasures of life, sympathy would seem to be one of the sweetest friends in the closest bonds; it lifts burdens, sooths sorrow, multiplies joys, and promotes human brotherhood. Flowing naturally from warm and may chronicle and rejoice with or old since resided. She is the mother of mouth, and he can always be found loving hearts into grateful ones, it there or at Independence when called blesses both giver and receiver. It is the living spark which kindles all sort of benevolent enterprises, builds hospitals, schools and churches, promotes reforms, draws men away from vice,

#### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts. bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains

#### PERSONAL MENTION.

Uncle Davy Johnson is quite sick. Mr. Noitner gave the WEST SIDE & Hon. J. J. Daly, of Dallas, gave

call last Saturday. Sheriff Wells was in town last Thur

ay on official business. Harrison Brunk, of Polk county, ery low, not expected to recover. Miss Clara Irvine, of McMinnville s visiting friends in Independence this

W. H. Hawley returned Monday

o spend Christmas with friends and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cooper left

Wednesday, for Harrisburg, their Isaac McElmurray and wife of Wells

station, are visiting old friends in Inde-As we go to press we learn with

gret of the extreme illness of C. B Graves, of Monmouth. Ira Clodfelter, who is attending the business college in Salem, is at

Miss Clara Poppleton and prother, of Tacoma, are visiting Miss Katie Wheeler this week. Grandma Irvine went to MoMinn

ville yesterday, to visit with her J. P. Irvine, this winter. Miss Ora Bell went to Eugene Tuesday to spend the holidays with the family of Dr. C. E. Loomis.

down last Saturday to make a visi her aunt, Mrs. A. E. Davis.

Miss Lottie Butler of Philomath cam

ports everything unusually quiet. Miss Eva Robertson, of Portland. came up Xmas to spend the holidays with her sister, Alta, and friends.

The Misses Cressy left for their hou n New Port, Thursday, after receiving a dispatch of their mother's illness. Miss Mand and Walter Shelley re-

Miss Delta Byers, who went to Port-

Mr. and Mrs. A. Noltner and family. that are incidentally referred to in the of Portland, were in attendance upon gloves. The dresses of the ladies pres-

among us. He was brought up in this town and we hope that he will return Eli Johnson returned home from his nountain sheep-ranch Sunday even-

friends were truly glad to see them.

Sol. Wood, of Grizzly, Crook county, was in town this week visiting friends. resided near Independence. He is a son of Doc. Wood who brought the first bees to Oregon that ever crossed the Mr. Sol. Wood has a fine ranch in East-The promptness with which Ayer's ple take the scow being fitted up with ern Oregon, and has made a success of Cherry Pectoral stops a backing cough a rock crushing machine by W. 8 stock raising. He subscribed for ten copies of the hotiday number of the WEST SIDE. He says Independence has made great improvements since her

#### AN APPRECIATED LETTER.

in Independence. We hope Bro. M. Corvalli, ivory handled carving set, FRUIT GROWERS MEETING. The next will pardon us for taking this liberty: Mr and Mrs J F O'Donnell; rocking chair N O Cook; silk picture searf. NEW VERNON, Morris Co., N. J., ) Miss atta Whiteaker, and last, but not

DEAR BRO. BELL: Inclosed you will least the WEST SIDE for one year, by find one dollar for the WEST SIDE. I the WEST SIDE Publishing Company, see by the label that my subscription has expired. I am glad to know you engratulations. are making such a success of it. It is the first thing we read when it comes and we are always disappointed when it fails to put in an appearance as sometimes happens,

Independence has changed so muo know it. We are always on the jok- crossed the plains in 1852 from Illinois, settlement. out for any improvements that you settling in Polk county where she has friends in every advance made. There twelve children, nine of whom are & Irwin, and get a meal not to be exis one thing that has caused us forrow living, H. W. Murphy of that number. -The Sunday base-ball games. I used to enjoy a game of ball, and atour last S. S. pienie tried my best a it with some of the young men, but Ido hope some other day will be taker for it, Mrs. Murgatroyd joins no in kind-

Yours ver truly, E R. MUDATROYD.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to extend our most sincere

MERRY WEDDING BELLS.

Yes, the wedding bells rang ou weet and clear last night at 8 o'clock . m. at the Christian church. It was New Year's eve, and two happy hearts were "made to best as one." V. Poling of the Evangelical church, and Miss Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams of Independence. were joined in the bonds of holy matrimony, Rev. C. C. Poling, brother of oung and promising minister of this ity of splendid pulpit abilities, and beloved by all for his sterling worth, and efficient work he is doing in our midst complished and handsome young ladies in all our city. She is deservedly popular and the leading soprano of Polk county. We could only consent to the marriage of these two excellent singers, on the ground that they will emain among us. The marriage corenony was impressive , and the large audience of invited guests sent up a si- for President Harrison, Mrs. McKee, lent prayer for their voyage o'er life's Dr. Scott, Mrs Dimmick, Mr. and Mrs a, to be a pleasant one.

The church was very beautifully ecorated with garlands of evergreen with a large bell of ivy just in front of the pulpit under which the contracting parties stood during the ceremony. The orchestra, consisting of three pieces, Mr. Sebring with the violin and Mr. Hill with the cornet, and Miss Ida Estes at the organ, rendered Mendelssohn's "Wedding March." The groom proceeded by the groomsmen marched up the aisle to the altar, followed, shortly after, by the bridesnaids and the bride leaning upon her father's arm. The officiating clergynan then stepped forward and pro-E. C. Pentiand, of Portland, made us nounced the ceremony. Immediately a flying business trip Tuesday and re-after the conclusion of the ceremony, the bridal party repaired to the resi dence of the bride's parents, the minis ter leading, followed by the bride and groom, after whom came the bridesmalds and groomsmen. THE DRESSES.

The bride was richly attired in white slik and slik laces, with train, white silk veil, and a real orange blossom turned Wednesday, from Eugene, wreath. The bridesmaids were Misses where they had gone to spend the hol- Cora Snell, Clara Irvine, Etta Whiteaker and Alice Macaulay, and wore cream costumes with trains. The land to spend Christmas, returned groomsmen were, Messrs, Frank Nolt-Wednesday and reports having had a ner, W. H. Hawley, L. Weaver, W. S. Laughary, and were dressed in the conventional black with white kid attire of the gentlemen were of the most approved style. A more richly attired audience of invited guests, one

THE RECEPTION. After the marriage ceremony in the ate friends repaired to the residence of mighty past, and the new year came

ng, and reports high water, and Boydston, Mr Claire Irvine, Miss Minsmall amount of snow in the coast McAdams, Mr and Mrs Goodman, Mr range, and thinks it is due to the direc- and Mrs Dornsife, Mr and Mrs Hubtion of the wind, and ocean currents. bard; silver cake basket, Mr and Mrs T Mr. and Mrs. Eli Young, of Portland, W Estes and daughter, silver sugar The installment plan at Pattyspent their Christmas holidays in our spoon and butter knife, Miss Ida and Bros. ity, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Della Byers; silver creamer, Mr and New line of decorated ware of W laggett. Mr. Young was in business Mrs O F Kennedy; silver pie knife, Mr er Bros. here for several years, while this is the and Mrs C E Statts; silver sirup pitcher some of Mrs. Young. Their many Mr and Mrs H R Patterson; silver W. Bros. fruit basket. M Merwin: table linen and Rev. Mr. Eccleson, of Lafayette, ex- silver napkin rings, Mr Zed Rosendorf; changed pulpits with Rev. A. F. Lott silver pickle dish, Dr and Mrs T J Lee: last Sunday. The congregation here silver sugar spoon, Mr and Mrs W C was highly pleased with Mr. Eccleson's Cantner; silver card basket, Miss Sophia horse feed. two splendid sermons, and no doubt the Goff; silver cake basket, Mr and Mrs T Rock Cand Yrup, the best in the Lafayette congregation was well pleased J Fryer; silver nut dish, Mr and Mrs J city at T. V with the minister from Independence.

These exchanges show a brotherly kindness and good will which can be shown in no other way.

S Cooper; silver salt and pepper set, Mr and Mrs I H Jesperson: silver tooth pick holder, Mr Joe Tuck; silver knives, forks and spoons, Miss Alice McCaulay, at II kie's bath house. pick holder, Mr Joe Tuck; silver knives, forks and spoons, Miss Alice McCaulay, Miss Cora Sneii, Mr Claire Irvine, Mr de barley chop for horse feed at miner & Wilson's. W H Hawley, Mr Scot Laughary, Mr George Sebring, and Mr L Weaver; Teaspoons warranted to wear twentysilver butterdish, Mr. and Mrs. Whye years, at Buster & Locke's. W Percival; butter knife, C W Butle silver butter knife, Miss Mary Mag Y: place in the city to get a good meal. bees to Oregon that ever the bees were plains. It was in 1846. The bees were china dinner set, Mr. and Mrs. Juff; brought safely to Oregon but were lost linen towels and table cloth, Mr. Bees were china dinner set, Mr. and Mrs. Juff; street restaurant and get your dinner set. Call at the C street restaurant and get. ler and Mrs. Fennell; glass wer set, Mr and Mrs W G Sharman, ble linen, Mr Brady; table linen, Nor M. Homer and Verdie Hill; cs knife, Mr and Mrs O D Butler; inst towels, Mrs V E Wells; china char er set, Walker Bres, George Skinns W E Goodell; Bres, George Skinns W E Goodell; wedding cake, Mr Huff; silk saidle wedding cake, Mr Huff; silk saidle bag, Miss Hattie illiams, Dallas; Silbag, Miss Hattie illiams, Dalla M. Hover pickle dish, Tartar, Airlie; silver and this engine will be used to pour a shower of derricks on the devoted heads of the Chillans. The Rowena will go along as a torpedo boat and the glory of Portland will be maintained.—Orewater set A. F Hershner and family, his goods, and sells way down.

Another Ploneer Gone.

Mrs. F. W. Murphy, relict of Rev. J. Oregon. E. Murphy, died Dec. 30th, in Monmounth at 3 o'clock a. m., aged 81 knowing themselves indebted to them I presume that we would scarely years and 2 months. Mrs. Murphy to come forward and make immediate

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people that she has opened up a first class King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds,—If you have lessons in cutting and fitting by the never used this Great Cough Medicine, latest improved chart. thanks to our friends and neighbors in diseases of Throat, Chest and Langs. happen if they did. Their store is alper man's life are much like angel's used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy before it to be lively cures piles, or no pay required. Independence, who so findly extended Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that ways crowded with customers. They whenever needed and believe it to be It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfact their sympathy and an during the late is claimed or money will be refunded. do not advertise so much with printers Trial bottles free at any Drug store, ink as with fine goods, rea MR. AND MRS. E. E. KRENGLE. Large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

THE SAVIOR'S BIRTHDAY.

What Was Done by President Barries Vice President Morton and the Cab-

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 25. has always been the custom Christm day was observed at the national cap a tin horn was the signal for the commencement of the Christmas celebra. tion at the White house, about 1 o'clock this morning. When Mrs. the groom, officiating. The groom is a Dimmick biew this juvenile instrumen a face came smilling from every door around her in the corridors upstairs, and soon all the members of the idential family assembled it lau Miss Williams, is one of the most ac-procession. The children found their toys of all sorts and kinds arrange around on the floor under the Christ mas tree. On a table near by were Mrs. Harrison's gifts, and all the members of her family, as well as many prominent people all over the country were represented by valuable tokens. Three or four other tables held presents Parker, Mr. Hartford, Miss Sanger and all the household retinue. The president yesterday presented each employe of the bousehold with an order for a turkey or a pair of gloves. Mrs. Harison added to this by personal gifts.

THE VICE-PRESIDENT AND CABINET. Vice-President and Mrs. Morton ate dinner with their daughters and a few work. friends. Secretary and Mrs. Blaine had a late dinner, at which were pres ent Mrs. Hattle Blaine, James G. Blaine, jr , and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damrosch. Secretary Elkins spent Christmas with his family in West Virginla. Secretary Tracy, Mrs. Wilmerformed quite a family party at their residence. Ex-Secretary Noble and wife had only as guests the Misses Halstend, sisters of Mrs. Noble, Secretary and Mrs. Rusk had the principal officers of the agricultural department at dinner with them to-night. Attorney-General and Mrs. Miller, their two daughters and son, had an old-fashoned dinner together. Postmaster-General Wanamaker celebrated Christmas at his home in Philadelphia.

# A BLIZZARD RAGING.

It Bittends Pretty Much All Over Sr. PAUL, Dec. 25 .- A light spow last night was but the prelude to a heavy storm that began in this vicinity this afternoon. It is snowing and trifting hard, while the mercury is falling rapidly. It is a regular blizzard, having already attained large proportions and extending all over the North-

church, a large number of the immedi- THE STORM ON THE UPPER SOUND. for its great cost. The WEST Sythis

same effect and come from all directions.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 29 The storm of Monday night was the severest several days the combined weight of four of these was thirty-two and one half pounds; the largest, nine and one half pounds and the smallest seven and large to four of these was thirty-two and one half pounds and the smallest seven and large to four of these was thirty-two and one half pounds and the smallest seven and large to four of these was thirty-two and one half pounds and the smallest seven and large to four of their names.

A. W. Cooper, of Sherman county, from the Orient to greet the Occident, with happy congratulations for the half pounds and the smallest seven and large to four of their names.

This was a recherche affair.

Miss Patic Cooper very royally enter
Miss Patic Cooper very royally enterrising to the rate of forty miles per hour Silver set, Mr and Mrs T J Lee, Mrs for a single mile three times. During J D Irvine, Mrs B Estes, Mr and Mrs the gale last night the ropes of the W P Connaway, Miss Maud and Dora steamer Colby became entangled at low Cooper, Mr and Mrs Fred Donty, Mrs water and she was filled by the incoming tide and sank. She will not be seriously damaged.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

New Orleans mouses in be

Patterson Bps. Go to Skinnes Wilson's for you

The C street restaurant is the bes the best meal in the city for 25 cents.

of groceries to Mr. T. W. Estes, who The largest stock of rings, lace pin and as I am working for him, I shall

Go to Macaulay & Robertson's for your millinery, as they are slaughtering prices, for they do not carry stock over. To people who pay cash for groceries, it will pay you to call on T. W. Estes and get his prices. He can knock 'em

When in quest of a shave or hair cut. call in at Henkle's barber shop. Bank County of Polk, state of Oregon, that a building, Main street, Independence, Buster & Locke request all those

Remember when in Salem to call in at Strong's restaurant, now Westacott a part or all of the current indebtedness celled on the Pacific coast for 25 cents,

at 271 Commercial street. Mrs. Bales, from California, wishes to inform the ladies of this vicinity have found just such a friend in Dr. dressmaking shop over the Independence National bank, and also will give

one trial will convince you that it has They say Buster & Locke don't ad wounderful curative powers in all vertise right. Wonder what would prices, and fair dealing.

THE STATE BOARD ADJOURNS AFTER POLK COUNTY

WRESTLING A MONTH WITH THE PROBLEM OF AS-The Polk cou SESSMENT.

by B. F. Mulkey, day. The morning and afternoon were appointed to fill the spent in taking up the remaining ses of property and disposing of greeting, Prof. B. F.

J. J. Daly of Polk county; Geo. C. el ably handled the Sears, assessor of Multnomah county, him, which was "and Judge John Catlin; A. S. Watt, Law at Present," tax agent, of the Union Pacific; were should receive further before the board yesterday explaining sociation adjourned to the assessments on different classes of House called to order property. ject assigned Pfof. B. D
The total taxable property of the state tiqued. Prof. Reynolder

is not known but is variously estimated stirred up a hornets' ne by the members of the board to have ject," President app been increased by their action from tee on program, viz: thirty to forty million dollars, making Mrs. Faubel and Prof. C. the total taxable property for the state Methods in interest were T. J. Jackson, An approximately about \$160,000,000. It was held by the board that their drill in history by Prof. time would not expire for ten days ton was then enjoyed. yet to come, but Hon. J. J. Daly of next meeting read and a of Polk, held that according to the meeting to be held at A strict construction of the law, their last Saturday in January,

thirty days were up, and therefore the adjourned at 3:30 p. m.

THE CRADLE.

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Board, after midnight Wednesday was nil. The opinions of the Attorney General, Mr. Chamberlain, and Judge Boise were asked, and they agreed with Mr. Daly, hence the Board had to com- STARK .- To the wife of J. plete their work by midnight, which was done. The Board has done a good

#### Something for Nothing.

sided to offer a number of very valuable premiums to getters up of clubs. It gives us pleasure to announce that the complete list will be found in our holfailing to cure with local iday edition next week. There is not a "cheap" nor a "shoddy" article in the list. The chief prize is a \$500 ordisease, and therefore require gan. This instrument is the very best we can obtain in the United States, manufactured by F. J. Chency and is from the well-known house of Toledo, Ohio, is the only col Daniel F. Beatty. Mr. Beatty has given us personal assurance that the instrument is the very best his mamteaspoonful. It acts dis moth factory can turn out. The Encyclopedia Britannica will be the second premium, This is recognized the world system. They offer 6 cure. lars for any case it Spials. Ac over as the standard encyclopedia, and for circulars and to Toledo, O. the fact that it contains more than F. J. Chency & three times as much matter as any by Druggists, other work of its kind published is ample assurance that the work will be all we claim for it. It is from the wellknown house of Henry G. Allen & Co. New York, one of the largest publish ing houses in the world. The Britannica consists of thirty volumes, com plete with colored maps of every part h figures that we can sell them to y of the world, illustrations and detail less than wholesale prices. The goods are all of this year's make an some of them are very handsome. Ca soon, before the numbers are brok

west. Specials are generally to the information regarding every image able subject. The work should be every home, and would be were will give every one a chance to all exgreat work, and we deliver my railpress and all charges paid the Uniway station in Oregon, of The preted states for that mawill include miums of lesser via, Worcester's and Electric Light company of In other public In our davertisement Saturday the 30th day of January 18 value of Appear in next week's pa- and for the transaction of such other which fil give full particulars. We business that may come before the per, by that this is an opportunity meeting. assumnot afford to miss, as every aryowe offer is the very best. No

THE CONVENTION.

Been Chosen for that Gathering

Hon, P. H. D'Arey, Salem.

Hon, J. W. Shelton, Union.

W. J. Furnish, Pendleton.

Hon. C. J. Trenchard, Astoria.

W. W. Jesse, New Era.

Thos. Guinean, Portland.

Eugene Protzman, Portland.

Hon, C. W. Roby, Portland.

L. A. Radeliffe, Portland.

Charles N. Waite, Portland.

Charles Hirschner, Portland,

A. D. Rockfellow, Portland.

J. D. McKennan, Portland.

A Card.

I take this method of stating to the

public that I have sold my entire stock

has taken hold of the business, and I

bespeak for him a liberal patronage,

be very much pleased to meet all my old customers, whom I know will be

given the very best of attention.

Thanking one and all for past favors,

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given to the legal

voters of school district No. 29, in the

the town of Independence, on Monday

the fourth day of January, A. D., 1892.

at 7:30 o'clock, p. m., for the following

rectors to levy a tax for the payment of

of said school district, including in-

terest on bonds; also for the mainte-

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss also clong to Cautoria.

the school year.

1801.

Yours Truly,

J. D. IRVINE.

J. T. FORD.

District Clerk.

I bid you for the present, adieu.

L. C. Unger, Portland.

Hon. Charles Nickell, Jacksonville

Hon. J. R. N. Bell, Independence.

Hon. John Myers, East Portland.

UNIFORM BANK.

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lackamas county.

H. H. JASPERSON, Sec'y INDEPENDENCE, Dec. 29th, 1891. Lussaper, great or small, ever offered Stockholders Meeting. worts of this character before. Watch

6. the advertisement.

Notice is hereby given that the a meeting of the stockholders of the In dependence National bank will be hele at said bank on Tuesday, January 12 1892 between the hours of 10 o'clock n. at said band of the hours of 10 o'clock 1892 between the hours of 10 o'clock p. m. of said day for the purpose of electing a board of discrectors and transacting such other business as may come before the meet W. P. CONNAWAY, Cashier. The Thurman Legion Delegation Ha

Stockholders' Meeting. Hon, Robert Miller, Jacksonville. There will be a meeting of the stor holders of the First National bank of Independence, Polk county, Oregon, on Tuesday, January 12, 1892, at the parlors of the bank between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. Hon. J. K. Weatherford, Albany. Hon. W. H. Vaughn, Molalla, of said day, for the purpose of electing directors, and transacting any other business that may come before them. Dated this 9th day of December, A. D., 1891.

W. H. HAWLER.

> TIME TABLE. Leaves Independe 7:00 8:10 9:30 11:15 1:30 3:45 5:30 6:15 12:30 12:30 12:15 4:05 5:15 6:30

Notice to Stockholders Notice is hereby given that there will be meeting of the slockholders of the Indep dence & Monmouth Railway company, at Independence, Oregon, on Thursday, at Independence, Oregon, on Thursday, corber M. A. D. 184, for the purpose of be a board of directors for the custum year,

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Polk Coanty Land company held at the office of said company, in Independence, Oregon on Thursday, the diet day of December, A.D. 1891, for the purpose of electing a beard of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

NOTICE.

special meeting of said district will be held at the schoolhouse, on C street, in the town of Independent of Signey four weeks thereafter. Signey Board of Directors

objects: To authorize the board of dinance of a free school the remainder of Dated this 24th day of December,