THE WEST SIDE

Telephone, No. 141.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1901

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

HOMER LODGE NO. 45, MEETS EVERY Wednesday evening. Members will take due notice and govern themselves accordingly. Visiting Knights are invited to attend when convenient.
F. L. FRAZIER, C. C.
J. W. RICHARDSON, K. R. S.

Court Independence No. 30, Foresters of America, meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

W. R. Allin, dentist, Cooper block.

Buy your mill feed at the Collins mill. Bran, $17 per ton; shorts $18 per ton.

J. L. Stockton is selling lots and lots of clothing. Why?

The roads just at this writing are in good condition, those leading out of Independence being quite dusty in places.

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and pleasant in effect, use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 25c. Samples free. Every box guaranteed. For sale by Kirkland Drug Co.

See our line of men's soft front dress and every day shirts. The Raket Stor.

Petaluma incubators are the best. Call and see them. F. E. Chambers.

Newbro's Herpicide, the dandruff cure, E. T. Henkle the barber, keeps it.

Thirty dozen men's overalls at 48cts each at J. L. Stockton's.

Look up R. M. Wade & Co's reduction stove sale.

At Robinson's—school books and school supplies.

West Side and Weekly Statesman, one year, $2

Please examine the "Julia Marlowe" shoe at the Raket Stor.

Granulated bone and oyster shells for your chickens. F. E. Chambers.

Order a nice dressed chicken, from Palmer Bros. for your Sunday dinner.

A small band of thoroughbred Cotswold sheep for sale. Enquire of C. W. Leonard, Monmouth.

Kirkland, the druggist, will refund you your money if you are not satisfied after using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They cure disorders of the stomach, billiousness, constipation and headache. Price 25 cents. Samples free.

Our $1.50 ladies kangaroo calf shoe is just extra for that price. The Raket Stor.

For school supplies and school books, go to Robinson's.

For special rate on Lippincott's Magazine to subscribers of the WEST SIDE, call at the office.

A beautiful line of silk olines, cretons, and other draperies just received at J. L. Stockton's.

The "Julia Marlowe" shoe with elastic instep is the neatest thing this spring. The Raket Stor.

Full line of poultry supplies at F. E. Chambers.

Fresh oysters, clams, crabs, fish, etc., at Palmer Bros.

A full line of men's and boys' fancy and white dress shirts and neckwear at J. L. Stockton's.

Mann's green bone mill at F. E. Chambers.

See our $2.50 ladies shoe, heavy sole and military heel. The Raket Stor.

Corset fitting wrappers at J. L. Stockton's $1, $1.35 and $1.50. To see them is to buy them.

Palmer Bros. pay cash for eggs, poultry, etc. Call and see us.

Grass seed of all kinds at F. E. Chambers.

Try Moore, the barber, north side of "C" street, opposite Knox's grocery store, for a hair cut or shave.

Bring in your fat boys, we can fit them with overalls. The Raket Stor.

R. M. Wade & Co. will be in the lead on bicycles this season, their stock has begun to arrive.

Newbro's Herpicide, the dandruff cure, at E. T. Henkle's barber shop, 10 cents.

Our men's 50 cent work shirts are the best you can buy for the money. The Raket Stor.

The second annual encampment of the Spanish-American War Veterans' Association of Oregon will be held in the National Guard armory at Portland Tuesday evening, Feb. 26.

We are receiving so many goods now that we want to get money to pay freight. J. L. Stockton.

A contributor sends us a story in which is the statement that the fair heroine "lay upon the floor breathing out her life in short pants." This will never do. We can't print such stuff as that. It might sell papers, but we have a reputation to sustain, and shall do it if it breaks the management.

When in Salem and you want a good meal don't forget to go to Strong's Restaurant, where everything the market affords can be had.

Lee's Lice Killer will destroy the vermin on your poultry; it works while they sleep. Get a can at F. E. Chambers.

CORDWOOD taken on subscription at the WEST SIDE office.

E W Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
the remedy that cures a cold in one day

You would be surprised to see the great variety of air tight heater displayed on the floor at R. M. Wade & Co's. If you need anything in that line don't overlook them.

J. S. Moore, the barber on C street, now handles Newbro's Herpicide, the famous dandruff cure, endorsed by all the leading barbers of Portland and all cities in the east. Give it a trial and save your hair.

The country resident with a life in the growing fields, in the open air, and his constant association with the unfolding, with the succeeding scenes, is nearest of all occupations to the foundation source of life.

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MONTHLY MAGAZINE
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Lippincott's Magazine and the WEST SIDE, one year, $3.25.

B. F. Smith, of Lewisville, spent Sunday in this city.

Leyton Smith and wife, and Sherman Hays went over to Dallas on Monday.

Mrs. R. A. Whiting, of Seattle, is visiting Mrs. E. E. Paddock.

Dr. Lee Steiner has left Dallas and gone to Lakeview to live.

Rev. John Osborn will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

L. C. Gilmore made a trip to Salem the first of the week.

Mrs. L. Damon is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mitchell, at Fairfield.

The Lady Maccabees went over to Dallas yesterday to instal the officers of the Dallas tent.

Mrs. J. N. Jones went to Salem last Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. Rider, who was in the hospital.

Mrs. M. T. Cressy and son went to McMinnville Saturday to spend a few days.

George H. Durham, of Portland, spent Sunday in this city, the guest of J. S. Cooper.

Miss Ivy Burton, who is attending school at Corvallis, spent Sunday at home here.

Miss Grace Damon entertained a few young friends at whist last Saturday evening.

Miss Lela Herren, who is attending school at Salem, visited the folks here at home over Sunday.

Mrs. N. C. Palmer, of McMinnville, visited her sons, the commission merchants, here this week.

Clint Moore is clerking at Wagoner's cigar store, taking the place vacated by Miss Florence Wagoner.

M. E. Masterson, a former resident of this city, came up from Astoria on Friday and returned on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Douty returned on Saturday evening from their trip to Portland and Seattle where they went to purchase a line of dry goods.

Mr. Ernest Welch, of Salem, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Gilmore. Mr. Welch and Roy Gilmore were old time schoolmates.

Henry Waller has quit as chief clerk at the Little Palace hotel and his place is filled by Frank Backley. Henry says he's going to farming.

Take your partners for the last dance of the season at the opera house Saturday evening under the auspices of the orchestra club. A good time with excellent music is assured.

The Women of Woodcraft will give a Martha Washington social on Friday, February 22d, at Odd Fellows' hall. The ladies are requested to wear caps and aprons, and ties to match. Admission 10 cents.

The Foresters of America had a gay time Tuesday evening. Thirteen neophytes from Dallas rode the Independence goat and were then transferred to the Salem goat which had been procured for the occasion.

On Tuesday afternoon a large delegation of W. C. T. U. ladies went over to Monmouth to attend a convention. There was a large delegation present from Dallas.

There will be no preaching services at the Presbyterian church Sunday, Feb. 17th, the pastor being called to Newport by the Home Mission committee.

Mrs. Hattie Bartlett, mother of Mr. J. S. Moore, is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Adams, in this city. Mrs. Bartlett is past 81 years of age and has been in poor health for some time.

Mr. R. A. Whiting, chief clerk at Seattle of the railway mail service, spent Sunday visiting with his wife and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Paddock, returning to his duties on Monday.

The W. C. T. U. of Dallas offer a reward of $25 for the evidence sufficient to convict any drug store there of selling intoxicating liquor contrary to law. There is undoubtedly plenty of evidence. The question is how to get it.

Miss Leota Howard, the leading lady in the "Under Sealed Orders" company, is an Oregon girl, having been raised at McCoy, this county. She has been on the stage several years and has met with a high degree of success so far during her career.

A. J. Goodbrod, of LaGrande, department commander for Oregon of the G. A. R., paid an official visit on Wednesday to General Gibson Post No 64, of this city. He was received by the veterans with due honors and his address listened to with marked attention.

Mrs. Mamie Briggs, past grand chief of honor, made a very interesting and instructive address to the members of Willamette Lodge No. 42, Degree of Honor, on Tuesday evening. A large number were present and the address listened to with pleasure and close attention. At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served.

Mrs. Mary Sparr, who resides a few miles from Salem in Polk county, complains that her husband, Wm. Sparr, is an insane person and should be committed to the asylum for treatment. Mr. Sparr has been acting strangely for several months past and it has been quite evident to all who knew him that his mental condition was gradually growing worse. He was a witness in the Magers case a few years ago and he now imagines that the part he took in it was the cause of that man's conviction of the crime of murder and his subsequent execution. This has preyed upon Sparr's mind ever since and is no doubt the cause of his insanity.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

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THE PUREST
AND BEST.....

Bottled beer for
family use to
be had at

ED. GALE'S CASTLE SALOON,
Independence.

The Senatorship.

There was no change at Salem in the vote for United States Senator as the West Side went to press this week, the vote standing as follows:

H. W. Corbett	32
Binger Hermann	29
R. D. Inman	26
Scattering and absent	3

Come, boys, the time is getting short; you've had your fun; elect a senator and end the suspense.

Find the Missing Word.

We today offer our readers something entirely new and original in the missing word contest business. It is this: A good church deacon accidentally sat down on the business end of a carpet tack. He at once sprang up and said only two words. The last was "it." Any person guessing the first word and sending us a $1.50 in cash will be entitled to The West Side one year.

Teachers' Examination.

The following persons are at Dallas this week taking the examination for teachers:

Miss Ortie Miller, Oregon City; Miss Irma Hall, Monmouth; Miss Mabel Cooper, Independence; Miss Myrtle Bowman, Union county; Miss Elva Baker, Greenville, Wash county; Miss Ward, Portland; Miss Rosa Smith, Monmouth; Miss Charlotta Roberts, Hood River; Miss Scott, Independence; Miss Kate Sterts, Clackamas county; Miss Ladd, Union; Miss Anderson, Washington county; Mrs Harvey, Hood River; James Eaton, Monmouth; A. B. Serfling Linn county; Frank Haley, Monmouth.

Now watch the river rise.

Al Herren spent Monday in Salem.

Dr. Allin went to Salem on a business trip Tuesday.

Arthur E. Moore is keeping books at Douty's store.

Capt. Skinner is at Lebanon. Wonder if he is hunting tame ducks

Claude Fryer is progressing rapidly in his medical studies at Salem and occasionally spends a few days at home here.

Postmaster Wheeler says he's got the mitten. The other day he found a good kid glove and a mitten in the lobby and has them on call for the owners.

The man who follows the plow to fortune will travel many a mile, but he is surer by far of reaching it than the man who wonders aimlessly up and down the earth not following anything.

Mrs. O. D. Rider, who has been in the Salem hospital, was brought home by Mr. Rider on Tuesday evening. Her health which has always been none of the best is not improving as fast as desired.

Mrs. Preston, of Portland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Harris, a few days this week. Yesterday she went up the road to visit Mr Preston's mother at Albany.

The Independence barbers desire the West Side to inform the public that they will not do any more Sunday work, out of respect for the state law just passed.

Publicity is the order of the day. Vast sums of money are spent in advertising, a good proportion of which is wasted because the proper medium is not selected. The Inventive Age and Patent Index, of Washington, D. C., is now entering upon its thirteenth year, and is the only journal published at the national capital, out of the Patent Office Gazette which costs $5 a year containing full information about the latest patents granted. Its pages are replete with other matter making it interesting to the ordinary reader. It is improving with age and is today the foremost journal of its class. The subscription price is $1 a year, and it may be ordered through this office.

A daughter of Lucy Stone makes the point that Queen Victoria was a woman in active politics, and yet left seventy-one direct living descendants as a proof that her household had not suffered on that account.

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Game Laws of Oregon.

It is lawful to kill deer and elk from July 15 to November 1 of each year, but it is unlawful to kill them at any time for the hides, hams and horns, and it is also unlawful at any time to kill a spotted fawn or to chase a deer with dogs.

The open season to kill silver grey squirrels is from October 1 to January 1. The open season for China pheasants, grouse, native pheasants and quails is the months of October and November. Hunters are not allowed to shoot from a public highway or to enter any standing or growing grain not his own for the purpose of recovering or taking any game, or to go upon any premises for the purpose of hunting or to allow his dogs to do so without the consent of the owner or the person in charge. The law forbids the killing of jacksnipe except from the first day of September until the 1st day of February following.

Trout may be taken from April 1 to November 1 of each year. Ducks may be killed from September 1 until March 15 following.

The penalty for the violation of any of the provisions of the law protecting game is a fine of not less than $15 or more than $20, together with the costs of the prosecution or by fine in the county jail not less than seven days nor more than 100 days.

The punishment being so severe few will take the chances of killing game out of season.

The best Prescription for Malaria Chills and Fever, is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. Price, 50c.

Do you need.....

PRINTING?

If so, give the **WEST SIDE** a call. Printing of every description done with neatness and dispatch at reasonable rates.

WE AIM TO PLEASE.

Riley Cooper says, for the third and last time, that the fellow who has his gravel bed had better bring it home.

The gasoline street lamps which were recently employed in lighting the city of Myrtle Point have proved a failure, says the Enterprise of that city. They take consolation in the fact that they were blowed in for only four lamps.

J. D Irvine, school clerk of district No. 29, is taking the school census. Those who are not yet enumerated should hunt up Mr. Irvine in order that we might have a full count.

On Monday Governor Geer filed the Barber Sunday Closing bill without his signature, thus completing the proceedings necessary to make it a law. As it bears an emergency clause, it went into effect Monday and will make barbering on next Sunday a crime.

W. C. Bryant will represent Monmouth Normal school in the state intercollegiate debate to be held at Corvallis, March 8. He won first place in the local contest, his subject being "Our Reformers." Hugh Eason was awarded second place.

An architect and stage carpenter were here last week conferring with the owners of the opera house with a view to making extensive changes therein. After the plans and estimates have been prepared, the owners will decide. It is likely the changes will be made.

The dry, cold weather of late has caused the water in the Willamette to run down to a very low stage. Officers on the steamer Modoc, which runs from Portland to Corvallis, says that the boat begins to touch bottom on the bars between Independence and Corvallis. The water at this point is only between 3 and 4 feet of low water mark.

Work in the hop yards has in most cases commenced. Some of them have their poles and wires up and yards plowed; while others, principally on the low lands, are beginning to get matters straightened out a little where the high water was. Many poles in these latter yards were swept away, taking wires along. The Horst yard alone losing some sixty acres of poles and wires.

A fine shower of rain fell on Tuesday afternoon, just enough to wet the old fellows' webs. Unless we get more water from the clouds shortly, the boats won't be able to get here. The river is so low now that great difficulty is found in getting over the bars between here and Salem. The bottom of the river seems to rise up and hit the bottoms of the boats hard enough to crack them.

Harry Wagoner bought the bankrupt stock of Frank Fisher at Monmouth on Monday and, it is said, will continue the business with his sister, Miss Florence, in charge.

Should any citizen of Dallas appear before a home audience and use language one-half as vile as that indulged in by many traveling lecturers, he would be branded a social outcast for the rest of his days. Yet the strolling fellow's talk is usually pronounced hot stuff, and great crowds of people will flock to hear him. Queer world, this.—Observer.

The dog poisoner has appeared again, or rather his work has. On Saturday two dogs died from the effects of poison, belonging to A. J. Goodman, and Walker boys. Al Herren's dog was very sick, and also Asa Taylor's, but prompt ministering of antidotes saved them. Why the dog poisoner selects valuable dogs for his prey does not appear.

Send Me Their Names.

Thousands of Eastern people will take advantage of the cheap rates to the Northwest in effect every Tuesday from February 12 to April 30

They are the lowest in years.

If you have any friends who are thinking of coming West, send me their names and I will have our representatives look them up—furnish them with advertising matter—reserve berths—see that they have a quick and comfortable trip.

A. C. Sheldon,
General Agent,
2-8 t 4-30 Burlington Route, Portland

On Monday F. A. Douty started a gang of artisans at work remodeling his store building so as to accommodate his new stock of general merchandise now on the way. This will be one of the biggest additions to the business of Independence yet started this year.

EASTWARD.
The Great Salt Lake Route.

The traveler, tourist or business man is wise when he selects the Rio Grande Western Railway, "Great Salt Lake Route" for his route to the East. It is the only transcontinental line passing directly through Salt Lake City, and in addition to the glimpse it affords of the Temple City, the Great Salt Lake and the picturesque Salt Lake and Utah Valleys, it offers the choice of three distinct routes through the mountains and the most magnificent scenery in the world. Treble daily train service and through Pullman and Tourist sleeping cars between Portland, Huntington, Butte, Denver and Chicago in connection with the Oregon R. R & Navigation Co. and Oregon Short Line.

For pamphlets descriptive of the "Great Salt Lake Route" apply to J. D. Mansfield, General Agent, 253 Washington, Portland; or Geo. W. Heintz, A. G. P. A., Salt Lake City.

In Oregon.

Millions of acres of the best lands left in the gift of the government are—in Oregon. Soil that yields from three to five harvests of wheat for one seeding—in Oregon. Over 20,000,000 acres of forests, that produce from 25,000 to 250,000 feet of timber to the acre—in Oregon. Pastures that turn out 250-pound sheep and 2200-pound cattle—in Oregon. More than 14,000 square miles of mineral lands, rich as the richest in Colorado, California or the Klondike—in Oregon. A climate that is unsurpassed—no winter cold, no summer heat, no blizzards, no drouths and no crop failures—in Oregon.

Oregon is reached directly and quickly by the New York Central lines and their immediate connections.

A copy of "Round the World via New York and Niagara Falls," will be sent free, post-paid, on receipt of a postage stamp by George H. Daniels, G. P. A., New York Central Railroad, Grand Central Station, New York.

Notice.

The First National Bank of Independence, Oregon, located at Independence in the State of Oregon, is closing up its affairs. All note holders and others, creditors of the association, are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims against the association for payment.

J. S. Cooper,
Dated December 24, 1900. President.

Lincoln's Birthday.

A crowded house greeted the G. A. R. and W. R. C. at the auditorium Tuesday evening to listen to the exercises commemorative of the 92d anniversary of the birthday of Abraham Lincoln.

The following program was rendered:

"America"	Orchestra
Piano duet	Miss Torbet, Gould Cressy
Recitation, "Mother and Poet"	Miss Nellie Whiteaker
Piano Solo, "Chilperic"	Miss Z. Stockton
Flag drill	By School Children
Recitation, "Too Late for the Train"	Miss Jessie Heffron
Address	Prof. A. M. Sanders
Piano solo, "Alice"	Miss Pearl Kelly
Recitation, "Mr. Perkins at the Dentist's"	Miss Edith Owen
Piano solo, selected	Gould Cressy
Cornet solo	Clarence Clodfelter
Recitation, "The Boatman of the Samgroon"	Paul Cleland
Address	President P. L. Campbell
Piano solo, selected	Miss Torbet
Solo, "Joan of Arc in Rouen"	Senator Doughty
Song, "Star Spangled Banner"	
Selection	Orchestra

Mr. Eldridge, manager of the Independence, Oregon, creamery, says Polk county has the best winter roads he has ever seen in Oregon, and he has traveled over a large portion of it. Still, we guess Mr. Eldridge would not contend that they are anything to brag about, excepting in the way of comparison. There are yet only a very few good winter roads in Oregon, though it will be admitted that some are better than others. But the well settled portions of Oregon could afford to build good roads, and would if the proper legislation were enacted.—Homestead.

The dry spell lasted about a month but is not believed to have done any damage.

There are two methods of letting sheep on shares. One is for the owner to furnish the sheep to the tenant and receive half the wool and half the increase. The other party furnishes all the feed and care necessary for the flock. The owner of the sheep usually holds the manager to the original number. It will require very little calculation to show that the manager is paying pretty stiff interest on the money the owner has invested in his sheep. The other plan is to let the sheep on a three or five years lease. The party of the first to furnish the sheep and the party of the second part the care and keep of the same. At the end of the third year the owner is to have double the number of sheep let, sex for sex and age for age. The second party to own and keep all the rest. It is better to borrow the money and buy sheep than to take them on either plan, even if a mortgage has to be given on the flock as security.—Itemizer.

"I hobbled into Mr Blackmon's drug store one evening" says Wesley Nelson of Hamilton, Ga., "and he asked me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism with which I had suffered for a long time. I told him I had no faith in any medicine as they all failed. He said: 'Well if Chamberlain's Pain Balm does not help you, you need not pay for it.' I took a bottle of it home and used it according to the directions and in one week I was cured, and have not since been troubled with rheumatism." Sold by Kirkland Drug Co.

The Salem Flouring Mills company will begin, in about two months, the erection of a new mill on the site of the one destroyed by fire a year and a half ago, says the Statesman. The new mill will be in a commodious frame building, and will have a daily capacity of 200 barrels or more. The only matter that causes any delay in the commencement of the work is the fear that the wheat crop will again fail, but it is believed that by the first day of April the wheat will be far enough advanced in growth to make a good crop reasonably certain. When the work is once started it is proposed to push it to completion so as to be in readiness to handle the coming wheat crop. The acreage of wheat, notwithstanding the partial failure of the crop last year, is almost as large as that of former years, and it does not seem that there can be any reasonable doubt but that a large crop will be harvested next season.

The Florence Sanatorium,
Salem, Oregon.

A first class private hospital for the treatment of chronic and surgical. Built during the past year especially for the purpose for which it is used. Conveniently located within four blocks of the business part of the city. The most modern furnishings and latest appliances throughout the building. Heated by hot water; lighted by gas and electricity. Here the sick can have the comforts of an elegant private home, with all the advantages of a general hospital. Outside physicians bringing in patients treated with the greatest courtesy, and assisted in operations if requested.

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To the Deaf.

A rich lady cured of her deafness and noises in the head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave $10,000 to his institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the ear drums may have them free. Address No. 13134-c, The Nicholson Institute, 780, Eighth Avenue, New York, U. S. A.

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD CHARacter to deliver and collect in Oregon for old established manufacturing wholesale house $900 a year, sure pay. Honesty more than experience required. Our reference, any bank in any city. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manufacturers, Third Floor, 331 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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The Thrice-a-Week World's diligence as a publisher of first news has given it circulation wherever the English language is spoken—and you want it.

The Thrice-a-Week World's regular subscription price is only $1 per year. We offer this unequaled newspaper and the WEST SIDE together one year for $2.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props, Toledo, O.

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WEST & TRUAX, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.
WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Census.

Is it worth while for Independence business men to make a recount of the residents and disprove the report of the census office officials? Many of our citizens are positive that a recount will show an increase but doubt whether the procedure will be of any use to the town other than to satisfy the people that they were "jobbed." Many other towns kicked at their returns, and what good did it do them?

Drying preparations simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions, which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants, fumes, smokes and snuffs and use that which cleanses, soothes and heals. Ely's Cream Balm is such a remedy and will cure catarrh or cold in the head easily and pleasantly. A trial size will be mailed for 10 cents. All druggists sell the 50c. size, Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N.Y.

The Balm cures without pain, does not irritate or cause sneezing. It spreads itself over an irritated and angry surface, relieving immediately the painful inflammation.

With Ely's Cream Balm you are armed against Nasal Catarrh and Hay Fever.

Our local politicians are getting almost as anxious to see the end of the senatorial struggle as the politicians of greater note. A number of them from this county are in almost constant attendance at Salem.

The claim of other cough medicines to be as good as Chamberlain's are effectually set at rest in the following testimonial of Mr. C. D. Glass, an employe of Bartlett & Dennis Co., Gardiner, Me. He says: "I had kept adding to a cold and cough in the winter of 1897, trying every cough medicine I heard of without permanent help, until one day I was in the drug store of Mr. Houlehan and he advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and offered to pay me back my money if I was not cured. My lungs and bronchial tubes were very sore at this time, but I was completely cured by this remedy and have since always turned to it if I got a cold, and soon find relief. I also recommend it to my friends and am glad to say it is the best of all cough medicines." For sale by the Kirkland Drug Co.

Married

By Rev. Lovell on Thursday, February 7th, Mr. Otis M. Welch and Miss Myra Brooks.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brooks and the groom is a popular salesman in the Raket Stor. Both young people are well and favorably known and receive the congratulations of their many friends. They have gone to housekeeping in Thorp's addition.

The Irl R. Hicks 1901 Almanac.

Whatever may be said of the scientific causes upon which the Rev. Irl R Hicks bases his yearly forecasts of storm and weather, it is a remarkable fact that specific warnings of every great storm, flood, cold wave and drouth have been plainly printed in his now famous Almanac for many years. The latest startling proof of this fact was the destruction of Galveston, Texas, on the very day named by Prof. Hicks in his 1900 Almanac, as one of disaster by storm along the gulf coasts. The 1901 Almanac, by far the finest, most complete and beautiful yet published, is now ready. This remarkable book of near 200 pages, splendidly illustrated with charts and half-tones, goes as a premium to every subscriber who pays one dollar a year for Hicks' journal, Word and Works. The Almanac alone is sent prepaid for only 25c. Order from Word and Works Publishing company 2201 Locust street. St Louis, Mo.

Notice to Water Consumers.

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11:00 a. m.
7:15 p. m.

Leaves Monmouth for Airlie.

7:50 a. m.
3:50 p. m.

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7:30 p. m.

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9:00 a. m.
5.00 p. m.

Leaves Dallas for Monmouth and Independence.

1:00 p. m.
8:30 "

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9:45 a. m.
1:30 p. m.
2:40 p. m.
5:45 p m.
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