

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.

COUNTY OFFICERS.—Judge, J. L. Collins; Commissioners, E. C. Dice, L. Levens, Sheriff, J. W. Smith; Clerk, J. J. Thompson; Assessor, H. Davis; Treasurer, R. M. May; School Superintendent, J. H. Myer; Sargenor, 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, Rickreaf, Salt Creek and Zena.

U. S. MAIL LEAVES DALLAS FOR SALEM ON Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 a. m., returning 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 Wednesday 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 9 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. R. Baxter, pastor. Services the First Sabbath in each month at their church, southeast corner Washington and Church streets.

PORTLAND LEGAL TENDER NOTES, strong at 88c.

TALL WHEAT.—Mr. Reuben Glaze tells us that he has growing wheat that is seven feet high. Who has taller?

RETURNING.—Mr. Drury Davis, who went East a few weeks since, is on his way home and is expected to arrive next week.

FOR PLEASURE.—Six teams, containing pleasure excursionists, passed through town one day this week, on the way to the Ocean Beach at Salmon river.

DEPUTY.—Mr. F. M. Collins is Deputy Sheriff for Sheriff Smith during his absence, or until the Sheriff elect assumes the duties of that office.

FOR MONTANA.—Mr. W. W. Boone will start on Monday next for Montana, with about 80 head of beef cattle. Mr. B. will stop in Montana probably until the fall of '71.

BALLOON'S MONTHLY.—This excellent magazine, containing 100 pages of interesting reading matter, is published in Boston, Mass., at \$1.50 per year.

CAVALRY HORSES.—A drove of 80 head of horses were taken through town this week, destined for Vancouver, where they will be turned in on Charles Russell's contract for the cavalry service.

DAMP WEATHER.—During the past week the weather has been rather damp and cool—very nice for late sown grain, but a continuation of it is liable to cause fall grain to lodge down.

LOST.—Between town and Mr. Joseph Liggett's farm, an iron rod about eight feet long. The rod is a part of a brake to a wagon. The finder is requested to leave it at Mr. Crystal's blacksmith shop.

WILD CHERRY BALSAM.—The memory of Dr. Wistar is embalmed in the hearts of thousands whom his "Balsam of Wild Cherry" has cured of coughs, cypids, consumption, or some other form of Pulmonary disease. 16-2t

ON A JOURNEY.—Mrs. P. C. Sullivan started on Monday last to visit her relations in the Atlantic States, whom she has not seen for about eighteen years. She will be absent about six weeks.

PRICES REDUCED.—Mr. Teal, believing that no good reasons can be given for keeping up the price of work above those of neighboring places, will now shoe the horses of cash customers, all round, for two dollars each.

BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS.—Mrs. Lee Robb has caused our table to be graced this week with one of the most beautiful nosegays that we have seen this year. It has perfumed the office like unto a garden of roses. The donor will please accept the thanks of all in the office for the rare treat.

PROSPECTING.—Mr. Joseph Liggett and Capt. Burch, together with several others, started on Monday last for Southeastern Oregon. They go to look out a favorable location for stock raising, but will, on the trip, take notice of any places where gold is likely to be found. Their absence is for an indefinite period.

CUT DOWN.—That low oak limb, to the east of town, that has pulled so many buggy tops off, is itself pulled off—a thing that ought to have been done long since. Speaking of that obstruction to travel brings to mind an incident that happened to some Salem beaux and belles, about a month and a half since. This company of young folks drove through town in a gay carriage, inquiring where Dallas was, and making much sport at our expense. Well, the upshot of the matter was, they drove down the road, under this limb, and pulled the top off their carriage. It is supposed they found Dallas, as they didn't see fit to pass through town again with their turnout tied up with old rope.

STATE FAIR GROUNDS.—The improvements on the State Fair Grounds, at Salem, are being prosecuted with vigor. The new stables and barn are already finished, and the work on the Pavilion will be commenced this week.

A new fence has been built around the race track, on the turn next to the Pavilions and a seat placed thereon for the accommodation of visitors. Mr. J. Welch has the race track under his personal supervision, and will have it in better order than ever before. The Managers are making every preparation for the success of the coming Fair. The Fair this year commences October 10th.

KILLED A DEER.—Last Saturday morning, Mr. T. G. Richmond conceived the plan of capturing a deer right easily, and accordingly started out with his young hounds and his shot-gun. He expected to find his game on the creek about two miles above town, and he did. The pups, after beating about in the brush a few minutes, started a magnificent buck that came bounding out within range of the fatal gun, and, of course, Tom did not stop to get off his horse, but sent a charge of buck-shot into the animal, that caused it to lay down in a death struggle. The deer was a fine one and very large.

ANNUAL MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Christian Brotherhood has been in session at their camp ground, near Dixie, during the week, and we understand that very pleasant and profitable services have been had. The number uniting with the church has been quite large. The officers in the church have determined to make some substantial improvements in the Monmouth school, both in the way of buildings and other matters. Professor T. F. Campbell is at the head of the school, and is one of the most popular educators in the State. Rumor has it that the whole denomination will unite and throw its entire strength to this institution. If this is done it will soon be a favorite resort for students desiring a classical or scientific education.

MARRIED.

HUBBARD—BERRY.—At the residence of the bride's parents, on the 19th day of June, by Isaac Staats, J. P., Mr. Joseph R. Hubbard to Miss Nellie J., daughter of Thos. Berry, Esq., all of Polk county.

Beware of Teeth Poisons.—Vended under the name of Dentrifices. Adopt and adhere to the only preparation that really preserves the teeth and hardens the gums, fragrant SOZODONT. Its effects on decaying teeth are marvellous.

"Spaulding's Glue" mends Crockery, Wooden Ware, etc.

STATE ITEMS.

The five Penitentiary convicts that escaped last week have been recaptured. Another convict, named Baker, has since escaped, and is still at large.

Goumsky, who was arrested at Salem as a repeater on election day, was acquitted.

The walls of the Commercial Hotel in Salem have been raised fifteen feet high. They are to go about thirty higher.

The largest raft of logs ever moved at once on the Pacific coast was brought to Portland from the Columbia river slough. The raft was three miles long and contained logs enough to make three million feet of lumber.

The Oregonian learns from a dispatch that the contract for carrying the U. S. Mail from Portland, Oregon, to Sitka, Alaska, has been awarded to Ben Holladay; service to begin July 1st, 1870.

The La Grande paper reports that mining prospects in Baker county are unusually good. The opening of the Burnt river ditch has caused the realization of many high expectations in regard to the yield of the mines.

The Commercial says: We have authority to state that the corps of civil engineers employed for the purpose have completed the survey and the estimate for the construction of the first twenty miles of the Oregon Central Railroad—from Portland to McMinnville and Astoria.

Report reached the Albany Register on Thursday that on Wednesday Mr. Jos. Suttle, who lives in Lebanon or vicinity, while riding a wild horse, was thrown violently from the animal's back breaking an arm and fracturing the skull by the fall. The accident happened some three miles from this city.

The Congregation Association held its annual meeting at Albany last week.

The Corvallis Mercury has been reduced to a five column paper, and is now offered at two dollars per year.

The authorities of Corvallis have determined to gravel the streets of their town.

They had, last week, a calf at Corvallis with two heads, eight legs, one body and two tails. Now they have only the skin.

The only Fourth of July celebrations we have heard of this year are to be had at Eugene City and Salem. J. H. Mitchell is to orate at Eugene.

The State Journal says: A party of prospectors left this place during week for the Blue River mines, wherever that may be. A quartz miner from Nevada is among the number, and it is possible that some new developments may be made.

E. L. Applegate gave a reading at Eugene this week for the benefit of a poor man, who recently lost a hand in a saw mill.

The Eugene City Guard says: A great many citizens of our county are going over the military road to hunt homes east of the mountains. Thos. Morgan passed through town on Wednesday morning with a large drove of sheep, going eastward. Mr. Rinehart, of Camas Swail, started a few days ago with 1,900 head, and Jos. Southwell, of Coast Fork, preceded him a few days with a drove of about 1,000, besides a great many others with smaller droves.

A large force of men are now at work on the railroad beyond Aurora. The road will run directly through that place.

A dirpatch from Marysville, Cal., June 13th, says: Ten or twelve emigrant families went up on the California and Oregon Railroad to-day, en route to Jacksonville, as an advance party of a colony of 20 families from Maine.

The grasshoppers have made their appearance in Baker county in perfect swarms. Last summer they devastated every farm in Burnt river valley, and the farmers all fear they will do the crops in this valley a great deal of damage this season. Nothing will prevent this calamity unless it is heavy fall of rain.

From the Baker City Democrat: From the most authentic sources, we learn that the amount of moneys shipped below, through the public channels of transportation, during the month ending June 10th, aggregate \$53,350 05, of which \$40,273 53 was in gold dust, \$12,453 12 in bullion, \$218 40 in coin and \$505 in valuable packages. In addition to the above we have received information of a considerable amount of gold dust having been carried to Portland by private parties, but what the precise amount was it is impossible for us to conjecture.

Stephen Smith, of Aurora Marion county, tells the Statesman of the discovery of a mineral spring near the former place, which bids fair to rival all others as a resort for invalids. The spring is located about a mile west of Aurora, on land that has been purchased by the German colony and is said to be far superior to any of the mineral springs heretofore known in this valley. The proprietors will immediately proceed to erect houses and all the necessary attachments for a fashionable resort. Judging from the reputation of those engaged in the matter, and the favorable location of the springs, there is little risk in predicting for them a success.

The three ways to enrich a State are, to augment the capital, increase the number of laborers and to stimulate the incentive to labor. The increase of the number of laborers is really an enlargement of this capital, for the work of an unskilled laborer is worth about six hundred dollars a year; thus if the immigration into this State be one thousand this year, the capital of the State is augmented by \$600,000. The increased number of laborers also makes greater the incentive to labor, but especially is this the case where internal improvements are undertaken and a great number of hands are employed in the various factories, for an increased demand is at once created for the agricultural products of the soil, and no argument is necessary to prove that a home market is better than a foreign one.

Then it is to the interest of every person to induce all to come into the State possible, and so treat strangers that their abode shall be pleasant and agreeable. Don't let them become disgusted with the country and the people, for thus is the usefulness of the new citizen made less and a desire to return to the old home made so great that no happiness remains for him in Oregon.

The whole Republican ticket in Boise county, Idaho Territory, is reported elected except Assessor, Auditor and Treasurer, and Ada county secures her Sheriff, Treasurer and Auditor. Owyhee elects her two Councilmen, one Assemblyman, Treasurer, County Clerk, and District Attorney.

To please a young lady six fathoms deep in happiness, give her two canary birds, half a dozen moonbeams, 12 yards of silk, an ice cream, several rosebuds, a squeeze of the hand and the promise of a new bonnet. If she don't melt, it will be because she can't.

Grocers should remember that honest tea is the best policy.

He who never gives advice, and he who never takes it, are alike unworthy of friendship.

Telegraphic Summary.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Rogers Green is nominated for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Washington Territory.

Internal Revenue receipts for the fiscal year to date, \$175,643,883. Coin in Treasury to-day, \$109,767,595. Coin certificates, \$34,094,000. Currency balance, \$21,556,988.

CHICAGO, June 19.—Washington specials say there is considerable excitement among extremists in regard to the nomination of Ackerman. It seems he served fifteen months on the staff of Gen. Robert Tombs, during the rebellion, and had to have his disabilities removed by Congress. His friends admit this, but claim that Gen. Tombs, who was a warm personal friend, thus protected him from conscription, though he knew him to be a Union man. The nomination was referred by the Senate in executive session to the Judiciary Committee.

The Times' special says there is a well settled belief in Administration quarters that there will be a partial reorganization of the Cabinet before the end of the session. The Secretary of State, Secretary of the Navy and Secretary of the Interior are named as members whose resignations are likely to be presented.

ST. LOUIS, June 18.—General Canby arrived here yesterday, en route for the Pacific, to take command of the Department of the Columbia vice General Crooke, relieved.

Dispatches from Fort Hayes, Kansas, and other points, report Indians very numerous between Camp Supply and Bear Creek, all on the war path. Several government and other trains and herds have been attacked, but so far the Indians have been driven off. One train was corralled two days at Gypsum Creek fighting Indians. A train from Camp Supply was attacked four times. It is no longer safe for trains or herds to travel without a strong escort.

BOSTON, June 19.—The House has refused by 90 to 122 to receive the bill providing that no contract for Coolie labor shall be made extending beyond the period of six months. The employment of Chinese in shoe making at North Adams was the moving cause of the bill, and had created a sensation throughout the State.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Doubts are expressed about the confirmation of Ackerman as Attorney General, but a careful canvass of the Senate indicates there is very little opposition against him.

CHICAGO, June 19.—Washington specials say the working men are urging the Senate to pass the bill prohibiting contracts for servile labor. The recent importation of Chinese shoemakers into Massachusetts is stimulating this action.

NEW YORK, June 19.—Forty of one hundred and fifty Chinamen reached here from Boston yesterday. It is reported they failed to get employment in that city, and what is more significant is that a party of sixty Chinamen was landed here yesterday by the Norwich (Ct.) boat.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON, Office, No. 64 (Adjoining Telegraph Office); Front street, Portland, Oregon.

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MEAT MARKET, Where will be kept all kinds of reasonable meats, both FRESH and SALT. In exchange for goods in our line we will take all kinds of country produce, such as Buttr, Eggs, Chickens, Flour, Bacon, &c.

We invite the public to call and examine our stock. CRAWFORD & NEWMAN, Dallas, March 4, 1870. 1-tf

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CRAWFORD & NEWMAN, Dallas, April 13, 1870. 7:3f

NOTICE. BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE Polk County Court, of Polk county, Oregon, made at chambers, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1870, the undersigned guardian of the minor heirs of J. W. Boyle, deceased, will offer for sale at public auction, at the Court House door in said county, on Saturday, the 9th day of July, A. D. 1870, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of said day, the following real estate belonging to said wards, to-wit: Beginning at the N. W. corner of the donation land claim of J. W. Boyle, in Township 7, S. R. 5 west; running thence south 18.78 chains; thence east 23.58 chains to the west line of the land sold y J. P. Boyle to Dan Chandler; thence north with Chandler's line 18.78 chains; thence west 23.58 chains to the place of beginning; containing 63.06 acres, more or less, situated in Polk Co. Oregon.

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