

The Weekly Polk County Signal.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF POLK CO.

TUESDAY MORNING, JAN. 12, 1869.

The publication day of the SIGNAL is changed to Tuesday.

A WORD FOR THE ADVERTISING PATRONS OF THE SIGNAL.

It has been a practice with us to occasionally pass a word "all along the line" of our advertising patrons...

We will begin with DALLAS.

B. F. NICHOLS, druggist and apothecary, has availed himself of the use of our columns ever since he purchased the extensive drug establishment of Sheriff Smith...

Mr. Nichols' establishment is complete, handsome and neatly and tidily arranged; is a credit to Dallas and a source of profit to its enterprising and socially disposed proprietor.

J. H. LEWIS, dealer in dry goods, groceries, queensware, hardware, etc., etc., is an accommodating and clever merchant.

G. B. STILES deals in groceries and family supplies. His success in this branch of trade has been very remarkable.

W. O. BROWN, though his advertisement has been discontinued, we will say generally keeps a good assortment of goods in his line.

A. S. CRIDER, next door to the SIGNAL office, manufacturer and dealer in boots and shoes; keeps a good assortment of both custom made work and goods eastern manufacture.

MANN & PIERCE, blacksmiths, are still hammering away. Give them work. We will remember Salem and Portland patrons in our next.

Ex-Sheriff JOS. LIGGETT, proprietor of the Union Market is a clever, prompt and obliging meat vendor.

THE ELLENDALE WOOLEN MILLS, though not at the present time advertising, will doubtless renew, for their splendid success in their enterprise is evidence that they understand business.

Messrs. APPELLEGE & WHITSON, Hayden & Myer, and Judge Collins are the leading attorneys of the county and rank high in the profession of the law.

Dr. S. R. JESSUP, graduate of the Medical Department of the Willamette University, and who attended a course of lectures in the Toland Medical College, San Francisco, is a persevering, energetic and prompt physician.

DALLAS HOTEL, kept by B. F. Nichols, has been renovated and refurbished. The guests of this house are well cared for and never go away dissatisfied.

From Dallas we turn our attention to INDEPENDENCE.

Messrs CRONE & WOLF have erected a new two story building and also a warehouse on Main street; in the former they have displayed a large and choice stock of staple merchandise, while the latter is stored full of farm produce awaiting shipment when prices will justify or inclination dictate.

S. MITCHEL has also a large and carefully selected stock of general merchandise, as also a large warehouse; the latter is stored full of wheat and other products of the farm.

Dr. J. E. DAVIESON is a successful and popular physician—a graduate of the Medical Department of the Willamette University. His practice is extensive in his portion of the county.

Messrs. VANDUYN, SOMMERVILLE & Co. are still on hands with a rousing stock of dry goods, groceries, etc., and like the balance of the leading merchants of the burg, are clever, enterprising and accommodating.

E. MERWIN, furniture dealer and manufacturer, is a practical Cabinet Maker; keeps a general assortment of chairs, bedsteads, bureaus, etc., of his own manufacture as also of eastern goods in his line.

J. M. MASON, inventor and patentee of the best gang plow in use (the Challenge), has gone to California to dispose of rights in that State.

R. DOTY keeps a general assortment of all classes of goods. He is a genial, whole souled gentleman to trade with and is doing a good business.

R. DOTY & Co. during the past season, erected a large warehouse on an eminence overlooking a good boat landing on the river just east of town. They have been purchasing grain and other produce as well as furnishing storage for the farmers in the vicinity.

Dr. W. D. JEFFRIES is a skillful physician and surgeon—has been regularly educated to the profession and is a deservedly popular Doctor.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.—By order of the County Court of Polk County, I will sell to the highest bidder on Saturday, the 23 day of January, all the personal property of the estate of F. ...

TERMS OF SALE: Six Months Credit for all sums of ten dollars or over, by giving note with approved Security and bearing ten per cent interest, payable in Gold or Silver Coin.

SIXTEEN BRIDGES have been completed on the Oregon Central Railroad, West-side, making an aggregate length of 11-4 miles of bridging.

A SUCCESS.—Late in November last, a comparatively thin strata of gravel which was procured from the Rickreall, near town, was hauled out in wagons and "dumped" along the middle of Main street, in Dallas.

Grant is a minority President by near half a million of the popular vote of the United States. Is it probable that President Johnson's recommendation for an amendment to the constitution making the President elective directly by the people will receive any notice at the hands of the Rump now in session?

THE NEWS.

COMPILED FROM DISPATCHES TO THE DAILY "OREGONIAN."

SAVANNAH, Dec. 30.—The Sheriff of the county on Thursday, went to Hayward's plantation on the Ogothe river, eleven miles from this city, to arrest seventeen negroes, charged with shooting the watchmen on the plantation, and carrying off the crops.

Our article on Mr. "Doubleton" took effect. The squeaking greenhorn of the Ensign rode a day and a half to find some one capable of answering it.

A correspondent at Oakland gives us a life like portrait of radical charity in that burg. It seems that an Indian borstheif had reconitered the country, leaving his squaw quartered on radical families who made her sundry presents.

Some shrewd financier has set up agencies again on this Coast for the collection of more "Lincoln monument-funds." It will be remembered that in 1866 the Mongrel Committee for the State of Illinois pocketed \$80,000 of money belonging to the Lincoln Monument Fund, and alleged that they had spent it in the great political campaign of that year.

SAVANNAH, Jan. 2.—The troubles in Ogechee continues, but nothing transpiring yesterday. The citizens are organizing to put down lawlessness.

Portland, Jan. 9.—The second trial of E. G. Randall, Postmaster here, for robbing the U. S. Mails, terminated yesterday. The jury after being out ten hours, brought in a verdict of guilty. Great interest has been manifested in this case throughout the entire proceedings.

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Several of the resigning members of the late legislature now course the deception practiced to induce them to take the fatal step.

COUNTY COURT.

JANUARY TERM, 1869.

Tuesday, 5th. Hon. J. L. Collins having received his commission from the Governor, as County Judge, vice Judge Whitson resigned, took the necessary oath and entered upon the duties of his office.

McM. Dodson, administrator of the estate of F. E. Hubbard, charged with inventory of said estate \$7,191, 52; and sale of personal property ordered. See advertisement in another column.

Geo. P. Litchfield filed a petition for probate of the last will of Marvel M. Jones, deceased. Jas. McCain, Esq., appointed guardian ad litem, for minor heirs of M. M. Jones, deceased. Citation to heirs ordered, and Tuesday the 2nd day of February next, set for hearing the petition of Mr. Litchfield.

Wednesday, 6th. Collins, Judge—Tatom and Dice, Commissioners. General accounts of officers, jurors and witnesses, audited, and allowed.

Petition of H. P. Rankin for license to keep a liquor saloon in Dallas. Whitson & Applegate, Hayden & Myer, Sullivan, and McCain for Petitioner. Shellen and Lee for the Remonstrators. License granted for six months.

Petition of Wm. F. Clingham for license to keep a liquor saloon in Dallas. Whitson & Applegate, Hayden & Myer, and McCain, for Petitioner. Sullivan for the Remonstrators.

Thursday, 7th. Clingham's petition occupied nearly all day. License granted for six months.

Petition of Wm. Chase for license to keep a liquor saloon at Independence. Hayden for Petitioner. No remonstrance—license granted for six months.

J. H. Upton appointed Justice of the Peace for Dallas Precinct.

Friday, 8th. Account of Applegate, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, allowed for \$10.00.

Bonds of Rankin and Clingham to keep liquor saloons, approved—licenses issued.

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THE WICKEDEST CITY.—Chicago is overwhelmingly republican. That city carries off the palm for being the wickedest city on earth. Sodom was not a circumstance beside it. Domestic infidelity, divorce suits, murders, robberies and all sorts of crime are there winked approvingly at.

DIED.

At Grand Ronde, Polk county, on Decemb. 7th, 1868, Marvel Jones, of consumption, aged 63 years.

W. H. WATKINDS, R. H. DEARBORN. W. H. WATKINDS & CO., DUBBIN'S BUCK, Commercial Street, SALEM, OREGON. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

Harness, Saddlery, Leather, Saddlery-Hardware, Findings, &c., &c.

THANKFUL for past patronage, and having returned to their old place of business would respectfully call attention to their

EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT OF—Concord Stage Harness, Hack, Buggy, Long-Tag, Short, Carriage, Saddles, Bridles, Collars, Halters, Lines, Saddlebags.

IMPORTED AND OWN WORK WARE-RENTED.

FOR THE TRADE: A LARGE AND WELL SELECTED Stock of HARDWARE, which we offer at Portland prices.

Saddle-trees, Sashes, Bearskins, Stirrups And Linings.

Skirting, Bridle, Belt and Lace Leather SHEEP, DEER, KIP and CALFSKINS.

SALEM TANNERY. HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR HIDES, TALLOW and BEEFWAX.

W. H. WATKINDS & Co. MAGIC Washing Powders Robinson & Co., Salem.

For sale by Grocers Generally. Buy them! Try them! PRICE REDUCED.

ROBINSON'S MAGIC WASHING POWDERS are successfully introduced throughout Oregon, and are universally pronounced the best washing compound in use.

Far sale by G. B. STILES, Dallas.

JAMES I. DALY, GENERAL AGENT, Office—No. 104 Front Street, Portland, Oregon.

WILL GIVE SPECIAL ATTENTION TO Collecting and adjustment of accounts, bills and notes; Negotiating inland bills; effecting loans; selling and leasing real estate; house renting, and to the general agency business in all its branches.

JAS. L. DALY. DISSOLUTION NOTICE. The partnership heretofore existing between S. Mitchel and M. Rosendorf under the firm name of Mitchel & Rosendorf, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

S. MITCHEL, M. ROSENDORF. Independence, Dec. 21, 1868.

Farmers' Store—MONEY SAVED! LOOK AT THIS!

THE LARGEST AND BEST STOCK OF Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Groceries, and Crockery.

That has ever been offered in Polk Co., is just received at

CRONE & WOLF'S

New two story building at INDEPENDENCE, which we will sell CHEAPER than the CHEAPEST.

We are prepared through recent arrangements made in San Francisco, to find constant sale for all kinds of Produce, and paying the highest market price for WHEAT.

A LARGE WAREHOUSE, where we offer storage on good terms. We also keep MOLINE and BOSTON CLIPPER PLOWS. 18tf CRONE & WOLF.

STORAGE! STORAGE.

WHEAT BOUGHT. R. DOTY & CO., EOLA, HAVE THEIR splendid new

WARE HOUSE Completed and are prepared to store an indefinite quantity of Wheat, Oats, Barley, etc., etc., and are paying the highest

CASH PRICE for WHEAT and OATS. Their facilities for receiving and sacking grain are unsurpassed anywhere in the State.

Steamboats land regularly alongside of their Ware House at all seasons of the year. 26tf

GEO. A. EDES. SAML HEADRICK. GEO. A. EDES & CO.,

DEALERS IN Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, AND DYE STUFFS.

At the Old Stand formerly occupied by M. R. COX & CO., UNION BLOCK, Commercial Street, SALEM, OREGON.

A liberal discount made to country trade. GEO. A. EDES. SAML HEADRICK.

John Hughes, Dealer In FEED, GRAIN AND FLOUR!

Paints, Oils, Varnishes AND ALL KINDS. COLORS OF ALL KINDS.

Glass and Putty. Groceries and Provisions.

Under the Legislative Hall, Holman's Block, Salem. 28tf

Willamette Iron Works Company NORTH FRONT AND E STREET, Portland, Oregon.

IRON FOUNDERS, STEAM ENGINE AND BOILER BUILDERS.

THESE WORKS ARE LOCATED ON the bank of the river, one block north of Couch's Wharf, and have facilities for turning out machinery promptly and efficiently.

We have secured the services of Mr. John Nation, as Director of the Works, whose experience on this Coast for fifteen years gives him a thorough knowledge of the various kinds of machinery required for mining and milling purposes.

We are prepared to execute orders for all classes of Machinery and Boiler Works, such as Mining and Steamboat MACHINERY, FLOURING MILLS, SAW MILLS, QUARTZ MILLS, MINING PUMPS, &c. &c. &c.

Manufacture and repair machinery of all kinds. Iron Shutter Work at San Francisco. Cost and Freight.

Wheeler & Randall's Patent Grinder and Amalgamator. Dunbar's Self-adjusting Patent Piston Packing Steven's Either applied to old or new steam cylinders.

Quartz Stampers, Shoes and Dies, Of the best hard iron.

OREGON BAKERY First Street between Stark and Washington, Portland.

WHOLESALE MANUFACTURY OF EVERY Style, Kind and Quality

OF—Crackers.

Orders solicited and promptly filled. F. OPITZ, Proprietor 187f