

Social and Personal.

Wanted butter, eggs and poultry at Messner's.

Gordon Hats at the Peerless clothing store.

Mrs. J. E. Hubbard visited in Salem Monday.

Mrs. B. F. Whiteaker was a Dallas visitor Friday.

Estes Bivens and wife were passengers to Salem Monday.

New and up-to-date clothing at the Peerless clothing store.

First class yellow fir shakes for sale. H. C. Miller, Pelee, Oregon.

Hogs! Hogs! Hogs!!! I am in the market for hogs. W. W. Percival.

W. A. Messner and little daughter were passengers to McMinnville Sunday.

L. L. Wilprut visited over Sunday in Salem returning Monday evening.

The Polk county prohibition convention will be held in Dallas March 5.

Mrs. A. M. Hurley went to Portland Monday to attend the millinery opening.

Mrs. M. C. Williams went to Corvallis Monday for a few days visit with friends.

Call and see the new things in men's hats, golf shirts and neck wear. W. A. Messner.

Miss Leora Shank was a passenger to Portland Monday to attend the Millinery opening.

Miss Katie Ketchum and Miss Mary Schollard returned to Mr. Angel Monday morning.

Walter Corkle and wife have returned to Spokane after visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Effie Richardson came up from Portland Saturday evening for a visit with her parents.

Miss Thompson who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Kutsch, has returned to the Broadmead farm.

Rev. E. C. Wigmore of Eugene will preach in the Christian church next Sunday both morning and evening. All are invited to attend.

Warren Cressey, of South Bend, visited relatives over Sunday and Monday. Mr. Cressey is just returning from a several weeks' trip in California.

Fred Lubker, of Bridgewater S. D., who has been visiting at the home of John Dickinson, returned home. Mr. Lubker after disposing of his property in S. D. will return to the Pacific Coast where he expects to buy land and other property.

Wire fence should be heavily galvanized to prevent rusting. Compare the American with any other make in this respect. The patent hinge on the stay wires is a good feature. This fence is uniform in constitution, is heavier than other brands and will keep its shape when once put up. Our prices, the lowest. R. M. Wade & Co Agents.

The Polk County Mohair Association has re-elected S. W. McBee president; H. L. Fenton secretary and Newton Woodward treasurer. They will meet again the first Saturday in March to consider the pooling of mohair. It has been decided that this seasons prices for shearing shall be eight cents for machine and nine for hand shearing. Sheep shearers are invited to assemble at their next meeting and agree upon a uniform price for shearing.

All the new things in dress goods at Messner's.

Come and see our line of dress shoes 2.50 to 4.50. Peerless clothing store.

Wanted - To buy your hogs. Will buy part or all of your drove. W. W. Percival.

Our line of Atkins hand saws is complete. Higher grade for less money than any other make. R. M. Wade & Co.

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Best Washing Machines sold for \$6.00 at R. M. Wade & Co's. See our Ocean Wave Washer. Every machine sold with a positive guarantee.

Lost - On the streets of Independence, a silk watch fob with gold trimming and K. of P. emblem. Finder please report to Word Butler.

We have a full line of Oliver, Chill and Steel plows, Spring Tooth harrows, and the Dandy Ball Bearing Disc harrows. These are specially adapted to use in hop fields. R. M. Wade & Co Sale Agents.

Miss Pearl Squire, of San Francisco, will open up a fine line of millinery goods about March 1st on "C" street next door to Pad-dock's store, in Independence. A large number of both New York and San Francisco tailor hats will be shown.

Notice of Sale by Guardian.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an order and decree of the County Court, of the State of Oregon for the County of Polk, duly made and entered of record on the 22nd of January, A. D. 1904, in the matter of the guardianship of the estate of J. M. Wann, a mute, duly authorizing and directing me as such guardian of the said estate of said ward to sell at private sale the following described real estate belonging to said ward to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the William M. Turpin D. L. C. Claim, No. 37, Not. No. 257, in township 6, south of range 4, west of the Willamette Meridian, in Polk county Oregon, and running thence west 40 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 20 chains to place of beginning; containing 80 acres, more or less.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said order I, as such guardian, will on and after the 3rd day of March, 1904, offer for sale at private sale to the highest bidder for cash in hand all the above described premises. Bids therefore will be received by me at Walport, Lincoln county, Oregon, or at the law office of Butler & Coad in Dallas, Polk county, Oregon. W. E. WANN, Guardian of the Estate of J. M. Wann, a mute.

Mysterious Circumstance.

One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head off constipation. Try them. Only 25c, at A. S. Locke's, Druggist.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Henry F. Williams, deceased, has filed with the county clerk of Polk county, Oregon, his final account as such administrator, and that Monday the 7th day of March, 1904, at the hour of one o'clock P. M., has been fixed as the time, and the court house in Dallas, Polk county, Oregon, as the place for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

Dated this 1st day of February, 1904. F. O. KAU, Administrator of the estate of Henry F. Williams, deceased. J. N. HART, Attorney.

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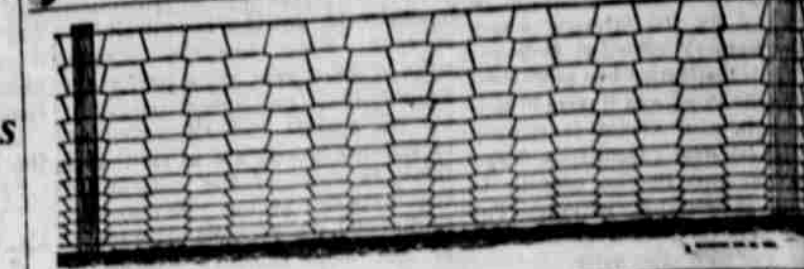
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