

Expressions.

Christmas. S. M. Garland will go to Portland today.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Miss Ola Smith returned from Portland Tuesday.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Methodist church this year.

Postmaster, Chas. Smith, returned from Portland last Saturday.

Mr. Pete Smith, of Selo, was in the city a couple of days this week.

W. S. Pound and Miss Sina Graham were married at Sódaville last Sunday night.

Read, Peacock & Co. has a nicely arranged Christmas tree in their show window.

A camp of Woodmen of the World will be organized here Friday evening, Dec. 21, 1894.

Dalglish & Everett are giving special bargains in furniture during the holidays.

J. E. Adcox the watchmaker can give you a firstclass fit in glasses. No fancy prices.

Don't forget the regular services in Miller's hall on Sunday morning and evening. All are invited.

Mr. J. C. Bilyeu visited Selo last Saturday and Sunday and accompanied his family home.

Udall Barrett returned home Wednesday from The Dalles where he has been for the passed year.

E. Adcox the watch maker, has a fine assortment of watches, chains etc., at prices that will astonish you.

Read, Peacock & Co. have both of their show windows artistically decorated for Xmas. Robt. Montague is the decorator.

Mr. and Mrs. Donaca and two sons, Fay and Mottle, have gone to Shoalwater Bay on a visit with relatives at that place.

The music department of the Academy will give a free public recital this evening in the Chapel. All who are interested in music are earnestly invited to attend.

A free lecture at the G. A. R. hall tonight, F. J. McHenry, head consul of Woodmen. Come and hear a good able address. Ladies are especially invited.

Mr. Matt Longberry arrived in Lebanon last Saturday from Grant's Pass in response to a summons that his baby was dangerously ill but at this writing his baby is much better.

Pearl Rehokah lodge 47, of this city at their regular election last Wednesday evening elected the following officers: Clara Boyle, N. G.; Ida M. Menzies, V. G.; Hattie Simpson, Reg. Sec.; Alice Kirk, Treas.; Addie Simpson, Per. Sec.

The reason that J. E. Adcox, the watchmaker can change a key-wind watch to stem-wind at a less price than others is because he does his own work while others have to send the work to Frisco or Chicago and pay \$7 to \$8 for having it done.

J. R. Templeton of Halsey, the father of Miss Iva Templeton, the young lady injured on the public highway in Linn county, by the breaking of a rotten bridge, was in town yesterday. We understand he will ask the legislature to grant his daughter some relief. Every one acquainted with the facts in the case would be greatly pleased to hear of his success.

L. M. Curl representing the state, and A. F. Stowe representing the defendant, went to Sódaville last Friday to try the case of the State vs James J. McAllister, arrested of assault and battery committed upon his wife. Six jurymen selected from the precinct jury list, after listening to the case and argument of counsel brought in a verdict of not guilty. They took but one ballot.

F. T. Cox was arrested Wednesday upon a warrant sworn out by a Mr. Young. He is charged with "Larceny by Bailment." A. T. Stowe is retained in his defense. There are many who do not believe Mr. Cox is guilty as he has an excellent reputation and upon the recommendation of his attorney and leading citizens the court did not hold him to bail, but released him upon his own recognizance. His trial will be held at 10:30 a. m., today.

Hon. G. E. Chamberlain, J. R. Wyatt and A. F. Stowe, attorneys for John M. Reiston, and Hon. J. J. Whitney and John M. Somers attorneys for J. A. Sturtevant et al., were busy Saturday, Monday and Tuesday taking evidence before Referee J. Fred Yates in this city. Wednesday morning the referee court removed to Albany and will resume the taking of testimony there Thursday morning. They will return to Lebanon next week to take the record evidence on behalf of the defendant. The case is a voluminous one and it will consume in all about three weeks in hearing the testimony.

Grandpa Cowan is in the city this week.

Feed oats for sale. Enquire of W. B. Donaca.

Fine Xmas candles at A. E. Davis'. Call and see them.

It wont cost you anything to look at Smith's Xmas goods.

Mr. A. B. Nickerson and wife returned from Portland last Tuesday.

If you have anything to sell or trade, call on Peterson, Ross & Co.

Smith's new holiday goods are just from the East. Do not fail to see them.

Get your Xmas presents at Miss Dumond's and get a chance at the bride doll.

Miss Alice Temple and Miss Pauline Adams will visit friends in Portland next week.

When you want to buy a suit of clothing you will save money by getting it at Bach's.

When you want a new hat don't forget Pugh and Munsey. They have the latest styles.

Those who patronize Pugh & Munsey always get the best there is in the market, at lowest prices.

Willis Dumway has been appointed private secretary of Governor Elect Lord. He is a former Albany "boy."

While you are waiting for your mail, come in and see what we have for Xmas. DALGLISH & EVERETT.

Young men, improve your time by going to school at Santiam Academy. Take the business course and fit yourself for usefulness in the business world.

Music lessons at the academy have been reduced from \$2.50 to \$2 per month. Harmony free to students taking lessons in any other of the music courses.

In the matter of assessment McClinton ranks first with \$49,485,105, Marlon second with \$8,184,029, Linn third \$7,608,270, Umatilla fourth \$7,316,093 and Lane fifth \$6,313,493.

These hard times we want to save all we can, but of course we have to eat, still you will save some by getting your groceries at S. P. Bach's.

To each purchaser of \$1. worth of goods between now and December 24th will be given a chance at the handsome bride doll. At Miss Dumond's.

The ladies of Lebanon and vicinity are cordially invited to call at the Ladies' Bazaar, when in Albany, and examine their elegant fall stock. Everything new and of the very latest styles.

Married at the residence of the officiating clergyman Elder Silas Williams, on December 15, 1894. Mr. Harry M. Perry of Linn county, and Miss Etta B. Arhart of Lane county. They have the best wishes of a host of friends.

Insure your property with Peterson, Ross & Co. They are agents for the Old Reliable, Home Mutual, New Zealand, Springfield of Massachusetts, Continental, and other good, reliable companies. They also have money to loan at 8 per cent, in sums from \$200 up.

Lebanon has a liar, a smart aleck, a pretty girl, a weather prophet, an old maid who chews gum, six woman who gossip, a man who knows everything, seven men who loaf, eleven boys who cut up in church, "a thing" that stands at church doors and stares at women, a widower to gay for his years and one or two men capable of running the U. S.

A local teachers institute will be held at Sódaville, Linn county, Friday evening and Saturday, December 21 and 22. Topics of interest to teachers and patrons will be discussed. Mr. J. M. Bloss of Corvallis College, will lecture Friday evening, Dec. 21. All teacher and patrons of the vicinity are cordially invited to be present and take part in the discussions. An interesting program of entertainment is being prepared.

Marshal Eastland in searching the city jail Sunday morning, found what was considered to be a dynamite bomb. This instrument was a piece of lead pipe about one inch in diameter and four inches long, both ends being securely plugged, and about the center of the pipe was a hole about the size of the body of a pin. After consulting with the city officials the marshal took the bomb, or whatever it may have been, and threw it into a deep hole in the river.—Eugene Guard.

The entertainment at the Academy last Friday evening was pronounced by all who heard it, a decided success. It is not often that the people of Lebanon have the pleasure of hearing so talented an elocutionist as Miss Vandereol. She possesses much talent in that direction, which with her originality, at once captivates an audience. The students of the music department of the Academy, who furnished the music, acquitted themselves in a manner deserving of much praise. The music was well selected and also well rendered, which shows that the students of that department are receiving thorough training. The entertainment was attended by a good sized and highly appreciative audience. Give us more entertainments of this kind.

Go to Miller for your holiday goods.

Xmas will soon be here. Call and see Smith's new novelties.

Mrs. J. E. Adcox and children are in Albany visiting her mother.

Go to A. E. Davis' for your Xmas candles, nuts, fruits, etc.

Miller is offering bargains such as never heard of before in Lebanon on holiday goods.

Get your prescription filled at M. A. Miller's.

Buy your stationery of M. A. Miller and you will save money.

All knowing themselves indebted we will please call and settle at once. M. A. MILLER.

Buy your holiday goods at M. A. Miller's.

Go to Hiram Baker's for your \$1.50 men and ladies' shoes.

The best groceries and furnishing goods at the lowest prices at Pugh & Munsey's. Try them.

Pugh and Munsey have just received a new line of furnishing goods, price them before buying elsewhere.

Dalglish & Everett can sell you fine presents that will give satisfaction, comfort and pleasure every day in the year.

Still lower, changing key-wind watches to stem-wind \$5.40 to \$5.55 by J. E. Adcox, the watchmaker at Smith's drug store.

A Friendship Christmas dinner at the St. Charles hotel, all for 25 cents. Everybody is invited. J. B. Thompson Prop.

Just to help us on our way, Boyd will make a reduction of \$1.00 on the doz. for photos to all those who have been married less than three months.

The new branch insane asylum at Union, in eastern Oregon is an assured fact now. Heretofore everything has been uncertain and doubt concerning the building of the new asylum but the money has been paid, the deeds made over and the state of Oregon finds herself richer by the possession of 629 acres of land and poorer by the expenditure of 25,000 of good, hard gold. The land purchased is reported as being very rich and fertile and is located one mile and a half northwest of the town of Union, in Union county. The price paid is a trifle over \$40 an acre.—Post.

A word to the public in regard to the Woodmen of the World, which is a branch of the order of Modern Woodmen which has been running for many years and never missed paying any death claims. The Pacific Jurisdiction has been running since 1890, over four years, and now has a membership of 29,000 members. Our risks taken are strictly firstclass, for we have no miners or railroad men, making less deaths by accident, therefore making the rate of insurance the cheapest in the world. What the benefits cost: \$1,000, twenty-one to twenty-eight years of age \$5.04; \$1,000, twenty-eight to thirty-five years of age \$5.70; \$1,000, thirty-five to forty years of age \$6.12; \$1,000, forty to forty-five years of age \$6.48 per year.

In the case of Effie M. Bodwell against Boley F. Bodwell Judge Burnett today filed his opinion and judgment with County Clerk Needham. He dismisses the complaint. His findings will be of interest and worthy of consideration by parties contemplating divorce. Ist. Each party is in fault as to the causes of their domestic grievances. 2nd. Neither party is entitled to relief against the other. 3rd. The plaintiffs bill and the defendants cross bill should be dismissed and neither party should recover costs or disbursements from the other. The judge's opinion is a sensible, able document, displaying an insight into human character and a respect and high regard for the marriage relationship, with the necessary forbearance on both sides that is very pleasing to witnesses.—Democrat.

Notice.

The first quarterly meeting for Lebanon M. E. Church South, will begin at 11:30 a. m., Saturday, Dec. 22, and will continue over Sunday.

W. S. MOLLOY.

Meeting Closed.

The meetings that have been in progress at the Presbyterian church for more than four weeks closed last Wednesday night. The interest manifested has been of the very best throughout the services. The meetings have been eminently successful in the principal purpose for which they were inaugurated. It was to bring all thoughtful people to a better knowledge of the fact that the church can work shoulder to shoulder from its denominations or families as a unit in accomplishing the evangelization of the world. There has been very little demonstration, but that a great deal of sound and sober thinking has and is being done by those who have not decided the all important question of life, cannot be denied. Dr. Guynne has been here one week and has preached every night to good appreciative audiences. The doctor is a very powerful preacher and evangelist.

He left yesterday morning for his home in Salem from whence he goes to eastern Oregon to be engaged in his work as synodical minister for the year of 1895.

WATERLOO RUMORS.

The contracted and protracted meetings are progressing. Revs. McVicker, Ploughman, Renshaw and book agent Hall are the conductors.

Our district will once more issue bonds to pay off the debt. We are bought off this time and can't say a word. This will be pleasant news for the reader, as our weekly kick seems to jar on the aesthetic taste of some.

In all our wanderings we never dreamed so great a whopper as the "Lebanon Post" composed. It is too bad he did not live in the age of Byron, and yet it is good for Byron as he no doubt would never have been noticed had this great rhymed dwelt on the same globe with him.

Friday evening we have a grand ball. Come and partake thereof. The 21st inst, is the date and it may be over before you see this, but we don't want anyone to be slighted—not even "Them Loud" who come from down the river and then kick when they get wrote up.

T. Kay came last Tuesday and the factory is being completed, looms placed in position and a general air of business is being assumed by the citizens. A new safe has been received and we have secured a private box therein for our valuables.

Do not forget the Christmas dinner—and don't forget to provide enough for six—don't forget and leave the basket, bucket, box or wheelbarrow containing said grub at home. We expect our neighbors to come loaded down as they have laid in several pounds of Graham.

Egg Brigade! attention. There is in our midst one who the strong arm of the law cannot reach, but who should receive a little reminder that this country has ceased to be inhabited by the noble red man who lashes his offspring to a piece of bark and stands him against a tree facing the sun to toughen his eyes. At this season of the year brutes and other like creatures—infants for instance,—require some attention and we trust the church or the "society for the prevention good" will give this matter their attention, else another Crawford episode may be chronicled to the credit of Waterloo.

Last Monday evening the welkin rang with cries only equaled by the unearthly screech of the steam calliope, but it was only Jimmie Wildly rushing through the streets like a lost soul through Purgatory, shouting "fire!" in dulcet tones that have won him fame in calling for Waterloo stum dances. Upon investigation we learned the W. D. Co.'s office had received a trifling damage caused by a defective fuse. The casualties of the occasion were as follows: F. A. Gleason, right arm scalded and slightly injured about the head by a falling board. Joe Klum, face disfigured and back lacerated by a projecting nail. C. W. Butler has not been seen since and we suppose he is still running as many supposed the office contained 800 pounds of giant powder, but it had been moved. We move that a fire company be at once organized with Jimmie as chief, and Gibbard secretary.

We would like to say a few words to parents about the way some little boys howl around o' nights but suppose a just Providence will avenge us for loss of sleep. At least that is the prayer of JAGGERS.

A Surprise.

Last Friday evening about 8:30 as Bina West Hiv No. 1 were holding their regular review, the Sir Knights of Linn Tent No. 7 and their wives came marching to the hall and made a charge on our picket and took possession of the ante-room and such a rustling as there was to get our goat corroled for we had just got through initiating. They rushed into the hall completely loaded down with eatables of nice chicken sandwiches, cakes and pies, coffee and cocoa. We don't know how they managed to keep it such a secret. It was all right. We were glad of it and hope they will come again for we had a nice time and enjoyed ourselves immensely for about two hours after which the hall was vacated of the Sir Knights and guests. The Hive was called to order and the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Past Sen. Lady Com., Ida Hardman; Past Lady Com., Sarah Saltmarsh; Lady Com., Polly Shaw; Lieut. Lady Com., Anna West; Lady R. K., Hattie Swan; Lady F. K., Alice Hyde; Lady Chap., Diana Penick; Lady Sergt., Lizzie Doug; Lady M. at A. Macy Elkins; Lady Sent., Elizabeth Beaman; Lady Picket, Ida Bennett. ALICE HYDE R. K.

John F. Miller Post No. 42, G. A. R., elected the following officers for the ensuing year Dec. 7th, 1894: S. A. Randle, Commander; Isaac Saltmarsh, S. V. Com.; Reubin Thom, J. V. Com.; Ephraim Boalar, Q. M.; J. M. Stokes, O. of D.; G. W. Crusan, Surgeon; Wm. Piper, Chaplain; Z. T. Bryant, O. of G.; Representatives to the Dept. Encampment, I. Saltmarsh and J. M. Stokes. Alterations: Marlo Hlekman and Z. T. Bryant. Trustees: E. Boalar, G. W. Crusan and G. P. Montague. J. F. Miller Adjutant.

Xmas, 1894

Call and See Our Xmas

Stock of Silk Handkerchives,

Embroidered Handkerchives

Mufflers

Gents' Ties and

Fancy dry goods.

LEBANON OREGON.

Read, Peacock & Co.

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**DISTURBED A MEETING.**

The good people of Aberdeen School District who held religious worship in the school house have been annoyed for some time past by a gang of persons who congregate outside of the building and with roined strings attached to the building and in other ways seek to disturb the meeting. Last Saturday evening they were making much noise and F. B. Powell, one of the members of the church went out to see if he could not induce them to be quiet. As soon as he was out he was surrounded by a mob of men, one of whom threw a club which hit him in the face inflicting an ugly wound over his right eye and which may result in loss of the eye sight. He believes he had sufficient evidence to establish the guilt of Jeff Hannah and Monday he caused a warrant to be issued for his arrest. The constable went out after him but he was missing until Wednesday when he came and gave himself up to Justice Lovelle. Mr. A. F. Stowe whom the church people retained to assist in the prosecutions appeared for the state and the defendant was placed under bonds to appear at 4 o'clock P. M. Thursday the 20th inst before the court for trial. He has retained S. M. Garland and J. J. Whitney as his attorneys. It is rumored that other arrests will follow, as after the congregation left the building Saturday night, six window lights were broken out and a large heavy pole 30 feet long was thrust through the transept of the front door. The time is past when such conduct is tolerated either by law or public sentiment and we hope to see the guilty parties punished to the fullest extent of the law.

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**Resigned.**

It will be a matter of regret to the citizens of Albany to hear that Rev. E. R. Pritchard has resigned the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church at this place. It is understood that he will accept the charge of the Presbyterian church at Puyallup, Washington. Mr. Pritchard and family will bear with them the best wishes and highest respect of our entire citizenship, and the hope that he may meet with the same success wherever he goes that he invariably met here in his pastoral ministry.

**An Imposter.**

Last Sunday a nice appearing and apparently gentlemanly young man with a burnt-umber complexion appeared at one of our churches and gave out the information that he was an Assyrian who was in this country studying with the intention of preparing himself as a missionary to go back to his native land. Naturally he was welcomed by the good people, who made much of him. Alas, for the frailty of the human mind! In the afternoon positive evidence was produced showing him to be a pretender. When confronted with the charge he confessed it, and stated that he was a podder. He was a shrewd and intelligent young man and distinguished himself in the morning Sunday school by his information and the excellent points he brought out on the lesson. And when asked to lead in prayer responded in his native tongue with what was supposed to be the Lord's prayer, but whether it was or not is now only a matter of conjecture.—Eugene Guard.

This man was recently in Lebanon and sold a good many goods under his representation that he was a student and missionary. He certainly is a good one.

A correspondent of the Roseburg Review tells an interesting story about a herd of wild cattle now roaming the mountains between Rouge river and the south fork of the Umpqua. Such a herd has existed, he says, for twenty years past, and now numbers in the neighborhood of 500 cattle. They are as wild as deer and difficult to approach. The practical harm they work is that gentle cattle belonging to farmers are enticed off and join this wild band. It is now proposed to round them up and kill them, if some equitable agreement can be reached as to the ownership of the recent additions and disposition of the remainder.

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12 sheets Fool's cap paper for 5 cts.  
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