

The DeMoss Family.

Who gave an entertainment at Martin's Opera House Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Christian church, were well received. A packed house greeted them and several numbers were encored. The troupe has greatly improved since their last trip through this section and the entertainment was a success both financially and in point of merit.

Failed to Appear.

The Jessie Chirley Company failed to put in its appearance Monday night as billed on account of the flood. Their train never got here until after midnight.

Just a Cough

that gets your lungs sore and weak and paves the way for Pneumonia or Consumption, or both. Acker's English Remedy will stop the cough in a day and heal your lungs. It will cure Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles. Positively guaranteed, and money refunded if you are not satisfied. Write to us for free sample. W H Hooker & Co Buffalo, N Y. Benson Drug Co.

A Good Show.

Stetson's Uncle Tom Cabin Company played here to a small house. This was by far the best Uncle Toms Cabin outfit that has visited the Grove. Their plantation singing, cake walking and specialties were above the average.

We sell the greatest of blood purifiers, Acker's Blood Elixir, under a positive guarantee. It will cure all chronic and other blood poisons. If you have eruptions or sores on your body, or are pale and run down, it is just what you need. We refund money if you are not satisfied. 50 cents and \$1.00 Benson Drug Co.

Officers Installed.

Ord Post G A R of this city installed the following officers for the ensuing year.

Commander, Isaac Taylor; Sen, Vice, W H Lincoln; Jun Vice, W McKibben; Adjutant Robt Griffin; Quarter Master, W M Dickey; Chaplain, Rev Gardner; Surgeon, Dr Job; Officer of the Day, Geo Thompson Guard, W H Walker; Sergeant Major J B King; Quarter M Sar Wm Harrison.

If Unwell.

Try a 50c bottle of Herbine, notice the improvement speedily effected in your appetite, Energy, Strength and vigor. Watch how it brightens the spirits, gives freedom from indigestion and debility!

Issac Story, Ava, Mo writes, Sept 10 1900. "I was in bad health, I had stomach trouble for 12 months also dumb chills. Dr J W Mory prescribed Herbine it cured me in two weeks. I cannot recommend it too highly it will do all you claim for it." Sold by New Era Daug Store.

Heads Should Never Ache.

Never endure this trouble. Use at once the remedy that stopped it for Mrs N A Webster, of Winnie, Va., she writes "Dr King's New Life Pills wholly cured me of sick headaches I had suffered from for two years." Cure Headache, Constipation, Billousness. 25c at J P CURRIN'S drug store.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given to whom it may concern that the undersigned, Mary Ann Dillard has been appointed by the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, as executor of the last will and testament and of the estate of S R Dillard, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them with the proper vouchers to the undersigned at her home, near Cottage Grove, Lane County, Oregon, or at the law office of A C Woodcock in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon within six months from the date of this notice. Dated January 29th 1903. MARY ANN DILLARD.

Executrix of the last will and testament and of the estate of S R Dillard deceased.

Reduced Rates.

Portland, Dec. 10th, 1902.

To all Agents Oregon Line:

It has been decided to place in effect on February 15th, 1903, continuing until April 30th, inclusive, the same one-way second class Settlers' rates to all Oregon Lines points; Ashland and north, as were in effect during months of September and October last, viz:

- \$25.00 from Missouri River point-Sioux City to Kansas City inclusive
- \$30.00 from St. Louis.
- \$31.00 from Peoria.
- \$33.00 from Chicago.

Rates to be no higher from intermediate stations.

The rates will apply via all routes through Portland, but will not apply via Sacramento. Tickets routed via Union Pacific, Oregon Short Line, O R & N to Portland, will be allowed stop-overs not to exceed ten days, at all points west of Pocatello, and in order to enable intending settlers to look over the Willamette Valley and Western Oregon thoroughly this Company will allow as many stop-overs as desired at stations intermediate to final destination of the ticket, each stop not to exceed ten days.

This announcement is of special importance as it insures the necessary cheap rates and arrangements to bring a large immigration to Western Oregon next spring. Please have your newspapers give it publicity, as no doubt a great many of our people who have already moved to Oregon from the middle states and the east will advise their friends and relatives who will take advantage of the low rates to visit Oregon.

Yours truly,
W E COMAN, G P A.

Sent Free.

So sure are we that the locating of a few of our Electric Belts will develop into numerous sales of our belts and we are willing to send free to any sufferer from the following diseases: Cold extremities, Cystocele, Female weakness, Kidney complaint, Leucorrhoea, Liver complaint, Paralysis, Lost vitality Nervous debility, Self abuse, Worn-out woman, Irregular menstruation, Impotency, Rheumatism, Diminutive Shrunken and undeveloped -ual organs and Catarrh Address for literature circular, etc Sanitarium City Electrical Co, Battle Creek Mich.

Just Like Him.

The editor of the LEADER acknowledges receipt of a nice lot of old fashioned, juicy spareribs and backbones from our esteemed old friend Ira Connor. Mr Connor is among the number of prosperous farmers of this section who never forgets the local newspaper man. He is never without his home paper and as a result is always posted on local and general news and gets the best prices for his produce. He belongs to the class of men who never get "gold bricked" though his generosity and hospitality always surrounds him with friends and none are turned away from his hospitable door. May his kind ever grow in numbers and prosperity.

The Secret of Long Life.

Consists in keeping all the main organs of the body in healthy, regular action, and in quickly destroying deadly disease germs. Electric Bitters regulate Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, purify the blood and give a splendid appetite. They work wonders in curing Kidney Troubles, Female Complaints, Nervous Diseases, Consumption, Dyspepsia, and Malaria. Vigorous health and strength always follow their use. 50c guaranteed by J P CURRIN druggist.

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Cottage Grove.

HIGHEST SINCE 1890.

The Coast Fork on a Tear

That's the Way it Would Look to a Man up a Tree.

Did it rain? Well no, it just poured.

Friday morning the steady Oregon mist began to increase and kept it up until night when a first class rain storm from the south west set in and for about sixteen hours such a down-pour of webfoot moisture, as has seldom been witnessed, even by the oldest settlers, became not only the topic of general comment but assumed the proportion of a record breaker.

By Saturday morning the river was bank full and rapidly rose until dark when the water in Cottage Grove reached nearly the highest mark recorded in twenty years. The streets looked like canals and sidewalks were soon afloat in many places rendering rubber boots a necessity for pedestrians. The water however subsided as rapidly as it rose and not nearly so much damage was done as was for a time expected.

The Pacific Timber Company were perhaps the heaviest losers, several hundred piling having got away at Latham and on Mosby Creek on account of the booms breaking.

The water reached the floors of Garman, Hemenway Co's store, Richardson's music store, the real estate office of Wheeler and Phillips, the Imperial Hotel, the Livery Stable Blacksmith shop and a number of other smaller buildings but did little damage other than to leave the floors covered with slime and mud.

Some families on the west side of the river were compelled to move out and pile their furniture upon beds and tables.

The floods however did some good as well as harm having washed the mud nearly entirely off of Main street leaving the macadamized thoroughfare in fine condition. The city should take steps to have the river levied near the mill dam, a few hundred dollars well spent in building a three or four foot levy would save a greater part of the town from a recurrence of this trouble. The S P Co and the O & S E railroads suffered most of all from the flood. The former having about 300 yards of track washed out at Saginaw and the latter a small bridge at Newcomb's Point and several hundred feet of track away at Bryant's ford. Regular trains were delayed until Monday afternoon when the overland arrived in three sections.

If you desire a good complexion use Moki tea, a pure herb drink. It acts on the liver and makes the skin smooth and clear. Cures sick headaches, 25cts and 50cts. Money refunded if it does not satisfy you. Write to W H HOOKER & Co Buffalo, N Y, for free sample. Benson Drug Co.

G W Barney, special agent for the Marshall Chemical Company is now prepared to receive your orders for, Groceries, Soaps, Washing Powders, Soda, Teaspoons, Face Powders, etc etc. Don't fail to give him a trial.

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Social Regeneration.

An address for men only, by Rev Geo H Feese, at the Methodist Episcopal Church, Sunday afternoon, Feb 1st at 3:30 p m. Boys under fourteen years of age excluded. Special music by the male quartette. Rev Feese has given this lecture in Tacoma and Seattle and some of the largest cities of the west with good results and it will be well worth hearing.

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