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### A GREAT MAN'S IDEA.

**G**ENIUS, as Ruskin defines it, is simply a superior power of seeing. Have you the genius to see how important an element in the success of your house-keeping is the use of Ivory Soap? Judged by the work it does Ivory is the cheapest soap in America to-day. It is harmless. Embroideries, laces and delicate stuffs should be washed only with Ivory Soap.

### COLLEGE NOTES.

School began Wednesday with nearly all in their places.

The friends of Dallas college will be interested to know that the present faculty has been re-elected for another year.

The running track has been put in fine shape. No one will be allowed to ride or drive across the campus at any time, and Sunday wheel riding on the track will not be permitted.

The play given Friday and Saturday nights was an entire success, and reflects much credit upon the talent of the young people who composed the cast. The play was given for the benefit of the Athletic association and it will realize a neat sum.

### Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, la grippe and all throat, chest and lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on M. D. Ellis, druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50 cents and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed.

### Special Notice.

R. Jacobson & Co., of McMinnville, will take your measure at their tailor shop and make you a suit of clothes for from \$15 up or a pair of pants at \$4 and upward and guarantee a fit in every case. Most clothing agents traveling around through the country and trying to take measures do not know the first principles of measuring. It will pay you to go and look over their assortment of suitings. They will do precisely what is promised.

### Special Clothing Notice.

We are this season making an extraordinary effort to extend our already large trade. In our Salem mills goods we have a specially attractive line of men's and boys' suits and the designs are confined to our store. In fine and fancy worsted suits we are the leaders of fashion and style. Our lines of furnishing goods are all new—no old stuff to push off. See our new styles of fancy sweaters, also our lines of fancy shirts, the Mt. Hood brand, made in Oregon and perfect fitting. Some new styles of hats—ask for our Alpine. We have it in all shades. There is a large demand for stiff hats and we have them.

SALEM WOOLEN MILL STORE, Salem.

### COUNCIL MEETING.

They met in regular session Monday evening with all present except Cosper and Woods and Hayter in the chair.

These bills were allowed:

M D Ellis, election supplies ... \$ 35  
J J Williams, work ..... 3 00  
Judges and clerks of election ..... 38 50  
Oscar Hayter, advice ..... 75 00

An ordinance to license and regulate saloons was postponed for further consideration.

An ordinance providing for standing committees and determining their duties was passed.

An ordinance to prevent domestic fowls from running at large was passed.

An ordinance fixing the time and place of the meetings of the council was passed.

An ordinance prescribing the qualification, duties and compensation of the auditor, marshal, treasurer and street commissioner was passed.

Chief Engineer B. Bowles made his report showing the fire apparatus to be in fairly good condition.

At 10 o'clock Councilman Ellis made his usual motion and they ad-

vised.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative bromo quinine tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. Signature of E. W. Grove on each box. 25 cents.

Gilbert Bros. bank at Salem closed its doors Tuesday. A suit brought by the heirs of Wm. Cosper was the cause of the trouble. The assets are said to be sufficient to pay all depositors.

### CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Cast H. Fletcher

### SALEM SLOTS.

They can sell you goods cheaper at the Yokohama Tea store than anywhere else in the city. Call at their store and inspect their varied and valuable line of coffee, tea and spices.

In the matter of poor eye sight you should not delay seeking a remedy, but go at once to Dr. Herman Barr, at his jewelry store on State street, and have him fit you with glasses.

First class buggy painting and a good stock of extra wheels always on hand at Fehle & Bishop's wagon shop on State street. Vehicles made to order.

The best photographs are taken at the Cronise studio.

Take your grease and tallow to the building next to the woolen mill and receive in exchange therefor any kind of good soap you want.

Only the most adept and experienced hands are employed at the Salem steam laundry. Send your clothes there if you want them done right.

The New York Racket store is the place to go if you want to get goods for the least money. They keep most everything. Look over their stock.

You will never regret going to Charley Hellenbrand's for a meal.

Put up your team first at the feed yard on your side of the big bridge where they will be well fed and watered. Good waiting rooms for both ladies and gentlemen.

Johnson's are the leaders in style, cut and quantity. Drop in at their mammoth clothing emporium and inquire the terms on which that big cycle is to be given away. They will give you a fair and square deal and can fit you out with anything in the line of cheap and stylish clothing.

### DALLAS DOTS.

When you want new or second hand goods, go to Frank Kerslake at the foot of Main street. He has the best foot found anywhere at the lowest prices.

Drop in at the Racket store in its new quarters and see how nicely they are fixed up. Either Mr. or Mrs. Dodson will be pleased to see you and show you their stock.

Mr. Risner has the best stock of fishing apparatus in town and you can there select anything in the gun line that you need. See what he has.

The best blacksmith in this borough is Isaac Lynch and he can show any horse.

Go to Gaynor's exclusive shoe store for the spring and summer foot wear which it is becoming necessary for you to purchase.

Wm. Faull keeps nearly every tool that you can mention. He carries farming implements of all kinds in addition to his extremely large and varied stock of hardware. Go and inspect his sprayers, lawn mowers and the many other articles that he has for the benefit of the public. He has grass and garden seeds of all kinds and if you desire a cook or parlor stove he has the very best at all prices.

Who would be fool enough to tackle a job of blacksmithing that veteran workman, John E. Smith, had given up.

Mrs. Chace, in the Collins building, requests that all the ladies of Dallas and vicinity come and inspect what she has to offer in the way of corsets, hose and furnishing goods.

Mrs. Wiseman has nearly everything you ask for in the hardware line. Go and see what he has and you are certain to be satisfied with his price.

When you want the Salem stage driver, tell Central to give you his residence and you can then give your order without taking the trouble to hunt him up.

Jeweler Morris can repair any watch, clock or piece of jewelry, or if you want to buy new, he has the best stock in town.

Miss Hallock is beyond doubt the leading milliner of the capital of Polk, and you have missed the whole show unless you see what she has.

Archie Myer is a natural born liver man and when you deal with him you can be certain of getting the best there is to be had in the market.

### A NEW PROPRIETOR.

The corner drug store has changed hands, M. D. Ellis having sold out Monday to Chas. F. Bell, our late postmaster. The purchase price was \$2,500. North Cherrington will be retained as clerk, to the satisfaction of everybody. Mr. Bell is well known as a competent and old time druggist, and his friends are legion the continued prosperity of the establishment is assured. Mr. Ellis has not allowed his plans for the future to leak out, but Dallas people hope that he will continue to cast his lot with us. By the way, that again makes that place of general congregation the democratic headquarters of the city.

### PROGRAM.

Joint meeting of the teachers' associations of Yamhill and Polk counties, to be held at Amity, April 26th and 27th.

Lecture—"A Few Unsolved Problems in Oregon School Work," Hon. J. H. Ackerman.

"Ornamentation of School Rooms," Prof. W. L. Reynolds.

"Song—Association."

"History in Relation to the Development of the Adolescent Mind," Mabel H. Douglas.

Address—Hon. J. H. Ackerman.

"Economy of Energy in the School Room"—Hon. B. F. Mulkey.

"Public School Libraries"—Prof. P. L. Campbell.

### Stops the Cough

And works off the cold. Laxative bromoquinine tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price, 25 cents.

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Baled hay and mill feed at Osfield's

### Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble prevails upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vivacity and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

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Joel Shaw is the proud father of a baby daughter, born on the 23rd.

Elton Conaway has been down from Albany with his old friends.

Mrs. Frink is having her house re-shingled and other improvements made.

Try Riggs' best pure spices and his superior Santos coffee at 25 cents a pound.

A. E. Moore and wife Sundayed at Monmouth.

Frank Rowell is out from his Nes-trees ranch.

An addition is being built to the Farrington residence.

Dallas college opened yesterday after a week's vacation.

Representative Hawkins did business with us Tuesday.

Mrs. Ward, of Goldendale, Washington, was visiting in our city.

Old Conway has been down from Albany with his wife.

Cashier Vassall and wife spent Wednesday and Thursday at Willamina and Sheridan.

Rev. Smith, of Albany, is still holding revival meetings at the M. E. church South.

Are we to have a band for our forthcoming picnics? It is time they begin to practice.

Rev. Young conducted a funeral service in the neighborhood of Oak Grove last Sunday.

Judge Magers has moved from McMinnville to Portland.

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The sheriff may well congratulate himself on his bookkeeping. Instead of being behind he is somewhat ahead. So say the experts.

North Cherrington yesterday purchased a half interest in the Belt drug store, and it is now Belt & Cherrington. We wish the new firm a long life and great prosperity.

Al Snyder has accepted the deputyship tendered him in Alaska, and will leave May 12th. His family will remain at McMinnville. The position pays \$1,500 a year.

As will be seen by our locals elsewhere Real Estate Agent Campbell has been kept quite busy this week. Many changes are taking place, showing that our real estate market is in a healthy condition.

Charley Carter is up from Portland. The new site for their mill has not been definitely settled, but will probably be at Sellwood. They are now at work on their last weaving here, and expect to finish up everything next week.

H. W. Strong, the president of the Corvallis company who have established the oak saw mill near Guthrie's, has moved his family to town and occupy the Eliza Mulligan house.

Mrs. Joseph Emmons had the ill-fortune to slip and fall on a tree stump Saturday, cutting her wrist severely.

A. J. Gump, of Oklahoma, has purchased the old Bob Clow place, between Dallas and Dixie, of H. P. Smith, for \$6,400. There are 200 acres of it.

If you desire your wheel fitted with up to date appliances, go to Lee Smith's cyclery and get him to put a coaster brake on it. Can be fitted to nearly any wheel.

There will be no services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. A great many will go to Independence to be present at the installation of Rev. E. I. Thompson D. D.

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The superintendent of the Oregon Children's Home society is in Dallas to remain over the Sabbath, and any families desiring children for adoption may leave applications at this office or address I. F. Tobey, 505 Marquam building, Portland.

### ROYAL

### Baking Powder

Made from pure cream of tartar.

Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

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