SHEEP AND GOATS

Polk County Captures Many Premiums at Metropolis.

Polk county growers went to the combined goat and sheep show at Portland last week and showed to the satisfaction of all by the securing of the most coveted prizes, that our county was the natural breeding ground of Oregon for the best there is to be raised in those lines. At the goat show E. A. Rhoten, of Salem, was elected president; C. C. Naylor, of Forest Grove, vice president; A. L. McDonald, Portland, secretary-treasurer; G. W. McBee, of Dallas, C. P. Gwinn, of Oakland, and W. E. Harkness, of Orl Fino, directors.

Riddell & Sons, of Monmouth, took the cup for the best breeding flock of four registered Angora kids, and won the prize for the best registered doe kids Guthrie Bros., of Dallas, took second prize in that class and Mrs. W. J. Farley, of Dallas, was given third.

Riddell & Son took the cup for the best fleece of long mohair, measuring not less than 16 inches.

Guthrie Bros. won the premium offered by Riddell & Son from the best doe kid from stock bought from them.

Riddell & Son won the prize for the best pair of Angora goats, bred and owned by exhibitor, and Mrs. W. J. Farley won the prize for the best pair of Angora goats exhibited by an amateur.

Won by Riddell & Sons: Best buck, 1 year, under 2, first; best buck kid, first; best buck kid, second; best doe kid 2 years and over, third; best doe kid over 1 under 2, first; best doe kid, first; best doe kid, second; best doe kid, third; best pen of four kids, first; best four kids, first; best flock, first; champion buck, first; champion doe, first.

Twenty-five dollar cup for the best breeder's flock of four registered Angora kids, the get of one sire, bred by exhibitor, a member of the American Angora Breeders' Association, Wm. Riddell & Sons, first.

For the best two registered doe kids, bred by exhibitor, $7 first, $3.50 second, and $2 third. For the best two registered buck kids, $7 first, $3.50 second; and $2 third; exhibitor to be a member of the American Angora Breeder's association, Riddell & Sons, first; Guthrie Bros., second; Mrs. W. J. Farley, third.

L. Levussove's cup, for the best fleece of long mohair measuring not less than 16 inches. Won by Riddell & Sons.

Riddell & Sons, $50 doe kid to the best doe kid from stock bought from them any time in the past. Won by Guthrie Bros.

The Oregon Agriculturist, $10 in cash for the best pair of Angora goats, consisting of one male and one female, bred and owned by exhibitor. Won by Riddell & Sons.

The Oregon Agriculturist, $10 in cash divided as follows: $6 first and $4 second, for the best Angora buck kid exhibited by an amateur; John Stump, first; Mrs. W. J. Farley, second.

Won by John B. Stump: Best buck 1 year, second; best buck kid, third.

Won by Guthrie Bros: Best buck 2 years and over, first; best buck kid, third; best pen four kids second; best flock, second.

Won by Mrs. W. J. Farley: Best pen of four kids, third; best four kids, third; best flock, third.

Albert Teal, of Dallas, exhibited a small flock of Swiss milch goats that attracted much attention. Mr. Teal says that he is aiming to introduce this breed in the state and is spending considerable money to bring his flock up to the highest standard. The work so far has been largely experimental.

National Woolgrowers' association cup for best exhibit of coarse wool flock consisting of one ram and two ewes and four lambs, won by F. A Koser.

Willamette Valley Wool Growers' association, $15 first premium and $10 second premium, for best lot of six consisting of three rams and toree ewes, any age, bred and owned by any Willamette Valley exhibitor, F. A. Koser, first; Hawley & Son, second.

Lincoln breed—Won by Riddell & Sons: Best ram 1 year, second; best ram lamb spring 1910, first; best pen 4 lambs, second; best four lambs, second; best flock, third; best ram lamb, third.

Won by Hawley & Son: Best ram 2 years old and over, second; best ram lambs, second; best ewe, one year, first; best ram lamb, second; best pen four lambs, first; best flock, first; champion ewe, first; pen of 4, two of either sex, first.

Won by John B. Stump: Best ram lamb, third; best pen 4 lambs, third; best four lambs third.

Cotswolds—Won by F. A. Koser: Best ram 1 year old, first; best ram lamb spring 1910, first; best ram lamb, spring 1910, second; best ewe 2 years and over, first and second; best ewe 1 year and under 2; first and second; best pen four lambs, one sire, first; best four lambs, two either sex, second; best flock, first; champion ram, first.

Won by Riddell & Son: Best ram 1 year old, second; bestewe lamb spring 1910, third; best pen four lambs, second; best flock, third.

Dogs, Scotch Collies: First and third C. D. Nairn; J. Murrow, second.

The Philomath Game.

Friday night the Dallas College basketball team defeated Philomath College on the latters court by the score of 23 to 18 in what was considered the finest game ever seen on Philomaths floor. Although Dallas held a comfortable margin for a short period during the game for practically the entire 40 minutes of play the score was close and the playing intense. With the court enclosed by solid walls on two sides and end the big Philomath men make fast and sure work a necessity for any team that aspires to beat them there. And this was the style of play that is chiefly responsible for the victory. While carefully watching their men the Dallas boys quickly took advantage of openings left by their opponents and persisted in scoring often enough to hold a lead throughout the game. When two or three minutes only remained and the Dallasites found themselves safely in the lead they put the lid on and bided their time until the whistle blew. After the game a banquet was given the visitors and a profitable time was had in feasting and talking of college union and basketball, past, present and future.

Friday night the boys play the Indians at Chemawa and on Saturday, Jan., 14, McMinnville college plays Dallas here. McMinnville recently beat Chemawa by an unexpectedly large score and may give the local sons trouble when the game is called Saturday night.

Salem's population is announced as 14,094. In 1900 it was 4257.

Three governors in two days is a pretty good record for any state. That is what Oregon had Monday and Tuesday. —Bowerman, Selling, West.

Dr. Starbuck had to make a long drive to Buell through the snow Tuesday night to present to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Leonard a new baby daughter. Mr. Leonard is the Dallas-Buell mail carrier.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

In the matter of the appointment of a county health officer, Dr. B. H. McCallon was so appointed.

The bond of J. M. Grant as tax collector was approved.

J. W. Finn was ordered to open and clear a roadway on the Evan Evans land as changed by the court.

The following road supervisors were appointed for 1911:

District 1—William Schaad.
" 2—Geo. W. Newbill.
" 3—John Duignan.
" 5—A. J. Brown.
" 6—I. A. Allen.
" 7—D. P. Stapleton.
" 8—Thos. Strain.
" 9—P. T. Peterson.
" 10—E. E. Hiltibrand.
" 11—E. A. Pagenkopt.
" 12—Wm. Hoisington.
" 13—Evan Evans.
" 14—Waldo Finn.
" 15—A. L. Bartholemew.
" 16—J. N. Jones.
" 17—Henry Voth.
" 19—Ira Hooker.
" 20—M. M. Jones.
" 21—A. Sampson.
" 22—Thos. J. Merrick.

Each to give bond in the sum of $500.

Ordered that the official bond of J. Moran, as constable of Justice District No. 5 be approved.

In the matter of replacing the water pipes in courthouse yard with one-inch pipe, it was ordered that contract be awarded to Craven Brothers, lowest bidders.

In the matter of levy of special school tax upon school districts that failed to levy a sufficient amount, as required by law, ordered that a special levy for school purposes be made upon the following named school districts within Polk County, to make up the deficiency required by law, as follows: School District No. 18, .5 mills District 19, .9 mills; District 20, 1.2 mils; District 27, .6 mills; District 48, .6 mills; District 50, 1.3 mills; District 52, 1.0 mills; District 55, 1.0 mills; District 56, 2.0 mills; District 59, 1.3 mills; District 62, .2 mills; District 64, .1 mill; District 67, 5.0 mills. It was ordered that the same be placed on the tax rolls and be collected as other taxes are collected.

Ordered that notice be published asking for bids for 30 cords of grub oak wood, and 30 cords of second-growth fir wood, bids to be filed with County Clerk on or before February 1, at 9 a. m.

Ordered that Doctor B. H. McCallon be appointed county health officer.

Ordered that the official bond of J. M. Grant as tax collector be approved.

In the matter of the petition to locate a new school district to be known as Joint District No. 79, with Yamhill County; ordered that the matter be continued for further hearing to the May term of court.

In the mattter of the change in boundaries of School Districts Nos. 35 and 40; petition granted.

The bonds of the following officers were approved: E. M. Smith, County Clerk; Tracy Stants, Treasurer; J. M. Grant, Sheriff; Hardy Holman, Justice of the Peace, District No. 3; B. Wilson, Justice, District No. 5; J. H. Flower, District No. 4; R. L. Chapman, Coroner; George W. Chapman, Constable, District No. 2; A. E. Myer, Constable, District No. 4; C. L. Hubbard, Constable, District No. 23; B. F. Beezley, Surveyor; Peter Cook, Commander of General Gibson Post, No. 64, G. A. R.

Appointments of A. F. Toner as Deputy County Clerk and J. E. Richter, as Deputy Sheriff, were approved.

Deed of R. M. Smith et ux., for rights of way for road, accepted and ordered recorded.

PROBATE.

In the estate of A. W. Stansberry, deceased; inventory and appraisement filed and approved.

In the guardianship of Joseph Thorp, insane; petition for appointment of guardian filed.

In estate of Robert Howe, deceased; final account heard, approved and executrix discharged.

In guardianship of Alma Husehy, a minor; final report and account heard; ordered that the same be approved and guardian discharged.

In the estate of J. M. Mitchell, deceased; bond filed and approved R. R. DeArmond, W. S. Kurre and C. W. Irvine appointed appraisers.

In the estate of Richard Newman, deceased; final account heard and approved; ordered that it be allowed and administrator discharged.

In the estate of Nancy Brown, deceased; evidence of executor taken; ordered that a citation issue for the persons named in the affidavit of J. T. Irvine to appear on the 29th day of February, at 1 p. m.; continued for further hearing until that time.

In guardianship of John F. Leach, incompetent; ordered that real estate belonging to said ward be sold at private sale.

Claims Allowed.

Claims were allowed by the County Court, Wednesday, as follows:

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Craven Brothers	$ 6.35
J. S. Ashbaugh	18.00
Mrs. Compton	2.25
A. M. McLaughlin	13.05
Willard Cauthorn	5.30
Perrydale Milling Co.	15.70
J. K. Neal	1.50
Falls City Lumber Co.	2.20
G. W. McBee	167.50
T. J. Merrick	36.00
William Fudge	27.25
R. M. Wade & Co.	21.85
R. M. Smith	70.00
Barthold-Barg Co.	3.50
Ira Mehrling	11.25
B. F. Beezley	24.50
G. F. Shew	3.00
L. Ground	9.50
J. W. Bush	2.00
Joseph Tharp	12.00
William Kraber	1.77
H. L. Crider	11.64
Spaulding Log. Co.	93.12
Mrs. P. E. Compton	52.75
Falls City News	1.50
E. E. Hiltibrand	81.25
C. W. Beckett	19.20
G. H. Crawford	51.25
Ira Hooker	151.25
A. J. Brown	155.25
Thomas Strain	55.00
O. D. Rider	.50
Fred Hebding	1.25
P. C. Lady	17.70
Van B. Sears	11.25
W. O. Morrow	7.74
W. H. McDaniel	4.80
Charles Whaley	22.38
W. H. Cadle	207.56
J. B. Nesmith	2.19
George Whiteaker estate	1.55
M. W. Mix	1.32
I. F. Yoakum	13.50
James Middleton	166.88
M. M. Jones	172.50
S. H. Petre	11.50
Simpson Bros.	5.75

ELECTION ACCOUNT.

D. H. Simpson	7.30
Northwestern Corporation	3.90
Conrad Stafrin	11.25

PAUPER ACCOUNT.

Mary E. Haisey	50.00
C. E. Huntley	129.50
V. O. Staats	25.00
Mrs. C. A. Robinson	16.00
G. A. Muscott	10.00
West Salem Supply Co.	10.00
R. L. Wood	8.00
Mrs. E. E. Phillips	26.25
Simonton & Scott	29.90
M. L. Thompson	1.30
A. Bowman	2.00
D. G. Meador	21.10
H. G. Black	6.00

COURTHOUSE ACCOUNT.

Dallas Water Co.	6.95
M. V. Woods	60.00
G. L. Hubbard	12.75
Dallas Telephone Co.	21.10
Northwestern Corporation	26.50

FERRY ACCOUNT.

Spaulding Log. Co.	37.14
William Ball	15.38
G. N. Newton	34.62
Hanna Bros.	1.60

SALARY AND FEES.

C. S. Graves	101.00
W. A. Ayres	62.50
R. L. Chapman	75.10
E. E. Williams	2.50
H. C. Seymour	164.98
E. C. Dunn	70.00
J. M. Grant	156.12
J. E. Richter	70.00
Ed. F. Coad	109.80
J. B. Teal	42.00
F. K. Hubbard	26.05
B. Wilson	5.00
Dr. B. H. McCallon	61.90
A. F. Toner	75.00
E. M. Smith	146.49
Mrs. E. M. Smith	62.50

CURRENT EXPENSES.

Mrs. F. A. Wolfe	75.00
J. M. Grant	21.42
Fuller Pharmacy	14.40
Irwin-Hodson Co.	11.00
Dr. A. B. Starbuck	5.00
Dr. L. A. Bollman	5.00
Stow Bros.	3.00
Polk County Observer	51.65
C. G. Coad	63.72

Marriage License.

Roy W. Lantz and Minnie A. Downing.

Notary Public.

Miss Claire Pattrick.

Sent to Asylum.

Examination of Wayne McCann was held yesterday before a coterie of physicians, and he adjudged insane and sent to the asylum.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Carl Magini et ux to A W Fletcher, 16.36 acres, t 6 s, r 6 w	500
Ella B Cutler and hd to J A and E J McCann, lot in Dallas	1200
John Quirk to Phillip Kohl et al, 95.87 acres, t 6 s, r 6 w	3500
Alice S Courter and hd to Phillip Gottfried, land in Falls City	60
H G Hastings et al to A R Lewis, lots in Airlie	10
J W South et ux to J E Mills, lots in Independence	5
Jonn S Parker et ux to Flora Lee 5.25 acres, t 6 s, r 5 w	1575
H G Campbell to T T Notson, 40 acres, t 8 s, r 5 w	2000
John Middleton et ux to James Middleton, 20 acres, t 7 s, r 5 w	400

Principals' Club.

The School Principals' Club of Polk county will hold a meeting in the office of the County Superintendent Seymour, in the court house next Saturday, January 14, beginning at 11 a. m. All the principals of the county, and as many teachers as possible, are urged to be present.

Falls City Wants Sewers.

Steps are being taken by the Commercial club and the local councilmen to secure a modern sewer system at Falls City. It is planned to bond the city to the extent of $2000.

The 40 day Agony.

The legislature is upon us, that is it was, for after a couple of days arduous labors in electing officers and clerks, they eased up on the mighty strain Wednesday noon and went to Portland to talk politics until next Monday. Then the trouble will begin again. Many bills have been introduced and there will be many more. So far they are good bad and indifferent, with no serious freaks. West is now governor and seems to be making good in every respect and winning the commendation of both friend and foe.

Teachers at Falls City.

The teachers of Polk county held an institute at Falls City on Saturday. The meeting opened with exercises by the pupils of the school, followed by a short address by F. W. Swimpton, of Forest Grove. Thus ended the mornings work and at 12 o'clock refreshments were served by the patrons of the school. The principal address of the afternoon was delivered by Walter L. Tooze and State Superintendent L. R. Alderman. Mr. Alderman clearly defined the needs of the schools of Oregon and particularly dwelt upon the welfare of the pupils. F. W. Swingston gave an address to the M. E. church Saturday evening, his subject being "The Worth of a Boy." Mr. Swington has done extensive work in teachers' institutes in many states of the Middle West, and has done much work in Oregon.

When buying a cough remedy for children bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is most effectual for colds, croup and whooping cough and that it contains no harmful drug. For sale by all good dealers.

LIST OF JURORS.

The following list of jurors were drawn this afternoon to serve during 1911:

Wm Addison, Independence
Adolph Aebie, Suver
J W Macomber, Dallas
W B Allen, Rickreall
W H F Manston, Dallas
Robert Ankeny, Rickreall
J S Ashbaugh, Dallas
J E Martin, Dallas
J L Marvin, McCoy
E L Baker, Independence
G B Masters, Black Rock
R P Matheney, Airlie
R M Ballard, Dallas
W L Barber, Buell
J E Barham, Dallas
Hank Mattison, Independence
P Barthol mew, Dallas
George Baum, Monmouth
J J McBee, Dallas
C E McCaleb, Monmouth
Austel McCarter, Dallas
J T McClain, Suver
E J Bennett, Dallas
D S Bentley, Butler
W H McDaniel, Dallas
H D McDonald, Dallas
W W Bevens, Airlie
S H McElmurray, Independence
W L Bice, Independence
J F McGee, Airlie
A H Bittner, Falls City
Weldon Black, Dallas
W H McKee, Perrydale
Cyrus Blair, Buell
Mark Blodget, Dallas
W H Boals, Dallas
Wm Bogynsky, Dallas
August Boman, Dallas
G T Boothby, Monmouth
W B McKown, Falls City
James Boydston, Dallas
Chas Boyle, Dallas
L E Braley, Buell
Jas Middleton, Dallas
C L Bratcher, Perrydale
Wm Bressler, Monmouth
J E Miller, Da las
W P Miller, Dallas
M W Mix, Independence
G H Bronson, Dallas
Chas Brooks, Independence
James Morgan, Independence
G F Brown, Dallas
J K Neal, Buena Vista
T W Brunk, Salem
Jacob Buhler, Dallas
M A. Burch, Rickreall
W J Burns, Monmouth
L I Bursell, Monmouth
J W Bush, Airlie
Walter Norton, Airlie
J A Butterick, McCoy
L E Olden, Monmouth
Henry Byerley, Amity
Matt Olsen, Falls City
J A Byers, Independence
W H Cameron, Airlie
Alfred Campbell, Amity
J S Parker, Perrydale
W L Cauthorn, Suveg
J L Chamberlain, Monmouth
J H Chapin, Airlie
Geo Clanfield, Dallas
A N Poole, Monmouth
W H Cockle, Independence
R L Collins, Suver
Jas Collins, Independence
Felix Conergys, Amity
L S Compton, Independence
Lee Conner, Perrydale
W J Coy, Dallas
W H Crawford, Salem
S H Crook, Salem
S H Crowley, Rickreall
E V Dalton, Dallas
R L Davidson, Independence
E E DeArmond, Suver
Walter J Domes, McCoy
Finley Edgar, Rickreall
F R Elliott, Dallas
N A Emmett, Falls City
P O Powell, Monmouth
M N Prather, Buena Vista
A G Rempel, Dallas
Edward Rex, Independence
T C Richmond, Dallas
Jas Riddell, Monmouth
B Z Riggs, Dallas
J M Robertson, Rickreall
J W Rogers, Independence
F T Romig, McCoy
W W Rowell, Rickreall
J J Russell, Monmouth
Wm Sargeant, Dallas
Ralph Savery, Dallas
W A Scott, Independence
J P Sears, McCoy
J M Sebring, Airlie
Geo E Sellers, Dallas
A E Seymour, Falls City.
R C Shepard, Salem
Frand Scythe, Airlie
W A Sloan, Ballston
Jacob Smith, Monmouth
R W Evans, Rickreall
R M Ewing, Dallas
S T Smith, Dallas
A R Southwick, Salem
C L Sperling, Independence
C H Farmer, Rickreall
J M Spong, Salem
C E Staate, Airlie
B I Ferguson, Salem
Glenn Stewart, McCoy
Henry Fern, McCoy
A W Fink, Dallas
J J Finn, Buell
J B Teal, Dallas
V A Fishback, Monmouth
Alonzo Tharp, Butler
H B Flanery, Amity
J J Thurston, Suver
O E Focht, Ballston
D N Turner, Airlie
J T Udell, Rickreall
R M Fowle, Airlie
J E Vaughn, Falls City.
G F Vick, Falls City
W H Walker, Independence
E D Fuller, Monmouth
C B Whaley, Rickreall
L C Gardner, Bridgeport
Seth White, Rickreall
I G White, McCoy
Cass Gibson, Rickreall
E B Gobat, Buena Vista
Jas Goodman, Monmouth
L C Gosser Salem
W E Greenwood, Dallas
N F Gregg, Ballston
P R Winslow, Salem
W W Grooms, Perrydale
R E Winterstein, Airlie
F P Ground, Buena Vista
Chester Guthrie, Dallas
Percy Hadley, Airlie
A J Haley, Monmouth
E A Hamilton, Dallas
W N Yeater, Monmouth
H H Hanna, Independence
J W Yost, Airlie
B A Harrison, Rickreall
E M Young, Independence
Ezra Hart, Dallas
C M Young, Falls City
T L Hartman, Independence
G B Zumwalt, Dallas
C W Haines, Ballston
Fred Hebding, Perrydale
Jas Hecker, Suver
U G Heffley, Independence
C P Hembree, Monmouth
E E Hewitt, Monmouth
Verd Hill, Independence
W R Hinshaw, Falls City
D T Hoffman, Independence
John Howell, Monmouth
J D Holman, Monmouth
D F Hopkins, Dallas
J R Loy, Buena Vista
W T Foster, Dallas
V B Sears, Ballston
Jos Gage, Dallas
Fred W Hughes, Dallas
W F Lee, Falls City
J C Kramer, Falls City
Irvin Hussey, Butler
S E Irvine, Independence
Edwin Jacobson, Dallas
Fred Johnson, Airlie
N W Jones, Monmouth
E W Staats, Airlie
Jos Card, Dallas.
Clyde Kelty, McCoy
L R Kimes, Falls City
J W Kimsey, Airlie
C Lorence, Monmouth
Percy Lewis, Lewisville.
Homer Link, Airlie
F W. Loughary, Monmouth.

THE TAX LEVY.

As we go to press the county court has just finished making the tax levy, as follows:

State	1 9-10	mills
School	2 2-10	"
High schools	1-2	"
County	3	"
Roads	4 4-10	"
Total	12	mills

Polk County Beats the World.

W. M. Elliott returned from Portland Sunday, and says that it is now Polk county against the world in the sheep business. He says that our breeders were pitted against the best stock in the world, stock that had heretofore taken the big premiums at worlds fairs, and that our sheep shown easily won out over them all. Mr. Elliott says that it is the climate, which is bound to produce better animals in strength and every other needed attribute, and, consequently better fleeces.

ANOTHER DEATH

One of Dallas' Most Honored Citizens Passes.

Tuesday morning Mr. John E. Smith suffered another stroke of paralysis, from which, after the one of last week, it was impossible for him to rally, and the end came yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock. John E. Smith was one of nature's noblemen, a man identified with Dallas business and church interests for the last 40 years, and a man of whom not one word could be said except in praise. He was a man of high intellectual attainments, a close student of life in all its aspects, one who by reading and observation was well qualified to judge of his fellowman. He was a man of profound thought, and had not disease attacked him in the prime of life, might have seen fit to enrich the store of the world's literature on scientific subjects. Given a more pushing temperament, he might easily have landed high honors in any line in which he might have desired to to turn his energies and attainments, but his was a home loving nature, and between his trade and the proper rearing of his family, and the care of his now bereaved wife, and the duty due his church, he considered enough for a life work. Probably he was right, as the hunting for power and fame is but chimerical, and really redounds to no man's good. In the taking of John E. Smith the town has lost a good citizen, the church a faithful and exemplary member, and his family a husband and father than whom there was no better. Peace to his ashes, and may the best of us deserve a like tribute when it comes our time to pass to the great beyond.

John E. Smith was born in Bucyrus, Ohio, April 3, 1841, making him 69 years and 9 months old at the time of his death, which was caused by paralysis, the first stroke of which occurred on January 11, 1908, the second on New Years day and the last on Tuesday. He was practically an invalid ever since the first, although able some of the time to get out on crutches. At the age of 12 years he joined the Lutheran Reform church, and later in life affiliated with the Methodists. He received his education in the Bucyrus high school and at Ann Arbor, Michigan. When 21 he enlisted as a private in the war of the rebellion in Company K, 64th regiment, Ohio Infantry. In the summer of 1871 he came to Oregon, settling in Dallas, where he engaged in blacksmithing on the Main street, and until his health got so as to prohibit further physical labor, his shop was one of the best known institutions of the town. On April 25, 1875, he was married to Miss Jennie Lee, who is left to mourn him, together with four children, Lee and Eva, of Dallas, Haven, of Siletz, and Mrs. Erma Beery, of Portland. He was a beneficiary member of the A. O. U. W., and for long years one of its most trusted officials and mainstays, joining the order in the early 80ties. The funeral will be held from the family residence Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, and interment will be in Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, cause chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation, 25 cents. Ask your druggist for them.

If you want to get quick action on your property, list it with the Itemizer Realty Concern. Besides their three offices in Dallas, they have one in Chicago, one in Portland, and other connections that make them bring more people to this county than all other means of advertising now in existence.

True Enough.

Irritated Citizen—Aren't you ashamed of yourself, going about with that street organ and leading such a lazy life? Street Organist—Lazy life? Why, sir, life with me is one long daily grind.—Echo.

He Lived Well.

He—Yes, he lives on the fat of the land. She—What is he? He—An anti-fat medicine manufacturer.—Comic Cuts.

Life's a reckoning we cannot make twice over. You cannot mend a wrong subtraction by doing your addition right.—George Eliot.

Hats and Old Age.

In opening the services one Sunday recently the pastor of one of the fashionable churches said: "For three Sundays I have asked the women in this church to remove their hats during service. My appeal has been unheeded, and now I see wherein I was wrong. I was inconsiderate of the comforts of the aged and infirm, so I have made a new rule. Hereafter all women of forty years of age or over will be permitted to wear their hats during the service."

Within twenty seconds every woman in the church was bareheaded.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Being able to forget is a sign of greatness, meanness or a misfortune, all depending on what you forget.

Himself being judge, any man is somewhat above the average.

A girl feels greatly encouraged to like a man soon as he is severely criticised by her mother.

If it were true that supply follows demand, would we have hoboes suffering for either beer or money?

Some complainants insist most strongly on being judge and jury besides.

He (rhapsodically)—I adore everything that is grand, exquisite, supereminent. I love the peerless, the serene, the perfect in life. She (blushing coyly)—Oh, George, how can I refuse you when you put it so beautifully?

Our Neighbor.

What is meant by our neighbor we cannot doubt. It is every one with whom we are brought into contact, whosoever it be, whom we have any means of helping.—Dean Stanley.

YES, OUR PRICES HAVE FALLEN ON WHAT WE HAVE LEFT OF OUR REGULAR LINES OF GOOD MERCHANDISE. IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO BUY JUST EXACTLY WHAT YOU ARE GOING TO SELL AND NO MORE. WHAT WE HAVE LEFT OF OUR WINTER GOODS WE SHALL SELL AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

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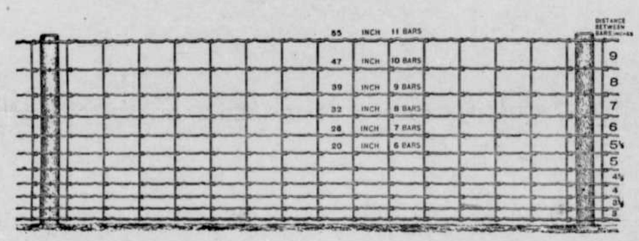

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