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GOOD EVENING

AS IT BURDETTE WOLF.—This forenoon about 9 o'clock a man, plainly dressed, went to the house of Mr. J. A. Hatcher near the ice works, and asked something to eat. He was asked to go to the next neighbors, when he skipped out and ran at full speed along the street. The neighbor decried it was Burdette Wolf, the murderer of a man in Eastern Oregon also. This man probably some other else, perhaps of some other crime.

MUSICAL COMPANY.—Ellis G. Keef, president of Middaugh's Musical Company has been in the city arranging for the appearance of his excellent company on the 27th. The Helena Independent says: "Ming's opera house was filled the doors last night with a critical and appreciative audience. The attention was Middaugh's Musical Company in 'Our German Ward,' the applause the p'ayer's received during the performance showed that the noble notices the company has received from the eastern press were well deserved. 'Our German Ward' is a musical comedy and the people who appeared in it last night were good. The play is an interesting one, several realistic pictures, particularly a fine scene in the Rocky Cliff office. A number of singing and dancing specialties were introduced and well received.

GAMBLING AT PENDLETON.—The E. O. Money may be a little tight in Pendleton but there seems to be plenty of it with which to decorate the green table. There are reports in sporting circles to the effect that one of the big faro games ever seen in these parts will place Saturday night. The game what is known as a "flyer," and his Bengal tigers, was a fierce and ready and willing to tackle all comers. It did not lack for eager assistants. The game was unlimited, and some instances single bets of \$150 and were made. Frequently the position of over \$500 depended upon the flip of a card. The sport was kept up till 3 o'clock in the morning.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE.—The first session held at the court house Tuesday evening Dec 27th. A cordial invitation extended to all. The remaining evening will be held at the opera house, and lecturers have been secured and an excellent program will be presented each evening. The forenoon and afternoon meetings will be at the Albany College building. On Friday evening, the 30th, admission fee of 25 cents will be charged to help defray the expenses. We will have with us on that evening George Whitaker, President of the Willamette University of Salem, who has wide reputation as a lecturer. G. F. RUSSELL, Supt

SPRINGING.—Portland, a city of 70,000 citizens, brags over their postoffice being money orders in one day. Salem, a city of 12,000 population, issued 45 domestic money orders the same day, together with foreign orders to all parts of the world—and did not get them done for a newspaper. Statesman. That's the matter of Albany. One day a week Postmaster Moncith issued 32 orders. That would make our population 100,000.

Spokane crank has offered to walk to Reno, a distance of 1922 miles, in 96 days, promises to mail to each and everyone of the 880 telegraph poles a poster, \$10, giving the praise of Eastern Washington to this all. This pedestrian promises to wear a large rubber coat, rose colored in front and lead color behind, on which such beautiful and picturesque scenery and eminent people of that section shall be depicted. He wants two railroad fares and 50 in cash.

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ON THE SNOW

A big taste of Eastern weather. This morning about 5 o'clock it began snowing in Albany and kept it up steadily most of the time since. Very heavy water soaked flakes covered everything in sight, leaving a deposit of six to eight inches on the ground. The wind blew too, somewhat. The snow stuck to whatever it struck. Electric light wires dropped; ditty several poles. Too late to be repaired and there will be no lights tonight. Get out your lamps. Not a tick was heard over the telegraph wires. Down both ways. Part of the west wing of the O. F. temple succumbed to its weight. Others would have fallen but for prompt attention.

Both trains were on time at noon. Increasing snow north, decreasing south; first flakes at Riceville, near Oakland. First snow on the O. P. fifteen miles this side of Yaguna. Raining at the Bay. No snow at Lebanon at 9 o'clock, but rain. Some there now.

This is tame beside Tacoma's fourteen inches at 1 o'clock this morning. A little taste of snow will do us good. But let it go, the sooner the better, but this is the holiday season, as snow is not indignities to Oregon.

At press time a light rain was prevailing and snow melting slowly. All telegraphic wires are down.

Mrs. M. Senlers has been visiting Corvallis friends.

Miss Rose Krumbull left for La Grande this noon.

Mr. S. W. Paisley leaves this week for North Carolina, where he will spend the winter.

Mr. B. Magers, of Albany, is in town on a visit to his mother for a week or two.—Stayton Times.

License has been issued for the marriage of Geo. W. Simmon's of Tacoma, and Minnie F. Powell of Linn County.

At an entertainment at Corvallis tomorrow night E. E. Larimore will sing a solo, he is to duet, and take part in a comic quartet.

Hefflinger, probably the best foot ball player in the world is now a resident of Spokane, where he is working for the Great Northern.

Mal Magone, who recently walked from Union county to Chicago, at 80 years of age, will retire to the mountains, live like a hermit and write a book.

J. O. Writman, manager of the Farmers & Merchants Insurance Co., of Albany, was in the city Saturday looking after the interests of his company.—Roseburg Review.

Miss Mattie Martin, the artist, is making arrangements to locate in McMinnville. Miss Martin is a talented artist and a thorough teacher and deserves success in her new field. She has made many friends in Albany, whose best wishes she will take with her.

F. Co. will give a masquerade ball on the evening of January 2nd, which promises to be a pleasant affair. Following are the committees: Floor Managers, C. B. Winn, M. D. Phillips, Lieut. J. A. Cunningham, H. L. Walden, B. A. Murphy; Reception Committee, Capt. T. J. Overman, Capt. M. H. Ellis, Lieut. W. A. Humphrey; Invitation Committee, F. F. Combs, B. M. Payne, E. M. Horton.

One More Pioneer Gone: John Bilyeu was born in Overton county, Tennessee, July 23rd, 1824. While small with his parents moved to Indiana, from thence to Illinois. Then he was united with Nancy Workman in the holy bonds of matrimony, March 9th, 1848, and in the fall of the same year moved to Missouri. In the spring of 1853 he with his wife and two children started on the perilous journey across the plains to make a home in Oregon, arriving in the Willamette Valley August 10th of the same year, where he has made his home ever since, most of the time in Linn county. By industry, honesty and economy he and his wife made themselves a comfortable home and raised a large and respectable family, consisting of 9 sons and 5 daughters. His wife, 7 sons and 3 daughters and a host of relatives and friends remain to mourn his loss. After many months of patient suffering he on the night of the 18th of December, 1892, peacefully fell asleep. H. S. WILLIAMS.

FOR CHRISTMAS.—This week I will give a box of choice mixed candy free to each person buying a pound of my 50 cent tea. C. E. BROWNELL.

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NEWS

The Roseburg Review has the startling head of "America's greatest country newspaper."

Salem is getting metropolitan. It has a detective bureau. Public and private work done.

A Peasemist in valley exchange predicts a panic in the U. S. in a matter of three months, at least says it will be strange if it does not occur. Roseburg.

A Marion county legislator wants a law exempting property to the amount of \$1000 at least. This is in the interest of the poor man, and is worth at least a solid thought.

The San Francisco Examiner makes the startling announcement, that President Harrison will become a member of the faculty of the Leland Stanford University, and perhaps reside in California winters, probably a year.

The Jacksonville Times says: We received the customary call from S. P. Haslett, the great original printer of the tramp persuasion. Although he has "roughed it" for nearly 40 years, time seems to have dealt gently with the "Pilgrim," as he looks no older nor more careworn than he did 12 years ago, when he sold us our own composing rule, which he had filched from the Times office a few minutes before. He went south on Wednesday.

Salem is now a bee hive of gossip over a lately developed and fast developing scandal concerning the insane asylum. There must be some fire, judging by the amount of smoke that is omnipresent. This scandal should be investigated by the proper authorities and no guilty man allowed to escape punishment. Parties that are in a position to know, state the worst is not yet known to the public. If all, or even a portion of the reports are true somebody ought to be hung.—Woodburn Independent.

SKATING RINK.—Having purchased of Mr. Beam his skating rink at the Armory, I will continue to run it in a satisfactory manner to the public. Open every Thursday and Saturday nights for everybody. General matinee Saturday afternoon; matinee for ladies only Thursday afternoon. FRANK WHEELER.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—I carry the largest line of medium priced and good wearing boys, misses and children shoes in the city, and have just added a line of steel shod school shoes which I recommend to the trade. Don't forget that I repair any shoe I sell free of charge. S. E. YOUNG

Holiday slippers at Klein's.

Remember Conn & Henderson take Oregonian coupons on all cash sales.

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Most complete stock of groceries in city can be found at C. E. Brownell's.

Remember all boots and shoes bought of Klein Bros that rip, run over or soles come loose will be repaired by us free of charge.

HOME AND ABROAD

Turner's English Girls at the opera house tonight.

The school board of equalization failed to put in an appearance to day.

There is only one celestial laundry in Corvallis, "Sachet" having sold out to return to Ohio.

Miss Johnson has sold the Corvallis Times to J. P. Lewis. Mr. Johnson will continue to publish the paper.

The Sabbath schools of the city are all arranging for Christmas festivities. Most will have plain treat.

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The tax levy in Lane county has been placed at 25 mills.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UN- designed executor of the last will and estate of Joseph W. W. Read, deceased, has filed his final account in said estate, and that the County Clerk of the state of Oregon for Linn county has fixed, February 7th, 1893, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. of said day, for hearing objections if any to said account and for setting final order of said deceased. This the 18th day of December, 1892. DRUCILLA WIGLE, No. 2121. J. J. WHITNEY, Atty for Executor.