

# GO MING

The time is close at hand when you must buy your Christmas Goods. Remember we have the finest line of Kid Gloves, Dress Goods, Handkerchiefs, Silk Umbrellas, Serim for fancy work, Lace Curtains, and the largest display of Holiday Novelties on the coast.

## Bargains in All Departments. J. H. LUNN.

### DAVISON & WHITE

As usual are head quarters for the finest Christmas

## TURKEYS.

Choice GEESSE, Fat Hens and other poultry. Also wild game, Eastern oysters, fresh fish of all kinds, choice ranch Butter and fresh Eggs. All goods sold are just as we represent them or money cheerfully refunded.

94 Court St. 94 Court St.

### THE CAPITAL JOURNAL.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 23, 1891

## A SWEET CHRISTMAS PRESENT.

A Box of that choice Candy at JONES & BERNARD'S. Really the richest thing of the kind ever in Salem.

### GILBERT & PATTERSON,

Dealers in Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Windowglass, Etc. Sole Agents for Epicure Tea and Big Can Baking Powder.

### NEW CUTTER AND FITTER.

We have now secured a first class cutter and fitter with fourteen years' experience.

### MATTHEWS DRESSMAKING PARLORS.

331 Commercial St.

### LOCAL DATES.

Dec. 24. Christmas exercises at churches.  
Dec. 25. Shipson & Rogers shooting match.  
Dec. 26. Pacific lodge installation.  
Dec. 29. The Mousetrap farce, armory.  
Dec. 30. Alumni concert, Reed's opera house.  
Dec. 31. Second Regiment band concert, opera house.  
Jan. 3. Dedication Unity church.

### HIS RESIGNATION.

Supt. Irwin of Harrison Institute Resigned Nov. 10.—His Successor Not Yet Known.

Supt. Irwin of Chemawa Indian school was in the city this morning and in response to inquiries as to his reported resignation, stated all the facts about it.

"I forwarded a resignation Nov. 10th, but have not heard a word as to who my successor will probably be. The selection will be made under the control of the civil service rules and as I understand some one will be promoted from the ranks of similar lines of work. Since Oct. 1st I am informed the civil service applies to superintendents, teachers, matrons and physicians.

"I have really never been out of the ministry and intend to resume my place in the church. The work was telling on me and the methods of the department are exceedingly trying and I still feel that I do not care to remain, but will stay until my successor puts in his appearance. I expect to remove my family to Salem for a future residence."

Dont fail to see that charming new line of holiday furniture just opened at A. B. Buren & Son's.

Ladies fine shoes that will please the most exacting, just arrived at R. J. Fleming's 8, 8, 8, 8, 118 State street. Eastern prices prevail.

Beautiful Saxony shawls for the holidays at the Racket store. d w

Buy your Christmas presents at the Opera House corner and save money. 12-17-td.

### OVERLOADING THE STAGES.

A Correspondent Complains of the Management of One of the Stage Lines.

Ed. JOURNAL: Recently I entered your beautiful city by the bridge coming by stage across the country from McCoy. Excepting a strip of gravel just outside the city, the road was in a bad shape—a disgrace to the commissioners. We left McCoy with five passengers, in two seats, with a single team of horses, the driver making the sixth person. The roads being so heavy it was all the horses could do to pull up the steep hills, yet the suggestion to the driver by the writer that the three male passengers get out and walk, was unheeded.

In my opinion one of three things ought to be done, namely: Either there should be fewer passengers carried, or more horses put on, or the road be graveled the full length; otherwise the Humane society should investigate this matter.

### A TRAVELING MAN.

COMMENT.

[Several of the stages have, since the roads become very bad, put on four horses and advanced the fares. The team referred to travels about thirty-six miles a day and gets no rest but Sundays. It is undoubtedly a case of over driving and overloading, contrary to the Oregon statute.—ED. JOURNAL.]

### OAT MEAL MILL.

Secretary Wagner has letters showing the standing of the party who wants to plant an oat meal mill here. They all say he is an upright and honorable man and the best miller in his line in this part of the country. If water power can be secured there is no better factory to be got for Salem than an oat meal mill.

### THE HUB.

Salem is becoming more and more a political center. In the corridors of the Hotel Willamette may be found any day men of all parties from different parts of the state. The rapid growth of the state and consequent increase of state officials makes Salem the Mecca where the political pot boils.

A beautiful present is one of those new United Chamber sets. See them at Sroat & Gile's.

Buy a musical novelty for Christmas at Easton's.

Children's tea sets, building blocks, picture books, scrap albums, everything to make youngsters happy at the Racket store.

Vase lamps in endless variety and at remarkably low prices.—Sroat & Gile.

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Clark & Eppley still carry that superior line of laundry soaps.

Style, quality and finish elegant and prices to suit everybody that new car of furniture just opened at A. B. Buren & Son's.

Imported China and glassware at J. G. Wright's.

Library lamps—Be sure you see our new stock before you purchase. Sroat & Gile.

Toys for everybody at just half the usual cost at Sargent's.

Doll wagons, box wagons and a full line of holiday goods, cheaper than ever before at J. G. Wright's. 12-17-td.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Two more boys are added to the state reform school from Portland. Bring in your announcements of Christmas doings for Thursday's JOURNAL.

Do not fail to have your business represented in THE NEW YEAR'S JOURNAL.

Give that board of trade fund a lift. It will be an appropriate Christmas present for your city.

Rev. J. S. White left for Portland this afternoon for a short visit.

Rev. Frank L. Sullivan who is looking after the interests of the Pacific Baptist, left today for Oregon City.

Supt. Downing and Dr. Cusick were passengers for Portland this afternoon, and will return tomorrow.

Christmas dinner at Hellenbrand's will be up to the standard, with plenty of turkey and other delicacies.

J. N. Medberry of the Garden road this morning brought in an immense beet which weighs 30 pounds. It can be seen at the Salem Land Co.'s office.

W. G. Todd, of Crooke county has been fully restored to citizenship by a pardon from Governor Penneyer.

The overload was three hours late this morning.

Supt. J. M. Martin, of the Salem Water Works, is laid up with the grip.

Fred A. Legg returned this morning from Philadelphia, where he has been studying pharmacy.

Lewis Fisher came back from Mehama today and says it was snowing there this morning.

A marriage license has been issued to W. L. Jerman, age 21, and Lenola Grace, age 17, with the consent of her father, both parties being residents of Howell prairie.

The mails and express companies are already being called into requisition to receive and forward Christmas packages.

The G. A. R. fair is bound to be a success, and so are Dearborn's low prices on Christmas goods, 263 Commercial street.

A farmers' alliance was organized on Howell prairie last Wednesday night with a membership of forty-five. Another alliance has been organized at North Howell which has sixty-five members.

The gentleman from over the river who was looking up something elegant and useful for his wife a Christmas present, finally took one of those latest pattern Singer sewing machines. J. W. Sowden, agent.

The funeral of Rev. Cornell was largely attended, services being held at the M. E. church by Rev. Dr. Hines, and the remains taken to Lee Mission cemetery. Deceased was an Oregon pioneer, served in the legislature, and died at Portland, on his way home from a visit to his native state of Ohio.

Cigars by the box at special prices for X-Mas \$1.75, \$1.90 and \$2.00, etc. Sample one of them.—Sroat & Gile.

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