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**A HANDSOME CANE FREE**  
 with each gentleman's New Spring Suit. Grays prevail this year and, as usual, we are loaded on grays. Gray McKibbin Hats \$3.00. The King of Hats.

New Ladies' Suede Strap Pumps, \$3.50

# FRANK A. CRAM

New Spring Shirts just received

**BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.**

The Dietz Studio for photos. Land Plaster at Whitehead's. Cold boiled ham at McGuire Bros. Shoes made or repaired at Johnson's. Our work guaranteed. Dietz Studio. Finishing for amateurs at Dietz Studio.

Buy your L. n. e. and Vitrol at Whitehead's. Hazelwood Creamery Butter at McGuire Bros.

If you want shoes that don't go wrong go to Johnson's. Money to loan on improved farm land. T. D. Tweedy.

Home Rendered Leaf Lard at McGuire Bros. Best line of Spray Nozzles at McDonalds.

If your shoes have gone wrong take them to Johnson's. Line and Siphon Solution in any quantity, at Whitehead's.

Highest market price paid for real and chickens. McGuire Bros. Insure your automobile. G. Y. Edwards & Co., Agents.

Get your spray hose from McDonalds. Clean new stock, no factory scraps. "Insure Before the Fire." We represent standard companies only. G. Y. Edwards & Co., Agents.

"Insure Before the Fire" in companies like the Phenix, London and Lancashire and other strong companies. G. Y. Edwards & Co., Agts.

We do not keep Mitchell wagons, buggies and hacks—we sell them. Our sales in this line have been very gratifying not only to ourselves but many pleased customers. Blowers Bros.

If you want to buy, sell or rent Hood River property go to A. W. Outbank. Money to loan on first mortgages. Notarial work of all kinds and legal papers carefully prepared. Also fire insurance at the very best company rates.

Hood River Yellow Newtown Sweet Cider, made from hand sorted and washed apples. Your grocer will deliver same fresh and sweet at 35c per gallon.

The Davenport Harness Co. has a large supply of good robes which will be sold at very low prices in not to have to carry them over to next year.

There will be week day services at the Episcopal Church every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock during Lent, conducted by Rev. Mr. Warren.

C. E. Smith, a real estate and insurance man, and C. W. Irwin, an oil operator, both of Franklin, Pa., were guests of F. H. Irwin the latter part of last week. The gentlemen are expected to locate on the coast.

The firm of Hart Bros. has dissolved partnership and the most market will hereafter be conducted by Charles Hart. All accounts with the firm will be settled with him.

Allen Hart, Charles Hart.

There is a movement on foot in Wasco county for a new road from Mosier to The Dalles along the Columbia river and it has been suggested that in many places the old O. R. & N. grade could be utilized. The Wascoites are anxious to have a road to make their link in the chain which will straddle a Columbia River road from Portland into eastern Oregon. The proposed Portland River auto road will be the first link in the chain.

**Two Bargains**

A Snap: 32 acres near Odell Odell, only \$150 per acre all under the ditch. The best buy in the lower valley. Terms: 40 acres, fine orchard land, all under ditch, 10 acres cleared, 8 acres in orchard. 3 acres bearing, rest in young trees. This will make a fine home or prove a good speculation. Write for information to A. SCHILLER, Dees, Oregon. Phone Odell 122.

A subject of great present day interest will be considered at the vesper service of the Christian church from 5 to 9 p. m. Next Sunday under discussion will be, "An Introduction to the Widespread Agitation for a Change" in our "Present Social System." O. J. Nelson will speak and have charge of the meeting. All are cordially invited to be present.

Table boarders taken at 252 State St. W. F. Laraway was in Portland last week.

William Kerr left Tuesday for Ashland for a short business trip. Alfalfa, a fancy graded product. The Blalock Fruit Co., Walla Walla, Wash.

C. A. Whitmore, of Portland, was here Friday looking over his ranch in the valley.

Order your wire-wound wooden water pipe early, as it is not held in stock. See Joe Wilson.

The biggest, brightest, newest lot of Gordon Hats for Spring are now on sale at J. G. Vogt's.

Frank and Ann Cutler made a trip to The Dalles last week and bought a team of horses.

C. E. King, who has been here for some time with G. Y. Edwards, left for Portland Tuesday.

Mrs. Frederick Larial returned to Portland Saturday after a visit with her brother, A. L. Day.

L. E. Moore, of Lyle, was here last Thursday on his way to Seattle where he is disposing of a good deal of Lyle real estate.

C. R. Williams, of Portland, was here Tuesday as a representative of Morris Brothers, who bid upon the water bonds.

Mrs. Flora Hartley, son, Edward, and daughter, Gladys, have returned from California, where they have been spending the winter.

Clay Brock has gone to Portland where he will be associated with the Columbia Trust company in its real estate department.

A. J. Bruquist has returned from Corvallis where he took the short courses in horticulture at the Oregon Agricultural College.

A. W. Peters and Rae Babson have returned from Corvallis, where they took the horticultural short course at Oregon Agricultural College.

The Hood River fire department has announced a dance to be given under its auspices in the Odd Fellows' hall Tuesday evening, February 22.

Mrs. W. G. Hare arrived Saturday from New York City to join her husband, who, with Messrs. Putnam and Reilly, recently bought a large place in the middle valley.

Miss Lucy Cutler returned Sunday from a visit with friends in Portland. She was accompanied by Miss Ethelwynne Harris, who is now a guest at the Cutler ranch.

F. O. Lamberson, of Indianapolis, was here several days this week looking over the valley. Mr. Lamberson is interested in orchard lands and expects to locate on the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Joseph Jackson Carter arrived Tuesday from Chicago to join her husband, who has been here for a couple of months and has the Conley ranch in Odell.

C. L. Rogers, of Portland, has been in the upper valley buying apples during the past week. He reports getting some excellent Baldwin and says the market is now good in the valley.

J. C. Bowman, wife and two children arrived last week from Hamilton, Ohio, and will make their home on the ten acre place in the Oak Grove district, which Mr. Bowman bought last fall.

Proposals to Clear Land Wasted—Tract of ten acres in Hood River valley with contract for twenty more if satisfactory given. Apply to T. H. Sherrard, Beck Building, Portland, Oregon, for particulars.

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Burnett Duncan and family spent Sunday in Portland.

Notice our special ad if you want a home in town. B. E. Duncan & Co.

Frank Howard, of Portland, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. C. A. Flath was the guest of friends in The Dalles this week.

F. A. Hishop was in The Dalles Saturday on business at the land office.

Mrs. Bertha Hemman came up from Portland Saturday for a short visit with friends.

If you are interested to know the correct style in Gordon Hats see J. G. Vogt's window.

N. H. Ament has moved to Portland, where he will be engaged in the dairy business.

Levin Butler was registered from Portland at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco last week.

Dr. Otto S. Biswanger, of Portland, was here Sunday looking over fruit lands in the valley.

Rev. H. A. MacDonald has moved into the Clay Brock house on Eighth street and Cascade avenue.

Misses Ada Hart and Hazel True entertained with a party at Irue's hall on the heights Friday evening.

W. E. Shay and family wish to express their sincere appreciation for the sympathy shown by many friends during their recent bereavement.

Miss Adeline Burlingame, aged 49, died Thursday at her home in White Salmon. The funeral occurred there Saturday at the Odd Fellows hall.

Miss Adele Goff is in Portland this week attending the Christian Endeavor convention at the Congregational church.

G. F. Conley stopped off here Thursday on his way from Portland to Joseph. It is well to note that Mr. Conley still registers from Hood River and expects to return here soon.

U. S. Commissioner Henry L. Howe is in Walla Walla helping in the land office there. Mr. Howe was formerly connected with the office at Walla Walla and was called on to help out during the rush of business.

A very desirable bungalow four blocks from the business section is for sale by E. H. Hartwig. The house contains six rooms and a bath. Mr. Hartwig also has two choice town lots for sale.

The principal speakers will be Rev. C. H. Christman, Dist. Supt., Portland, and Miss Emma Keeler, of India. Service each afternoon and evening. The public is invited to attend.

C. E. Perry, Pastor.

Bruce Bros., of Indianapolis, with C. H. Tuttle, were guests of W. H. Marshall during the past week in the upper valley. They purchased the E. H. Hartwig 80 acre tract and took options on other property. They will clear and plant the 80 acres this spring. Mr. Marshall sold 10 acres for E. T. Polts and 10 acres for Raymond Gribble to E. W. Clark.

The ladies of the W. O. T. U. invite the ladies of Hood River, town and valley, to attend the memorial services of Miss Francis E. Willard to be held in the Odd Fellows Hall this afternoon (Thursday, February 17) at 2:30 o'clock. An interesting program has been prepared.

Miss Alberta Jackson, of Hood River, had a prominent part in a pupils' recital given at the New England Conservatory of Music, in Boston, on Saturday, Feb. 5. Miss Jackson is studying in the vocal department, and her selection for this occasion was Matte's "Non e vai". A large audience expressed approval of her performance, which was marked by the perfect technique required before a student may appear in public at this largest of American music schools.

F. W. Radford returned Saturday from California.

E. Reeve Claxton was in The Dalles on business Wednesday.

Mrs. W. O. Hadley and children went to California Sunday.

T. W. DeLusey is building a house on his quarter section at Mosier.

Mrs. W. L. Smith has returned from Mojave, Cal., where she was visiting her son, W. W. Smith.

Miss Clara Blythe will go to Portland this morning to visit her brother E. N. Blythe and family.

E. L. McClain has returned from Corvallis where he took the horticultural short course at O. A. C.

Miss Sadie Ford was here over Sunday from Po land visiting her parents, Dr. F. B. Ford and wife.

David Keeles, of Ogden, heavily interested in the Oregon Lumber Co., was here on business this week.

Moore and Look are now operating the feed yard and sales stables at the corner of First and State streets. They have been selling some good horses at their Saturday sales.

Two very excellent pieces of burnt wood are on exhibition in the window of the Paris Fair. The artistic pieces are a basket of roses a dog's head. Joe Hayward did the work.

Christian Science Society—Services in Reading Room, No. 6 Davidson Bldg., corner 3rd and Cascade, Sunday, Feb. 14, at 11 a. m. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Feb. 20 Subject, "Mind."

Mrs. Nancy Ann Watts died Tuesday at her home in Forest Grove. She was 85 years old and one of the Oregon pioneers of 1852. One of her daughters, Mrs. Sarah Hicks lives in Hood River.

C. E. Glaze returned Wednesday from San Diego, where he spent the winter. Mr. Glaze says that California is having an epidemic of measles and various other skin diseases and while there he was the victim of a very severe attack of the measles.

The Music Club met recently at the home of Mrs. Dutro. Eighteen were present and three new names were added to the roll. The usual program was followed and arrangements made for a Chaminade Day. On account of illness in the family of Mr. Nelson, the club will meet today with Mrs. C. K. Marshall, 121 Sherman avenue.

A cordial invitation is extended to the services at the Baptist church Sunday. The subject of the morning sermon will be, "Living or Existing, Which?" and the evening praise service an address, "An Old Logging Camp," will be given particularly for young men. An orchestra will lead the singing in the evening.

E. H. Pilsen, who came here with his family a few months ago from Washington, O. has bought the 25 acre ranch of William Stewart in the Odell district. The price paid for the land was \$13,000 and there are 13 acres of trees ranging from one to five years while the other seven acres is in clover.

S. F. Blythe Gets a Surprise. S. F. Blythe, Adjutant and Post Commander of Canby Post, and past Department Commander of Department of Oregon, G. A. R., was the victim of a surprise party St. Valentine day, which was also his sixty eighth birthday. The surprise was complete and though the old editor is quite foxy, Mrs. Blythe and Clara were equally so, telling him they had invited Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilson to spend the day with them, and they were quietly told to come early as reception committee.

Captain Jas. B. Shaw, Dept. Commander of Oregon G. A. R. came up from Portland and led the hosts of Canby Post and Canby W. R. C., carrying a fine chair as a gift from the Corps and Post and Comrade Blythe surrendered gracefully.

The crowd filled the rooms which were beautifully decorated with the glorious colors of our country glory. In the center of the table, was a monster birthday cake holding small flag for each of the sixty-eight years.

The dinner! Oh, I can't describe it. Captain Shaw said the table favored by the profusion and I feared he would do the groaning later for surrounding so much of it, but the Captain seems to be able to fill himself clear down to the neck joints without injury. Each guest was given a year of cake with a handsome flag waving over it. After all had eaten their fill, Comrade Blythe was called on for a speech and he responded with a fine one, expressing his thanks for the presence of so many of his friends and comrades and ladies of the W. R. C. and hoped that the custom be established that each one of them should have a surprise on their anniversary. Captain Shaw followed heartily endorsing the suggestion, we hope with no sinister motive. The proposition was also endorsed by comrades Leenberg and Rigby. Mrs. Rigby and

several of the W. R. C. and the decision was given by Judge Buck, that this does not end it.

Comrade Cunningham was then called and read a valentine prepared for Comrade Blythe.

TO OUR VALENTINE. Our Valentine now is one of the boys. Who marched to the music of battling toys. A farmer and private with a printer's class. The case to him was as good as a school. He wears many honors earned in the war. Has filled every office west in the G. A. R. He's adjutant now with a brigadier's star. How's that for high-don't it give you a jarr?

As journeyman printer he traveled all round And covered most all of Uncle Sam's ground. A jolly young printer with rule and with stick. If he got very hungry the paste pot could tick. Today his years number sixty-eight I am told Good Lord! Will that boy never grow old? Will he always be frisky, light hearted, debonaire? Lord grant it—each heart responds to the prayer.

The Post and Relief Corps, united, declare. To grow old gracefully he needs a good chair. So best to our comrade wish good and us grey. The stars of his Winter the dew of his May. And when we are done with life and its joy. Dear Father, take care of our comrade, the boy.

After the reading of the valentine motion was carried to request its publication in both the Hood River papers with the report of the meeting. A young lady present, they called her Mrs. Booth, I don't believe she was a bit over eighty, related a dream about being in Heaven where a revolt was in progress caused by recent arrivals from Hood River, who had to be forcibly restrained and their wings clipped to keep them from flying back. It was a day of rain with sunshine between flurries of snow and blizzard within the hearts of those present was the warmth of June and this day will be remembered as one of the happiest.—Contributed.

University Club Dance and Smoker. The University Club has issued invitations for an informal dance at the Odd Fellows' Hall Friday evening, February 25. The committee in charge of the affair is Frank Cutler, D. Currier, Jr., F. H. Irwin, Coburn Allen and Fred McGrew, and they have planned a smoker for the club to occur in the afternoon at the Commercial Club rooms, at which discussions of horticultural subjects will be in order. Talks of pruning, spraying and the commercial side of fruit growing will be made by well known Hood River growers.

To The Public. We wish to announce that we have disposed of our entire interest in the Royal Bakery at 102 Third street to E. E. Gibson, of Eugene, Ore., and wish to thank our customers for their patronage in the past and trust that they will extend same to our successor.

Mr. Gibson is a thorough business man and intends making many changes and will add a nice line of lunch foods, fruits, candies, etc., and we feel confident that it will be to the interest of the public to call on him when in want of anything in his line.

Mrs. Gibson will conduct a dress-making establishment in the same building. Respectfully, Patterson Bros.

Resolutions of Respect. Whereas, Nellie E. Shay has been removed from our midst in the flower of young womanhood when she was engaged in the most praiseworthy work of ministering to the suffering of her fellow humans, be it

Resolved, that the W. O. W. Camp, 710, and W. O. W. Circle, 524, express to the bereaved family their sincere sympathy in this their hour of sorrow and be it further

Resolved, that these resolutions be communicated to neighbors W. E. Shay and wife, be spread upon the minutes of these organizations and published in the local papers.

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 The Place that Does the Framing

**Mid-Winter Sale**  
 To make room for the Spring Orders now arriving we are offering great reductions on all Winter Goods:

<b>MEN'S Cravenette Coats</b>	<b>Ladies' Sweaters</b>
Values \$12.50, now..... \$10.00	Values \$1.75, now..... \$1.35
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\$10.00, now..... 8.50	\$2.75, now..... 2.15

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**Reductions Made on** on all **Men's Flannel Shirts**

These are money saving bargains for you. Please take notice.  
**A. L. Carmichael**  
 ON THE HEIGHTS

For Sale—One of the best of teams of sorrel matched horses, age six and seven, perfectly sound and gentle, not afraid of steam engine or automobile, weight 1550 each. Good all round team. Drive right up to the bit. Also pair of these birds is grand. Satisfaction guaranteed. Rockford Poultry Yards, Hood River. Phone 183X.

For Sale—Having added to our stock of Plymouth Rocks some new blood we have now for sale a few cockerels and pullets which are bound to make winners, having correct markings, yellow legs and beaks. The make up of these birds is grand. Satisfaction guaranteed. Rockford Poultry Yards, Hood River. Phone 183X.

**Here is Your Chance**  
 The Wm. Haynes property on Oak Street, a commanding view of the River, house and lot 60x100 feet with outlet on State Street. This is the best buy in town at **\$2,900.00**  
 Also the small house and lot on State street for \$1100. YOU WILL HAVE TO ACT QUICK.  
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