

Our 15th Annual Clearance Sale

Greatest Price Reducing Sale of the Season. Every article in the house at cut prices. We are positively giving you the very best merchandise in town at prices bordering on wholesale cost, and in many instances below cost. Odds and ends, broken lines, etc., must go regardless of former value

THIS SALE WILL CONTINUE ALL OF JANUARY

Extraordinary efforts will be made this week to reduce our heavy stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing. You can save from \$5 to \$10 on Suits and Overcoats by making your selection during this sale. Our assortment of patterns and styles are equal to many large city stores and our Clothing is fully guaranteed in every particular.

Our Shoe Section Offers Some Extraordinary Bargains
Misses' and Children's Shoes One-third to One-half off

THE BEE HIVE STORE, - - Dallas, Oregon

News of City and County

Arthur Serr was a Portland visitor last Friday.
Mr. Jost and little son were Black Rock visitors Sunday.
Mr. Frank Wing is our new night clerk at the Gail Hotel.
Dr. McNicol, Osteopathic Physician.
H. C. Seymour made a visit to Black Rock today.
Mr. Walter Toose, Jr. went to Portland Friday on business.
Lloyd Rice and Herman Hawkins were visitors at Falls City Sunday.
Rev. C. P. Gates is holding a series of meetings at Adna, Washington.
—Many come miles to dine at the Gail.
Stanley Clark of Albany is visiting his parents on Uglow Avenue.
Mrs. Longueker was taken to the hospital Monday for an operation.
Miss Ruth Nann returned to her school work in Monmouth Monday.
Mrs. Franklin of Perrydale is visiting friends and relatives in Dallas.
W. R. Smith of Monmouth was in Dallas Saturday transacting business.
We cut, fit and make our own suits.—Phil Begin. 67-1f.
Miss Ellis of Black Rock was visiting friends in Dallas the last of the week.
Mr. Chapin of Salem was calling on friends the last of the week in this city.
Pauline Snyder spent the week end visiting with her sister at McMinnville.
Doc. McCallon, Jr., is able to be about again after several days' sickness.
James and John Clow of Monmouth were Dallas visitors the last of the week.
E. R. Palmer from the Guthrie settlement was a Dallas shopper Saturday.

Mrs. Claud Ellison of Dallas spent the week end visiting at McMinnville.
Mr. Harold Miller was visiting friends in Newberg the last of the week.
Mrs. Maggie Morrison is on the sick list, but is some better at this writing.
Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Dunn of Polk Station were in town Saturday on business.
Rev. Guy Phillips the well-known white slave lecturer, is here visiting his family.
Mr. and Mrs. Ramsden have moved to Albany, where Mr. Ramsden will work in the depot.
Mr. and Mrs. Reese Robinson of Independence were calling on old friends the last of the week.
Miss Mary McNuntley of Polk Station was calling on old friends the last of the week in Dallas.
The many friends of Mr. Castle of Newport, will be glad to know he is much improved in health.
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R. E. Williams of Portland was in Dallas today looking after business interests here.
Mrs. Butler Savary of Portland has been visiting friends in Dallas for a few days.
Mrs. Mary Martin left the first of this week for Oakland, Cal., to visit friends and relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Shaw of Sheridan have been visiting friends and relatives of this place.
C. W. McDonald, a business man of Portland, was calling on old friends in Dallas last week.
Mrs. Peters, who has been quite ill is reported some better at this writing.

Miss Mattie Koser of Rickreall, was in Dallas on business the first of the week.
Mr. Kierslake, a former citizen of this place, was visiting old friends here the latter part of last week.
Miss Ruby Lawrence of Monmouth who has been visiting friends of this place has returned to her home.
Miss Magnus who has been visiting her parents at McMinnville returned to her college work the last of the week.
Mrs. Ora Kearnes who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, returned to her home in Washington, Monday.
Mrs. Smith who has been visiting in Rickreall, returned to her home on Washington Street, the last of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Meyers and little son Paul of Smithfield, have been visiting Mrs. Meyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fiske.
Mr. and Mrs. Shriver who has been visiting friends in Washington returned to their home in Dallas the latter part of last week.
Mr. Claud Brower and little son, who has been visiting her parents in McMinnville, has returned to her home in Dallas.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hutchins and little son Tommie have moved to North Portland where Cliff is employed in the Monarch Mill.
The County Court this week appointed Dr. W. L. Horn as Stock Inspector for Polk County, to take the place of Dr. C. C. Wright who has resigned.
Melvin L. Hanks of Independence has been appointed as principal for entrance at Westpoint according to report published by Congressman Hawley for this district.
A local in the Observer's "Wanted" and "For Sale" column brings buyer and seller together at a small cost of only a few cents. Try one the next time you want to buy or have anything for sale.
Mrs. Eugene Hayter and Mrs. C. C. Curtis left Monday for a week's visit with friends at Eugene.
Rosee Parcel was over from Corvallis Saturday visiting his father and looking over the city.
There is a large crowd making arrangements to attend the K. of P. ball at Falls City the 23rd.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dashiell of Dallas, Monday, January 12th, a boy, Dr. Ballman, attending.
Mr. and Mrs. Dan King of Bowersville was calling on old friends the last of the week in Dallas.
The many friends of Mrs. Abel Uglow will be glad to know that she is able to be out once more.
Aunt Nancy Fowler has returned home from Salem, where she has been visiting.
Mrs. Linn, who has been visiting friends returned to her home in Perrydale Sunday.
Henry Serr and son Edwin of the Gail were in Portland Saturday and Sunday. They report that Mrs. Serr is improving.
Mr. F. Burke of the Oregon Power Company of Eugene has been in this city this week looking over that company's interests here.
The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will have a bake sale at Staffin's drug store Saturday, January 17th, commencing at 9 o'clock.
It was reported to a news gleaner of the Observer that Shrimp Dalton took quite a liking for the kind of bread served at the recent Firemen's banquet.

—The greatest thing in Dallas—a meal at the Gail.
Mr. and Mrs. Quick and little son, who have been visiting Mrs. Quick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Stouffer, returned to their home in Ballston, Sunday.
Rev. A. A. Winters of Dallas is here for a visit with Anson Henry and other relatives. Rev. Winters was at one time a pastor in Lafayette.—Lafayette Visitor.
John Krause, of Polk County, passed through here yesterday for his home after spending several months at a medical college in New York.—Salem Journal, January 10th.
William Kapple, Sr., raised thirteen tons of prunes this year and received six cents a pound, selling to a Dallas packing house, as did most of the local growers this year.—Forest Grove Press.
Bernard Ortman was in town Saturday trading with local merchants. He returned last week from Polk Co., where he visited his son, George Ortman, who is on a good farm near Dallas.—Forest Grove Press.
D. L. Keyt of Perrydale and V. P. Fiske, editor of the Hemizer have been notified that their names have been drawn as jurymen for the United States Court that convenes at Portland, January 20th.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Cary of North Platte, Neb., who for the past six months have been the guests of Dr. Cary and family, left today for Hood River and other eastern Oregon points.
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Coad and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fenton left yesterday for Newport to be absent some time with the exception of Mr. Fenton, who expects to return the latter part of the week. These families have a cottage there which they will occupy.
Sydney B. Vincent, inspector of the corporation department at Salem was a Dallas visitor yesterday. Mr. Vincent was here on official business, and as he has had years of newspaper experience, you can rest assured what he came after in way of information he found out.
Frank Zumwalt went to Perrydale Thursday to look after affairs on his farm. He remarked that he had word from the fruit inspector who lived on an adjoining farm that his orchard needed attention. Said the trees had been doing duty since 1852 and he saw no reason why they should be molested at this venerable age, but that he guessed he would make firewood of them.—Newberg Graphic.
Mr. Fred Hartley, manager of the Golden Rule store left yesterday for Salt Lake to attend the annual meeting of the different managers of their stores. After the meeting about 30 of the members will go to New York to purchase their summer stock. There are 40 Golden Rule Stores in this management and Mr. Hartley informs us that ten more will be added the coming year.

WANTED—50 to 300 Sheep on shares. B. F. Wells, box 339, Willamina, Oregon. 82-1f.
FOR SALE—New Pianos from \$275 to \$450. All warranted. 90-1f.
FOR SALE—Good six room house, and two acres of land in edge of East Dallas. Fine chicken or garden proposition. Very reasonable. L. H. Brown. 90-21-x
This to Your Advantage.
There are a great many persons who purchase pianos who are early influenced by the agent's smooth talk and never take into consideration that they must sell their pianos for more money than the local dealer, because their expenses are so much higher. Call at our store and we can prove to you it pays to trade at home.
The Ash Music Store. 30-1f.

FOR SALE—Six good Jersey cows. Address C. L. Gilson, or phone S. A. 2-53. 88-61-x
Highest market price paid for machine cast iron, stove plate, rubber, brass, copper, zinc, rags, bottles and tides. Address A. N. Halleck, Monmouth, Oregon.
WANTED—To buy a 5 acre tract either improved or not close to Dallas. Give lowest price in first letter. Might consider a smaller or a larger if price is right. Must be worth the money. Address New Corner, Observer, Dallas. 88-1f.
GOOD WOOD—At right prices. Order your block wood and slab wood for early delivery. Trimmings furnished on short order. Plenty of good fir and other kinds of wood now ready for customers. Send orders early by phone to—AUGUST BOLMAN. Phone 1567. 7061f

Partner Wanted.
The Proprietor of the Depot Store Grocery is open for a partnership. Honesty and practical experience are the chief requirements. A moderate amount of capital desired for extension. For further particulars, call at store. 89-2f.
FOR SALE—One brood sow due to farrow in a few days, also a few S. C. Brown Leghorn Cockerels. A. G. Rempel, Phone Dixie 515. 89-1f.
WANTED TO TRADE—Second hand Run-about in good shape for live stock. Address box 38, route No. 1, Dallas Oregon. 88-4f.
A Change of Name.
The old and well known Stowe & Co. Livery and Feed Barn will be known in the future as THE DALLAS LIVERY & FEED BARN. 83f

ANNUAL BENEFIT

FOR

Dallas Public Library

ON

FRIDAY AND MONDAY EVENINGS

January 16 & 19

Home talent under the direction of Miss Bertha Serr will present Charles Townsend's Famous Comedy,

"A FAMILY AFFAIR"

AT THE STAR THEATER, DALLAS, ORE. FOLLOWING IS THE

CAST OF CHARACTERS:

DAN GILLESPIE, the young gentleman	NORVAL GATES
JORKINS JOBSON, his gardner	FRED B. WEST
DEACON SMITH	FRANCIS SIMONTON
SALLY, the cook	MRS. HARRY VOLHEIM
MISS CAMSON, the housekeeper	MISS LOUISE MILES
LOUISIANA, a negress	MISS GRACE VAN WATERS

ACT I—Place, Dan's Country Home; Time, Morning.
ACT II—Place, The same; Time, Mid-day.
ACT III—Place, The same; Time, Evening.

The Moose Orchestra, under the leadership of Prof. Bert. Downey, has generously volunteered to furnish a fine musical program between the acts. This treat alone will be worth the price of admission.

Every dollar netted from the sale of tickets will be used in buying new books for the library. Let us all take pride in contributing to the support of this worthy institution.

Admission 50 Cents. Reserve your seats without extra charge at Staffin' Drug Store. Sale Begins Wednesday.

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County Court.
The members of the County Court went over to Falls City today to look over a proposition made by the Mayor of that city to turn over to the county, their rock quarry and certain machinery for operation.
Shooting Match.
There will be a shooting match with rifles, only at Podes, Friday. Several valuable prizes are offered and a good time is expected. Everybody invited.
—Trespass notices, weather proof, for sale at Observer Job office.