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 Corrected weekly by Star Grocery.

Chickens	.....	\$1.50 @ 2.50 per doz.
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Shoulders	.....	.6 @ 7c "
Hams	.....	.10 @ 12c "
Lard	.....	.7 @ 8c "
Eggs	.....	20c "
Potatoes	.....	15c "
Cabbage	.....	15c "
Onions (old)	.....	42c "
Apples	.....	20c "
Pail Butter Pears	.....	25c "
Honey	.....	10c "
Turnips	.....	25c "
Beets	.....	25c "
Grapes	.....	2 @ 3c "
Squashes	.....	40c "
Canflower	.....	\$1.00 "
Quinces	.....	25c "
Oyster plants	.....	1c "
Carrots	.....	\$4.00 "
Parsnips	.....	1c "
Butter	.....	15c "
Hay	.....	\$5.00 "
Oats	.....	15c "

**THE POLK COUNTY PRESS.**  
 News Items and Editorial Expressions.  
 From the Dallas Democrat.  
 B. S. Clark, a former Suver merchant, is now located at Woods.  
 The ladies of the Methodist church have undertaken to raise \$100 on their church debt, and at the social given Tuesday night they realized one third of the amount.

Lindsey Robbins says that in 1854 about a dozen young men sent for him to come and organize a singing school in King's Valley and that as a sequel to it nearly every couple in attendance afterward married.  
 On Friday morning of last week at 4 o'clock Brown & Berry's saw-mill caught fire and in fifteen minutes the whole structure was in flames. There are some features about the fire that looks very strange and cause much wonder.

On Wednesday evening at the newly furnished home of the bride and groom in Dallas Rev. T. V. B. Embree made one of W. G. Wright and Miss Inez Vaughn who are not yet half through receiving congratulations from their long list of friends.

From the Dallas Observer.  
 Rev. Geo. Whiteman, of Turner, has located in Dallas as pastor of the Presbyterian church.

Clerk Mulkey issued license to wed to Mr. P. A. Wright and Miss Carrie E. Toner, Wednesday.

Polk county politics is warming up, and the slate is being made by those who would walk into official duties.

Thieves broke in and stole all the valuable silver ware from the Holman house dining room the other night—about \$75 worth.

Considerable complaint is being made by our citizens that their clothes lines are being robbed. Almost every night some one loses their best underwear.

New students are starting in at the LaCreole academy every week. The school is gaining in popularity. There is no need of going away from home to get an education.

Mr. J. W. Crider has purchased a general merchandise store at Aurora, Marion county. It is also rumored that he will open out a stock of goods in Dallas about the first of the year.

Certainly the business public of Dallas will learn with regret that Merchant Geo. McGowan intends moving his stock of goods to Monmouth. Mr. McGowan is a good business man and Dallas' loss is Monmouth's gain.

**BUSINESS FAILURES.**  
 Statistics prove that out of 100 men who engage in mercantile pursuits, 96 fall short of success. As to why so large a percentage are left behind in the race, a great variety of opinions prevail. This is shown by the answers of the following distinguished men, who are on the top rounds of the ladder of fame and fortune. When asked why so many failures in commercial pursuits take place, their answers were as follows:  
 John D. Rockefeller, the Standard oil king:  
 "Lack of business training in the home and public schools."  
 A. J. Carnegie, the iron and steel magnate:  
 "The credit system has much to do with it."  
 P. D. Armour, the man who controls the meat supply of the United States:  
 "Want of knowledge as to the value of a dollar is one of the chief causes."  
 Dr. Franklin Miles, the great specialist in nerve, brain, and heart disorders, whose Restorative Nervine, New Heart Cure, and other remedies are used all over America:  
 "Over anxiety in their pursuits has much to do with it. The competition is so strong and the race so exciting that the strain becomes too great and collapse follows. A large number of my patients are business men under middle age, who suffer from nerve disorders induced by mental strain. As the knowledge of my restorative remedies increases, the percentage of business failures will surely decrease."

**One Gives Relief.**  
 It is so easy to be mistaken about indigestion, and think there is some other trouble. The cure is Ripians Tablets. One tabule gives relief. Ask any druggist.

**The Winter of 1861-62.**  
 The winter of 1861-62 had more precipitation than in any other winter on record. In the months November, 1861, to February, 1862 inclusive, there fell at Walla Walla 41.31 inches of precipitation. When it is considered that 17.94 inches is the annual amount at Walla Walla it is seen how excessive was the precipitation for the winter of 1861-62. At Astoria the average November rainfall is 10.46 inches; the greatest November rainfall was 19.12 inches, in 1869, the least 1.87 inches in 1890. The total rainfall at Astoria from November, 1861, to March, inclusive, 1862, was 61.63 inches. That the rainfall for these five months was excessive is shown by the fact that the average annual rainfall is 76 inches. At the same time there fell at Vancouver, Wash., 25.68 inches of rainfall, while the annual average is 37.81 inches. These data are quoted to show the excessive rainfall in the winter of 1861-62 in comparison with that so far prevailing in 1895. Usually November has freezing temperature. Freezing temperature may be always expected in December; east of the Cascades, especially over the plateau region, zero temperature and lower occur in December. It is seldom that heavy snowfalls occur west of the Cascades, and when it falls it usually falls in January, though snow has fallen quite heavily west of the Cascades in December. East of the Cascades light snow falls in December, but the heaviest snowfall is usually in January or February.—Statesman.

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 The Publishers of The Youth's Companion are sending free to the subscribers to the paper, a handsome four-page Calendar, 7 x 19 in., lithographed in nine colors. It is made up of four charming pictures, each pleasing in design, under each of which are the monthly calendars for the year 1896. The retail price of this Calendar is 50 cents.  
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 Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at \$1.50 bottles for \$5, or it will be sent prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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