

An Epidemic of Whooping Cough.

Last winter during an epidemic of whooping cough my children contracted the disease, having severe coughing spells. We had used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy successfully for croup and naturally turned to it at that time and found it relieved the cough and effected a complete cure.—John E. Clifford, proprietor, Newark, N. J. This remedy is for sale by A. K. Wilson.

Court House Newslets.

The carpenters and painters are putting on the finishing touches here and there. The stationary office furniture is being located. All the rooms have been furnished with inside blinds. Handsome and durable tiling is being laid in the hallways. The ceiling in the circuit court room presents a very handsome appearance. The clock in the lofty sounds well but not a few have criticized a lack of sufficient contrast between the colors of the dial, figures and hands to make the time of day easily seen several blocks away. The cement walks from Main street to the two front entrances have a substantial air, and when the yard is graded everything will look so nice.

\$100 Reward \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer \$100 for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by druggists, 75 cents.
Halls, Family Pills are the best.

DALLAS PROSPERING.

Whatever is latest and best in the line of confectionery can be had of Walter Williams. He gets the Oregonian at noon and the Telegram in the evening.

At Gaynor's shoe store you can get whatever any member of your family may need in that line. They buy nothing but standard goods from the best wholesale houses.

No other iron worker in the county has made a better record than I. V. Lynch.

Selden does a freight train arrive from Portland without bringing new goods for Brown & Son. Their trade extends throughout the county. Many old timers have been buying merchandise from the senior member of the firm for almost fifty years and have never had any reason to change their trading place.

Year by year Wm. Faulk, the hardware dealer gets a stronger and stronger hold on the confidence of his patrons. Having never detected any sharp practice or effort at deception on his part they have concluded that he is uniformly square in his dealings and will always give them the worth of their money. Such a reputation is a good advertisement.

Gunsmith Risser will mend your old umbrella or sell you a new one. He will sharpen your dull cutlery or furnish you with something new. He has all sorts of fishing tackle.

John E. Smith is an adept at fixing up all injured iron parts of farm implements.

Her patrons all say that Mrs. Shaffer's millinery is new and substantial and that her prices are uniformly low. The amount of her trade indicates pleased customers.

Candidates and their friends may want considerable livery service in the next few weeks and should go to Morrison's stable for swift teams and comfortable vehicles.

At Cobb's wagon shop you will always find a number of crippled vehicles undergoing repairs. He has no superior in ability or honesty in doing work. Every job is done on honor.

Time saved is money made; so think those who send for things by the Salem stage driver instead of stopping their work to go for them. Any farmer can leave his order in any mail box along the road.

BUTLER.

Sheep shearing is the order of the day.

John Auer and family, of Dallas, are visiting here.

Dell Ellis and family are visiting relatives in Salem.

James Shepherd has gone to Dallas to work in the saw mill.

Mrs. J. T. Lady is in McMinville undergoing medical treatment.

Miss Alice Remington, of Harmony, has been sewing for friends here.

Installation Services.
Rev. Goodfriend is to be installed pastor of the Presbyterian church next Wednesday evening, May 16th. The following ministers will be present to participate in the service: Rev. Geo. A. McKinley, of Zena, to preside and propose the constitutional questions; Rev. H. A. Ketchum, D. D., of Salem, to preach the sermon; Rev. Brullette, of Gervais, address the people; Rev. Dr. Thompson, of Corvallis, to charge.

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Spectacles and glasses at Plennings. The stage will take you from Dallas to Salem and back for \$1.50.

J. S. Macomber has an order from British Columbia for blue eggs.

There will be plenty of fruit and plenty of berries around Dallas.

C. Risser and wife and Edgar Collins were Portland visitors this week.

Mack Syron, an administrator, has sold the N. M. Syron place to George Conner.

J. G. Woolley, a distinguished eastern prohibition advocate, will speak in Dallas May 19th.

The top notch now offered for mohair is 25 cents and wool will bring from 16 to 19 cents.

It was E. M. Young and not John Young that sold 108 acres of land to Hattie Jones, as we stated last week.

Remember that the time for registration expires next Tuesday. Many have registered within the last week.

M. L. Thompson, the Falls City druggist, is glad to be back from a month's visit to his Michigan home.

Uncle Ab. Byerley has sold his Peedee farm and moved to Dallas. His brother, Jeff., was up from Newport this week.

All who have not registered before May 15th cannot vote in June or November. There are today perhaps 300 such in Polk county.

Miss A. E. Bryan, daughter of R. E. Bryan, the Dallas merchant, was recently married in Portland to Guy C. Willis, an attorney at law.

At the union Polk and Yamhill counties teachers institute at Sheridan tomorrow professors Boardman, Kraps, French, Blough, and Royal will take part.

As usual the republicans will expect to vote the Grand Ronde Indians. The understanding is that the redskins sell their votes the same as you would a sheep.

W. H. Killy, of Independence, and Theo. Jeffrey, of McCoy, are to be republican candidates for constable in place of J. H. Moran and Ed. Pratt declined.

Rev. H. A. Deck has rented the property where Grandpa Gay lived and Presiding Elder Poling has bought the C. G. Rowell house in the south west part of town.

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.

The Artisans will have a big picnic at Rickreall, Saturday, June 2nd. The Dallas brass band are to be there with their noble, new uniforms and will be the lions of the occasion.

J. D. Smith and H. B. Cosper are delegates to the Old Fellows' grand lodge meeting in Astoria May 22nd. The Rebekah assembly delegates are Mrs. R. S. Conner and Mrs. C. G. Coak.

G. W. Conkey is clerking in Brown's store, having taken the place of Henry Howe who will soon go to visit his daughter, Mrs. Nellie Shoemaker, at Skagway. Frank Howe is going to Cape Nome.

Wes. Craven, Charlie Campbell and John Frakes left Tuesday for Cape Nome and their friends all hope they will have better than the average luck of those who go chasing after mining excitement.

A party of surveyors went into the Rock Creek country to investigate the merits of vacant timber land. They claim to be under instructions from the Northern Pacific railroad, but more likely represent some timber land syndicate.

The Muscovites, a high side degree of Odd Fellowship, was established in Portland last week, it being the first lodge organized west of the Rocky mountains. Among the charter members were A. W. Teas, L. C. Parker, J. E. Sibley, F. J. Coak and Eugene Hayter.

In addition to union seminary subscription reported last week we can now add Jas. Howe, \$10; G. W. McBeck, \$5; G. W. Conkey, John Hubbard, John McKinley, D. S. Crider, W. W. Miller, E. E. Hibbard, M. W. McDaniel, E. W. Hubbard, Shaw & \$5 each; C. V. Bell and Frank Howe \$2.50 each.

Let me say I have used Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh and can thoroughly recommend it for what it claims. Very truly, Rev. H. W. Hathway, Elizabeth N. J. I tried Ely's Cream Balm, and to all appearances an eradicator of catarrh. The terrible head aches from which I long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitecock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. Gen. Buffalo, N. Y. The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cents, or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

The following list of jurors has been drawn to serve at the May term of Circuit court, which convenes May 14th: D. G. Mesador, John Young, Ira White, T. D. Phillips, C. R. Farley, J. A. Mills, J. J. Russell, W. L. Norton, M. W. Mix, A. R. Southwick, John McKinley, O. D. Rider, F. H. Morrison, A. M. McLaughlin, Jay F. Powell, S. W. Miles, George O'Brien, W. O. Ralston, H. D. Staats, T. S. Burch, C. W. Beckley, L. Ritter, J. M. Sebring, Frank Bowers, G. A. Larson, M. M. Potterfield, W. H. Walker, W. R. Birks, Samuel Esling, John Morris, N. M. Conner.

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C. GORJO, late Chef, Delmonico's.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

Frank McLaughlin and Prudence Shew went to San Francisco and were married.

Dr. Lowe, the well known optician, will be in Dallas soon. Watch this paper for dates.

Cornelius Unruh, of Salt Creek, fell from a tree and was so injured that he died Tuesday.

Beware of the candidate who tries to buy your vote with whiskey or in any other unmanly way.

W. G. Vassall has moved into the Mason property and W. H. Easter will occupy the property vacated by him.

Mrs. Lucinda Willouby died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Eilers in Salem, Monday, aged 86 years and was buried at Bethel.

J. A. Jeffrey, union candidate for prosecuting attorney, will address the citizens of Dallas in the city hall at 8 o'clock next Monday evening. He is a pleasant speaker and will say some interesting things.

Jeweler Morris has some pretty and useful lady's belt pulls, secret society badges of various kinds, time pieces of all kinds, finger rings that will please you and spectacles and eye glasses suited to all ages.

The following members of the Dallas choral union went to Salem, Wednesday to take part in the musical festival to be held there yesterday and today. Mrs. Joie Leitch, Mrs. Otho Williams, Mrs. Ruth Conkey, Miss Christie McDevitt, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Chase, R. E. Williams, Prof. Sanders and wife.

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