### Polk County Official Directory.

Polk county covers an area of about 1,250 square miles. Number of voters, 1,227. Acres of land under cultivation, 93:270. Value of assessable property, \$1,524,513. The Land Office for this District is located at Oregon City-Owen Wade, Register; Henry Warren,

COUNTY OFFICERS.—Judge, J. L. Collins; Commissioners, E. C. Dice, I. Levens: Sheriff, J. W. Smith; Clerk, J. I. Thompson; Assessor, H. Davis; Treasurer, R. M. May; School Superintendent, J. H Myer; Surveyor, S. T. Burch; Coroner, C. D. Embree.

Post Office Towns .-- Bethel, Bridgeport Buena Vista, Dallas (county seat), Eola, Grand Ronde, Independence, Luckiamute, Lincoln Lewisville, Monmouth, Rickreal, Salt Creek

U. S. Man-leaves Dallas for Salem on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 a. m., returniug same days at 6 p. m.; for Independence, each Tuesday morning at 6; for Salt Creek, each Tuesday at 1 p. m.; for Lafayette, Monday and Thursday at 3 p. m., returning Wednesay and Saturday at 10 a.m.; for Corvallis, Wednesday and Saturday at 10 a. m., returning Monday and Thursday at 3 p. m.

### RELIGIOUS SERVICES IN DALLAS.

M. E. Church .- D. L. Spaulding, pastor Services at their church, north side of Mill street between Main and Jefferson, as follows: First Sabbath (in each month) in the evening 2d Sabbath, at 11 o'clock a. m.; 3d Sabbath in the evening. Regular prayer meeting each Wednesday evening. Sunday School every Sabbath at 91 o'clock a. m.

Baptist Church .- J. W. Osborn, pastor. Services at their Church, corner Court and Jefferson streets, the Third Sabbath in each month Christian Church .- T. F. Campbell, pastor. Services at the Baptist Church second Saturday and Sunday in each month.

Methodist Episcopal Church (South) .- B. Baxter, pastor. Services the First Sabbath in each month at their Church, southeast corner Washington and Church streets."

DALLAS, SATURDAY, MAY 14, 1870.

PORTLAND legal tender rates, strong at 871c

FOOT CUT.-Burnett cut his foot with a chopping ax, on Thursday last.

RIPENING .- Wild strawberries are beginning to ripen, but it will be ten days before they will be in their prime.

APPROACHING COMPLETION .- The new steam saw-mill, at Lincoln, being built by Messrs. Walling & Witten, is nearly completed.

Owing to the absence of the editor this week the original matter in our paper is not so full as we could wish. Friends will please forbear their criticism.

Speaking .- The opposing candidates for Governor will speak in Dallas on Tuesday next, the 17th, at 1 o'clock p. m. Gov. Woods accompanies the party.

More IRON .- A gentleman, recently from the Atlantic States, is considering the propriety of purchasing the Oswego Iron works, and commencing again the manufacture of pig

MEETING FOR WORK .- All who are interested are requested to meet on the Camp Ground of the Christian Brotherhood, located on the Ricreal, near Dixie, on Wednesday, the 1st of June for the purpose of making some needed repairs to insure the comfort of the congregation at the coming annual meeting.

SAVE THE TREES .- Yesterday the two noble oaks, standing near the M. E. Church, were cut down, and according to our way of thinking an act of folly was committed. Every tree within the limits of the town should remain. Suppose they do stand on the sidewalk, who is there but is willing to step around 11, T. S, S. R. 5, W.; thence north to the place them. It will not be long before other trees will be planted almost on the same spot to replace those cut down.

CAKE RECEIVED .- We received, last Saturday, a magnificent jelly cake, the munificence of Rev. Mrs. Spaulding. We appreciated the donation, not so much for its intrinsic value as for the spirit that prompted its giving. It is the small mementoes that go to make up a ple sant existence, and none better know how to regard acts of kindness than he of a newspaper office -where all is opposition and war-It is the wish of all connected with the office that they may always be worthy of the friendship indicated by the kindness above men-

days since we noticed great nests or webs of thence down said creek to the Willamette river; caterpillars fastened to the limbs of the wild | thence down said river to the place of beginrose bush. These shrubs seemed at that time to be the only vegetable growth attacked by these pests, but within the past few days they have extended their operations to apple trees. The green boughs of the orchards, in very T. 9, S. R. 3, W. intersects said river; thence many places, are litterly covered by these | west to the southwest corner of section 3, T. 9, off the attacked limb, but now the number so increased that this method of destruction is impracticable. In one orchard, the owner resorted to burning the worms by firing blank cartridges out of his shot-gun. At the present rate it will not be long until the apple crop is entirely destroyed.

SUDDEN DEATH. - This community was shocked to hear that, on last Monday, Jesse D. Walling, an old and estimable eitizen of Polk county, was suddenly killed. The accident occurred by an attempt on the part of Mr. W. to stop the progress of a locse horse, which was running directly towards a team, when the horse ran against him, throwing him with violence against a log, which was struch with the back of his head, fracturing the scull to such an extent that the unfortunate man lived but a few moments. Mr. Walling leaves a large family to mourn his untimely loss, and a large the northwest corner of section 11, T. 9, S. R. circle of friends who deeply sympatize with 5, W.; thence south to the county line; thence has lived a long time in this county, and few said river to the place of beginning.

men had the good fortune to have as many and as warm friends as he. We but speak the sentiment of a whole community when we tender to the bereaved relatives of the deceased our warmest condolence and sympathy. To our noble friend we can but say, farewell.

the Ricreal, Polk county, on Thursday, June 16, 1870. and continue over two Lord's Days. The brethren will remember their heavenly privileges and the value of these meetings to

the cause of Christ, and will act accordingly The Baptist brethren will bear in mind 'that they are invited to send messengers to share in the deliberations of said meeting, and also to send their Ministers to labor with ours in the great work of redemption. The rates for messengers -one for each twenty-five members of the cogregation sending them; but each congregation, however small, should send one messenger. By order of the Committee of Ar-WM. RUBLE, Chairman.

Jacksonville and Roseburg papers please Dallas, May 7, 1870.

of Dallas precinct met in primary convention tion that will meet to-day, at ten o'clock. The L. Collins, Chairman, and B. F. Nichols, Sec. The convention proceeded, by ballott, to elect ten delegates to the county convention. The persons selected are J. M. Scott, M. M. Dodson Asa Shreve, S. W. Smith, P. C. Sullivan, M. Thompson, E. A. Graham, D. Cosper, T. B. Newman and Wm Howe.

BOUNDARIES OF ELECTION PRECINCTS .- A there are always questions arising concerning the boundaries of election precincts, we have examined the official records in the Clerk's office, and herewith present the boundaries of all the precincts in Polk county:

Beginning at the point where the north line thence west to the line between sections 4 and largest, bid put in was for \$1,250. . T. 6, S. R. 4 W.; thence south to the section line one mile south of the line between Ts. 6 and 7. S.: thence east to the Willamette river ; thence down said river to the place of

- SALT LAKE. Beginning at the point where the section line between sections 4 and 5, T. 6. S. R. 4 strikes the north line of Polk county; thence west to Salt Creek; thence up said creek to the line between Ts. 6 and 7, S.; thence east to the southeast corner of section 32, T. 6, S. R. 4 W .: thence north to the place of deginning.

JACKSON. Beginning at the point where the north line of the county crosses Salt Creek; thence west on said line to Mill Creek; thence up Mill Creek to the line between Ts. 6 and 7, S.; thence east on said line to Salt Creek; thence down Salt Creek to the place of beginning.

porglas. Beginning at the point where Mill Creck crosses the north line of the county; thence west to the western boundary of the county thence south following the county line to the head, or at a point due west of the head of Mit Creek; thence down said creek to the place of

DALLAS. Beginning at the half mile post between sections 2 and 35, Ts. 6 and 7, S. R. 5, W.; thence west to Mill Creek; thence up said creek to the southwest corner of Douglas precinct thence south to the section line one mile south of the line between Ts. 7 and 8, 8,; thence east to the half-mile stake between sections 2 and

LA CREOLE. Beginning at the centre of section 11, T. 8, S. R. 4; W.; thence north to line between Ts. and 7, S.; thence east 3 miles; thence south miles; thence cast I mile; thence south to the La Creole Creek, thence down said creek to the Willamette river; thence up said river to the point where the half-mile line, running east and west through section 11, T. 8, S. R. 4, W. strikes said river; thence west to the place of beginning.

Beginning at the Willamette river I mile south of the line between Ts. 6 and 7 S.: thence west to the northeast corner of section 8, T. 7 S. R. 4, W.; thence north 1 mile; thence west CATERPILLARS. - It has been only a few mile; thence south to the La Creole creek;

MONMOUTH. Beginning at the Willamette river at the point where the line between sections 6 and 7 miles; thence south & mile; thence east to the Willamette river; thence up said river to the place of beginning. .

BRIDGEPORT. Beginning at the northeast corner of section 9; T. 8, S. R. 5, W.; thence west to the county line; thence south 6 miles; thence cast to the southeast corner of section 4, T. 9. S. R. 5, W. thence north to the place of beginning.

LUCKIAMUTE. Beginning at the northeast corner of section 10. T. 9. S. R. 5. W .: thence west to the county line; thence south to the southwest croner of the county; thence east to the line between sections 10 and 11, T. 10, S. R. 5, W. thence north to the place of beginning.

BUENA VISTA. Beginning at the point where the line be tween sections 6 and 7, T. 9, S. R. 3. intersects the Willamette river: thence west to the bereaved in their afflictions. The deceased east to the Willamette river; thence down

### STATE ITEMS.

The Republican County Convention last, and made the following nomina-RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—The annual meeting of iff, Tom Floyd; Clerk, J. G. Adams; he will be able to reduce letter postage SPECIAL COLLECTOR OF CLAIMS. the Christian Brotherhood, of the State of Or- Treasurer, J. Henderson; Commission- to two cents. egon, will begin at their place of meeting, on ers, Woodcock and Elder; Assessor, E. Watts; School Superintendendt, Middlesworth. No resolutions.

The Jacksonville News says that the | that no land grant be given. crops throughout Rogue River valley have never looked better than at present. Fruit, grain and grass promises a can treaty. full harvest. The late rains have given everything a start that will not be cheeded by any amount of drouth.

Thos. Cross, the celebrated meat packer, says the Statesman, started for Chicago on Wednesday, intending to go into-business there.

The same learn's from Jo. Teal that he and B. Goldsmith have completed the purchase of eight tracts of land, with improvements, lying about twenty | cal year was \$27,271,250. DALLAS PRECINCY .- The Republican voters miles east of Harrisburg, in Linn Co., containing in all about 6,000 acres. to select ten delegates to the County Conven- The prices ranged from \$4 to \$20 per acre, according to the situation, and convention was organized by the election of J. the whole purchase combines the best of paairie and hill land, watered extensively. The intention is to raise fine stock upon it, and with the means at their command, we may expect that this tract will be known as one of the great stock farms of the United States.

> The Willamette Freighting Co.'s new steamer, Calliope, made her trial trip on Monday last. The craft looks very well, excepting that her machinery is too small by far.

The contract for building the Pavil ion, on the grounds of the State Agricultural Society, has been let to T. B of Polk county strikes the Willamette river, Ladd & Co., for the sum of \$375. The

Mr. C. P. Church, of Oregon City, is at present in Salem, says the Statesman, making preliminary inquiries concerning a project to furnish the city water. Mr. Church represents capitalists who are willing to invest \$50,000 or \$75,000 in this undertaking, if they can see a prospect of it paying bare expenses at first.

The Democracy of Jackson county met in convention on Saturday last, and nominated the following ticket: For State Senator, James D. Fay; Representatives, John E. Ross, Jackson Rader, Jos. Wells; Sheriff, Henry Klip el; County Julgo, T. H. B. Shipley County Clerk, Silas J. Day; Commissioners, John Herron, Thos. Wright; Assessor, David Redpath; School Su perintendent, Dr. L T. Davis; Coroner Dr. E. H. Greenman.

The Albany Register announces orize fight to come off this week, between two young "bloods," for \$25 a fees will probably swell the amount to minutes. over \$50 each "blood,"

# The Situation.

I mile; thence south 4 miles; thence east 1 party that men who had any intention out sin cast the first stone." of leaving, have put into execution their previous arrangements, without reference to the day of election, which would only require that they stultify every principle of fair dealing in their backwoodsmen of Kentneky, who usu- In exchange for goods in our line we will party, and vote for a set of men who ally came to see him when they came to take all kinds of country produce, such as

> two men could be riding in a wagon, in use among "provincial" newspapers, and while crossing a stream one of the and a knock at the door is the only intimen could fall out into the water and mation of a visitor, before he enters the drown, and the other man and woman room. One of these enthusiastic indiknow nothing about it. Such an inci- viduals shook Prentice warmly by the dent occurred at Morrison, Ill. The woman must have been uncommon engageing in her manner.

The Davenports gave an exhibition in Denver, and let an old miner shake are you? Well, I'm mighty glad to hands with the spirit that put its hand see you. Jim Dodd bet me you was out of the hole in the cabinet. He good looking and I bet you wasn't; and snatched one of the Davenport Brothers I think I've won it." out of the cabinet and mashed the door down, and the performance broke up in An outward and visible sign of the a regular frontier circus.

been selling in Liverpool for \$25 a ton. same dress.

### Telegraphic Summary.

WASHINGTON, May 9 .- Senator of Josephine county met on Saturday Sherman expressed the opinion that the Senate will do nothing with the office, No. 64 (Adjoining Telegraph Office),: tions: For Representative, Delame- tariff. The Postmaster General says ter; County Judge, Davidson; Sher- if the franking privilege is abolished

In the House the Land Committee have agreed to report back the China telegraph bill with the recommendation A two-thirds vote for ratification now

claimed by the friends of the Domini-The Government has not received any official information from Cuba, nor

is there anything to induce belief of a change in Spanish policy. The President has approved an act allowing Texas office holders thirty days to take the oath under the act ad-

mitting the State to representation in Congress. The increase of imports, excluding free goods, for eight months of the fis-

Maryland has sued the Baltimore and STOMACH BITTERS there is a stimulating Ohio R. R. to recover the value of gold

NEW YORK, May 9 - Tammany convention has nominated for Judges those agreed upon by the caucus.

U. S. Indian convention has called a meeting on May 18th for the purpose of sustaining the President's peace policy towars the Red men. They also call on the people throughout the country to form auxiliary associations.

WASHINGTON, May 9 .-- The House Committee on Reconstruction will tomorrow consider the Georgia bill as amended by the Senate.

LONDON, May 9 .- The Times understands that the warning to German capitalists against American bonds came from the North German Consul at New York. North Pacific R. R. and Honduras, it says, were especially tabooed.

NEW YORK, May 9 -A party of Boston men start June 3d on an excursion to San Francisco. The capital to amount to fifty millions represented Governor Claffin and the Mayors of Boston and surrounding towns will be of the party. The affair is in charge of Chas. Walcott Brooks, Japanese Consul to San Francisco, who is here en route to Washington to invite the of small moment. President and Cabinet, Senate and Representatives to join the party.

NASHVILLE, May 10 .- Legislature convened to-day; neither House had a

CHICAGO, May 10 .- The prize fight between Allen and Mace was won by side. The justice's and constable's the former in ten rounds; time, 4

# Heard From.

ED. REPUBLICAN :- Sir- you will The Press charges that the Republi- confer a favor on the writer of this let cans have hired Democrate to leave ter, and numerous others, by giving it the county in order to secure an ad- a place in your columns. It has often Copper, vantage at the ensuing election. We been reported that the Rev. S. H. Maythink, if this be true, it is saying very field was dead, and believing such re- of every description. Also a large supply of little for the members of its party. ports intended more to slander that Sfeet Iron, When that paper insinuates that such gentleman than anything else, I can inmen as E. C. Dice, I. I. Dempsey, and form your readers that I received a leta host of other as good and honorable ter from him, dated Lockford, Califormen, have been, or are, influenced to nia, April 19, 1870, stating that he leave the county through the use of closed out business in December last money, it only rebounds on the head and had been preaching ever since, of that "association of gentlemen-so and had received about three hundred persons into the church of the United The fact about the matter is, that Brethren; also, that he would be here the action of the recent Democratic between this and next harvest, and set-County Convention was so at variance the ail accounts against him. Now, all with and against the masses of the I have to say is, "let him that is with-

G. W. BRANSON.

ANECDOTE OF PRENTICE. - During the days preceding the war. Prentice become a great favorite with the hardy peculiarly painful to a sensitive nature, though Prentice had no recourse but to It seems singular that a woman and endure them. Reception rooms are not hand one day, when he had come, as he said, on a visit of "curiosity," and, after scanning the editor's features in various lights, drew himself up and said : "So you're old George D. Prentice,

commencement of court economy in Paris is that the Empress has positive-American hay from Nebraska has ly appeared twice in public in the

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Accounts, Notes, Bonds, Drafts and Mercantile claims of every description throughout Oregon and the Territories, WILL BE MADE A SPECIALTY AND PROMPTLY COLLECT-ED, as well as with a due regard to economy in all business matters intrusted to his care and the proceeds paid over punctually.

### REAL ESTATE DEALER.

### Wm. J. HARTMAN

NNOUNCES HIMSELF AN INDE-A pendent candidate for CONSTABLE Dallas, April 30, 1870.

#### What is a Tonic?

Bear this in mind-that although a tonie is

o a certain extent, a stimulant-a stimulan unmodified by any medical substances, is not BALTIMORE, May 9 .- The State of tonic, but a DEBILITANT. In HOSTETTER'S element of the purest grade manufactured in Ohio R. R. to recover the value of gold this or any other country. Every fiery and over currency, on its dividend on preferred stock now amounting to nearly second of the rye spirit which forms the alcoholic basis of the BITTERS, by careful and repeated recthe recent decision of the Supreme tification. The juices of the valuable roots, barks and herbs, infused into this wholesome product of the finest grain, still further modify its nature; so that it becomes, in fact, a simple difusive agent, minus all the heady and brain exciting properties which belong, more or less, to all liquors in a raw state. It is merely the safe and harmless vehicle which renders the medicinal virtues of the preparation more effeetive-increasing their active power, and diffusing them through the system. Hence the gentle and pleasant glow which is experienced after taking a dose of the BITTERS. Instead of creating headache, as unmedicated stimu-lants are apt to do, this salubrious tonic is the best known remedy for that complaint. It calms and soothes cerebral excitement, strength. ens the nerves, promotes the secretion of the gastric juice, invigorates the bowels, deter-mines the fluids to the surface, improves the appetite, increases the animal vigor, regulates organic action, and, from its mild yet effective alterative qualities, is the very best preparation that can be administered to the weaker sex in the peculiar difficulties to which their organization subjects them.

# PICTURE GALLERY.

THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLIC is invited to the improved facilities which I have recently made to my apparatus, by which I am able to take

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Dallas, April 22, 1870.

### T. B. NEWMAN. PIONEER TIN AND STOVE STORE, Front Street, one Door South of

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG LEAVE TO inform the citizens of Dallas and vicinity that they have replenished their stock of tinware, and have now on hand a large assort-

Box and Parlor Stores, Tinware

Iron Ware

Wire, &c. Having procured the services of a first-class

workman we are now constantly manufacturing all kinds of tin furnishings for stoves and for farmers use. Such as Stove Bollers, Coffee and Tea Pots,

Tea Kettles, Milk Pans, Dippers, Lard and Butter Cans. And in fact, all articles of tinware usually ound in stove an tinware stores, all of which we offer for sale af prices that will justify purchasers to patronize us rather than Salem or Portland shops.

# Job Work

Special attention will be given to

In connection with the stove and tin store,

### MEAT MARKET. Where will be kept all kinds of seasonable

are not the choice of their party, and Louisville on buisness; not that they Butter, Eggs. Chickens, Flour, Bacon, &c. small brown worms. At first orchardists cut S. R. 5, W.; thence north 6 miles; thence E. 14 only obtained nominations by fraud were acquainted with him, just to see We invite the public to call and examine what he looked like. Such visits were our stock. CRAWFORD & NEWMAN. Dallas, March 4, 1870.

### W. H. TEAL. Wagon & Carriage Maker,

Main Street, Dallas,

HAVE ON HAND AN ASSORTMENT e of Lumber Wagons, Express Wagons and Buggies of various kinds, ready for sale.

# COME ON WITH YOUR CASH! You all know what my wagens are; for I have been well patronized for the last TEN YEARS, for which I feel thankful. And the

last year they went off like Hot Cakes. I am well prepared to do all kinds of work I have in my employ the best Blackswith in the County, who is prepared to do Shoeing in the best Style, on short notice, and every

kind of blacksmith work done in a neat and workmanlike manner, and according to Order, at reason thie rates. Also Painting done to order. Bring along your old Wagons Buggies, and get them paintMISCELLANEOUS.

PREMIUM GANG PLOWS!

THE BEST KNOWN TO MAN!

MASON'S GANG PLOW "CHALLENGE."

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING PURchased the exclusive right from Wm. Mason, for the District comprising the counties of POLK and MARION, is manufacturing these Celebrated Plows, and is ready to fill orders for the same on short notice.

Come, Farmers, and encourage Webfoot Ingenuity & Enterprise And emble yourselves to raise Large Crops. For Sale at my Shop at \$100 each.

> T. H. LUCAS, Dixie, Polk county, Ogn.

### DRUG STORE.

Northwest Corner Main and Mill Sts., DALLAS, OGN.

AVING PURCHASED the OLD STAND 1 formerly belonging to W. S. Robb, and wishing to live and let live, I will sell at low rates, FOR CASH, everything in my line:

Drugs, Patent Medicines,

And all kinds of PURE LIQUORS, put up expressly for Medicinal use.

PERFUMERIES OF ALL KINDS.

Also, Soda. Cream Tartar. Saleratus, Sago, Bird Seed, Paints, Ods.

Varnishes, Brushes, Damestic Dyes, Washing Powders. And everything else that is kept in a FIRST

B. F. MCHOLS, Druggist.

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Thos. G. Richmond. Proprietor. HAVING PURCHASED THE ABOVE Stand of Mr. A. H. Whitley, we have refitted and re-stocked it in such a manner as

will satisfactorily meet every want of the com-Buggies, single or double, Hacks, Concord Wagons, etc., etc.,

Furnished at all hours, day or night, on short notice Superior Saddle Horses, let by the

Day or Wrck. TERMS, REASONABLE.

# T. G. RICHMOND

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SPRING TRADE,

We invite the attention of our patrops to our New Stock, consisting of

Dress Goods,

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Crockery

School Books.

Stationery, Sca In fact everything found in Retail Stores,

At Prices to Suit the Times.

Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods !

Those having old accounts are requested to call and settle by CASH or NOTE. We thank the public for their liberal patronage in the past, and hope for a continuance

Dallas, March 1st, 1870.

of the same.

# NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURchased all the printing material used in the publication of the Polk County Times newspaper, together with all the books and necounts belonging to said paper, have associated ourselves together and have engaged in the publication of a weekly paper, at Dallas, in Polk County, Oregon, to be called the

# Oregon Republican.

All debts due the Polk County Times, both on subscription and acvertising account, are now due, and prompt payment is greatly de-All prepaid subscriptions of the Times, not

extending beyond June 11th, 1870, will, in justico to the subscribers, be filled out by us. New subscriptions and advertisements are earnestly solicited. We beg to assure subscribers and advertisers that they will got value received for the patronage they extend to the REPUBLICAN.

D. M. C. GAULT, CHAS. LAFOLLETT, W. W. BOONE, W. C. WHITSON. Dallas, Ogn. March 5, 1870,

# WOOL WANTED.

PENHE ELLENDALE MILL COMPANY will give the bighest market prine for wool, delivered at their factory in Palk Co. Their Store is also open, with a general as-W. H. TEAL. | sortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware,