### SALEM HINTLETS.

At the New York Racket store they have mens' crash hats at from 25 cents up. There you can get stylish and serviceable suits for boys cheaper than elsewhere. Mens' silk bosom shirts for six bits or less. Working shirts of all kinds and work pants at any price. Full line of underwear.

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It tickles Henry Brown, the liveryman because so many people go there for teams and afterward express themselves as well pleased with the service given. He is from Dallas.

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Nothing but best material and first class work ever sent out from the Cronise studio.

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When our shirts and collars come home from the steam laundry they are white as snow with never a wrinkle in the ironing. It is a real pleasure to wear such shirts and collars.

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Perhaps you have made up your mind what you want as a spring suit, but do not know where to find it. Let us suggest that Johnson & Co., the popular clothiers, have a very fine assortment at remarkably low prices. Their nobby cheviot suits please all who see them and can be had at from $10 to $12.50. See their stylish hats and substantial underwear.

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Within the next few days Mrs. Fiester must make a finishing sale of her millinery and prepare to be off to Cape Nome. If she cannot get her price, she will have to take your best offer, as the goods must go, profit or no profit.

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Big hearted Charley Hellenbrand is happy because so many Polk countians praise the good dinners they get there.

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Of course you want the best leather and the best workmanship you can get in buying harness. Then go to Mr. Shafer near Gray's hardware store on State street. His harness has no superior.

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The scientific optician, H. W. Barr, understands all about fitting defective eyes. By asking a few questions he can determine your ailment and remedy it. No small amount of headache comes from straining weak eyes.

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Nearly everybody from across the river puts up at the steel bridge feed yard where the skillful veterinary surgeon, Dr. Keeler, treats so many horses and other sick animals.

### Union School Proposition.

As our readers all know negotiations have been in progress for some time to unite Lacreole academy and Lafayette seminary and make a far better school than either one of them would ever be singly. The recent Hillsboro confrence authorized a committee to take final action provided certain conditions were met. Each school would contribute an endowment fund of $5,000. The only remaining question is will the people here erect at a cost of about $2,500, a building absolutely necessary for dormitory and other school purposes. Bishop Dubs, Presiding Elder Poling and other Evangelical ministers were here Tuesday evening and after a fine sermon by the bishop, a statement of the case was made and a committee consisting of M. M. Ellis, A. W. Teats and J. C. Hayter was appointed to devise ways and means to erect the required structure. If it is done the college will be established here, if not it will go elsewhere. It would be the only Evangelical school of high grade on the coast, would bring here at once at least a dozen families and in a few years double that number, to say nothing of boarding students. Can the people of this community afford to let such an opportunity slip from their grasp. It would pay big financially in addition to the valuable moral and religious influences that would be added to the community.

### The Best in the World.

We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best in the world. A few weeks ago we suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough, and having read their advertisements in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see if it would effect us. It cured us before the bottle was more than half used. It is the best medicine out for colds and coughs. —The Herald, Andersonville, Ind. For sale by A. K. Wilson.

### SPRING VALLEY.

Clyde Henry, the druggist, spent Sunday with his parents.

Road Supervisor John Plum is getting the roads in fine shape.

Mrs. Percy Willis has been visiting the family of John Emmett, of McCoy.

The entertainment given by the Zena school last Friday evening was a success; the school closes this week.

Mrs. Woodford, who has been visiting her brother, Rev. G. A. McKinley for several months, left Monday for New York.

Miss Elsie Elliott left a few days ago for Utah, where she is to be married to Frank Lewis, who used to be in this vicinity.

Miss Jennie Smith who taught the Zena school last winter, has gone to Tillamook to teach a summer school, and Miss Nellie Smith who has been attending the O. A. C., will soon leave to teach in the same county.

### BALLSTON.

Grandma Ball is about the same.

Joe Garrett's horse threw him on the hard road Saturday and he is just able to get around again.

Grant Farley, a brother-in-law of Henry Butler, is here visiting. He lives at Bush Prairie, Wash.

Squire Focht was taken quite sick while on his way to attend the convention Saturday, and had to return home; he has been suffering from enlargement of the liver for some time.

All the hop yards will be run this year. Dudley Saling will run the Wann yard, George Clark the Clanfield yard, Dad Winters, Clif. Ball's yard, and Amos Kaub the yard belonging to the Ball estate.

The Union primary passed off very harmonious here, the delegates being well divided among the three parties composing the union. Kenneth Campbell was nominated road supervisor and O. E. Focht was elected committeeman



### DALLAS POINTLETS.

When it comes to shoeing a horse Mr. Lynch knows exactly how.

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Notice our display of summer underwear; we are headquarters on this line. Prices reasonable.
The Bee Hive.

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When it comes to repairing broken things of all kinds Mr. Risser, the gunsmith, is a success. He will tackle almost any thing and generally gets it fixed up to suit the owner.

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Good roads are bringing in many of the country ladies and most of them go to Brown's store to see their new dress goods and things for the children. The new styles are pleasing and the prices are within the reach of all See their fancy groceries.

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Williams, the confectioner, has some delicious things for the innerman. He so carries tobaccos and the latest daily papers.

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Wanted—butter, eggs, poultry, etc; best prices allowed.
The Bee Hive.

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For years the people have been testing the quality of hardware carried by Wm. Faull. So seldom have they found an inferior or deceptive article that they have learned to place implicit confidence in what they get there. Perhaps you are full well aware that it always pays to buy the best. His prices are the same as elsewhere.

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As a wagon maker O. H. Cobb acknowledges no superior in this region He has served long at the trade and has never yet slighted a job. Try his work.

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No other milliner in this county has a larger or better assortment in that line than Mrs. Shaffer, whose store is next door to this office. She is having a good patronage.

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When you have occasion to use a livery team, go to Morrison's barn east of the postoffice. His vehicles ride easy, and his teams are spirited but safe.

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John E. Smith would like to prove to you that he understands all about blacksmithing.

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Bring your produce in exchange for best line of dry goods, clothing, shoes and furnishing goods in the city.
The Bee Hive.

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Specialists generally excel those who deal with many things. Gaynor's concern themselves about nothing except footwear. In that line they stand at the head in this county.

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Nearly all the farmers between here and Salem keep too busy to go to town for what they need and get the stage driver to do most of their buying. Orders may be left in any letter box.

### FALLS CITY.

A. J. Harman died last Sunday night.

Will Yeater visited friends last Sunday.

Claud Lewis was through here buying cattle.

Mrs. Thompson returned from Salem Saturday.

Miss Maud Moyer is visiting her sister in Salem.

All our young teachers except one passed the examination.

Joe Gage and wife have moved to J. J. Brown's former residence.

Allan Travis has returned to the logging camp in Washington.

Dr. Steiner passed through the town to Rock Creek this week.

Mr. Callahan intends to move to Sugarloaf as soon as school is out.

Rev. Sweeney will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday at 11 and 7:30.

J. S. Montgomery is building a residence on the south side of the creek.

Mrs. Tetherow came home sick from the farm Saturday but is some better.

T. A. Riggs, the enterprising and successful grocery merchant, will today receive a car load of sugar.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

### WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED DURING THE WEEK FROM ALL AVAIL-

#### Able Sources Dished up for Our Numerous Family of Readers in Abreviated Paragraphs.

Baled hay and mill feed at Osfield's

J. L. Coombs has sold to John F. Wisner 64 acres of land near Amity.

Capt. Cornelius Hughes has been drilling his youthful soldier boys this week.

As the interior of the court house nears completion it becomes more and more attractive.

Mrs. A. E. Powell has returned from California and is here with her sister, Mrs. Rebecca Howe.

Mrs J. W. Buster, of Sheridan, has been visiting her parents, John Vernon and wife near Eola.

Mrs. Nellie Hill Denlinger died in New Mexico this week and will be brought to Independence for burial.

Dr. Embree has moved to within one block south of the depot and J. H. Lawton into the block just west of it.

Three crews of section men and a gang of bridge carpenters were at work on the spur track to our sawmill this week.

Mrs. A. B. Gay, who went to California on a visit has decided to remain there with her daughter, Mrs. D. H McCullagh.

Mrs. Wayne Williams is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. V. Poling in The Dalles and is threatened with consumption.

The biggest drive of saw logs ever made down the La Creole was on last Monday when Thurston Bros. landed about 700 logs in their mill pond.

Monday, May 21st, has been set for electing teachers for the Dallas public school for the coming year. The present school term will end May 18th.

Ladies, remember that Mrs. Smith sells millinery lower than any other house in the county. Location, corner of Main and Mill streets, Dallas.

Everything in the line of harness making of the best leather and at lowest prices by G. W. Shriver at Perrydale. He is an old timer at the business.

Mrs. Minnie Mason has moved to her new Portland home. Her father, Uncle Perry Smith, will visit among kindred here for a time, then go to Missouri.

The wife of Prof. Powell has gone to teach on the lower Columbia, where he will join her at the close of his Independence school. He will probably not teach the coming year.

Having been nominated for justice of the peace for Dallas and Dixie precincts without my knowledge or consent, I respectfully decline the nomination. J. B. NUNN

If the ladies of Dallas and vicinity want to see as pretty a stock of millinery as they ever laid their eyes on let them visit the emporium of Miss Hallock, upstairs in the Wilson block.

See those pretty twentieth century friendship watch fobs at the Morris jewelry store. He has spectacles and eye glasses to suit all ages. Clocks and watches of all kinds and at various prices.

John Munson is running the Uglow hop yard and is fixing it up in great shape. Groves & Yoakum have charge of the Levens and Proctor yards here and the Taylor yard on the Luckiamute. Gus Bowman has contracted his hops at 9 cents.

For sale or trade: Seven lots in Washington, improvement addition to the town of Kent, in King county, Washington, on the railroad between Seattle and Tacoma. Will sell for cash or trade for real estate or other property of value. For terms, see Edgar L. Collins & Co., in Dallas.

The big saw mill plant of the Thurston Lumbering company at Dallas is now in railroad connection with all the outer world, a half mile spur track having been laid from it to a connection with the Southern Pacific at the end of the trestle north of the railroad bridge. That will save a large amount of hauling lumber to the depot, which cut up the streets badly. Verily, Dallas is in all respects on the up grade

Mrs. L. H. Additon, national lecturer and state organizer of the W. C. T. U., will speak in this county as follows: McCoy, 8 o'clock on the evening of April 28th; Oak Grove, 11 and 8, April 29th; Independence, 8 o'clock April 30th; in the evening at Monmouth on May 1st, Airlie May 3rd, Rickreall May 4th and Falls City May 5th and Sunday morning and evening. The annual county convention will be held in Dallas May 8th and 9th. On the evening of the 8th Mrs. Additon will lecture on Law, Labor and Finance.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. They offer $100 for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonals.
Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by druggists, 75 cents.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

T. J. Guthrie has been quite ill.

Mill feed at Riggs' grocery store.

Spectacles and glasses at Pfennig's.

Miss Ora Luper, of Amity, has been very sick.

Mrs. J. E. Smith has exchanged her organ for a piano.

The stage will take you from Dallas to Salem and back for $1.50.

The goat association will have its final business meeting tomorrow.

Prof. J. B. Long, of Amity, has been practicing magnetic healing in Dallas

One hundred and fifty-one persons eat dinner at the Cottage hotel last Saturday.

Miss Mary Parker, formerly of Dallas, was married in Portland last week to W. H Monroe.

Konut, a pure vegetable fat to be used as a substitute for lard, may be had at Brown's grocery store.

A brick creamery building is being constructed at Independence. The upper story will be used as an Odd Fellows lodge.

Each package of Putnam Fadeless dye colors more goods than any other dye and colors them better too. Sold by A. K. Wilson.

"Delays are dangerous." Those who have poor, weak, impure blood should take Hood's Sarsaparilla at once. It never disappoints.

After the middle of May Monmouth and Independence will get an evening mail via the motor from Dallas. Airlie will also get mail daily by the motor.

J. N. Jones, of Monmouth, is in the metropolis as a witness before the U S. grand jury in the case of the counterfeiters arrested at Independence some time ago.

For monuments, tombstones or any kind of cemetery work go to G. L. Hawkins, the Independence marble cutter. No outside dealer can give you better figures.

Wm. Kennedy, who settled near Bethel in 1851 and went to Eastern Washington in 1873 died there this week aged 82 years and leaving a widow of the same age.

Last Monday we ordered the Oregonian for A. Milne, of Perrydale, G. A. Larson, of McCoy, and C. C. Gardner, of Bridgeport, each having paid $2.25 for it and this paper for a year.

There will be a business meeting of the alumni association of La Creole academy at the office of the school superintendent tomorrow afternoon at at 2:30, and a full attendance is desired.

A dramatic entertainment will be given at the city hall tomorrow evening by local talent for the benefit of the Dallas band. It will be full of fun and worth seeing an hearing. Admission 35 cents.

The ministers of Dallas are to meet in the parlors of the Presbyterian church at 10 o'clock next Monday morning to organize a ministerial association. Rev. Goodfriend will read a paper on Good Citizenship.

At the Presbyterian church Rev. Goodfriend will preach in the morning on The Treasures of the Kingdom, and in the evening on Heart Religion. Religious discusion every Thursday evening and all made welcome.

On Wednesday evening, May 16th, Rev. A. I. Goodfriend is to be installed as pastor of the Dallas Presbyterian church. Rev. T. Brouillette, of Gervais, Dr Thompson, of Corvallis, Rev. G. A. McKinley, of Zena, and Dr. Ketchum, of Salem, are to take part.

Polk county: I will continue to make the large size stamp photograph, eighteen for 25 cents for school children, during the month of April. School teachers announcing this to their schools shall have the same reduction. These are no *Cheap John* pictures, but are made of the best material and will not fade.
J. T. CHERRINGTON, Dallas.

Rev. W. S. Smith was installed as pastor of the Presbyterian church at Independence Wednesday evening. Rev. A. I. Goodfriend, of Dallas, presided, preached the sermon and propounded the constitutional questions. Rev. W. A. McKinley, of Zena, addressed the people and Dr. Thompson, of Corvallis, gave the charge to the pastor.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one whose life has been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who has been cured of chronic diarrhoea by the use of that medicine. Such persons make a point of telling of it whenever opportunity offers, hoping that it may the means of saving other lives. For sale by A. K. Wilson.

At the parsonage of the Christian church Wednesday evening Rev. B. Z Riggs united in marriage W. J. Wagner and Miss Mattie McIntosh. Later at his mother's home a nice supper was served and a number of the woolen mill hands dropped in and rendered some delightful music. She is a worthy young lady and he ranks among our most enterprising business men.

Exposure to a sudden climatic change produces cold in the head and catarrh is apt to follow. Provided with Ely's Cream Balm you are armed against nasal catarrh. Price 50 cents at druggists, or Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York, will mail it. The Balm cures without pain, does not irritate or cause sneezing. It spreads itself over an irritated and angry surface, relieves immediately the painful inflammation, cleanses and cures. Cream Balm quickly cures the cold.



### Summons.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Polk county, department No. 2.
T. M. Bailey, plaintiff,
vs
John Munson, Arvilla Munson, and H. L. Fenton, A. F. Toner, partners doing business under the firm name of Fenton & Toner, and J. C. Proctor and Martha Proctor, defendants.

To J. C. Proctor, one of the above named defendants:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons, to-wit: The 1st day of June, 1900, and if you fail to so appear and answer, plaintiff will apply to the said court for the relief demanded in his complaint The relief demanded in said complaint is for a judgment and decree against the defendant, John Munson, for the sum of $1,600, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 3rd day of December, 1898, and for the further sum of $200 attorneys fees, and for costs and disbursements in this suit, and for a decree that plaintiff's mortgage mentioned and described in the complaint herein be foreclosed, and that the premises therein described be sold to satisfy said sums, and that you be barred and forever foreclosed of and from any and all right, title and interest in or to the following described premises, to-wit: All of that tract of land situate in Polk county, Oregon, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the center of the county road at the southeast corner of the Martha E. Burford tract in the donation land claim of David Grant and wife, Not No. 1,951, section 33, township 7 south, range 5 west, thence running west along the center of said road 17 1-2 chains, thence north to the center of the La-Creole river, thence down said river with the meanderings thereof to a point due north of starting point, thence south 22-75 chains to the place of beginning, containing 24 acres more or less.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. W. L. Wells, judge of the county court of the state of Oregon for Polk county, made at chambers on the 17th day of April, 1900. The date of the first publication is April 20, 1900, and of the last publication June 1, 1900.

TOWNSEND & HART,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

### BUTLER.

Mr. Auer has commenced training his hops.

Lee Rowells will soon move to Sheridan.

It is feared that early fruit is damaged by the frost.

J. S. Pettyjohn was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Emily Auer has been visiting her brother in Dallas.

Miss Alice Coy spent a few days of last week on Mill Creek.

Mrs. Dodson and Ella Pettyjohn are staying at the home of Mrs. Lady.

Mr. Shepherd, wife, son and daughter, went to McMinnville Saturday.

Several of the boys from here are working in the Gooseneck saw mill.

Mrs. J. T. Lady has returned from San Francisco, but is still quite poorly.

Quite a band of milch cows passed through here this week, being taken to Cape Nome.

### OUR CANDIDATES.

To all who were present at last Saturday's convention it was evident that the action taken was fair and square, the same chances being open to all alike. The convention was in no sense packed in the interests of any particular persons or things. N. F. Gregg, its nominee for senator, has long been known as one of the most successfull and reliable farmers in the county, and his legislative record will bear close inspection. He is truly the friend of the common people and cannot be persuaded or in any manner paid to neglect or barter away the interests of his constituency. With Noah Gregg in the senate the people would have an uncompromising friend of what was best for them. Joseph Craven, the candidate for representative, is one of our best and most substantial farmers, his word being good as his bond among those who have known him for years. He too has had legislative experience and was always on the side of right and justice as opposed to political schemers for financial gain at the expense of taxpayers. If Joe Craven is sent to the legislature he will come back with a clean record. J. E. Sibley, who is offered for county judge was admitted to the bar in Illinois and twelve years ago came west and settled in Dallas, where he has conducted a successful law practice. There is nothing showy or demonstrative about Joe Sibley but as a business man he has proved himself pure as gold and true as steel. Various important trusts have been committed to him and in no instance has he failed to do the right thing. His legal knowledge, his conservative views and actions, and his strict reliability in all things would make him a safe custodian of the interests of the county and of the estates of widows and orphans. J. G. VanOrsdel having served one term as sheriff has proved his fitness for the position. As a result of the court house fire he found things in a chaotic condition, but by incessant hard work has brought them into admirable shape. But for the great amount of labor performed by him the titles to many a piece of property would have been under a cloud. He has collected a large amount of delinquent tax, which made him some enemies, but he was only doing his sworn duty and what the interests of the general public demanded. The affairs of the sheriff's office are now in excellent condition and no one else so fully understands the financial interests of the county. During another term he would be still more efficient and it would be unfortunate for the county to have any change made at this time. Next week we shall have something to say about other candidates.



### NEW TO-DAY.

WHITE FEED OATS FOR SALE BY JAMES Olmsted at Ballston.

POTATOES FOR SALE BY GEO ROWCLIFFE near Dallas at 40 cents a bushel.

CAR LOAD OF FIRST CLASS SHINGLES FOR sale by A. F. Stoner at Rickreall.

J. R. HUBBARD'S CLYDESDALE STALLION, Ormonde, will make the season of 1900 at Dallas

TO TRADE—SEVERAL LOTS IN SOUTH NEWport for a good driving horse. Apply to W. A. Irvin in Salem.

PURE BRED BROWN LEGHORN EGGS FOR sale at 50 cents a setting by Mrs. Frank Gibson at Rickreall.

MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED FARM PROperty at usual rates by Oscar Hayter, Dallas.

FIVE EXTRA GOOD YEARLING BULLS FOR sale by J. M. Holman, of Dallas.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 6 PER CENT ON FARM security. J. L. COLLINS, Dallas.

BRICK FOR SALE—HARD OR SOFT, IN ANY quantity wanted, and cheap enough at the brick yard near Dallas. G. F. SHEW.

WE HAVE MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED farm property. SIBLEY & EAKIN.