

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

### WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED DURING THE WEEK FROM ALL AVAL.

**Able Sources Dished up for Our Numerous Family of Readers in Abbreviated Paragraphs.**

For groceries go to Osfield's. Spectacles and glasses at Pennig's. M. Hayter, dentist, Wilson building.

If you want a good job of repairing done on your wagon or vehicle go to Wagner Bros.' shop.

Summer complaint is unusually prevalent among children this season. A well developed case in the writer's family was cured last week by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy—one of the best patent medicines manufactured and which is always kept on hand at the home of the scribe. This is not intended as a free puff for the company, who do not advertise with us, but to benefit little sufferers who may not be within easy access of a physician. No family should be without a bottle of this medicine in the house, especially in summer time.—Lansing, Iowa, Journal. For sale by A. K. Wilson.

T. D. Phillips has gone east of the mountains to visit his daughter, Mrs. Emma Yost, who is the proud mother of a first born daughter. While there he may spy out a new home.

The state university will reopen September 17th, and its outlook is quite promising. Several new men have been added to the faculty. Many improvements are now going on. Students intending to enter the school are invited to correspond with the president relative to their work. If interested send for a catalogue.

Sheriff Ford is sending personal notices to all delinquents on the 1900 tax roll. It looks quite natural to see Eugene Hayter again one of the court house gang.

Final accounts have been presented in the case of U. H. Hyde and T. A. Farley estates and August 23rd has been set for hearing objections thereto.

Our hop men who have not contracted their output are feeling good and fully expect to get from 25 to 30 cents, but may have to hold their crops for a time.

Mrs. T. J. Cherrington has returned from Detroit, in the Cascade mountains, where she has been staying for her health.

Miss Ella Carpenter is at Bethel assisting Mrs. Finn, whose ankle was so badly sprained.

Miss Fleda Pattinson is visiting Miss Hallie Gibson, south of Dixie.

The church at McCoy is being improved.

Miss Bertha Kingston, of Salem, has been among friends at her native home, McCoy.

Rev. M. B. Young, of Nebraska, is here among our college people and hopes to find a desirable location in this valley.

M. M. Ellis has bought the two buildings being moved from where the Pfeiffer brick building is to stand and over 300 people have in vain inquired of him and house mover Shope where they are to find a resting place.

President Poling thought he was somewhat of a carpenter but has changed his opinion. When he had finished nailing the railing to some banister posts at the dormitory it was bowed like a rainbow and of course he had to tear it down and take out the kinks.

Mrs. Warren Cressy, of South Bend, Wash., has come to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ughow.

Cornelius Hughes has presented to several of his young lady friends sprigs of Shamrock, which is the Irish national emblem. Some of them are already growing nicely. Brother Hughes is an Irishman all over and devotedly admires all well behaved young people and children.

Forest Grove is a great hay center. One farmer there has just finished baling 200 tons of timothy hay.

Mrs. Jas. Crawford and daughter Maud, of Pendleton, are here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Hardy Holman. Oldtimers will remember her as Nancy Allen, daughter of J. M. Allen, whose donation claim was the present Plau place near Brunks'. Jas. B. Riggs, an early day resident of Dallas, was her grandfather.

Alonso Brown and family are back from a camping trip of a month's duration into Eastern Oregon. At Antelope he saw Lot Shreve and W. T. Shaw, the former clerking in a store and the latter at work on a farm. They met Mrs. Dr. Sides and her daughter, Mrs. Rose Howard enroute to Prineville, and saw Jap Miller, of Dallas and Henry Hill, of Independence at soda springs. Crops are generally good. The range bunch grass has nearly all been eaten out and destroyed except where under fence. Their stock has now to be fed all winter and alfalfa has become a great crop, being cut three times in one season.

Dis Smith and family are here from Salt Lake city visiting his parents, J. D. Smith and wife. He is an expert telegraph operator.

Mrs. O. J. Cosper and two children, of Weston, are here visiting her parents, J. H. Neia and wife.

F. J. Chapman's new residence is being finished to assume pleasing proportions.

Some of Uncle Sam's soldiers camped at Ricksdale Wednesday night enroute from the Albany encampment to Vancouver barracks.

Mrs. Myrtle Davis, of McCoy, is employed in connection with the Boys and Girls Aid society in Portland.

Charles Craven has moved from the Boals house to where Mrs. Hatton kept boarding house.

Extras of every imaginable kind for buggies, carriages and wagons kept by Wagner Bros. And they have lots of extras for machinery. You will be surprised at the variety and quantity of extras carried by them. Ask for whatever you want and they will be very apt to produce it.

Marble Cutter Hawkins, of Independence, does such good cemetery work and deals so fairly with all patrons, that he gets nearly all the tomb stone work in Polk county.

Will those intending to furnish us wood on subscription, please bring it as soon as possible. Oak grub or stove wood preferred.

We have just received a supply of the latest styles of visiting cards.

Rev. J. R. G. Russell will preach at Oakdale at 3 o'clock Sunday.

Crops along Soap Creek at the southern part of this county are said to be in fine shape.

Mr. Uglow will have his fine new building ready for occupancy about the 1st of September. The Belt & Cherrington drug store will occupy the corner room and Ross Ellis will move his confectionery into the south of it, while the Shultz barber shop will be in a room facing Mill street. None of the nice office rooms up stairs are yet rented.

Case Riggs reports some wheat cut around Ricksdale and Crowley and says the crops generally will average well.

Rev. L. C. Smith and family will leave next Tuesday for California and will rusticate near Stockton until the fall conference there.

T. A. Riggs has constructed an improved office in the center of his store, the changed position being both pleasant and more convenient.

Lawton & Lynch have moved their barber shop into the corner saloon building until the new brick is completed on the ground where they have shaved and cut hair for so long.

Jay Brown, an old settler of MeTimmonds valley, died last Friday and was buried next day at the Smith cemetery.

Isaac Connitt, who lives south of Independence says there is on his place a peculiar grass that cannot be kept down by pasturing, and which if left alone will grow seven feet high. After being freely pastured it produces a good crop of hay. He has never seen any other grass like it.

E. C. Keyt was up from Perrydale Saturday and is beginning to plainly show the weight of 75 years. His sons, Lawrence, Henry and Ed, all have fine crops of clover hay and are buying more cattle to eat it.

Several new comers have ordered this paper to their eastern friends for four or six months, so that they may learn more of what we have in this country. As we shall have much to say about the hay, grain, fruit and hop crops, your friends back east would gratefully receive the paper.

Prof. Matthews has moved from Salem to Sheridan and assumed charge of the Methodist church there.

The home of George Porter, near Harmony, was destroyed by fire last week.

There is now a hack line from McMinnville to Tillamook by way of Sheridan.

At the annual bank meeting last Saturday R. C. Craven was reelected president; M. M. Ellis, vice president; R. E. Williams, cashier and W. G. Vassall, assistant cashier. A semi-annual dividend of five percent was declared.

H. L. Fenton and family and Miss Bertha Collins are going to Belknap Springs, beyond Eugene.

Miss Phillips, of Marion county, is to teach at Oak Grove, and Miss Eva Francis at Harmony. W. C. Bryant will attend the state university.

Wise, Keyt & White have contracted 25,000 pounds of hops in their Salt Creek yard at 12 cents.

Mrs. Jas. Chambers is here from Eugene visiting her sister Mrs. A. J. Martin, and her brother, Henry Neis.

The market price of wood is as follows: Big fir, \$2.00 a cord, \$2.25 a cord, \$2.50 a cord, 16 inch stove wood \$1.25 a rick.

The prune crop at large is apt to be small and therefore the price will be good, so don't be in a hurry to sell but wait for the increase.

On Monday last 25,000 acres of land in the Siletz reservation was thrown open for entry. So many people gathered at Oregon City the day before that they could not all get hotel accommodations and some spent the night in and around the land office. Out of 141 claims filed there were only 17 conflicts and some of them were adjusted. Perhaps most of the homesteaders will commute and pay \$1.25 on acre for their quarter section.

Great bargains for the next thirty days in corsets and muslin goods at Mrs. Chace's store. Night gowns from 39 cents up.

George Robinson has returned from eastern Washington and is at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Card at Oakdale.

Dorton & Reynolds are getting out 2180 hop poles from five to nine inches in diameter and eleven feet long for Samuel Orr, on the Peterson place out on the Oakdale road.

Plenty of sacks and the very best twine can be had at the Dallas flouring mill after the first of August. Go early and get what you will need.

Farmers have had fine weather for haying and the end of next week will find nearly all of it housed.

Mark Ellis, Fred. Toner and John Clark will leave today to rusticate among the wild animals and fishes in the Cascade mountains. In the meantime Mrs. Ellis and Master Floyd will visit kindred at Ellensburg, Yakima and Pendleton.

Miss Ida Waters is to teach the district school at Bridgeport.



## Take Your Choice.

Examine all you find here. Which do you like best? The diamonds—exquisite. The rings—real beauties. The pins—rare values. Watches—perfect reliability. You can buy any of them. We make the price right. Plenty on hand to insure your getting the right one.

## BARRETT'S JEWELRY STORE

Leaders in Low Prices.  
120 State, Salem.

## LIGHTNING STROKES.

(Salem Statesman.)

There are few people who would care to be struck by lightning, and Jennie Pierce, of Pine Point, Vermont, was one of these. She was struck a few days ago, however, and rendered unconscious for some time, but she recovered her senses and is very glad it happened. The reason is that being totally deaf for ten years, she can now hear as well as any one, the change being caused by the shock.

The application of electricity in another form by a skilled hand does not shock the most delicate system though equally effective in curing deafness and other diseases. Dr. Darrin, now located at the Willamette hotel, is treating many cases daily, and that they do not seek relief in vain is demonstrated beyond a doubt by the following cures performed many years ago, thus showing the permanency of the electrical treatment. Mr. C. Cary, of Astoria, writes his cure of deafness is complete, cured last August. He also states in his letter that his wife is in perfect health, after being in ill health for ten years with female troubles, constipation, piles, liver and kidney trouble.

Miss Birnie Schmidt, Jacksonville, Or., discharging ear and deafness, cured.

C. M. Ruch, postmaster at Ruch, Or., deafness twelve years, cured in two hours.

H. A. Tucker, president of the bank of Genesee, Idaho, now living near Astoria, Or., catarrh 15 years, cured. S. P. Gorsline, Lookingglass, Or., deafness and ringing in ears, cured seven years ago.

G. B. Mathews, Eagle Point, Or., consumption and large tumor, cured eight years ago.

Mrs. Isaac Williamson, McEwen, Or., inflamed eyes, catarrh, pain in her side, cured.

B. F. Pope, Houlton, Or., diabetes, Bright's disease and catarrh of the bladder, restored.

Mrs. C. Morris, Tallent, Or., kidney trouble, diabetes and pain in back 20 years, cured.

Mrs. B. Bickford, Roseburg, Or., treated successfully, and her son was cured of croup eyes.

Mrs. H. Easton, Roseburg, Or., granulated eyes all her life; the eyelashes were all gone, cured.

Thos. Madison, Farmington, Or., serious swelling under the ear, causing total deafness, cured.

A. E. Miller, photographer, 277 Knott street, Albina, Or., stricture many years so life was despaired of, cured.

J. D. Hoffstetter, Baker City, Or., total blindness and deafness, the latter cured and the sight nearly restored.

Ex-Postmaster J. F. Johnson, Pendleton, Or., now jailer at Portland, Or., granulated eyelids for years, cured.

Jas. Harvey, Talent, Or., corals of the neck contracted and head drawn to one side, cured four years ago.

J. J. Kern, ex-editor of the north-western German paper, "Freie Presse," of Portland, Oregon, deafness for years, restored.

Ex-Judge Noles, Coquille City, Or., partial paralysis and general breaking down of system, restored ten years ago.

**Dr. Darrin's Place Of Business.**  
Dr. Darrin gives free examination to all, and when necessary gives medicine in connection with electricity. The poor treated free from 10 to 11 daily, except 10c to 5c; evenings 7 to 8; Sundays, 10 to 3.

Errors of youth, blood taints, gleet, impotency, varicoele, deafness, catarrh and stricture, a specialty. All chronic male and female private diseases treated at \$5 a week, or in that proportion of time, as the case may require. No cases published except by permission of the patient. All business relations with Dr. Darrin strictly confidential. Letters of inquiry answered. Circulars and question blanks sent free. Eyes tested and glasses fitted. Dr. Darrin's offices are at the Willamette hotel, Salem, until September last only.

## HO! FOR NEWPORT.

**Oregon's Favorite Seaside Resort.**  
Recognizing the advantage of Newport as a summer resort over other seaside resorts in the northwest, and to make it possible for all who desire to do so to spend their vacation by the ocean waves, the Southern Pacific company, in connection with the Corvallis and Eastern railroad, will place on sale, effective June 15th, round trip tickets from all points in Oregon on the Southern Pacific to Newport, good for return until October 15th, at specially reduced rates. For full information please inquire of your local agent.

**Stops the Cough.**  
And works off the cold. Laxative bromo-quinine tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price, 25 cents.

Among the Polk county contestants before the land office at Oregon City were Abner Byerley, Bert Kavanaugh, J. D. Moyer, W. J. Southwell, W. R. Ellis, and Miss Bertha Ellis. The rejected applicants will have thirty days in which to appeal.

Job work done here—the best.

**C.A. H. H. H.**  
This signature is on every box of the genuine  
**Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets**  
The remedy that cures a cold in one day

## REDUCED RATES

To the Seaside and Mountain Resorts.

Tickets are now on sale at all Southern Pacific and Corvallis and Eastern railroad offices, through to Newport and Yaquina at reduced rates. Southern Pacific trains connect with C. & E. at Albany and Corvallis. All tickets good for return until October 10, 1902.

On June 23rd the C. and E. trains from Detroit being leaving there at 6:30 a. m., meeting the Bay train at Albany at noon.

Passengers for Detroit, Breitenbush and other mountain resorts can leave Albany the same afternoon, reaching Detroit in the evening. Tickets are on sale from Albany to Detroit at \$3 and from Corvallis at \$3.25, good for return until October 10th, with privilege to get on train returning at any point east of Mill City.

The Southern Pacific company now have on sale round trip tickets from all points on their lines in Oregon to either Newport or Yaquina with privilege to return via either east or west side divisions, in connection with the C. & E. three day Sunday excursion tickets good going Saturday and returning Monday are also on sale at very low rates from all S. P. and C. E. points.

Full information can be obtained as to rates, time tables, etc., by application to any S. P. or C. & E. agent.

**Balletonians' Outing.**  
Early last Sunday morning a merry crowd of Balleton and Salt Creek young people drove to Falls City and spent the day strolling up and down the creek. The girls prepared a fine lunch and the boys had a freezer of ice cream which all enjoyed very much. At 6 o'clock the boys and they were ready to eat again so lunch was spread once more. At 7 o'clock the jolly crowd all started to their respective homes; having enjoyed a very pleasant day. Those in the crowd were: Misses Lora Alfrey, Lillie Baxter, Mabel Sargeant, Belle Conner, Mamie Grace, Della Flannery, Mattie McCulloch, Clara and Ethel Berry, Minnie Campbell and Elona Gregg. Messrs. Alvan Gilliam, Loman Conner, Andrew Campbell, Chas. Berry, Bart Sargeant, Boyd Gee and Joseph Pettit.

**If a Man Lie to You**  
And say some other salve, ointment, lotion, oil or alleged healer is as good as Bucklen's Arnica salve, tell him thirty years ago he was a cure of piles, burns, boils, corns, felons, ulcers, cuts, scalds, bruises and skin eruptions prove it is the best and the cheapest. Twenty-five cents at all druggists.

**MARKET REPORT.**  
(Corrected weekly by Gooch Bros.)

Wheat, per bushel, 57 cts.  
Bran, per ton, \$17  
Shorts, per ton, \$20  
Oats, per bushel, 30 cts.  
Flour, per 10 barrels, \$3 00.  
Flour, per sack, 80c.  
Buckwheat flour, \$2.50 per cwt.  
Germes, \$1 60 per cwt.  
Corn meal, \$2 50 per cwt.

(Corrected weekly by Dunn's Grocery.)

Potatoes, per bushel, \$1.15 cts.  
Butter, per pound, 15c to 25 cts.  
Lard, per pound, 12c to 15 cts.  
Bacon, sides, per pound, 14c to 17 cts.  
Hams, per pound, 17c to 20 cts.  
Shoulders, per pound, 10c to 12 cts.  
Eggs, per dozen, 20 cts.  
Chicken, per dozen \$2.50  
Dried fruits, per pound, 6c to 12 cts.  
Beets, per pound, 1 cent.  
Turnips, per pound, 1 cent.  
Cabbage, per pound, 3c to 4c.  
Onions, per pound, 2c to 3c.  
Beans, per pound, 5c to 6c.  
Corn meal, per pound, 3c to 4c.  
Hay, per ton, \$5 to \$7.

**The Same Old Story.**  
J. A. Kelly, related an experience similar to that which has happened in almost every neighborhood in the United States and has been told and retold by thousands of others. He says: "Last summer I had an attack of dysentery and purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which I used according to directions and with entirely satisfactory results. The trouble was controlled much quicker than former attacks when I used other remedies." Mr. Kelly is a well known citizen of Henderson, N. C.

**Advertising that Pays.**  
A hundred times over it has been proven that advertising placed under our heading New Today is almost sure to bring good results. A majority of such notices consist of two lines, costing 10 cents for one insertion or 25 cents for three times. Quite often ads ordered in for three or four times are sooner ordered out because of sale being effected. In such cases the unsold money is returned. Only last week a man sent \$1 for an ad which he supposed would cost that for a month, but as the cost was only 50 cents we applied the balance on his subscription. As nearly everybody reads the notices under that heading, it is a good place to make public what you wish to buy or sell. Try it once and advise your friends to do likewise.

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## DALLAS DOTLETS.

They offer everything in the shoe line at Gaynor's footwear emporium at the sign of the big boot on Main street. Their prices are right, and the goods the best that can be purchased.

The Dunn boys are putting in an immense stock of fancy and staple groceries because their already large trade demands it and because they anticipate an extra large fall trade. They will not be disappointed.

At the hardware and notion store owned and operated by John J. Wiseman you can get almost anything that you desire in the lines hereinbefore mentioned.

The lively stable in this town for you to patronize is the big barn on Main street, opposite the meat market, over which Mr. Dockstader presides and where Dave McDonald is the chief ribbon handler.

When it comes to shoeing horses or fixing iron, Ike Lynch is the man to go to.

See the corsets and hosiery at Mrs. Chace's furnishing goods emporium, where ladies and children can be fitted out with almost anything they desire.

When you want anything from Salem have Mr. Fidler bring it. You can order by phone.

Things of ever kind made to order by Mr. Neis in the upstairs department of William Faulk's hardware store, and hop men, too, should not forget to remember that he can supply their wants as far as new pipe is concerned. He keeps everything desired by farmers, which let them one and all remember. Those concerned will need numerous things during harvest time, which they can always get there.

If your eyesight is becoming defective, see Morris, the jeweler, who has made a study of such work. Take your watch or clock to him when it needs repairing.

All customers speak of Dunn Bros. in words of praise, which is the result of merit alone. There is no firm in the town that has a larger or more desirable trade. They have the goods to induce it.

You can get the best fire arms of C. Riser, the mechanical genius whose fabrication and store are on Mill street adjoining the office of the police judge.

They make a first-class article at the Dallas flouring mills. Every kind of flour, bran, shorts, etc. Go and see what they have.

**STATE CAPITAL HINTLETS.**  
At Zinn's they have fancy oranges, lemons and bananas, their candies are always pure, fresh and delicious, their ice cream and iced drinks make one feel good all over.

At the George lunch counter they will so tickle your appetite as to make you feel good and want to go back.

Polk county people are so in the habit of going to the steel bridge feed yard that the temporary inconvenient location of the ferry makes no difference. They still hunt up Mr. Schram's popular place.

Johnsons' the clothiers, say the silks in their new spring neckwear are dreams of beauty. They can supply exactly the tie for which you are hunting or something still nicer. They have light colored warm weather suits that please all wearers, and their hats will give you a comfortable feeling in the most sultry weather.

Big boys and little boys would be greatly pleased over what that store keeps in stock for them.

If your hops need spraying go to the soap works where they keep a compound warranted to kill or drive them the vines all kinds of pests. If you intend to spray right now is the time for it.

Freedom's, on State, is the best place to get a camping outfit at a reduced rate. Tents and cooking outfits. A better hcp basket than he makes you cannot get in the valley.

It is always cool at Strong's restaurant and you are always sure to enjoy a taste of their victuals.

Stout's planing mill furnishes lots of stuff for Polk county houses, and his hop basket machine makes a big percent of all of them used across the Willamette river.

The best quality of photography costs but a small fraction more than common stuff made by amateurs. We presume you want the best and would advise you to go to the Cronise gallery over Dalrymple's store.

Summer wear of all kinds for men, women and children can be obtained at the New York Racket for a fifth less than at regular stores. Why pay bigger prices and get nothing better? Their headwear and footwear will please you.

A 17,000 gallon redwood tank has just been erected at the railroad bridge. It is supported by seven iron posts on cement foundations. A new pump house is to be built and there will be in it a new gasoline engine that will pump a four inch stream.

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## \$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 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.—F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by druggists at 75 cents. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

**Dallas College.**  
Material improvements are in progress and the chapel is to be repaired. In the third story of the dormitory two elegant society rooms each 20x36 feet in size are being fitted up one for the young ladies and one for the young men. When completed and supplied with chairs, rostrum and wall decorations they will be very inviting. Christian association meetings and other gatherings will be well provided for. On the second floor are fourteen rooms for students and on the third floor will be left six fine student rooms. Prof. Metzger and wife will not run the bearing hall next year. He is now in California and president in McMinnville with her parents. Prof. Pottling will spend September and October in the east attending conference and missionary meetings and looking after the college endowment. During his absence Prof. Winter will have charge of the school.

**Brown Creek Outing.**  
Last Sunday morning buggy after buggy and carriage after carriage were seen leaving town in a southwesterly direction. Before the noon hour 34 persons from Dallas had gathered at a delightful retreat on Brown's creek beyond the home of Frank Butler and this side of Teal's mill. Numerous lunch baskets were brought forth and their tempting contents spread together like a family affair. No one complained of a poor appetite and the goodies disappeared rapidly. The afternoon was spent in all sorts of pleasant ways. The crowd lingered until after supper time and eat the remaining loaves and fishes before starting home. The party consisted of Judge Sibley and wife, Dr. Hayter and wife, Edgar Bryan and wife, C. F. Belt and wife, R. L. Chapman and wife, T. A. Riggs and wife, Fred Elliott and wife, E. Hayter, wife and daughter, H. C. Eakin, wife and son, J. N. Woods, wife and son, C. L. Starr, Oscar Hayter, R. E. Williams, J. C. Hayter, R. E. Bryan, Misses Bertha Fuller, Clara Irvine, Emma Dempsey, Ethel Glass and Miss King.

All who are interested in the Hubbard cemetery near Falls City should go tomorrow and assist in cleaning it up.

The widow and son of J. J. Daly went to Pueblo, Col. and had his remains buried there.

G. L. Kelly has constructed a large barn and is now erecting a seven room dwelling on his farm south of McCoy.

The families of Frank Stiles, Ed Shaw and Walter Williams are taking their usual summer outing beside the shady, cool and sparkling LaCroze below Hallock's mill.

Miss Olive Smith, who has a good music class here, goes to Independence every Monday.

Strawberry raising is destined to become a prominent industry in this county. Only a few years ago it was said that we could not profitably raise clover, but it already being done on a large scale, many will now assert that it will not pay to raise more than a few strawberries for family use. But we believe that Independence is to become a strawberry center and the business will spread out from there.

Morris Dalton and Harold Hart, 9-year old Dallas lads, have no lazy bones in them, and will work, pay or no pay. They were with Mr. Butler's surveying party in the streets of Dallas for three days last week and were always ready to help in any way requested. Such boys are apt to find profitable employment when they get older. Who can tell us of other industrious and praiseworthy children.

In 1871 four mining men, Flood, O'Brien, Fair and Mackay, bought an abandoned mine at Virginia City, Nevada, and spent half a million dollars prospecting before it began to pay, but they took from it \$110,000,000 of precious metals and all became money kings. The other three members of that bon