POLK COUNTY ITEMIZER.

DALLAS, SATURDAY, OCT. 7, 1882.

THE LATEST!

The vote yesterday for Senator was, Mitchell, 38; Shattuck, 23; Failing, 8; Richard Williams, 10; Geo. H. Williams, 3; Delph, 1. Dunbar and Hayes paired. Smith, who has been voting for Mitchell heretofore, went to Delph.

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Read John Hendrick's notice of sale.

The "garnered fullness" of the clouds is coming down.

Adolf Wolf, of Independence, made Dallas a visit on Thursday.

Mr. H. E. Boothby, proprietor of the Stanislaus (Cal.) Wheat Grower, is in town.

Dr. Sites informs us that the wife of J. M. Sears, who has been very ill, is convalescent.

Mr. Wright is engaged in executing a neat map of the City of Dallas for the use of the council.

Mr. R. D. Cooper, manager of Mr. Poppleton's store at Airlie, was in town this week and enlivened us with a visit.

Mr. C. H. Osler, who formerly taught school in this place, and also in Dixie, is now practicing medicine very successfully in Oakdale, California.

Mr. Press Holman has been appointed Recorder of the city of Dallas, by the Council, in place of C. A. Johns, resigned. Mr. Holman is now engaged in assessing the property holders for a city tax.

Mrs. Mary C. Myer will be at the store of Dr. Worthington next Wednesday with a full supply of millinery for the trade of that section. Afterwards she will visit McCoy as often as her trade there demands.

Dr. C. E. Worthington has a drug and general merchandise store at McCoy. His location is a desirable one, and the doctor, being an energetic business man, will profit by it. We take great pleasure in commending him to our readers, because we are satisfied he will deal justly and liberally with his customers. His ad. is referred to under "new to-day."

SUDDEN DEATH.

Mr. William Bowman, residing six or seven miles north of Dallas, on Salt Rock, died suddenly last Saturday near his house. The circumstances led his family to believe that he had taken his own life, and accordingly, in the absence of the Coroner, Mr. Henrick, Justice of the Peace, held an inquest over his body. We learn that the jury in that inquest found a verdict of suicide. On Sunday, the Coroner, Dr. T. Loe, was requested to hold another inquest, which he did. At this inquest a post mortem examination was made, and deceased found to have a diseased heart. Mrs. Bowman testified that deceased told her several times that he wished he was dead; that he wished he had died a year ago. His trouble seemed to be about land trade; first noticed this trouble about two weeks before. When she first told him he told her he had taken poison.

McMinn Dodson testified that in a conversation with deceased, he said he feared he was going to be cheated; deceased was down-hearted; looked as if much troubled; sent word for witness to come to see him.

Wm. Conegys testified that deceased looked sick, said he was afraid of being cheated, did not appear rational at times, thought Campbell and Conner were going to put him out of house and home. Witness stayed all night with him; he appeared very restless.

Thomas Lyons testified that he saw him in the morning of his death; he did not appear as usual. Other testimony was to the effect that he was much troubled about land trade he was making. Below is the verdict of the jury. It is probable that Bowman knew more about the matter than any one, and he said, in his dying words, that he had poisoned himself. These words, taken in connection with the observed mental disturbance of deceased for days previous, lead to the supposition that the first jury was nearer the mark. He might have had the heart disease, and still have died of poison. The mother of deceased came to her death, years ago, by drowning herself. Mr. Bowman was well respected, and his family have the sympathy of the community.

VERDICT.

We, the jurors summoned to inquire into the cause of the death of the deceased now before us, do find, first, that his name is William Bowman, that his age is 58 years, and that he came to his death on the 30th day of September, 1882, from insanity degeneration of the heart, at his house on Salt Creek, in Polk County, Oregon.

J. H. DOWNING,
J. W. WANN,
J. D. ELLIS,
R. S. CONNER,
S. T. ROGS,
F. A. WESTER.

Second Brigade Band.

By a unanimous vote the resignations of Otho Williams, David Ashbaugh, and B. Glaze were accepted. The following officers were elected: T. B. Rowell, President; I. L. Burson, Inspector; Wm. Grant, Collector of Finance; F. A. Brown, Secretary; F. J. Coad, Trustees; J. W. Crider, Milt Coleman, altos; F. J. Coad, first tenor; Wm. Grant, second slide trombone; F. A. Brown, baritone; T. B. Rowell, bass; F. A. Stiles and Frank Rowell, battery.

County Lodge, I. O. G. T.

The Polk County Lodge, I. O. G. T., will convene at the hall of Monmouth Lodge, October 24th and 25th, 1882, at 10 o'clock A. M. each day, for the purpose of transacting the County Lodge business. Public exercises, under the auspices of the Lodge, will be held in the College chapel on the evening of the 24th. Bro. C. King, State Lecturer, will address the people on the subject of temperance at that time.

Newly Fledged.

Mr. Chas. P. Sullivan, so well and favorably known in Dallas, passed a fine examination before the Supreme Court, on Tuesday, and was then and there admitted to the bar. If a bright mind, unusual energy and faithfulness to anything, Charlie is bound to make a mark. We most heartily congratulate him, none the less heartily because his having been for a long time a friend of the ITEMIZER.

District School.

Directors have applied to the trustees of the Southern Methodist Church to rent the church building for school purposes. Unless they succeed in securing a house there will be no district school here this winter. The Sheriff is collecting the taxes levied for the purpose of building a schoolhouse, but it will not be erected this winter.

Born.

In Perrydale, Septembes 27, 1882, to the wife of J. D. Jones, a son.

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS.

CIVIL.

Joseph Thorp, plaintiff, vs. H. D. Hillary—Action on settlement for $52.90. Judgment for plaintiff in the sum of $35.85 and that plaintiff pay costs.

PROBATE.

In the matter of the estate of G. W. Teller, S. D. Gibson, administrator—Order made for sale of wheat to satisfy claims against estate.

In the matter of the estate of B. S. White, J. C. White, administrator. Order for sale of personal property. Administrator charged with amount of inventory, $8,833.58.

In the matter of the estate of M. W. Nealy, deceased, B. M. Smith, administrator—Administrator charged with interest on notes, $35.55.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. B. Prather, deceased, J. M. Prather, administrator—Administrator charged with $155.47, amount of sale above appraisement.

In the matter of the estate of B. S. White, deceased, J. C. White, Administrator—Administrator credited with $3500 real estate found not to belong to deceased.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. Bowman, deceased—Mary Jane Bowman appointed administrator, and letters issued.

In the matter of the guardianship of heirs of F. M. Alfrey, deceased, E. F. Sargent, guardian—Guardian charged with increase $705.85; credited with maintenance and expenses, $360.

In the matter of the estate of T. H. Birch, deceased, W. P. Connaway, administrator—Administrator credited with $233.39, as per vouchers.

COMMISSIONERS.

In the matter of the bill of C. E. Worthington for professional services at the inquest of William Frakes—Bill reduced from $150 to $50 and allowed.

In the matter of the transcript of inquest on the body of William Bowman, deceased—Fees of six witnesses, six jurors and the Coroner allowed, and $30 allowed to Dr. Magers for professional services, aggregating the total amount of $56.25.

Resignation of Isaac Staats, Justice of the Peace of Luckiamute Precinct, accepted and office declared vacant.

Account of T. J. Graves, County Assessor, presented: 265 days at $3 per day, $615; amount received for poll tax, $167. Balance remaining due, $448, allowed.

The report of viewers and surveyor on T. B. Williams road received, and matter continued.

Following bills examined and approved: John J. Dorris, keeping pauper Purdy, $16; Fox & Goodell, keeping pauper Croy, $24; J. R. Miller, merchandise, $17.50; D. Syron, work on Court House, $3; R. Shelley, Clerk's fees, $26.65; W. A. Livermore, work, $3.75; G. E. Good, printing, $5.50; H. Holman, Sheriff's fees, $24; W. C. Brown, 20 cords of wood, $60.

Fifty dollars appropriated for a bridge over Johnson creek, in District No. 12.

T. B. Williams appointed Justice of the Peace in Luckiamute precinct, in place of Staats, resigned.

Bill of surveyor in the H. R. Grant road allowed, aggregating, $18.60.

Bills of S. A. Randle and D. H. Hartson for $4 each, for services in public examination of teachers, allowed.

Court House insured for $3,000 for three years at 3½ per cent.

Frank Rigler, County Superintendent, allowed $100 salary for quarter just ended, and ordered that hereafter he shall receive $30 per month, and furnished with stationery.

Bridge across the La Creole at Dallas received, and warrant for contract price of $1,070 ordered drawn on treasury in favor of St. John & Stone, builders.

Witness fees $3 allowed in State vs. John Ashbaugh, in Justice's Court.

A. W. Lucas, L. Bentley and F. M. Maggart appointed viewers to assess damages claimed by J. J. Williams in the matter of the T. B. Williams road, to meet on the 16th inst.

In the matter of the tax levy—The value of the property in the county is found to be $2,397,856.87 and the current expenses estimated at $14,000, and there being an indebtedness of about $7,000, it is adjudged that a revenue of about $20,000 will have to be raised, wherefore a levy of 8½ mills is made for county purposes, the total levy being 17 mills for all purposes. The Sheriff ordered to collect the same, and that he be charged with 762, uncollected poll tax.

Resignation of Justice of Peace Hendrick, of Salt Lake precint, accepted and D. P. Stouffer appointed in his stead.

Claim of $7.50 by J. N. Smith, against the estate of James F. Brown, deceased, ordered paid out of funds of said estate in Treasurer's hands

Joseph Craven allowed $15 for superintending bridges; $18 for 6 days as Commissioner, and mileage for three terms, 54 miles, $5.40; total, $38.40.

Scott A. Riggs, Commissioner, allowed same mileage and attendance, and $6 for superintending bridges.

John Tarkington, a pauper on the county, is sent to California, $60 appropriated for that purpose.

WEATHER REPORT.

During Sept., 1882, there were 2 days during which rain fell, and an aggregate of .52 inches of water; 21 clear and 3 cloudy days other than those on which rain fell, and 4 days on which the sky was obscured by smoke.

The mean temperature for the month was 59.24 deg.

Highest daily mean temperature for the month, 70 deg. on the 21st.

Lowest daily mean temperature, 46 deg. on the 23rd.

Mean temperature for the month at 2 P. M., 68.96 deg.

Highest temperature for the month, 81 deg. at 2 o'clock P. M., on the 21st.

Lowest temperature, 44 deg. at 7 o'clock A. M., on the 29th.

The prevailing winds for the month were from the north 26 days, southwest 3 days, northwest 1 day.

During September, 1881, there were 6 days during which rain fell, and 1.83 inches of water, 14 clear and 10 cloudy days.

Mean temperature for the month, 51.17 deg.

Highest daily mean temperature for the month, 66 deg. on the 11th.

Lowest mean temperature for the month, 53 deg. on the 19th and 26th.

T. PEARCE.

EOLA, Oct. 2, 1882.

The October Californian.

The Californian and Overland Monthly is at hand for October, with its usual bright and interesting pages. The number leads off with an interesting paper on "The Doctrines of Ralph Waldo Emerson," by E. R. Sill. "The College of California Water Plan," by S. H. Willey, describes the successive steps in the development of the plan by which the College of California is supplied with water. "The Japaneze Bonze's Story," by William Elliott Griffis, "Reminiscences of the Gold Period," by James O'Meara, "Civilization in South America," by Chas. A. Washburn, "The Vigilantes of Montana," by Henry Gannett, are among the articles of special interest. Poetry, reviews and "out-croppings" fill the remainder of this excellent number.

Any person contemplating attending the Portland Business College this winter can save money on their tuition fee by calling at this office.

ZENA ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Oak Grove can now boast of one of the prettiest churches in the country.

Mr. William Waters and family started for Eastern Oregon on Monday last.

Last week's ITEMIZER did not get here until Tuesday evening, from some cause.

The gentle showers of Autumn have come at last to gladden the hearts of the ever-toiling farmers.

If our Representatives really wish to defeat Mitchell for the Senate, why don't they support Judge Shattuck?

Dr. J. W. Watts, of Oregon City, will lecture here on Saturday, October 21st, at 7 P. M., and again the next day at 11 A. M. All invited to attend.

We forgot to mention in our items of last week that Mr. Cyrus Purvine went up East of the Mountains after a better half May happiness be theirs through life.

We see the boys are again gathering their tin cans together. There must be another wedding near at hand, but we have not yet learned who the unfortunate victims are to be.

We have no school yet, and our Directors have had no applications for the school. There should be a school here this Fall and Winter. Won't some one take a forward step in the matter!

The Walling brothers started for Nestucca on Monday last. We wish them a pleasant time, and hope they will be more successful in securing game than others who have returned from there recently.

Our J. P. is going to emigrate to Eola, as he feels somewhat slighted by our friends going elsewhere to get their "splicing" done. He says that he is still willing to perform the ceremony for the first couple free of charge. Here, boys, is your chance; who will be the lucky ones.

Mr. William Beane, of McCoy, passed through our city on Wednesday on his way to Washington Territory. He goes to take him up a home, where he can spend the rest of his days. Mr. Thomas Jefferson went with him. We don't know whether he is any relation to our immortal T. J. or not.

An open confession is good for the soul, it has been said. We confess we are not a graduate and do not understand your correspondent from Perrydale. What he means by a "low hand" we are unable to tell, as we can find no use for a third hand, or the keg of beer he speaks of. We most earnestly request him to read what "Brudder Gardner" has to say about intemperance in the last issue of THE ITEMIZER.

BUENA VISTA ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

L. M. Hall, M. M. Ellis and William Townsend were in town this week. They were not canvassing for Mitchell votes.

Our saw mill has started on a contract for hard-wood lumber. Hands are very scarce, and the proprietor is almost compelled to employ Chinamen.

Prof. Davis' singing school closes with four more lessons. The Professor is well liked by the scholars, and will teach a second term if they have their way about it.

We are happy to state that we were mistaken about our boys giving Mart. and Minnie Prather a charivari. We are really glad to know that the custom is going out of date.

The I. O. O. F. Lodge will be open on Saturday, it being the first Saturday in October. Business of importance will be transacted, and members are expected to be present. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend.

Our Buena Vista liar broke his jaw in attempting to tell how many bushels of wheat he threshed this season. He has managed to say "Bettman" a few times since the occurrence, and our wise men have concluded that he means to refer us to him for our lies in the future.

Our Senator must have been reading some of the proceedings of the California Legislature in years long gone by. That license bill, or bid for popularity, deserves a leather medal. Tax a man because he is compelled to hire Chinamen or go out of business. It is real refreshing.

Jack, the fine bird dog belonging to B. S. Clark, was locked in the hall over the store and remained just eight days, without food or water. He looked rather shadowy when released. After slaking his thirst he seemed perfectly satisfied, and could undoubtedly have gone forty days without any food.

Rather amusing to see a J. P. levying upon a calf, he supposing that it was necessary to get his hands on it, and in trying to do so, chase it around the lot at full speed, and finally get it by the tail and sing out: "In the name of the State of Oregon, I levy upon you." All this on a dead run. It was laughable.

MONMOUTH ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

We are having some pleasant showers of rain this week.

The city jail is not yet completed, on account of the scarcity of hands.

Elder P. R. Burnett, of McMinnville, was in town the last of September.

Our Road Supervisor has done a good job in graveling Independence street.

Several of our town people are attending the Mechanics' Fair at Portland this week.

Mrs. Lucas is still lying very low and expected to die soon. Also, Miss Emma Waller is very sick, but not dangerously.

There is quite an epidemic raging in this vicinity, called bad cold and sore throat. We attribute it to the change in the weather.

Mr. Will C. King, State Lecturer for the I. O. G. T., lectured here last week and reorganized the Lodge at this place, with about 30 members.

School is getting along finely. Several new students this week, and more coming. A new $450 organ will soon be here for the College chapel. It is expected this week.

The Hesperians have again reorganized, with a good attendence, and from what we can learn of the way they started up we may expect to hear from them in the form of open sessions occasionally.

LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining in the Postoffice at Dallas, Oregon, Oct. 2d, 1882. If not called for within one month will be sent to the Dead Letter Office:

Allen, David	Bowman, Maria
Chatman, G. D.	Davis, Wm.
Fouts, C. M.	Goodell, Lincoln
Graham, W. J., 2	Howard, J. L.
Johnson, Walter	Johnson & Chenoweth
Russell, Mary	Thrassell, Rosa
Ray, W. H.	Wester, Kate
White, D. T.	J. D. SMITH, P. M.

DIED.

Near Perrydale, on Tuesday, October 3, 1882, the infant daughter of E. P. and Ida M. Gwinn, aged about 6 months.

Near Dixie, on Wednesday, October 4, 1882, after a brief illness, Maud, only child of W. W. and Ida Percival, aged about 9 months.

At Lewisville, Thursday, October 5, 1882, after an illness of 24 hours, the daughter of H. S. and Kate Smith, aged about three years.

INDEPENDENCE ITEMS.

Our regular correspondent being absent at Salem this week, we are indebted to John Hiram Cooper for the following items from Independence:

Wheat about all hauled.

The river is yet too low for boat navigation.

Some members of Ben Childers' family are sick.

A niece of Dr. Davidson is visiting at his house.

Mr. W. N. Smith has removed to town for the winter.

Dr. Adkins, a dentist from Eastern Oregon, has opened an office here.

Mr. Savage, who is to open a drug store, has arrived, and will soon open his stock.

Mr. T. W. Belt has closed out his remaining stock of furnishing goods, and will remove to his farm in Benton county.

The workmen are putting in the counters and shelves in Belt's and Robertson's brick stores, these being finished with that exception.

It is with regret that we announce the serious illness of J. P. Irvine, a well known merchant of this place. He has the typhoid fever. We hope to announce his recovery soon.

The spirited little steamer Nellie, which usually kicks up her heels anywhere along the beautiful Willamette with perfect safety, was a little rash on Tuesday, and got stuck on a bar about five miles above town.

Lang Stannus, a son of the Belt House proprietor, arrived here Tuesday. It was his child whose death was announced a few weeks ago. He found his wife and remaining child sick. Mr. S. Stannus is also under the weather.

The ordinance requiring the graveling of the streets is being pretty generally obeyed. In consequence, the streets will be in splendid condition, and will compare favorably with those of any village of no greater pretensions.

The Mechanics' Fair has drawn from town a number of the citizens, among whom are James Cooper, Marion Vanduyn, J. A. Wheeler and wife, S. Douty and wife, L. W. Robertson and H. Hirschberg. They are all mechanics, of course.

The water-ditch survey is finished. Something over twenty-one feet fall can be had, and the estimate of the cost is $25,000. The scheme is decided to be entirely practicable. It is not yet learned what, if any, plans will be adopted to insure its early completion.

Adolf Wolf has on hand a fine lot of ladies', misses', boys' and girls' cloaks, which he will sell at unprecedentedly low prices. Mr. Wolf has a large stock of this class of goods, all of the latest make and style, and will sell them very cheap rather than carry the stock over. Call and satisfy yourselves.

Messrs. Rosendorf & Hirschberg wish to call the attention of the whole county to the fact that their goods have now all arrived, and as they are all new, you can feel sure of getting the latest styles. The firm is too well known to need any recommendations, and they merely want their old customers to know that they will be treated as heretofore; and to the new comers, who are not acquainted with them, they would request to ask their old neighbors in regard to the treatment customers receive at the house of Rosendorf & Hirschberg. In price we can undersell any house in the county. A large assortment of boys' clothes and ladies' shoes, we will sell for even less than intended, as we are overstocked with them. Ladies' dolmans, silks and satins, finer and cheaper than in Portland. Call on them and convince yourself. Rosendorf & Hirschberg, at the red brick, corner Main and Monmouth streets, Independence.

MARRIED.

October 1, 1882, at the residence of the bride's parents, near Grand Ronde, by H. C. Rowell, J. P., Mr. B. Courtemanche and Miss Mary E. Chrisman, both of Polk County, Oregon.

On the 3d inst., at the home of Mr. Tatom, the bride's father, by Rev. J. James, Mr. S. B. Wilker, and Miss Georgia A. Tatom.

On the 2d inst., at McMinnville, Oregon, by W. S. Frink, J. P., Z. F. Vaughn, of Dallas, and Miss Mary E. Martin, of Yamhill county.

Emolument Returns.

From the report of the Secretary of State we find the following figures, relating to the offices of Sheriff and Clerk of Polk County. The total gross receipts of the Sheriff's office from January 1, 1881, to June 30, 1882, were $4,415 98; the expenses of office, $2,168 82; making the total net earnings $2,919 91. The total gross receipts of the Clerk's office for the same period were $4,440 28; the expenses of the office, $1,102 00; total net earnings, $3,338 28.

Pay Your Notes.

There are some notes given by parties here to aid in the construction of the railroad that are still unpaid. The sureties have had to make good the amount unpaid, and persons who have not paid should call on W. C. Brown at once and settle up.

FURNITURE CHEAP.

Until the 1st of October, I will sell my stock of furniture almost at cost. Those wishing to purchase furniture can make it pay to call on me now. I wish also to give notice to those indebted to me to pay their bills by the first day of October next. J. M. CAMPBELL,

DALLAS, Sept. 16, 1882.

An Important Notice.

I have sold my drug store in Independence, and desire to settle up my business at as early a date as possible. Those indebted to me will therefore much oblige me by paying their accounts with as little delay as they can. I hereby extend my hearty thanks for the liberal patronage I have received, and bespeak for my successor's, Messrs, Goodman, the same good will I have myself received.

L. W. ROBERTSON.

INDEPENDENCE, Sept. 5, 1882.

LAST CALL.

All persons indebted to the late firm of Riggs & Miller are hereby notified that their accounts must be settled by November 1st, 1882. All accounts not settled by that time will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Settle up and save trouble. RIGGS & MILLER

NOTICE.

The "Dixie Mills" have shut down for repairs, and will not be able to do any farther work until about the first of November. Our customers please read.

KRATZ, WASHBURNE & Co.

DIXIE, Oregon, October 5, 1882.

Adolph Wolf, of Independence, makes a specialty of the San Francisco make of boots and shoes.

The next steamer from San Francisco will bring Adolph Wolf one of the largest and most elegant stocks of children's misses' and ladies' cloaks, of the latest styles, ever brought to Independence.

Having enlarged my store and added to my already large stock of goods, I am now prepared to furnish my customers with anything they may call for.

ADOLPH WOLF, Independence.

DON'T LET MOTHER DO IT.

Daughter, don't let mother do it;
Do not let her slave and toil,
While you sit a useless idler,
Fearing your soft hands to soil.
Don't you see the heavy burdens
Daily she is wont to bear,
Bring the lines upon her forehead,
Sprinkle silver in her hair?

Daughter, don't let mother do it;
Do not let her toil and boil,
Through the long bright summer hours
Share with her the heavy toil.
See, her eye has lost its brightness,
Faded from her cheek the glow,
And the step that once was buoyant
Now is feeble, tired, and slow.

Daughter, don't let mother do it;
She has cared for you so long,
Is it right the weak and feeble
Should be toiling for the strong?
Waken from your listless languor,
Seek her side to cheer and bless,
And your grief will be less bitter
When the clods above her press.

Daughter, don't let mother do it;
You will never, never know,
What is home without a mother
'Till that mother lieth low;
Low beneath the budding daisies,
Free from earthly care and pain,
To the home, so sad without her,
Never to return again.

A Wet Winter.

Cok Joe Teal and Vic Trevitt, says Tom Merry in the Sunday Oregonian, stood out on the sidewalk last Tuesday afternoon, in front of the Holton House. They were watching a flock of geese flying overhead in a long triangular phalanx, winging their weary way southward from the land of hoochenoo toward the orange groves of Los Angeles. The Colonel remarked: "Wick, we are going to have a wet winter." "Tut," was the trite answer of the apostle of The Dalles and Sandy wagon road. "You won't believe me," continued the Colonel, "but we will have a wet winter. And the water will be so high that the Willamette Chief—I built that boat myself, Wick—can load three hundred tons of wheat at Eugene and run clear through to Astoria without breaking bulk." "And you call that a wet winter!" asked Trevitt, with a sniff of contempt: "why you don't know what a wet winter is, old boy. I was working for Bush at Salem in 1856, and the water got so high that you could go from the Waldo Hills over to the foot of Mary's Peak in a skiff. Well, I wanted to take a holiday between Christmas and New Year's, so I went over to see Nesmith at his farm on the Rickreal. When I got there the water was ten feet deep all over the farm, and the old cuss was out in his field planting his winter wheat with a diving bell. That's what I call a wet winter."

It is said the first things after married life begins are the bills, and we suppose it was this piece of information which deceived a countryman who, with his bride, stopped at a hotel the other day. At dinner, when the waiter presented a bill of fare, the young man inquired, "What's that?" "Bill of fare, sir," replied the waiter. The countryman took it into his hands, looked inquiringly at his wife and then at the waiter, and finally dived his hand into his pocket and inquired, "How much is it?"

A Cordial Invitation.

The enterprising proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery make a special request to all persons suffering with Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Phthisic, Quinsy, Pain in Side or Chest, Night Sweats, Loss of Voice, Hoarseness, Croup, Tickling in Throat, or any chronic or lingering affection of the Throat or Lungs, to call at Jasper R. Miller's Drug Store and get a Trial Bottle free of cost, which will convince them what a regular dollar size bottle will do. It will positively cure the very worst cases, even when every other remedy has failed. Only give it a fair trial and see for yourselves. Thousands have been cured by Dr. King's New Discovery who had given up all hopes of ever being cured.

AUCTION SALE.

I will sell at public outcry, at my place, three miles south of Dallas, on Saturday, the 7th of October, at one o'clock in the afternoon, the following described personal property, to-wit: One mare and one colt, one cow and calf, three hogs, one wagon, five dozen chickens, and some household furniture. Terms—Under $5, cash in hand; over $5, twelve months' time, without interest, with security.

JOHN NELSON.

DALLAS, Sept. 23, 1882.

Try It.

"I like it better than any remedy I have ever used, because it leaves my bowels in a better condition," is the remark made by every one when referring to Syrup of Figs. That is one of the principal reasons why Syrup of Figs is taking the place of all the liver medicines and nauseous cathartics heretofore used. Try it. Jasper R. Miller is the agent for Dallas.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by Jasper R. Miller.

Cow Lost.

A large, dark-red cow strayed from H. J. Ellis' place, one mile north of Dallas, about a month ago. When last seen she was side-hobbled, fore and hind feet together. The person finding her and giving me information of her will be liberally rewarded. H. J. ELLIS.

Everybody goes to Mason for dental work and all go away happy.

Forty thousand good shakes for sale, cheap. Apply to J. M. Campbell, Dallas.

Go to Goodman Bros., of Independence, for your paints and oils. Sold at bedrock prices.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. For sale by Jap. R. Miller.

Jap. R. Miller has just received a fine line of new goods, in the way of druggists' sundries and toilet articles. Remember that he keeps a full supply of the best shoulder braces.

Goodman Bros., successors to L. W. Robertson, of Independence, keep constantly on hand a full line of everything belonging to a first-class drug store. Give them a call. Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded.

Mr. W. H. Grant writes us that on account of press of business below, he will be unable to reach this point for some days; but he is coming, and don't forget it, and hold your orders in readiness for him when he arrives. Mr. Grant, you know, is Davidson, the picture man's, agent.

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Main St., opp. Court House, Dallas.

H. F. SMITH, Prop'r,

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A GOOD CLEAN SHAVE TO BE had at all times. Give me a call.

H. F. SMITH.

DALLAS, July 1, 1881.

NEW THIS WEEK.

NOTICE
—OF—
PUBLIC SALE!

At 10 o'clock A. M., on

Tuesday, October 10th, 1882,

At my old residence, two miles south of Ballston, Polk County, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder—

FOUR HEAD OF HORSES,
One Wagon, One Hack,
ONE SET OF HARNESS,
One Fat Cow and Calf,
FIFTEEN HEAD OF HOGS,
Fanning Mill,

And many other articles of use on a farm. Terms—Cash down on all sums under $10; $10 and over, cash, payable in Sixty Days, with surety, without interest.

JOHN HENDRICK.

W. P. WRIGHT,
AUCTIONEER
And County Surveyor,

DALLAS, OREGON,

WILL ATTEND TO HIS BUSINESS IN ANY part of the county promptly. se30-tf

NOTICE!

All persons indebted to the undersigned will call and settle their accounts in full by October 10th, 1882, as I must have money to buy goods.

Thanking the people for their liberal patronage in the past, and hoping to share a portion in the future, I am very truly,

H. S. SMITH.

LEWISVILLE, September 1, 1882.

TUTT'S PILLS

SYMPTOMS OF A
TORPID LIVER.

Loss of Appetite, Bowels costive, Pain in the Head, with a dull sensation in the back part, Pain under the Shoulder blade, fullness after eating, with a disinclination to exertion of body or mind, Irritability of temper, Low spirits, with a feeling of having neglected some duty, Weariness, Dizziness, Fluttering at the Heart, Dots before the eyes, Yellow Skin, Headache generally over the right eye, Restlessness, with fitful dreams, highly colored Urine, and

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TUTT'S PILLS are especially adapted to such cases, one dose effects such a change of feeling as to astonish the sufferer.

They Increase the Appetite, and cause the body to Take on Flesh, thus the system is nourished, and by their Tonic Action on the Digestive Organs, Regular Stools are produced. Price 25 cents. 35 Murray St., N. Y.

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Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, on the 26th day of September, 1882, in favor of Joab P. Beeler and against David Rohrer and Ellen Rohrer, upon a judgment rendered in said Court on the 6th day of December, 1881, for the sum of Twelve Hundred and Fourteen and Ninety-eight one-hundredth Dollars, damages and costs and attorney fees; and at the rendition of said judgment it was ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court to be a lien upon the following described real property, from and after the 31st day of May, 1881, to-wit: Four and 57-100 acres off the south part of "out" Lot No. (20) twenty, to be cut off by an east and west line, in the town of Monmouth, County of Polk, and State of Oregon. Therefore, by virtue of said execution, and in pursuance of said decree, I will sell at public auction, at the front door of the Court House, in Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, on

Saturday, October 28, 1882,

At 1 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest that the said defendants had in and to the above described real estate on the said 31st day of May, 1881, to satisfy said judgment of Twelve Hundred and Fourteen and Ninety-eight one-hundredth Dollars, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from the 6th day of December, 1881, and the further sum of Forty-one and 48-100 Dollars costs, and accruing costs.

Terms of sale—Cash in hand.

H. HOLMAN,
Sheriff of Polk county, Oregon.

DALLAS, Oregon, Sept. 27, 1882.

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NEW TREATMENT BY INHALATION, for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Headache, Debility, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and all Chronic and Nervous Disorders. Prepared by DRS. STARKEY & PALEN, Philadelphia, Pa. Package containing all directions, and is easily sent by express. FOR USE AT HOME. P. E. MATHEWS, Forwarding Agent, 606 Montgomery street, San Francisco, Cal. Send for Free Pamphlets.

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Keep constantly on hand a full assortment of

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All kinds of Country Produce taken at market rates. Examine our Stock and Prices and you will be satisfied.

BETTMAN & ROSENBLATT.

DALLAS, Oregon, September 8, 1882.

HOUSE FOR SALE!

My house in Independence is for sale. No reasonable offer will be refused. M. L. PIPES.

DALLAS, September 8, 1882.

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TERMS BEGIN SEPTEMBER 26, 1882, AND FEBRUARY 5, 1883. Tuition in the Academy, Twenty-four Dollars a year, or Six Dollars a quarter, in advance; and in the Preparatory, Twenty Dollars a year, or Five Dollars a quarter, in advance.

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