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Dec. 22, 1886 McMinnville, Or. -

This is bad weather for locals. Very bad indeed.

Hon. H. Hurley of Lafayette, may be left at the store to-day is still confined to his room in Salem.

week for presents in California, Nebraska, and Kansas.

The Christmas tree at St James (Episcopal) church will be at 6 o'clock Friday p. m.

The finest beef in the state at the Eurisko market yesterday. Some of the same sort to-day.

The Central hotel will be relet next month, as L. H. Cook expects soon to be in his own.

It is thought that Prof. Jordan will succeed Prof. Price in the McMinnville public schools.

The weather yesterday was our worst. We hear snow fell liberally in the mountains about

Hon. Jas. McCain was in the city yesterday as an agent of Santa Claus for a Christmas tree at home.

If you wish to listen to the patter of the rain upon the roof slip into S. A. Manning & Co.'s work shop.

The Academic Class were entertained at a splendid party at Prof. Crawfords residence Friday evening.

We observe by our Salem Claus. cotemporaries that W. F. Lemon is about to quit business with the close of the year.

D. I. Corkers tool chest, made of solid birdseye maple, sixteen veaas pgo, has been purchased by John W. Baker, of this city.

Wanted, somebody to build in this city, in a desirable locality, two neat family cottages, to let to permanent and cash tenants, for a term of years. Apply at this office.

a big closet in each sleeping be the first to try conclusions at Reading, Christmas Snowflakes, Miss room, with a window for venti- the point of the bayonet. The Quartette, Mrs. J. E. Magers and Miss lation, if a possible thing. It warlike preparations of France will not be a receptacle for old are being watched with the boots or shoes, nor antiquated closest attention. It is generally Recitation bonnets, hats or soiled clothing. believed here that Germany There will be plenty of hooks at will seize any opportunity that Declamation, the proper hight for her to reach, may arise as soon as she is ready Duet, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Chandler. not the carpenter; not forget- to precipitate a struggle. ting to put those in the children's them. The children will be re- double edition of the Weekly Quartette, Mrs. A. C. Chandler and membered in this house and will Reporter for New Years day, is have a room with hard wood now in press. Besides about Declamation, Is there no God? F. J. floor where all their belongings 20 columns of historical facts can be kept, and they can play which will be a joy to all resito their heart's content, not to be dents, we give complete in that told not to do this or that for issue one of the leading stories fear of hurting the carpet or of the day by Miss Mulock, Quartette, Mesdames, Campbell and furniture; where everything "The Half Caste," published for shall be usable and hangable, the first time west of the mountplenty of old chairs and boxes ains. The Pioneers of Oregon for steam cars and circuses; recieve special attention, and pasture, south of this city, an iron grey where they can decorate the walls with pictures, and have a the Reporter will be one of will lead to his recovery. good time generally.

The committee will meet at J. A. C. Freund's office at 9:30 this a. m.

Mrs. Vanatta will take charge played in the windows of the store of W. H. Bingham. Wreaths. wax work, etc., of every class

Do not forget the children at the Opera house Christmas eve. Miss Russ has sold goods this Where those desirous of following the time honored custom of making glad friends and little folk, will have an opportunity of being happy from the happiness of others.

> Prof. J. A. Price has been forced to tender his resignation as principal of the McMinnville public schools in consequence of ill health. If his health will persimilar position in the public schools at The Dalles.

> We have visited the stores of our merchants and from the fine display of holiday goods, and the lively trade going on, all may be satisfied that the Christmas celebration of 1886 will be far in advance of any previous merry

for Christmas eve at the opera for the benefit of the county, is is exhouse: Song by the school; Reci- pected that liberal patronage will be tation, Lasira Apperson; Recita- extended. The size of the weekly tion, Cyntitha Fellows; Song, will be eight pages, eight columns to "Waiting for Santa Claus;" the page, just twice the present size. Recitation, Herbert Toney ; Reci- If you do not leave your orders now, tation, Helen Calbreath; Song, you will not have a chance later on. "Fairies;" Fairy scene; Santa The price will be single copy 10 cents,

crat, has incorporated as a stock the world by sending to your friends company for \$10,000 for the in the east, an issue of this great purpose of taking the afternoon edition. dispatches when the Mackay-Bennett Postal Telegraph line gets through. The incorporators are Henry Fleckenstein, E. the entertainment to be given by the D. McKee, Sidney Dell, E. J. Young Peoples' Guild at the Baptist Jeffrey and V. K. Strode.

Bismark is fully persuaded that the signal for hostilites will The coming woman will plan that France and Germany will children.

> The first four pages of the which all will want many copies.

### Mount Hood.

Behold his glistening brow uplifted high! Like a sail first seen upon the rolling main; Appears his snowy head above the plain, of ladies handiwork to be dis. Growing in grandeur and in size before your eye,

Clear and distinct against the azure sky. Beneath him lies outspread a vast domain O'er which by nature he seemed placed to

A vain procession passing ceaseless by Look up with wondering eye at his bright face.

A moment only, seeming in his sight They pause—then sink with the approach ing night

Into oblivions tomb-race after race But he, despite, decay and death remains The proud and changeless monarch of the -Charles Grissen.

#### New Year Edition.

The staff of the Reporter are now at work upon the great edition for New mit he will probably accept an Years. Each town in the county will be visited and its past, present and future outlook given to our readers in readable form. This edition will surpass anything yet attempted by the publishers.

> OUR MERCHANTS, LAWYERS, DOCTORS AND PATRONS.

Are informed that now is the oppormaking heretofore held in this tunity to send in your orders for copies of our great edition for New Years, Following is the programme as this will be strictly a county paper or three for 25 cents. Now is your The Portland Evening Demo- chance to advertise old Yambill to

# Dime Entertainment.

The following is the programme of church Wednesday evening Dec. 22d. Admission 10 cts. Children free.

By the choir, Recitation "The closing year," Miss Fannie Baxter.

Mattie Martin, Messrs. A. M. San-

ders and W. Gwinn. .... Pearly Campbell Instrumental music, Mrs. G. J. Bur-

chett. James Shank. Helen Calbreath. Recitation, Recitation, Christmas is coming, Eva

Baxter. dler and J. R. Sanders.

... By the little folks. Jubilee song....

.Alta Porter. Reading. Farmer's song, Myrtle and Robert Henderson.

STRAYED .- December 4th, from my

#### Observations.

A Yale safe lock key found on the street, awaits an owner at this office.

All adults, but no children, will be expected to pay admission to the Christmas tree at the opera house.

14 lbs. fresh homemade mixed candy for 25c, and better yet, if you will C. Grissen at the Bakery.

Ladies gold and silver watches at a big bargain at the McMinnville jewelry store.

Wanted old rags, old iron of all kinds, bottles of all kinds, empty coal oil cans and cases at the Central Hotel, J. Holeberg,

McMinnville jewelery store is now the biggest and largest west of Portland and the cheapest in Oregon. Wm. Holl, proprietor.

All are cordially invited to put presents on the Christmas tree for their children, parents and friends, at the opera house.

Why do you pay for inferior silver plated table ware big prices, if you get at the McMinnville jewelry store, Wm. Holl, the best and finest can be had for the same price.

Bring on your job work. We are now prepared to do job work in the latest and most approved style of the

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All parties knowing themselves inbegin not later than April, and Song, Merry Christmas Bell, By the debted to me are requested to please come forward, shake hands, settle up old accounts, make me happy, and yourself to. I have labored for you in the past, and shall continue to do so in the future. My work always gives satisfaction. Money I must have to meet my obligations and if you want to hear me smile, just come and drop a few ducats into my out stretched palm. Respectfully yours, W. T. Booth.

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