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If you enjoy a good breakfast, you have to use Santos or M. J. B. Coffee, Riggs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kirkpatrick are visiting relatives in Portland this week.

E. D. Cosper who came up from Portland to attend his father's funeral, returned home Monday.

Blue Andalusian chickens—no better in Oregon—four roosters for sale; also eggs. ZIM HISSAW, Falls City, Or.

Everything in the line of wire fencing, poultry netting, barb wire and smooth fence wire at Guy Bros.' hardware store.

Dr. H. L. Toney, dentist; graduate of Ann Arbor, Michigan. Office upstairs Uglow building. Hours 8 to 12 and 4 to 5. Examinations free. Phone 45.

George W. Snyder, an old-time Oregon newspaper man and a brother of A. V. R. Snyder, formerly of Dallas, died at his mother's home in Oregon, Illinois, last Sunday, aged 58 years. He was a veteran of the Civil War, and was widely known in this state as a writer of ability.

Dr. J. J. Murray, a veterinary surgeon and dentist, has located in Dallas to practice his profession. He is a graduate of the American Veterinary College, of New York City, and comes highly recommended. His office and and phone are at Black's livery stable.

Charles Grissen, president of the Oregon Fire Relief Association, was in Dallas, Wednesday. While here he appointed H. G. Campbell local agent for the association, to take the place of C. L. Hubbard, who was obliged to resign his position on account of other business affairs demanding his attention. Mr. Grissen reports the affairs of the association to be in a very satisfactory condition, with business rapidly increasing. The company has insurance in force to the amount of nearly sixteen million dollars.

DISHES
GOOD WARE
NEAT PATTERNS
LOW PRICES
AT MEISERS'
DALLAS, OREGON

Hon. H. V. Gates came up from Hillsboro yesterday.

Mrs. M. D. Ellis visited relatives in Monmouth over Sunday.

Hon. George Myer, of Smithfield, was a Dallas visitor yesterday.

Mrs. F. H. Conkey, of Independence, is visiting friends in Dallas.

Magoon, Clarke Seedling strawberry plants for sale by J. B. Nunn, Dallas, Or.

Clark Groves has returned to Dallas after a several year's stay in California.

The Dallas marble works are now located in the new building on Railroad street.

Mrs. J. H. Townsend, of Perrydale, is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Richmond.

J. J. Thurston, of Suver, was in town last Friday. His father has been seriously ill, but is improving.

Mayor J. S. Cooper, Marsh Merwin, R. D. Cooper, W. W. Perelvat and F. J. Oberer, of Independence, were Dallas visitors, Tuesday.

Miss Jessie Brattain arrived from Baker City, Wednesday, and will take her old position as head trimmer in Mrs. Chace's millinery store.

Charles Bell, who has been in poor health for several months, was sent to the state hospital for the insane, in Salem, yesterday. Friends of the unfortunate man will hope for his early recovery.

J. R. Hubbard and W. H. McDaniel have purchased the imported German Coach stallion, "Albion," from J. Crouch & Son, of Lafayette, Ind. The price paid was \$3000. See ad in this paper.

Walter Lyon, editor of the Independence Enterprise, was a Dallas visitor, Tuesday. Mr. Lyon is giving the people of Independence a bright and new paper, and is receiving liberal patronage in return.

Those who appreciate real art should not fail to visit the Turner exhibition of pictures at the City Hall. The literary and musical exhibitions each evening are highly entertaining, and the pictures are admired by all who see them. Help the public school by attending the exhibit.

A large number of Woodmen and their wives and daughters and invited guests listened to an address by State Organizer George K. Rogers at Woodman hall, Wednesday night. At the close of the program a nice lunch was served by the members of the Circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gerlinger, Jr., arrived in Dallas Tuesday evening, from their wedding trip to California, and have moved into rooms in the D. P. Stouffer residence until they can secure a house of their own. Mr. Gerlinger is again at his desk in the office of the Dallas & Falls City railway company.

Walter C. Bignold has entered the employ of the Observer, and will bring his wife to Dallas as soon as he can find a suitable dwelling house. He is a thorough newspaper and job printer, and has held positions in the offices of many large daily papers. He came to Dallas from Portland, where he was employed in the Oregonian's composing room.

IN SOCIETY'S REALM

Mrs. G. W. Hollister and Mrs. T. A. Dunn Entertain on Evening of Washington's Birthday.

One of the pleasant social events of the winter was the birthday party given by Mrs. G. W. Hollister and Mrs. T. A. Dunn in honor of Rev. James Moore, A. W. Dunn, G. W. Hollister and T. A. Dunn on Washington's birthday. The Dunn home was beautifully decorated for the occasion with the national colors, Indian baskets and ivy. "Little hatchets" were hidden about the room, and there was a merry scramble when it was announced that the numbers on the hatchets were to decide the partners for the evening. The gentlemen lost no time in finding their hatchets, but, with the true spirit of leap year, waited demurely for the ladies to find their numbers. Finch was the name of the evening. A delicious lunch was served, and at a late hour the guests took leave of their hostesses, declaring it to be one of the most delightful parties given this year.

Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. James Moore, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dunkelberger, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hollister, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Stouffer, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Starfrin, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Dunn, Mrs. F. H. Morrison, Mrs. Grace Brown, of Portland; Misses Mina Hughes, Ollie Howe, Lina Stouffer, Olive Smith, Belle Elliott, Minnie Robertson, May Shelton, Nannie Starr, Effie Brown, Zeta Hollister, Clarice Brown, Nora Robertson, Neva Campbell; Messrs. R. E. Williams, W. R. Ellis, C. L. Starr, Harry Gaynor, W. R. Palmer, Wesley Elliott, Laurence Aldrich, Dee Dunn, Newton Guy, Lee Smith, Bert Guy, E. C. Dunn, A. W. Dunn and Charles Shaw.

FINCH PARTY.

An enjoyable hour was spent in playing finch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Rich, Friday evening. The party was in honor of their son, Clarence King, of Portland. Dainty refreshments were served after the game. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Misses Lulu Dempsey, Edna Scott, Ola Grant, Maude Robertson, Ora Linten, Ethel Poling, Nada Scott, Birdie Coulter, Ada Osfield; Messrs. Claude Lynch, Rodney Coulter, Clarence King, Lott Brown, Chesley Embree, Lelf Finseth and Laurence Aldrich.

C. N. McArthur, of Rickreall, was in town Tuesday.

Fresh cow for sale by J. W. Robinson, near Oakdale.

L. U. Josse bought the Campbell brick store building in Independence this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer White, of Salem, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Myer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Osfield went to Portland, Friday, to attend the funeral of Mr. Osfield's mother.

Estate of I. H. Robbins, deceased—petition for probate of will set for hearing on February 26, at 2 o'clock p. m.

MARRIED IN DALLAS

Frank W. Howe and Miss Laura M. Whitman Are Made Husband and Wife.

One of the prettiest weddings of the year was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDevitt on Wednesday, February 24, when Frank Willis Howe, of Bellingham, Wash., and Miss Laura Margaret Whitman, of Sidney, Oregon, were made husband and wife. The ceremony was performed in the presence of about thirty-five relatives and friends. The officiating clergyman was Rev. James Moore, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of Dallas.

The parlor of the McDevitt home was tastefully decorated with ferns, ivy and Oregon grape, and the young couple stood under an arch of evergreens, daintily intertwined with white ribbon, while the ceremony was being performed. The bride was gowned in white organdie and presented a most charming appearance as she entered the room upon the arm of the groom to the strains of the wedding march from "Lohengrin," played by Miss Opal McDevitt. The ring ceremony was used. After congratulations and good wishes had been extended to the happy pair, light refreshments were served. Many letters and telegrams, of congratulatory nature were received from friends living at a distance. Two large tables, were covered with wedding presents, among them being several large and costly pieces of cut glass and silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Howe left on the afternoon train for Bellingham, Wash., where they will make their home. Mr. Howe is the son of Henry Howe, and was born and raised in Dallas. For the last five years he has been engaged in business in Washington and Alaska. He now holds a responsible position in a department store in Bellingham. His bride is a daughter of S. J. L. Whitman, of Sidney, and a niece of Mr. and Mrs. McDevitt of this city. She is a talented and accomplished lady, and has a wide circle of friends in Polk and Marion counties.

The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Embert Shoemaker and Henry Howe, of Bellingham, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Ballinger, of Tacoma, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Oren Noyes, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Keene, Prof. and Mrs. W. C. Hawley, Prof. and Mrs. Kraps, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Long, Mrs. H. A. McAllister, Miss Lucia Cochran, Miss Dean Witzel, Miss Eva McAllister, Miss Ella Donaldson and Miss Ruby Donaldson, of Salem; Miss Dorelle Shives and Miss B. McDevitt, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hansen of Albany; Miss Melvena Elgin and Mr. Travis McDevitt, of Corvallis; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitman and S. J. L. Whitman, of Sidney; Mr. and Mrs. George Howe, of Sheridan; Mr. and Mrs. George Conkey, of Independence; Miss Carol Huber, of Monmouth; Rev. and Mrs. James Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howe, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. James Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Will Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Armond Riggs, Misses Edna Morrison, Florence Palmer, Ollie Howe; Messrs. J. C. Hayter, Charley Howe and Ross Ellis, of Dallas.

Falls City Notes

Frank Butler and A. N. Robinson were Dallas visitors, Monday.

Miss Bertha Frink returned Friday from North Yamhill, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Scott Leavitt.

Mrs. Hannigan, of Cathlamet, Wash., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Watkins.

J. C. Talbot went to Portland, Tuesday.

Willard Gilbert, of Dallas, was in town, Tuesday.

F. A. Lucas was badly hurt last Friday while moving the donkey engine to the mill.

T. L. Dunsmore is building a new house near the Colwell property.

The Monmouth and Independence motor is making the runs between Dallas and Falls City, while the railroad company's engine is off for repairs.

Mell Courter has charge of the depot now.

Dr. Perry is building an office on the lot purchased of J. C. Hayter on the corner of Fifth and Main streets.

The Bryan-Lucas mills will start up the first of next week after a lay-off of two weeks.

Large Attendance at Normal.

The Oregon State Normal school opened on its second term this week with a large attendance, says the Journal correspondent. The school has been steadily growing in scholarship for the last four years. Immediately following the placing of the school upon a purely normal basis the attendance dropped off considerably, those forming the commercial course and advanced course being compelled to enter other schools. It was thought that better returns would be made by having a school strictly for teachers, and such is the course at the present time, and has been for several years. It has taken considerable work and time to place the school on an increasing basis in attendance, but it is stated that much better results are noticeable in the efficiency of the instruction for teachers' work under the new system. The school this year numbers some 50 more students than last year, and much satisfaction is expressed with the increase in scholarship.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Go to Wilson Drug Company for books and school supplies.

L. D. Brown, Notary Public; typewriting. With J. N. Hart.

Dr. Hayter, Dentist. Office over Wilson's Drug Store, Dallas, Oregon.

One of the best horse-shoers in the state will be found working at Wagner Bros.' shop. Give him a trial and be convinced.

Pioneer Employment Company furnishes all kinds of help on short notice free to employers. 215 Morrison St., Portland, Or.

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Hay For Sale.

Good cheat and wheat hay for sale by ARCH MYER, Dallas, Oregon.

Wanted.

Men to cut cordwood near town. I also have a house to rent. U. S. GRANT.

Hay For Sale.

Cheat hay for sale. N. P. RASMUSSEN, Two miles east of Dallas.

Pigs for Sale.

Pure Poland China Pigs, of either sex, for sale; from 6 weeks to 6 months old. JAMES ELLIOTT, Dallas, Or.

Wanted.

At Mark's confectionery store; young man about twenty years of age to learn candy making trade; salary after first month. Apply at once.

Durham Bull For Sale.

Full blooded Red Durham bull for sale. Address GEORGE SIEFARTH, Falls City, Oregon.

Horses Wanted.

Four or five head of good work horses wanted; suitable for logging purposes. Address, Box 265, Independence, Or.

For Sale.

Complete modern Threshing Outfit. For particulars call on, or address, W. H. McELLOWNEY, Amity, Oregon.

For Exchange.

A good residence in Los Angeles; fine location, value \$4000; will rent for \$30 per month. Will exchange for improved farm of about same value. J. G. SIMPSON, 2660 N. Sichel St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Stallion For Service.

The imported English Shire stallion "Dunsmore Prince 3011, (7146)," owned by Geo. H. Bronson, of Lewisville, will make the season of 1904 at Dallas and in the vicinity of Bridgeport, Lewisville and Airlee. Posters later.

Estray Notice.

Taken up by the undersigned, three sheep which came to my place last September. Owner can have same by paying pasturage and the cost of this notice. A. BURKHALTER, Dallas, Oregon.

For Sale.

12,000 shares mining stock in the Gold Creek Mining and Milling Company. Certificates 1000 shares each. Price 6 cents per share. S. B. ORMSBY, 112 Court St., Salem, Oregon.

To the Public.

I have on display in the courthouse yard a variety of ornamental trees for sale. You are cordially invited to inspect them. Also, a choice lot of fruit trees just west of Depot, in C. Hughes' garden. Plenty of walnuts and filbert trees on hand. Roses and climbing vines of all kinds. Write or phone me as to prices. J. B. NUNN.

Good Farm at a Bargain.

286-acre farm, 4 miles from Dallas; 50 acres in cultivation; 10 acres in hops; good hop house; plenty of fruit; well watered by living water; several springs on place; good pastures, and plenty of timber; one mile from Railroad; house, barn and outbuildings. A nice home, and a great bargain at \$15 per acre. Call on, or address W. A. AYRES, Dallas, Oregon.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. WERTS & CO., Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WALKER, KILPATRICK & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 50c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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NOTED PROHIBITION SPEAKER.

Hon. Oliver W. Stewart, of Illinois, Will Lecture at Courthouse in Dallas, Wednesday Evening, March, 2, 1904.

Hon. Oliver W. Stewart, Senator from Cook county, Illinois, chairman of the National Prohibition Committee, will deliver a free lecture at the Courthouse in Dallas, Wednesday, March 2, at 8 o'clock p. m. Mr. Stewart is a brilliant and entertaining speaker.

Delayed Shipment of Morris Chairs

Owing to delay, an Eastern factory shipment of Morris Chairs that were intended for Holiday trade but did not arrive until January 10th,

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New Arrivals This Week--Come in and Look Them Over.

Ladies' Patent Sandals, French heels, 2 and 3 straps.

Ladies' Patent Oxfords, very stylish walking shoes.

Boys' and Youths' Patent Leather Shoes—all sizes.

Extra values in white fringed Bed Spreads at \$2.00 and \$3.50 each.

New line of Jefferson Waists in white china silk—also Mohair Waists.

Arrival of 50-piece Percals in light and dark shadings—36-inch wide at 12½c and 15c a yard.

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