

WEST SIDE TELEPHONE.

TELEPHONE WHISPERINGS.

Sherriff Harris was in the city Monday. T. H. Draper leaves for California in a week or two. An unusual number of people on our streets Saturday. Large numbers of fat hogs are being sold in this place. The hotel subsidy in Portland has reached \$61,400. The duck hunters Sunday averaged 7 ducks to the gang. For your fine Christmas presents go to Rogers & Todd's. Mr. Stant who has been sick at the Central is able to be up. Band practices every Tuesday and Thursday at Grange hall. Did you notice the commission auction house ad. in another column? Reuben Shuck was in the city Saturday, looking hale and hearty. For fancy toilet articles go to Rogers & Todd's they have many styles. Run every tramp out of the county or make them break rock on the roads. Large numbers of geese are reported in the wheat fields around this city. J. C. Cooper is doing some very neat binding for several parties around town. Mr. Steward has the contract for lathing and plastering Dr. Tucker's new brick. The question on every tongue, is, where are the county buildings to be located? There is some talk of starting a St. Andrews society in this city. Come on to Bannockburn. As Christmas is drawing near it will pay you to look at the advertisements in the TELEPHONE. Born to the wife of Dorris Hutchins, Monday, Dec. 12th, a ten pound boy, both doing finely. You can get four of the finest combs, in a neat little case, for 50 cents, at Rogers & Todd's. Geo. W. Burt has the largest stock of Holiday goods in Yamhill Co. Go see to bargain he has. "Uncle" Andy Shuck has been quite sick with erysipelas, but is now able to get around once more. Will Price and Charley Talmage launched their new boat last Saturday. Bucks want to look out. Mr. Braman Clark will soon open a furniture factory in his building on the corner of E and 5th streets. A large amount of damage was done all over the country by the storm. Astoria suffered quite severely. If you want any Holiday goods you will save money if you don't call on Geo. W. Burt and learn his prices. The weighing of the TELEPHONE stove will take place in S. A. Manning's on Saturday, the 31st of December. From the Courier we learn that Grants has in having a real estate boom. One day last week 24 lots changed hands. Williams & Hibbs are making pants \$6.50 upwards. Suits from \$28 upwards. Four first class tailors at work. No trace has been found of the two burglars who broke into Redmond's store, and escaped from the county jail with Jack Cooper. If you are in McMinnville, and want good meat or a good beef, go to the central hotel; only two blocks from the main business street. Farmers and their families will find Mrs. Stuart's restaurant, opposite the Grange store, just the place to take a meal, when in town. If you want to preserve the picture of your best girl go to Rogers & Todd's and get a becoming Album for the same. They have many kinds. A fine assortment of rings, watches, pens, pens, chains, pens, clocks and silverware can be seen at the McMinnville Jewelry store. Miss Ella Woods of this city is one of the best of the first grade certified explorers. S. V. C. Maj. Charlesham Rote-dam Cook, the hero of the "Red Rover" and the "Red Rover" and "Whickersham Throckmorton Booth, the famous hog boss, Jayhawk, Q. M. General Christopher Taylor, the hospital carving fiddler, Jerusalem Canticles Covert, sanitarium swashbuckler, chaplain; Howling Ahmoek Bull, the famous haversack and the "Red Rover" and "Red Rover" and the unique sausage picket, O. G. A HOLIDAY PRESENT.—Price the photographer will from this date until the first of January give as a holiday present one 16x20 bromide portrait to any person having one dozen cabinet photos made and paying for same when taken, all to be made from one negative. W. V. PRICE. TALK OF OPPOSITION TOGS.—The matter of extortionate charges for tugboat services at the mouth of the Columbia, is becoming a serious one. At present it costs 14s 6d per ton more to send wheat from Portland to Liverpool than San Francisco. It is rumored that manager Potter of the Union Pacific, is about to take the tugboat business in hand, and that if he does not some one else will. There ought to be two good tugs at the mouth of the Columbia which would contract to tow ships to Portland and back to sea at reasonable rates. It is not necessary that the work should be done cheaply, but reasonably. THE STRANDED YAQUINA CITY.—The steamer, Yaquina City, which went ashore on the sands near the entrance of Yaquina bay, and is now a total wreck, was owned by the Oregon Development company and had been on the Pacific coast only a few years, she was built by John Koch & Sons, at Chester, Pa., in 1877, and was christened the Galveston Texas, being intended for a Galveston packet. She was an iron ship, 231 feet long, 24 feet broad, and 15.2 feet depth of hold. Her tonnage was 1210.98 gross and 934.11 net. Her draught was 12.6 feet. She had on board sixty tons of freight and 300 tons of rock ballast when she went ashore. Her loss will be quite severely felt by her owners. The Yaquina came to the Pacific coast in the summer of 1884, and has made about one hundred voyages between Yaquina and San Francisco without any serious accident happening heretofore. The vessel is valued at about \$250,000. It is understood that the insurance was \$100,000.

J. F. Allison was in the city Saturday. Tacoma and Seattle are both on the boom. Just one more drop of rain mother. Get out. How to surprise a printer. Pay up a back subscription. The Old Fellows' new brick was finished up the other day. The Yamhill Rod and Gun club had a club shoot Wednesday. Prof. McDonald, the phrenologist is lecturing in Salem at present. Benj. Dow, of Muskegon, Mich., is visiting his old friend L. H. Cook of this city. When you want a stove trot into S. A. Manning and look at his fine assortment of stoves. They are direct from Chicago and are the well known Acorn stove. H. Edwards has moved into his property recently purchased from Jonas Howell. Uncle Tommy Shadden left for Eugene city Tuesday, where he will stay for some time. L. H. Cook is indefatigable in his efforts to keep the mud off the cross walk near his place. S. A. Manning has received an invoice of stoves. They are direct from Chicago and are the well known Acorn stove. John Handerson has about 400 acres of fine wheat as will be seen in several days ride. It is all up and looks nice. Miss Fannie Musgrove and Marion Carter were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony last Wednesday, at Lafayette. Mr. Crimmins, who took a dose of strychnine with suicidal intent, several days ago, is progressing slowly towards recovery. At the first club shoot of the Yamhill Rod and Gun club, Wiscoarver and Hibbs broke 8 out of 10, S. A. Manning, 7 out of 10. The "Yaquina" is fast going to pieces; so is C. Grissen's large stock of holiday goods because the sea of low prices is bearing it away. The sports around town are talking of buying Charley Cook's coyote and have a coyote chase Christmas. A little excitement, whoop it up. A question. When will the Oregonian let up on the Rev. T. L. Jones of Drain? The editor is in his glory when he can make a personal fight. Charley Cook has a queer pet. While in eastern Oregon he purchased a coyote which had been caught while young. When he came down he brought the brute with him. Tom Turner left Thursday for Portland where he is serving as juror in the United States court, under Judge Deane. He says there is no hope for him until about the first of February. Capt. U. Schroe, light-house inspector is making a tour of inspection of the light stations and buoys on Puget sound and adjacent waters, and is establishing station lights. He will return about Christmas. John Knight will sell at auction, on Dec. 24, two Wheeler Wilsons, one Singer, folding top, and one Howe sewing machine, will be sold to the highest bidder, at the store of Booth & Fletcher, McMinnville, Oregon. All guaranteed to be in good running order. Take me to the skating rink, won't you, papa dear? Let me slide upon the floor, it makes me feel so queer; Give me a quater pa; me and sister Kate; O! that's the very where I go, since Julia learned to skate. The grandest, most novel event of the season will be the Christmas Garden Promenade Festival to be given by the Home Social club at Garrison's Opera house on the 23d. The large room will be laid off into eight parts, each part large enough for one set to dance in. Flowers of all kinds will be in the room. Every person going into the room will be presented with a nice button hole bouquet by a handsome young lady. Every one should attend this novel entertainment. Last Saturday the old veterans of Oregon Post, crowded together, and after hog bossing and hard tack for an hour, elected the following officers: Col. Jonadab Antonio Peckham, the hero of midlark flat, P. C. L. Col. Conrad Yehomeck Street, the central African explorer, S. V. C. Maj. Charlesham Rote-dam Cook, the hero of the "Red Rover" and the "Red Rover" and "Whickersham Throckmorton Booth, the famous hog boss, Jayhawk, Q. M. 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South Precinct. The fall grain is growing fine since the rain. The overflow done no particular damage. Last week the young people enjoyed a jolly dance at the residence of Mr. Jolly. C. A. Wallace has built a new addition to his barn. Miss Heater is teaching school in the Geo. Olds school house. Mr. Jolly is suffering with the rheumatism. Frank Rhodes is teaching school in the Muddy district. Eliza Wright's new home helps the appearance of things in this neighborhood. John Jolly went to Portland last week on business. He reports times lively at the metropolis. ONSAVAR. A BOLD ROBBERY. A Man "Held Up" and \$180.00 Taken Out of His Boot. Sunday evening between the hours of 8 and 9 as Harry Hembree of East Portland was coming back to this city from a visit in Lafayette, two men jumped out from the ditch on the side of the railroad as Hembree was crossing it. One of the men caught the horse by the bit and the other pointed a revolver at Hembree's head and ordered him to stop out of the buggy, Mr. Hembree done as requested and was searched but no money was found. Hembree had shown during the afternoon a purse containing considerable coin and the men undoubtedly knew of this as the other one said "pull off his boots" which was done, and \$180 was taken. Mr. H. wanted his boots but was told to "go to h—l" and the boots thrown away. Up on his arrival at this city the Marshal was informed of the occurrence, but nothing could be done until morning, when the boots were found but no clew of the robbers. Jack Cooper Caught. Sunday morning, Sheriff Harris, accompanied by Tom Nelson and Joe Houston went to the house of Ansel Odell and routed out Jack Cooper, the escaped sheep thief. It has been suspected that Jack has been hiding in this neighborhood. Sheriff Harris broke open a bedroom door and looking under the bed saw a couple of feet; sliding the bed back, Jack was seen snugly concealed behind the head of the bed with a sheet over him. Perspiration was oozing out of every pore and his face was white, no doubt from thinking of the seven years which is liable to get. For Sale. A well established Millinery business in the thriving city of McMinnville, reasons for selling out fixtures and goods, too much business, having charge of a restaurant. For particulars call on or address Mrs. H. P. STUART, Opposite Grange store. For Sale. Two lots with good house, well, and barn, situated in a desirable part of the city of McMinnville Or. A good warrant deed will be given to purchaser. The terms are cash. For information concerning this property call at the Telephone office, McMinnville, Or. A MAMMOTH COMPANY.—The Oregon horse and Land company, whose headquarters are in Fremont, Neb., occupy a ranch on the west side of Snake river in Malheur county, Oregon, says the Shoshone Journal, which covers a tract of country one hundred miles long by seventy-five miles in width. Upon this immense horse farm there are three or four stations where the men in charge of the stock live, and at one of these stations sidetracks and corrals are located, where the horses are loaded into cars for shipment East. At all times they have on the place an average of 4,000 head of horses, which are by no means the Indian ponies of the plains but good sized, well shaped American stock, which is being constantly improved by imported and high grade stallions of the best blood. This season the Oregon Horse and Land company have shipped from Idaho and Oregon to their sale yards and stables at Fremont about 1,100 of horses. Home Produce Market. Corrected for the TELEPHONE by Baxter & Rogers. Wheat, per bu. 62c Oats, per bu. 45c Flour, per bar. \$8.75-9.00 Apples, per box. 25c Butter, per lb. 25c Cheese, best, per lb. 25c Eggs, per doz. 15c Apples, dried per lb. 12c Potatoes, per bu. 9c Bacon, sides. 10c Ham, sugar cured. 10c Chickens, per doz. \$2.50 Ducks, per doz. \$2.50 Turkeys, per lb. 10c Home Testimony. Acker's English Remedy for Coughs. Forest Grove Nov. 16th. We are Acker's English Remedy in our family whenever we are troubled with coughs, sore throats, and we consider it the best and most reliable cough medicine we have ever used. E. C. Hughes, Hardware Merchant. Acker's preparation for sale by Geo. W. Burt. LUTHER ELKINS DYING.—The Albany Herald states that Luther Elkins, one of the oldest pioneers of Oregon and an early settler, is dying at the home of his son at Labanon. Mr. Elkins was president of the senate in 1862, and, though a democrat, cast the deciding vote which elected Col. E. D. Baker, and James W. Nesmith, United States senators, defeating Delazon Smith and Gen. Joseph Lane. A sequence of political events made it necessary for the legislature to elect two United States senators at that term. For this act Elkins was never forgiven by his party, although time has shown that he acted conscientiously at that time. Mr. Elkins was the head and front of the Albany ditch enterprise and was also connected with other important improvements.

NEWS IN GENERAL. The attitude of Heppner, Or., is 1900 feet. The Crown Prince of Germany is improving. The average life of an iron bridge is from 20 to 25 years. The stranded steamer Yaquina, broke up on Sunday morning at 2 o'clock. The Republican Convention will be held in Chicago, Tuesday, June, 19. There are 500,000 bushels of wheat stored in Fandenton awaiting shipment. 45,000,000 acres of land have reverted to the Government since March 4, 1885, and W 1/2 of N W of sec. 27, T 3 N R 10 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Wm. Schollmeyer, H. H. Schollmeyer, Henry Ober and F. Lang, all of Nehalem, Tillamook county, Oregon. W. T. BURNETT, Register. Special Offer on the Century Magazine. 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The St. Charles Hotel. Sample rooms in connection. Is now fitted up in first class order. Accommodations as good as can be found in the city. S. E. MESSINGER, Manager. Notice for Publication. LAND OFFICE at Oregon City, Or., Nov. 26, 1887. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the county clerk of Clatsop county, Oregon, at Astoria, Oregon, on Friday, January 13, 1888, viz: Wm. Tubbsing, pre-emption claim, No. 4887, for the W 1/2 of S. and W 1/2 of N W of sec. 27, T 3 N R 10 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Wm. Schollmeyer, H. H. Schollmeyer, Henry Ober and F. Lang, all of Nehalem, Tillamook county, Oregon. W. T. BURNETT, Register. Special Offer on the Century Magazine. 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