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AT THE PRESENT TIME

We are showing a beautiful line of Wash Fabrics, Summer Parasols, Ladies' Silk Petticoats, Long Silk and Lisle Gloves. Our Shirt Waists are the best values ever offered; see them before buying. Our line of Black and Tan Oxfords will certainly appeal to you as the styles and prices are right.



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every one of you. They all have to go because we get them just for Easter time. It's a fine lot of hens that layed the dozens of

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THE BEST ROOFING ON THE MARKET
Made by the Northwest Roofing company, Portland. Does not buckle. Guaranteed for 10 years.
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That bread is likely to absorb disease germs when shipped in a baggage car along with other common baggage?
That the Star Bakery puts out some of the best baked-stuffs to be obtained anywhere in the Willamette Valley?
That \$1 spent in your home town is worth more to you than \$3 sent out?
Three of the many reasons why should demand the Dallas product when buying baked-stuffs.
STAR BAKERY,
D. T. BROWNE, Prop

EIGHT CEMENT WALKS ON PRINCIPAL MAIN STREET INTERSECTIONS.

The Race Crossing to Have a Cement Arch.

A special but informal meeting of the city council was held at the office of Police Judge Brown Saturday afternoon, for the purpose of arranging with the city attorney as to a number of things that will have to be done in the contract between the city and whoever secures the job of doing our proposed macadam work on the nine streets that will be put in better shape. Quite a number of points were discussed and decided upon and the attorney instructed to draw up his contract in accordance therewith. They included penalties for non-completion of work in time of contract; the maximum and minimum amount of yards of gravel to be furnished each day by the city and used by the contractor; the building of the needed cement curbs; the building of eight cement crosswalks, the permanent covering of the mill race where it crosses Main street; the dumping of the surplus gravel to be taken from the streets, and some other minor matters.

SOCIALIST TICKET.

One Placed in Field at Meeting Last Saturday.

The socialists of Polk county met in convention at the court house Saturday and concluded to nominate a county ticket, that will be placed on the ballot by petition, the time having expired for the nomination of a ticket to be carried over to the primaries. J. K. Sears, of McCoy, was chairman of the convention and C. E. Luckey, of Falls City, secretary. The nominations made were as follows: several offices having no aspirant there:
Joint Representative—G. F. Luckey, of Falls City.
Representative—C. P. Cornwell, of McNamouth.
County Judge—John J. Finn, of McCoy.
Sheriff—George Hinshaw, of Dallas.
Clerk—J. P. Sears, of McCoy.
Assessor—A. J. Syron, of Dallas.
School Superintendent—J. G. Davernport, of Black Rock.

COFFEE

Good coffee is partly in buying and partly in making; like everything else.

Your price returns your money if you don't like Sibley's Best we will refund.

Glover's Meat Market
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All kinds of meats.
Pure lard.
Fish and poultry Fridays and Saturdays.
Highest market price paid for fat stock.

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Do You Open Your Mouth

Also a young bird and pulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you? Or do you want to know something of the composition and character of that which you take into your stomach whether as food or medicine?

Most intelligent and sensible people now-a-days insist you know what they employ whether as food or as medicine. Dr. Pierce believes they have a perfect right to insist upon such knowledge. Some publishers, however, and on each bottle-wraper, what the medicines are made of and whether they are good. This he feels he can not afford to do because the more ingredients of which his medicines are made are studied and understood the more will their superior curative virtues be appreciated.

POLITICS UP TO DATE

COMPLETE LIST OF CANDIDATES NOW IN FIELD.

We give below a complete list of the candidates who have registered for the different county offices, together with their party affiliation:
REPRESENTATIVE
W. D. Henry, Spring Valley, Dem.
C. L. Hawley, McCoy, Rep.
COUNTY JUDGE
Glen O. Holman, Bridgeport, Rep.
J. P. Cook, Dallas, Rep.
J. G. VanOrsdel, Dallas, Dem.
J. E. Sibley, Dallas, Dem.
COUNTY CLERK
Ava Robinson, Independence, Dem.
Fred S. Crowley, Falls City, Dem.
H. P. Stonoff, Home, Rep.
E. M. Smith, Dallas, Rep.
SHERIFF
J. M. Grant, Dallas, Dem.
ASSESSOR
W. W. Arrant, Luckanumite, Rep.
F. E. Myer, Dallas, Dem.
C. S. Graves, Dallas, Rep.
COMMISSIONER
Wm. Riddell, Mouthnot, Rep.
TREASURER
J. D. Bell, Independence, Dem.
Harold Holman, Dallas, Rep.
H. P. Stonoff, Home, Rep.
Edward C. Dunn, Dallas, Dem.
SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT
H. C. Seymour, Dallas, Rep.
SENIOR
B. F. Beezley, Falls City, Rep.

Collections Promptly Made.
I can do your collecting for you as cheap as anyone. My experience in this line warrants thorough work. Bring me your accounts, and I will collect them for you.
L. P. Butler, Dallas Ore.

Increase Value of Cow.
That modern dairying methods will increase the annual income of the average Oregon cow from \$40 to \$100 was the statement of Hon. E. T. Judd, of Portland, at Lincoln, Friday. The meeting was for the purpose of organizing a cow-testing association, and was largely attended. Among the speakers were State Dairy and Food Commissioner W. Bailey, T. S. Townsend and other prominent dairymen.

For Thin, Poor Blood.
You can trust a medicine tested 60 years! Sixty years of experience, think of that! Experience with Ayer's Sarsaparilla; the original Sarsaparilla; the Sarsaparilla the doctors endorse for this blood, weak nerves, general debility.
See over this small ad medicine cannot do you any harm. It is a safe, reliable, and sure remedy. For the full particulars, see the full advertisement of Ayer's Sarsaparilla in the next issue of this paper.
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TO PAVE OR NOT TO PAVE

SHALL WE HAVE MACADAM OR BITHULITIC

Question One of Importance at This Time.
Noticing the prices being paid by towns on the east side for bithulitic pavement, we this week interviewed a number of our property owners on Main street in order to get their opinions as to the advisability of—as there seemed to be so small a difference between the laying of macadam and that of bithulitic pavement—putting in the pavement while you are at it. By so doing, as stated in these columns before, we would at once jump into prominence as a paved town, enhance the value of all our business property very materially, and aid much in making our city beautiful and healthful.

Macadam has just contracted for the laying of 21 blocks of bithulitic pavement on her streets at a cost of \$10 a running foot. This same rate to us would be at a cost of \$3000 a block, \$1000 for each side of the street, or \$5 a running foot to each property owner. The laying of the macadam is estimated at \$2 a square yard, and this does not include the taking up of the gravel, bringing the improvement down to grade. Also on Main street corner curbs will have to be made before the street can be either paved or macadamized. The outside cost is the same in both instances. The price at our disposal this week is not sufficient for any lengthy argument as to the difference between the two ways of improvement, and in fact, to our mind, the subject does not need it.

The question put to the property owners was this: "Providing the cost of macadam be as estimated and the bithulitic block to cost us only as stated by the papers of the towns in which it has been tried, would you prefer?"

B. H. McCulloch—If there is only the difference suggested in the two ways, I favor the bithulitic, but I believe some intermediate cost can be found that will be a fair compromise between the two. The question put to the property owners was this: "Providing the cost of macadam be as estimated and the bithulitic block to cost us only as stated by the papers of the towns in which it has been tried, would you prefer?"

D. A. Madison—Give me the pavement every time.
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Judge E. F. Cook—I can only speak from a personal standpoint, and not as a member of the county court, as we are necessarily bound by what action the county court takes in the matter. If a property owner, I would prefer paved streets, if it can be done at the same cost.

P. A. Finesth—I think that while we are in the business of improving our streets, we should by all means pave it, providing, of course, that the cost is not entirely out of reason as in comparison with the value of the town.

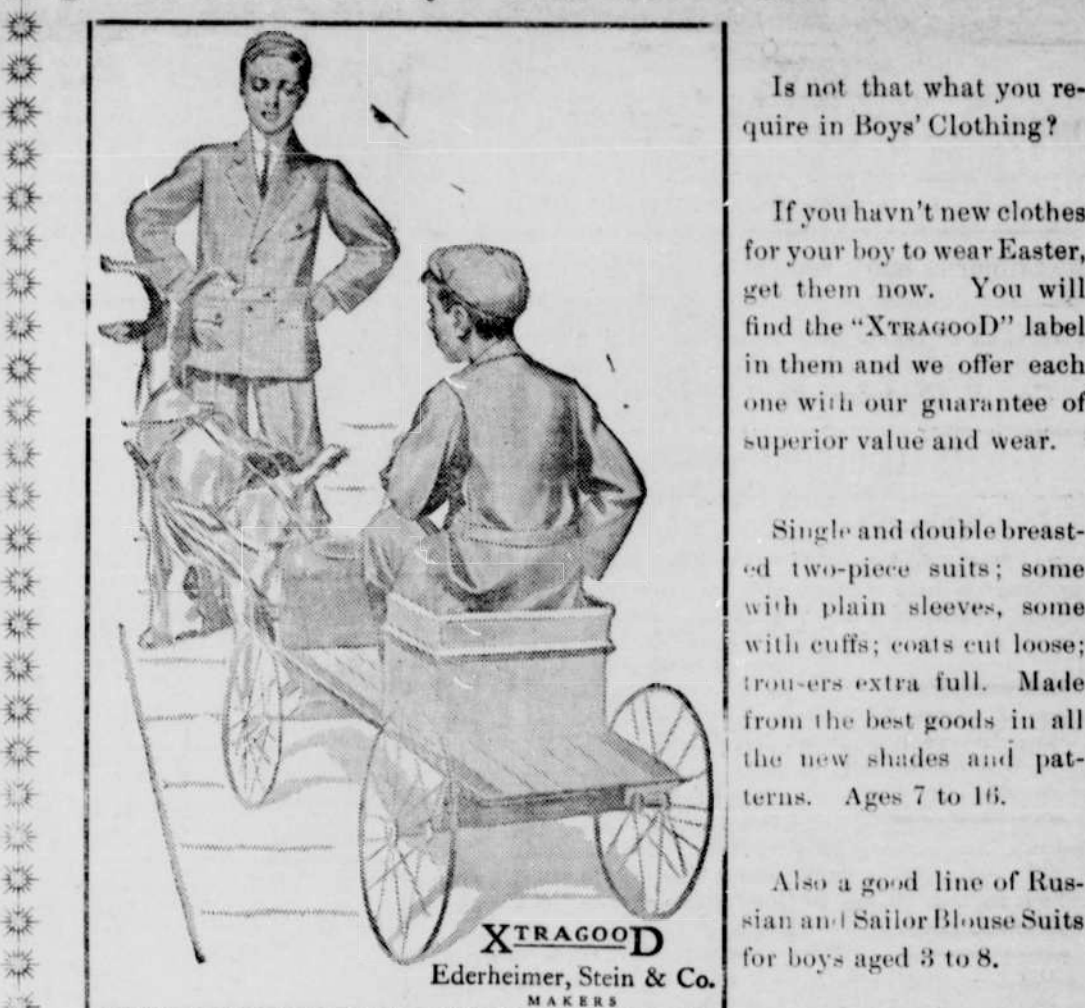
W. C. Brown—In my opinion the crushed rock would be the best, now that the matter is so far decided.

H. L. Crider—If it will cost \$2 a square yard for the crushed rock, I would prefer the pavement, even if it costs \$5 a yard. I would prefer that the city do the work in either case, under the supervision of a competent engineer, rather than to let it out by contract.

Bud Elliott Dead.
James Elliot Johnson, better known throughout Benton county as "Bud" Johnson, died at his home in Wren precinct Thursday. His illness began two weeks ago in what appeared to be an attack of lagrippe. A week ago, while busied with attentions to a herd of

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gods, he bent forward in a stooping position, and something, according to his subsequent description seemed to snap in his head. It did not render him unconscious, but his condition became rapidly worse. The deceased was about 60 years of age. He was the son of Charles Johnson, who settled on what is now a part of the college farm in 1854, after crossing the plains from Missouri. The wife died on the plains, while the family were enroute to Oregon. "Bud" was the youngest of five brothers and three sisters. One brother, John W. Johnson, was the first president of the state university, a position he held for several years. He is now dead. Other brothers are Cal Johnson, of Payette, Idaho, Henry Johnson, of Spokane, and Joseph Johnson of Eastern Washington. A sister, Mrs. Martin, resides in Eastern Oregon. Two others, Mrs. Briggs and Mrs. Horning are dead. Three sons and the widow are the survivors in the immediate family—Corvallis Times.

For the last few years Mr. Johnson had made it a practice during the slack times on the farm in winter to spend that time in Dallas, where he was well known and respected for honor and integrity.

BLOCKADED.
Every Household in Dallas Should Know How to Resist it.

The back aches because the kidneys are blocked. Help the kidneys with their work. The back will ache no more. Lots of proof that Doan's Kidney Pills do this.

James O. Rogers, living on Grant St., McMinnville, Ore., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they proved of much benefit to me. I was subject to headaches and backaches, the trouble coming on in attacks and leaving me very miserable. I did not know that my trouble arose from my kidneys until I noticed that these organs were irregular in action. Deciding to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial, I procured a box. They not only relieved the action of my kidneys but also relieved the weakness in my back and banished the headaches. I am now in a healthy condition and attribute it to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills.

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AN INSTANCE.
Lucy Suddeth, of Leamoyne, N. C., had been troubled with a very bad cough for over a year. She writes: "A friend bought a bottle of CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY, brought it to me and insisted that I should take it. I did so and to my surprise it helped me. Four bottles of it cured me of my cough."
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