

THE POLK COUNTY ITEMIZER.

DALLAS, SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1883.

COUNTY OFFICERS. County Judge, C. A. JOHNS. Clerk, ROSWELL SHELLEY. Treasurer, E. T. MILLER. Commissioners, J. S. ROGGS, J. C. CHAVES, J. W. HOLMAN, W. J. MILBY, W. P. WRIGHT, School Supt., FRANK RIGLER, Coroner, T. J. LEE.

A Few Suggestions to Correspondents.

First.—Write on one side of the paper only. Second.—In writing short items be sure to separate them by drawing two short parallel lines under each item between it and the next.

Third.—Be sure to commence every sentence after a full period with a capital letter.

Fourth.—Take pains to write in a plain hand.

Fifth.—Be certain that you cross every t and dot every i. Don't imagine that the printer can tell what it is without.

Sixth.—Take especial pains to write names of persons plainly and spell them correctly.

Seventh.—If you write in pencil be sure to make a good strong impression. Don't be afraid to bear on your pencil.

If correspondents will take a little pains to observe these simple rules, it will save us an endless amount of trouble, and themselves a great deal of annoyance. For nothing is more annoying than to have your items mutilated, a thing we cannot help if they are written in a careless hand, and all thrown together in a conglomerate mass.

We have heard nothing as yet about a celebration of the Fourth of July in Dallas. If we are to have a celebration it is high time that some steps be taken in reference to it. Would it not be well to call a mass meeting at the Court House some time during the coming week to take the matter under advisement?

The May number of the Century Illustrated Monthly Magazine came to our desk again this week with its wonted trail of intellectual subjects treated in a most interesting and artistic manner. The Century stands second to none of the great literary magazines of America, and is worth twice the amount of its subscription price.

The May number of the St. Nicholas comes to us this week, if possible, improved over anything in the past. It is a rich treat for the young folks.

COUNTY SCHOOL FUND.

Table listing names and amounts for the County School Fund for the year 1883. Includes names like Nat. Holman, J. W. Hubbard, J. W. Holman, etc.

CHURCH BUSINESS.

The following extracts from the business transactions of Quarterly Conference of the Dallas circuit of M. E. Church, South, were read and approved at the meeting held on Saturday April 21st.

LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining in the post office at Dallas, Or. May 2, 1883. If not called for in one month, will be sent to the Post Office.

A General Stampede.

Never was such a rush as at our Drug Store, as is now at Jap. R. Miller's for a Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds.

Having sold my drug store in Dallas, I wish to close up my books, and hereby give notice to all indebted to me to come forward and settle immediately.

A sure cure for dyspepsia. The Oregon BLOOD PURIFIER.

A great vegetable tonic for delicate females. It is Flander's Oregon BLOOD PURIFIER.

Shloak's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us as a guarantee. It cures Consumption. For sale by J. R. Miller, Dallas, April 12, 1883.

For biliousness and sick stomach, try a box of the Oregon Blood Purifier.

OUR PORTLAND LETTER.

Editor Itemizer.—Since writing my last letter we have had a few clear days, which has been taken advantage of by buyers and the sound of the hammer and trowel can be heard on every street in the city.

Mr. Villard to a certain extent holds the destiny of Portland, and in fact many of the other places in the north west. A few weeks ago he was in the city and other ad millions to Portland, or give her such a check as would take years to overcome.

The Board of Trade has called a citizens meeting for Monday at 8 o'clock at the Portland Chamber of Commerce.

As you have sustained a great loss by the freeze, and as furniture is somewhat of a luxury, we propose to give to all who wish to purchase furniture, or goods of any kind in our line the benefit of exceedingly low prices for the remainder of 1883.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness.

TUTT'S PILLS SYMPTOMS OF A TORPID LIVER. Loss of Appetite, Bowels costive, Pain in the Head, with a dull sensation in the face.

TUTT'S HAIR DYE. A Sure Cure for Baldness, Itching and Ulcerated Piles is now discovered by Dr. Williams (an Indian Remedy).

GEORGE FAIRGRAVES, Cash or Produce. Has just received a large stock, such as are usually kept in a country store.

MONARCH BEE-HIVE! THE FRANKLIN HOTEL. A NEW HOTEL JUST OPENED. MAIN ST., NORTH OF LIVEY STABLE.

THE BELL HOUSE. PETER COOK, Proprietor. THE BELL HOUSE HAS CHANGED HANDS and is now a first class house in every respect.

WM. STAIGER, DEALER IN MONUMENTS, TABLETS, HEAD-STONES. Executed in Italian and American Marble.

HARNESSES, SADDLERY. R. H. DEARBORN, COMMERCIAL ST. Next door to T. B. Watt's Hardware Store.

REST. \$72 a week made at home by the industries of the West. Before you die, something might be accomplished.

WISDOM. People are always on the lookout for some means to increase their money, and to do so in a safe and profitable way.

FARMERS ATTENTION! THE ATTENTION OF ALL STOCK RAISERS is called to the fact that there is a fine five year old Clydesdale Stallion.

SHOP IN MONMOUTH. Has just returned from Portland with a well selected stock of Military Goods for sale.

JASPER R. MILLER, DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY. Dealer in Drugs, Chemicals, Perfumery, Stationery, Etc., Etc.

MEERSCHAUM PIPES, CIGARS, TOBACCO, ETC. DALLAS CITY MILLS, DALLAS, OREGON. Wilson & Holman, Proprietors.

A. J. GOODMAN, Successor to Cooper Bros. LIVERY, SALE AND FEED STABLE.

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SOMETHING NEW. The first ever known in Polk County. Full and Complete Stock of HARNESS and SADDLES.

HOME MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL, Paid up in U. S. Gold Coin, \$300,000.00. COIN ASSETS, December 31, 1880, \$42,841.00.

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