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THE FIRST GAME.

High School Opens Baseball Season in Dallas Saturday.

The high school baseball team has begun practicing. The team is being handled by Wiley Gardner as captain and Allen Cadle as manager. The men and their positions are: Gardner, captain and third-base. Gardner comes from Falls City where he played on the high school team. He is a good batter and fills his position well. Barham will pitch. He is well known as he has pitched for the high school team for two years and the town team one year. Woods will be at his old position as shortstop. He is a strong batter and good fielder. Boydston will play around the keystone sack. Poling and Hiestand are both candidates for first base. This is Poling's first year with the high school team. Hiestand, who played with the high school team during the season of 1910, is a hard hitter and a good fielder. Herzog a new man is trying for backstop. He is from Portland where he caught for Jefferson high school. He is a good batter has a fine whip and is a good batter. Cutler will work out against Herzog. Cutler is a good man and will give Herzog a run for his money. Manager Cadle will play in left field. He is a good fielder and should be able to hit the ball this year. Snyder a new man is trying for center field. He has already got the name of "Home-run Bill." Matheny will try out against Snyder. Campbell, last year's captain, will be in his old position of right field. He is a fast fielder and baserunner and a good man with the stick. Lockman will try for some outfield position. He fields and bats well.

Last Saturday the high school boys defeated a pick up team, including "Pebo," Teats and Rice, by the score of 5 to 0 in six innings. Rice and Barham were the opposing pitchers. The high school boys got five hits and the town fellows two. Woods starred with the stick, getting two three-base hits. Eakin got a two "bagger." Herzog and Boydston each got one hit. Barham struck out 7 men.

OLD DOCUMENTS.

A Masonic Notification and Demit of Jennings Lodge.

Recently while cleaning up the attic of her residence on this block Mrs. Anna Coad ran on to a number of old documents that are well worth preserving. She brought in to us a couple of Masonic documents, one a notice of a meeting of Jennings lodge and the other a demit, both sent to Hon. J. H. Robb, for which the street that intersects the Academy block is named. Mr. Robb is also the man responsible for the endowment fund now enjoyed by LaCreole Academy. As we understand it, five of the old timers, Robb, Shelton, Levens, Lewis and Lyle agreed to give a certain amount to help out the academy. Levens backed out, but Shelton, Lewis and Lyle came through with their portions, taking land from their donation claims, while Robb put up a similar value in cash. The land comprised that now known as the academy campus, the block adjoining to the south since sold off as a residence district, and the land where the county jail now stands. We believe Robb's cash portion amounted to some \$5,000 and was the nucleus of the present endowment. Mr. Robb was the first husband of Grandma Emmons, as she was latterly known, and Mrs. Coad was an adopted daughter of the later couple which accounts for her being in possession of the documents which follow.

Masonic Hall Dallas, Nov. 28, A D 1857.

Brother J. H. Robb:

You are hereby summoned to appear at a regular communication of Jennings lodge No. 9 A F & A M, to be held at their hall in Dallas on the 26th of December, A. D. 1857, at noon of said day (it being the last quarter of this Masonic year) to pay up your dues, \$1.50, and elect the officers of Jennings lodge for the ensuing Masonic year, and do any other business that the good of the craft may require to be done.

By order of the Worshipful Master.

Fraternally yours,
F. WAYMIRE,
Secretary of Jennings lodge No. 9.

Masonic Hall Jennings No. 9 A F & A M

This is to certify that John H. Robb has paid all dues and is hereby regularly demitted and recommended to the Fraternity as a Worthy Brother.

Witness the signature of the secretary (pro tem) and the seal of Jennings lodge, No. 9, A F & A M, established at Dallas, Ore., this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1860.

L. D. Rouze,
Secretary (pro tem)

INFORMAL OPENING.

Itemizer Family Guest of Mr. Crider at New Scott Hotel.

Yesterday evening Mr. J. W. Crider informally opened the New Scott hotel by having as guests for dinner the Itemizer family, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Fiske, Miss Buena Fiske, Miss Roxana Fiske, Miss Georgana Fiske, Miss Jessie Disbrow, Mr. J. F. Mescal, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hillebrandt and Miss Catherine Hillebrandt. We occupied two large tables in company with Mr. Crider, and two hours were very pleasantly spent in discussing the good things we had to eat, and looking over the apartments. The chef is neatness in the extreme, and his culinary skill beyond the average, while the waiter service is most excellent. That hotel is putting up as good a meal for 50 cents as you could possibly get in the city for an iron boy. Mr. Crider will also serve 25 cent meals beyond the average, it being his aim to make his reputation in that respect second to none in the valley. The dining room is an ideal one, furnishing an unobstructed view of our Main street, and being far enough away to insure the desired quietude. It will be warm and comfortable in winter, and cool and pleasant in summer, while the furnishings are of the very best.

With perfectly satisfied "in-nards," a glowing Optimo between our lips, we next viewed the comfortable and cozy lobby below stairs, and then the ladies' lobby on the second floor. This is furnished with a piano, comfortable couches, chairs and writing desks. Forty rooms open therefrom, most of them being for single or double service, as may be desired, and equipped with telephone, toilet and laundry service of the most excellent character. The furnishings are as good as you will find in the first class hotels in Portland, the beds being the best procurable, and the furniture massive and ornate. The heating plant, hot water, is excellent, but Mr. Crider expects to install oil burners in his furnace next year, being easier to regulate and in his experience with his buildings in California giving much better satisfaction and not requiring near the constant attention that wood fuel does.



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CANNING PARTY.

Last Friday evening Miss Edna Morrison, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Morrison, tendered a shower of canned household goods to Miss Olive Smith, in honor of her approaching marriage. The feature of the evening's enjoyment was a mock marriage, Miss Anna Stafrin acting as groom, Miss Mina Hughes as bride, Miss Nora Robertson as best man, Miss Francis Brown as bridesmaid, and Miss Sadie Lynn the reverend gentleman. Mrs. C. G. Coad sang I Love You, Dear, in her usual charming voice. Those present were: Mesdames C. G. Coad, A. Manston, Bert Guy, D. M. Metzger, U. S. Loughary, G. L. Hawkins, Willis Simonton, Conrad Stafrin, F. H. Morrison, Charles Hillebrandt, Ross Ellis, G. Bicknell, Chauncey Crider, Misses Nora Robertson, Mina Hughes, Flora McCallon, Olive Smith, Mae Shelton, Buena and Roxana Fiske, Iva Stanley Anna Stafrin, Francis Brown, Edna Morrison, Effa Brown, Francis Demsey, Virginia Ellis, Katherine Hillebrandt, Cleo Guy.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Galloway Judge

Judge Galloway came over Saturday and disposed of the following cases:

Horace J. Glandon et al vs Cora F. Kerr, for closure.—Default entered and order of for closure as prayed for.

Zuey Hudson vs Benjamin Hudson, divorce; L. D. Brown for plaintiff.—Default entered and decree as prayed for.

Lenora S. Mattison vs Harriett A. Van Schaum.—Default and decree.

Another Fire at Independence.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed two buildings on the west side of Main street in Independence belonging to H. Hirschberg, at an early hour Tuesday morning. When the alarm was turned in, shortly after 1 o'clock, the entire building occupied by Grimes Brothers as a box ball alley was enveloped in flames. The opera house and Drexler & Alexander's store were saved by the fire department. The total loss was estimated at \$3000 and is partly covered by insurance.

THE INDOOR CARNIVAL.

At a Meeting of Company G Held Last Thursday Evening.

At a meeting of Company G held last Thursday evening preliminary arrangements were made for the holding of the Company's second annual indoor carnival. The people of Dallas will remember the show given by the local militia boys last year, and the great success it was. This year new features are to be added, and in the new armory the show will be a much larger and better affair than that held last year. April 18, 19, 20 are the dates selected. The show will run each night, and also upon Saturday afternoon. The price of admission will be the same as last year. The money realized off of the venture will be invested in fitting up the armory building. Upon Saturday afternoon a special free train will be run from Black Rock and Falls City Practicing for the different parts will commence next week.

Next Monday evening, April 1st, Company G gives its last big dance of the season. About 250 invitations have been sent out, and a large crowd is expected. About 200 couple can be handled in the armory. A number of interesting features have been provided for the dance patrons, not the least among them being the program.

Don't fail to see "Mooch Mooch" at the carnival.

That is Their Business.

The Polk County Itemizer follows 16 inches of whiskey, ads with a four ad of 4 inches. Wonder if it wants its patrons to spend their money in that proportion—\$3 for intoxicants to \$1 for food.—Carlton Sentinel.

Oregon Man Makes Claim.

James A. Simmons, of Independence, Ore., has filed a petition in court in Ida Grove, Iowa, in which he claims an estate of \$600,000 left by his sister, Mrs. Alex McHugh, who died recently, leaving the bulk of her fortune to her banker, D. H. Hedrick, in whose family she lived after the death of her husband, Robert Leroy Hoover, a son by a former husband, claims the estate, but according to Simmons' petition, he several years ago accepted a certain sum in lieu of all claims. The \$600,000 is mostly in cash.—Oregonian.