A REVIEW OF 1894.

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25. Hon. C. H. Dodd addressed a republican rally in the city.

Republican county convention held and nominated a county ticket elected to a man, with one exception, at the June election, and the winners are now in office.

26. Grocery store of Mr. Morris at Newberg burglarized, safe blown open and $20 taken.

27. North Yamhill public schools, under Prof. Duncan, give a term-closing entertainment and score the customary grand success.

30. Rev. Chas. Bonham of the Baptist church preaches his farewell sermon.

30. Democratic convention to nominate county ticket. Nominations—state senator J. C. Nelson, representatives L. C. Thompson and C. H. Burch, county judge W. M. Ramsey, sheriff James Henry, county clerk Ed. Hendricks, recorder John Dixon, commissioner E. B. Collard, treasurer H. Rummel, assessor C. T. Saling, school superintendent E. B. Jamison.

30. Wm. Galloway, D. V. S. Reid, Capt. John O'Brien, nominees on the democratic state ticket, addressed the people in the evening.

30. Rainfall for the month 3.36 inches. More or less rain fell on 17 days. There were 8 clear days, 13 fair and 9 cloudy.

May.

1. McMinnville creamery reopened.

2. Heavy frost. Thermometer registers 29¼ deg.

4. Religious census of McMinnville completed. 366 families visited. Parents religious 556.

4. Lafayette postoffice burglarized.

7. Gov. Pennoyer at the opera house.

8. G. A. R. encampment met at Roseburg. J. C. Cooper and wife, Wyatt Harris and wife, Mrs. Ungerman, Mrs. Gault, Mrs. Galloway, Mrs. Irvine, Mrs. Hendricks and Mrs. Cowls attended.

8th. Frost damages the cherry crop.

9. Teachers' examination held.

9. Body of young Armstrong, 2d engineer of the steamer Elwood, picked up at Mission landing.

11. Burch, democratic nominee for representative, has resigned.

11. Pupils of school district 8 under Prof. Snuffer, visit the McMinnville schools.

13. John Bird of Lafayette, a pioneer of 1847, died.

14. Loder farmhouse near North Yamhill burned.

14. County republican convention reconvenes and nominates J. T. Gowdy for representative in place of G. W. Branson, withdrawn.

14. Hon. Roswell P. Horr delivers a republican address at the opera hall.

15. Leland Ross, 8-year-old son of Benjamin Ross of Wheatland, lost his eye by his little sister playfully throwing a stick into it.

15. Pres. Brownson of McMinnville goes to Oakland, Cal., to deliver an address before the Pacific coast educational conference the 17th.

17. Odd Fellows grand lodge at Pendleton meets, attended by E. N. Ford, F. E. Rogers, Judge Ramsey and Mrs. Ungerman.

19. Mrs. Wm. Chrisman goes east on a visit to Tennessee.

21. Demorest medal contest at Dayton.

21. The residence of Mrs. T. J. Shadden on B street destroyed by fire near midnight, and Howard and Ethel Shadden aged 9 and 7 years, children of Ammon Shadden and wife, lost their lives, Howard after lingering 5 hours, Ethel in the burning building. Cause of fire presumed to have been a candle left burning. Firemen were hampered by clogged water mains.

22. Hon. T. T. Geer spoke in reply to Gov. Pennoyer at opera house.

David Tatum, Quaker temperance lecturer at the Christian church.

23. North Yamhill school board let contract for $4,000 building.

25. Evenden-Bettman concert.

25. H. D. Ponnay publishing the Campaign Millstone at Dayton in the interest of prohibitionists.

26. Workmen's picnic at Amity.

27. S. A. Manning lost two valuable horses from poison given them by some person on evil bent.

Chas. Groening erecting a new residence corner 5th and I streets.

28. Twin daughters of Frank Brown of Carlton died of cholera infantum.

Death of Mrs. Jennie Lebold of Muddy valley.

30. Public school graduation exercises, continuing over June 1st.

30. Decoration day observed.

30. I. W. veterans elect officers.

31. Eastern Star lodge organized at Dayton.

Rainfall for the month was 1.69 inches. There were six rainy days.

A revival in district 8 closed with 54 conversions, and a church was organized with 73 members.

June.

2. Teachers' institute in district 8.

3. Death of Mrs. Harger of Moore's valley, aged 55.

Beginning of commencement week at McMinnville college.

3. Sudden death of Bessie, 14-year-old daughter of John Lindburg of Carlton.

4. Oregon state and county election. County republican ticket chosen by pluralities ranging from 248 to 945.

6. Opening of commencement at Lafayette seminary.

8. School board chose the following teachers for ensuing school year: L. H. Baker, principal; J. A. Buchanan, vice principal; Mrs. M. Matthieu, Miss Orilla Peters, Miss Emma Green, Miss Ida Pagenkopf, Miss Ida Scofield, Miss Mabel Baker, Miss Frances Mann.

10. The steamer Toledo gave an excursion to Portland from Lafayette to enable visitors to see the great Portland flood, which on the 7th had reached 32.8 feet above low water mark.

Death of Benj. Vinecke in this city, aged 81.

12. Death of V. B. Latham at Bellevue, aged 63.

14. Commencement at McMinnville college. The degree of B. S. conferred upon Misses Bryant, Cary, Lynch, Million and Pagenkopf and Mr. Loder; that of B. L. upon Mr. Fellows and Mr. Scott, and that of A. B. upon Mr. Latourette.

Death of Mrs. Henry White at Whiteson.

17. Resignation of Rev. W. H. Jones as pastor of the C. P. church.

17. Death of Frederick Elmlund of Carlton, aged 45.

18. Death of W. M. Miller at Amity, aged 71.

19. Millsap & Cook sold over 150 gallons of strawberries in three hours.

19. Death of Hon. R. R. Laughlin at North Yamhill, of heart disease, aged 66. Funeral was by Odd Fellows.

Opening of the county institute. Instructors, Prof. Hitchcock of Independence, conductor; Prof. Matthews of Salem, Prof. Hodson of Newberg; Supt. Stilwell, Prof. L. H. Baker and Mrs. Julia Snyder of this city.

21. Rev. Meminger closes meetings at McCabe chapel with 22 conversions.

23. Annual business meeting of the McMinnville Building and Improvement Co.

26. Gene Smith, aged 12, accidentally shoots his younger brother Bertie.

The presence of the wheat aphis is noticed in the grain fields in large numbers.

27. Yearly meeting of Friends at Newberg. Second session on this coast.

A local fishing party returned from the Trask and reported seeing snow on the highest peaks, and too cold for the best kind of a time.

28. Reunion of pioneers at Lafayette.

July.

1. Judge Magers and Commissioner Nelson sworn into office.

3. Death of Mrs. Belknap at Dayton.

4. Grand celebration at McMinnville. Oration by Hon. M. J. MacMahon of Portland. Estimated attendance five to seven thousand. 3,000 people celebrate at Dayton.

6. Roy Parker broke his arm by falling from a fence.

8. Death of Mrs. Sidney Root of West Chehalem from cancer.

9. Rev. E. E. Thompson moved over from Woodburn to become pastor of the C. P. church.

11. Interesting experience social and lawn party at Christian church, the ladies telling how they earned 50 cents for endeavor work.

12. First issue of Yamhill Independent at Newberg.

13. A new 32-page catalogue issued by McMinnville college.

13. Death of Elijah Smith near Newberg, aged 66.

14. School bond election at Dayton, for $8,000 bonds for new brick building, carried by eight votes.

14. Death of Daniel Johnson at Lafayette, at the age of 85. He was a pioneer of 1844.

16. Death of Mrs. Martha Hunt, aged 60.

18. Thermometer 97 deg.

O. Walling in charge of St. Charles hotel; name changed to Hotel Eureka.

Death of Mrs. Maria L. Peery at Dayton, aged 70.

Reconstruction of Yamhill bridge at this place going forward.

Lodo, 8-year-old son of Gus Paulus, shot and killed by DeWitt McDuffie, aged 11, while playing burglar in the Hembree farm house.

19. The Mazamas climb Mount Hood. Six citizens of the county reach the summit, with over 200 others.

20. Fred Bangasser taken to reform school for the taking of J. A. Martin's revolver.

21. Hop-growers hold a convention at North Yamhill and decide to pay 80 cents per 100 pounds for picking and $1 per day for pole pullers.

24. Dr. J. H. Nelson and wife returned from Ashland.

25. Rollin & Nelson thresh the first grain of the season.

26. Death by drowning, at Woods, of Mrs. Terrell of Newberg, by team backing off of ferry.

27. A wagonload of boy brigadiers struck camp at Meadow lake to remain several days.

During the current week harvesting began in the very earliest fields of grain.

29. Geo. Dorsey receives a broken leg by a kick from a steer.

Wm. Poole breaks a leg in jumping from a log in the mountains, while on a two-days' hunt with others.

30. George Keen lost a finger by catching it in the gearing of his harvester.

August.

Geo. Kutch bought a half-interest in W. H. Logan's barber business, and W. B. Gilson formed a partnership with C. H. Fleming in the same line.

T. J. Bridgeford building a residence for himself.

1. W. B. Gilson's family arrive from Tacoma.

2. Harry Sitton bought the interest of F. E. Griffith in cigar factory No. 13.

4. Fruit rules adopted by horticulturists at Newberg.

7. C. E. Loux removed to Pocatello, Idaho.

The Lafayette Ledger revived by Messrs. Dupuy and Ponnay.

8. L. Shirley drowned at Slab creek.

9. Death of Miss Mattie Gilbert in Portland.

10. Death of Edith May Keen, aged 20, of consumption.

13. Albert Hutton, aged 42, dropped dead from heart failure in the office of Dr. Woods at Amity.

15. In returning from Jones' mill Jim Henry's brake gave way on a steep hill, and his load of human freight was thrown out.

15. Death of Mrs. Denny at Amity, aged 30, of consumption.

17. The Salvation army strikes camp in McMinnville, for three weeks stay.

18. Mrs. Josie Hibbs taken to insane asylum.

18. A. S. Cooper and Frank Cross sailed from San Francisco for Costa Rica.

22. Death of E. R. Hoag of North Yamhill, aged 60, of consumption.

Foster & Hollister, druggists of Sheridan, make an assignment.

23. Viola, daughter of A. N. Martin, fell and broke her arm.

26. Thermometer stood 98 deg.

T. D. Henderson threshed 23 bushels of wheat and 45 bushels of oats to the acre.

27. Sale of household goods of L. Bettman, who goes out of business.

27. Death of Mrs. I. C. Lawrence of heart affection, aged 72.

28. Death of Hon. P. P. Gates of Lafayette by a falling limb, while on a hunting trip in the Nehalem mountains, in company with John Knight, Dr. Michaux and Geo. Moore. A volunteer party of Odd Fellows went after the body and burial occurred at Lafayette the following Saturday, attended by a large concourse of citizens.

31. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wallace celebrate the 25th anniversary of their marriage.

Only 3-20ths of an inch of rainfall in August.

September.

1. Mrs. Nettie Ungerman left for national G. A. R. encampment at Pittsburg, as delegate and state president of the W. R. C.

3. Mrs. Bettman departed for San Francisco.

9. Public unveiling of the monument over grave of E. Funk by Woodmen.

10. Swedish Ladies quartet at opera house.

H. M. Daniels bought the interest of Mr. Martin in the Star flouring mills.

14. Visit of Senator Dolph in the interest of river improvement.

W. T. Booth repurchased his blacksmith shop.

14. Death of Lars A Newgard, aged 82.

15. A creditable fruit display in the form of an arch prepared by J. C. Cooper, taken to state fair and afterwards secured first premium. Twenty varieties of native fruits and berries were displayed.

16. Death by drowning of 8-year-old son of John Eisle at Webfoot.

17. City schools open with 174 pupils, balance picking hops.

18. Fall term opens at college.

20. Robt Habersham, government engineer of Portland, began a survey of Yamhill river at Lafayette.

21. Francis D Hillary killed by an angry bull.

22. Completion of organization of Oregon Fire Relief Association.

23. Reorganization of local C L S C.

24. Opening of Newberg fair. Rainy as usual.

25. Opening of September term of court, the first session under two judges, Burnett and Hewitt.

25. Death of A D Kirkwood at Wheatland, of consumption.

28. Rev. E. L. Thompson assumes the duties of pastor of M. E. church.

30. Rainfall for month 1.72 inches.

October.

1. Rev Meminger removed to Ashland.

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2. Horticultural meeting at Whiteson—most interesting of the year.

3. Temperance address by Mrs. Narcissa White Kinney, state president of W C T U.

4. Death of C. V. Remington of heart disease, age 37.

Hops selling at 6½ cents.

Local lodge of K. of P. organized.

5. County convention of Y. P. S. C. E. at Sheridan.

Piano recital at Mrs. Evenden's home.

6. Beet sugar meeting at opera house.

7. Death of John McKinnon, near Amity, by a kick from a runaway horse.

12. Meeting of Yamhill County Veteran Association.

13. Death of infant son of Rev. and Mrs. Lee Thompson.

15. W. H. H. Austin and W. E. King of North Yamhill fall from a scaffold, the former breaking an arm and leg.

16. Death of Patrick Callahan at Hotel Eureka of brain paralysis, age 67.

17. Death of Milton Redding at Lafayette, of heart failure, aged 60. He qualified for the office of county clerk in 1868.

19. Visit of Senator John H Mitchell in the interest of water transportation.

19. Death of Robert L Stow of pneumonia, age 41; buried by Workmen.

20. Mrs. Evenden and children depart for California.

22. Mr. Harvey Walker moves to McMinnville from Polk county.

24. Death of Michael Shelly at residence of N. K. Sitton, aged 80.

Marriage of R W Phillips, Jr., and Miss Rose McPhillips.

23. Death of Dr. Farnsworth of Amity, age 88; buried by Masons.

29. Herbert Simmons and Robert Haggin committed to reform school.

City caucus held.

November.

2. Body of Wm. Jones exhumed at Dundee for examination as to cause of death. Arsenic said to have been found by a Portland chemist.

3. Crystal Lodge No. 63, Rebekahs, organized at Sheridan.

Died of diphtheria, Ellenor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Redmond, aged 3 years and 10 months.

5. City election. W. M. Ramsey elected mayor, J. W. Gault, F. M. York and W. L. Warren councilmen, W. T. Vinton, recorder, C. H. Neal, marshal. Total vote 267.

7. Death of Mrs. P. M. Scroggin.

Death of Effie, 8-year-old daughter of John Redmond, of diphtheria.

Hotel Yamhill closed.

13. A 2-year-old son of John Linn fell into a tub of scalding water, and died the following day.

13. J. A. Cochran made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors.

Yamhill county took first prize on vegetables and pumpkins at the Interstate fair at Tacoma.

14. Friends of Rev. Denton and wife celebrated their 5th wedding anniversary.

Prof. Riddell lecturing at the opera house.

27. Meetings at M. E. church close with 14 converts.

28. Death of Walter Potter of Sheridan.

29. Union Thanksgiving service at Baptist church. Sermon by Rev. Elmer Thompson.

The steamer Toledo made the first trip to McMinnville since spring.

30. A daughter born to O. P. Coshow and wife.

Rainfall for November 3.14 inches.

December.

1. Opening of Universal Exposition at Portland.

3. City elections in many of the towns of the county.

A son born to E. N. Ford and wife.

4. New city council passes a Sunday saloon-closing ordinance.

6. Miss Nora Cooper and brother went to Pullman, Wash., to attend college.

Hotel Yamhill has been sold to G. H. Wiser of Portland.

9. Death of Peter Olson of consumption at Carlton, aged 19.

12. The steamer Hattie Bell began daily trips to McMinnville for the O. R. & N. Co.

13. A two-days farmers' institute held at opera house, under direction of Profs. Bloss, Shaw, Washburn and French, of the agricultural college.

Rev. Pace, new Baptist minister, arrives.

C. P. church benefit entertainment. Receipts $53.

18. Marquis' shooting gallery burglarized.

21. A two-night merchant's carnival under auspices of Christian church. Receipts $105.

23. Resignation of Rev. H. A. Denton, who has a call from the Salem church.

24. A general observance of Christmas eve by the churches.

26. Return of Prof. Fargo, after an absence of six months in Chicago.

Peter McLaren, a Scotchman and a bachelor, found dead in North Yamhill. The coroner's jury decided he took his own life.

28. Return of Mrs. Evenden from California, very ill.

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Is gathered by that tremendously destructive engine, malaria, put on the brakes with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will check its progress and avert disaster. Chills and fever, bilious remittent, dumb ague and ague cake are promptly relieved and ultimately cured by this genial specific, which is also a comprehensive family medicine, speedily useful in cases of dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation, sick headache, nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia. Against the hurtful effects of sudden changes of temperature, exposure in wet weather, close application to laborious mental pursuits, and other influences prejudicial to health, it is a most trustworthy safeguard. It fortifies the system against disease, promotes appetite and sleep, and hastens convalescence after debilitating and flesh wasting deseases.

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Sealed bids will be received up to January 20th, 1895, for delivery to water works in the city of McMinnville of 700 cords of old-growth fir wood. Bids received from 25 cords up. Committee reserves right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be handed to E. C. Walker, chairman of 1-3

FIRE AND WATER COMMITTEE.

The Rebekahs of this place went Lafayette last evening to assist in installing officers.

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St. Louis Globe-Democrat, semi-weekly	1.75
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McMinnville Produce Market.

Reported by L. E. Walker.

Oats	18@20
Butter	30@40
Eggs	20@25c
Chickens	$1 25@2 00
Turkeys	7c a ℔
Ducks	$3@$3.50
Potatoes	20
Dressed Hogs	4½c
Veal	4
Baled hay, timothy	$10
" cheat	$7
" oats	$7
RETAIL MARKET.	
Baled Straw	$6
Mixed Chop	$16
Wheat Chop	$18
Shorts	$16
Middlings	$18
Bran	$14

L. E. Walker will buy all your produce, paying the highest price in cash the market will justify. He will sell you flour, feed, hay, oats, field and garden seeds as cheap as any other dealer. D street south of First National Bank.

He also carries a full line of Graham in small sacks, buckwheat, corn meal, wheatlets, etc. Nursery stock a specialty.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

L. E. Walker is paying highest market price for hides, pelts and tallow.

One hundred and sixty-seven marriage licenses were issued in this county in 1894.

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by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Ed Fuller of Roseburg is in the city.

Cut in footwear at F. Dielschneider's.

Fun ahead. Don't forget the "Milk Maid's Convention" the 16th inst. Look out for program next week.

Go to Dr. G. S. Wright for fine dental work. tf

Mrs. W. F. Breidenstein of Whiteson, has returned from a three weeks visit to her parents at Forest Grove.

A large line of fashionable dress goods, from 40 cents to 65 cents all reduced to 25 cents per yard. County warrants taken at their face. R. JACOBSON.

Capt Wyatt Harris has our thanks and the thanks of the public, we think, for the interesting rain record in this issue.

County warrants taken at their face by R. Jacobson.

Smith Brothers livery stable at Newberg was burned last Saturday morning. The fire was discovered about two o'clock. Five head of horses and all the harness were consumed. The vehicles were saved and one team that chanced to be out on a trip.

For a nice lady's cloak see R. Jacobson. You can buy it at bed rock price.

A Dr. Walker from Georgia, hunting a location, was in the city this week.

Leave your subscriptions for any newspaper or magazine at C. Grissen's book store. tf

Mrs. Sloan and daughter of Portland, mother and sister of Mrs. Dr. Vial, visited that lady the first of the week.

J. C. Cooper brought down some fine samples from the soap factory at Independence Wednesday.

No discount but prices below any of them in footwear. Everything in the store. Bring in your cash and see. F. Dielschneider's is the place. Sign of the big boot. 49tf

H. E. Anderson, Wade & Co's. man at Independence, visited friends in the city over New Years, and afterwards left for a visit in the east.

Will Kuns has hot peanuts every hour of the day.

A symposium and watch party was held at the Baptist church Monday evening.

If you want fine photos to give your friends, go to Hogg.

Miss Nellie Cooper and friends held a watch party New Years eve.

Parties who have not yet settled their accounts are requested to call and settle by cash or bankable note, as all accounts must be closed at once. R. JACOBSON.

The Workmen hold installation of officers to-night. On the night of the 18th they will give a public entertainment, consisting of music, and addresses by Rev. E. E. Thompson, Mrs. Ungerman and Dr. Baker. The date is one fixed by the supreme lodge for memorial observance.

Ladies' cloaks and jackets and men's overcoats at a great sacrifice at R. Jacobson's.

The steamer Salem has been put on the Yamhill river route instead of the Hattie Belle. She has had a new hull put under her, making her one of the lightest draught boats on the Willamette.

The most value for your money is what you want. F. Dielschneider is giving it in footwear. Big cut in prices.

Five McMinnville young bloods went to Portland yesterday to hear Tannhauser by the Tavary company.

Mrs. Evenden, who got home from California Friday night, is improving slowly.

Leslie Laughlin is now the owner of the fine French clock given away by Jeweler Dielschneider.

A gospel temperance meeting will be held in the M. E. church Sunday afternoon. All invited.

Lou Walker, from Polk county, a son of Harvey Walker, is very ill at the home of his father on B street.

Rev. E. E. Thompson went to Portland last week to see and hear General Booth, whom he regards as the greatest man living.

The members of Union lodge F. & A. M. held a semi-public installation Thursday evening of last week, which proved a very pleasant occasion to those fortunate enough to be present.

Mrs. Helen D. Harford of Newberg is in the city preparing the entertainment known as the extra session of the legislature, to be given in the opera house next Wednesday evening.

Petitions have been circulated the past week by local friends praying for the appointment of Hon. T. T. Geer to the superintendency of the penitentiary, and Wm. Walling of Amity to the position of guard.

It cost $29,829.23 to run the county during 1894, as indicated by the record of bills audited, which was $996.65 less than for the year previous. The expenditures of the last half of 1894 were $2,619.12 in excess of the corresponding months of 1893.

This number of the REPORTER is worth the subscription price for a year for purposes of reference. About every local event worth mentioning is chronicled under its proper date. And if you don't believe the arranging of the record represents labor just sit down and make one like it.

F. M. York retired from the office of county assessor and his successor was duly installed on the first instant. Mr. York served the people in that capacity seven years, six as principal and one as deputy under Wyatt Harris. It can be justly said that he filled the office with satisfaction to the public and with credit to himself. It is a position that calls for good ability and is no sinecure to the man who fills it. Mr. Bones, the new incumbent, has our best wishes for a happy new year.

The dwelling on Grant street occupied by J. W. Montee was discovered ablaze Monday afternoon, the fire presumably having caught from the kitchen stove. The upper half of the house was pretty generally in flames before the fire companies could reach it, but they fought persistently with the aid of willing citizens, and managed to leave the shell standing. Very few of Mr. Montee's goods were saved without damage, and he estimates his loss at nearly $400. He had no insurance. Mrs. Williams, who occupied a part of the house, saved a good part of her effects. The building was the property of Mrs. David McCall, and was insured for $500.

Mrs. George Kutch has been quite ill this week, but is improving.

The Odd Fellows will hold a semi-public installation and supper tomorrow evening.

Leave your order for a good, fat chicken, dressed for Sunday dinner. D street market.

School adjourned Wednesday evening on account of the deep snow, and will reconvene Monday.

Mrs. Mattie Graves, secretary of the Y. W. C. T. U. of Washington, lectures this evening at the Christian church.

Lost, on New Years day, between this city and Whiteson, a mackintosh belonging to John Bennett. Please leave at Whiteson postoffice.

Mrs. Julia Snyder writes a card from Portland saying her school will open next Monday. Her eyes are improving under the treatment she is undergoing.

Mrs. Alta E. Fletcher, aged 31, was adjudged insane on Dec. 27th and committed to the asylum. Insanity was due to an injury in a runaway three years ago.

The McMinnville Reporter gave an excellent report of the farmers' institute recently held at that place under the direction of the Oregon State Agricultural College.—[Rural Northwest.

Rev. E. E. Thompson, pastor Cumberland Presbyterian church, will begin a series of meetings at that church, Sunday evening. The subject for the evening will be Gen. Booth and the Salvation Army. At 11 a. m. a communion service will take place. All are cordially invited to all these services.

E. H. Barker of Boze, Mont., has leased the Hotel Yamhill for a year and bought the furniture. He is engaged in repainting, papering and renovating the building throughout, and will open it to the public about the 15th. We understand he is a hotel man of experience. Our citizens will certainly be glad to see the house opened up.

A very pleasant surprise party was tendered Mrs. Galloway, Dept. Sec., W. R. C., by the members of Custer Corps No. 5, and a few friends on Friday evening, December 28th, the occasion being in honor of her 43d birthday. The surprise was carefully planned and successfully carried out. After many kind wishes and congratulations Mrs. Mora Hendricks, in a few appropriate words, presented the lady with a beautiful silver and cut glass pickle castor,—a gift from the members of the Corps. Mr. Chrisman, on behalf of her family, presented her with a fine volume of Neely's History of the Parliament of Religions at the Columbian Exposition. Games and pleasant conversation followed after which refreshments were served. Then music, more games and a social time generally prolonged the festivities to a late hour. The guests departed wishing their hostess many happy birthdays in the future. *

In the REPORTER's historical review for 1894 there are 81 deaths recorded. A good deal of interest attaches to the causes of death in any country, as to diseases most prevalent, the proportion dying from old age, the number of accidents, etc. Though not all, this record contains a big majority of the deaths within or concerning the county the past year. They are classified as follows: Casualties or accidents 14, consumption 12, old age 11, heart failure 8, paralysis 6, unknown 6, pneumonia 4, bowel trouble 4, diptheria 4, cancer 3, suicide 2, cholera infantum 2, insanity 1, liver trouble 1, child birth 1, inflammatory rheumatism 1, congestion of brain 1. Of the accidents, which lead the list, 6 were from drowning, 2 burned, 2 shot, 1 run over by cars, 1 by falling tree, 1 by angry bull, 1 scalded.

LAFAYETTE.

The winter holidays are now only a memory.

Jim and Lum Fox and Ney Unger killed six fat coons on New Years day.

The Firemen's ball last Monday night was a decided success in every particular.

Mr. R. A. Bird, of the well-known firm of R. P. Bird & Sons, and Miss Cyrene Hembree, daughter of Mr. J. C. Hembree, were married at the residence of Mrs. Cary last Thursday evening. The young couple began their new life on the first day of the New Year. A host of friends wish them a prosperous journey through life.

The supper given by the D. of H. at the firemen's ball last Monday night, was spoken of very highly by all who partook thereof.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reising, of Portland, were in attendance at the wedding Tuesday evening.

Miss Maggie Strang, who has been visiting friends out of town during the holidays, returned Tuesday.

Mrs. J. L. Vickery returned from a visit with her parents in Portland Tuesday.

The "Becca's" have been gaining membership quite rapidly of late.

Mr. Ed Littlefield of Bellevue is visiting in town this week.

We have some snow here at present, but it is disappearing rapidly.

Sleigh bells are heard, which makes it appear quite winterish.

Licenses to Marry.

Dec. 31. Robt. Bird aged 21, and Cyrene Hembree aged 19, of Lafayette.

Jan. 2. L. E. Coyle aged 23, and Della V. Brower aged 18.

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A wealthy bachelor declared that a horrid hag had glared at him through the night. His friends laughed at him but he insisted that the house was haunted. He grew ill, complaining of extreme heaviness in the stomach, his appetite failed, he grew sallow, emaciated and despondent, believing he was going to die, the spook being a warning, and declared he could hear funeral bells ringing in his ears, and even hinted at suicide. A friend induced him to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and he rapidly grew well, spooks and all his distressing symptoms disappearing. A torpid liver and dyspepsia caused his suffering and the medicine cured both. A pamphlet free or a large Book, on Liver and Stomach diseases and how to cure them (136 pages) for 6 cents in stamps. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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