McMinnville, Or. Dec. 10, 1886

Now is the time to subscribe.

Mrs. Ramsdale leaves for home this

Read A. J. Apperson's ad to-day. No more monsense.

Wheat was off again yesterday about s point and a quarter.

The ladies cleared \$54.35 at the Episcopal church fair.

The guild will meet at Mrs. A. L. Tslmage's Wednesday next at 2 p. m. The competitive drill at Mechanics pavilion to-morrow evening will furnish a crowd.

The Thompson Opera company to srive in Portland to-day, consists of forty-five members.

Dr. Magers of Polk county, was in age was about 25 years. the city yesterday, visiting his son Hon. J. E. Magers.

Anderson Edwards has the finest washing machine for sale, that can be found on the market.

Mrs. James left for Portland Wednesday morning, where she will take the steamer for San Francisco.

Dr. H. V. V. Johnson has returned from Astoria, bringing his patient, Mrs. G. W. Snyder with him.

Miss Russ has an elegant display of novelties for Christmas, made at home. Call and price them.

The remains of A. P. Woolsey will be conveyed to the grave this morning at 10 o'clock, from the M. E. church. His death occurred night be-

The new steamer of the OPRCo on the Wallamet bears the name of N. S Bentley, the third Vice President and secretary of the company in New

E. B. Fellows' show windows were greatly admired last evening by many strangers in the city attending the district convention, and otherwise. The beauty of the display is most admired by brilliant lamp light, but even in the day time it is an exhibition worthy of the pride of Yamhill county.

Mr. Fellows requests us to say that he wishes to display works of art in his show window form home talent, and as this city has some really deserving artists all who wish to exhibit their work are invited to send the same to him on Saturday afternoon, and he will gladly place the same upon exhibition.

and installed December 7th in Pioneer council No. 1. Royal and Select Masters: C. Taylor, Th. Ill. M.; A. H. Hodson, Dept. Ill. M.; S. Shaffer, P. C. of W.; H. A. Tucker, Treasurer; J. J. Spencer, Recorder; G. F. Tucker, C. of G.; J. A. C. Freund, C. of C. C. W. Talmage, Steward; J. C. Cooper, Sentinel.

Mrs. A. J. Apperson has returned from her trip to Portland and Oregon city. At the latter place time glided too swiftly for her, and she was almost compelled to remain longer amongst less of the attacks of its rich competifriends with whom it was impossible to visit in the brief time at her dis-Posal. Her selections of goods for crown its unparalleled efforts and en Christmas week are now being ar- ergy with ultimate and complete sucranged for inspection at the store.

Miss Boyce is a sister to Mrs. O. O. Hodson, not her niece, as was erroneously stated by us yesterday.

A business letter from D. A. Blood, Gaston, besides containing a remittance, conveys words worth more than coin, in cheering us upon our dark and thorny pathway in an effort to furnish the West Side counties with the best weekly newspaper west of the Rocky mountains, for only a dollar and a half a year.

Another very sudden death is reported in this county. Mrs. Mary Roberts, wife of Lorin Roberts, living on the Muddy between this city and Sheridan, was apparently enjoying her usual health at 7 p. m. Wednes day, but was suddenly stricken with death, and exphrid of heart disease before nine o'clock. She was buried yesterday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Burchett presiding at the funeral. Her

A fine crayon picture, which is as one and the same time a picture to be admired and which represents a historic scene, just from the easel of Miss Edith Martin, a pupil of the Commercial College of this city, is on exhibition in E. B. Fellows' show window. It represents a view of the Columbia above the Cascades, and takes in the remains of the structure which afforded the whites rescue during one of our Oregon Indian wars It is sketched with a fine conception of the locality, and the bold headlands, the numerous islands, and the water scopes are quite true to nature We prize it as a gift from a very studious and deserving young lady of

There were 781 votes cast in the Salem ctty election Monday. The bridge question last June brought out 685 votes, hence the vote Monday is dered in Portland last Saturday, came considered evidence of a substantial gaiu in the voting population. The honors stand divided between the reg- one of the insurance offices on Washular old time parties, a democratic mayor, republican recorder, indepen- of two other men at the time, and all four republican and four democrats. When Mickel left the office he was The Statesman says: It is was not a talk. Many men were out quietly working for their favorites, and they were industrious. The principle fight was on mayor, and there was also a bitter fight on councilman in the second ward.

The OPRCo. has lately been paying 35 per cen t. of past indebtedness, Following is a list of officers elected which makes about 70 per cent. of the whole, including 6 per cent. per annum. Besides this, says the Leader, the company has paid out large sums of money for operating expenses and on construction account; it has brought from two to four cents more per bushel for wheat and oats to the farmers, an item which amounts to many thousands of dollars; it has greatly increased the value of all kinds of prop erty in Benton county, and opened a large scope of country to settlement it is quietly going along, alike heedtors without, and its poor calumniators at home; confident that time wil

I. O. G. T.

Yamhill county district lodge IOGT met at Grange hall yesterday, and will continue in session this forenoon and evening. Following is the programme

FRIDAY EVENING.

A CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY O
SingingAudience
Frayer Rev. Satchwell
Declamation Henry Bertholimew
Declamation Arthur Burt
Song J. I. Knight
Declamation
Declamation Helen Calbreath
Reading Miss Emily Webb
Singing Audience
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All are cordially invited to attend this evening meeting which is intended to promote the good of the order.

There is a good attendance from various portions of the county. The public exercises last evening were very interesting.

Judge Green of Seattle, holds the Idaho as a contraband, confiscated vessel, which places Capt. Carroll in jeopardy as a smuggler.

The young peoples dancing club organized wednesday evening with the following officers: President Jeff Fenton ; secretary, Ira Nelson ; treasurer, C. Turner, door-keeper Henry Carlin. The object of this association is to give weekly parties to members of the organization. An instructor will be employed to teach all who desire to learn dancing. All members of the club are requested to meet at the band hall this Friday p. m. at the hour of 8 o'clock. Only members of the club will be admitted. Ladies of course, admitted free.

So far as known, the missing man Mickle, supposed to have been murover from Seattle about last Friday. Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock he left ington street. He was in the company dent marshal, etc. The council stands three had their tickets for Chicago. going to east Portland to take the quiet election, still there was no boist- 3:30 o'clock train. Beyond that erous conduct, and very little loud point all traces of the man are lost. He had, when he left the insurance office, \$300 in coin, a fine gold watch and wore the Knights Templar badge. The sandbag consists of a woman's stocking, blue and white mixed wool. Most of the foot is filled with sand, which makes a heavy and dangerous weapon. All the articles found are now in possession of Marshal McMillan. Some incline to the theory that he has committed suicide, but all the circumstances point toward murder.

Vote of Thanks.

Ed. Reporter:

The ladies of St. James (Episcopal) church Guild extend a vote of thanks to the press and all who so generously assisted them during their late fair.

LILLIE IRELAND, Sec. December 9th, 1886.

McMinnville, Or., Dec. 2d, 1886

Notice To My Patrons.

In consequence of declining health, which prevents me from making personal application to parties indebted. I am compelled to thus publicly say that all bills due and unstettled January 1st 1887 will be placed in other hands of the statement of other hands for collection.

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