

WEDDING BELLS CHIME FORTH

Miss Edith Lange and Hugh Preston Allen Are Happily Married

AFTER BRIEF HONEYMOON WILL SETTLE ON THE ALLEN HOME-STEAD IN POLK COUNTY—JUDGE SCOTT PERFORMED TWO WEDDING CEREMONIES.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

A pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday at 2:30 o'clock p. m. when Miss Edith A. Lange became the happy bride of Mr. Hugh Preston Allen. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Lange, in South Salem, Rev. W. C. Kantner officiating.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lange, and a young lady of high intellectual qualities, loved and honored by all. The groom is a son of ex-Senator John Allen, deceased, of Polk county, whose family now resides in this city.

The young couple were the recipients of numerous beautiful presents—gifts of their loving friends—as tokens of the esteem in which they are held. The bride has been a resident of Salem for the past three years, having come here with her parents from Illinois in 1899.

They left yesterday afternoon on the 4:30 o'clock train for a few days' visit at Portland and other cities, after which they will return and take up their residence on the Allen homestead in Polk county.

A Double Wedding.

Two holiday marriage ceremonies were performed by County Judge John H. Scott at the court house yesterday afternoon, which, although quiet and without a trace of ostentation, were none the less impressive.

The two couples which were made happily happy on this occasion were:

Miss Dela Bailey to Mr. Simon H. Johnson, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. and Miss Lizzie Ryan to Mr. Richard V. Farrot.

DISEASE OF SHEEP

NEW AILMENT IN OREGON IS REPORTED TO THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Information reached the Agricultural College Wednesday afternoon of the presence in Astoria of the sheep disease with which the flocks of X. W. Hawley were affected last year, says the Corvallis Times. The ailment affects the lips and nostrils, which become badly swollen and render eating and breathing difficult. It first appears in the nature of pimples which multiply in number until the whole surface of the affected parts becomes involved.

Ultimately the pimples resolve themselves into pustules and become confluent, forming a hard outer scab under which is pus. The whole takes on a highly inflamed condition, and seems to be very annoying to the affected animals. The latter rub their noses on the ground, which in turn increases the violence of the symptoms.

The disease is infectious, but not necessarily fatal. Of 100 or 700 affected in A. W. Hawley's band last year, less than half a dozen died. Equal parts of litchthyl and vaseline applied to the parts is a speedy and effective remedy. There are also several other remedies, some of which are less expensive than litchthyl and vaseline treatment.

The same disease was widely prevalent in Lincoln county last year. Its origin is unknown, and the disease is comparatively new in this country. It is often prevalent in European herds.

SCHOOL EXERCISES

INTERESTING CLOSING EVENT OF THE PLEASANT POINT SCHOOL—OTHER ITEMS.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

School closed Friday night with interesting exercises. All the school took part and every one performed the parts assigned creditably. Prizes in composition were given. First, for originality, correct spelling, punctuation and good grammar; second, for neatness of manuscript and handwriting. The first prize was awarded to Hattie Downs and the second to Marian Tolman. Miss Hicks, the teacher, has given good satisfaction and seems to be devoted to her work.

In my last report the type in some manner made me state that the G. G. Dinsman place of "144 acres" was sold for \$1,000. This is a mistake of just 100 acres. The farm consists of but 44 acres, Mr. Geo. Jones, of Tacoma, was the purchaser.

John Meier and Mrs. Meier have removed to Salem. Mr. Meier is employed

at the Catholic Sister's School of the Capital City. Miss Nina Bowers, of Salem, is home for the Xmas vacation. J. B. Underwood and family, residents lately of Turner, have removed to Salem. The United States Government has furnished tombstones for two veterans of the war for the Union, interred in Twin Oaks cemetery, Turner, viz., C. F. Hall, or Turner, and James Overton, of Shaw, the first of the 6th Wisconsin Vol. Inf., the second of the 15th. Geo. Kendall will move into the Sidney Brownell house on the Pringle road. Pleasant Point, Or., Dec. 24.

OREGON AND THE ORIENT

Increase in Demand for Dairy Products in China and Japan

CONSUMPTION IN 1906 WILL DOUBLE THAT OF PRESENT—THE INCREASE DEMANDS THAT STEPS BE TAKEN TO ENTER ORIENTAL MARKETS.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

J. W. Bailey, State Food and Dairy Commissioner, is in receipt of a communication from Hon. H. B. Miller, United States Consul at Niu Chwang, China, relating to the opening of a market for Oregon dairy products in the Orient. This letter has been incorporated in Mr. Bailey's report to the Legislature, and, as it is of great concern to the people of the Willamette Valley in that this district is fast becoming famous as the greatest dairy district on the Pacific coast, the letter is reproduced in full:

"J. W. Bailey, State Dairy and Food Commissioner—Dear Sir: Concerning the Orient, I beg to advise you that the markets for the dairy products in there has been a constant increase in the consumption of butter, both in China and Japan. Butter and cheese to the amount of 298,000 pounds were imported into China in 1901. This was an increase of over 70 per cent over the previous year. The enlarged consumption of these articles indicates a growth that will make the consumption by 1905 at least double the present quantity.

"The increased passenger travel on the Pacific Ocean is also enlarging the Pacific Coast market for butter and cheese in a marked degree.

"The demand for butter and cheese in Japan is also growing, and will continue to increase. The most remarkable growth in both of these countries in consumption of dairy products, however, is condensed milk. Butter is consumed largely by foreigners, but the natives are taking a fancy to unadorned milk of the sweetened kind, and it can be found in the native stores as far as our cotton goods penetrate, and much farther into the interior than our flour goes. This milk is growing in favor because it is being looked upon as a medicine for the sick and health food for children, and it is also believed that it has power to revive vitality and give the forces of youth to old age. The growth of this sentiment throughout both Japan and China is so great that the supply of this sweetened milk is constantly far below the demand.

"The extensive development of irrigation that is now coming into Oregon, the tremendous increase in the production of the best milk-producing plant, alfalfa, demand that steps be taken by the people of this state to enter the Oriental markets with milk, butter and cheese.

"This country has better communication by steamer, a better climate and cooler waters to ship through, and shorter time in reaching consumers, than any of its competitors, and there seems to be no reason why it cannot command the trade. The merchants of the Orient are anxious to make connections with manufacturers of these products here and arrange for monthly shipments. An agent established at Kobe, Japan, who would make annual trips to the principal places in Japan, to study the wants of the trade and have the factories here conform to their wants, could command the trade and make it permanently tributary to this coast.

"Very truly yours,
"H. B. MILLER,
"Consul, China."

Foils a Deadly Attack.

"My wife was so ill that good physicians were unable to help her," writes M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., "but was completely cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills." They work wonders in stomach and liver troubles. Cure constipation, sick-headache; 25c at Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

MARRIED IN CALIFORNIA

JOSEPH R. WHITNEY AND MISS ZELLA E. WOOD UNITED IN MARRIAGE. Joseph Richmond Whitney and Miss Zella Emilie Wood were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's brother, Arthur W. Wood, at 527 South Flower street, in Los Angeles, California, on Monday evening, December 22, 1902. Rev. Dr. McIntyre, of Los Angeles, performed the ceremony, which was witnessed by only a few relatives.

The groom is one of the proprietors of the Herald and State Printer-elect. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wood, of this city, and a most worthy and accomplished young lady. They will spend their honeymoon visiting in California and will return to Oregon about January 1st. Their home will be in Salem, where the duties of Mr. Whitney's office require his residence. They have the best wishes of all for a happy and prosperous wedded life.—Albany Herald.

Often when a society woman's "cheeks burn," you can detect the odor of burning paint.—Life.
Till a man he mustn't, and he will; tell a woman she mustn't, and you'll see.—Life.

EDITORIALS OF PEOPLE

Defeat of Burrows Resolution Excites Comment From an Irate Citizen

"AMERICAN" BEGS TO REMIND THE COUNCIL THAT MAJORITIES COUNT IN AN ELECTION—"KNOWNOTHING" VENTURES A FOOLISH QUESTION.

In the published report of the council proceedings, Tuesday evening, appears the following:

"The question of boundary brought up a spirited discussion over a resolution presented by Alderman Burrows. The text of the resolution provided in substance for the approval of the council of the new boundaries, but that if a majority of the voters and taxpayers whose persons and properties were involved in the change, should enter a remonstrance against incorporation then the council would not approve of it. The resolution was defeated almost unanimously."

Is it possible that the members of our council, through long and continued service, have concluded that they don't count. Once in a while officials get that un-American idea, but along comes an election and they change their minds. AMERICAN.

Editor Statesman: If "Big Salem" charter is enacted, will a foreigner employed to sweep a street crossing be required to exhibit naturalization papers? KNOWNOTHING.

A COMMERCIAL COMPANY ORGANIZED IN PENDLETON AND INCORPORATED YESTERDAY—OTHER COMPANIES.

(From Thursday's Daily.) Articles of incorporation were filed in the department of the Secretary of State yesterday, as follows:

The Commercial Association of Pendleton will erect a club building and conduct a general stock and bond business in Pendleton. The capital stock of the Association is \$30,000, and Geo. A. Hartman, R. Alexander and Leon Cohen are the incorporators. The Halldale Electric Tramway Company, with headquarters in Portland, and a capital stock of \$50,000, will acquire and build tramways in all parts of the world. Sidney H. Cowston, Frank R. Russell and Ernest A. Cowston are the incorporators. The Oregon Trading Company, with principal office in Sumpter, and a capital stock of \$20,000, will do a general forwarding and commission business. Clark Snyder, J. T. Donnelly and H. C. Bowers are the incorporators.

THE RIVER RISING

SUDDEN CHANGE OF WEATHER CAUSES ALARM ALONG THE RIVER.

The heavy rain of Tuesday has had the effect of bringing the river up again. The rise was over three feet for the twenty-four hours ending at 6 o'clock last night, registering at that hour, 8 1/2 feet above low water mark. The sudden moderation of the weather during the past twenty-four hours has caused some little apprehension among those having property contiguous to the river, as it is feared that the rapid melting of the heavy fall of snow in the mountains and the foothills will cause the swelling of the river beyond its banks.

Many of the people who live in glass houses go into politics and they don't seem to mind it a bit.—Puck.

CAUSE OF BACKACHE

The Popular Idea That It Comes From the Kidneys Not Warranted By Facts.

People who imagine that backache, pain, irritation, soreness or tenderness in the back is a sure sign of kidney trouble, are victims of a great error. Not more than one backache in a hundred comes from kidney trouble. The fact is, kidney diseases usually do not cause any pain and are often unsuspected until serious complications arise.

Backache is generally caused by heart, liver and female troubles, muscular rheumatism, lumbago, constipation or some irritation of the nerve centers which radiate from the lower portion of the spinal chord. To try and cure these troubles by the use of kidney remedies is worse than useless. In all cases of backache that continues for more than a few days, it is better to consult a physician who makes a specialty of chronic and lingering diseases, and who has paid special attention to the prolific subject of backache. From his large experience he has a better understanding of the nature of the and the best methods of treating such disorders. No one has done more for such sufferers than Dr. Franklin Miles, the heart, brain and nerve specialist.

"For several years I suffered with backache, biliousness, stomach trouble, and a tenderness in abdomen which the doctors said was caused by catarrh of the bladder. Receiving no benefit from their treatment, I wrote to Dr. Miles for advice, and his medicine, which was specially prepared for me, has done everything he said it would, and I am satisfied that I am permanently cured." Mrs. R. A. Brice, Mason, Ga.
"Dr. Miles treats patients by mail with the greatest success. Write to him if you are not well, explain your trouble and ask for a Free Trial Treatment. Address Dr. Franklin Miles, 293 to 295 State Street, Chicago, Ill.
In writing mention the Weekly Oregon Statesman, Salem, Ore.

SPEER BROS.' BEST PRICES

Salem—Aumsville—Mehama

We kindly ask you to read this ad, save it, and use it as a guide in your buying. If you will do this you will save money. In the next issue our list alphabetically will be "C."

Butter—"Aumsville," 25c lb, 50c roll.
Butter—Good cooking, 45c roll.
Bacon—Breakfast, 17c lb.
Bacon—Heavy country, 12 1-2c lb.
Royal Baking Powder—
Half-pound tins, 25c.
One pound tins, 45c.
Two and one-half pound tins, \$1.00.
Five-pound tins, \$3.00.
Baking Powder—Folger's, 1-lb tins, 25c each.
Baking Powder—Folger's half-pound tins, 20c.
Baking Powder—Schilling's Best, 1-lb tins, 35c.
Baking Powder—Schilling's Best, 1-2 lb tins, 20c.
Baking Powder—Schilling's Best, 2 1/2 lb tins, 50c each.
Baking Powder—Schilling's Best, 5 lb tins, \$1.60 each.
Baking Soda, Schilling's Best, 1 lb pkg, 5c.
Baking Soda—Folger's, 1 lb pkg, 5c.
Baking Soda—Arm and Hammer, 1 lb pk, 2 pk, 15c; 4 pk, 25c.
Ball Bluing—La A. C. R. German Blue, 15c box.
Bananas, 25c doz.
Barley, pearl, 5c lb, 6 lbs for 25c.
Beans, small white, 5c lb, 6 lbs 25c.
Beans, small white, home grown, 5c lb, 6 lbs for 25c.
Beef, canned, corned, 2 lb tins, 25c.
Beef, canned, corned, 1 lb tin, 15c.
Beef, canned, chipped, dried, 1 lb tin, 15c.
Beef, canned, chipped, dried, 1-2 lb tins, 15c.
Bird Seed, with cuttle bone, 1 lb pk, 2 for 15c, 4 for 25c.
Bluing, Mrs. Stewart's, best made, 10c bottle.
Boiled Cider, G S brand, pt bottle, 15c.
Bone Meal, 2c per lb, \$1.75 per 100 lbs.
Butter Color, Wells, Richardson & Co., 20c bottle.
Buckwheat Flour, J. Spaniol & Sons, 10 lbs at 25c.
Brooms, ranging in price from 25c to 40c.
Burners, Lamp, A or No. 1, 10c, 2 for 15c.
Burners, Lamp, B or No. 2, 10c or 3 for 25c.
Borax, Lump, 12 1-2c lb.
Buyer's Best Flour, \$1.00 sk, \$3.90 a bbl.
Butcher knives, 6 in. razor steel, No. 225, 50c.
Butcher Knives, 6 in. razor steel, No. 650, 35c.
Butcher Knives, No. 21, 20c.
Butcher Knives, No. 20, 15c.

Butcher Knives, 6 in, genuine Wils-son, 30c.
Braces, No. 129, 75c.
Button Pliers, 6 in., 30c.
Button Pliers, 8 in., 40c.
Butts, 3x3 cast, No. 142, 10c pair.
Butts, 3 1-2x3 1-2, cast, No. 142, at 12 1-2c pair.
Butts, 3x3, wrought, No. 823, 12 1-2c pair.
Butts, 3 1-2x3 1-2, wrought, No. 823, 15c pair.
Butts, 4x4, wrought, No. 823, 20c.
Barrel Bolts, 3 in., No. 923, 10c.
Barrel Bolts, 3 in., No. 924, 10c.
Bells, Cow, No. 2, 25c.
Bells, Cow, No. 3, 25c.
Bells, Cow, No. 4, 15c.
Bells, Cow, No. 5, 15c.
Bells, Cow or Sheep, No. 7, 10c.
Bread Knives, Aetna, No. 1, 20c.
Bread Knives, No. 209, 40c.
"Brandy" Men's Shoes, lace, high cut, Kang. calf, \$3.25.
"Blue Bird" Child's Shoes, spring heel, sizes 5 to 8, 70c.
"Blue Bird" Child's Shoes, no heel, sizes 3 to 5, 50c.
"Black Bird" Child's Shoes, spring heel, sizes 5 to 8, 70c.
"Black Bird" Child's Shoes, spring heel, sizes 2 to 5, 50c.
"Beauty" Ladies' Shoes, vici kid, pat. tip, sizes 3 to 7, \$2.00.
Blacking, Rising Sun, 5c.
Boston Baked Beans, Booth's, 10c.
Bull Durham Tobacco, 1 oz. pk., 5c; 6 for 25c.
Boot Jack Chewing Tobacco, 5 1-3 oz. plug, 30c.
Brandywine Chewing Tobacco, 5 1-3 oz. plug, 15c.
Beans, Blue Ribbon Brand, 2 lb tins, 10c.
Brushes, "Dandy" Rice Root Horse, 25c.
Berlin Kettle, Royal Grey Granite, No. 63, 3 qt., 40c.
Berlin Kettle, Royal Grey Granite, No. 64, 4 qt., 45c.
Berlin Kettle, Royal Grey Granite, No. 65, 5 qt., 50c.
Berlin Kettle, Royal Grey Granite, No. 66, 6 qt., 55c.
Berlin Kettle, Royal Grey Granite, No. 67, 8 qt., 65c.
Berlin Sauce Pans, Royal Grey Granite, No. 63, 3 qt., 40c.
Berlin Sauce Pans, Royal Grey Granite, No. 64, 4 qt., 45c.
Berlin Sauce Pans, Royal Grey Granite, No. 65, 5 qt., 50c.
Berlin Sauce Pans, Royal Grey Granite, No. 66, 6 qt., 55c.
Berlin Sauce Pans, Royal Grey Granite, No. 67, 8 qt., 65c.
Bromo Seltzer, 10c, 3 for 25c.
Bucklin's Arnica Salve, 25c.

SPECIAL

Barrels of Cranberries for 12 1-2c quart, and Barrels of Plain Mixed Candy at 7 1-2c pound during the holidays.

SWEDEN UNDERSTOOD AMERICA.

Now that the question as to who was our friend at the time of the war with Spain has been threshed out, one might start a discussion as to who really thought that we were going to win. At the Hotel Manhattan yesterday, C. S. Clark, of Chicago, was telling of a trip he took through Europe in the summer of 1898, and of what he found the sentiment on this question to be. "Outside of England, which we who were abroad that year felt to be really like home, I found but one place where it was thought we would win. In France we were foolish; in Austria they had us paying an indemnity to Spain, but up in Sweden I found a young officer in a naval station who was confident that we would wipe out the Spanish navy. Somebody or other he had managed to see something of the inside of the Spanish navy, and also of the navy of the United States, and hence, he said, came his confidence. I remember, too, he remarked to me, 'If you do whip Spain, you will have to double your navy. That's the penalty of victory.' I found many other people in Sweden who were most friendly to us; they all seemed to have a most genuine regard for the United States and admiration for our power and our methods of doing things."—N. Y. Tribune.

WILL NOT EXTEND LINE.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 24.—The recent reports published in several different papers in the state that the Corvallis & Eastern Railroad would be extended across the Cascade mountains through Eastern Oregon, to Vale, are without any foundation whatever. Manager Ed-ward Stone, when asked yesterday, said the C. & E. contemplated no extension at present.

"There is nothing in the rumor," said Mr. Stone, "although I wish it were true. As far as I know, the C. & E. will make no extension in any direction in the immediate future."

Basel has the only zoological garden in Switzerland. England has just experienced the coldest May for 60 years.

Only good swimmers are acceptable as recruits in the German army. In meridional Russia people gain a remunerative living by fishing for leeches.

There are 2,850 blind people in the East End of London, most of whom make a living by begging. Bamboo in Java makes an effective poison, the fine hairs on the young shoots being mixed with food. Of the 85,000,000 odd acres of land in Russia 25 per cent are occupied by forests and orchards.

A TEXAS WONDER

HALL'S GREAT DISCOVERY.

One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 623, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials, sold by all druggists, and at DR. S. C. STONE'S drug store, Salem, Oregon.

READ THIS.

Randon, Ore., Dec. 8, 1901. Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir:—I have used your Texas Wonder for kidney and rheumatic trouble. Its effects are wonderful. It has no equal, and I can cheerfully recommend it. Yours truly, HARVEY HOWE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—The Daily News

today says that capital to the amount of nearly a billion dollars is reported to be represented in the formation of a gigantic gas trust, which will include the different companies in nearly all the principal cities of Europe and the large interests of London. A Chicago man is alleged to be the originator of the scheme and Chicago and New York capital is represented in the project. John D. Rockefeller is credited with being a prospective stockholder to the amount of \$300,000,000. Other New York capitalists said to be interested are Anthony Bray, D. O. Mill and A. R. Flower. C. K. G. Billings of the People's Gas Light & Coke Company, and Anthony Brady, said to be the prime mover in the venture, the story runs, will leave within ten days for Paris, to perfect the deal.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out, and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; since cases out of the cause are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface. We will give One Hundred Dollars

for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists; 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

QUESTION OF COLOR.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The special Army Board on the new Army uniform has decided in favor of the use of the blue facings for the uniform instead of white facings, as had been suggested. The action of the board was based mainly on the fact that many officers had gone to the expense of having their new uniforms made with the blue facings in conformity with the original action of the board, and it was thought that the work had gone too far to justify a change simply to gratify a taste in the matter of color.

There is a strong sentiment in favor of white facings in the Army, despite the action of the board, and the matter will not be settled until passed on by the Secretary of War.

DEATH OF A PIONEER WOMAN.

LEBANON, Or., Dec. 24.—Mrs. Julia L. McKnight died at her home, three miles south of Lebanon, December 13. She was born January 5, 1847, in Des Moines county, Iowa, and resided in that county until 1864, when, with her mother and step-father she started across the plains for Oregon; her step-father dying on the way across. With her mother she arrived in the Willamette valley in the fall of the same year, and settled in Linn county, and has made her home here until the time of her death. She was married on January 25, 1865, to Thomas P. McKnight, who survives her. She leaves three sons and a daughter.

VANDERBILT'S COMMISSION.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A commission as First Lieutenant of the Twelfth Regiment, National Guard, signed by Governor Odell, has been received for Cornelius Vanderbilt by Colonel George K. Dyer, from Albany. Mr. Vanderbilt only two days before he was taken ill passed an exceptionally high examination before the Brigade Board for promotion to which he has been elected from the grade of Second Lieutenant some weeks previous.

TEACHERS ON A STRIKE.

WINNIPEG, Man., Dec. 23.—All the women teachers in the Portage La Parle schools except one have gone on a strike to enforce the demand for better wages. The teachers are supported by practically every leading man in the town. The trustees are advertising for new teachers.

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BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE