

LOCAL REVIEWS.

Happy New Year! Five more days of '79. The chivviri club is kept busy.

Look out for new ads. next week. The toy business takes the lead now.

Butter is thirty cents a pound at Lake View. How soon will another wedding epidemic set in?

Much interesting matter was crowded out this week. Six days more specie payments will be resumed.

Wm. Kahler, of Willow Springs, made us a short visit yesterday. We noticed Mr. W. Wilson, of Lake County, on our streets the other day.

Mr. Wm. Shooks, of Jacksonville, made us a pleasant call on Monday last. Quail shooting is indulged in now by many sportsmen in this neighborhood.

Mr. Saml. Clary, one of the "solid men" of Cottonwood, was in town last Friday. There is to be a dance in Miller's Hall on New Year's Eve, to which all are invited.

The Little Klamath lake has been frozen over, affording fine sport for the Linkville skaters. Settlers about Camp Harney are fearing they will have trouble with the Indians in the spring.

An installation of officers of the Lake View Lodge, No. 71, A. F. A. M., takes place this evening. The premiums awarded at the late Siskiyou County Fair will now be paid in Yreka upon demand.

Pedestrians take the road in preference to the soft sidewalk on Main street on sunny days. At a school ball held in the new school house at Weaverville, Cal., recently, \$400 were realized.

J. L. Badger, an old resident of Southern Oregon, died in Jacksonville on the 16th, aged 68 years. Rev. W. T. Chapman intends to begin soon a course of Friday evening lectures in the M. E. church.

Charlie Gillette, one of A. V. Gillette, has come in from Clear Lake, to spend the winter in Ashland. Uncle Billy Cloud has put in one hundred and twenty-five acres of grain this fall, in Goose Lake valley.

One of the fattest bees we have seen was killed by Brown & Harris the other day, for the holiday trade. Has thy neighbor offended thee? Buy his little by a drum, "thus shall thou heap coals of fire upon his head."

Abraham Tilden, one of the oldest miners of Happy Camp, died a short time since, at the age of 91 years. The ladies of the Presbyterian church realized nearly two hundred dollars from the Christmas dinner and bazaar.

The Ladies' Aid says some of the young men of Jacksonville have contracted the dangerous habit of opium smoking. The amount of sewing done for wedding purposes in Ashland during the past month is enormous; so we are told.

M. W. Ballard, the original proprietor of the town of Lake View, is paying that place a visit, we learn from the Herald. We return thanks to Mr and Mrs. O. C. Applegate and Mr and Mrs. Howard McBride, for wedding cake, with compliments.

Lost—On Main street, last Friday, a breastpin, with a blue setting. The finder will please leave it at the millinery store. Mr. Chas. Fletcher has purchased the mining claim of R. A. Wright, at Oro Fino, Cal., \$5,000 being paid for the property.

The Herald complains of the roads in Lake county, and urges the building of a new road from Lake View to Draw's Valley gap. On the 13th inst., the 77th anniversary of his birthday, Gen. Jos. Linn was given a complimentary serenade by the Roseburg band.

A petition for the change of the mail service between Jacksonville and Waldo from a semi-weekly to a daily one, is being circulated. Mr. Wagner is having the channel of the creek opposite the mill, cleared out in order to guard against any danger from high water.

Mr. Howard McBride and wife, who were married on Tuesday, took the stage Wednesday morning for Portland where they will reside in future. The first snow of the season fell in Ashland last Sunday night. It was the merest sprinkle, however, scarcely distinguishable from a heavy frost.

Once more the time has come around for us to "turn over a new leaf," as the old year drops into the past, and good resolves are as thick as flies in June. This week is crowded full of happy events for Ashland. What with the weddings, dinners, suppers, balls, we seem to be in the midst of a carnival.

Wm. Glover, who had been in the employ of the C. & O. Stage Company ever since their line was established, died at Roseburg on the 4th inst. Notice the new ad. of the Ashland Market in another column. The enterprising proprietors keep a first-class establishment, and are doing a good business.

We are glad to learn that the wife of Dr. Chittwood, who has been dangerously ill for some time, is very much better, and her condition considered quite hopeful.

Mr. J. B. Rigdon, who has been making quite a tour of the valley recently, informs us that there is a considerable increase this year in the acreage of grain sown.

Wm. Myer, son of W. C. Myer, drove through town with his Sledland ponies the other day. They are both black, perfect matches, and only about 38 inches in height.

The public installation of the officers of Ashland Lodge No. 23, A. F. & A. M., will take place in the Presbyterian church this afternoon at 4 o'clock. All are invited to attend.

Mrs. Jos. McVay and Mrs. Edward Kumble, both of Smith River, Del Norte county, Cal., died suddenly a short time since. Both ladies leave husbands and several small children.

Don't miss the ball to-night. A good time is anticipated, and an excellent supper has been prepared. A number from Jacksonville are expected, and there will doubtless be a large attendance.

The Roseburg Star says: Reports have reached this city that James Woodward and John Gillsier, also went to Myrtle Creek last week on a prospecting tour, have struck it rich.

The Modoc Independent says W. L. Skinner, formerly deputy assessor of Siskiyou county, Cal., has been arrested in Modoc for dealing a banking game, and held in \$2500 bail to answer to the grand jury.

A number of the high toned young men of Ashland were engaged in the honorable and dignified business of inducing two small boys to fight on the streets, last Sunday. It speaks loudly for their moral instincts.

G. J. Kroutz was arrested at Myrtle Creek recently, charged with using vulgar and profane language in the streets of an incorporated town. His trial came off last Saturday, and he was convicted and fined \$20 and costs.

During a heavy frost or a slight sprinkling of snow it was hard to tell which, the jangle of sleigh bells was heard at Lake View, the other morning, some one having hauled up to a sleigh for the satisfaction of boasting about it.

Hooper & Smith, on Rattlesnake, have their mill in readiness, and will commence crushing rock for Samuel Downing in a few days. These gentlemen have a good prospecting ledge of their own and will develop it as soon as practicable.—Scott Valley News.

On Sunday, the 8th, a gray mare belonging to Wm. Hyde, of Camp Prineal, Cal., was stolen, with a saddle, bridle, and a Winchester rifle, belonging to R. W. Pastard. A man who had been stopping in town for a few days, and suddenly left is suspected.

A number of gentlemen from Lake County were in town taking part in the Christmas festivities. Among those we knew were Messrs. I. D. and L. B. Applegate, Sikes Worden, Geo. Lonsdale, Capt. J. D. Perree, Newt Snook, the Parker brothers, from the half way house, and others.

On the authority of Capt. J. D. Perree we have it in one of the thriving young merchants of Linkville, who has been taking a prominent part in the Christmas doings in Ashland, was to have been married on Christmas eve, but turned up missing, and that the disappointed lady threatened to come after him. Is it true?

The Jacksonville Times modestly announces itself the best advertising medium in Southern Oregon. We would mildly refer friend Nickel to the fact that the circulation of the TIDINGS is well known to be larger than that of the Times, and that it is read by the very best class of purchasers.

John Hibbs shot and killed an insane Frenchman on Thursday at Squaw Valley near McCloud river. The deed was committed in self defense. The insane man, in a fit of desperation, entered the house of Hibbs and struck him over the head with a club, when Hibbs shot, killing him instantly.

Wm. B. Bee has sold his interest in the Grave Creek Dutch Mining company to E. F. Walker. The following officers have been elected by the stockholders of the company for the ensuing year: Harrison Kelly, President; Dan. Cronmiller, Secretary; E. F. Walker, Treasurer; Jay Bach, E. F. and H. Kelly, Directors.

The first regular services were held in the new M. E. church last Sunday morning, and henceforth Rev. W. T. Chapman will preach there every Sunday, morning and evening. The temporary seats are far from comfortable, but it is the intention of the members to make a change in this respect soon, we learn.

C. B. Watson, Esq., one of the publishers of the Lake View Herald, was in Ashland during the early part of the week. He seems to be crowded with legal business, and is much pleased with the prospects of the newspaper. He reports fine weather in Goose Lake valley, and says the young people are enjoying excellent skating on the lake.

There is a long, long bond in Ashland whose early moral training has been sadly neglected. Several times he has been detected in the act of stealing from the butcher shop. A few evenings since he was scuppering off with a four pound sirloin steak, and on Monday morning he had several pounds of tallow in his month, when he was sent off on his ear. He needs conversion—into grape vine stimulant.

PEB. DOCS.—Our thanks are due Hon Richard Williams for two valuable volumes of public documents, the correspondence of the Department of Stats for 1877-78, and the eighth annual report of R. W. Raymond, U. S. Commissioner of Mining Statistics. Both are gladly received.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—For the M. E. Church, preaching every Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7 P. M. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 6:30. All are invited to attend these services. Come and let us worship the Lord together. W. T. CHAPMAN, Pastor.

MINING SUI LIMBENT.—There is a probability that quite a mining suit will grow out of the transfer of the Cayote creek mines to Portland capitalists. Some irregularities are said to exist, which are liable to throw the whole matter into the Courts for adjudication. I. N. Muncey, one of the interested parties, was in town this week on business connected therewith, and obtained a preliminary injunction restraining Rubell & Co. from either disposing of the claims in question or working them.—Times.

SURVEY OF ROGUE RIVER.—A survey of Rogue river from Rock Point to its mouth, is to be made for the purpose of ascertaining if it may be made navigable for steamers. Mr. E. G. Eastwick has been appointed to perform the work, and will, he thinks, be able to accomplish it in about three weeks. The survey is made under the auspices of the U. S. Coast Survey Department, and should a favorable report be made we may expect that an appropriation will be made by Congress ere long for such improvements as will be required to allow of its navigation by small steamers.

RARE HONESTY.—A few days ago a much respected resident of Placerville fell a victim to aberration of mind and was sent to Napa asylum. E. A. Sprague was thereupon appointed by the Probate Judge to take charge of his property, including some mining claims, a minor's cabin and some other effects. Last Wednesday, while "righting up" the cabin and out houses, Mr. Sprague unearthed about \$6,500 in gold coin and gold dust which had been buried in the wood shed. He immediately came to town and reported his find to the proper authorities. A San Francisco Bank President would have added it away for the benefit of whom it might concern. Evidently Mr. Sprague is not fit for a San Francisco Bank President.—Mountain Democrat.

CRANBERRY CULTURE.—We learn that Mr. Nat. Longill intends to experiment in the cultivation of cranberries in Langell's valley, next year. He has already sent east for plants, and will set them out as soon as the weather will permit. Should the experiment prove successful, it will open a new field of enterprise to the farmers of Lake county, and one which, if it be properly worked, will be immensely profitable. The market for the fine, large cultivated cranberries is unlimited and the price is always high. Considerable outlay is usually required in preparing the ground as the soil is generally all taken off and a fall crop is never realized until the second or third year, but when the vines once get to bearing, they produce enormous crops in ground which is adapted to their growth.

BRELIANT PARTY.—The ball in Ashland on Christmas Eve, gotten up by Messrs. Zimmerman & Fezer, was one of the most enjoyable ever held here, and was a success in every respect. Seventy tickets were sold, and the large ball in which it was held was filled just up to—but not beyond—the point of desirability. The orchestra was led by Squire Berry, who, upon Christmas Eve just 24 years ago, furnished music at a ball in Ashland in the house of Eber Emery, which stood near where Ter & Dady's planing mill now is. There were present at this last ball some who danced that night at Mr. Emery's, and many of the young people were children of those whose merry heels kept time to the Squire's music nearly a quarter of a century ago. At eleven o'clock supper was served by Mr. Honck, and those who know about his suppers need not be told it was excellent. After supper, dancing was resumed and kept up until the hours began to grow decidedly small, when guests departed, all well satisfied with the evening's amusement.

ANOTHER INDIAN SCARE.—The people of Yakima county, W. T., thought last week that another Indian war was about to burst upon them, and the reports sent abroad aroused the whole border country. It was reported that Moses' warriors, numbering about two thousand, were in open hostility, and troops and arms were sent for. Later reports, however, prove the trouble to have been greatly exaggerated, and there seems to be no immediate danger. Father Withur, in charge of the Yakima agency, asserts that the Indians are peaceful, and Chief Moses, who is peaceful, and always has been, feels confident that he can control the majority of them. Sometimes ago a family named Perkins was murdered by Indians of Moses' band, and the attempt to arrest the murderer is caused the recent disturbance. Father Withur and Moses were assisting the sheriff's posse in making the arrest, and some of the Indians offered resistance, when it was reported that Moses and his whole band were to be false, and tranquility is once more restored.

HAPPY MARRIAGE.

One of the happiest occurrences of this eventful week in Ashland was the marriage of Capt. O. C. Applegate and Miss Ella Anderson, on Christmas day. The Captain, who, as a quondam editor of the TIDINGS is well known to most of our readers, has by his generous qualities endeared himself to a wide circle of friends; the bride has grown into womanhood in the valley and has also many warm friends, and the wedding has been looked forward to with more than ordinary interest.

It had been announced that the marriage would take place in the Presbyterian church, and by twelve o'clock the building was filled with expectant friends and relatives of the bride and groom. At half past twelve the wedding party entered the church and took their places at the right of the altar, under a beautiful silk flag which was presented to the Mountain Rangers when Capt. Applegate was in command. Miss Rachel Applegate, the groom's sister, was bridesmaid and Mr. Sikes Worden, of Linkville, groomsmen. The bride and bridesmaid were beautifully dressed. The former wore a white alpaca, princess gown, trimmed with blonde lace, a tulle ash, also trimmed with blonde lace, and the customary crown of orange flowers. The bridesmaid's dress was of white swiss and very tastefully trimmed.

Rev. M. A. Williams, one of the pioneer ministers of Southern Oregon, performed the ceremony. In a short preliminary address he dwelt on the sacred nature of the union of man and woman, and spoke of a true, loving wife being the greatest boon God has given to man, after which he repeated the customary ritual, and pronounced the couple man and wife. He then offered his congratulations to the husband and wife, saying that he had given to each the best Christmas present they had ever received.

His congratulations were followed by those of other friends, and then the wedding party and guests proceeded to the M. E. Church, and partook of an excellent dinner.

The bride received a number of fine presents which were displayed at the residence of Mr. J. M. McCall. The list of gifts, and the articles each gave: Capt. O. C. Applegate—fine set of gold jewelry; Miss Rachel Applegate—pr. gold bracelet; Mr. Ives Applegate—two silver napkin rings; Mr. L. Applegate—walnut frame mirror; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCall—silver chest; Mr. Sikes Worden, forks and spoons; Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Anderson—fine bronze lamp; Miss Clara Anderson—silver sugar spoon; Mrs. Anna Anderson—silver cake dish; Mr. Gilbert Anderson—silver sugar spoon; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Baum—fine case; and spoon holder; Mr. and Mrs. H. Norton—silver butter dish; Mr. Eugene Rockefeller—silver pickle holder; Mr. B. F. Myer—fancy wall pocket; Miss Fanny Myer—white zephyr shawl; Mrs. B. S. Banks—fine handkerchiefs; Mrs. E. M. Anderson—silver hair kerchief; Capt. D. J. Ferree—saddle horse and band valise; Sikes Worden—china wash bowl and pitcher and photograph album.

Tomorrow morning it is expected the Captain and wife will ride for the Klamath Agency, where their future home will be. May happiness and prosperity follow and abide with them.

SABBATH SCHOOL TREE.

The following is the programme of exercises to be observed in Miller's Hall on New Year's Eve: Singing by congregation—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Prayer by Superintendent. Appropriate recitations by members of Sabbath School, interspersed by singing.

Address by J. H. Vandiver. Distribution of gifts from the tree. A cordial invitation to make use of the tree is extended to all who wish to make New Year's presents. All desiring to present from the tree will please hand the articles in to the committee at Miller's Hall during Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning. We have the promise of a young lady, Miss Welch, 32 inches high, weighing 32 pounds, 18 years of age. Doors open at 6 o'clock P. M.

By order of Secretary, A. M. STEINKELMER.

CHRISTMAS IN ASHLAND.

The morning was clear and bright, and was followed by as fair a Christmas day as could have been asked for. The streets were quiet until noon, when the churches began to fill up for the wedding and the Christmas dinner. After the dinner in the M. E. church, of which it seemed that nearly every one in town partook, the most attractive articles made by the ladies of the Presbyterian church were sold at auction, and the people took a rest of a couple of hours at home. About half past five the tide began to set in toward the Presbyterian church where the Christmas trees were prepared. It was first thought proper to seat the ladies first, as the house would be crowded, and as each lady came to the door she was compelled to leave her resort outside. This caused considerable surprise, and some complaint among those who were left, but it was seen to be necessary, for the seats were all filled by ladies. When the doors were opened to the men, there was a grand rush, and the building was literally packed. There must have been about six hundred people present. The exercises were begun by a song, and then Rev. J. R. N. Bell was introduced by Mr. W. H. Atkinson, and made a few appropriate remarks, after which the trees were unveiled. There were two of them, both reaching to the ceiling, and nearly fitting the whole eastern end of the church. The appearance of the trees, in description, was beyond doubt a finer display than was ever seen in Southern Oregon. It was estimated that there were fifteen hundred dollars worth of presents distributed. After the gifts were all handed around many of the audience adjourned to the M. E. church and took supper, and then Christmas was over. Altogether, it was as enjoyable a day as Ashland has ever seen.

Real Estate Transactions.

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President Lincoln's Humanity.

(General Green G. Smith.) While I was in Congress, during four years, I had frequent interviews with President Lincoln, and never, during all that time did I hear him utter an unkind sentiment. I was told by Secretary Stanton that at the first Cabinet meeting after the surrender, the question as to what to do with the Confederates in the hands of the Union was discussed. Some of the cabinet were for hanging, some for imprisonment, during the discussion the President sat at the end of the table with his legs twisted up and said: "Well, at last some one has appealed to him for his rights. The President's reply was: 'Gentlemen, there has been blood enough spilled, no another drop shall be shed if I can help it.' Said Mr. Stanton: 'This reply was like a thunderbolt thrown into the Cabinet, and not a word of opposition was offered.' A man who could use such language as that at such a time could truly subscribe himself, 'with malice toward none and charity for all'."

NEW LODGE, I. O. G. T.

On Tuesday, the 17th, a new lodge of Good Templars was organized at Brownborough, by J. B. Rigdon, under authority of the G. W. C. T. of the state. There are about fifteen charter members, and the lodge is named "Snowy Butte." The following was received from the secretary:

The following is the list of officers elected by "Snowy Butte" lodge for the current quarter: Rev. Simon McCallister, W. C. T.; Miss Mary Brown, W. V. T.; Dan. E. Morris, W. S.; J. H. Keamy, W. A. S.; W. H. Jaquett, W. C.; Manuel Miller, W. F. S.; Miss Anna Jaquett, W. T.; John Berg, W. M.; Miss Loua Miller, W. D. M.; John Miller, W. O. G.; Miss Mary Jaquett, W. I. G.; John McCallister, P. W. C. T.; Mrs. Sarah E. Jaquett, W. L. S.; Miss Callie Miller, W. R. S.; Dan. E. Morris, W. L. D. Motion made and seconded that Snowy Butte Lodge meet on Saturday evenings at 7 P. M.

Motion made and carried tendering brother John B. Bigden a vote of thanks for his kindness and liberality towards this lodge. Motion made and carried that a copy of the above be forwarded to the Valley Foundation and ASHLAND TIDINGS. DAN E. MORRIS, W. S.

Letter from Brownborough.

Dec. 19, 1878.

EDITOR TIDINGS:

The health of the people of this vicinity is generally good at present and everybody seems to be in good spirits, and anticipating a good time during the holidays.

For the past six weeks we have had unusually few we there for the time of the year. Enough rain has fallen to enable the farmers to plow around the foothills, and most of them have improved their opportunity and are pretty well through their fall seeding.

Stock looks well in this neighborhood. Quite a number of both horses and cattle are being raised about here. Sheep do not appear to do well. Perhaps they are somewhat like Brother Rigdon's horse—they have not yet learned the right kick for the sticky mud.

The society here is about an average for Southern Oregon; some first-rate people, and others pretty rough; some few Christians, some few infidels, and quite an amount of worldliness, but a better set of people are nowhere to be found.

Brownborough has two church organizations, one of the Methodist, the other of the United Brethren persuasion. Each of them have preaching once a month. We also have a good district school under way, with an attendance of from 29 to 25 scholars, some coming from quite a distance.

On the 17th, Brother Rigdon, of Ash and, made a visit to our neighborhood, and made it known that he would like to talk to the people on the subject of Temperance. A young lady and two young men mounted their muskets and started out to spread the news, and the consequence was an interesting meeting, and a new lodge of Good Templars, of which you have doubtless been already informed.

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KILLED THE WRONG MAN.—A Chinaman living on Applegate made an attempt about a couple of weeks ago to kill another Chinaman by exploding a can of giant powder under the house in which the first mentioned lived, but failed in accomplishing the object desired. The powder was exploded, however, but he received the benefit himself, from the injuries of which he died shortly afterwards. Deputy Sheriff Caton was informed of this attempted murder, and a warrant having been sworn out, proceeded to the scene for the purpose of arresting the guilty. He was found dead in the brush back of L. Chappel's farm one day last week, having died from the effects of the injuries received at the time of the explosion. It is probably unnecessary to state that the arrest was not made.—Sedalia.

NORTHERN PACIFIC R. R.—The Northern Pacific railroad is being gradually extended from the eastward, and its friends feel confident that it will be completed in a few years without any assistance from the government. The following is a copy of a dispatch from Frederick B. Hing, one of the directors, published by the Oregonian, under date of Dec. 19: "The great enterprise starts again, and this time I believe never to stop till completed. Bids were accepted to-day for construction of one hundred miles west of the Missouri river, to be completed by the 1st of November next. The contract for the remaining one hundred and five miles to the Yellowstone is deferred for the revision of surveys. Let friends have faith and take courage."

HOW INDIAN DOCTORS ARE SERVED.—A Fall river correspondent of the Savannah Daily says: Capt. Dick, the peace chief of the Fall River Indians, is dead. His death brought grief to the Medicine Men of the tribe. Three of them were hung, and two have fled to the Klamath tribe for protection. Capt. Dick sent for the Medicine Men, and desired them to undertake his case; this was a dangerous task as he was very sick, and if he died they would be held responsible; so they demanded their fees in advance, and stated a hundred dollars as the price, which they knew he was unable to pay. He called his people around him and told them he was too poor to pay so large a fee; and that the doctors were a nuisance to the tribe, and if he should die from neglect to do their duty, they should be hung. This they did faithfully, and made three more good Indians.

ASHLAND MARKET.

COLLECTED WEEKLY BY J. W. McCALL. Wheat per bushel 60 Cts. Oats " " 50 " Corn meal per lb. 10 " Flour per M. 17 50 Bran per ton 12 00 Mixed feed per ton 18 00 Side bacon per lb. 14 " Hams " " 16 " Shoulders " " 12 " Lard " " 15 " Butter " " 22 " Onions " " 02 " Potatoes " " 04 1/2 Eggs per doz. 15 " Dried apples per lb. 08 " " peaches " " 15 " " plums " " 25 " Hides, each " " 20 " Deer skins per lb. 18 " Soap, Ashland Factory per box " " 1.50 Wool per sack, each " " 75. Ashland blankets per pair " " \$1.50 to \$3 " Flannel " " 50 " Socks " " 50

ASHLAND MARKET.

WILSON BEASON'S RUSSEL ALFORD, M. D. W. H. MATTHEW.

GRAND BALL!

A grand ball will be given at MILLER'S HALL—FRIDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 27th, 1878.

Special Notices.

[Local notices under this head will be published at the rate of 50 cts for anything under five lines and 10 cts for each additional line. Special rates will be made with liberal advertisers.]

Patrons of Ashland School District No. 5.

Please come forward and settle immediately, hereby saving cost by order of trustees. W. C. DALEY, Clerk.

SETTLE UP.

All persons having accounts with the Pioneer store are requested to call and settle by the first of January, 1879. M. W. HAROLDINE.

Holiday Goods.

Go to McCall & Baum's; they have a fine assortment of them. 28-2w

We Want Money.

All persons indebted to us will please take due notice that we must have all accounts settled up by the first of January, 1879. Call for your bills. J. M. McCALL & Co.

TO RENT.

A good barn and one good sized room. Apply to W. T. Chapman, at the Evening place.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the Ashland Association of Stock Growers for the Destruction of Wolves and Badgers, that the time named in the agreement expired on the 1st of December, 1878, and the subscriptions are now due. Those desiring the continuance of the organization are requested to call and sign for the coming year, and those knowing themselves indebted for subscriptions are requested to call and settle at the Pioneer Store. 28-3w M. W. HAROLDINE.

Must Settle!

POSITIVELY—All those indebted to the undersigned must settle their accounts on or before January 10th, 1879. Our books must be balanced and we need the money. INLOW & FARLOW, ASHLAND, ORE., Dec. 10th 1878.

Cheap Wood.

John Chaudler has a big lot of good stove wood, at his saw mill, which he will dispose of at a trading sum of \$1 per load. Any one desiring to purchase to procure your stove wood at such low rock rates. (131f)

Saw Mill for Sale.

A HALF INTEREST IN THE SAW MILL and 120 acres of land near Ashland, belonging to the subscriber, is offered for sale at a bargain. The mill has a good saw and lathe machine and is doing a good business—running up to its full capacity. The object in making the offer is to increase the business. For particulars inquire at the mill, 28-3w JOHN CHANDLER.

Just Received.—Wagner & Anderson have just received a lot of farming machinery, which will be exchanged for wheat or cash. (1041f)

Notice is hereby given that all persons are hereby forbidden to use unlawful water as is needed at my mills at Phoenix. PHILIP W. OLWELL.

Installation and Supper, A. F. & A. M.

ALL MASONS IN GOOD STANDING are invited to attend the installation