A MAN ABOUT TOWN.

The M. A. T. will continue to remark

Oregon did "high life" receive New Years | ate hurry to get away from there,

early morning of the New Year. The stand by yer."

For the first time in III years there are three successive figures alike in the number of the year and it will be III years until it per dezen. three successive figures alike in the number of the year and it will be 111 years until it occurs again, in 1999, as it has been that length of time since its occurrence in 1777. In 1666 occurred the great London fire and plague, and the superstitious looked for a recurrence of catastrophies in 1777. Certainly war was raging fiercely and many nations were at swords points with each other. It is were at swords points with each other. It is to be hoped that 1888 will not be like its

The Man About Town has been given some of the particulars of an affair that drawing a revolver, which hadbeen borrowed

A Frightful Accident.

Last Saturday evening Mrs. J. M. Raland Mabel, aged eleven and nine respective- A Miller, JW; CC Hackleman, Sec.; Jly, in the bathing room in Mrs. Ralston's M Ralston, Treasurer; R C Miller, Tyler. new home at Lebanon, when she left the zed in Lebanon. burned and suffocating. One of them had abouts have not yet been ascertained. accidentally upset the lamp. The burning last Monday democratic and citizen's tickets were in the field. All of the former were naked children in a frightful manner, and elected, to-wit: J A Beard. President silver, lead, copper, iron, nickel, zinc, quick-as well nearly suffocating them in the small Council; C C Hackleman, G T Cotton, Jas silver, iridium, coal, salt, mineral waters, elose room. Mrs. Ralston quickly extin- V Keebler and C H Harmon, Councilmen guished the flames, but it was too late.

Mabel never spoke again, dying at 3 o'clock the next morning, and Johnny lived until noon on Sabbath, when he passed away.

Dr J W P Hope, Recorder; Geo Buhl, Marshal; M E Hearn, Treasurer.

HARRISBURG.—A masquerade ball will be given in Harrisburg next Monday even. The beloved children were buried on Monday afternoon. The accident was not only a terrible shock to the parents; but as well, to the community at large, and wherever heard has caused a shudder. The heart-do a very nice banking business, stricken parents have the sympathy of every-body in their terrible affliction.

Real Estate Sales in 1887.

Following were the real estate sales in establish a Museum. All the Express Linn county during the year 1887, as com- Companies doing business in the State have ord of which was kept each week during free of charge. Weight of any one article during the year. the year. The figures indicate considerable not to exceed 25 pounds. life in the real estate market. The total is Address : University of Oregon, Eugene larger than that of any of the valley coun- City, Oregon, for Museum ties south of Portiand :

fireman going south to meet his train. The train was on time, Jas Wheeler being in charge of the engine, when a land slide was run into, the jar bringing down a large additional amount of dirt and stones, completely covering the engine. The firemen made a jump, but the tender was upset at the same moment, and they were buried under it and instantly killed. The bodies of the Co's window for several months was countunfortunate men were taken through Al- ed at the Linn County Bank last Monday, the the following facts: bany Monday, Van Buren to Jefferson, where he was buried Tuesday, and Roberts

A New Boarder.

Wm. O'Brien, who was arrested last week for robbing the store of Stewart & Sox, in this city, was examined before Justice Dorris on Friday afternoon, and held to await the action of the grand jury. As he ferson, was arrested charged with the seduconly had 75 cents and no friends he was un- tion of Elva C. Pomeroy, daughter of L. W. able to give bonds. Although he had been thoroughly searched in Portland, when Sheriff Smith got hold of him a knife and a razer were found concealed on his person. One of the razors taken from him in Portbeen in the store since Mr. Clark had retired from the business, and had part of a

Horrible Murder at Monmouth,

On Thursday morning of last week the bodies of the two Chinese laundrymen were found in a well back of their laundry, their bodies in a horribly mutillated condition, in Albany. Our citizens likewise have been they evidently having been killed by an ax and knives. Two checks for \$260 and \$170 in their favor were found in the back yard. It is thought they had considerable money going down to Conn Bres. for their groceries, a few situations for both male and female in the city and country. Call at our office No 65, First Street, adjoining W C Tweedale's. They also have a fine line of crockery ware, lamps, etc. Call on them for good in their laundry, for which they were mur- treatment. dered. It was a horrible affair and caused intense excitement.

A Big Suit.

On Thursday of last week Nelson Bennet, the contractor, began suit against the 6:30 p. m. Oregon Pacific R R Co. for \$551,825, divid-Presbyterian and M. E. Church on Sabbath ed as follows: Money due, \$201,825; decreased value of plant, \$150,000 ; breach of Rev. P. C. Hetzler, State agent, will be prescontract, \$200,000. He alleges that only ent. \$23,195 had been paid on the contract. The sult is one of the biggest ever tried in the Ladies', misses' and children's wool knit State and promises to be hotly contested, as hoods, searls and jackets at cost, at

G W Hunt, the contractor is in New York City. It is reported that he will begin work again on the Oregon Pacific. There were 13,000 miles of rallway constructed in the U. S. during 1887. Kansas a and Texas following, and so on.

Heavy storms reported from all parts There were 134 failures in Oregon during 1887. This does not include the failure of some of the Democrat's subscribers to liquidate. Liabilities, \$648,558; assets, \$384,556.

that \$1 \$hows have played out in Oregon, unless they are worth it. People are getting tired of paying a dollar for 50 cents worth of entertainment.

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Neither in New York City nor Albany,

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At 3 o'clock New Year's morning the Man About Town was awakened by some music, full of charms, produced by a serenading party at his front gate. Nothing more melodious and exquisitely sweet ever sounded on the night air. An organette, a guitar and a triangle, played in well chorded strains, filled our hearts with joy on that early morning of the New Year. The

party has the sincere thanks of the M. A. Among the luxuries now in the New a resolution of inquiry, to which they will T's household, as well as many citizens all York market are strawberries at \$12 per give prompt attention. quart ; Barbrosa grapes, \$4 per pound ; tomatoes, 50 cents each ; California peach-

some of his ideas on the figure three from a had a fight at Alsea in which the latter re- J but this is not a superstitious age, and we have little danger to anticipate.

and a nght at Alsea in which the latter rescribed in Albany last Sunday; ceived dangerous wounds, and it was thought would die. They were playing cards, when Meyers drew a knife over some dispute and Meyers drew a knife over some dispute and attempted to stab Rycraft. He drew a revolver and shot Meyers in the body, just above the hip.

The city of Philomath bobs up serenely

some of the particulars of an affair that came very near furnishing several columns of newspaper matter. A young man and his father-in-law were and always had been at "outs." The former recently returning to the city, a quarrel ensued, which, the first of the week resulted in the father-in-law striking the son-in-law and the latter.

The city of Philomath bobs up serenely item. One A. A. Roberts, a hardware merchant of that place, has taken up his lounge and walked away leaving a number of persons in the lurch with their pockets somewhat slimmer. Mr Roberts has made an assignment and early and water works in Science to John A Crocket, 40 across to 11, 1 w.

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Postal Notes.

LEBANON.-Following are the new of Last Saturday evening Mrs. J. M. Kai-ston was bathing her two children, Johnny J Wassam, W M; W S Wallace, S; W; M

pose of getting something in another room, of the people here over the loss of her placing the lamp on one of the edges of the bright little girl. While down street one that of Tacoma about 10,000; both of which Scro .- Mrs. Dr. Dodd has the sympathy bath tub. On going back shortly after she day last week on an errand she was taken are somewhat exaggerated. found the room in flames and her children into a hack and driven off. Her where-

be given in Harrisburg next Monday even-

The new bank at Harrisburg opens

University of Oregon. The Board of Regents at its last annual

meeting, designated a room in which to piled from the DEMOCRAT, in which a rec- generously proposed to transport articles factured over 20,000 barrels of beer in 1887

> People in all parts of the State are respect-Museum by sending specimens that are in-

preserved. B. J. HAWTHORNE, Curator.

buried Wednesday. Mr. Tycer was a pion | gie Smith, Katie Quinn, Alva Smith, Bell S746,167

R. R. Accident.

The San Francisco express which left Albany Saturday evening met with an accident about three o'clock Sunday morning that caused the death of Sandy Van Buren, the fireman, and Robert Roberts, another

Buried Wednesday. Mr. Tycer was a pion eer of 1853, and was about 47 years of age at the time of his death. He was a man of sterling worth, and was universally respected by all who knew him, leaving a name for uprightness of character his family may be proud of. Mr. Tycer was a member of the Baptist Church at Brownsville, also of the orders of Masons and A. O U. W., his name that caused the death of Sandy Van Buren, the fireman, and Robert Roberts, another

True business-15 per cent discount for cash on boots and shoes. Redfield & Brown-

number proving to be 3866. An examination of the guesses made showed that Mrs. and contains articles of the best quality to be F. E. Robinson and W. B. Rice had guessed found in the market, the exact figures and Miss Gussie Layton 2nd. We bought,

Arrested and Married.

The first of the week W. E. Clark, of Jef-

tired from the business, and had part of a private mark on it. He is bound to go to our stock of boots and shoes, which means the penitentiary.

We are giving 15 per cent off for cash on our stock of boots and shoes, which means \$4.25 for a \$5 shoe. All goods marked in REDFIELD & BROWNELL.

Cold Weather.

Down to 20 degrees above zero yesterday

Bible Society.

The annual business meeting of the Linn Co. Bible Society will be held on Saturday evening of this week, at Dr. Gray's office, at

evening, with collections in aid of the Society.

CLIPPED DISPATCHES,

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—A horrible panic oc-curred to-night among a crowd of little children attending a holiday celebration. One of the children in attempting to poke a fire in the hall overturned the stove. The superintendent thoughtlessly yelled "fire," and a wild rush followed. In attempting to scape the children were wedged in a nar-

PETALUMA, Dec. 30 .- "Dr." Babcock, Justice Jaunasch, of Kalamazoo has a who died in the almshouse at San Francisco parrot that he wouldn't sell for its weight in last week, several years ago lived with his silver. On five different occasions has this family, consisting of his wife and several intelligent bird saved the house from being burglarized. The last time was on a recent night. The burglar got the door unfastened, but when he opened it the parrot asked, in a stern and harsh voice: "He.lo there! What's the matter?" The burglar didn't answer, but fell over himself in his desperate hurry to get away from there.

A half-inebriated man stumbled into a church in a Montana town, the other day.

submit through congress to the department

Following were the recorded sales

est in business Isom, Lanning & Co 11,000 T Williams to J A Richardson, 74

erty and water works in Scio. . . . BR Holt to J P Schooling and D Mo-

Clain, 1 lot in Harrisburg 100 During 1887. *

From the Oregonian's magnificent New Year's edition, the best ever issued in the Northwest, we glean the following interest-The value of Puget Sound exports dur-

ing 1887 were \$8,936,557. King is the banner county of W. T. Spokane Falls during the year increased from 3500 to 8000 population. The value

of improvements were over \$1,000,000. The wool product of the N. W. during

the year was 15,000,000 pounds. Oregon surpasses all countries in apples Oregon's mineral wealth consists of gold, gypsum, marble, etc. The mineral resources of Lina county are given as, gold in quartz and placers, copper ores, galena, zinc and blende

884,117 tons of freight and 334,978 passengers were carried over the O. R. & N.'s Probably 100,000 immigrants came into Oregon and W. T. during the year. \$50,000,000 of capital in business in Port-

The building in Astoria during the year amounted to about \$147,000. 700 feet of brick front was built in Pen-\$110,000 was Baker City's amount of im-

There were 116 fire alarms in Portland

Report of Oak Plain School.

Term commencing September 12th and ully requested to aid in building up the ending Becember 30th, 1887. No. of puteresting and instructive. The articles re- pils enrolled, 42. General average of all their studies for ceived will be classified, labeled with the names of the contributors, and carefully the term :

90 to 100 per cent.-Lelia Davis, Edna B. J. HAWTHORNE, Curator.

Death of John W. Tycer.

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A NEW GROCERY STORE Just Opened at Albany, Oregon.

We now have the pleasure of informing

the citizens of Albany and vicinity, that we have opened a grocery and confectionery store in the building next to the Opera House n this city, and beg leave to call attention to 1st. Our stock has been carefully selected,

2nd. We bought, and shall continue and James Powell, the next nearest 3865. buy for cash, thus securing low prices, the Both the piano and organ; hence, will be benefit of which will be given to our cas-

3rd. As our terms are spot cash we will be able to sell our goods cheaper than we could if placed in danger of losses from bad debts.
4th. We warrant all goods as to quality and price.
5th. We offer no "baite" but

KENTON & CHASE.

Real Estate and Employment Agency.

acres or those having larger tracts which they would be willing to divide up into 80 quietly here. or 160 acre lots are invited to call at our office as we have a few oustomers for that class of farms. We can also furnish parties in the city or country with either male female help on short notice, and we also have a few situations for both male and female in

Parties having farms for sale of about 160

F. A. BURKHART & Co.

Mr. N. H. Frohlichstein of Mobile Als. writes: I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, having used it for a severe attack of Bronchitis and Catarrh. It gave me instant relief and entirely cured me, and I have not been afflicted since. I also beg to stat that I had tried other remedies with no good result. Have also used Electric Bitters and Dr King's New Life Pill which I can recommend, Dr King's Ne Discovery for Consumption, Coughs an sequery for Consumption, Cough ids is sold on a positive guar-ial bottles free at Foshay & Ma

Mrs Dr Ellis is ill with the typhoid fever. W R Garrett, of Portand, is in the city

Mr Jas Crabtree, of Sole precinct, was in the city Tuesday. Mrs L V Lonsway left Wednesday for Cal

forcis on a visit with relatives. Dr W A Cusick and family, of Saless, pass-ed through Albany Thursday night of last week for Los Angeles, where they will spend

Mr S L Wright, who left Albany in 1882 for Illinois, where he has since resided, was in the city the first of the week meeting old

Messra. Geo, A. Dyson, N. B. Standish and Mr Story called at the Democrat office last Tuesday while in the city and exhibited seme fine specimens of ore and gold dust from their mines on the Calipoola. There is no doubt they will preve a big thing. We understand Mr Dyson has been offered \$5,000 in cash for his interest alone.

Mr Edward Goins, whom we mentioned

Present-All officers and Councilmen bu Marshall.

The reports of the Treasurer and Record er were read and referred. Fellowing the report of the Recorder :

ì	GENERAL FUND.								
	Amount	on hand received	Jan. from	3rd, 1887\$ 238.53 city tax 4398.65	₹				
ı		**	**	licenses 4160.25					
ı		*	44	fines 115.00	И				
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Į	T	otal		\$8914.43	į				
ı	ROAD FUND.								
,	Amount on hand Jan. 3rd, 1887 \$80.00 Amount road tax received, 1887 46.00								
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Amount paid from street fund\$6,800 Balance on hand Jan. 2nd, 1988....\$65.80 No, city warrants issued 294—amt. \$6500.08

Warra	nts	were issued for the fol	lowing
purposes	:		
Amount	pai	d Mayor and Council \$	192.00
44	-	Recorder	605.76
41	44	Marshal	754.26
	4	Treasurer	100.00
- 44	16	Attorney	131.00
66	44	Police and Engineer	1337.50
16	14	street work	1233-49
	14	sewers	255.72
- 15	16	fire department	1273.92
- 44	44	printing	176,00
44	**	judges and clerks of	170,00
	44	for coal oil and lamp	30.00
		supplies	166,68
Amount		stationery, wood and	- X
	fice	supplies	40.15
Rent		***************************************	56,25
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Rent	56,25
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Total\$	8801.93
Amt, of warrants paid to date Amt. outstanding warrants Jan. 2nd, 1888	8585.93

Amt. on hand Jan, 2nd, 1888, gen-Amt, on hand road tax....

E W Whipple, \$5.35 ; P W Spink, \$17.77 rent, \$18.75 ; A Cunningham, \$1 75, were

A motion to amend the fire ordinance in reference to the fire limits was laid over until the next meeting.

Indicatory to his partner Frances Pleisfer, and will retire from the business. Frances is a rustler and will keep up the splendid reputation of the business.

WAGONS AND BUGGIES, was laid over until the next meeting. til the next meeting.
The matter of enforcing the First Street wush house ordinance was presented and

Hayes, Marshal, were approved. Mr Jos Webber, formally informed the ness.
Council that he had taken charge of the fire epartment as Chief. The contract for a water supply pipe for cistern at corner of First and Ellsworth

streets was let to Jas Laurent, the lowest The old Council retired and the new members took their seats. Mayor Weatherford delivered his fargwell address and Mayor Cowan took his place, making a few appro-priate but informal remarks.

During the month of January we will sell anything in the boot and shoe liscount from marked price. REDFIELD & BROWNELL

PLAINVIEW.

nianagement of J. G. Gibson is progressing nicely, three outside districts was represented by several pupils from each, which speaks well for the teacher and the manner ruary 22nd,

elected to succeed Jos Webber as Toreman. At the From those who kneel at Brahma's burning founts, masquerade bail at the Opera House on February 22nd,

To the fresh nymphs bounding o'er Yemen's mounts; months with two more to teacher.

months with two more to teacher.

Mr. Cunningham was here last week buying Ing Jersey cows with which to stock a dairy farm near Victoria.

Mr. Powell was in this vicinity buying Ingular sheep.

The letter published in another column from Persia's eyes of full and fawn-like ray, To the small, half shut glances of Kathay, And Georgia's bloom, and Azab's darken smiles, and the gold ringlets of the Western Isles, And the gold ringlets of the Western Isles, All, all are there." ing Jersey cows with which to stock a dairy

The shooting match at Rockhill was a

tended and a joyous time was had. The ball at Sodaville was well attended and parties from here are loud in their

Crops in this region look well, although they are much younger than usual at this season of the year owing to the late rains in the fail. Its lateness is no sign that we will not have a good crop.

In the matter of the estate of Annie Samboth Hindoo and Mehammedan, contribute most generously and are very anxious to discomfort of swallowing their nameating mixtures—by keeping on hand a supply of the fail. Its lateness is no sign that we will not have a good crop.

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HOME AND ABROA D.

1888.

The best harness at E L Thompson s. French, the jeweler, keeps railroad times Fifty-three Sundays and Mondays in 1888, H Ewert, practical watchmaker and jew .

The health of Judge Boise is improving time until months pass and still my unre-J. P. Wallace, Physician and Surgeon, Al-

If you want blankets go to Monteith There were 147 marriages in Marion coun If you want boots or shoes go to

If you want the best harness in the market people; their habits, mode of life and their go to J J Dabruille's. A correspondence from Sodaville came late last week for insertion.

Raised suats are being placed in the gall-ery at the Opera Rouse. \$15 for loose timothy and \$18 for baled hay is the Albany prices. J B Fithian has assumed oditorial charge of the Evening Vidette of Salem.

Five inches of rain fell in Linn county during the month of Decembe Six shaves for a dollar and a clean towel to every oustomer, at Thes. Jones. 7 Oaks cures rhoumatism, neuralgia and soothache. Foshay & Mason, Agents.

Everything bought and sold at M Frank-lin & Co's second hand sters, Albany, Or. Rasors honed, set and put in order at Jones' Shaving and Hair Dressing Parlor. F M French, agent Singer Manufacturing Co., opposite Odd Fellows Temple, Albany, Or. Mr H Flindt's boot and shoe shop is now

The "Wm. M. Hoag" went from Albany to Salem last Sunday in less than two hours

is Gazette, is now managing editor of the Several Albany O. F's went to Cervallis ast Tuesday to attend a meeting of the lodge

Total...........\$126.00 bany Monday, likewise all over Western During 1887 there were 606 deeds filed in Marion county, the value of the property being placed at \$595,115.

> well illustrated and is full of descriptive mat-If you want a stylish winter garment go to Monteith & Seitenhach, agents for Springer Bros, tailor made garments for ladies, misses and children.

Mr J W Kyle and Miss Minnie Owens were married at the residence of the bride's fever, plead piteously for only a drink of TJ Wolfe performing the ceremony.

Mr A J Crabb, of Shedd, who was in the from all scenes of gaiety and pleasure; her city Friday, says he is starting one of the presence at marriage ceremonies is never biggest hen and geose ranches in the county, and already has a herd of over 100 fowls. At the residence of Dr. R. C. Hill, on Wednesday, Jan. 3rd. 1888, by Rsv. L. J. Trum. not allowed to participate in any of the fes-bell, Mr. John Kantz and Miss Susie Cald- tivities connected with the ceremonies. Imeral fund 190.89 | well, daughter of V. H. Caldwell, of Orleans

> The first of the week Mr. John Hoffman factory to his partner Frances Pfeiffer, and is compelled to keep certain fasts; reither

Last Tuesday Mr J L Wilkinson, recently

The matter of enforcing the First Street
wish house ordinance was presented and
will be acted on at the next meeting.

The bonds of F L Kenton, Treasurer and
Haves Marshal were approved.

W F Read has purchased the stock of
goods of N H Alles, who is now a full fledged
electric light man, and will add new goods
and attractions to his store. Mr Read is a

first Posteffice, where they will be stamped and forwarded by the next mail. Hence time will be lost by carrying your letters to the cars. Put them in the Posteffice,

At a meeting of Albany Engine Co. No. 1 hold Monday evening Henry Suesens was elected to succeed Jos Webber as foreman.

Ayer's Cherry Pectorial is recommended India are not secluded, but go when and

Ayer's Cherry Pectorial is recommended by eminent physicians, on both sides of the same. We will for 30 days give 15% off on all our leather goods to those paying cash. Call early.

A good resolution at the beginning of the new year is to have your job printing done at J H Burkhart's. During 1837 he established a splendid reputation by reason of the superior work sent out from his office. Mr Burkhart's and New Years passed off quietly here.

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One day I visited, in company with a Zenana teacher, (an English lady,) a wealthy Hindoo family, whose daughter was the ladies pupil, and whom she taught at her own down and usknown who have or claim to have or claim to have or claim to have any interest in said they choose, and they mix in all the busy scenes of life and engage in almost all kinds of labor promiscuously with men.

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HINDOSTAN.

CALCUTTA, India, Nov. 22nd, 1887.

Days fly by merging themselves into weeks, and the weeks are woven in checkered threads of sunshine and shadow, of cares and hopes, in the warp and woof of deemed promise to you, Nemesis like, pursues me with thoughts of what can I write that will interest your many readers? This country is full of interest to one from

our own far distant beautiful and beloved land; everything is new, novel and wonderful. I must confess I have a weakness for seeing and learning all I can of these strange religious customs, which confuse and puzzle The European and native papers have

been recently having a great discussion on infant marriage; the result none can forsee, but all christians and some Hindoos hope to see the custom abolished, which results in so much misery and degredation. Recently a learned Judge here said, in passing upon a question before him, "The position of the stock Hindoo wife is somewhat peculiar. Her rights, so far from b cing defined, are always considered more or less indefinite, except as regards her rights of special property. It is no easy matter to define what are the rights of a Hindoo female; she is greatly dependent on the male members of the family for the position in life which she may hold. This is evidently the policy of the law, and neither ocated on Ferry street, near the Postoffice. | time nor example seems to afford any ame-Dr. M. H. Eilis, physician and surgeon lioration of her position. The advancement Albany, Oregon. Calls made in city or of civilization, and the progress which is apparent in almost everything we see around effect on her status. The Hindoo widow W H Parry, formerly editor of the Corval- still languishes under a string of senseless disabilities which fetter alike both her movements and independence; to her no revelation has been vouchsafed. In her person as in her life, she symbolises with peculiar A fraction of an inch of snow fell in Al grace the beautiful illustration of a living death. To her the dream of life has, under the circumstances, only one, the inevitable,

Though the sufferings of the Hindoo The New Year's edition of the Salem widow are very much mitigated, yet her po-Statesman is a very creditable affair. It is sition is unenviable if not indescribable. The law prohibits the barbarous practice of "suttee," that is the burning of the widow on her husband's funeral pyre. The bimonthly fast imposed on her is one am ong her keenest privations, though she may be The Rev. Jessee C. Taylor will held divine service in St. Peters Episcopal Church next Sunday, Jan. 8th, morning and evening.

All are invited to attend.

The Rev. Jessee C. Taylor will held divine service in St. Peters Episcopal Church the privilege of eyen drinking water during the period of her fast, which lasts twenty-You will save money by taking your sick sewing-machine to the repairer, B F Parsons at Sixth and Jefferon Sta., Albany, Oregon. ported in a Calcutta paper, where the wid ow. only a mere child, suffering with a raging parents on Sunday, January 1st, 1887. Rev | water to quench her burning thirst; it was denied her, poor child, and death more Subscriptions for the leading newspapers and magazines received by F.L. Kenton at the store of Kenton & Chase, between the Opera House and Postoffice, Albany, Or. solicited, and she is only allowed to appear when the participants are relatives; she is not allowed to participate in any of the fesmediately after the death of her husband she takes off all her jewels, (renouncing them Total balance on hand.....\$256.69 of California, purchased a block in Maston
The bills of F M Westfall, \$101.03; Fo& Chamberlain's addition to the city, paying shay & Mason, \$29.15; J Gradwohl, \$6;

\$250 for the same. Mr W. intends building vestage of color; every emblem or privilege of her marriage is denied her; to be a sloven is considered worthy of merit ; she AGRIGULTURAL IMPLEMENTS. accepted as an excuse, "Let the widow emaciate her body by living on roots, fruits MECHANICS TOOLS, even pronounce the name of another man BUILDERS HARDWARE, after her lord is deceased; let her continue According to a recent postal rule letters placed directly on the cars will be left at the live to do with greatest self depict. male servants are dispensed with, and the poor widows perform all menial labor, except in wealthy families where the widow's per-

city, "Gus" Wheeler, well known to many of our citizens, and Mr Lonsdale, of Portland, have formed a copartnership and will carry on a book and stationery business in Portland, land, over are constantly marrying young girls whose ages usually do not exceed ten years, Mr Nash says he knows nothing about Mr Hunt's intentions to resume work; preparations are being made for railroad building as early in the spring as it can be begun, and the road will be pushed as far East as possi-

And every beauteous race beneath the sun,

The new year was rung in joyously by the church bells of Albany. The ringing of the bells was accompanied by the music of the hood's care-free days into womanhood The hood's care-free days into womanho horns and drums of the Albany Juvenile law has now sanctioned the marriage of Band and the shouts and cheers of those who Hindoo widows, yet very few avail themlaw has now sanctioned the marriage of ing thoughts to home and the loved ones bad remained up to see the death of 1887.

The damage to the goods of Mr. J. J. Dubruille by the fire last week was adjusted diese of the new adjusted by the fire last week was adjusted diese of the new adjusted diese of the new adjusted by the fire last week was adjusted diese of the new adjusted by the fire last week was adjusted by the fire last was a and parties from here are loud in their praise of the artistic and inviting manner in which the supper was prepared and served.

Mr. M. Westfall and family are visiting relatives at this place. Mr. W. thinks to be back on the farm.

New Year has fairly have and served in the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last of the week at \$500. Water, mud, the last o New Year, has fairly begun and like the
M. A. T. could suggest several names as herders will find a great benefit, and eftenavailable candidates for matrimony.

was small enough for the injury done.

Farmers, ranchmen, sheep and cattle endeavors to establish female medical schools in India, and she is meeting with de-

War Department, Signal Service, U.S. Army.

Annual Summary of Meteorological Observations, made by John Briggs, Voluntary Observer at Albany, Oregon, for the year

ending December 31, 1887;									
	Mean	TEMPERATURE.		Total	Total	REMARKS.			
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The weather has been quite pleasant, the ory the following lines from the "Veiled Prophet of Kharassan."

"Well hath the Prophet—Chief his bidding done,

The weather has seen quite pleasant, the thermometer registers from 73° to 83°, with cool nights. The changing monsoon this fall was hardly perceptible evidently being on good behavior, after the "blowing up" we received last spring. The gay season will soon be opened by the arrival of Lord and Lady Dufferin; when Lord Dufferin will hold a public levee, then comes Lady Dufferin's drawing-room which (thank heaven) is held but once a year, already the drives are crowded with strangers and every ship that arrives from England and way ports bring new faces to swell the crowd.

Already the city is putting on holiday attire, and the shop-keepers are reaping a silver harvest; there being no gold in circulation here, only the "rupees," "annas" and "pice." But ah ! me, this is not home, of all kinds, fresh bread every merning.

Citation.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon ; In the matter of the estate of Annie Ban

all children and beirs at law of said decea

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In the County Court of Linn county, Oregon. In the matter of the estate of Isaac Arnell. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executor of the above named estate has ed Executor of the above named estate has a filed his final account therein with the Clerk of said Court, and that said Court has appointed Monday, the 6th day of February, 1888, at one e'clock in the afterneon, at the office of the County Judge, in the Court House, in Albany, Oregon, for hearing objections to said account and for the settlement of the same

January 1st, 1888.

WILLIAM E. ARNOLD,

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Att'y for Executor.