

Newspaper Decisions.

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NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that MR. C. E. FOSBER has associated himself with the "YAMHILL REPORTER" and is interested in the publication thereof.

OUR PEER-REVIEW.

We want money.

Stand at Robison & Baker's.

Make ball at Amity, next Monday night.

You will find a few holiday goods at L. A. S.

Ladies and Mens frocks and Ulsters at H. Fisher's.

E. J. Wright, of Perrydale was in town yesterday.

Popcorn is cheap at B. F. Hartman's, for Christmas.

Carties for 1884 at Robison & Baker's.

The finest line of Christmas cards at Rogers & Todd's.

More Christmas goods in town than you saw before.

All the standard edition of Poems at \$1.25 at Rogers & Todd's.

Don't forget to try some of that maple sap at B. F. Hartman's.

James Hill & Co. have been filling in Third Street Lake the past week.

Teachers' meeting at Lafayette, Friday night and Saturday next.

Don't fail to get some of those nice cranberries at B. F. Hartman's.

Large invoices of Boots and Shoes was received last week by H. Fisher.

Pleasant party out at the residence of B. Phillips, last Friday night.

Crab books, writing desks, fancy boxes of stationery at Rogers & Todd's.

These new walks about the new Baptist church are a great improvement.

Experience teaches us that the maple syrup that B. F. Hartman sells is pure.

Remember that B. F. Hartman gives 10 per cent discount on all goods for cash.

Rev. James Matthews will preach in this city, next Sunday, at 11 o'clock, a. m.

An article on the Women Suffrage question was published this week, for want of space.

Rev. J. Hoberg, of Lafayette, occupied the pulpit of the M. E. Church, last Sunday.

We were pleased to meet H. Z. Foster, Esq., Sheridan, on our streets, last Thursday.

John H. Derby nixed down in Third Street with a load of cabbages, last Thursday.

Rogers & Todd have the best lot of Perfumery and Toilet goods for the holidays.

Johnny Flynn is up from California to attend the holidays with his relatives in Yamhill.

Christmas trees at Mohawk Hall, Monday evening, Dec. 24th—four days from this date.

If you want a nice Christmas present, don't forget to see those nice things at B. F. Hartman's.

The Henry Kernay farm is to be sold at administrators sale next Saturday, Dec. 22, a. m.

The ball to be given by Custer Post Band will be on the 28th—one week too late for the night.

Mr. Ira Snow, of Renton, W. T., is downing her relatives and friends in this section a visit.

Ms. Orafin Parker has been quite ill during the week.

Lady Henry Warren was slightly under the weather, last week; but he attended to her, all the same.

Dr. Trullinger's Excelsior Liniment for all cuts, bruises, eczema lumps, pain in the head, sore throat etc.

Welch has a new gun at his shooting gallery. "She's a daisy." Go up and try it. Shots for ten cents.

Mr. John Haney and family, of Lafayette, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bingham of this city, were in town, last Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Campbell was elected by the City Council to fill the vacancy caused by the inability of Mr. McIntire.

Yek's Bad Boy, Mrs. Holmes' works, children's books of all descriptions, etc., can be had at Rogers & Todd's.

A social party at the residence of Dr. G. F. Fisher, last Thursday evening.

Do not forget that it is but a short time till Christmas, and B. F. Hartman has the nice goods that are cheap.

The "Baptist Beacon" will be issued from the office the first of the year, with Rev. G. Burchett as editor and proprietor.

Dr. Trullinger's Condition Powders, blind staggers, loss of appetite and all stomach, liver, blood and kidney difficulties.

Sounds natural enough to hear the old stage bell again, though its tones are not so sweet as when it was in the old tower.

If you want something good to eat on New Year's eve, get some of that Pure St. Mary's Maple Syrup at B. F. Hartman's.

Rev. J. G. Burchett will preach a Gospel sermon at the Baptist church, on Dec. 23rd, at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited.

If you want a nice present for your girl, sister or mother-in-law, go to Blackburn & Peckham, Carlton, and you will find it.

Mr. James Berry, a tyro, formerly of Oregon, Illinois, but now of Portland, came up to spend Sunday with C. E. Cooper, of this city.

Mr. J. Morrison, of the lively firm of Burns & Morrison, Dallas, was in town one day last week with one of the firm's "sparking" teams.

Go to Blackburn & Peckham, Carlton, and you will find their large stock of Christmas goods, which they are selling at prices lower than elsewhere.

If you noticed the beautiful colors of the heavens before and after sunset, for the last two weeks. Scientists disagree as to the cause of this.

If you should not get your REPORTER until after next week, just bear in mind that it's holiday. We'll try and bring her out on the 10th.

There was some foot-racing among the boys on Saturday last. The race: money was "chin-music"; nobody hurt, but lots of fun.

Writing desks at Robison & Baker's.

The "Bamboo" corset to be had at H. Fisher's.

Frank Fenton will locate at this place and practice law.

A. McN. Harrison and Lucy Tucker were married to Judge Loughery, at Lafayette, last Thursday.

A. L. Saylor, Esq., and Col. Chris Taylor, of Dayton were in town Tuesday.

Hon. D. W. Fenton and his brother Frank, of Lafayette were in town yesterday.

Capt. A. J. Apperson, of Oregon City, was up on a visit of several days, during the week.

Christmas cards at Robison & Baker's.

Call at Rogers and Todd's and see those fine color cases, autograph and photograph albums, Bibles, gilt Poems and other miscellaneous books.

There is nothing like a second fiddler, even if they don't do anything but go through the motions, and strike a discord occasionally; is there Charlie?

James O. Spencer, Esq., came up from Clifton one day last week and paid his Yamhill home a short visit. He appeared in the best of health and spirits.

It would be terrible if an affable, courteous railroad conductor should have to throw away a good pair of suspenders. Now don't ask us what this item means.

We noticed last Sunday, G. W. H. putting on style; it is indeed a noble set of clothes he wears. Can you guess where he bought it? Ask H. Fisher, probably he knows.

Choice lot of Tahiti Oranges, lemons, figs, nuts, (new crop) and candies in endless variety, at "Santa Claus' Headquarters," which is at the Bakery and Confectionery.

And still they are coming. Silk handkerchiefs, Gloves, Mitts, Ladies and Misses hose, Lace ties, fish-eyes, elegant slippers, all suitable for nice Christmas presents, at H. Fisher's.

Go to Wm. Holl's and see that silver set that some lucky man is sure to get away with on New Year's day. Buy \$5 worth of jewelry and you get a ticket entitling you to a chance.

Mr. McGuire wishes those parties who are shooting pigeons on his premises, to desist as they are not only destroying his property but are liable to shoot some one of his family.

Lafayette Lodge No. 3, F. and A. M., will install officers in the presence of families and invited guests, on the evening of Dec. 27th, and you may be sure that they will have a glorious time.

Dr. W. Tyler Smith has returned to Yamhill after an absence of more than a year and has located at Sheridan, where all who are in need of a trustworthy physician can find him. See card.

Remember that with every \$5 worth of jewelry purchased of Wm. Holl, the purchaser is entitled to a ticket to the lottery where a full silver set valued at \$60 will be drawn on New Year's Day.

Carlton speaks! Yamhill to the front! The only wild turkey on the Pacific coast can be had at Blackburn & Peckham's who have a fine assortment of holiday goods, at prices lower than the lowest.

Postmaster Turner tells us to inform this public that the postoffice will be open on Christmas day between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock, only. So be on time if you wish your mail on that day.

The "Wilson" cabbage is the largest we have ever seen and was brought in by John H. Derby, Yamhill's famous gardener. He brought in two, and either of them would go into a good-sized wash-tub.

If you wish to save costs, you must settle your account by the first day of January, 1884. All accounts not settled by that date will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. D. L. CORNER.

A traveler in a two-wheeled vehicle, while passing through town Tuesday, nixed down at the edge of Third Street Lake. After some trouble, with the help of others, he was helped out and went on his way rejoicing.

Bear in mind, that you can buy candies and nuts at the McMinnville Bakery and Confectionery at Portland prices, retail and wholesale. Christmas presents of all kinds will be sold cheaper than ever before.

Once more we wish to call the attention of those indebted to us, that we must have our money by the 31st of December. We cannot wait any longer. This is the last call, so look out and save yourselves costs.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. have circulated a petition praying the City Council to not grant license for the sale of liquor in the corporate limits. We have not seen the document, but understand that it has been quite numerously signed.

It has been rumored that our gunsmith, G. L. Parker, had sold out his business in this place, which is a mistake. He is still at his old stand and as full of business as the remainder end of a bald hornet; and don't you forget it.

No other medicine has won for itself such universal approbation in its own city, state, and country, and among all people, as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the best combination of vegetable blood purifiers, with the iodine of Potassium and Iron, ever offered to the public.

Mr. L. A. Newby has for sale a piece of choice city property in the eastern portion of McMinnville. The property consists of about three acres of land—that for gas generating purposes none better can be found—with a good dwelling. For further particulars call on or address L. A. Newby.

A clear head is indicative of good health and regular habits. When the body feels heavy and languid, and the mind works sluggishly, Ayer's Cathartic Pills will wonderfully assist to a recovery of physical buoyancy and mental vigor. The constipated should use them.

Gus, the butcher says: "If you want some of dot, gutter-log come right along." When Mr. Bangasser returned from the East he brought with him a sausage-mill and chopper, and now they are prepared to make sausage to order and on short notice.

FATE LADY! While that lover of yours is cunningly his brain in feverish anxiety in search of a suitable present for you, give him a gentle hint that one of these elegant boxes of ladies' paperette, neatly printed by Snyder the Printer, would be "just the ticket." No nester gift than this can be devised.

There will be a grand Masquerade Ball given at Alderman's Hall, Amity, on the evening of Dec. 24th, to which a cordial invitation is extended to all. There will be good music, good order—in fact everything of good music, good order and enjoyable time to all who may attend.

Officers of Sterling Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, of McMinnville, elected for the ensuing year: J. C. Cooper, H. P.; H. V. Johnson, K.; J. F. Wieseaver, S.; A. H. Holden, Sec.; C. D. Johnson, Treas.; G. F. Tucker, C. H.; J. A. C. Frazier, P. S.; G. W. Talmage, H. A. C.; J. F. Callen, J. G.; J. G. Snitter, 2d V.; A. L. Saylor, 1st V.; W. H. Bingham, Sent.

As there has been nothing in the way of amusement during the holidays, it has been suggested by several of our Ninards that we should have a grand hunt and supper, to be held on a date to be decided upon at a meeting to be held at the Fireman's Hall on Saturday next. All lovers of sport are requested to be present at this meeting.

On Thursday, Dec. 27th, there will be a meeting of parties interested to incorporate the "Western Industrial and Elocutionary Association." The capital stock of this association will be \$10,000. In the meantime parties will canvass McMinnville for the purpose of raising means for the building of a pavilion, and we hope our people will respond liberally as it is a matter in which they are all interested.

CHRISTMAS TREE PROGRAMME.

Following is the programme prepared for the Christmas Tree at Mohawk Hall, on Monday evening, Dec. 14th, 1883.

Music by Custer Post Band—at the door.

Music by M. U. Gortner assisted by others.

Prayer by Rev. E. Russ.

Music by Custer Post Band.

Address by Rev. G. J. Burchett.

Music by M. U. Gortner assisted by others.

Tableau.

Music by band.

Distribution of presents. Cos.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCERT.

The big, little, old and young officers, teachers and pupils of the Union Sabbath School, are all happy over the successful termination of their concert last Friday evening.

The C. P. church house was filled with an appreciative audience, who listened to the following programme, that was just long enough, occupying an hour and ten minutes:

"Arise and Shine"—full chorus.

Reading Scripture by Superintendent D. C. Narver. Matthew, 11th chap.

Prayer, by Rev. A. J. Hunsaker.

Quartette, "Sabbath Chimes"—Mrs. A. V. R. Snyder, Miss Nellie Gortner, Messrs. M. U. Gortner and D. C. Narver.

Declaration, "Christ and the Children"—Johnnie Manee.

Chorus, "There's a Work for each of us"—Little folks.

Solo and Chorus, "Where is my Boy tonight"—Mrs. A. V. R. Snyder, Nellie Gortner, Messrs. Gortner and Snyder.

Declaration, "Passing"—Lillie Newgard.

Song and Recitation, "What did Jesus Say"—Mrs. Whyndham and class, of 7 little girls and Miss Shobe.

Recitation, "The Boot Black's Bonquet"—Lewis Cooper.

Chorus, "Jewels"—Little folks.

Recitation, "Home Coming"—Susie Braly.

Chorus, "Beyond the Smiling"—Mrs. A. V. R. Snyder, Nellie Gortner, Messrs. Gortner and Snyder.

Recitation, "From O'er the Sea"—Miss Franco.

Solo and Quartette, "Too Late"—Mrs. G. G. Bingham, Mrs. Whyndham, Nellie Gortner, Messrs. Gortner and Narver.

Quartette, "Christ Stilling the Tempest"—Messdames G. G. Bingham, G. W. Snyder and Messrs. Gortner and Narver.

A collection was taken up and the sum of \$7.85 was realized therefrom. We must commend the foresight of the officers of the Union School in starting out on the concert plan. It is not only a pleasant pastime, but it gives the young an opportunity to take part in exercises that will be of lasting benefit to them. Let the good work go on.

DAYTON, Dec. 18, 1883.

Boys grinding up their skates.

Peery & Harris have their store thoroughly refitted and have just received one of the noblest holiday stocks we have seen this season.

John Grames is very low with cancer of the stomach.

Sheriff Collard was here collecting taxes, last Friday.

W. F. Gilkey and wife returned from Eastern Oregon, yesterday.

R. L. Harris has been elected City Treasurer for the ensuing year.

J. H. Olds, of Lafayette, was in town on business, last Thursday.

Mr. J. Wheeler and family, relatives of Wm. Ciemens, arrived from Iowa via the N. P. R. R., a few days ago, and intend to make Oregon their future home.

Mrs. E. Hansen continues to improve, slowly.

Mrs. G. B. Abdell, who has been very low for some time past, is convalescent.

Rev. Parsons, pastor of the M. E. Church at this place, has been holding a revival at the Webfoot church during the past week. Several persons were converted.

Dr. Mills will leave for California, in a few days, as his physicians say he cannot recover until he gets into a warmer and dryer climate.

Several of our young folks attended a social hop at the residence of James Mortgage, last Friday night, and report having a very pleasant time.

Luther Fletcher, with characteristic enterprise, has started a shooting gallery in the rear end of his meat market, and judging from the amount of "racket" we hear about there, it is well patronized.

Mr. S. P. Lee, who for the past 13 years has been employed by the O. R. & N. Co. as purser on the steamer Orient, running to this place, has resigned his position with the company. He was an accommodating and efficient officer, and his many business acquaintances here regret that he has seen fit to resign. He is succeeded by Mr. Firman LLOYD.

CHURCH NOTICE.—The Baptist Church of McMinnville now has preaching at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m., every Sabbath. Sunday School at 12:30. Prayer meetings at 6:30, p. m., Thursday evenings. The college bell, at the new building, will be rung one-half hour before each of the services.

G. J. BURCHETT, Pastor.

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT

Of the City of McMinnville, Oregon, for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1883:

Bal. on hand Dec. 26 1882, \$830 39

Rec'd for dog tax..... 28 00

Liquor license..... 750 00

Billiard table..... 40 00

Miscellaneous license..... 161 25

Sale of stock..... 49 25

Fines..... 88 50

Total receipts \$1947 39

EXPENSES.

Books and stationery..... \$ 26 80

Marshall fees..... 163 35

Rent of Council Chamber..... 55 00

Attorney's fees..... 117 00

Rec. fees, G. G. Bingham..... 1 65

" " A. B. Baker..... 68 29

Printing..... 21 75

Repairing fire apparatus..... 41 25

Street improvement..... 109 65

Salary of night watch..... 81 04

Witness fees..... 7 50

Jury fees..... 9 00

Ex. of election in 1882..... 8 00

Ex. of election in 1883..... 8 00

Repairing cistern..... 54 25

Filling cistern..... 29 00

Street lamp..... 5 87

Treas. fees, Wm. Campbell..... 50 00

Furniture for Council room..... 50 15

Stove for jail..... 7 00

Coal oil..... 5 20

Co. Clerk's certificate..... 12 50

Surviving..... 6 50

Sundries..... 11 70

Firemen's Uniforms..... 350 00

Rent of Fireman's Hall..... 80 00

Total Disbursements \$1256 76

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1883 \$ 690 63

Amts. and warrants..... 88 29

Out. on hand above liabilities \$ 443 43

CLASS RECEIPTS.

The Senior Academic class of McMinnville College were invited to spend the evening, Friday the 14th inst., at the residence of Prof. W. J. Crawford. The members, with their ladies, responded promptly at 7 o'clock.

There were over twenty present, and the time was spent very pleasantly. The chief events of the evening were a rich repast and the presentation of a handsome casket, with a napkin tag to match, by the Class. The presentation speech was made by Miss Ida Skinner, and responded to by Prof. Crawford. The Class think they never had a better time.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The following is a report of the Newberg school for the month ending Nov. 24th, 1883.

The ranking scholars in the A class are Arthur George and Frankie Hobson; B class, Clarence Edwards, Alice Hoskins and Alvin George; C class, Willie Hobson and Albin George; D class, Oran Edwards. The names of those who have not been absent or tardy during the month are as follows: Arthur George, Frankie Hobson, Clarence Edwards, W. J. Hoskins, Rosa Vickery, Albin George, Willie Hobson, Nellie Gard, Raymond Gard, Oran Edwards, Alvin George and Walter Edwards. Average daily attendance for the month, 98 per cent. What school in Yamhill county, numbering 14 scholars, can give a better report? Mrs. VANDIE MASTERS, Teacher.

Stationery! Stationery!

Besides a full line of regular Printers' stock, such as Bill-heads, Letter-heads, Note-heads, Cards, Wedding goods, Shipping tags, etc., Snyder the Printer has just brought in a fine supply of common stationery, embracing Writing Papers, Envelopes, Ladies' Fine Papers, etc., in sizes and styles best suited to the convenience of his patrons, and at prices lower than this market has ever afforded. Buy and get your money's worth of stationery.

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