BRIEF MENTIONS.

or good dentistry go to Dr. N. J. Taylor, nckeye mowers and binders at Pritchett orkner's.

latlock is giving baggains in clothing,

lighty acres of fine land for sale. Inquire b. H Coleman. he highest cash price will be paid for sat by F. B. Dunn

fine line of silk plushes in all shades grades at F. B. Dunn's.

Not and cold be he every day in the week Jerry Horn's arber shop. Tou can purease Waltham watches at J. Watts from 10 and upwards.

llothing fo men and boys, at cost, which ts bankry t stock, at Bettman's. f you wat hardware at reasonable prices at the store of Pritchett & Fofkner.

latest methods in use by Eastern By the latest methods in use by Eastern is but high in the profession, Henderson is but to produce equally as desirable rein fine gold fillings. Office same place, as block.

ders for Spencer Butte fruit tress may at the Grange store; also Mr. Brown, ighth street will have them for sale, e year old bartlett pear trees will be \$12 ndred, smaller ones \$8. Other trees p. Опуплы Рикле, Prop.

Taylor's 7 Oaks Compound, purely able, positively cures rhenmatism, neu-toothache, sich headache, cramp cololera morbus, complaints peculiar to les, cold or cough, hives, chills and fepains around the heart, erysipelas, GEORGE TATLOR. ld by Osburn & Co, druggists.

Coburg Items.

Dec. 28, 1887.

Gill's school at this place closed last

Ira Wakefield and wife have gone mas county on a visit. Wm. Christian of this place, formerly ene, is braking on the railroad.

ertain young man of Coburg went to e Friday; what does this mean Jimmie. on-in-law of Mr. Goodale, en route for place from Michigan, is very sick at

n to the wife of Mr. J. Wilson, a pound son. John is the happiest in Coburg.

etition is being circulated to start a in this village; also a remonstrance

but soon melted; considerable however, ins on the hills.

iter who resides there. istmas was very dull here. Several of ownsmen raffled for a \$16 overcoat, Mr.

mith being the lucky man. ere will be a masquerade ball at the Fellows hall next Friday night. A large

and a good time is expected. J. C. Goodale went to Portland vesim a new organ for the grange hall.

Burch and wife returned last week three month's visit to the States. Mr. D. R. R.

next regular meeting of the Social and rial Union of the M. E. Church will ld Friday evening, Dec. 30th, instead wing is the programme: lessed be the Lord;"--Choir.

ading, "An Old Clock's Soliloquy;"-de Uren. p, "Pslam of Life;"—Misses Maggie nng, Mary Watts and Prof Hepburn. itation, "New Year's Night;"—Ger-

itation, Hodson. he Grave Digger,"with chorus;--Prof.

ding, "The Closing Scene;" F. S.

o, "I am Going Home to See Aunt ;"- Dr. N. J. Taylor. artette, "Sabbath Morn;"--Misses G. nell, Mary Watts, Messrs Fanning and

List of Letters

maining uncalled for at the postoffice in ne City, Oregon, Dec. 30, 1887: s. E W Horn, Fannie Nesbit, Mrs Jane Osborne, Mrs Hattie de, Minnie ons calling for the above will please vertised, giving date. F. W. OSBURN, P. M.

oor, Report, -The following is a true t of school in Dist. No. 60 for the h ending Dec. 23, 1887: No. enrolled, tendance good; not absent during Mollie and Eddis Rees, Cora Hil-Eddie O'Neil, Johnny and Bert immediately after the holidays. Will also better and Felix Sparks. Mollie give instruction in all kinds of fancy work, ecsived a book entitled Lucille as a embroidery, kensington, etc. For terms and in the first spelling class. In second Johnny Seever received a book entiobinson Crusoe. In third class Eddie received a book entitled The Kan-Hunters. Eddie O'Neil, Eddie Rees, and Bert Seever were not absent

OLA J. BARB, Teacher.

fishermen of Oregon City have been ed a great deal lately by thieves, who down on their nets at night and carry eir salmon. One of them set a watch ther evening, and his vigilance was re-ed by trapping one Newton Graham in et. Graham langhed heartily over the r, and explained that the affair was no serious than a joke. The fisherman qually pleased—at his capture, and in alar mood caused the arrest of Graham reeny. The justice of the peace before the culprit was brought was a jolly s, and in a mirthful way fined Graham is exploit, the fine and costs amounting

INEVILLE CITY OFFICERS .- On the 19th eville elected city officers as follows: ident of council, T. M. Baldwin; counn. Geo. W. Barnes, J. M. Blakely, J. enner, Ed. N. White; treasurer, John pleton; town attorney, Elisha Barnes; der, J. L. Lander, angelal, C. M. der, J. L. Luckey; marshal, C. M.

LESS THAN COST .- Mr. J. D. Matlock of clothing, underwear, hats, etc., forpurchased at bankrupt sale the large owned by Mr. H. S. Simon, will offer e for sale the next few days at less Give him a call and price the He means business.

n Sale -A lot of nice show-cases, as

Pleasant Hill Items

December 29, 1887. Christmas passed by with unusual quietness here. Halsay Callison is spending vacation at

Heavy rains, mixed with snow are prevalent this week. Oregon is herself again. Mrs. Sellers died at her home here recently and was buried in the Pleasant Hill ceme-

T. H. Mulkey will leave next Monday for Monmouth where he will attend school until

Mr. Ellis Parker has dismissed his school until after the holidays, having two weeks yet to teach.

Miss Dora Blume is vey ill with searlet fe-Several other cases are reported in our neighborhood.

M. R. G. Callison's term of school closed last Friday at Cottage Grove, and he now assumes the duty of a granger.

We learn that Mr. Robt. Linder has cepted a lucrative position of clerk in a gro-cery kept by Kirk Bros. at Lexington.

Several from here attended the the social hop given at Jasper on Friday night last. All report having had a very enjoyable time.

Mr. J. W. Parks, who is attending the present session of she Normal school at Monmouth, is spending vacation at his home

Mr. Willis Mulkey went to Astoria this week to look after the welfare of his son, Dennis who has been very ill during the past three weeks.

Frederick Miller, father of Mr. Wm. Miller of this place, died recently at the home of The remains were interred in the Pleasant Hill cemetery.

Miss Emma Attebery, who has been stay ing at Halsey for some time is visiting with relatives here. After holidays she will go to Monmouth where she will reside for a time.

Mr. Thos. Mulkey's term of school closed on Friday last. Mr Mulkey has taught a very successful term of school and has won the praise and admiration of all as a teacher,

Mr. H. L. Morgan returned a few days since from Silver Lake where he has been in the employ of Williams & Gordon at their saw mill. He will stay at his ranch on Winfor the sum of \$3,300. berry during the winter.

The usual dry winter telegrams are being sent to the San Francisco paper from all points of the interior of the golden state. They all run about like this: "A light shower of rain began falling last evening and continued throughout the night. At present there is a brisk south wind and good indications of more rain. Farmers are jubilant." Oregon farmers do not realize the intense anxiety with which his brethren of California watch the clouds every year at this season. All that keeps our state and this week, in thirty-five minutes, our county from being thickly settled with Californians is that our southern neighbors are sublimely ignorant of the oceans of rich | the Simon stock at bankrupt sale. Murch, of this place, has gone to soil by which we are surrounded—where not to spend the holidays and visit her men never get up nights to looks for clouds which do not appear, while the grain they have sown rots for want of moisture. O, Califernia! treacherous climate, monopo-

lised and Chinese-ridden, distance lends enchantment to one who has made his home in Oregon. Our Eastern brethren we would Why do you stay in the States to be devoured by grasshoppers; to be carried away in a blizzard; to shake eterually with on business. He will bring home ague when you can come to a place which promises immunity from these ever threatening calamities, mosquitoes, malaria, blizzards are unknown. Grain, fruit and vegetable produce here most prolifically Apples and potatatoes, which are of an inferior quality elsewhere, are here grown in the maskers free.

Highest perfection. In Lane county, as well Persons des as other parts of the State, there are a great many acres as yet dormant, which can be secured for the small sum that Uncle Sam cial Union of the M. E. Church will dearges for filing on them. There are farms which could be divided into tracts suitable for many comfortable homes, These places were and bring your best girl to the Militia boys mask ball if you want to can be procured for a mere pittance as com- enjoy yourself. pared with the price of land in California and elsewhere. If our local papers were tiberally paid for advertising the advantages of our state and thousands of copies sent dr of the President. East to people who are tired of living there, then our county and our state weuld soon be filled with weary homescekers. We want perate people. Let our people advertise our our advantages by contributing to the support of their local papers. Herald the grand beem will be the consequence. only a boom, but homeseekers can procure a home in a mild climate, a fertile, healthy and prosperous county. Our climate is mild in winter, having but little snow and cold weather; and again in summer the weather is very cool and tranquil. In Lane county the timber clad ridges produce an enormous quantity of timber suitable for the lumber-ing industry, while the river bottom land produces an immense quantity of anything planted, great ears of corn, large heads of wheat, mammoth spuds and collossal heads of cabbage. In fact, and in a few words, Or-

(UNO HOD. Ladies of Eugene and Vicinity.

1 will resume my classes in Dress Making

egon is a haven of security for the rich

man and a paradise for the poor man.

particulars please call at my dress making rooms over Matlock's.

Mrs. J. R. Stiles.

City Transfers.

J. A. Winter to J. P. Sweet, lot in Eugene: consideration \$100.

ASYLUM STEWARD .- The Salem Statesman of Wednesday says: "Dr. Lane has not yet made his appointment of steward at the asylum to succeed Steward Irwin. Several names have been mentioned in connection with the position, and among them that of M. Wilkins, now commissary of the peni-M. Wilkins now commissary of the per-tentiacy. Mr Wilkins possesses all the re-quisites for the stewardship, and if he should name are Mr. John W. Withrow. It is name are mr. John W. Withrow. It is rumored that he will be married to-morrow. be appointed and accept, he won I no doubt fill the position satisfactorily." Mr. Wilkins formerly kept hotel at Junction and is a competent and reliable gentlemen, and his many friends in Lane would be pleased if he secured the position. Since the publication of the above we learn of the appointment of Mr. Wilkins to the position.

GONE TO SEATTLE.-Daniel Bass, a well known young man of this city, leaves on this afternoon's train for Seattle, W. T., where he will locate for the practice of law. He has received an offer from a law firm in that city to enter into practice with them, which he will probably accept. Mr. Bass is a gradpast two or three years been a close audent of the law. His friends here hope and believe that a successful career will open up

Mr. Robt. Blair and Mrs. uste of the State University, and has for the hefo s him in his new location.-Salem

sold. Ladies look at my stock. Will make you prices lower than the lowest

G. BETTMAN.

Brevities.

Matlock. Vale 1887; welcome 1888.

School books at Collier's.

Sanat Claus headquarters at E. Baum's. Buy the Hoosier Drill of J. W. Bristow, To-morrow Jan. 1, 1888 -settling-up time.

Matlock gives goods away at lowest prices. The best rolling cultivators are sold by J Japanese presents at lowest figures in

Titus block. To-day is the usual Dec. 31st upon which

time many swear off. The vault of the Bank of Oregon has been

placed in position. New Year cards printed at the GUARD flice on short notice,

A good Emerson upright piano for sale heap. Call at this office. Marriage license issued this week: W. C.

A number of parties went to the masquer ade at Coburg last night. School books of all kinds at George Col-

Seavey and Belle Hammitt.

lier's. Price them; buy them. Matlock is offering the Simon stock of goods at way down prices.

James R. Herren, ex-Sheriff of Linn counto, died in Salem Dec. 24th.

Note the change in the advertisement of the Oregon & California railroad. Don't forget that J. W. Bristow sells the

best chilled and steel plows in Eugene. J. W. Bristow sells farm implements cheaper than any one. Call and see him. Mr Geo F Craw has the sole agency for all stands of the celebrated Tansil Punch Cigars.

A couple of eattle buyers have been here during the past two weeks. They hail from The Dalles Mr. Frazer, the foundryman, is construct ing a water motor, with which he will turn

Mr. Cardwell has purchased Mr. I. Miller's interest in the saloon formerly owned by Cardwell & Miller.

his machinery.

Leo Gerhard last Monday purchased of Shultz, his farm containing 611 acres,

Gipsy kettles, alabaster vases, Xmas cops and saucers, library lamps, etc. PACIFIC TEA COMPANY. Lambert & Henderson are the sole agents

for the celebrated Superior stoves. Take your wife and look at them. An illegitimate child was born to a woman in a house of ill fame in this city Christmas

day, living but a short time. A carrier pigeon made the trip by wing from Eugene to Halsey, thirty-two miles,

If you want a suit of clothes at less than cost, give Matlock a call. He has purchased The California express was four hours be-

hind time yesterday morning. The Eugene train took its time from this station The Bon Ton masquerade last Thursday evening at Rhinehart's Theatre was largely attended. All present had a splendid time.

The plate glass have been placed in the front of Dunn's block. They are handsome and will make neat show windows. Good music, good floor managers and a

big crowd are assured to all who attend the Militia boys mask ball Jan. 18, 1888. Don't forget the Militia boys mask ball. Jan. 8, 1888, if you want to attend the grandest ball this season. Spectators 25 cts. Lady

Persons desirous of really five operations sex, but from his general appearance we in dentistry are invited to call on Henderson, think he got badly left. dentist, who gives special attention to the finest gold filtings.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. are request-

ed to meet at the residence of Prof. Bailey next Wednesday at 3 o'clock P. M. By or-Madam Rumor says that a certain candy manufacturer of this city will be married to-

our state filled with honest, industrious, tem- morrow. However, we do not youch for the credibility of the old Madam. The shingle sociable will come off Saturday evening at Rhinehart's Parlors. Games,

vantages of our state and soon the tide of music and refreshments will be furnished by immigration will vastly increase and a the Baptist ladies. Admission free. Come Before deciding what you will buy for your

Fall dresses, jackets, wraps and ulsters, give Bettman a call and see his remarkable exhibition in those lines in endless variety of new and stylish patterns, all bought at low prices for cash, and will be sold on margins only to make hving profits. In another column will be found the ad-

selling very cheap Give him a call.

the brethren of the mystic tie at their hall, Monday and Tuesday evenings. A goodly number attended and were well entertained,

"I was troubled with an eruption on my face which was a source of constant annoy ance when I wished to appear in company After using ten bootles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla the humor entirely disappeared."-Mary M. Wood, 40 Adams st., Lowell, Mass.

How often do we hear of the sudden and fatal termination of a case of croup, when a young life might have been saved by the prompt use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ayer's Almanae for the new year is out. Get one.

In the year 1888 there will be 366 days and 53 Sundays. The Fourth of July will fall on Wednesday and Christmas on Tuesday. In the year 1888 there will be three eclipses of the moon. A total eclipse of the moon July 22d, will be visible the middle of the eclipse occuring at 9:30 p. m. A young man has rented J. R. Ream's res-

We congratulate him and his intended in The annual meeting of the Baptist Church

idence on the north side of seventh street,

was held Thursday night. The following officers were elected: Trustees, J. W. John-Son, B. F. Dorris, Wm. A. Vincent; Clerk, B. F. Dorris; Treas., M. G. Butterfield; S. S. Supt., B. F. Dorris; Asst. Supt., Mark Bailey, Jr.; Sec., Herbert Vincent. A gentleman from California a a few days ago offered Mr. S. M. Titus \$12,000 for the

brick block on the corner of Willamette and Ninth streets. Mr. Titus refused the offer as the rentals of the building are paying in-terest on a much larger amount. He also terest on a much larger amount ... tried to purchase business property of other Mr. Robt. Blair and Mrs. C. C. Croner

were soming to town from Mr. Blair's Wed-penday when they noticed a bird fly against Cloaks and jackets—100 garments must be old. Ladies look at my stock. Will make the telegraph wire and fall to the ground, it proved to be a ring necked Mongolian pheasant, a most-beautiful bird, the plumage having all the colors of the rainbow. J. B.

Spencer Butte Items.

Dec. 27, 1887. Here we are again.

School has closed in this district. Elmer Renshaw left here for Cocs county

Mr. Fred Dillard has returned home from

Mrs. John Taylor has been very low with typhoid fever. Charles Powell cut his foot quite badly

ew days ago. Messrs. Hugh and Horace Hampton have

returned home from Eastern Oregon on I wish to say to "Who Be I," that Pete is all right, and enjoying very good health at present. If he has good luck he expects to

survive for some time yet. Several of the young people from here at-tended the basket sociable held at Goshen Hall on Christmas eve. All enjoyed a very

Advertisements-C H Maithews, attorney and counselor at law, will practice in all courts of Oregon. Charges moderate. George Powell, dealer in hides, furs. etc.

Highest cash prices paid for coon skins. Of course all can boast of their supper, at the basket sociable, at Goshen Hall on Christimas eve, but I would not have exchanged the basket which I purchased for any other, and all the gold in the treasury of the Goshen Literary Society to boot .- Ber-

Notice.—The subscription price of the Goshen "Truth Defier" has been reduced from eighteen dollars and sixty-three cents, to nine dollars and fifty-nine cents. editor of this paper being a natural born blockhead the nonsense contained in its col-umns is unparalled. No person can afford to be without this valuable paper.

The Spencer Butte Literary Society meets Monday evenings at 7 o'clock, and speeches made by some of the young people are wonderful, indeed. At an election of new offi-cers held last Monday night, the following persons were elected to hold office for the next four weeks: President, L Parker; vice president, W W Dillard; secretary, Bert Osburn: journalist, Theodore Renshaw; as-sistant journalist, W. W. Dillard.

Highbank Items.

Weather cold and foggy.

Good health prevails in our vicinity; everybody well and lively.

Mr. T. D. Edwards intends grubbing up his old hop yard in the Spring and sowing it down in grass. Mr. S. H. Edwards met with quite a loss a

few days ago by one of his horses getting so badly snagged that he had to kill it. Invitations are out for a ball the 30th of

this month. A general good time is antici-pated. It is to be hoped that the masher present with all his fascinating charms and a good trading handkerchief. Our school which closed last Fridey pro-

gressed finely under the able management of Mr. Ed. Bond. Ed. gave good satisfac-tion and we hope to be able to secure him to take charge of our Spring term of school. We had the pleasure of attending a 'mas-querade ball at the residence of Mr. Jacob Jearwater on the evening of the 16th. The ball was an entire success and every one present expressed themselves as having an enjoyable time. There were some good representations made, among the most notable was that of a gentleman who repre-sented a masher. This charming young sented a masher. This charming young gentleman spared no time in the hope that he might captivate one of the fair

A READER. WILLAMETTE STORE.

NEW STORE. NEW GOODS.

J. C. Mosberg has opened a new stock of Groceries, Provisions, Confectionary, Tobaccos and Cigars, Fruits, nuts and everything usually kept in a first-class grocery store. This gentleman has been actively engaged in this business from his childhood and thoroughly understands how to cater to the wants of the huying public. You are respectfully invited to call and see him. Opposite the Guano office, next door to Miss

WILLAMETTE STORE. FREIGHT SCHEDULE.-The freight schednle of the O, & C. R. R. prom San Francisco to Portland has been announced. Richard Gray, general traffic manager of the Southern Pacific, and E. P. Rogers have been engaged in working out details of the freight traffic which they found great difficulty harmonizing. The new schedule took effect Dec. 27th. These rates are subject to the old western classification and are expressed vertisement of Mr. G. G. Garrison's new in cents per flundred pounds as follows: grocery and provision store. He also has a Classified rates to Portland, 1st, 80; 2d, 70; grocery and provision store. He also has a Classified rates to Portland, 1st, 80; 2d, 70; large stock of miscellaneous goods. He is 3d, 65; 4th, 35; A, 10; B, 30; C D and F, selling very cheap Give him a call.

Rob Morris, the noted Masonic lecturer and poet laureate of the order, lectured to the O. R. & N. Co. 1st. 75; 2d, 65; 3d, 60; 4th, 40; 5th, 30; A, 35; B, 25; C D and F, 25. It will be seen that the railroad rates are but five cents higher per 160 pounds

than the O. R. & N. MILL LEASED--The Dixie mills were leased last week by Receiver Burch to Messrs Kratz & Washburne. The rental to be paid is \$330 per montk, and the dura-tion of the lease is until the first of next June. This is one of the best milling properties in the state, and \$330 per month is considered a very small rental for it. The mill is now running night and day to catch up with the orders on hand .- Statesman .

Sonn.-Last Monday the wreck of the stranded steamer Yaquina City was sold to Capt. Chas. Lutchins, of San Francisco, for \$9,100. The sale is said to have resulted in a b. rgain for the purchaser, as each of the two boilers cost \$12,000 each, and are in good condition, while the shaft, which was comparatively new, cost over \$9,000.

OPTICAL GOODS.—Besides having a full line of jewelry Mf. J. O. Watts has just received from the East a large invoice of spectacles, goggles, eye shades and other optical goods. He also carries a complete stock of violin trimmings. Give him a call at his store in Horn & Paine's building.

LANE'S OPERA HOUSE.—This theatre has been leased by Mr. C. J. Howard, of this city, for a term of years. It is now open to the citizens of Engene to rent for theatricals, sociables, dancing parties, etc., on reasonable terms. DIPHTHERIA.-The diphtheria exists in epidemic form at Ashland. The city auorities have prohibited all public

blages, and recommends that children be their own premises, and that a general clean up be made REDUCED RATES.—The completion of the O. & C. has caused a reduction on rates by express to San Francisco. Wells, Pargo Co. now charge \$4 per hundred pounds with a special rate of \$2.50.

having all the colors of the rainbow. J. B. Installation.—Irving Lodge, I. O. O. F., Rhinehart exercised his artas a taxidermist on will publicly install their officers elect next Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m.

Cottage Grove Items.

[FROMOUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.] COTTAGE GROVE, Dec. 21, 1887. Miss Anna Withers left for her home Wed-

nesday, Dec. 21st. Mr. D. Baker and family returned to Ore-

Mr J. C. Wallace carries the mail between Cottage Grove and Omra.

Mr. J. C. Wallace and wife returned home from California Wednesday.

Mr. Clay Viles returned to this place from Portland the first of last week.

Mr. Jas Hawley has had two horses die of late of some kind of fever, and another one is sick.

Mr. Andrew Bogart was visiting at the residence of his brother Abe, on Silk creek, last

Miss Lucetta and Dora Veatch went to Cresswell Tuesday to stay during the holi-

Mr. Tait, a brother of Mr. John Tait, Sr., of Cresswell, and father of Mrs. Wheeler, of Silk creek, passed through this place to-day on a visit to the latter. We learn that Mr. Tait is from San Francisco.

Died at Oregon City, Dec. 13, 1887, of paralysis, Veda, youngest child of David and Ella Baker, aged 2 years. Mr. Baker and family came up the same day with the re-mains, which were interred at this place on

December 28, 1887. Mr. Darwin Bristow left Christmas evening for San Francisco.

Mr. Thomas Jones returned from Lake county one day last week. Mr. Cal. Stevison is home from Portland,

where he has been as a juror in the U.S.

Misses Addie and Martha Medley have

been enjoying Christmas with relatives at Mr. Wheeler and family, Mr. Tait, and

Mrs. W's. father, visited relatives near Cress-

it fell. Tuesday snow was eight inches deep on the hills northwest of this place.

VERITY.

Fersonal.

Mrs. Carmen has gone East on a visit. Mr. N. Humphrey spent Christmas in Cor-

Will Espey, an old-time Eugene boy paid the city a visit this week. Sterling Hill and Ike Miller visited Portland the first of the week.

Prof Condon attendeed the Teachers Institute at Oakland this week. Mr. J. B. Stowell and wife returned from visit to Missouri last Saturday.

Mr. B. Avery, representing the Oregonian was in town the first of the week. Prof. Vawter of the public school visited relatives in Linn county this week.

been visiting here during the holidays. Rev. I. D. Driver, pastor of the East Port-land M. E. Church, was in the city this

Prof. Patterson and wife of Portland have

Mr. J. M. Shelly, of Portland, has been spending the week at Mr. Baxter's on Mo-Dr. Geo. Bushnell spent Christmas in Eugene returning to his home at Yaquina City Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Snodgrass of this city visited her sister, Mrs. Lane, of Harrisburg, over Sunday.

vi-iting her uncle and aunt, Mr. Wesley Shannon and wife, of this city. Mr. W. McGhee, Principal of the Brownsviile public school, and wife, have been here evening spent. this week visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Nettie Vedder, of Marion county, is

Mr. Barney Paine. Prof. Johnson and Marshal Day were out on the Coyote this week slaughtering the geese and ducks. We were pleased to see Jas. Noland on the street this week. He looks rather thin after his sickness but is steadily improving.

Mr. McCollum, editor of the Drain Echo,

was in town a couple of days this week. His family left for their new home last Wednesday evening. Shannon Conser, the popular conductor on the O. & C. is taking a short rest by changing from the hard run on the California express to the easy one on the Eugene

Coon Range Items. Dec. 29, 1887.

Miss Ida Baker has returned. Miss Masterson is at her aunt's in Eu-

Adelbert Brattain is visiting relatives here this week. Misses Emma and Jessie Withers are spending holidays here. How it snowed last Monday. It made me

think of taking my girl sleigh riding. Flora, Effie and Marcellus Young home from school to spend the holidays. Miss Mary Burton and Nancy Lyons are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

fornia? Do you suppose he is going to take A social party was had at Mr. Calef's Tuesday night, and quite a number of the young people attended.

Every one is enjoying Christmas in this neighborhood. Several of the neigh-bors gave Christmas dinners to which they

invited their friends

Announcement.

The following gentlemen have decided to receive callers on Monday afternoon, Jan 2, 88, from 1 to 5 P. M. at the respective M. G. Batterfield-Butterfield, M. G.;

Brattain, H. A. Prof. Bailey—Bailey, Mark; Johnson, H. F. B. Dunn—Yoran, D.; Dunn, F A Veazie—Orton, E.; Veazie, A.; Veazie. MacCormac, Will. Chambers-Snodgrass, P.; Chambers, F.;

Here is an Eye Opener for You.

9 cans best tomatoes for \$1. 7 cans best tunas. . . . \$1.

7 inction flour \$1 per sk or \$1.90 per 100.

1 B can baking powder for 25c.

1 65c. Best roasted coffee 30c per pound. Fine glass setts for 40c. Good ten 25c. per b. PACIFIC TEA COMPANY.

STATE UNIVERSITY

CLARA CONDON, EDITOR.

What did Santa Claus bring you?

Darwin is trying to trade a jack knife for nother monkey.

Messrs. Henry and Walter McClure spent the holidays in Eugene. Leathe's Christmas present from her Sun

lay school class (?) is a beauty. Mr. Morgan, a former student of our school, was in Eugene this week.

Prof. Straub was absent from his duties one day last week on account of sickness Darwin and Fred looked just like two

little pink rosebuds last Friday evening. Mr. Porter has returned from his trip down the valley, and is now distributing his patent blotters.

We understand that the old schedule will be used next term, which enange will meet the approval of all we believe.

Miss Kate Dorris returned home last Tuesday from Farmington, W. T., where she has been teaching music for the past five months. We hear that two or three students are making plans for a trip to Europe during the coming summer vacation. A pleasant

journey to you boys. Mark, like the brave boy he is, carried his gun with the other boys down to the depot the other day, but he was even braver than they, for he risked being late in order that he might procure an overcoat and umbrella to keep his gun dry.

his home, whence he expects to leave for Europe next month. The University has lost a good student in Mr. Nash's departure, and we wish him success in his studies. Invitations are out for a reception tendered Mr. Isaac Jones returned from Portland Mr. Albert Roberts and bride, of The Dalles. Saturday night, where he has been for some Is Albert really married? Well he was a bright student when attending the Universi-

Mr. Nash has withdrawn his name from

our University roll, and is now in Corvallis,

ty here, and the Eutaxian Society take pleasure in offering their congratulations to him and At the last meeting of the Laurean society, the following officers were elected for the en-suing term: Pres., L. J. Davis; Vice Pres.,

The class expecting to graduate in 1891, have quite a goal to reach, since theirs is the initial year into the plan of determining the commencement exercise of the graduate by his standing during the collegiate course. To some students who receive high marks through no particular credit to themselves, this plan is a pleasing one, but to those who, study as they may, never can make a credit-able recitation, the prospect of being announced to deliver only a second-class oration on commencement day is no desirable one. But taking it for granted that all are classed under the head of those who both receive high marks and obtain them by honest hard study, we are all sure to be pleased

with the change, and none but purely philo-sophical orations will be delivered from the rostrum of our Alma Mater in future years. The fancy dress party last Friday evening was, we believe, voted a success. Quite a number of invited guests were present with the students and members of the The costumes were tasteful, and many of them beautiful, representing characters all the way from a typical country boy to the Queen Esther herself. As no masking was allowed, the company was entirely free from anyone whose congenialty with the others present could be at all doubtful. After a short programme rendered by members of the Eutaxuan society, the distribution of presents from a small Christmas tree began. This tree was prepared in honor of the Laurean some of the gifts were quite apropos, as for example, an American eagle and a silver spoon. During the evening Messrs Winter & Brown took a photograph of those present in costume, grouping them upon the stage. Music was rendered throughout the evening, and at the required hour, all left for home feeling well pleased with the

Ticket-of-Leave-Man.

In reply to a question of the Guand man concerning the forthcoming "Ticket-of-Leave-Man," Mr. Ernest Bross said: "Yes, sir, I am determined to give the people of this town a chance to see a first-class per-formance. I have changed the dates to a time when nothing occurs near to it either before or after. I have put the price down so that all can go. What I propose give is the best show that has been seen Eugene. It is a well known fact that when stars like Booth or Barrett or Warde play country circuits, their support is necessarily cheap and weak. My play is not a one-man show like Hamlet or Richard III. as they are played by stars. The "Ticket-of-Leave Man" has four leading male characters and the leading female characters which divide the honors about equally, and afford a good scope for a strong and evenly balanced amateur performance. My knowlenge of our local talent has enabled me to cast the piece discriminatingly. In the alternating happy and wretched lot of Bob Brierly, Mr. Howard has a part peculiarly fitted to him. Mr. Condon is laying hold of the thrilling situations of Hawkshaw the detective with wonderful power. Louie O'Brien's remark-able vein of comedy is turned to good ac-count in the "sheeney," Mrs. Dr. Taylor will delight her many friends in her clover impersonation of May Edwards, Miss Nettie Clever as the talkative old lady will score a decided hit, and I do not see how anyone could get any more fun out of Sam Wil-loughby than Miss Abrams does. I am go-What young young man is going to Caliing to wake your people up in this play and I want them to come out and see for them-

> nell, Superintendent of the county poor farm, informs us that on the 14th day of last April he bought a sow and eight pigs, the pigs at that time being about ten days old. A short time after some one killed the sow and he fed the pigs till after harvest, when he turned them on the stubble where they were kept till about six weeks ago, when he put them in a pen. On the 26th of December he killed four of them and averaged 193 pounds in weight. Who can beat that with nine months old pigs? ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At their meeting

HEAVY WRIGHT .- Mr. Sampson McCon-

Wednesday evening. Wimawhala Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers: F. M. Wilkins, C.P.; J. J. Walton, H.P.; D.R. Lakin, S. W.; J.W. Cherry, J.W.; D.M. Risdon, Scribe; A. G. Hovey, Notes Deciphened .- J. H. McNamee, the Commissioner appointed by the Government to investigate wagon roads built by national to investigate wagon roads built by national aid, writes that the shorthand notes of the dead stenographer, J C Richardson have been deciphered, and that it will not be nec-

essary to go over the work. SRI MEER WINNER.—At the shooting match for beef held below town lest Satur-

day Ski Meek won four out of the five parts Bonn.—At Florence, Oregon, December of the beef. A gentleman across the river 23, 1887, to the wife of Mr. Geo. M. Miller, whose name we did not learn took the other adaughter. Mother and child doing nicely.