tain cire as we lows: A Mrs. J. help. years, had about the On doors. lace-gold ch upon the child of the afterno Chinaman, The ter diligent search. upon the Chinam same. Mr. Smith ma Frank Rayburn, and ask finding the lost chain. T China wash house, in upper to the suspicions actions of the susp naman, they became convinced that guilty. A little later, instead of ma formal arrest, Frank, assisted by Mer T. J. Creighton, John Smith, and J. Taylor, concluded they would "smoke" a valuable confession from the Celestial, and accord-Rev. Joseph En College chapel, nex evening. Public co ingly placed him in Mr. Taylor's smoke house. His cries brought some ladies to the scene, and he was released at once. In a day evening, from few hours the city was filled with all sorts was en route from of reports as to the condition of the China- Bay. man ; some intimating that a Chinese funer-Don't forget th celsior Lodge No al was imminent, etc., while others declared at 7 o'elock he was not seriously affected. At last ac- der, in good st counts there had been no China funeral, and It is feared t

WEEKLY

Corv

LOST NE One of t tion during ed Chinam ports relativ culation,

less injured by thawing of the Mr. Smith's family went to the country A new stock the day following the smoking, and upon W. their return found the lost chain upon a tapurchase will do "ble on the back porch. They also found that the two locks, on the outside doors had

we understand the expected cornee has left localities in th

been tampered with, and the one on the front door entirely spoiled, so that it had to Lung fever. be replaced by a new one. The supposition is that the Chinaman had the chain and endeavored to effect an entrance, so as leave it in the house, but failed.

for Portland.

We have no comments to make upon the affair, except that it is safest and best to let the law take its course, with Chinamen, In-Cinns, or any other offenders. Mob law is not conducive to good morals-and although it may work well in some extreme cases, it of the Legislature. is not usually safe or expedient.

WARNING TO BOYS .- Last winter a Corvallis youth, came near meeting the same Tate, by being too venturesome. The following is a sad warning to skatists: "Charley Young, a young printer engaged on the McMinnville paper, was drowned on Christmean business. mas day. In company with a party of boys he was skating on the lake at Garrison's ferry, near McMinnville, and heedless of the warnings, of his companions, attempted to glide over a deep hole where the ice was

Mr. Chester Dougland and City, had the misfortune to los one of his handsome coast f arrived in matched stage team a few days since. San Franci

We received a pl

Crawfe

Owing to a proposed change in the firm of Sheppard & Jaycox, they will offer for the next 30 days, their entire stock of goods will be a handsome little schooner, et about 40 tons register, supplied with an eight or Blasdel, Mrs E

Mr. Jno. E. Wyatt, of Philomath, is suften horse engine, and propeller, to be used fering from a lame back, caused by his horse in addition to sails in crossing the bars or in falling with him. The ground is too hard tor any such feelishness. calms. It will be a great convenience to Bryan, E H the citizens of Yaquinas Bay Alaca Title Bennett, Elijah H This week we conclude the publication the citizens of Yaquina-Bay, Alsea, Tillathe General Laws, passed at the last session mook, and other small bays along the coast, Chase, Eld The Special Laws, joint

as it is the intention of Capt Ludjens to resolutions, memorials, etc., will follow. build his craft especially for the coasting Carter, W P Ladies who have nice dresses, and wish them made in the best manner, should go to Mrs. I. A. Miller, Third, between Washing-out market, and Portland. It is just the out market, and Portland. It is just the Crume, Nelson P ton and Adams streets, Corvallis. craft needed, and we trust those interested On New Year's day the roads were in fine will give the Captain all the encouragement, substantial and otherwise, that will enable Halstead, Benjamin condition, and Douglas & Bentley started out their large "Concord coach and four," loaded with passengers for Albany. They him to make the venture a success.

mean business. We took New Year's turkey at home, with Rev. G. W. Bennett, wile and two sons, and J. Odeneal, (the latter has been an employe on the Gazerre for nearly fit. Covallis Lodge, No. 14 A. F. & A. M., ary 9, 1879. A splendid literary and muan employe on the GAZETTE for nearly fifwere installed at their Lodge room : George

teen years) as guests. W. Kenedy, W. M ; John H. Lewis, S. W.; Mr. John S. Walton, of Salem, does not thin. He stumbled at the dangerous point, fell and went through. Being an expert swimmer he kept at the surface for some time, but was soon so chilled that he could not hold to a pole which was extended to him. He sank, and as yet the body has not been found. Charley was a son of the

will please say, LADIES' LIST. Tailor, Miss Corn

Corbett, Mrs Ellen GENTLEMEN'S LIST. Hoffman, William Huddson, D E Brown, Owen Hervey, J E Hussey, James E 3 Imbree, T E Kelso, Louis Caswell, Jasper Phillips, Everétt J Robinett, M Swain, R F Wood, J W Woodruff, Francis T Waymire, John W

CHURCH BEXEFTS -An entertainment for ary 9. 1879. A splendid literary and musical entertainment may be expected, and as able no harm can arise from their the proceeds are for a worthy object, we anticipate a full attendance. Let the Hall be crowded. For particulars, see small bills.

Criss, J

Donohue, F

[From the Oregonian, Des. 25 STATE VS. MERCER. The jury in the case of State of Oregon d with cure, if timely taken. They T. J. Buford, P. S.; B. W. Wilson, R. A. C. G. W. Kennedy, M. 3d V.; John H. murder in the second degree. On polling the jury, 11 responded affirmatively. Lewis, M. 2d V.; S. N. Lilly, M. 1st V.; William Groves, Sentinel. E. N. Morgan, the twelfth juror, when asked if that was his verdict responded in FINE CAKE .- One of the handsomest words to the effect that he supposed it was. cakes ever made in this city, was the one on being asked by the court if he was satis-presented by Mrs. J. Polly to T. J. Buford, fied with the verdict of murder in the second degree, Morgan replied that he had not fully tade up his mind as to that. There being no alternative, Judge Ballenger direct-Esq., the successful captain of the grand hunting party on last Monday. The cake, being no alternative, Judge Ballenger direct-ed the jurors to retire for further delibera-tion, which they did. It was about 10:30 o'clock when the jury retired. About 11:30 Col. W. H. Effinger asked permission of the court to retire to an ad-joining room to have a private consultation itself, was most excellent, and the ornaments, consisting of birds, flowers, etc., were beautifully and anistically arranged. The supper, for the party, given by Mrs. Polly, was a grand affair, and reflected the greatest credit upon Mrs. P. as a caterer, and was more than satisfactory. The tables literally groaned with the delicacies of the Source of the second stated that under all literally groaned with the delicacies of the season. Sorry that our *health* and *appetite* prevented us from accepting an invitation to be present. Our friend Buford, however, with his usual generosity, brought us a fair share of the cake, including some of the ornaments. Many thanks. GRAND HUNT.—Last Monday quite a num-ber of our citizens engaged in a grand hunt, and, as a consequence, the game, for miles a round, was ruthlessly slanghtered. It was a day of rarks at thor the hunters, but a fearful one for ducks and other small game. We have not been furnished the *score*, as yet, and do not remember the "points" made on either side. T. J. Buford was cap-Corvallis, Jan. In, Kinga yet, and do not remember the "points" could by any means be so regarded-would made on either side. T. J. Buford was cap-tain of one side, and Jack Hudson of the other. Capt. Buford favored the Gazerre other. Capt. Buford favored the GAZETTE with a dozen nice ducks—and still we can't "quack" successfully—and giver time we try, it sounds like—" more d To the vast multitude of superform fever and ague, coughs, colds, congestions, headache, billiousness, and all other ills infever and ague, coughs, colds, congestions, headache. billiousness, and all other ills in-cident to the dimate of the Pacific slope, we say, cheer up ! a week will see a great change wrought in you for the better, if you will follow our advice and take Frese's Ham-Mercer was then told to stand u Judge Bellinger asked him if he had cluded to withdraw his plea of not g re say, cheer up ? a week will see a great hange wrought in you for the batter, if you will follow our advice and take Frese's Ham-murg Tea according to directions. Found.—On Christmas day John Dem-ng, aged about 60 years, was missing from innendence, Polk county, Oregon, and fter carefal search by the citizens, could ot be found, and it was supposed he had one to visit his son in Southern County of the southern the burg Tea according to directions. ing, aged about 60 years, was missing from after careful search by the citizens, could not be found, and it was supposed he had yone to visit his son in Southe

id ton vate, in the ity, but cheer Flower, The G sale in every city a No medicine ever com equal for the cure of DYS

nervons a

equal for the cure of DYS" ER COMPLAINT. It has a specific power over the liver, and by curing the liver Dys-pepsia and all other diseases arising from it, vanish as if by magic, Sample bottles are sold at the small price of 25 cents that will

chemical investigation, and their extensive use, by Physicians in their practice, and by all civilized nations, proves them the best and most effectual purgative Pill that mediintrinsic value and curative powers 1 other Pills can be compared with them, and every person, knowing their virtues, will employ them, when needed. They keep the system in perfect order, and maintain in bratter them, when needed. They keep the system in perfect order, and maintain in healthy action the whole machinery of life. Mild, searching and effectual, they are specially adapted to the needs of the digestive appa-ratus, derangements of which they prevent is in the system of the transformation of the porth side of said lots, sold to A. Bridges on the 22 dify of July, A. D. 1876, and recorded on page 225 fit

(The only Drive Wheel-Aver's Cartharric Pills are the best of all purgatives for family use. They are the product of long, laborious, and their extension use, by Physicians in the state of long, and their extension by Physicians in the state of long aborious, and their extension by the state of the Circuit Court, of the State of Origon, for the county of Benton, to me direct and fifty-five dollars and secondy. So dollars and second at the rate of one per cent per month, from Noyember 19, 1878, and the sum of seven and only and the state of attorney's fees, and the state of dollars and seven at the rate of one per cent per month, from Noyember 19, 1878, and the sum of seven at the rate of one per cent per month. The NALTER A WOOD'S HEADERS. Coates' Suiky Wheel Port-NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

attorney's fees, and the oments taxed at 5 ..., in fa house and against Joseph Tax Brailier, and communications of the second Brollier, and commin they me to so property hereinafter described, to so sums of money hereinbefore mentioned

late Mr. Young who for many years kept a harness store in McMinnville, and was the sole support of his mother and her smaller children. He was aged about 19 years, and was very generally known and respected."

.... To CORRESPONDENTS. -- Once more, perhaps for the hundredth time, we will state that "no attention whatever, is paid to anon- thing fancy, just step in. ymous letters." If you wish to be heard through the GAZETTE, and we are anxious for correspondence, of proper character, your full name-not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. It is not enough to sign, "your correspondent," or "," etc. Correspondents speak their own sentiments, and we do not, necessarily, indexe the sentence is a speak their freezing and thawing have been the pro-gramme of the week. indorse the same, by publication. In all cases, if we deem proper, the name of cor-respondents will be made known to parties interested-so that no person need expect to ter the 15th inst. So says the publishershield behind an anonymous signature, and L. Samuel, Portland, Oregon. thus escape responsibility, The family newspaper is not the proper medium, in our in estray notices, we intend to furnish a opinion, through which to ventilate petty jealousies or private quarrels. The GAZETTE copy of the GAZETTE, free, to every county clerk, in this State for the purpose of filing in his office for public inspection—commenchas a higher, nobler aim.

for us, is from the Salem Statesman of Dec. 31st : "The House and Senate Journals will be completed this week, and to-day 300 copies of the session laws of 1879 will be de-livered to the Secretary of State. This finishes the laws and journals in some ten weeks less time than heretofore, and speaks well for Mr. Waite, the contractor. The school laws will be completed in a few days, and then the report of the Investigating Com-

AFFLICTION UPON AFFLICTION. -Through a private letter to friends in this county, we learn that Capt. J. J. Winant, of Alameda, has met with another, and more serious injury. He was just recovering from -pan, and was able to walk

mittee will be commenced and pushed to completion.

n again. It is a terriwill probably keep the Capiain confined to his room for weeks, and erbanc months. It is too bad-but Capt. inty. Its he is familiarly called, will the best of it. He has hosts of sym-thing friends in Oregon.

Course an ensequence of extra work ting the " patent outside," it was impossible for us to make out bills so as to ts is our usual custom, just ar's Day. We will proceed prior io to do so as soon as possible. In the meantime if any persons have bills against the

GAZETTE, they will please present them at an early day. It is well to commence the Year with a fair business understanding. Mort settlements make long friends."

Give them a call. Terms reasonable Public installation of the officers of Barnum Lodge No 7, L O. O. F., on next Tuesday evening. The Lodge will open prompt-ly at a quarter before 7 o'clock. Reception visitors at a quarter before 8 o'clock

Mrs. E. A. Knight, milliner of this city has opened her new stock of goods, the va-rious articles of which we cannot now stop to specify; but if you want to see some-See advertisement of farm for sale, in an other column. Mr. Marple has a fine ranch, suitable for grain and grazing, which he of-fers at a bargain. Now is the time to infrom all parts of the State, please give us vest, if you want a good farm in Benton.

Snow commenced falling Sabboth afternoon-the first of the season, in Corvallis The West Shore for December, is upon our

As an accommodation to parties interested ing 1st of Jonuary, 1879.

THE LAWS AND JOURNALS.—The follow-ing complimentary notice of Mr. E. M. White, who is performing the State Printing will get the genuine articles at low prices. 15:50w3

Mrs. Ira A. Miller wishes to inform the found at her residence, east side Third, between Washington and Adams streets. Give her a call, and see for yourself.

In company with Hon. Tolbert Carter and wife, Mr. John Ray and wife, and a few other invited guests, we had the pleasure of partaking of "Christmas turkey" at the New England House. The dinner was prepared in Mrs. Vincent's usual excellent style, and served by Miss Rebecca Wrenn,

who has few superiors in the "dining room, or anywhere else, for that matter. The New Year's Ball passed off very The New Year's Ball passed off very pleasantly, we understand—notwithstand-ing a little rivalry among several parties as to getting up the supper. Mrs. Vincent, of the New England House, got the largest crowd, as Prof. Brotherhood had special arrangements with her for getting up ball supper—which was excellent; and served in fine style we understand hen he slipped and fell, fine style, we understand.

> Last Saturday, a man, while out PROMPTLY PAID .- We neglected to notice found the old man dead. He had w the recent visit of Mr. Geo. Woodward, Adoff among the brush and briers, beir justing Agent of the Phœnix fire insurance partly under the influence of liq ompany.' Mr. Thos. Graham had the miswas probably chilled to death . fortune to lose his nice and comfortable residence, by fire, as already noticed. But. Some employments may be fortunately, had obtained a policy of the than others; but there is no en local agent of the Company, Hon. F. A. Chenoweth, for \$1,000. The fire occurred ment so bad as having none at The mind will contract a rust and a on the 10th of December, and on the 13th, unfitness for everything, and a man was paid, in full, \$1,000. This prompt admust either fill up his time with good, justment of the loss, is in perfect keeping with the Time and fire tested Old Phoenix, or at least innocent business, orit will and shows that she is as ready and prompt run to the worst of the waste- to sin

to pay a loss, as to accept a premium.

and vice,

mild, but effectual, cathartic is required For sale by all dealers.

Got The National GOLD MEDAL was awar of to Bradley & Rulofson for the best Photographs in the United States, and the Yeana Medal for the best in 429 Montgomery Str et. Sansgrancia

New this Wee

Farm for Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS F ale his splendid grain and stock fait four miles north of west of Corport Oak creek—containing 1200, hundred acres in cultivat ing orchards, and well into two or me easy and title perfe quire of E. Holgate on the premises.

SUN

cord of Deeds, of Benton (Oregan, together with all the tenements, he-reditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and on Wednesday, January 15,-1879. will sell at public anction, to the

sin's Sale.

der for cash in hand, all the right est and estate of the defendants tios. Commente of the defendants