

Sood, the election of coumcilma
On motion adjourned.
The snow at or Heppner is
The snow at Heppner is only abon udge the storm spent most of its force as one of the Columbia. Yesterday that section from the Cascades to ooster Rock. A genuine hurricane
that section of the river, driving the
now in blinding elouds before it, unti it conld find refuge in the protected
places. The railroad cuts were soon filled, in some places the snow being dited fifteen or twenty feet deep. The n record, met City, for the first tim ble to make headway against the gale returned to Portland.
ing. On a fortiand chaos reigns this mornday fell a heavy and persistent downpour of sleet. All atreet car linee wer braph sind telephone communication rat completely etopped, the lines bein down in every direction. The sleet ex ended east as far as Troutdale, the teleraph lines being down from that poin
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teadily all day and night, and thi norning lel ville the river is closed with ice.
The storm is remarkable for its seve
a and the narrow limits in which it all fury bave been expended.
Thousanas or Dueks. In the Bay Near
Elamath Falle.
The Klamath Fells, Southern Oregon Express, relates this wonderfol story:
"It will be a difficalt matter, perhap "It will be a difficalt matter, perhaps, bundance of game and fieh in this
county, to believe the following facts but they can be vonched for by nearly every resident of Klamath Falls. Las
week the bay adjoining town was frozen ver, excepting in the main channel of he river. The ducks that have been
requenting the apper lake and stream hereabonte congregated in the stream the waters. In an area of not more than sixty acres there were from 10,00 to 20,000 wild fowl. They remained for several days where they were unmolest sverage èastern sportsman crazy.
Charles Bowker last Saturday ou several holes through the ice at the up-
per end of the river, and in a few hours canght 150 pounds of rainbow trout, one fieh weighing seventeen pounds. Claud
Daggett and a young friend also caught thirty-seven fine trout, averaging three pounds in weight, in two houra fiahing. These trout, that would be anapped up in a city at 15 cents per pound, are hard

 Clubbing List.


Tortiund people got Bull Run water
(or S New Years preest, but very fortunataly they did not get in in their
stokkigs. There will be eervite in the Iutheran
 Regular meting of the $\mathrm{U}^{2}$-zao-ee',
mas been poatponed until next week Wo don'tilite to cant poopote in whie they gave it to us.
The Antelope Herald says that Mitch Wasco now county embraces 33 sections of Hon. Robt. Maye. Our contemporary is mistaken the Mays property alladed The snow has some disagreeable feat-
ures, bat the rainfall, so far, has been considerable under the average and th snow is needed. It will be beneficial to dant moisture for next spring's grass. Oataido of a few, a very few sleighs, gets besten down and packed a livelier appearance will be presented, but it is so to do the road making.
Some of our business men had thei
collecting done yesterday, but most o them put it off until today. The latter course evidenged wisdom as the bidewalke are in much, better condition, an
beeides the fellows who have the paying to do are much better natured. Mr. N. Harris, having leased th rooms formerly occupied as a drug store,
adjotning his atore, the partitions are being taken out, so that the whole corner up to Hertz' store will be occupied mmeuse new stock he is now selling off prices.


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the mine ther daily, and will have a veritable mining boom, We
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and that within the next yoar or two

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