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Beg to mention

Our Buyer, Mr. F. A. Cram, in the interest of his many patrons leaves for the East the last of this week to visit the Spring markets. New York, Chicago and Buffalo are among the Eastern cities that are to be visited.

BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

The Dietz Studio for photos. Choice onion sets at McDonald's. J. E. Epping went to Portland Friday. Just arrived—Eastern white fish at Jackson's. Hens Lago went to The Dalles Thursday. Pickled pork and corned beef—McGuire Bros. Call and see the beautiful new pianos at Soule's house. G. F. Smith returned Sunday from a trip to Portland. Maple Syrup and New York State Buck Wheat at Jackson's. For bargains in real estate see Roswell Shelley, Carson, Wash. Vetch, timothy, clover and garden seeds at Jackson's. H. B. Eason spent Friday and Saturday at Portland. Go to W. S. Gribble, Mt. Hood, for the District No. 76 Shoe. Special orders taken for Hazelwood Ice Cream specialties. C. P. Ross. Mrs. Josephine Haley visited friends in the city the latter part of the week. Buy a nice plush robe at cost for your couch from the Davenport Harness Company. L. Ping and Rev. H. Bruckenmiller returned Saturday from a trip to Portland. The Royal Tailors of Chicago and New York are the largest and best merchant tailoring house in the world. See their line of samples for spring at The Toggery. R. D. Gould came down from Wallace, Idaho, last week to bid on a waterworks job at Ranier and spent a couple of days in the city the latter part of the week. Now is the time to order your Spring Suit. The very latest and best things out will be found at the Toggery. Confidence in the Royal Tailors means better clothes for you. Miss Frieda Hinrichs left for Brantton, near The Dalles, Saturday, to teach school. Miss Hinrichs has just finished a course at the Monmouth normal school. If you want to buy or sell real estate go to Outhank & Oiler. Money to loan on first mortgages. Abstracts and legal papers carefully prepared. Notarial work of all kinds. The Oakdale Greenhouse has just received a full line of shrubs, vines, etc. Can furnish on short notice almost any ornamental tree or shrub grown in the Northwest. Over 1000 two-year roses on hand. Fletcher & Fletcher, R.F.D. No. 1. Both phones. J. W. Wiedrick, wife and daughter returned Monday morning from Buffalo, N. Y., where they spent the winter at their old home. They will go to housekeeping at once in the Huxley cottage, recently vacated by Dr. Sharp. If you wish to save \$50 to \$75 when you buy your piano, buy direct from the factory dealer and not from agents or canvassers. Several beautiful instruments just received from Chicago at Soule's Piano House. Second hand pianos and organs taken in exchange. Balance cash or time payments.

Our work guaranteed. Deitz Studio Finishing for amateurs at Deitz Studio. Wood For Sale—Phone 3595. L. E. Taft. Metal hose numbers at Hunt's Wall Paper store. Fresh made sausage at McGuire Bros. every day. See W. S. Gribble for Duck Eries, Felts and covers. Smoked halibut, herring, salmon at Jackson's. L. E. Morse went to The Dalles Monday on No. 2. If you want wood pipe order at once of Joe Wilson as he is taking up a carload. Cracked wheat \$1.25 per cwt. Lay in your supply for little chicks. Hood River Milling Co. J. T. Merrill returned Monday from Carson, Wash., where he preached on Sunday. We are overstocked with lap robes and will close them out at cost. Development Harness Co. Jesse Davidson and son, W. B., went to The Dalles Saturday on a business trip. All the leading teachers of cookery use Cleveland's Baking Powder. Sold by Chapman Co. Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McGregor, of Mosier, were guests of A. D. Moe and family Friday evening. It never fails to make light wholesome food—Cleveland's Baking Powder sold by Chas. F. Wetherell, Bingen, Wa. Chas. Cochran, of Union, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Cochran, the latter part of the week. Miss Emily Wilson and Lena Evans are prepared to do dressmaking at 274 Ninth Street. Phone Main 1441. a16 D. G. Jackson left Sunday for California, where he will spend a few weeks enjoying the attractions of that part of the country. Those who have used it the longest praise it the most—Cleveland Baking Powder. Recommended by Henry F. Loge, the East Side Store. J. H. Golt came down from The Dalles Monday in the interest of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for county clerk. Call at Soule's Piano House for Edison phonographs and records. With the exception of one house in Portland this is the largest stock in Oregon. Miss Bernice Johnson, who has been teaching music this winter, has given up her classes and left for Friend, Ore., on Saturday, where she will teach school. It cannot help but be good. Why? Because Cleveland's Baking Powder has been used for the past forty years. This certainly is an excellent recommendation. Ask H. Conaway. College hats at Mme. Abbott's purchased especially for the high school trade. Assorted hand colors. My price is exceptionally low on these hats this season. Cleveland's Baking Powder, in 3-lb. cans only cost \$1, and 5-lb. can \$1.65. Both these cans have the metal handle under the regular cover. They are useful when empty. Sold by Hanna & Perlo.

Mrs. E. A. Franz has returned from Portland. L. H. Huggins made a business trip to The Dalles Friday. F. P. Friday was at The Dalles Thursday on business. J. T. Bagley, of Portland, visited friends in the city over Sunday. Jos. Morton went to Fair Grounds, Ore., Sunday, to visit his mother. J. R. Nickelson was called to The Dalles Thursday on legal business. Mrs. A. T. Dodge and children joined Mr. Dodge at Roseburg Friday. W. M. Kollock was called to The Dalles Thursday as a witness in the ferry case. Miss Gladys Hartley, of Pacific University at Forest Grove, is spending a week or two with her parents. G. H. Tracy and wife, of Portland, are making an extended visit at the home of J. L. Carter, of the east side, Mrs. Tracy's parents. Rev. Walton Skipworth and wife spent Sunday in the city, where the presiding elder conducted quarterly services at the M. E. Church. H. T. DeWitt and C. K. Bona went to Portland Monday morning to bring back a touring car which W. J. Baker & Co. will use to show customers over the valley. H. H. Bailey accompanied his wife to Portland Saturday, where she will have her eyes fitted to reading glasses by the specialist who removed the cataract a few months ago. Mrs. Bailey is steadily improving and can see better than at any time in two years. John Castner, Lon Reed, R. E. Eason and S. M. Orrin went to The Dalles Thursday, under the protection of Wm. Vogt, H. E. Eason and others, and were initiated into the mysteries of the Elks lodge at that place. Judging from the appearance of the quartette on their return to the lodge goat was in prime condition. Thursday afternoon the Woman's Club held an interesting meeting at the Odd Fellows hall and there was a large attendance. A good program had been arranged and there were several addresses from officers of the Portland club and also from Hood River ladies. Mrs. E. E. Goff, president of the Hood River club, presided. Mrs. S. A. Evans, Mrs. Frederick Egger, Mrs. G. W. Ross, Mrs. Robt. Lutze and Mrs. Moffett, of Portland, and Mrs. Wm. Kerr, of Hood River, were the principal speakers. J. Adrian Epping and Miss Lella Radford sang solos. A fine lunch concluded the meeting. E. W. Winans, John Leland Henderson, Geo. T. Prather, L. E. Morse, Bert Stranahan, Jos. A. Wilson and A. D. Moe were called to The Dalles Friday as witnesses in the ferry case of the Washington Navigation Co. vs. Dean & Pearson. The cases were argued before Judge Bradshaw without a jury and final arguments of the attorneys will be heard tomorrow. The cases are a dual disposition of the injunction suits filed last spring, where it was sought to prevent Dean & Pearson from landing on the road leading north from the O. R. & N. depot, during high water, and also a suit to dissolve the injunction preventing the said navigation company from operating a ferry without a license. Mr. DuVall, of Mosier, was in the city Monday. W. H. Hicks went to Mosier Tuesday morning. Rev. J. F. Merrill went to Mosier yesterday on business. Miss Kathryn Davenport and brother, John, visited Hood River the first of the week. Mrs. Geo. H. Lynn, of St. Johns, Ore., spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the city. Mrs. E. P. Matthews and daughter came up from Portland Tuesday to visit friends. A. P. Bateham drove over from Mosier Sunday, returning home Monday afternoon. A ministers meeting will be held at the U. B. church next Monday morning at ten o'clock. Mrs. May Gilbert and son, Clarence, left for Portland Monday afternoon for a few days. W. Ross Winans, of Winona City, was in The Dalles the latter part of the week on business. J. E. Dugan and wife, of Portland, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. G. Gilmore, and family. Rev. J. R. Parker left for Philomath, Ore., Monday morning to visit friends until the latter part of the week. The ladies of the Congregational church gave a shower for Mrs. Gilmore at the parsonage yesterday afternoon. Councilman Bunk has had quite a severe attack of grip, but is recovering and able to attend to his insurance office. D. J. Cooper, of The Dalles, candidate for the state senate on the Republican ticket, was in the city yesterday. Mme. Abbott's millinery opening March 18, 19 and 20, at which time I shall display the latest designs in pattern hats. A. O. Anderson and wife, of Hillsdale, N. D., stopped off on their way home from California to visit friends and relatives in the city. The water in the Columbia is but a trifle above the low water mark and it is said that it is the lowest for many years at this season. J. W. Koontz, candidate for county commissioner on the Republican ticket, spent a couple of days in the city and valley the first of the week. An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Massee, of Willow Flat, died March 3, aged ten days, and was buried on Thursday in Idelwilde. W. E. Sheets has fixed over the corner residence on Cascade avenue, next to Dabney's second hand store, and will handle flour and feed and produce. C. E. Ferry, of the Christian and Missionary alliance, will preach in the Crupper school house Sunday, March 15, at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Second Coming of Christ." Rev. J. W. Jenkins, of McCoy, Ore., was called to Duaur last week to preach the funeral of an old friend and stopped off at Hood River the first of the week on his way home. The effect of the colonist rates is being noticed in the increase of travel from the east, the west bound trains being crowded to their capacity and extra coaches on all trains. E. L. Brown has been appointed extra and baggage man at the O. R. & N. depot in place of C. S. Smith, resigned. The latter will devote his attention to his ranch south of town. Al Whitehead has completed the remodeling of the old building next to Dabney's furniture store and will be ready for business in a few days. He will handle flour, feed, produce and fruits in season. Revival meetings begin tonight at the Christian church, conducted by Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Jackson, of Texas. Most cordial invitation to the public. Come and hear the gospel in song and sermon. A dispatch from Washington announces that Thomas E. Dunbar, of Hood River, has been allowed a pension of \$15 per month; Martha A. Douglas, of Hood River, \$8; Amos B. Billings, of Mt. Hood, \$12. Mordcaid Jones arrived last Thursday from Brecon, Wales, and will spend a couple of weeks looking over his property interests in the White Salmon valley. Mr. Jones was in the city yesterday and left on the local for Portland. D. S. Nelson, of Larimore, N. D., is visiting his brother-in-law, W. E. Sheets, for a few days. Mr. Nelson visited Hood River about three years ago and was surprised at the improvements in the city and valley since that time. E. J. DeHart has completed his fine residence on the property east of town, which he purchased from D. E. Byrnes and has moved up from Portland. The residence is one of the finest in the city or valley.

D. E. Miller, of Mt. Hood, returned yesterday from a trip to Portland. Mrs. Chas. Hall left for Portland Tuesday afternoon to visit friends. Judge A. E. Lake, of The Dalles, spent the day in the city yesterday. Mrs. Jeff Mosier and daughter, Alice, visited Hood River Monday. Leon Faust, of Albany, visited R. H. Coshaw and family the first of the week. Jim Cameron, of Portland, was in the city the first of the week on business. Dr. M. E. Welch was called to Mosier yesterday on professional business. The Trio orchestra will give a St. Patrick's ball at the I. O. O. F. hall March 17. Mrs. E. H. Reid was a passenger for Portland Tuesday afternoon to visit friends for a few days. Mrs. Carroll and son left for Portland yesterday afternoon, after spending a few days in the valley. J. S. Booth has recovered from an attack of the grip which confined him to the house for several days. Rev. W. C. Gilmore will exchange pulpits with Rev. E. Clarence Oakley, of Oregon City, next Sunday. F. M. Hall-Lewis returned Tuesday evening from Portland, where he spent several days on business. The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. E. E. Goff. Mrs. H. D. W. Pineo received word Monday of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jeffrey Terrio, at Halifax, N. S. C. W. Simonson, of The Dalles, visited his brother, J. T. Simonson, of the Maine restaurant, the first of the week. Geo. McIntosh has just completed a fine residence on his place in the east Barrett district and is moving in this week. Mrs. Abbott's millinery opening March 18, 19 and 20, at which time I shall display the latest designs in pattern hats. A program and a candy auction will be given at the high school building for the benefit of the Track Athletic society on Monday evening, March 16, 7:30. Admission, 10 cents. Everybody is cordially invited to attend and enjoy a social evening. D. R. Norton, formerly of Norton & Smith, of this city, has purchased the hardware stock of Potter & Gould, at St. Johns, and will continue the business at that place. The many friends of Mr. Norton wish him success in his new field of labor. Frank Massee went to The Dalles Monday with his infant child, who was suffering with strangulated hernia, and an operation was performed successfully. Mrs. Massee and child returned Tuesday to remain with the child until it can be brought home. County Fruit Inspector G. R. Castner went to Mosier Tuesday to inspect orchards in that valley. Mr. Castner contemplates getting specimens of San Jose scale in its different stages and exhibiting them at the meeting of the Horticultural Society Saturday. A. P. Vance, who has been living on a ranch in the Crupper district for a couple of months with his family, was arrested at The Dalles Friday on a charge of incest. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to twenty years in the penitentiary by Judge Bradshaw. Sheriff Chrisman took him to Salem Tuesday afternoon. Dr. and Mrs. J. Williams, parents of Mrs. Dr. Brosius, celebrated their sixth wedding anniversary at the country residence February 27. The invited guests at dinner were Dr. F. C. Brosius and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bone. Suitable presents were presented to the worthy couple and a very pleasant social time was had. The meeting of baseball enthusiasts at the Commercial Club rooms last Friday evening resulted in plans being formulated for the coming season. The following officers were elected: L. E. Morse, manager; Ralph Hood, assistant manager; John Castner, captain; O. H. Gray, treasurer; C. P. Ross, Emmett Tompkins and Jas. Stranahan, committee on finance. It is proposed to have a team of local players only, if possible, and also to raise a guarantee fund. Henry Richeldorfer, of Wasco, has suffered a severe loss of horses during this month from an affliction resembling spinal meningitis. Out of 27 head 16 were stricken, of which eight died. It is the opinion that the disease was caused by exposure during the recent severe weather and by the horses eating frozen dry feed, straw and stubble. The horses on the ranch which were comfortably stabled and well fed were not stricken with the disease. So far as we have heard Mr. R. has been the only loser by this disease in this section.—Moro Observer.

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MME. ABBOTT

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