

Local Matters.

Was the reading club we heard about only a rumor.

Intermediate examination at the college next week.

Wm. Murphy, from Marion county, is visiting relatives at Monmouth.

Miss Hoyt was called home Monday morning by her mother's illness.

Miss Mary Mescher and Miss Corda Byrd are visiting their Monmouth friends.

Do not send us any more orders for the Household. We regret that we cannot fill them.

Take your cutting and fitting to Mrs. Ross. She does her work neatly, quickly, and well.

Read the advertisement of I. G. Davidson, photographer, Portland, in another column.

Mrs. James Murphy, and her brother, Chris. Whitman, have moved to a farm near Silverton.

Mr. Snyder and family removed to Portland on last Monday. We wish them well wherever they may go.

Monday and Tuesday were days like early springtime, since then we have again had blue, dirty weather.

Mr. J. L. Riggs and family, of Perrydale, attended the wedding reception of Wm. Percival, at his father's residence at this place last Sunday.

Dr. Roberts, the dentist, of Independence, will be at Monmouth on Saturday next. Anyone wishing work done on their teeth will do well to make a note of the fact.

Having purchased a large stock of dry goods, clothing, boots, shoes, hats, caps, &c., before the advance in prices, I will sell my stock at the usual prices. Call soon and purchase your fall stock.

A. Wolf, Independence.

Mrs. Mary Shelley, of Independence, has been visiting in Monmouth for a few days. She is accompanied by a very young gentleman who attracts considerable attention. We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Shelley upon being the parents of so fine a boy and hope he may always be their blessing their comfort and their pride.

GOD BLESS YOU DOCTOR!!—Were the words of a poor Mother thanking Dr. Young for saving her child, who had been given up by some of Chicago's best physicians. Yes indeed! Thousands owe their lives to Dr. Young's Yankee Cough Syrup. The simplest and most pleasant remedy for the Lungs ever produced. Children will take it when they refuse all others. Your druggist will tell you he sells more of it than anything else. Ask him for a sample bottle. Millions give him away.

Summary of business done at the Money Order Office at Monmouth, Oregon, first six months, ending Jan. 6, 1880. Number of orders, 249. Amount of orders issued, \$5,120.31. Fees on same, \$36.85. Total, \$5,157.16. Amount of orders paid \$1,595.02. Amount sent to Department, \$3,562.14. Greatest amount issued in one week, \$1,189.75.

Sister Cook, of Corvallis, canvassed our town last week for aid toward building a Christian church in Corvallis. Though the people about Monmouth have been so constantly drained of their spare cash for Missionary purposes that they cannot give very substantial help, yet their best wishes are with the little band of workers at Corvallis, and they heartily wish them God-speed in their undertaking.

Our Sunday school commenced as usual at ten o'clock last Lord's day. Exercises opened with songs, reading of the lesson by Mr. Spinning, and prayer by the Superintendent. The classes, which are ten in number, were well attended and much interest was manifested. Class No. 7 reported two recruits. Total number females present 38, total number males 53. Regular teachers all present. Aggregate attendance 103. A. W. Lucas, Superintendent; Rosa Bently, Secretary.

A CURE WITHOUT MEDICINE.—A. Parkers Stomach Pad worn on the pit of the Stomach will prevent Diphtheria and all kinds of Fevers, and Ague. It will cure Liver Complaint, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Ague Cake and all the diseases of the Stomach and Liver. Worn over the womb it will cure falling of the womb and Female Weaknesses. Do not drug yourself to death. When you feel bad put on a Parker's Pad. Ask your druggist for it.

Czar of Russia.

We congratulate the Czar of Russia upon a narrow escape from an attempt on his life. In starting for Moscow, his baggage was sent on ahead, he starting soon after passed it and reached Moscow safely, while the baggage was blown up. A tunnel was found running to a house one hundred and fifty feet from the point where the explosion occurred. It is supposed the author of this hellish plot was suffering from a diseased mind superinduced

by severe pain in the back and kidneys. To prevent a repetition or like occurrences, it is said the Czar has sent to Hodge, Davis & Co., Portland, Oregon, for a large shipment of the OREGON KIDNEY TEA.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

PACIFIC COAST.

—The Constellation train ran into Corvallis on last Monday, twenty minutes past 2 o'clock for the first time.

—The Salem Mercury has moved to Portland with Walter H. Moss as sole owner.

—Lieut. Shelton of the 21st infantry died at Canyonville while en route from Fort Klamath to Walla Walla.

—Hay is now worth \$15 a ton in Jackson county. If they have another snow storm it will go to \$30.

—Letters from Puget Sound, says the Oregonian, state that the storm spent its fury south of the Columbia river, and that it was not recognized there as an extraordinary gale. No damage whatever resulted from it. The telegraph lines connecting Portland with Seattle, Port Townsend and the various sound cities are still down and cannot be repaired till the snow, which now lies deep north of Kalama, melts so that the prostrate wires can be reached.

—A young man named John Harrington, arrived at St. Vincent hospital in Portland, from the Cascades, with his feet frozen, last week.

—Chief Winnemucca and his daughter Sarah are on their way to Washington.

—The snow in the coast mountains, on the road from Roseburg to Coos bay, is about five feet deep, and the late storm prostrated trees so that it will be impossible to get horses through for some time.

—From the Statesman we learn that Mr. John Earl and wife are both quite sick at the residence of Mr. H. A. Johnson on Piety Hill.

—Some of the ladies of Salem, says the Oregonian of the 20th, are interesting themselves in a project to establish a female academy. They have already organized a society, with Mrs. W. H. Odell as president, the vice presidency having been offered to Mrs. Jos. Holman, and Mrs. Prof. Lambert corresponding secretary, together with other officers whose names we are unable to learn. They have requested prominent ladies connected with the church organization to aid them in securing the necessary fund which when collected, will be applied to fitting up the Wilson property near the capitol building and establishing therein a boarding school. Profs. Tower and Lambert are prominent movers in the enterprise. It will be conducted under the auspices of the M. E. conference, and remotely connected with the Willamette University.

THE STORM AT VICTORIA.—Friday afternoon a remarkable wind storm came on from the northwest. The glass previously fell to 29.60. The velocity of the wind for one hour was estimated at fifty miles an hour. The air became filled with particles of snow which had previously fallen and lay heavily on house-tops and trees. The wind soon increased to a howling tempest, and continued to fume and fret throughout the night. At midnight the cold was sharp, the snow was drifting badly and walks from which the snow of Tuesday had been removed, were covered again. Two persons in this city were caught in the storm and nearly perished before assistance came.

Butchers have raised the price of meat 30 per cent. in anticipation of a scarcity of feed and loss of stock within the past few days.

EASTERN.

—Schurz says the Utes must remove from Colorado.

—Frank Leslie, the well known publisher, died at his residence on Fifth Avenue, Jan. 10th, from fibrous tumor of the throat. He bequeaths all his property, real and personal and trade marks to his wife, Marion Florence Leslie. It is said his son will dispute the will.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The treasury department to-day purchased 420,000 ounces of silver for the San Francisco, New Orleans and Philadelphia mints.

New York, Jan. 18.—Gen. Grant and party have engaged passage on the steamship Alexandria, which is expected to leave for Havana on February 13.

—The president has nominated James Russell Lowell of Massachusetts, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to England; John W. Foster of Indiana, minister to Russia; Lucius Fairchild of Wisconsin, minister to Spain; Philip H. Morgan of Louisiana, minister to Mexico, and Eli H. Murray of Kentucky, governor of Utah territory.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Two and a half millions of United States four per cent. bonds were registered at the treasury department last Saturday in the name of Miss Jennie Flood, daughter of the bonanza capitalist. Her income from this present of her father will be just \$100,000 a year.

St. Louis, Jan. 12.—The Kansas extension of the St. Louis & San Francisco

railroad made connection with the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad at Severy Kansas. Permanent connection with the latter road will be made at Emporia, Kansas, in a short time, when St. Louis will have another through line to Colorado and New Mexico.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The senate has confirmed G. B. Corkhill, United States Attorney for the district of Columbia, and Cass S. Varian, United States attorney for the district of Nevada.

New York, Jan. 15.—Edison is at a standstill owing to the breaking of fifty of his horse shoes two weeks ago. He has failed to discover the cause up to the present time, but thinks the heat emitted by the light cracks the glass where the platinum wires enter the lamps and the air gets in. There are still fifty lamps burning, one having been used forty days. Edison and his assistants are not disheartened and are looking for the weak points.

Married.

At the residence of the bride's father, at Dallas, Oregon, by Prof. T. F. Campbell, William Percival to Miss Ida M. D'Lashmuth.

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PORTLAND, Oregon, August 2, 1879.

Having a severe backache last Winter, I was induced to try the OREGON KIDNEY TEA. I found it very beneficial in its results. It was more pleasant to take than other tea. I would recommend it to those afflicted as I was.

PORTLAND, Oregon, July 31, 1879.

While I was in Tillamook last winter, I was affected in my back and side eyes so that it was almost impossible for me to reach Portland. When I got here I was induced to try the OREGON KIDNEY TEA. I drank at my meals, the tea made from it, and it had a most radical cure. I can highly recommend it to all who are afflicted as I was.

INDEPENDENCE, Oregon, December 18, 1879.

Both myself and wife have been for some years afflicted with dis-ease of the Kidneys, and had tried many remedies without obtaining any permanent relief. About a year or two months ago we were induced to try a package of the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, which has apparently entirely cured both of us, as since taking it two weeks we have felt no symptoms of the disease. We can heartily recommend it to others similarly afflicted, as we believe it will do all that is claimed for it.

ASTORIA, Oregon, December 28, 1879.

I take pleasure in testifying to the merits of the OREGON KIDNEY TEA. For the past three years I have been suffering from kidney troubles, and during the time have tried nearly every kind of kidney medicine in the market almost without any relief. Having heard that the OREGON KIDNEY TEA possessed wonderful properties, I purchased a package, and from the first dose obtained relief, and by the use of the one package feel completely cured.

EGGERS CITY, Oregon, October 20, 1879.

I hereby certify that I was suffering from an attack of backache so severe that I went about doubled up and could not straighten up. I used one package of the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, and I am fully persuaded that I was restored by its help.

HARRISBURG, Oregon, December 31, 1879.

I have used the OREGON KIDNEY TEA for pains in the back, and I am satisfied with its effects, and do not hesitate to recommend it as a mild and safe remedy.

Z. T. SCOTT.

The OREGON KIDNEY TEA has done my wife as much if not more good than any of the many remedies she has used for pains in the back, and I believe it to be a good remedy for the diseases which it is recommended for.

HARRISBURG, Oregon, Dec. 31, 1879.

Some three months ago I was attacked with a severe pain in the back. I bought a package of the OREGON KIDNEY TEA and by the time I had used one half of it I was entirely relieved and have not been troubled since. I heartily recommend it to all who may be suffering from a lame or weak back, as a pleasant safe and good remedy.

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