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WE GIVE YOU WHAT YOU ASK FOR

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THOMPSONS DRUG STORE.

PAID POLITICAL NOTICES

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for the office of District Attorney. If nominated and elected, I shall enforce all laws as I find them without fear or favor, and in a just, conscientious manner. I will give to the County's affairs the same careful, conscientious attention I would give to the affairs of private clients. I respectfully solicit your support, and if nominated and elected, will devote my entire time to giving you an administration of the affairs of this office such as may reward you for the trust and confidence placed in me.

WALTER L. TOOZE, JR.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Republican Voters of Polk County.

I am a candidate for District Attorney of said County, and if nominated and elected I pledge myself to diligently and faithfully attend to all the duties pertaining to said office and will fearlessly enforce all the laws in an impartial manner. I respectfully ask your support at the primary election on the 19th of May, 1916.

B. F. SWOPE.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Voters of Polk.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for county clerk of Polk county, and solicit the support of all republicans within the county, giving assurance that if nominated and elected I will use my utmost endeavor to render economical and efficient service.

LEWIS V. MACKEN.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Voters Of Polk County.

I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election in May and respectfully solicit your support.

MRS. WINNIE BRADEN.
(Paid Adv.)

For County Assessor.

I hereby announce my candidacy on the republican ticket for the office of county assessor of Polk county, and solicit the support of all republican electors in the primary.

C. S. GRAVES.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Republican Voters.

Having been urged by my friends to again become a candidate for commissioner and having acceded to their demand, I most respectfully ask the support of all republicans in the primary May 19. My past record is my only platform.

G. A. WELLS.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Voters Polk County.

I am a candidate for School Superintendent of this county subject to the will of the Republican voters at the Primary Election in May.

I will not impair the efficiency of our school system, but will run the office as economically as is possible under our present laws.

W. I. REYNOLDS.
(Paid Adv.)

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY
Passenger Train Schedule
Effective Oct. 4, 1914

WESTBOUND	161	161	167
	AM.	PM.	PM.
Salem . . .	7:00	9:45	4:00
Dallas . . .	8:15	11:02	5:30
Falls City . .	8:50	11:35	6:05
Bl'k Rock . .		11:55	
EASTBOUND	164	166	170
	AM.	PM.	PM.
Bl'k Rock . .		1:05	
Falls City . .	9:30	1:25	6:10
Dallas . . .	10:10	2:00	6:40
Salem . . .	11:01	3:15	7:45

A. C. POWERS, AGENT

For County Clerk

I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for the office of County Clerk of Polk county and ask the support of the Voters at the Primary election, May 19.

(Pd Adver.) **F. J. HOLMAN.**

For County Treasurer

I hereby announce my candidacy for Treasurer of Polk County subject to the will of Republican voters at the Primary Election, May 19, 1916.

J. H. (SLIM) BROWN.
(Paid Adver.)

Free Methodist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Preaching 11:00 A. M.
Class meeting 12:00 P. M.
Evening service 7:30.

H. A. WALTER, Pastor.

M. E. Church

Sunday Services
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
Junior League 3:30 P. M.
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.

Week-Day Services
Teacher Training class, Friday 7:00 P. M.
Prayer Meeting, Friday 8:00 P. M.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Sabbath School 10 A. M.
Preaching or bible study 11 A. M.
Young peoples meeting 3:30 P. M.

W. J. WARREN, Pastor.

Local News Items

Try Chiropractic.
Mrs. LaDaw is quite ill.

The best show at the Gem tonight
Josh Talbott was in Salem Thursday.

Dr. Hellwarth was in Dallas Thursday.

Saul Ouder Kirk came down from camp 8 Thursday.

Miss Mann of Salem visited Mrs. Reese this week.

S. R. Skeels was a business visitor at Dallas Tuesday.

M. L. Thompson and family visited in Salem Wednesday.

Walter L. Tooze, Jr., Lawyer, Dallas, Oregon.

Mrs. C. J. Bradley was in Dallas on business Thursday.

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Miss Burbank of Pedee is visiting Miss Geneva Sayre.

Misses Shield and Fatland visited in Portland Saturday.

W. B. Stevens of Portland was in town the first of the week.

Mrs. John Hryghes and children returned to Black Rock Thursday.

A new camp is being opened at Black Rock near the Spaulding camp.

The members of the militia here went to Dallas Tuesday night for drill practice.

Mrs. C. J. Bradley and daughter, Lota were in Black Rock Wednesday afternoon.

Misses Fern and Fay Wells who have been at home from school for a week returned Monday.

Fresh Bread, Cakes, Cookies, Fries, and other bakery goods, every day at the Falls City Bakery.

R. M. Wonderly, assessor of this district left Thursday afternoon for the Siletz country where he will be absent several days assessing.

THE JOKER

Edited by Falls City High School.

The High School Orchestra

There has been more general satisfaction resulting from the work of the High School orchestra than anything attempted by the Student Body. While we realize, all too well, that the present musical organization is in no danger of deducting from the fame of the Portland Symphony, yet you must excuse our modest pride in it. People have lost that cynical air, have grown very considerate, and appear to appreciate its efforts. Some people often wonder as to what real value such a musical club is to the community beyond the mere musical training of those engaged in the work. But it has a much better effect than this, in that it gives a "spirit" to the school. It provides entertainment of a high-class at all public gatherings. The real worth will never be realized fully and in our opinion the people of Falls City can do nothing better than to aid the orchestra in every possible way.

Prof. Haley declined the nomination for re-election as principal of the school at the regular meeting of the school board Wednesday evening, having previously secured a more desirable location. Prof. H. H. Lowe of Carlton, Oregon was elected to succeed him. All of the corps of teachers were retained on the unanimous vote of the Board with the exception of Prof. Ole Elle who also declined the nomination for re-election.

Miss Fatland and Shields spent their week-end at the home of Miss Fatland in Portland.

The good weather is developing the base ball idea again. The boys are trying out and when they get into shape to do business they will try to do something to the fellows who are pestering them with challenges.

LaVerne Mickelson, Nettie Murray, Margret Sammons, who were out of school last week on a vacation with the mumps returned Monday morning reporting that they had a swell time.

Byron Murray who was in the doctors sweat box for a month or so, in fear of being carved up for some unseen cause, suddenly discovers that the old remedy of base balls and bats, and not butcher knives is still an efficient remedy for ails, got himself elected captain of the base ball team and is rapidly on the road to recovery.

Howard Brentner is again absent from school on account of falling in a gopher hole and hurting his arm.

The pupils of the High School are discussing the advisability of putting the Polk County Observer and Falls City News into their Art Museum as the latest wonders of the world. The wonder is how so much good printers ink and paper can be used with nothing said. The Observer passed inspection and will be placed on file. The Falls City News will follow when the Joker is discontinued, as they consider it the redeeming feature.

The orchestra entertained the school Wednesday afternoon with a few selections which was well received. The orchestra now has enough selections for a two-hour program without repeating.

The boys of the agricultural class are terracing the grounds between the steps at the front of the school house and will seed it to grass.

Don't forget to watch for the date of the High School play which will be staged in April.

The Seniors will play "Catching Clara" June 1, as the finale to their high school life. There will be an admission charge and the proceeds will be used in paying class expenses. Rev. C. C. Polling Portland will preach the baccalaureate sermon, and Pres. Ackerman of the normal school has been extended an invitation to deliver the address to the class.

Lloyd Miller went to Salem Friday on school business.

Lester Gardner has been employed to teach the Bridgeport school for next year. Some others of the Teachers Training Class have been placed, but don't care to have the announcement made at this time, but Lester does.

Mrs. Chas. Hopkins, President of the Parent Teachers Asso' was a visitor at the school Wednesday.

Myrtle Stamm, a former member of the High School was a welcome guest at the school Friday.

Mr. Newman attended the musical program on Wednesday.

Several bird houses have been put in the trees around the school building.

Chet Ward expected to go over the mountains Friday on business, but more pressing business at home detained him and he will go later.

Lucile Tichenor visited friends in Eola Wednesday. She says that there are lots of good looking boys over there.

Gordon Sammons is a very busy boy nowadays, he is going to school and sawing wood at the same time.

J. R. Moyer who has been very sick with lagrippe is slowly improving.

Miss Lois Reese and Beth Deal visited school Tuesday afternoon.

Esther Cleveland returned to school Friday after a short illness.

The model making division of the Manual Training Class have moved into their new room which was arranged for that purpose.

Misses Fatland and Hawley of the Monmouth High are spending their weeks end with friends in town.

Mr. Haley told the people taking part in the High School play "to commit their last act." This sounds as if the play will be interesting.

Byron Murray is taking a course in Elementary teachers training.

Prin. Haley will give a short course in the difficult things in arithmetic as seen from the standpoint of a teacher, to the Teachers Training Class and others of the High School who care to take it.

Ten pupils of the first grade were absent last week on account of mumps and grippe.

Mrs. N. Selig visited in Salem Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Moyer gave a party Monday afternoon in honor of her son, Clarence's first birthday. Those present with their babies were: Mrs. Barnett Brown, Mrs. Walter Tice, Mrs. H. Morse, Mrs. A. B. Hubbard and Mrs. Oscar Sampson.

G. W. Brentner is visiting in Idaho.

Mrs. Clay Oxford visited the third grade Wednesday.

Miss Geneva Sayres and Miss Burbank of Cherry Grove visited school Wednesday. Miss Sayre has been employed to teach the Polk Station school for the rest of the school term.

Maurice Selig says "time grows shorter every day" and can give anyone the exact date that school closes without consulting his stars.

J. O. Mickelson, the Real Estate man, Falls City, Ore.

Mrs. C. L. Hopkins was called to Dallas on business Monday.

Mrs. Burbank, mother of Mrs. Black returned home Wednesday.

Jitney Railroad Dollar Watches, best in the world, guaranteed, at Persey's.

\$50 Reward

I will pay \$50 reward for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of party or parties who robbed my store on the night of March 30.

N. SELIG.

The Man With The Hoe
Is In Evidence In Springtime

See our new stock of Moss, Rakes
Garden Plows and Farm Implements.

25-VOTE COUPON IN PIANO CONTEST GIVEN WITH EVERY \$1 CASH PURCHASE.

J. C. TALBOTT

R. E. WILLIAMS, M. L. THOMPSON, W. F. NICHOLS, R. G. WHITE,
President Vice-President Cashier Assistant Cashier

Bank of Falls City

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PUBLIC SALE

MONDAY, APRIL 3, 1916

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

I will sell to the highest bidder, at my place one-half mile north of Falls City, the following described property, to-wit:

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| 5 well bred Jersey cows giving milk | Seed potatoes |
| 2 yearling heifers | Field seed corn |
| 4 winter calves | Axes, saws, mats and log chains |
| 1 yearling bull | Garden tools |
| 1 good work horse | Cream separator and dairy supplies |
| 30 brown leghorn chickens | 100 feet 3-4 water pipe |
| 1 3-inch wagon | Stoves, stove pipe and household furniture, dishes, etc. |
| 1 buggy | 30 yards carpet |
| 1 mower and grindstone | Good sewing machine |
| 1 plow | Wash tub and wash boiler |
| 1 harrow | 12 dozen fruit jars |
| 2 cultivators | Hand grist mill |
| Pitchforks and potato forks | |
| 1 set harness | |
| Horse collars | |
| Oat hay | |

All tools in good condition.

SALE WILL BEGIN AT 10:00 A. M.

TERMS: All amounts under \$10, cash in hand; over \$10, six months credit with bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest. 5 per cent discount for cash.

MATT OLSEN, Owner, W. B. MCKOWN, Auctioneer, G. D. TREAT, Clerk.

Safe Blowers
In Town Again

Selig's Store Robbed Again. Safe Completely Demolished. \$35 in Money Secured. Nothing Else in the Store Molested.

SUSPICIOUS LOOKING MAN SEEN

Sheriff Orr Called to the Scenes to Investigate. Small Clue to Work From.

The store of N. Selig was entered sometime during the night Thursday night and his safe blown. About \$35 was secured. Nothing else in the store was missed. The sound was deadened by piling sacks of bran around the safe. The edges of the safe door were soaped and the nitroglycerine poured into the trench made by the soap and thence into the space around the door. The charge completely demolished the safe scattering bran and debris around the room.

Entrance was made through the front door by means of a skeleton key. This is the second attempt to blow the safe, the first occurred last December, but from some reason the charge failed to explode and the safe was not materially damaged at that time.

Sheriff Orr was notified and he came at once to investigate the robbery. The noise of the explosion if heard at all caused no alarm or even attention. There appears to be slight clue to work from. A suspicious looking stranger was seen Thursday night and also Friday morning but has since disappeared.

Phil Arthur, a citizen here, saw the stranger early Friday morning. Arthur first noticed the man's actions, as he was sitting in front of the Selig store, and watched the stranger walking down the sidewalk from Sower's corner. The man kept looking

toward the store in a strange manner and when he reached the corner by the old Madena hotel he laid down his pack, which was a small roll of blankets and came over to where Arthur was and inquired about work, saying that he had spent the night in Black Rock and hadn't had any breakfast. When Arthur began to talk about the robbery he closed up like a clam and said nothing. When asked to go in and look at the wrecked safe he refused in a quick manner. Sheriff Orr came up and shook hands with Arthur and also with the stranger and went into the store. When Orr was out of hearing, the stranger asked who he was, and on being informed that it was the sheriff of the county, grew very nervous and walked over to where he had left his pack and picked it up and left.

The last seen of the man he had purchased some meat at the butcher shop on Sower's corner and went down the railroad track toward S. Dallas.

H. W. Beecher of Enterprise, Oregon visited the Reece home Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Lois Reese left Thursday for Dallas where she is employed to do general housework.

Repairs for all makes of sewing machines, also belts, oils and needles at Persey's Jewelry Store.

Parent-Teachers meeting next Tuesday evening. Mr. Parsons of Dallas will be with us. Mrs. C. L. Hopkins, Pres.

A surprise birthday party was given in favor of Mrs. A. Sampson and Mrs. Oscar Sampson at the residence of A. Sampson Tuesday evening, March 28. A very pleasant evening was spent by the children, grandchildren and relatives, until near midnight when refreshments were served, after which the guests left after voting a good time and wishing many returns of the day.