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DALLAS, OREGON, MAY 22, 1902. The way to build up Dallas is to patronize Dallas people.



OREGON'S HONORED GUEST

Great were the honors and genuine the welcome extended to President Roosevelt by the people of Oregon yesterday. Ashland, Salem and Portland, the three cities in which brief stops were made, and all other towns through which the President passed, were in gala attire, and thousands of people gathered to aid in welcoming the Chief Executive.

Hon. Binger Hermann was in Dallas for a few hours, Wednesday, greeting old friends and making many new ones. He spoke to a large audience at Independence in the evening. Mr. Hermann will receive the entire strength of his party in Polk county, and in view of the fact that he is in a position to do more for Oregon than any other candidate at this time, it will not be surprising if a large number of Democratic votes are cast for him.

Dr. S. S. Wise, of Portland, has been secured to deliver the annual address to the graduating class of the Oregon State Normal School at Monmouth in June. Rev. D. V. Folling will deliver the baccalaureate sermon.

Derby & Willson, the real estate agents, have sold to Dr. Lee Steiner lots 6 and 7, block 22, on Liberty street in Salem. These properties were owned by Hon. T. L. Davidson and the Scotch Loan Company.

Dull Headache, Pains in various parts of the body, Stinking at the Pit of the Stomach, Loss of Appetite, Feverishness, Pimples or Sores are all positive evidences of impure blood. No matter how it came so, it must be purified in order to obtain good health.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

This preparation contains all of the digestants and digesta of all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it.

KILLED HIS NEIGHBOR

W. P. Peacock Shoots and Mortally Wounds Alex. S. Kerr at Parker Station.

Alexander S. Kerr was shot and fatally wounded by William P. Peacock, Monday at 4:15 p. m. The tragedy occurred at Parker, a village five miles South of Independence. No one witnessed the shooting, and the details are not known.

Mr. Kerr was an exemplary citizen, and was respected by his neighbors. He was a Civil War veteran, and was about 65 years of age. He leaves a wife, one son and one daughter. He was conscious until a few minutes before his death, but made no statement as to the motive for the crime.

The only motive for the bloody tragedy appears to be a quarrel of long years' standing between the two men. Twelve years ago, so it is said, they had trouble and Peacock shot Kerr in the leg with a 22-caliber rifle, inflicting a slight flesh wound.

HON. C. W. FULTON COMING

United States Senator Charles W. Fulton will speak at the courthouse in Dallas next Tuesday evening, May 26, at 8 o'clock. Dallas is one of the favored few towns in which the matchless eloquence of Oregon's brilliant junior Senator will be heard during the present campaign.

Frank Miller, of Rickreall, was a Dallas visitor, Monday. S. P. Kimball, of Salem, was in Dallas on a business visit this week.

A large number of Dallas people will attend the annual teachers' picnic at Rickreall tomorrow, if the weather is fair. A splendid program has been prepared for the occasion.

The young people of the Presbyterian church will appreciate any donations for their Fair to be held during the Woodman Carnival.

Every seven days the blood, muscles and bones of a man of average size loses two pounds of worn-out tissue. This waste cannot be replenished and the health and strength kept up without perfect digestion.

The Best Prescription for Malaria Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, No pay. Price 50c.

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CLOSING OUT SALE

On account of various reasons, but mainly continued ill health, I have decided to sacrifice my goods here and get into something in which I will not be so closely confined.

Everything Goes Without Reserve

HATS, CAPS, LADIES', MEN'S AND CHILDREN'S SHOES LADIES' WAISTS AND MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS Many of these lines are just in, and some are still on the road

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Men's \$2.25 Pants, to close, at \$1.75. Ladies' Shirt Waists, \$1.50 values \$1.15.

SALE COMMENCES FRIDAY, MAY 8

This Is Your Chance To Get New Merchandise At Your Price

SALE PRICES CASH

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WE HAVE Business Chances TO TRADE FOR FARMS. What have You to Offer? Some of the best farms in Polk County for sale. We want more. Write for our list.

COOPER & HURLEY REAL ESTATE OFFICE Independence, Oregon

THIRD ANNUAL EXCURSION AND PICNIC Given by Sunset Lodge No. 130 Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen to PORTLAND, OR. SUNDAY, MAY 31, 1903

A Partial List of Attractions: Sensational Feats of Equipose on the High Wire. Imperial Troupe of Royal Japanese Acrobats in all their Oriental Splendor.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles.

WAGNER BROS. CARRY A COMPLETE LINE OF Single Shovel Plows, Double Shovel Plows, Wing Shovel Plows, Five-Tooth Cultivators, Disc Cultivators, Peg Tooth Harrows, Spring Tooth Harrows, Disc Harrows, reversible with Extension Head.

Watch Sale BOSS-IAN F-1853 Owing to the great success attending my watch sale last Fall, I have decided to again offer some special inducements in this line.

Carnival Time or any other time you can get WATCHES, JEWELRY, GLASSES FITTED and KODAK SUPPLIES.

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DUNN'S GROCERY SOAPS Biggest Bars In Town For A Nickel.

HARNESS AND SADDLES. I have just received a Fine New Stock of Harness and Saddles and invite you to call and examine them as to style, workmanship and price.

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