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A LEMON TREE.

Probable Suicide--Circus at Salem--Whiteaker Oil Company Sued.

SAYS GOODBYE.

Dallas Blacksmith Writes Letters of Farewell

A Roseburg despatch of last Thursday says: "You need not look for me; I've got consumption and can't be cured, and I'm going into the woods and kill myself."
This is what Paul Simmons, aged 22 years, wrote Tuesday to his mother, Mrs. A. E. Simmons, and his sister, Mrs. M. E. Wetherill, of this city, and also to his brother, W. J. Simmons, who resides at Wilbur, 8 miles north of here. The letters to his sister and brother were written by Simmons at Salem and the latter to his mother at Eugene. Simmons has been working in a blacksmith shop at Dallas, Polk county.

The police at Eugene and Salem were notified to search for Simmons. They have been unsuccessful and his relatives think he has ended his life, although they sent the idea that he had contemplated. When Simmons visited Roseburg four months ago he was to all appearances in perfect health.
On the day that he wrote his relatives Simmons also sent his personal effects to Roseburg. A violin he consigned to his brother by express and a trunk and telescope value arrived at Eugene and some small change. Simmons' personal description follows:
Nearly 6 feet high, weight 165 pounds, blue eyes, dark hair, medium complexion and smooth shaven.

Sometimes last spring the young man mentioned above went to work in the blacksmith shop of Mr. Fred Wagner on Oak street. He was a good workman in every respect and attended to all his duties admirably. For the last two or three weeks he had complained of not feeling well and wanted a vacation. Owing to a pressure of work, Mr. Wagner agreed to let him go, but last Thursday, as he was feeling so badly, it was mutually agreed upon, and Mr. Simmons went to Eugene. He afterwards wrote Mr. Wagner that he had consulted a physician there, who told him he had consumption in an incurable form. If he has committed the rash deed mentioned above, it shows that he became entirely despondent, so dashed was he by the prophesy sent to his young life. His mother was here not long ago to pay him a visit, she rooming at Mr. Longnecker's. He was an exemplary young man in every way and it is hoped by his many friends here that the sad news did not so far unhinge his reason as to make him commit self destruction. Mr. Wagner is of the opinion that he will yet turn up all right.

A Well Known Remedy.

At the Methodist parsonage in Dallas today an ornate casket, silver, silver and gold, was being opened by Rev. M. P. Dixon, Mr. J. E. Hines, and Mr. C. H. Hope. The casket was opened by Rev. Dixon, Mr. J. E. Hines, and Mr. C. H. Hope. The casket was opened by Rev. Dixon, Mr. J. E. Hines, and Mr. C. H. Hope. The casket was opened by Rev. Dixon, Mr. J. E. Hines, and Mr. C. H. Hope.

THE WHITEAKER WELL.

D. M. Watson Sued for an Accounting of Same.

Suit for \$33,975 damages against D. M. Watson because of his connection with a Polk county oil deal has been begun in the circuit court in the name of the Polk County Oil Company, a concern that came into existence 1. March of the present year, and of which Watson himself is president.

According to the complaint, Watson took a lease on 320 acres of oil and mineral bearing land in Polk county, and the company was formed to exploit this land, which was leased from B. F. Whiteaker and sub-leased by the company. Approximately half of the capital stock of \$100,000 was unissued, being held as treasury stock. The Watson lease was accepted by the company in payment of the other half of the shares, subscribed by Watson.

It is now alleged that Watson has made the lease valueless by fraudulently stopping the work of development of the oil wells, one provision of the sublease being that the lease should be forfeited unless one well were completed in four months and others at intervals of 90 days until twenty wells were finished. It is charged that Watson fraudulently quit work and destroyed also the prospective profits, which are estimated at \$1,500 a year for ten years.

A FINE HEARSE.

The Best in the Valley by Long Odds.

While strolling around town the other day we were called in by Funeral Director R. I. Chapman to look at the new hearse which he lately received from the east. While in Michigan last winter on a visit with relatives, he gave the order, and it has since been in the process of construction and shipment. The order was given his brother, Mr. A. C. Chapman, who has paid Dallas several visits and is one of the proprietors of the Michigan Hearse & Carriage Factory, located at Grand Rapids. This hearse was entirely built to order, embracing several conveniences and desirable features of Mr. Chapman's own invention, and is by far the best death carriage in the valley, none other being able to compare with it in design, workmanship or utility. It has both rubber and steel tires, the latter being preferable for winter driving and is provided with extra large acetylene lamps that give a powerful light, thrown just where needed for night traveling. The carriage is finished in ebony, the pretty and ornate carvings being in dull and the balance in gloss. It is provided with an automatic seat, with a well back. The brake is entirely concealed and powerful. Signals can be given the same as on a motor car, and operated from the rear, making no other orders necessary. The carriage is made of heavy plate glass, set in rubber, the interior being upholstered in plush, the work on them being done by hand out of a solid block of wood, no veneering material being used.

The table board is of much better construction than is usual, and the curtains are of heavy, imported English broadcloth, the best ever, and will always hold their color. Another good feature is a compartment underneath for the storing from the rear of all necessary paraphernalia used in church or at the grave. The top of the carriage is made of a light material, and is covered with a nice appearance while the body is lower than common, making it more easily driven. The axles are of solid silver, and will wear and look nice for many years. The axles are of the Collins patent, and guaranteed to run 1000 miles without oiling. There is no perceptible jar while in motion, and it is nearly impossible for the coach to be upset. The cost of the hearse, including death coach was \$1600, found on board Grand Rapids, and the freight here amounted to \$200. As we stated before it is certainly the best hearse in the Willamette Valley and there are but few hearses in the metropolitan that can in any way come up to it. Mr. Chapman is certainly to be praised for his enterprise in providing Dallas with such an elaborate and well equipped hearse for his departed ones, though it is but in keeping with his up to date and successful funeral service, which he has all the latest appliances for the care of the dead. The other hearse has been located at Falls City, for convenience and quickness in catering to the departed of that section.

Married in Dallas.

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The Same Day You Order.

We have a limited amount of excellent dry oak, split, ready for your kitchen use. Place your order now for your winter's wood. The wood is going very fast and we are not making any more. The Class K. Spaulding Logging Co., Successors to the Dallas Lumber Co., Government of Oregon.

But was not Aware of it Until all was Over.

Senator F. W. Haines, of Forest Grove, served the state of Oregon in the capacity of governor, Saturday and Sunday, as Governor Chamberlain returned from his trip into Washington, where he inspected the Oregon building at the Alaska-Yukon Pacific Exposition site, and the Oregon Lake. Secretary of state Benson is in California taking a brief vacation, and Governor Chamberlain left for Seattle Saturday morning, leaving Benson to serve as governor, except Senator Haines, who, as president of the senate, is next in line of promotion. Governor Chamberlain, was in direct connection with his office at all times Senator Haines was not aware of the great distinction accorded him until all was over and the governor said at home again.

Unless you are in poor health and well rested, don't jump out of bed, says the September Designer. The majority of people wake more or less tired, and spring suddenly upon the feet after sleep is a shock which is as injurious as it is unpleasant. People who habitually wake early in the morning, especially women and children, should get themselves up gradually, taking at least five minutes for it.

BIG CIRCUS AT SALEM.

Barnum and Bailey Show to Exhibit There August 27th.

It is a pleasure to announce the fact that we will exhibit the Barnum and Bailey Great show on earth will give two performances in Salem, Oregon, thus affording an opportunity to the people of this city to visit the greatest amusement enterprise the world has ever known.
For fifty years the Barnum and Bailey show has led the world in all matters pertaining to big amusements. There is not a country on earth where it is not as well known as in America, nor a city of any size in the world where its mammoth tents have not been pitched. Royalty has applauded it and the peasantry has marveled at it, and all the world, civilized and savage, has contributed to its multiplicity of attractions.
The spirit of its great founder, one of the most wonderful men in all history, P. T. Barnum, still lives in the policy of the present management, who the perfect system put into operation by the great James A. Bailey, is still in operation. This season the show is expressing its interest attaches to it because the parade, a feature which for several seasons has been missing, is again in its customary place.
For four years artists, sculptors and mechanics have been working day and night at the foreign work-shops of the show at Stock-on-Trent, England, building this great street pageant, and the result of their labors now is expressing itself in the most costly and well exhibited street parade that ever passed through the streets of any city.
The programme in the great exhibition tent opens with a new spectacle. The acts that follow are of European and of great novelty and variety. Of the 375 performers, nearly 300 have never toured America before. The climax of the bill is the most daring and awe-inspiring exhibition of nerve and death-defying ever attempted. The act is called "Autos that race." It is the passing of two automobiles high above the heads of the people, while leaning 90 feet from the velocity is gained by a lightning-like dash down a steep steel incline, one a household tire-wrecker, in 15 minutes or while you wait.

R. H. Kelly, of Dallas, was in town Tuesday. He has sold 200 acres of his fine farm near Bellevue.—McMinville Times.
Born, August 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Robertson, who reside on the Salt Creek divide, a daughter, Dr. B. H. McCullon attending.
Mr. Geo. W. Nichols, an old friend of Ed. Cochran's, arrived here Friday from Wisconsin, and will probably make this his home if he can find a place suitable to his needs.
Prof. Ralph Moore, principal of the City public schools, is here on a ten days visit with his uncle, Mr. A. S. Campbell. Mr. Moore will take a two weeks' course at the normal summer school while out from Coos county.
Take Kodak whenever you feel that you need it. That is the only time you need it, then you will not be troubled with sour stomach, belching gas on the stomach, etc. Sold by Conrad Stairin.
Edwin, aged 4, owned a picture-book in which a horse-looking cat was running after a small boy. He looked at it a long time, then carefully closing the book he laid it away. A few days later he got the book again, and turned to the picture. Bringing his chubby fist down on the cow, he exclaimed in a tone of triumph, "She ain't caught him yet!"—The September Delineator.
Mr. Arthur P. Lawrence is building an eight room residence on his lot adjoining the Vance residence, now owned by W. F. Hamour, which he has sold to Dr. Vard Litter, who will occupy the residence of Mrs. S. P. Lawrence, just completed, while Mrs. Lawrence takes an outing at the Baptist camp on the Santiam.
City work will keep things in Dallas humming until late in the fall, even if there was nothing else going on. Hardly will the street improvement work contemplated for the year be over on till labor will be commenced on the three sewer systems, which will keep quite a lot of men employed for sometime. The rights of way deeds have now been secured, the necessary ordinances and advertisement will be completed as soon as the laws allow and then actual construction will commence. Dallas will have as good a sewerage system as any town of her size in the northwest. Such improvements are what count in the upbuilding of a town and the securing of more residents.

Notice to Delinquents.

During the past week we have sent out statements to all Itemizer subscribers who are one year or over behind on subscription. According to the new law all laws we are compelled to stop the paper to any one year in arrears, but this does not apply to those from the payment of the debt. To many of them this is the third notification we have given as to the amount due. We consider this sufficient, and those who have not settled up by September 1st or made provision for doing so, can take no offence at finding their name on that month's Black list.

Protective Association Meeting.

The Dallas Business Men's Protective Association held their regular monthly meeting last Monday evening. Nearly a full complement of the membership was present. Quite a list of new names were turned in to be added to the Black list to be issued on the 27th, and considerable routine business transacted. A protective committee, consisting of Conrad Stairin, C. L. Crider and P. A. Fincher were named. It will be the duty of this committee to pass on all advertising schemes proposed, and they will have to receive the approval of the committee as they can expect to do any business among our merchants. This committee will be found to be a very good thing, saving each business man the trouble of inquiring into such matters personally, and will save their being offed by hoodlums of needlessly spent money by being talked into taking up with every outside advertising scheme that comes along. If a man has a proposition of any kind to offer, he must first see this committee who will thoroughly investigate the same and give or not give it their O. K., as results from their findings. Without this O. K. it will be useless to try to do business.

Flourishing Lemon Tree.

As indicative that our climate is capable of successfully raising almost any kind of fruit, Mr. J. S. Macomber informs us that Sunday he plucked from his lemon tree a fully matured lemon, much larger in size than is generally sold in the stores. There are 26 small ones on the tree not yet fully developed. The tree is grown in a tub and kept in the house in the winter, but grows out of doors during the warm weather. It is prolific and thrifty in every respect.

H. Sears has bought Frank Rowe's interest in the old Levens hop yard. It is not worked this year. Mr. Webster having it in potatoes and grain.

August Bargains

During this month you will find many items of good merchandise marked far below actual values. We have decided to cut prices unmercifully on certain lines in order to clean up our stock. Quotations given below represent only a few of the many good things we offer. We strongly urge you to call and examine the goods and prices.

- Ladies White Canvas Oxfords, regular values \$1.50 and \$1.75. August Bargain Sale \$1.00 a pair
- 27-inch Lawn in neat and stylish design. August Bargain Sale 6 Cents a Yard
- Children's White Canvas Oxfords, regular values 75 cents to \$1.25. August Bargain Sale 50 Cents.
- Broken lines of Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals, regular \$1.50 to 2.50 values. August Bargain Sale \$1.25 a Pair
- Ladies Tailor-made Suits, Shirt waists, Skirts and Coats at Wholesale Prices

Mens', Boys' and Childrens' clothing are now much less than regular prices. Bring your cash and see what your dollars will do during this month.

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