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Now is the time to prepare for your Christmas gifts and we offer some extra good things for this season of the year. Extra good value in high class goods for both old and young. **Everything needed for man or boy and lady or girl.** Extra values for the Holiday buyers at our great

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Clothing, Smoking Jackets, Underwear, Furnishings, Fancy Dress Goods, Cloaks for Ladies and Girls, Fancy Hosiery, Ribbon, Laces, etc., etc.

Something for yourself and friends at our Great Closing Out Sale.

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In order to reduce our stock of Steel Ranges, we will give.....

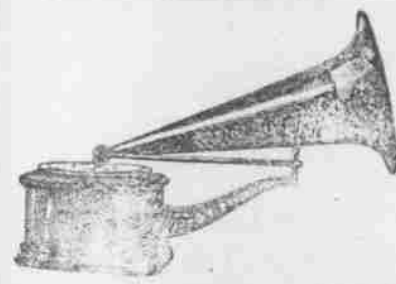
\$6.50 Worth of Goods Free with each range sold during this sale. All the standard makes, "Quick Meal," "Bridge-Beach" and "Moore" Steel Ranges.

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"I have used your FISH BRAND Slicker for five years and can truthfully say that I never have had anything give me so much comfort and satisfaction. Enclosed find my order for another one." (Name and address on application)

You can defy the hardest storm with Tower's Waterproof Oiled Clothing and Hats. Highest Award World's Fair, 1904.

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A. J. TOWER CO.
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General Lines of First-Class Nursery Stock.

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You are cordially invited to inspect samples of my stock at Loughary & Ellis' grocery store during Circuit Court week.

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Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN

Members of Mono Grange Hold Enthusiastic Meeting at Lewisville.

Mono Grange, No. 25, P. of H., met at the Grange Hall at Lewisville last Saturday for the annual election of officers, which resulted as follows:
Master, C. E. Staats.
Overseer, I. M. Simpson.
Lecturer, Eleanor Butler.
Steward, Albert Tetherow.
Secretary, Bonnie Smith.
Ass't Steward, Marion Smith.
Gatekeeper, Frank Loughary.
Chaplain, W. Critchlow.
Ceres, Maud Loughary.
Flora, Maggie Critchlow.
Pomona, Edna Tetherow.
Treasurer, Tabitha Simpson.
Librarian, Sarah Staats.
Chorister, Blanche McKinney.
Organist, Frank Butler.

Two candidates received the third and fourth degrees, and all present enjoyed the usual good time, of which said good time the lunch at noon was a most conspicuous feature. A fine winter day and a large attendance.

The next session will be held on January 6 for the installation of the newly-elected officers. The Pomona Grange of Polk county will meet with Mono Grange on that date for their usual quarterly meeting, and it is hoped that members of other Granges will be present. Persons desiring to join should send their names to the Secretary, and members of eastern Granges are invited to bring their dimitts and renew their allegiance to the order.

Salem Defeats Dallas.

The Salem football team defeated a picked-up team in this city Saturday afternoon by the decisive score of 22 to 5. A large crowd of young people witnessed the game. Nobody knew before this game that Dallas had a football team, and nobody knows it yet, for that matter. Young men who spend their whole time in clerical pursuits or in the school room, without any preliminary practice whatever, don't stand much of a show when they go up against a bunch of well-trained football players, and the only question that is puzzling Dallas people is how the home team ever managed to make those five points. People who saw the game say that Dallas put up good ball for a few minutes in the first half, but that from that time on the sturdy Salem lads had everything their own way.

Beautifying methods that injure the skin and health are dangerous. Be beautiful without discomfort by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Sunshine faces will follow its use. 35 cents. Belt & Cherrington.

Jimmy Hyde has sold his stable furnishings, consisting of thirty-five carriages and sleighs, forty-two sets of harness and some three hundred saddles, bridles, robes, blankets, whips, liveries, etc. So, had it all come to the worst, Jimmy could have gone into the livery business.—Statesman.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children's cough, croup. No opiates

ACTIVITY IN HOPS

Horst Pays 11 Cents for Taylor and Whiteaker Crops at Independence.

Charles Livesley, representing E. Clemens Horst, was the most aggressive buyer in the Independence market at the opening of the week. He made two good-sized purchases Monday and announced he will be in the market as long as there are hops to sell. The D. B. Taylor crop of 311 bales and the George Whiteaker lot of 130 bales were bought Monday. Taylor was paid 11 cents and Whiteaker the same figure for the bulk of his crop. A few bales that did not come up to the standard were put in at 10 1/2 cents.

Dorcas & Young took in the Miles Porterfield crop. These were really bargained for Saturday. Three bales were thrown out of this lot. The price paid was 11 1/2 cents for 155 bales.

Though a large per cent of the hops of the Independence district have been sold, there are growers still holding their crops and dealers are still on the ground seeking to buy. The highest price paid for the past month was 11 1/2 cents. Dorcas and Young have been the heaviest buyers in Polk county. The market immediately around Independence this year proved hard to break into, but Dorcas and Young have been busy picking up the smaller crops back toward the foothills. They have practically cleaned up the hops from Airlie to Ballston. They have purchased close to 6000 bales in Polk county, between 1200 and 1500 being of Independence growers.

The idea of cutting down the acreage in the Independence district for next year, which at first met with favor, is not so popular now. As growers consider the proposition, they generally conclude their interest lies in continuing to produce hops and put on the market the best article possible, and let other sections, where hops cannot be grown of as good quality or quantity per acre, quit the business. According to the present state of mind, Independence growers will cultivate their yards as usual next year.

The Rabbitville Philosopher.

(A. Bennett in Irrigon Irrigator.)
There is a good many different kinds of durned fools in this world, and mebbe more has gone across the divide, sorter blazin' the trail for us bigger fools to follow. But it is my own individual opinion that a fellar what argifies about a female's aidge has all other kinds of fools beet to a custard. Only last week I jokularly made mention about Liza Butterbottom making her debut in 1876. I told her I ment she was borned then, thinkin' like other fools have thunk before that I could square it with her. Then she says she was borned in 1886, and bein' jest 19 come Thanksgiving. Jest 19! Miss Liza Butterbottom, aidge 19! And me and her don't speak now as we meat and pass by, and mebbe we never wont no more forever. Anyhow I dont care much to be disassociated with kids of 19. I'll wate 5 or 6 year till she's 20.

For Thin Babies

Fat is of great account to a baby; that is why babies are fat. If your baby is scrawny, Scott's Emulsion is what he wants. The healthy baby stores as fat what it does not need immediately for bone and muscle. Fat babies are happy; they do not cry; they are rich; their fat is laid up for time of need. They are happy because they are comfortable. The fat surrounds their little nerves and cushions them. When they are scrawny those nerves are hurt at every ungentle touch. They delight in Scott's Emulsion. It is as sweet as wholesome to them.

Send for free sample.



Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

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HANDS IN RESIGNATION

Charles F. Belt Is No Longer a Member of Dallas City Council.

After many years of faithful and efficient service, Charles F. Belt has retired from the Dallas city council. His resignation was handed in at Monday night's meeting of that body, and was accepted. No action was taken by the council toward filling the vacancy caused by Mr. Belt's withdrawal, but it is probable that his successor will be chosen at the next regular meeting.

The officers present at Monday evening's session were: Mayor Biddle, Councilmen Boals, Shaw, Coad, Ayres and Staffin, Auditor Stouffer and Marshal Grant; absent, Councilmen Cosper and Belt.

Claims against the city were allowed as follows:

William Faull, merchandise	\$ 8.85
J. E. Richter, street work	14.90
J. M. Grant, salary and fees	55.20
J. M. Grant, pay of laborers	17.10
One-half expense race cover	35.96
Johnson Lumber Co., lumber	81.77
OBSERVER, printing	6.20
Itemizer, printing	5.25
Dallas Electric Light Co.	128.00
D. P. Stouffer, fees	16.45

The resignation of Charles F. Belt as councilman from the Third Ward was accepted.

The County Clerk's statement of taxable property within the city, showing the amount to be \$305,420, was read and filed.

An ordinance vacating certain parts of Cherry street was read second time and indefinitely postponed.

The Auditor was instructed to prepare a plat book of the city, at a cost of \$10.

The Auditor was instructed to notify the Dallas Water Power Company to repair the race covering on Levens street.

A new crosswalk was ordered constructed at the crossing of Ash and Lyle streets.

The Committee on Fire and Water were ordered to investigate the advisability of placing a fire hydrant at the south end of Hayter street.

The contract for the construction of a lateral sewer in Block 10 was awarded to Vaughn & Weaver, their bid being 35 cents a foot.

Monday, December 18, at 7:30 P. M., was set as the time for hearing objections and remonstrances to a large number of sidewalk improvements.

On motion of Boals, the council adjourned to meet Wednesday, December 13, at 7:30 P. M., at which time the annual tax levy will be made.

Look Out For Impostors.

A man giving his name as Royal has been "canvassing" Salem and by telling a hard luck story has gathered up a great many dimes and quarters. It is believed that this is the same individual who "worked" Portland recently and the people are warned to look out for him. A young girl, aged about 16 years, has also visited a number of Salem homes during the past few weeks and has begged clothing, food, etc., after relating a pitiful story of how her home was recently destroyed by fire, leaving a family of destitute circumstances. She claimed to be a resident of West Salem, but inquiry has failed to locate her home and it is believed she is an impostor. At several houses the girl gave her name as Warner.

The Christmas Dinner.

In spite of the fact that the word dyspepsia means literally bad cook, it will not be fair for many to lay the blame on the cook if they begin the Christmas dinner with little appetite and end it with distress or nausea. It may not be fair for any to do that—let us hope so for the sake of the cook! The disease dyspepsia indicates a bad stomach, that is a weak stomach, rather than a bad cook, and for a weak stomach there is nothing equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It gives the stomach vigor and tone, cures dyspepsia, creates appetite, and makes eating the pleasure it should be.

George E. Good was re-elected Mayor of Grants Pass, Monday.

Hop statistics collected by Portland dealers, Monday, showed total shipments since the season opened to be 49,222 bales, and stocks in all Portland warehouses to amount to 16,622 bales.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is simply liquid electricity. It goes to every part of your body, bringing new blood, strength and new vigor. It makes you well and keeps you well. 35 cents. Belt & Cherrington.

Attorney B. F. Jones of Toledo, was in Albany Monday afternoon on his way to Portland for a couple of days visit. He went down Tuesday morning, having stopped off here to see the election excitement. Mr. Jones will soon remove to Independence where he expects to open a law office.—Albany Herald.

Clear thinking, decisive action, vim and vigor of body and mind, the sparkle of life, comes to all who use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Belt & Cherrington.

Royal Baking Powder Absolutely Pure

DISTINCTIVELY A CREAM OF TARTAR BAKING POWDER

It does not contain an atom of phosphoric acid (which is the product of bones digested in sulphuric acid) or of alum (which is one-third sulphuric acid) substances adopted for other baking powders because of their cheapness.

HOP GROWERS MEET

An Attempt Will Be Made to Bring About Organization for Mutual Protection.

About forty prominent hop growers, representing various parts of Oregon, assembled in Salem, Saturday, in response to the call of President J. K. Sears, of Polk county, who was unable to be present himself by reason of sickness. In his absence H. C. Fletcher presided and James H. Coleman acted as secretary.

The report of the committee on constitution and by-laws was heard and adopted, and those present were enthusiastic over the proposed co-operative movement, says the Salem Statesman.

A resolution was read and discussed proposing to reduce the output of hops 30 per cent, but it was not thought advisable to adopt it in the form in which it has been presented. There might be legal entanglements, and there are other difficulties in making the scheme operative, but the spirit of it met with approbation, and it was thought it could be worked out under the constitution and by-laws.

The chairman, by unanimous vote, was authorized to name a representative hop grower in every section desiring to be represented, and to these men will be sent copies of the constitution and by-laws, to which they will be authorized to procure signatures of growers in their respective sections. They will also be authorized to attend meetings of the association at the call of the president.

The chief features of the proposed corporation as outlined Saturday are: To establish a bureau of information for the exclusive use of its members; to bring about the enactment of a law to prohibit the adulteration of hop beer; to inaugurate an effort to bring the growers into more intimate and direct relations with the consumers.

To Prevent Accidents.

Labor Commissioner Hoff has returned from a five weeks' tour of inspection of the mills and factories in Jackson, Coos, Josephine and parts of Lane and Douglas counties. During his absence he visited 146 mills and factories and in most of them he found exposed shafts and parts of machines which are a menace to life and limb as long as they are neglected.

The owners were notified in each instance to make improvements, which, if made, will lessen the chance of serious accidents happening.

Mr. Hoff has decided that to bring about a prompt acquiescence in the order to make such changes as will lessen the liability to accidents, he will be a willing witness in any case for damages against an individual or corporation, after he has notified them to safeguard their machinery.

Injured by Careless Wheelman.

Miss Angie McCulloch, a deputy in the office of County Clerk Roland, at Salem, was knocked down by a careless bicycle rider after dark last evening and sustained a severe cut on her head, the flesh being cut to the bone. In falling, her head struck the cement pavement, rendering her unconscious for a few moments and inflicting the injury mentioned.—Salem dispatch in Oregonian.

Over here in Dallas, where the people are more civilized, such accidents don't happen, for the reason that bicycles are kept in the streets, where they belong.

The woods are full of coyotes around Olalia. Some women catch them in traps.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

FOR GOOD OF SCHOOLS

Prominent Educators Will Take Part in Polk County Institute Today and Tomorrow.

Everything is in readiness for the School Officers' and Teachers' Institute to be held in this city today and tomorrow, and an interesting session is promised. The exercises will begin at 9 o'clock this morning. Prominent educators of the state, among them State Superintendent J. H. Ackerman, President E. D. Ressler, Hon. B. F. Mulkey, Miss Cornelia Marvin and Mrs. K. E. Sloan, have arrived and will have important places on the program. President Mulkey will deliver a lecture at the courthouse tonight, to which all are cordially invited. The program, for the two days is as follows:

FRIDAY, 9:00 A. M.

Opening Exercises and Registration. Address—J. H. Ackerman.

"School Libraries"—Miss Cornelia Marvin.

"The Ideal Teacher"—E. D. Ressler.

FRIDAY, 1:00 P. M.

History—J. H. Ackerman.

Question Box—General Discussion by School Officers and Teachers.

Civil Government—B. F. Mulkey.

FRIDAY, 7:30 P. M.

Lecture—B. F. Mulkey.

SATURDAY, 9:00 A. M.

Opening Exercises.

Course of Study—J. H. Ackerman.

Reading—Mrs. K. E. Sloan.

Nature Study—B. F. Mulkey.

SATURDAY, 1:00 P. M.

Election of Officers for School Officers' Association.

"The School in Some of Its Relations"—E. D. Ressler.

Question Box and General Discussion.

State Library Circular.

Miss Cornelia Marvin, secretary of the state library association, has sent out circulars giving a list of wholesome juvenile books, with prices, for the holiday trade and for home libraries, together with some excellent facts about libraries. The little circular can be secured by writing to Miss Cornelia Marvin, at Salem, and is worth while for every person interested in the subject.

Local Firm Gets Contract.

Vaughn & Weaver, the Dallas plumbers and contractors, will build the lateral sewer through the alley in Block 10. The contract was awarded them at the regular meeting of the city council, held on Monday evening. Their bid was 35 cents per foot for a 6-inch sewer, with an additional charge of \$1 for each Y joint. They will be required to give a bond in the sum of \$100 for the faithful performance of the work.

Obituary.

Emmett P. McSheery was born in Litchfield, Kentucky; died at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland, November 29, 1905, aged 25 years, 7 months and 15 days. He was a graduate of Dallas College, and was a successful young man. For several months prior to his death he was a bookkeeper in the office of the Sigler Milling Company in Portland. He was converted at the age of 13 years, and became a member of the United Evangelical church. He was married to Miss Grace Flanery, of Perrydale, on October 11, 1903. He is survived by his wife, father, two sisters and three brothers. He was a high-minded, honorable young man, and his early death is mourned by many friends.

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