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ALL NEW GOODS AND THIS SEASON'S STYLES

Campbell & Hollister CASH STORE

Barham & Winslow have several farms for sale that they will take Dallas city property for as part payment.

We are agents for the Western Sales Book company, with offices in Portland, and who get out the best sales books manufactured. When you want anything of the kind, come and see our samples and give your order to a home concern. Do not send away for anything of the kind.

COFFEE

You are both judge and jury for Schilling's Best.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like it. We pay him.

Administrator's Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of an order and decree of the honorable county court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Polk, duly made and entered of record on the 19th day of December, 1907, in the matter of the administration of the estate of W. T. Haley, deceased, the undersigned, administrator, said estate will, from and after the

10th day of February,

1908, offer for sale, and sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, in hand, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said W. T. Haley, deceased, at the time of his death, and also all the right, title and interest that the said estate by operation of law or otherwise, may have acquired other than, or in addition to that of said intestate at the time of his death, in and to the following described premises (to-wit):

The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section six in township nine south, of range three west of the Willamette meridian; and containing 63.75 acres more or less. Also the following described parcel (to-wit): Beginning at the quarter section corner between sections one and two in township nine south of range four west of the Willamette meridian in the county of Polk and state of Oregon, and running thence 128 rods, thence south 50 feet, thence west 128 rods, thence north 50 feet to the place of beginning, containing 128 acres. Said parcel of land being a private roadway. All said premises are under forest. Ten acres of said premises are in orchard, the trees being in full bearing, and consisting of choice apple, pear and cherry trees.

Bids for said premises will be received by N. L. Butler, attorney for said estate, at his office in the city of Dallas, or by the administrator, MAX HALEY, Administrator of the estate.

TRUCK AND DRAY CO.

HUBBARD & BROWN. Phone and stand at Cherrington's drugstore.

INDEPENDENCE.

Courtesy West Side.

Epht. Young is moving his household goods to his farm north of town.

Mrs. K. C. Eldredge and children have returned from an extended visit with friends at Portland.

Miss Maude Cliff came up from Portland the latter part of the week for a short visit with her brothers.

Mrs. Nichols was an arrival Sunday from Los Angeles, California, and will visit about two months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Howell at Monmouth.

Mrs. Word Butler has returned to her home from Portland, where she spent an operation some time ago. Her many friends will be glad to learn that she is well and on the way to permanent recovery.

Berou Atkins, local manager of the Willamette Valley Co. business in Independence, has received notice of his transfer by the company to Corvallis and that if he is desired, the change take place at once. Mr. Atkins will leave as soon as arrangements can be made for Corvallis to take up his duties with the company there. He has been with the light and water company in Independence now for about twelve years and his many friends regret very much that it becomes necessary to him to go elsewhere. A new man will be placed in his position here at an early day.

The Independence Dramatic club played to a splendid house Saturday evening - the original three-act comedy entitled "The Widow." The cast was composed as follows: Felix Featherly - a friend of everybody, O. Byers; Frank Leebrook - an English swell, Word Butler; Major Wellington De Boote - of the militia, Byron Atkins; Trapp - servant to Featherly, C. Kurze; Mrs. Featherly - very much mistaken, Florence Burton; Mrs. Major De Boote - who has a secret, Mrs. C. Moore; Fanny - a servant to the widow, Mrs. G. Atkins; Mrs. Swansdown - the widow, Mrs. C. Kurze. The Independence orchestra furnished music for the evening and the attendance was above the average for the winter and was entertained fully as well if not much better than by half the traveling aggregations putting in an appearance here this winter.

MEETING AT MONMOUTH.

School Superintendent Seymour informs us that the school officers, teachers and parents meeting held at Monmouth last Saturday afternoon was a decided success in every particular. He says the attendance was extraordinarily good, every district in the Elkins section being represented by the three different interested bodies, and that many teachers from outside points were also there and evinced much interest in the subjects under discussion and the remedies proposed for the betterment of the various files.

L. R. Traver gave a masterly handling of the subject of Some Conditions in Our Public Schools that should be improved, greatly enhancing the value of his address by the passing of interrogation cards among his audience and precipitating a spontaneous discussion that was of great benefit to all who heard it.

C. L. Hawley gave a good talk on agriculture, one replete with valuable pointers and suggestions, which if followed

out in their entirety will prove of great and lasting value.

The paper by Mrs. Ira Powell on Our Public Schools from a Mothers' Point of View was an especially good one, Mrs. Powell bringing forth some original and valuable points for which she is greatly to be commended.

The Normal faculty quartette, composed of E. D. Resler, L. R. Traver, P. O. Powell and W. A. Tetys, exercised their vocal cords to the supreme delight of the large audience, and brought forth many congratulations upon their powers in that line.

The ladies of the Social Hour club treated the visiting officials to a most beautiful and well prepared lunch, and the noon recess was most agreeably spent in discussing the nice things that they had provided to tempt the inner man.

H. C. Seymour brought up the Industrial fair, and after a magnificent talk from him of its progress and capabilities a number of others enthusiastically responded in a manner tending to show that its success is a matter of deep interest to all, and there are no knoekers among those most intimately concerned.

Ed. C. Dunn announces in another column his desire to serve the people of Polk as county treasurer.

Mrs. Frank Coates, of Lewiston, Idaho, and her nieces, Misses Crystal and Constance Hyland, of Portland, visited here with her brother, Mr. E. C. Kirkpatrick, this week. She left Monday to join her husband at Fresno, Cal., where they will reside hereafter.

Arthur Traglio Dead.

Arthur Traglio, a young man of the Eola hills, aged about 20 years, died at a Salem sanitarium on February 2nd, as a result of an operation for a cancerous growth on his neck. He was a native of Italy and besides three brothers to mourn his demise. He was an exemplary young man of good habits, and the friend of all who knew him, and his death will cause a void in the family circle hard to fill. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World and was laid to rest by the Salem camp of that order.

J. G. VanOrsdall is out for county judge on the democratic ticket, having filed notice of such intention with the county clerk.

Why Refer to Doctors

Because we make medicines for them. We tell them all about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and they prescribe it for coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption. They trust it. Then you can afford to trust it. Ask your own doctor.

The best kind of a testimonial - "Sold for over sixty years."

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in breaking up a cold.

The Real Estate Security Co. Fort Dearborn Building, Chicago, Ill.

Candidates' Column

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for COUNTY TREASURER of Polk County, to be voted for at the primary election, April 25, 1908.

If elected, I promise a faithful performance of the duties of the office and a painstaking regard for the welfare of the people's money.

EDD. C. DUNN

SMALL INCREASE.

Polk's Voting Strength Not Greatly Increased over 16 Years Ago.

It will probably occasion surprise to many of our readers to know that the voting population of Polk county has not greatly increased over what it was away back in 1892 - 16 years ago. Another astonishing fact is that the vote cast in 1896 was larger than it was in 1906 by nearly 100. It is to have been supposed, and rightly, that the county was increasing greatly in population. The larger farms have in many instances been cut up into smaller tracts, and now support several times the number of people on the same land that they did then. Most of the towns in the county have increased in population and a number of them greatly so. What then is the reason for this non-increase in our voting strength? Is it because our people are lacking interest in the exercise of their great prerogative as American citizens? Is it because they have gotten it into their heads that the voting privilege is a useless expenditure of time, and not conducive to bettering the interests of the masses. It would seem to us that this is the only plausible explanation of the situation. It is well known that there are many men in Polk county who do not vote, but it hardly seems comprehensible that there are hundreds of them, as there certainly are to be seen out of the doors. And, judging from the slowness in registration so far, it does not seem that many men are going to vote this year, as so far only about 240 voters have signed up. In 1892 the vote cast in Polk county was 2,317, in 1894 it was 2,229, in 1896 it was 2,658, and in 1906, two years ago nearly, the total vote cast was 2,564. How does that strike you?

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

They Allow Bills and do Routine Business.

The city council met in regular session last Monday evening with all the committees and officers of the city present except Councilman Shaw. VanOrsdall reported that the Willamette Valley company refused to furnish the new incandescent street lights as ordered at the last session for \$1.50 each a month and also the supplies. Grant reported the Tilley well as moved back to the established street line.

The auditor and treasurer submitted their quarterly reports and they were referred to the finance committee.

Claims allowed:

Insurance, printing, \$33.25
W. G. Vasey, fees, 1.80
Wm. Hanor, labor, 1.50
C. L. Hubbard, salary, 72.45
L. D. Brown, fees, 35.50
W. V. Co. Light, 131.00
B. F. Cox, hauling, 1.20

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The Knock-out Blow.

The blow which knocked out Corbett was a revelation to the prize fighters. From the earliest days of the ring the knock-out blow was aimed for the jaw, the temple or the jugular vein. Stomach punches were thrown in to worry and weary the fighter, but if a scientific man had told one of the old fighters that the most vulnerable spot was the region of the stomach, he'd have laughed at him for an ignoramus. Dr. Pierce is bringing to the public a parallel fact; that the stomach is the most vulnerable organ out of the prize ring as well as in it. We protect our heads, throats, feet and lungs, but the stomach we are utterly indifferent to, until it finds the solar plexus and knocks us out. Make your stomach strong and strong by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and you protect yourself on your most vulnerable spot.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" cures "weak stomach," indigestion, or dyspepsia, torpid liver, bad thin and impure blood and other diseases of the organs of digestion and nutrition. The "Golden Medical Discovery" has a specific curative effect upon all mucous surfaces and hence cures catarrh, no matter where located or what stage it may have reached. In Nasal Catarrh it is well to cleanse the passages with Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy fluid while using the "Discovery" as a caustic. In Catarrh of the stomach, bowels, bladder and other pelvic organs it is better if you if you will read a booklet of extracts from the writings of eminent medical authorities, endorsing its ingredients and explaining their curative properties. It is mailed free on request. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. This booklet gives all the instructions entering into the use of Dr. Pierce's medicines from which it will be seen that they contain not a drop of alcohol, pure, triple-refined glycerine being used instead. Dr. Pierce's greatest thousand-page illustrated Common Sense Medical Adviser will be sent free, paper-bound, for 21 postage stamps, or cloth-bound for 31 stamps. Address Dr. Pierce as above.

CANNERY MEETING.

Stock Holders to Meet Next Saturday Afternoon.

Secretary H. G. Campbell desires the reminder to announce that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Dallas cannery association at the court house next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and all are requested to be present to assist in the work of a permanent organization which is necessary before the company can be incorporated. Other important matters for the benefit of the association will be brought and discussed from all sections. It is especially desired that the growers of the county be present, and those who have not yet taken stock will be given an opportunity of doing so. Our cannery is now an assured fact, and it now only remains for the stock holders to make the necessary interest to make it a business and commercial success right from the jump.

Edwin Cadwell No Longer Among Us.

For fifteen years the above mentioned kindly old gentleman has been a resident of Dallas, and by his courteous, gentlemanly manner had endeared himself in the hearts of all who knew him. For some time he had been lingering on the brink of the grave, and last Friday night his spirit took its flight to that unseen world, that bourn from which no traveler ever returns. He was an old timer and an honored member of the Dallas Methodist church and from that edifice his remains were taken to be laid to rest. His former pastor, Rev. Hiram Gould, was in charge of the services in eloquent language and with an overflowing heart did he pay the last tribute to the old friend whom he had known so long and well. A large crowd at both the church and grave on last Sunday afternoon bore unmistakable witness to the esteem in which Mr. Cadwell was held by our citizens. Pneumonia was the cause of his death following congestion of the heart.

Edwin Cadwell was born in Morgan County, Illinois, April 25, 1834, and died in Dallas, January 31, 1908, at the age of 74 years. He spent the earlier part of his life in Illinois, and in his young manhood moved into Iowa, where he resided until the time of his coming to Oregon in 1880. He was married by his wife and one adopted daughter, Mrs. Willard Seiarth, of Portland.

FREE TALK TO PORTLAND.

On Next Monday You Can Use The Independent for Nothing.

Service to Portland over the Independent telephone line commenced last Monday. We now have the lines in line working order and can call up Portland direct. We desire to give our patrons a little extra service to get them acquainted with the working of the new line, and will make next Monday a free day for the purpose of phone use between Dallas and Portland. That is every one calling at our central office can call up Portland from our business men and hold a short talk with them. Do not forget that this offer is for next Monday and next Monday only. This applies to everyone whether they are subscribers or not.

C. H. MORRIS.

Mrs. J. B. Nunn was up from Portland over Sunday.

Good reading has become almost a necessity in every home. The Success Magazine is just the one you need; good for all members of the family. A. Matthews, agent, Pacific Phone Main 216.

The union service of the Christian Endeavor societies at the Evangelical church last Sunday evening to celebrate the 27th anniversary, drew out a large crowd. An interesting program was rendered, and the occasion fittingly observed in every particular.

Our Entire Stock Reduced

Our clearance sale will continue all this month. Plenty of goods for everybody.

You can buy goods here for less money than at any other store in the valley.

SOME OF OUR SPECIALS

- Ladies' Jackets, \$5.00 to 10.00 values goes at \$1.00
- Ladies' Jackets, 10.00 to 15.00 values goes at 1.50
- Ladies' Skirts, 5.00 to 10.00 values goes at . 2.50
- Ladies' Waists at half regular values
- 50c to 65c Dress Goods, fancy mixtures at . 38c
- \$5.00 Grey Wool Oregon Blankets at . . \$3.85
- 12 1-2c yard-wide Bleached Muslin at . . 10c
- \$1.50 Men's Fancy Shirts at 95c

Great slaughtering of all men's and boys' suits and overcoats - prices are absolutely the lowest ever quoted. New line of Table Linens, Napkins, Towels and Bed Spreads just in. They all go on sale at clearance sale prices. Remnants, odds and ends, and odd garments of every description must be sold at any price, regardless of cost.

Store closes at 6.30 p.m. Except Saturday

The Bee Hive Store Dallas Oregon

GREAT REDUCTIONS

FOR FEBRUARY at

D. L. Keyt's Big Store

PERRYDALE, OREGON

DURING this month our store will offer bargains in certain lines heretofore unheard of in this vicinity. The goods are here and we must get rid of them. Read this offer, come and see the goods and be convinced of the genuineness of our bargain offer.

Mens' and boys' Overcoats and ladies Cloaks at one half price.

Mens' winter Shoes and Gum Boots at 25 per cent reduction.

Mens' and boys' Clothing at one-third off.

A line of Holiday Lamps, left over, at half price.