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DOLLS—A full and complete line.

GAMES—All new, 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c.

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CHINAWARE — We have just received a complete line from Austria, hand painted, with views of Court House, College and High School; something new and a handsome souvenir.

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McMinnville Grange & Farmers Co.

CHRISTMAS THINKING

Must soon end in buying, and it will be well to bear in mind that we have many goods that make ideal presents. Gifts of beauty and utility.

Hair Brushes,
Cloth Brushes,
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Fancy Stationery,
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McMinnville, Oregon.

The Drug Center of Yamhill County.

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Is never found in Pasteur-filtered water. A few of the many who are using them in the city:

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McMinnville Soda Works
Hotel Yamhill
Ex-Mayor H. S. Maloney
Ex Councillman E. Wright
D. I. Asbury, Editor Reporter
R. Ekstein, Cigar Factory

I have just received a new invoice and am prepared to put them in. O. O. HODSON.

20th Century Opens

With January, 1901, and about that time H. C. BURNS WILL MOVE

to his own building now occupied by the Racket Store. He will open with a better stock than ever—in fact the finest stock of Furniture ever seen in McMinnville.

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JACOB WORTMAN, Pres.
JOHN WORTMAN, Cashier.

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Of McMinnville, Oregon.

The Oldest Bank in Yamhill County. Established in 1885.
Capital and Surplus, \$90,000.

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Columbus School Notes.

Aden Stevens has entered the 10th grade.

Nora Seitters and Stella Hubbard are absent on account of sickness.

School closes today and will begin again on Jan. 2d. We have ten days vacation, and we will probably get thoroughly rested during our vacation, so that when we return to school after the holidays we can do much better work.

The tenth grade has been doing some excellent work in rhetoric. The last week they have been writing original essays on different subjects. Vernon Derby holds the prize on the one called "A Trip to the Sea Shore."

Last Friday was the day the society met and discussed the school tax question. The judges decided that the man without children should pay school tax. At a special meeting held last Tuesday evening the following officers were elected to serve for the next two months:

President, Wm. Palmer; vice president, Hugh Bristow; secretary, Edith Hamblin; treasurer, Nora Seitters. The president appointed the following committees: Program—Minnie Sutherland, Stella Webster, Vernon Derby. Executive—Myrtle Stewartson, Earnest Poole, Aida Goheen. Lecture—Mabel Reynolds, Harry Woodrum, Artie Hubbard.

Eli Branson has gone to California to spend the winter.

The Oldest and Best.

S. S. S. is a combination of roots and herbs of great curative powers, and when taken into the circulation searches out and removes all manner of poisons from the blood, without the least shock or harm to the system. On the contrary, the general health begins to improve from the first dose, for S. S. S. is not only a blood purifier, but an excellent tonic, and strengthens and builds up the constitution while purging the blood of impurities. S. S. S. cures all diseases of a blood poison origin, Cancer, Scrofula, Rheumatism, Chronic Sores and Ulcers, Eczema, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum, Herpes and similar troubles, and is an infallible cure and the only antidote for that most horrible disease, Contagious Blood Poison.

A record of nearly fifty years of successful cures is a record to be proud of. S. S. S. is more popular today than ever. It numbers its friends by the thousands. Our medical correspondence is larger than ever in the history of the medicine. Many write to thank us for the great good S. S. S. has done them, while others are seeking advice about their cases. All letters receive prompt and careful attention. Our physicians have made a life-long study of Blood and Skin Diseases, and better understand such cases than the ordinary practitioner who makes a specialty of no one disease.

We are doing great good to suffering humanity through our consulting department, and invite you to write us if you have any blood or skin trouble. We make no charge whatever for this service.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

SHERIDAN.

Milo Bond of McMinnville was in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Hattie Hunt and children of Portland are visiting in the city.

Christmas is fast approaching and every one is busy preparing for it.

R. L. Bewley spent several days with his mother in McMinnville last week.

There will be masquerade skating at the rink on New Year's. Then look out for some fun.

Prof. Linden and wife are entertaining a little son which arrived at their home last Wednesday.

Miss Ada Potter left on Saturday last for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Ed Church, of Astoria.

There will be two Christmas trees in town. One each at the Christian and Methodist churches.

A. V. R. Snyder of McMinnville is at work in the Sun office during the absence of Ray Barnhart.

Miss Edith Percival has resigned her position in the public school and will not resume the work after the holidays. This looks a little suspicious, and rumor says she will teach but one pupil after this.

Posters are out announcing an entertainment to be given by the brass band on Friday evening, Dec. 21st. The entertainment will consist of a musical programme, followed by the sale of baskets which the ladies are expected to bring.

The Magic Spell orchestra of Sheridan will give a ball Christmas night in R. L. Bewley's new hall, on the north side, for which they will charge 50c. Not to be outdone, the saloon on the south side will give a free ball. People of Sheridan ought to be satisfied.

LAFAYETTE.

George Sampson is on the sick list. Turkey dinner at Mrs. A. L. Burt's on Christmas day.

Twenty-first of December; this is the shortest day of the year.

J. L. Vickrey went to Portland and back last Monday on business.

Revival services will be held in the M. E. church here soon after the holidays.

Miss Myrtle Shirer and her mother are going over to Washington to spend Christmas week.

Miss Hevalin of Newberg was up on a visit last Sunday. She led the Epworth League meeting on Sunday night at the M. E. church.

Miss Cora Kimberlan went up to visit in Independence last Wednesday. She will be there for several weeks at her aunt's, Mrs. Hurley's.

Levi Gillam and two sons were in town the last of last week. They were old settlers of Yamhill; were separated and came together and were visiting friends here and near McMinnville.

George Lewis, who has been waiting upon Mr. Burbank for weeks, has returned to Portland to work, at painting. T. Cope is stopping there until they improve a little more. Mr. and Mrs. Burbank both are improving slowly, but surely.

Twenty-five years ago we had a Christmas tree in the M. E. church here. Mrs. N. E. Burbank was superintendent, Rev. Jos. Hoberg of McMinnville was chaplain, Dr. Watts preached the sermon, and Dr. Littlefield called off the presents. They are all alive yet. There will be a Christmas tree at the same place on Christmas eve this year, 1900. Mr. Beard is superintendent, Rev. Lockhart chaplain, and Dr. J. W. Watts preaches the sermon. Miss Maggie Boon is organist. All are invited, and a good time is expected. All are invited to bring presents suitable for the occasion. The committee will receive them at the church on Monday, Dec. 24th, all day, and place them on the tree. Give Christ the glory on this occasion.

Christian Church Revival.

Six persons confessed their faith in Christ in the Christian church services last Sunday. Some had come out before and others since. Large audiences of intelligent people, attentive to every word, are highly complimentary to the ability of the speaker. Mr. Rose can remain only over next Sunday, and will hold services at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. through the week. Special music by Rev. Lindsey and others each evening. If you have not yet attended these meetings begin tonight. Many are deciding for Christ. Why not you?

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*
The Reporter and Weekly Oregonian one year for \$2, strictly in advance.

THE U. S. SENATORSHIP.

The Oregonian brushes aside the argument in favor of Senator McBride's reelection, that the state will thereby secure the important advantage of his six years' service in the committees of the senate. But the illustration given by that paper to show that a new senator is as favorably placed on committees as one who has already gained precedence by previous terms of service as senator are not fair. Dillingham and Dolliver came to the senate during a session and not at the beginning of a term of congress. The committees were all made up and no vacancies existed save in the positions recently occupied by their respective predecessors. The newcomers were temporarily disposed of by giving them substantially the same places on committees held by their predecessors, but this does not give them permanent precedence over older senators in term of service when the new committees are made up at the beginning of the next session. On the contrary, there is no custom of the senate so carefully observed as that which favors the old senators in preference to the new in assigning places on committees.

The importance of this consideration in electing the successor of Senator McBride should not be overlooked. The principal work and the principal opportunity for the exercise of influence upon legislation in the senate is in the committee room. No new senator can hope, in less than six years, to reach the point where he will secure the recognition on committees that Senator McBride will be entitled to by the unwritten law of the senate. This is not the time to sacrifice this important consideration. At no time in the history of the state has the necessity for influential standing in the important committees been so essential. At no time has the state been so little able to make such a change as will lose her the help she will get through the proper committees.—Albany Herald.

AMITY.

Merle, little son of Ira Martin, is sick with diphtheria.

So far, there has been but little sickness among our people this winter.

There will be appropriate exercises and a tree at the Methodist church on Christmas eve.

The entertainment given at the hall last Monday night by Miss Bonner was worthy of patronage.

The weather for some time past has been on a regular rampage, and the amount of rain that has fallen was large.

Willie Graham will open up a stock of confectionery, cigars, nuts, etc., for the holiday trade, in the building south of Roth's store.

Mr. Orlander Louper and Miss Minnie Cobb of Dallas were married last Sunday. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents. Long life and abundance of happiness is the wish of their many friends.

A program is being arranged by the Baptist ladies, which will be rendered sometime during the holidays. The abundance of home talent will be brought into use for the occasion, and an enjoyable time is anticipated.

Among the tens of thousands who have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds and la grippe during the past years, to our knowledge, not a single case has resulted in pneumonia. Thos. Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash avenue, Chicago, one of the most prominent retail druggists in that city, in speaking of this, says: "We recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for la grippe in many cases, as it not only gives prompt and complete recovery, but also counteracts any tendency of la grippe to result in pneumonia." For sale by Howorth & Co.

Christmas Eve to be Observed.

The Baptist church will have a Christmas pie. It is not understood that it will be cut up, but it will contain the presents. There will be a Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus and a number of brownies.

The Methodists have been preparing for a month to hold a big observance. They will have two trees and a program of exercises.

A great deal of rehearsing is being done by the Christian church membership in preparing a program, which will be given in connection with a tree.

The Presbyterians, besides their cantata Sunday evening, will have a Ferris wheel on the following night, and a tree, with a well-prepared program.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.

Laxative Bro-no-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

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The Century Ends.

Arrangements of a special nature are being made for a union watch-night meeting to be held on the last night of the year and the century, which will occur on Monday, December 31st. The ministerial association has not quite completed arrangements for the program, but expect to do so at its meeting next Monday afternoon. Considerable interest has been manifested in the meeting, and the following have promised to speak on certain subjects of an interesting nature connected with the century just ending: H. L. Boardman, W. W. Bristow, H. S. Maloney, Judge Magers, J. G. Eckman and Dr. J. C. Michaux. In addition to these, the members of the ministerial association will also take part, and there will be special music by the choirs. It will be a union meeting and the members of all the churches are cordially invited to attend. It is expected that particulars concerning the program will be arranged by the ministers at their meeting next Monday, so that the subjects, etc., can be published next week. The service will be held at the Methodist church and will begin at 8 o'clock.

Their Choir Made Happy.

At the reception given to the choir by the members and friends of the C. P. church Thursday evening of last week many expressions of gratitude and appreciation were given for the faithful labor of love on behalf of those who furnish the music. Members of the choir responded, assuring the pastor and members of the church that theirs was the greater pleasure, in being able to perform their duty even in their humble way. The Hobbs-Patty quartet gave a selection, and Miss Edith Hamblin played a violin solo during the evening, and after the welcomes had all been said the doors of the lecture room were thrown open, displaying an elegant lunch spread beneath graceful festoons of ivy and floral wreaths.

Schooner Wrecked at Woods.

The lumber schooner Pioneer was wrecked at Haystack Rock near Woods Sunday afternoon. The heavy swells during the late storm twisted off her rudder, and a jury-rudder was constructed which served for a time, but finally became useless. Luckily the action of the breakers turned her head directly toward the shore, and she was lifted in by each succeeding wave. Three men were observed on the beach, and two left, running inland, which the crew understood to mean that they were going for assistance, which was by confirmed the arrival on the beach of a number of people just as the darkness closed in. The shipwrecked crew was greatly cheered through the long hours of the night by an immense bonfire which was kept going on the beach. Constant efforts were made by the people of Woods to get a line to the vessel, and this was accomplished after hard work all night about 5 a. m., when the crew were all safely taken ashore, Captain Mickelson leaving his vessel last. The Pioneer is a three-masted schooner owned by the Simpson Lumber Company of San Francisco. Her cargo consisted of almost 530,000 feet of dressed lumber. With the exception of the deckload the lumber is intact and can be saved. The vessel is a total loss. She had a crew of nine men. A life saving station at this point is badly needed, this being the fifth wreck which has occurred near by.

Cook School Notes.

Hazel Heath has entered the sixth grade.

We have decided to read at least one good book during the holidays.

Miss Williams' room has invited the sixth grade into their room to hear the Friday afternoon exercises.

The little folks of Miss Williams' room, enjoyed a half holiday last Friday, as they had all been present forty days.

Vivian Martin of the eighth grade is clerking at Jacobson & Co.'s till after the holidays, in place of her mother, who is quite ill.

The debate held on last Friday afternoon was a success. It was resolved that the United States had a right to hold the Philippine islands.

Licenses to Marry.

Dec. 13—G. I. Spencer, 20, and Sylvia Cook, 18, of Bellevue. Married at Hotel Yamhill, on same date by Elder A. Lindsey.

Dec. 15—T. T. Potter, 24, of this city, and S. J. Cook, late of Tennessee. Married by Justice J. M. Pugh, on Sunday, Dec. 10th, at the home of D. W. Potter, near this city.

Frank Williams, who has been absent since 1883, returned to McMinnville this week, and is visiting relatives and renewing acquaintance with old friends. His home is in Pullman, Wash.