Hillsboro, December, 18 1874,

Our exchanges will please diwet flieir papers to Hillsboro from this date.

#### President's Message.

The message is long and we have only space for a brief enumeration of its principal points. The President attributes the depressions in business to the fluctuations of our currency. Capital and labor are both abundant but the people have no confidence in the basis of trade and he recommends a return to specie payments. He favors free banking. He suggests measures for the suppression of marauding on the Mexican border. He calls the attention of Congress to the character of theChinese immigration on this Caast and promises his co-operation in restricting the evils complained of. He He advises adjusting the tariff so as to increase the revenue and decrease the number of articles upon which duties are levied. In regard to the troubles in Louisiana and Arkansas he says that he has strictly conformed with his duties under the law. He sympathises with the people of those States, but believes they have erred in protecting marauders, and will enforce the laws with vigor to punish crime and violence. He has faith in the Indian peace-policy. He adheres to the theory of Civil Service reform, but declares that nothing can be done without the direct and positive support of Congress. He advocates that measures be taken for the revival of ship building in the United States. This Government is now paying \$1,000,-000 a year for freights and passage and shipping.

and plain statement, and will generally be esteemed as a fair and dispasionate presentment of the condition and wants of the country.

#### Oregon Wheat and Flour Exportations.

a total of 1,170,000 bushels of wheat vallies below. In the mountains are valued at \$925,000.

sels are on the way to Astoria and with lofty ideals of nature. On them 31 have already entered that port. the fierce eagle builds her nest, the At this rate our surplus wheat will wild chamois leaps from crag to soon find a market. So let our far- crag, and there lives the fearless mers take heart. Wheat is advan- hunter whose heart loves freedom. cing in Europe and it will be worth 75 cents by next harvest or we are these occasions was excellent. Miss mistaken in the signs of the times. Haskell never does things by halves

## THE PACIFIC UNIVERSITY.

## Exercises of the Senior Class.

The exercises of the Senior class of Pacific University for the first term took place last Friday evening at the Congregational church. The house was filled with spectators as it always is on these occasions. The gallary was brilliantly lighted flashing back splendor and beauty on the hall be-low flooding the whole building with a stream of won frous song.

The Senior class was represented on this evening by the Misses Hattie Martin, Belle Putman and Ella Watt.

Miss Martin came first as in the order above named and with a manner that was unconstrained and confident, with a clear and distinct enunciation and excellent delivery, read her essay entitled

The Real and Imaginary Indian,

sions of the Indian race ingeneral. tal receipts \$8,800. Amount paid And on the other hand the people of the Eastern States and Europe not being acquainted with the rea the school in this county of Prof. A. Indian have formed a poetical ideal J. Anderson and Mrs. Saylor is of the race. She concluded that the deeply deplored. mork of religious people among the Indians would not be fruitless, and that there is nothing of greater importance to the world now than the civilization of the Indian.

Miss Putman next took the platform and in a modest, dinified and womanly manner discussed

#### Pictures.

Children love pictures and we little work their mental struggles over the pictures that they first see. In the study of pictures we should pass by the defects and in imagination perfeet them to satisfy our own ideal. So in studying the faces of people would it not be better that we do not mar them by harsh criticism but study their beauties and fill up their defects with the beauty and perfections of our own ideals? By so doing we would gradually have ideals of true human character by which to compare and judge the bad and the good. Thus we would arrive at more just conceptions in art of real character in this world and pefect character in the next, God himself being the only truly perfect ideal. But in the future world we shall not see ideal but real pictures when the perfect forms of faith shall be realized while our vain imaginings wil be left in the dreamy vales below.

Miss Watt read with becoming, grace a half descriptive, half scien title essay on the subject of

### Mountains.

are struck with awe at the prospect, has been a failure, especially the It takes hold on our minds so that even at the mention of mountains on foreign ships which should go to we can see them in imagination. We the support of American shippers ascend the mountains of earth and in my opinion would be impolitize in as we rise higher the view extends this State. The message is a clear, concise and beauties expand and multiply. And so as we climb the mountains of science the higher we ascend the in the average districts in the county circuit of our vision grows wider and to maintain school six months in the we discover new beauties.

Then she spoke of the conformation of the mountains and their ge The Astorian of the 10th gives a ologic relation to the seas, the hightabulated statement of Oregon wheat est mountains being located near organization of the same. I am of and flour exportations for the fall of the deepest seas and the reverse. The the firm opinion that every District 1874, from the ports of Portland and Rocky Mountains were the first to Astoria. From these two ports there rise above the sea on this part of the have been shipped, up to the 9th of continent, then the Cascade range certainty. Some competent person this month, 1,024,000 bushels of and atter these the Coast range. The ought to be appointed to do this wheat and 32, 551 barrels of flour; mountains catch the moisture and or reducing flour to wheat we have render fertile and wholesome the hid the minerals so useful to man. The same paper states that 65 ves- And they furnish the minds of men

> The music as is always the case on and expectation is always on the tiptoe when she has control of this department and is never disappointed.

The exercises were an entire success, and the young ladies of the Senior class may well be proud They all had good essays and all read them well.

### SYNOPSIS OF SUPPLEMENTAL RE-PORT.

A s nopsis of the suplemental report of D. M. C. Gault, Superintendent of Public Schools for this county for the current year:

Last year fifty-one teachers applied for certificates, of which number six failed to pass the required examination. This year, since the 1st of March 49 persons have applied five of whom failed to pass an examamination and received no certificate. Except in a few instances, the questions prepared by the State Board of Education, have been used A subject threadbare long since, on Eighty per cent. of correct answers which it would be difficult for any in each branch entitles the applione to say anything new. Neverthe- cant to a first grade certificate. It less Miss Martin discussed it fear- is the desire of the State Board, as essly and vigorously. She briefly well as my own wish, to gradually sketched the real character of the raise the standard of qualifications Indian-his generosity to his ene- of our teachers. There are two mies when they throw themselves on schools in the county which have his hospitality, his spirit of revenge, taught the higher branches, viz. his hope for the far off hunting Districts No. 1 and 7. But one grounds in the future life, his de- private school is reported in operafective conceptions of true art, un- tion and that is Tualatin Academy cleanliness, ferocity, barbarity, sen- and Pacific University, with a faculsualism, and his oppressive treatment ty consisting of, President, three

out on salaries\$7400. In this connection we would state that the loss to

Public school houses in many Districts are in bad condition and ought to be replaced with new ones. "No pupil can do good work with repulsive and uncomfortable surroundings."

The Superintendent's salary of \$180 is much to small for the work required. Without doubt the Superintendent should be paid a salary of \$1,200 per annum and be required to give his whole time to the work, while the fees for certificates should go into the county Treasury. This perhaps cannot be done at present, but action looking in that direction should be taken at once.

It is a matter to be very muhe regreted that parents and guardians allow their children to be so irregu- THEN READ IT AGAIN!-AGAIN! lar in their attendance at school. A break in the regular attendance throws the student behind his class and he is consequently branded as a ELEGANT BOOK OR PARLOR GAME! dolt and blockhead by his parents For Home Amusement. We are now offerwho kept him out of school to do some small chore.

Vast sums of money are spent in sending our students to academies and parents justly boast of the good schools they are patronizing and the progres their children are making when the same thing could be accomplished at the District schools at half the cost if only the students were kept constantly at their studies as in the academies.

The uniform system of school books We stand on the mountains and adopted by the State, mechanically binding, and are not what was veted

The amount of money now on hand by taxation is nearly sufficient year.

There is much confusion as to the boundaries of the districts in the county, and also the records of the in the county ought to be reorganized and the boundaries fixed with a work and make a map of the same.

## OREGON.

Salem cast about 435 at her city election on Monday.

Mercu y75 o above zero at Umatilla, November 28th.

Mart Brown, State Printer, will Portland, Ogn, start a daily paper at Albanay February next.

Canned oysteas are being shipped from Yaquina to Corvallis, and it is pronounced g successful enterprise.

Flavel's new dock at Astoria will have a frontage of 400 feet and will be one of the finest oh the coast.

## MARRIED.

At Forest Grove, Dec. 7. 1874, by President Marsh at the house of Stephen Blank, James Allen of Louisville, Polk Co., and Miss Emma Blank of Forest Grove.

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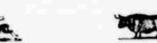
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