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## Coming Events Cast Their Shadows Before

February 1st marked the beginning of a new firm at the old stand. Preparations have been making for months past for this change and for an increased business. Our efforts have been to select such goods as we know have merit and value, and at such prices that will commend your confidence.

Our every line will be complete in due time for your spring shopping. Those who wish to see or wish to buy will do themselves a favor and enjoy a shopper's feast by looking at our many new and snappy things for spring.

A full and complete line for men and women, Dry Goods, Clothing and all the pretty things that you will need. **A nice line of Spring Overcoats for Men just received by express.**

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**Dallas Mercantile Company**  
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Of Steel Ranges  
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," "ridge-Beach" and "Moore" Steel Ranges.

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THE ORIGINAL 122  
**TOWER'S**  
FISH BRAND  
**SLICKER**  
BLACK OR YELLOW  
WILL KEEP YOU DRY  
NOTHING ELSE WILL  
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CATALOGUES FREE  
SENDING FULL LINE OF GARMENTS AND HATS.  
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CANADIAN CO., LTD., TORONTO, CANADA.

The Red Wing boys beat Medford 52 to 10—just played with them. But they didn't play with O. A. C. and Dallas—Albany Democrat.

If Walter Tooze should be elected and should be as active back in Washington as he is after the nomination, there'd be something doing for certain, remarks the Albany Democrat.

Three little rules we all should keep. To make life happy and bright, Smile in the morning, smile at noon, Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. Belt & Cherrington.

**FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR**  
Cures Colds, Bronchitis, Pneumonia

### STRONG MAN FOR CONGRESS

**S. B. Huston, of Hillsboro, is Daily Gaining Strength in Every County in the First District.**

The following is from the McMinnville News Reporter:  
"The republicans of the first congressional district have a duty to perform at the coming primary, which they should not treat lightly or without due consideration. Owing to the conditions and circumstances which have arisen, it becomes their duty to select a man who will represent western Oregon in the lower house of congress for the next two years, and, if they choose wisely, probably for the next ten years."  
"Formerly congressmen have been changed every two or four years, the matter being looked upon in the nature of a reward to be passed around to deserving men. But this, however, no longer obtains. It has now become well understood that the longer a man is kept in congress the more efficient he becomes and the more power he wields for the good of his state."  
"This being true and the first district being so overwhelmingly republican, there is little doubt that the nominee of the republican party will be elected, and it is also extremely probable that if he be at all worthy he will be kept in that position so long as he shall be able to give good service. It is therefore the duty of republicans to think carefully before casting their votes. They should select a congressman with the same care as they would select an executor or trustee to manage a large estate."  
"In that event, the question will be, who will manage it wisely and prudently? In selecting a congressman the question should be, who will wield the most influence at Washington, and be able to accomplish the most for the state? It is not a matter to be determined by the question of the lodge that he belongs to, or the church that he belongs to, but what are his qualifications? Does he possess integrity and ability? Is he the kind of a man who will acquire influence over his fellow members of congress?"  
"Having examined the various candidates with reference to these qualifications and made up one's mind as to which candidate more nearly fills this test, the rest is easy. Looking at it from this standpoint, with all due respect and kindness to other candidates, a large republican clientele in Yamhill county is of the opinion that Mr. S. B. Huston, of Hillsboro, is the candidate that ought to be nominated. Mr. Huston is in the very prime of life, is a strong, both mentally and physically, one of the best lawyers in the state, and a man of unquestioned personal integrity."  
"He has lived in our neighboring county Washington for about twenty-three years, and during that time his integrity has never been questioned. He is trusted implicitly in financial matters, and, as a lawyer, it is a maxim in that county that he will advise a client exactly as he believes the law to be. He has had a large practice at the bar for many years, and is in comfortable circumstances financially."  
"He comes of good family, and is son of a man who gave up his life in the defense of his country. He is a man of pleasing personality and makes lots of friends, and those who know him best can see no reason why he could not make at least as good a congressman as the late Thomas H. Tongue. It is believed that the republicans of Yamhill county will give him a united support."

**Life Guards.**  
The Life Guards are two regiments of cavalry forming part of the British household troops. They are gallant soldiers, and every loyal British heart is proud of them. Not only the King's household, but yours, ours, everybody's should have its life guards. The need of them is especially great when the greatest foes of life, diseases, find allies in the very elements as colds, influenza, catarrh, the grip and pneumonia do in the stormy month of March. The best way that we know of to guard against these diseases is to strengthen the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla—the greatest of all life guards. It removes the conditions in which these diseases make their most successful attack, gives vigor and tone to all the vital organs and functions, and imparts a genial warmth to the blood. Remember the weaker the system the greater the exposure to disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the system strong.

**Finds Ripe Strawberries.**  
Owen Kelly holds the distinction of having picked the first ripe strawberries of this year in this vicinity. He found some of the luscious fruit west of town Sunday, and sent a sample to this office for inspection.—McMinnville Reporter.

**Frank Ferguson shipped a carload of hogs to Portland last Thursday that cost him \$1,000. Eight of these hogs averaged \$20.40 each. This money was distributed among the farmers in the vicinity of Amity.—Amity Enterprise.**

### The State Printing Office.

The Junction City Times, edited by Hon. S. L. Moorhead, ex-member of the Oregon legislature and for several sessions chief clerk of the senate, has an apt and timely editorial on the state printing office and the management thereof. Mr. Moorhead occupying the position he does, is well acquainted with the workings of the office and says:  
"The fees for all state printing are fixed by law as well as the amount of printing necessary for the State's use. The volume of printing for which the State is liable is statutory and it is the state printer's sworn duty to comply with the law. When printed matter is ready for delivery, it is measured by the printing expert. As this office is appointive, the present incumbent is a democrat. He is an honest man and a capable officer. After it is reported, the report is submitted to the Secretary of State. That official personally investigates every bill before it meets his approval."  
"This is the course of all claims that emanate from the department of printing as well as other departments of the State."  
"The State Printer has on file the receipt for every dollar's worth of printing furnished by him, which receipt checks off with the books in the office of the Secretary of State."  
"State Printer Whitney is an honorable man, clean morally and socially, and every dollar received by him from the State was honestly earned and

honestly accounted for.  
"This is a great State and requires a vast amount of printing and we do not believe that one dollar's worth of unnecessary printing is being 'worked off' on the State."  
"Mr. Whitney has served one term. He has proved a competent officer and enjoys the confidence and esteem of all those with whom he has been associated. It is republican precedent to give a competent official a second term and Mr. Whitney is entitled to it as well as other State officials."

### Maple Leaf Creamery Report.

The report of the Maple Leaf creamery shows the amount of profit there is in the dairy business if properly handled. The creamery is located near Tillamook City and its patronage covers a radius of about two miles. The report covers a period of nine months prior to January 1, 1906:  
Total amount of milk received, 2,598,975 pounds.  
Total amount of cheese sold, 269,117 pounds.  
Total amount of butter fat, 105,000 pounds which averaged about 25 cents a pound.  
Total amount of cash received, \$31,502.40.—Tillamook Headlight.

### Indian War Veteran Dead.

Benjamin B. Branson, an old resident of Sheridan, Oregon, died at that place March 2. He was 75 years old, and leaves eight children. His descendants are to be found in almost every section of the Northwest, there being 34 grandchildren and three great grandchildren. He was a veteran of the Bogue River Indian war, and at one time was vice-president of the narrow gauge railroad in Polk and Yamhill counties.

### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

### NAMES JUDGES AND CLERKS

**City Council Chooses Men to Pass Upon Qualifications of Voters at April Election.**

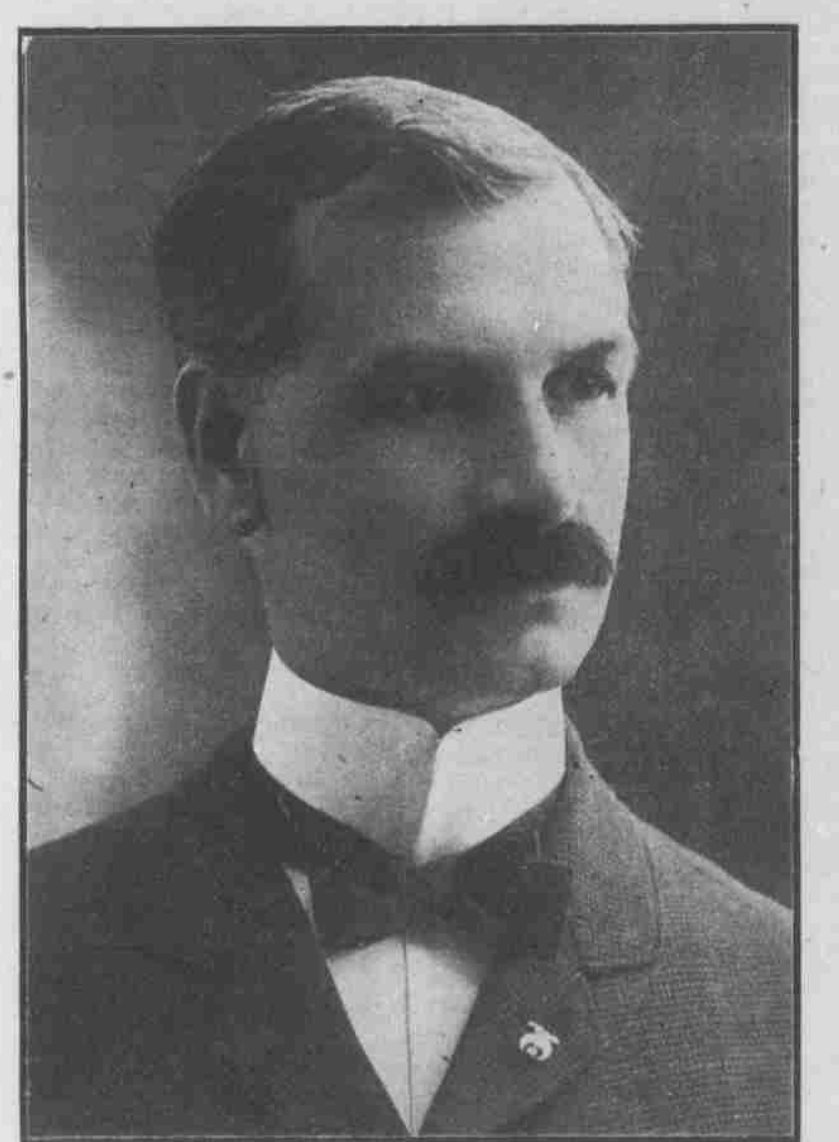
The city council held a busy session Monday evening. Judges and clerks for the approaching city election were appointed, several ordinances were passed, the movement proposed by Superintendent Starr for a County School Fair was endorsed, and the City Marshal was instructed to remove all slot machines and dice boxes from the confectionery stores.  
Present, Mayor Biddle; Councilmen Boals, Cosper, Coad, Sibley, Shaw and Staffin; Auditor Stouffer, Marshal Grant and Attorney Hayter; absent, Councilman Ayres.  
At the request of numerous residents of Germantown addition, the electric light in the LaCreole bridge was ordered moved from the center to the north end of the bridge.  
An ordinance to regulate the manner of setting telephone, telegraph and electric light poles and maintaining the wires and lines within the city limits was read first time.  
An ordinance to vacate a portion of Cherry street in the Shultz addition failed to pass, the council voting as follows: Aye, Sibley and Coad; no, Boals, Cosper, Staffin.  
An ordinance for the protection of public sewers and to provide for the manner of making connections therewith was passed by a unanimous

vote.  
The ordinance committee was instructed to prepare an ordinance making it the duty of property-owners to remove all moss from the roofs of buildings.  
Judges and clerks for the annual city election to be held on Monday, April 2, were appointed as follows:  
First ward—J. G. VanOrsdel, C. L. Hubbard, E. Cadwell, judges; W. P. Miller, H. C. Eakin, clerks.  
Second ward—A. J. Martin, T. J. Hayter, N. L. Guy, judges; Amos Holman, U. S. Grant, clerks.  
Third ward—Joseph Black, A. B. Muir, W. V. Fuller, judges; J. E. Richter, R. L. Chapman, clerks.  
County School Superintendent C. L. Starr laid before the council the plans for an Industrial Fair to be held in Dallas by the public schools of Polk county. On motion, the plans were endorsed by the council.  
William Grant, J. G. VanOrsdel, Fred Levin, W. P. Miller and Prof. W. I. Reynolds appeared and asked that the slot machines and dice boxes be removed from the confectionery stores. The request was granted, and the Marshal was instructed to have all slot machines and dice boxes removed from the confectionery and cigar stores at once.  
The next regular meeting of the council will be held on Monday, March 19.

### J. P. Irvine left Monday evening for a visit with relatives at Dallas and Independence, after which he will go to Soda Springs in Linn county for a couple of weeks.—McMinnville Reporter.

### A Tillamook man proposes to place upon the Tillamook-Sheridan route two automobiles to make daily trips between these points all summer. The schedule time has been fixed at six hours.

### CHARLES A. JOHNS, OF BAKER CITY



Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Governor of Oregon.

The Southern Pacific Company is taking up the old railroad track between Whiteson and Lafayette.  
Keep the little one healthy and happy. Their tender, sensitive bodies require gentle, healing remedies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will keep them strong and well. 25 cents. Tea or Tablets. Belt & Cherrington.

## Buckwheat Cakes made with Royal Baking Powder

Are delicious and wholesome—a perfect cold weather breakfast food.  
Made in the morning; no yeast, no "setting" over night; never sour, never cause indigestion.  
To make a perfect buckwheat cake, and a thousand other dainty dishes, see the "Royal Baker and Pastry Cook." Mailed free to any address.  
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

### The Patent Medicine Family.

Jack Sprat will eat no fat,  
Nor that that's next the bone,  
Until he takes, for fancied aches,  
A swig of Liqueurzone.  
Now Mrs. Sprat declares this flat:  
Her favorite system tuner  
Is sugar, ice, lemon a slice,  
And a jigger of Peruvianer.  
Their daughter Jane, for every pain,  
On Whiskine makes a call;  
While Brother Bill, when he is ill,  
Says: "Kurico—that's all."  
Too mild all these grandma to please;  
She lets the young folks drink 'em.  
Her special booze, to cure the blues,  
Is good old Lydia Jinkham.  
—Puck.

### Monthly Weather Report.

U. S. Weather Bureau,  
Falls City Station.  
Following is the weather report for the month of February, 1906:  
Precipitation, 15.52 inches, (in last 14 days.)  
Greatest precipitation in 24 hours, 2.30 inches on the 20th.  
Maximum temperature, 57 degrees on the 17th.  
Minimum temperature, 28 degrees on the 11th.  
FRANK BUTLER,  
Co-operative Observer.

The report that Tooze's own precinct would not support him is like the other reports. He carried Woodburn at the last election by a vote of 200 to 99, and this year the people of Woodburn will stand by their candidate by a larger majority, while Marion county will doubtless roll up a good plurality for him on April 20. Voters all over the district are turning to the support of Tooze because he is fought by the Salem school land ring and those who have profited by questionable methods in the procurement of our public lands. A strong point being generally advocated by the electors of the district in favor of Tooze's nomination for Congress is his record and services for 20 years in the enunciation of the principles of sound Republicanism, in marked contrast to the well-known and admitted fact that neither Huston or Hawley had ever been actively identified with the Republican party until they became candidates for Congress.

## Every Two Minutes

Physicians tell us that all the blood in a healthy human body passes through the heart once in every two minutes. If this action becomes irregular the whole body suffers. Poor health follows poor blood; Scott's Emulsion makes the blood pure. One reason why

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

is such a great aid is because it passes so quickly into the blood. It is partly digested before it enters the stomach; a double advantage in this. Less work for the stomach; quicker and more direct benefits. To get the greatest amount of good with the least possible effort is the desire of everyone in poor health. Scott's Emulsion does just that. A change for the better takes place even before you expect it.



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### TOOZE MEN ARE CONFIDENT

Said to Have a Strong Lead in Southern Oregon Counties.  
Sunday Oregonian, March 4.  
WOODBURN, Or., Feb. 27.—(To the Editor.)—Walter L. Tooze, candidate for Congress in this district, has returned home from a visit in Southern Oregon, where he received many assurances of support. He is strongly in the lead in Southern Oregon, while the Coast counties are overwhelmingly for him. I. H. Bingham, of Lane county, who was the most prominent Congressional candidate in the south, has withdrawn from the race, and is a candidate for State Senator.  
The Hawley forces in this county show plain evidences of disintegration. Mark Skiff, Marshal Tom Cornelius and several others of Salem who were included in the Hawley list, are supporting Tooze; while Thomas Kay and others, quoted as "united on Hawley," declare such a statement as unauthorized. The straw vote taken at Albany and favoring Huston was doubtless taken among his friends by an avowed Huston man. Friends of Tooze assert that he is leading both Huston and Hawley in Linn county by long odds.  
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### Has Made Good Record.

J. R. Whitney, who is a candidate to succeed himself for republican nomination as State Printer has made an excellent record. We are personally acquainted with Mr. Whitney and know him to be a man worthy of the office. He is a native Oregonian, a graduate of the University of Oregon, and is an old-timer in the printing business. He is a friend that never overlooks you when you have once taken his hand in a friendly shake. He is a friend to the laborer as well as the merchant, and he is a man such as a free-born Westerner likes to meet. He will no doubt be re-nominated, and should be so, he will be re-elected. It is usual to give to every state officer a second term when he has made an efficient officer.—Vale Orlean.

### Raises Hooded Goats.

The Kola Hop Company, whose farm is a few miles west of Salem, reports forty new Angora kids for this season, the sire being the buck that won sweepstakes at the Oregon state fairs of 1903-04, and he sired by an imported African buck. This company now has 100 head of the mohair yielders, all registered and in most excellent condition.—Pacific Homestead.

### Amity is to have a creamery.

In the spring time you renovate your house. Why not your body? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea drives out impurities, cleanses and enriches the blood and purifies the entire system. 35 cents. Belt & Cherrington.