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PHOENIX, ARIZONA.

Mrs. E. T. Morrison writes from Phoenix, Arizona, as our doctor thinks the climate there will agree better with Mr. Morrison, who is in fairly good health.

A grave and serious case of neglect in the care of the child of Frank Blanchard and wife is being investigated by the school board.

Independence was granted a new charter by the last legislature and it is hoped that it will be more effective than the last one, which was in many respects defective.

Some of our young men were on a big drunk Sunday, but our saloons keep front doors closed on that day.

W. G. Kennedy and wife left last week for their future home in Roseburg.

Mrs. W. H. McKee spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Rickreall.

Mr. Loop, of Smithfield, has been plowing for Mr. Taylor.

Miss Emma Key and Will went to Salem this week. We are glad to welcome her into our midst again.

The depot is being greatly improved by a new coat of paint and the grounds being gravelled.

Miss Ella Sears, of Ballston, is staying with Mrs. Townsend.

The United Brethren will hold service in the M. E. church Saturday and Sunday.

It was established some 45 years ago by a Mr. Dane, who sold it to Charlie McDonald and George Stiles.

THE SECOND LOCAL INSTITUTE OF POLK COUNTY TEACHERS convened at Dallas Saturday, February 21st, with a large attendance of teachers from all parts of the county.

PECULIAR TO ITSELF In what it is and what it does—containing the best blood-purifying, alterative and tonic substances...

and interesting address to the teachers and friends of education. An invitation was extended by the teachers of Independence to hold the next meeting of county teachers there, and it was accepted.

Birth Day Party. Last Wednesday Miss Louise Collins arrived at the age of 18. Her sisters Ednelle and Ora concluded to make the occasion extra pleasant for her and a number of her associates and school mates.

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OUR STAFF OF RUSTLERS.

WHAT THEY HAVE TO SAY ABOUT THE DOINGS IN THE COUNTY.

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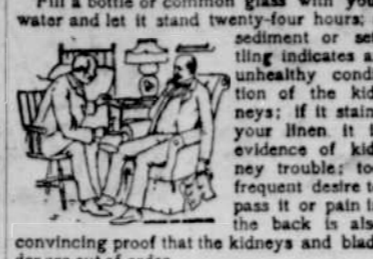
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Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know It.

How To Find Out. Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours.



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The neighbors surprised Grandpa and Grandma Kimball last Thursday. The men cut wood and the ladies sewed carpet rags.

Grandma Yuakum is quite sick with a cold and Walter Bird has a fello on his thumb.

Joe Card and Joe Murphy are putting picket fences around new garden spots.

Uncle Billy Tate has been quite sick. He is in Falls City with his daughter and is under the doctor's care.

There have been lots of goats lost here this winter.

After a seven months siege Joe Card is beginning to walk a little on his foot again.

A Mother's Recommendation. I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a number of years and have no hesitation in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family.

Mr. Arndt has bought a new DeLaval separator. Cornelius Buhler is local agent for it.

Lora Alfrey has had her goats sheared. Concord is still without a teacher.

A phone line will connect Dallas and Mill Creek in the near future.

Noah Miller offers his farm for sale and will move to Michigan if he sells.

Ed Richmond and wife are home from Salem, both much improved in health.

J. Bowles will ship veal to Portland. Many have lost heavily in lambs during the late bad weather.

Sam Yorum was visiting at E. F. Sargent's last Sunday. He thinks of selling cows for the Seattle market.

Rev. B. Z. Riggs will move to Washington next fall.

We are to have free rural delivery, and are pleased with the prospect of another modern convenience.

The Gee boys are cutting wood for Benton Flanery. Their wood sells at sight and delights the hearts of the housewives who use it.

Nearly Forfeits His Life. A runaway almost ended fatally, started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill.

Ben Windsor is grubbing out the old fence row along the road and putting up an American woven wire fence.

Mrs. Chas. Purvine is in Salem with her mother, Mrs. Ried.

Mrs. Dr. Parrish, of Monmouth, has been here visiting her father, Orlando Alderman, who is in very poor health.

Our rural mail carrier has over 40 subscribers to Popular Mechanics and we hope he will soon secure enough to get that nice mail wagon.

Gilbert & Patterson are erecting new wire fence in place of the old rail fence.

Clem Matthews is again among us. Monroe Purvine, who has been working on the steamer Undine between Portland and Astoria, has gone to Walla Walla.

Ralph Reid, now of Portland, married Miss Effie Johnson, of Salem.

A Valentine party at the home of J. R. Shepard was attended by Walter Hunt and wife, Wayne Henry, Guy and Lorena Smith, Greta, Lina, Loyd and Mary Phillips, Fred Purvine, Albert Wright, Harvey, Donald and Frank Crawford, Chester, Loraine and Mildred Frakes, Rena Higgins, Lawrence Marsh, Loyd Hunt, Robbie, Fred, Ruth and Alice Shepard.

TOOTING FROGS say that spring is almost here.

Mud nearly all gone and roads in good fix.

MUSICAL DEPARTMENT DALLAS COLLEGE Courses not excelled in the State. Piano, Organ, Harmony, Composition.

IF U need a high grade watch or have a watch that needs repairing...

Farmers plowing, grass getting green and stock doing well.

Fall grain but little injured by the freeze. Freight trains are mostly made up of lumber for California and beyond.

Several Minnesota people were here last week looking for land. Lots of travel and o-o-o seems to be plentiful.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS PLOWS HARROWS WAGONS CULTIVATORS

We have a Carload of Buggies, Wagons and Spring Wagons Coming. Never before did we have so much or so great a variety of things for the farmers.

WAGNER BROS., DALLAS

Some of the new things for spring are here and more are coming in every day. Our spring stock will be the best and most fashionable we have ever handled.

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A. R. TOZIER - McCOY

HOP WIRE I can save money for you on hop wire. Direct shipment from eastern mill. Prices always the lowest on wire and wire fencing.

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Clothes Eating Chemicals may make linen look whiter for the time being, but soon ruin it—literally eat it up.

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The House Furnishing Company SALEM AND ALBANY.

The Largest Furniture, Carpet and Wall Paper dealers in the Willamette valley above Portland. Have a correct measurement of your rooms and windows when you come for carpets, wall paper and shades.

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A \$10 OR \$12 SUIT FOR \$7 Is not an everyday opportunity for the man who desires a good serviceable all wool suit for everyday wear.

AN \$18 OR \$20 SUIT FOR \$14 is not to be found every day either, but these are actual samples of our genuine reductions on a big lot of suits.

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