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78 acres—Nice Homelike place, with good buildings and fences—10 acres in cultivation—lots of fine timber.....\$1500
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Stock and Grain farm of 230 acres—a dick nailing good place at a bargain.

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Here is the cheapest place in Oregon 81 acres, House, Barn, and other improvements—worth \$1200 at least—for only.....\$800
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STATUARY FOR THE FAIR
Works of Art Valued at \$2,500,000 Secured for Lewis and Clark Centennial.

Statuary valued at \$2,500,000 is the magnificent gift of St. Louis to the Lewis and Clark Centennial. This represents the cream of the Louisiana Purchase statuary, and will add an element of beauty to the Exposition that nothing else could give.

The statuary was selected a few days ago by Oscar Huber, director of works, who went to St. Louis for the purpose. Notable among the sculptors whose works are represented in the selection are Borglum, Vaudell, Frederic Remington, Weinman, Bitner, Lopez and Ruckstuhl. In selecting the statues care was taken to secure only such pieces as would harmonize with the Western World's Fair. The titles of some of the works selected bear out this. They are: "Group of Buffalo," "Resting Cowboy," "Step to Civilization," "Destiny of the Red Man," "Sioux Chief," "Cherokee Chief," "Four Neptunes," "Captains Meriwether Lewis and William Clark," "Thomas Jefferson," "Daniel Boone," "Pioneer Seeking Shelter," "Buffalo Dance."

One of the Cowboy Groups will probably be placed at the main entrance, just in front of the Colonnade. This group, by Remington, shows four cowboys, mounted on western ponies, shooting off their pistols in the air. The statue is done in staff, but will receive a covering of bronze before being placed in position.

"VULCAN" WILL COME
Birmingham's Big Iron Man Will Be a Feature of Western World's Fair.

The monster iron statue of Vulcan which was exhibited by Birmingham, Alabama, at the St. Louis Fair, will be displayed at the Lewis and Clark Centennial at Portland next year. The statue will remain in St. Louis for four months, when it will start on its long journey to the "Rose City."

Vulcan was cast in iron from a model built by the well-known sculptor, G. Moretti, and all of the metal used in its construction as well as the minerals composing the foundations, are from the Alabama mines. The exhibit cost \$20,000 and required almost a year to complete it. Vulcan tips the scales at 100,000 pounds and stands 57 feet high in his socks.

The statue will probably stand at the entrance to the Mines building at the Western World's Fair.

END WAS SUDDEN

Henry Butler Drops Dead of Heart Disease at His Monmouth Home.

Henry J. Butler dropped dead at his home in Monmouth, Sunday evening. Mr. Butler had attended the annual reunion of the Butler family, and arriving at his home seated himself by the fire in the evening. His heart ceased to act, he gasped and was dead. He had been enjoying reasonably good health, though suffering occasionally with heart trouble of late. Mr. Butler was born in Pottsville, Ill., September 27, 1844. He has been a resident of Monmouth many years and was well known in Polk county. The funeral services were conducted by Dr. E. J. Thompson from the Christian church in Monmouth, Wednesday.—Independence Enterprise.

Mr. Butler was well known in Dallas, having conducted a grocery store there several years ago. He was a brother of Judge N. L. Butler, of this city, and J. B. V. Butler, of Monmouth. He was a good citizen, and enjoyed the respect of his neighbors.

Transferred to Independence.

Charles Howe, who has been the assistant of Station Agent I. N. Woods in the Southern Pacific Company's office in this city for several months, has been transferred to Independence, where he will fill a like position in the company's office. Charles is a competent and obliging office man and will be missed by the company's patrons at this place. The vacancy in the Dallas office will be filled by C. Cooper, of Mount Angel.

Following his usual custom, Hon. W. C. Brown distributed 45 sacks of flour among the aged widows of Dallas the day before Christmas. He also gave a sack of flour to each minister in town.

One of the most interesting exhibits from Clackamas county at the Lewis and Clark Fair will be a historic planer that was imported by Dr. John McLoughlin from London, and was the first machine of its kind ever brought to the West. It is now at Hargreaves' sawmill at James post-office.

W. P. Miller was showing on the streets Saturday some of the largest Burbank potatoes that have ever been raised in this vicinity. Four of them completely filled a large sized market-basket. Mr. Miller said he was exhibiting these potatoes merely to show the kind of vegetables Prohibitionists can raise in a "dry" year.

Died of Pneumonia.

John A. Williams died of pneumonia at his home on the Thielsen farm, east of Rickreall, Friday, December 23, aged about 45 years. His illness was of a severe character, and lasted only a few days. The remains were taken to the Salt Creek cemetery for burial, Sunday. He leaves a wife and a large family of small children. His invalid father, 80 years old, also made his home with Mr. Williams, and was dependent upon the latter for support. Deceased was an honest, hard-working farmer, and was respected by all.

Mrs. Maggie E. Tozier.

Maggie E. Tozier, wife of A. R. Tozier, a merchant of McCoy, is dead, after a long illness. She was well known in Portland, having lived there several years while her husband operated a fish-wheel at the Cascades. The remains were taken to Portland and cremated by her request.

OREGON HISTORIAN DEAD

Son of First Principal of La Creole Academy Passes Away in Portland.

Horace S. Lyman, author of Lyman's History of Oregon, died Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the Portland Sanitarium. He was a native of Dallas, Polk county, and was 49 years of age. Death was due to aphasia, from which he had suffered since he returned from the St. Louis Fair, several weeks ago. An operation was performed by Dr. S. E. Joseph, two days ago as a last measure, but Mr. Lyman continued in a comatose state until his death.

Deceased was a member of an old pioneer family. His father, Rev. Horace Lyman, was the first pastor of the First Congregational Church in this city, in 1849, and helped clear the land for the first building, where Second and Jefferson streets now meet. In 1850 the family moved to Polk County, where Horace was born.

Mr. Lyman graduated at Forest Grove in 1878, and afterward took a theological course at Oberlin, Ohio, and entered the ministry. He, however devoted a good deal of time to educational pursuits, and wrote much of early days in Oregon. For eight years he was Superintendent of Public Schools in Clatsop county.—Telegram.

Pure Water vs. Typhoid.

On account of the prevalence of typhoid fever among the railway employees of the Southern Pacific in Oregon and California, the medical department of the company is arranging to have drinking water supplied the trainmen so they will not be obliged to drink from tanks along the line and from the tenders. It is observed that a great majority of the railroad men afflicted with typhoid are engineers and firemen, freight brakemen being next in order, and these are the men who drink most frequently from watering tanks.—Roseburg Review.

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DEATH ENDS SUFFERING

Charles Farley Succumbs to Illness of Several Weeks Duration.

Charles R. Farley died of pneumonia at his home in this city Friday morning, December 23, at 7:10 o'clock, after an illness of nearly three months. The disease was of a severe type from the first, and developed into a form of quick consumption. Mr. Farley had been in a precarious condition for many weeks, and his death was not unexpected.

The funeral services were held from the family residence Saturday afternoon, and were conducted by Rev. G. L. Lobdell, pastor of the Christian church. The burial service was conducted by Friendship Lodge, No. 6, I. O. O. F., of which lodge deceased had long been a member. A large crowd of sorrowing friends followed the remains to their last resting place in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Charles Farley was a son of the late Robert and Lydia Farley, and was a native of Polk county, having been born on a farm near Dallas, July 18, 1858. He chose the occupation of a farmer, and lived near the place of his birth until about two years ago, when he rented his farm and moved to Dallas. He purchased the Hallock property, at the corner of Levens and Ash streets, and up to the time his sickness began was engaged in the work of improving the buildings and making an attractive and comfortable home.

Mr. Farley was an honest, industrious citizen, and was successful in the management of his business affairs. He possessed a cheerful and sunny disposition, and was fond of the society and companionship of his friends. He was an honored member of Friendship Lodge, No. 6, I. O. O. F., and was also a member of Dallas Camp, No. 209, Woodmen of the World. He carried insurance to the amount of \$2000 in the latter order.

On October 16, 1887, he married Miss May Richardson, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Richardson, of Independence. His wife and three children—two daughters and a son—survive him.

ROYAL ARCH BANQUET

Chapter Installation Followed by Fine Supper at Hotel Gait.

One of the pleasant social events of the holiday week was the banquet given by the members of Ainsworth Chapter, No. 17, R. A. M., at the Hotel Gait, following the annual installation of officers. The installation ceremonies were witnessed by the wives and invited friends of the members, and after the closing of the Chapter a delightful social hour was spent in the lodge room. At 11 o'clock the scene of the festivities was changed to the dining room of the Hotel Gait, where an elaborate supper had been prepared by Chef Walker. Two hours were devoted to the feast of good things, and it was after midnight when the party broke up and the merry banqueters departed for their homes.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Muir, Dr. and Mrs. B. H. McCullon, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Simonton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Belt, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Craven, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hayter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson, Dr. and Mrs. Mark Hayter, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kelly; Messrs. T. T. Notson, N. F. Gregg, R. E. Williams, J. C. Hayter, W. Weybright and Master Hermann Hawkins.

Injured by Falling Timber.

The two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stet Cook met with a distressing accident at the family home in Falls City, Tuesday. While playing in the woodshed, a stick of wood fell and struck her, breaking her collarbone and right leg. She was brought to Dallas on the afternoon train and Dr. McCullon was called to set the broken bones. The child was badly injured, but is improving as well as could be expected, and no serious results are anticipated.

Buyers Feed Store.

S. M. Ray has purchased the J. L. Castle feed store in this city and will continue the business on a larger scale than that upon which it has been hitherto conducted. He will add several of the leading brands of valley flour to the stock, and will carry a large supply of feed of all kinds. Mr. Castle will remain in Dallas.

Mrs. A. G. Bradley who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Claude Dunn, in this city, returned to her home in Woodburn this week.

The Christmas dance in Falls City on Monday evening was largely attended and was a highly enjoyable affair. Excellent music was furnished by the Falls City orchestra, which, under the leadership of Frank Miller, is rapidly becoming one of the best musical organizations in the county.

Married in Baker City.

Miss Jessie Bratton and Mr. Homer W. Hanford were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Bratton, in Baker City, Oregon, on Wednesday, December 28. They will be at home to their friends in Oakesdale, Wash., after January 10. Miss Bratton was the head trimmer in Mrs. H. H. Chace's millinery establishment in Dallas for two years. Her many friends here remember her as a refined and amiable young woman.

Notice to Club Members.

The regular annual meeting of the members of the LaCreole Club will be held in the club rooms on Saturday, January 7, 1905, at 7:30 p. m. In addition to the regular business, those present will vote on some amendments to the Constitution and By-laws. A full attendance of members is desired.
TRACY STAATS, Secretary.

SATISFIED WITH OREGON

Commissioner Seth Riggs Returns Home From Extended Eastern Trip.

Mr. Seth Riggs, a prominent citizen of Polk county, where he is member of the Board of Commissioners, returned to Portland from an Eastern trip, Friday morning, and went to his home at Crowley this morning. Mr. Riggs left Oregon on November 7, and went direct to St. Louis. After visiting the Louisiana Purchase Exposition a few days, he went to LaGrange, Ill., his former home, and south to New Orleans, and came on to Oregon by the Southern route, stopping all along to take notes with respect to the possibilities of the region he traveled through, as compared with Oregon. After careful investigation, he returned home better pleased than ever with Oregon. Everywhere he went he found people talking about the Lewis and Clark Exposition, and predicts that the number who visit Portland next year will far exceed the expectations of the most sanguine.—Oregonian.

George Snyder came over from Salem and spent Christmas at the home of his uncle, V. P. Fiske.

Hon. N. L. Butler and son, Lester, and daughters, Persophone and Ella, attended the annual reunion of the Butler family in Monmouth, Sunday.

Lyon Lodge No. 29, A. F. & A. M., elected new officers at their last meeting. They are: A. S. Locke, W. M.; H. Dickinson, S. W.; T. J. Newbill, J. W.; H. Hirschberg, treas.; R. H. Parrish, secretary; I. H. Ingram, tyler.—Independence Enterprise.

Charles E. Fransen died at the St. Vincent's Hospital in Portland, early Monday morning from the effects of the injuries he received a year ago last August in the wreck of the train bearing the Elks' excursion, near Centralia, Wash.

A large number of Polk county people went to Portland on the special West Side train, Monday, and witnessed the football game between the Oregon Agricultural College and Multnomah teams. The Farmers gave the Club men the closest battle ever seen on Multnomah field, making 11 points to the Club team's 12.

Attorney J. E. Fenton, of Nome, passed north on the Ramona, Friday, to defend Bensley, who was charged with forgery. Mr. Fenton came up to "chin" the editor and to talk over base ball days of thirty years ago in "Old Yamhill," (Or.) when the editor or the now attorney at the bat usually meant a home run, and when the Fenton family—the father and eight sons—challenged any other family in the country for a contest on the diamond.—A. V. R. Snyder in Wrangell (Alaska) News.

An electric railway 26 miles in length, connecting Portland with Hillsboro, Cornelius and Forest Grove, will be built and in operation in time for the Lewis and Clark exposition, if terms agreed upon between the company and the towns of Hillsboro and Forest Grove are complied with in the matter of subsidies. The citizens of Hillsboro have subscribed about \$30,000 and Forest Grove is expected to raise \$20,000 to secure the line. The cost of the road is estimated at \$600,000, and a bond issue in that amount has been arranged for. The bonds have been sold to an eastern investment company.

TO-NIGHT! Masquerade Ball!!

at Dallas City Hall.

the SONS OF DRYADS (Woodmen Side Degree)

Music will be furnished by the Independence Orchestra. Concert will begin at 8:30 o'clock. Grand March at 9.

Only Maskers will be allowed to Dance.

Dance Tickets \$1. Spectators 25c

Suitable Prizes for Maskers

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