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Agent at Portland. Mr. W. L. Eppinger is our authorized gent at Portland.

BRIEF MENTION.

Chew Jackson's bost sweet navy tebacca F. B. Dunn will pay the highest market price for wheat.

Mr. S. H. Friendly will pay the highes market price for wheat. We invite correspondence from every part

of the county to send along the news.

Huff have got situations as brakemen on the 0. & C. R. R.

milk. He furnishes a first rate quality at a cross a slough the water in which was so Sloan Bros..... reasonable price.

nesday in each month, to the 1st and 3d.

to the roads and bridges. We hear of back to the house. Then I hallooed and shot burn & Co. several small bridges that have been washed off my gun. Mr. Newman heard my calls the test nobly.

The St. Charles Restaurant is a cosy place, to come. kept by Mrs. A. Renfrew in the brick building adjoining the old St. Charles hotel. A gon box with Polander and his wife in it. number of neat lodging rooms also belong to turned over. They managed to get back on the house. Meals and lodging, 25 cents each. the box, and then Polander concluded to try Board and lodging by the week on reasonable to swim ashore to get help to rescue his terms. Give her a call.

tle of a poem that comes to us from Junction, catching some sprouts. All this time the This is the most painful case of destitution on record, and we have no doubt that the su- his wife could just keep her head above. The perintendent of Wells, Fargo's will gladly force of t e current at lenght turned the forward, free of charge, any articles of wear. box over, and threw her with the babe into ing apparel donated to the unfortunate the water. Then she swam, and sunk, and young lady in question.

A Tender.

EUGENE CITY, Dec, 10th, 1879. We, the undersigned, respectfully tender the Eugene City Brass Band the sum of perished, after holding herself and child up \$170 25, the net proceeds received from the by the slender support of a bush about one entertainment of December 5th, 1879; the inch in dismeter, for nearly half an hour. same to be expended in purchasing uniforms They had been in deep water from three for said Band.

W. M. KILLINGSWORTH, A. L. JACKSON, GEO. W. GILL, GEO. M. HOYT, JOHN F. HEMENWAY. CLIFF A. WASS, MARGARET HEMENWAY, LULU DUNN, MAUDE ATWATER.

Berkshire.

11, 1879:

shop has arrived. "

mas or New Year's.

a Costly Mistake.

Many persons suffer for years with pains and aches which they mistakenly call Rheumatism, but which are caused by a defective action of the Kidneys. No outward application will cure this, but the seat of the disease must be reached by internal remedies. The Oregon Kidney Tea has cured many such cases, and is the best, purest and simplest remedy known, being strictly vegetable an- teaching them. al with hurtful drugs or mineral poi-

A Party of Two Men. with their Wives and a Babe, Have a Narrow Escape from Drowning.

and Marshal. We have received, from Mr. Wm. Collins, Absent-Councilmen Edris and Underthe following narrative relating to the narrow escape of a party consisting of himself wood Minutes of the last meeting were read and and wife, and Mr. Polander, wife and babe approved. from an island four miles above Eugene Ou The finance committee reported the followthe morning of the fourth of December, we

were awakened by our dogs paddling around the same were ordered drawn on the treasin the water. Our house was all surround-Billy Woods, Lewis Beheins and Harvey ed by water. I called Mr. Polander, and

deep as to swim the horses. One of them The bill of W. R. Young of \$5 for locks glad to know that a stronger force than that

The Blue Ribbon Club has changed its refused to swim, reared up and fell and was put on the city jail was reported back to the of the editoris at the back of this new feature time of meetings from the 2d and 4th Wed- drowned. We cut the other one loose, and Council without approval, and on motion, a in our Society's history. Every member of the as he swam past I caught him by the tail, warrant was ordered drawn for the same. Mr. L. G. Jackson, an employee of the and told my wife to catch hold of me. At The bill of Osburn & Co. for \$6 50 was the future success or failure of this enterprise. New Idrian cinuabar mine, is in town. His the time we left the wagon the water was also referred to the Council without approval It is hoped that they will look well to its in avoirdupois has been considerably decreased. up to our arms. The horse swam with us and a motion to allow the same was lost and

The high water did considerable damage to shallow water, and we waded and swam the Recorder authorized to return it to Os-On motion Prof. Johnson was granted per-

out or injured. All the large bridges stood for assistance, and to his shame be it said, mission to put a fence connecting his two gon State University, was organized, October that although he had two boats he refused lots on the north side of Seventh street 6, 1876. across Charnelton street.

> The following bills were then presented The water continued to raise, and the waand referred to the finance committee.

terests.

than a hundred.

Council Proceedings.

Council met pursuant to erdinance.

COUNCIL ROOMS, EUGENE CITY, Dec. 8, 1879.

Present - President Dorris: Councilmen

Dunn, Church, Sloan, McClurg, Recorder

Scott Chrisman . . 3 5 00 E F Chapman .. \$ 6 50 F M Withins.... 31 13 S Chrisman.... 1 75 building, it has since met in that room known H Kox...... 2 56 L C M A..... 10 00 as the "Hall of the Laurean and Eutaxian The Marshal then reported a case of viola- Literary Socities." The first President and tion of Sec. 3, title 3, Chap. 3, of the laws of Secretary were J. L. Wortman, and T. C. wife and babe. He could not swim however, "She only wears a Single Rose," is the ti- and after sinking twice reached a tree by the city and asked instruction how to pro- Judkins, respectively.

ceed. wagon box was so covered with water, that On motion the judiciary committee was

> authorized to consult with attorneys and report at the next meeting of the Council. There being no further business the Coun-

cil adjourned. H. KNox, Recorder. raised, until she caught a thorn bush, and with her babe held to it. Her husband see-

State Agricultural Society.

ing this attempted to reach her, but being The Board of Managers of the Oregon unable to swim came near losing his life be-State Agricultural Society met at Salein, fore regaining the tree. But help was near, Dec. 2d, for the transaction of business. and the brave woman was rescued, almost The time of holding the fair of 1880 was and prove quite an acquisition to our stock of fixed to commence on Thursdry, July 1st, books. aud close on Thursday, July 8th. On Monday, July 5th, there will be held a grand portrait of Washington, which adds much to celebration of the National Anniversary with the beauty of our hall. o'clock in the morning, until nine-about six an oration &c in the forenoon, and trials of hours. The party rescuing them consisted

speed in the afternoon. At night, there will to recognize that extended by the proprietors be a grand display of fireworks in front of of the GUARD, in granting the Society the of Henry Brumit, James Wagoner, and D. the grand stand. The premiums on grain and field products prising paper.

were materially increased. Premiums for base ball clubs were offered, \$50 for 1st, and A correspondent at Cottage Grove sends \$30 for 2d. the following items under date of Dec.

The report of the secretary showed the receipts of the fair of 1879 to be \$14,188, and Some of the stock for the new harness the expenses \$10,494, with \$2,274 expended provement, and that they will contribute to especial attention. for improvements. A resolution prohibiting the sale of lager

considerable discussion.

Junction City Items.

The Social Club is agitating the question tration, will not fail to recommend him to any deliberate body in which he may labor in the future. The promptness and de cision with which he decided all points of order Its a girl, was born last Monday and weighs and questions of debate, gained for him the general respect and admiration of the Society. As we enter upon a new term Mr. Ros intial leaves the presidential chair to Mr. Powell. Judging from the success of the former, we The public school of this city began its predict prosperity for the latter.



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SLOAN BROTHERS

Olive Streets.

Successor to SHELTON & WILEINS,

UNDERWOOD'S BUILDING.

Have just opened a full line of fresh

Also a fine amortment of

Varnish, Brushes.

scriptions.

WILKINS.

other shop in town.

Were manufactured

to order

the department quite frequently. The debates, during the past term, having ARE FIRST CLASS beer on the fair ground, was passed after been unusually interesting, were generally well attended.

And guaranteed as represented, and will be sold for the lowest prices that a good article oan be afforded. por27-78tf A. HUNT. Eugene City, Oregon. Of our President, Mr. Rosenthal, we cannot speak too commendably. The degree of efficiency, that characterized his entire adminis-

CRAIN BROS JUST

AND

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Willamette Street.

nephew of Mr. H. G. Hadley, a young man aged about 26 years, met his death in a time at Drains. frightful manner at Silver Lake, Lake Co., on the 24th ult. The deceased had repaired to the woods for a load of logs, and on his washed out all through the country. The return had upset on a grade, catching him good folks of Latham navigated with boats against a large tree by the roadside break- between houses. The water came up to the ing his neck, and literally shaping his face to the bark and crevices of the tree. He sudden taking off.

columns of the press the names of ladies who 300 yards of track was found more or less officers thus depriving them of their fees. propose to "Receive" on New Year's day. By announcing the names, others who may not wish visitors, are not subjected to any inconvenience. We will publish the names and address of those sending them to this office previous to the 25th inst, in our cited people from all directions hastened to issue of the 27th.

the high water last Friday night. About thirty feet of the dam was washed out, besides injuring the rest of it to a lesser extent. As soon as the water subsided a force of men were set at work repairing the damage which is estimated at about five hundred dollars.

route across the mountains from Eugene to jows: North British, \$3,400; Connecticut, Princyille has not had a through connection since the 15th ult. This is a tri-weekly mail, \$1,600; and Liverpool, London & Globe for and all the mail for points beyond the Mcken- \$2,000. zie bridge could be conveyed by a carrier pigeon. Uncle Sam is semetimes badly im- safety of the hotel building. The roof was posed upon.

lamette street, and my house on Eleventh saving it from destruction. street, a pocket book containing some notes, accounts, and other papers of no value to any one except the owner. Any one re. turning the same will be suitably rewarded. nately it escaped the fire. HENRY OWENS.

NEW YEARS CARDS .- The GUARD office has received a stock of fancy New Years cards, in colors, and a number of varieties. Call and see them before ordering elsewhere. There is no necessity of sending away for cards, when you can procure them neat and cheap at home.

DRESS MAKING. -- Mrs. B. C. Pennington and Miss Crow have opened a dress making establishment at the residence of Mrs. B. C. Pennington. Dress making done with neatness and dispatch. Call and see them.

CHANGE OF TEACHERS .- Miss Condon has resigned her position as teacher in the public school, on account of ill health, and Miss Band, Friday evening, Dec. 5th, drew a Lizzie Geary has been appointed to fill the crowded house. Of the performers engaged TACABCY.

MARRIED .- Near Cottage Grove Or., at the residence of the bride's nucle, by Rev. Hamilton Wallace, Mr. H. H. Chance and Miss Artillia Matlock.

Our operator, Sterling, went to Friday, and missed seeing the tire. He re-CRUSHED TO DEATH .- Mr. Al. Hadley, turned next day on Shanls' mare pretty well tired out. He reports having a good

Cottage Grave liems.

The Good Templars and Brass band are

going to give and entertainment on Christ-

Our brass band toots in good style. Equal

to any in the county. Prof. King is still

The flood took away the foot-bridge near the hotel. I hear of bridges and roads being porch of the residence of J. J. Comstock, Nichols is teacher. and ran over the track near the Latham platleaves a wife and two children to mouro his form. The water was higher than any time two mea named O'Brien and Curtis, was satsince 1861. On Friday news came that the infactorily adjusted by their retiring to a track was washed out at Hall's place, three spot outside the city limits, where O'Brien tained in cities, of announcing through the miles north of here. On examination about came off victor. This is a swindle on the

injured. The section men from Drains Crosswell and Latham worked all day until 4 P. M. when the trains passed.

At about six o'clock Friday evening, the ery was heard, "Lurens' store is on fire." Exthe spot, and found it too true. The fire originated from a defective flue, while the the Eugene City Mill Co. gave away before proprietors were absent at supper, and was their return. People rusned in, and saved what good they could, probably to the amount of \$500. More would have been saved had not the people been afraid of the powder stored in the building. The loss is estimated at over \$12,000, and is insured in A FAILURE TO CONNECT. - The mail on the favor of Mr. A. H. Spare for \$10,000, as fol-2,000; Security, \$1,000; American Central,

For a time fears were entertained for the ent open wet blankets spread on and water Losr .- On Tuesday evening, between Wil- dashed on them and the side of the building

Dr. H. Wrights stable back of the burning building was in danger and tae horses

Elliots boot shop only about 45 f et from the burning building singularly never caught fire. The wind was in the right direction for the safety of all other buildings. Two of our citizeus talk of building exhibited by the "Only and Original Mrs. residences in the Spring c.editable to any Jarley." village. We understand the burned store

will be rebuilt and business go on as before. Last evening's train brought Mr. Geo. Woodward of Portland to adjust the loss for the insurance companies. The safe was opened by Mr. Spare, and the contents were found safe. Books and papers were a little

JOET. crisp but not to hurt. THE AMATEURS .- The entertainment church at the residence of J. B. Underwood. given for the benefit of the Eugene Brass All invited.

all carried their parts so well, that to mention any particular actor would seem unjust to the others. The receipts were liberal, amonating to \$202, showing the appreciation will give a masquerade on the evening of the in which this band is held by our citizens. 10th of January.

of a grand New Year's ball. Hon. C. W. Washburne is a happy man

121 pounds. A lodge of the ancient order of United Workmen was instituted in this city Tuesday evening.

second term last Monday. Prof. A. C.

A little difficulty on the street, between

Blue Ribbon Club.

Dec. 17th, 1879. Music-String band. Prayer. Music. Address-Rev. Driver. Masie Declamation-S. Condon. Masie Duct-Misses, Dunn. Music. Reading-Miss May Dorris. Music. Five minutes speeches. Music. Benediction.

Notice To Our Debtors.

We must have money, All those indebtsi to us are hereby notified that their accounts must be settled, with cash or note, by the first of January, 1880. SLOAN BROS.

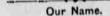
PUBLIC SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT. - The public school of this city, will give an entertaiument on Friday evening, Dec. 19th. buggy and narness were removed but force. A varied programme will be rendered on that occasion, the principal features of which will be: a short temperance drama entitled, "A cure for Tramps;" a grand "Anvil Chorus" by scholars of the Grammar school; a full and magnificent display of wax works

> ent county Treasurer, Mr. Jos. Gray, made programme until two weeks. the first payment of taxes due the state. Lane County is always among the first to commence, and finish the payment of her state taxes.

Sociable .-- Toere will be a sociable this evening, for the benefit of the Episcopal

Social CLUB .- The dance give by club last evening was well attended, and equal to its predecessors in management.

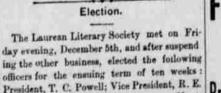
MASQUERADE --- The Eugene Social Club



Laurean is derived from the Latin word, Laurea, meaning (1), the laurel tree; (2), 4 laurel branch, or garland.

Laurean, (accent on the first syllable) signifies, than, laurel bearer.

Among the Romans the laurel was the symbol of triumph; the badge of victory, The conquering general returning from the field of battle, was honored by Rome with a triumphal procession, in which he wore a laurel crows, and bore a laurel branch. This General was the highest honor she could confer upon him. It spoke of victories won, of rest from the toil and strife of battle, and of the praise lamette valley. and honor of a grateful Empire. The word Laurean when applied to us has a somewhat different meaning. We do not claim now to be bearers of the laurel. Our victories are LIFE OF TRAD yet to be won. The great battlefield of the world is opening before us. It is black with the serviced columns of ignorance and her al-VILL DO WORK CHEAPER than any lies. We are now but training to enter the opposing ranks. We hope some day, to HORSES SHOD FOR \$1 50. plunge into the contest that ever deep-With new material, all round. Resetting old Shoes 75 CENTS. ens and widens, and when victory perches .All warranted to give satisfaction. upon our banners, and our flag waves in triumph over the enemy's dismantled towers, we shall proudly claim the title, which is now only prospective, "Laurean, the Laurel BUD. Bearer.'



officers for the ensuing term of ten weeks President, T. C. Powell; Vice President, R. E. Practical Druggists & Chemists, Wills; Assistant Secretary, George Hoyt; Treasurer, J. W. Bean; Censor, E. E. Burks; Sergeant at Arms, A. S. Rosenthal. The discussion of "Resolved, That the United States Banking System is not in har-Next door to the Grange Store, Willamette street, Eugene City Oregon.

mony with the best interests of our Gov-STATE TAXES .- On last Tuesday our effici- erament," was postponed with the rest of the

One Experience from Many. Drugs, Medicines & Chemicals. "I had been sick and miserable so long and had caused my husband so much trouble and expense, no one seemed to know what ailed me, that I was completely dis-hearted and discouraged. In this frame of mind I got a bottle of Hop Bitters and used them meknows family. Lower heart mind I got a bottle of Hop Ditters and used them unknown to my family. I soon began to improve and gained so fast that my hus-band and family thought it stronge and un-natural, but when I told them what had helped me, they said Hurrah for Hop Bitters! Mixed Paints, Lead, WINDOW GLASS and PUTT long may they prosper, for they have made mother well and us happy."-The Mother. Which they will always sell on reasonable Carefal attention given to Physician's Pre For RENT .- I'wo tooms suitable for

fices, upstairs in Underwoods brick. Apply at Express office.



.UMBER On the corner of Eleventh and Willamette streets, and keeps constantly on hand lumber of all kinds. Seasoned flooring and rustic, fenc-ing and fence posts F. B. DUNN. They keep one of the largest stocks of Merchandise Outside of Portland, and they sell goods cheap-er than it can be brught anywhere in the Wil-Eugene City Brewery. OPPOSITION MATHIAS EELLER, Pro'p.

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