

Polk County Observer

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DALLAS, OREGON, FEBRUARY 6, 1904. The way to build up Dallas is to patronize Dallas people.



The Independence correspondent of the Oregonian hands out a column of "dope" concerning the political situation in Polk county in Tuesday's issue of the big daily. What the writer of the article doesn't know about present conditions would fill a large book.

The time for filing petitions under the Populistic initiative will expire at 12 o'clock tonight. Friends of proposed laws have had all kinds of trouble in getting their petitions in legal form, and it seems probable that the petition for the submission of the direct primary law will be the only one that will have a sufficient number of properly verified signatures.

Polk county has 4,276 million feet of red fir timber, and 178 million feet of red cedar. The cut area is 3 square miles, and the burned area 10 square miles.

Enjoyable Concert.

The concert given by Mrs. Hallie Parrish Hinges, of Salem, in the Dallas M. E. Church on Tuesday evening was the most enjoyable musical event of the year.

Hay For Sale.

Good cheat and wheat hay for sale by AARU MYER, Dallas, Oregon.

Pains in the Back

Are symptoms of a weak, torpid or stagnant condition of the kidneys or liver, and are a warning it is extremely hazardous to neglect, so important is a healthy action of these organs.

COURT HOUSE NOTES

PROBATE.

Guardianship of minor heirs of James F. Taylor, deceased—sixth account filed and approved, and guardian discharged.

Guardianship of Henrietta Robertson, insane—annual report approved.

Estate of Henry F. Williams, deceased—final account set for hearing March 7, 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Estate of Adella Michell, report of sale of real property filed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Frank Zipsy et ux to P S Greenwood, lot 3, block 11, Conkey's second add to Dallas, \$75.

F W Nurnberger to W H and S B Walker, 39.73 acres, t 8 s, r 4 w, \$850.

F W Nurnberger to D L Hedges, 89.68 acres, t 8 s, r 4 w, \$950.

Investors M S Co. Ltd to D L Hedges, 89.68 acres, t 8 s, r 4 w, \$450.

D L Hedges et ux to E G Davidson and P L Hedges, and one-fourth int. each in 89.68 acres, t 8 s, r 4 w, \$1.

G W Gardner et al to W J Stow, lot 9, block C, Falls City, \$420.

Dallas City Bank to W A Middleton, 40 acres, t 7 s, r 5 w, \$450.

M L Thompson et al to W H Moyer, lots 7 and 8, block K, Falls City, \$65.

I H Robbins to Sarah A Conlee, tract in Independence, \$150.

Gus Bassett to P S Greenwood, lot 4, block 11, Conkey's add to Dallas, \$115.

A M Bryant to B I Carey, lots in Falls City cemetery, \$10.

MC Hubbard et al to B I Carey, 8.61 acres, t 8 s, r 6 w, \$30.

B I Carey to Ora L Carey, 10 acres, t 8 s, r 6 w, \$1.

Emma Thomas and hd to J R Young et ux, 63.56 acres, t 7 s, r 3 w, \$3000.

John M Farley et ux to Mrs N A Ayres, lots 2 and 3, block 19, Ellis' add to Dallas, \$110.

W I Leonard et ux to John McCollum et ux, 81.91 acres, t 6 s, r 6 w, \$2000.

COMMISSIONER'S COURT. Bond of William Ridgeway, Justice of the Peace of District No. 1, approved.

Sheriff given credit for erroneous assessments.

Ordered that Sam Phillips be appointed road supervisor in District No. 4, to succeed W. H. Elliott resigned.

Bids for wood for the courthouse were opened and found to be as follows: Hugh Smith, oak grub \$2.40; second-growth fir, \$10; Christinsson and Humphrey, oak grub, \$2.74; Austell McCarter, old fir, \$2.99. Contract awarded to Hugh Smith.

J. D. Slagle appointed road supervisor of District No. 14, to succeed C. L. Hawley, resigned.

A. R. Bell appointed road supervisor in District No. 12 the supervisor having moved out of district.

CLAIMS ALLOWED. Irwin-Hodson Co., stationery, \$ 4.00

J B Shepard, justice court, 24.50
D W Sears, tax rebate, 2.15
W H Holmes, circuit court, 14.25

Enterprise, pub tax sale, 33.60
Glass & Prudhomme, supplies, 24.00
B Wilson, justice court, 48.95
Vaughn & Weaver, plumbing, 3.50
Woodman Co., rent, 2.00

M D Ellis, courthouse acct, 27.40
F E Myer, salary, 78.00
Tracy Staats, same, 65.00
C L Starr, same, 83.33
W F Nichols, same, 65.00

E V Dalton, same, 62.50
Milo Woods, same, 40.00
J T Ford, tax rebate, 25.14
C E H Huntley, pauper acct, 33.50
F S Wilson, same, 18.00
D G Meador, same, 11.00
C D Calbreath, same, 6.00
U S Loughary, clerk's office, 140.53

A Loughary, same, 56.25
Mrs Tetherow, pauper acct, 9.50
W F Nichols, tax coll, 25.00
Omsaver, printing, 16.70
J T Ford, sheriff's office, 147.07
Ira Yocom, road acct, 48.75
J A Tate, same, 33.00
Johnson Lumber Co., same, 36.33
J H Mulkey, same, 60.50
T B Huntley, same, 70.00
H Holman, justice court, 5.00
Hemizer, printing, 7.00
L Ground, road acct, 20.00

Wanted.

Men to cut cordwood near town. I also have a house to rent. U. S. GRANT.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

The largest sum ever paid for a prescription, changed hands in San Francisco, August 30, 1901. The transfer involved in coin and stock \$112,500.00 and was paid by a party of business men for a specific for Bright's Disease and Diabetes, hitherto incurable diseases.

They commenced the serious investigation of the specific Nov. 15, 1900. They interviewed scores of the cured and tried it out on its merits by putting over three dozen cases on the treatment and watching them. They also got physicians to name chronic, incurable cases, and administered it with the physicians for judges. Up to Aug. 23, eighty-seven per cent of the test cases were either well or progressing favorably.

There being but thirteen per cent of failures, the parties were satisfied and closed the transaction. The proceedings of the investigating committee and the clinical reports of the test cases were published and will be mailed free on application. Address JOHN J. FURCO COMPANY, 420 Montgomery St., San Francisco, Cal.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure Digests what you eat.



There was a cry in the streets. People rushed from their doors and strained their eyes on the struggling balloonist fighting for life. Even the poor, panting sufferer in the sick room was forgotten while the family gazed breathless at this strange tragedy of the air.

There can be nothing more pitiful than the struggle the consumptive makes against disease. The greatest help in this struggle is gained by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures obstinate coughs, weak and bleeding lungs, emaciation, and other ailments which if neglected or unskillfully treated find a fatal termination in consumption.

FINE ART EXHIBIT. Horace K. Turner's Pictures Will Be Shown for Benefit of Dallas Public School.

The Dallas public school has secured Horace K. Turner's famous collection of pictures for exhibition in Dallas, February 24-27. The proceeds go toward providing artistic decoration for our public school building.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE. As I will leave Dallas in a few weeks, I offer all of my household goods for sale at a bargain. W. F. NICHOLS.

Have You Registered. Until the books are closed in May, the OBSERVER will print the total number of voters registered in the several precincts each week.

Table with 3 columns: No., Precinct, 1902, 1904. Lists precincts like Douglas, Jackson, Salt Lake, etc.

REAL ESTATE

Portland residence to trade for a good farm in the valley; worth \$9000. What have you to offer in exchange?

Steam cleaning and dyeing works in Portland to trade for valley farm worth \$1000. What have you to offer?

I want immediately about 10 acres of land that has already been arranged for chickens. Where is it and what's your price?

I have a nice little 10 acre fruit farm for sale at \$800. It is in Italian and Petite Prunes.

I have 10 acres of lands with buildings, and 2 acres in fruit, 2 acres in clover, balance in oats. For sale at \$800.

What have you to trade. I have some fine properties that parties will trade with you for.

G. A. HURLEY REAL ESTATE OFFICE. Independence, Oregon.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Go to Wilson Drug Company for books and school supplies.

L. D. Brown, Notary Public; type-writing. With J. N. Hart.

Dr. Hayter, Dentist. Office over Wilson's Drug Store. Dallas, Oregon.

One of the best horse-shoers in the state will be found working at Wagner Bros.' shop. Give him a trial and be convinced.

Pioneer Employment Company furnishes all kinds of help on short notice free to employers. 215 Morrison St., Portland, Or.

Go and see those fine bath tubs, sinks and lavatories at Wagner Bros. A first-class plumber is in their employ, and will satisfactorily do your work.

WANTED—Trustworthy lady or gentleman to manage business in this County and adjoining territory for house of solid financial standing. \$20 straight cash salary and expenses paid each Monday direct from headquarters. Expense money advanced; position permanent. Address Mauninger, 605, Monon Bldg., Chicago.

Cow and Calf for Sale. Fresh cow and calf for sale. Inquire of A. J. Peterson.

For Exchange. A good residence in Los Angeles; fine location, value \$4000; will rent for \$30 per month. Will exchange for improved farm of about same value.

J. G. SIMPSON, 2660 N. Siebel St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Wood Wanted. Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned till 12 M. February 13, for 48 cords of body fir wood; said wood to be delivered not later than September 1, 1904, and 40 cords to be rickied in basement of State Normal building. Right reserved to reject any or all bids.

J. B. V. BUTLER, Sec. Regents.

Station For Service. The imported English Shire stallion "Dunsmore Prince 3011, (7146)," owned by Geo. H. Bronson, of Lewisville, will make the season of 1904 at Dallas and in the vicinity of Bridgeport, Lewisville and Airlie. Posters later.

Notice to Advertisers. The OBSERVER will hereafter charge 10 cents per line for all advertisements printed in the local news column of the paper. Local advertisements under the classified heading "Business Locals" will be charged at the rate of 5 cents per line. Our patrons will please take notice of this change in rates.

First-Class Horse Shoeing. Having secured the services of Mr. Cal Hutton, I am now prepared to do first-class horse shoeing and plow work, as well as carriage work in general. O. H. COBB.

Wood Wanted. The Dallas and Falls City railroad company wishes to contract for 500 to 1000 cords of oak or fir cordwood, loaded on board cars along its line. For further information, apply to L. GERLINGER, JR., Dallas, Oregon.

Notice to Voters. Notaries Public throughout the county, in the several voting precincts, have been supplied with registration blanks, and registration of voters will begin January 4, 1904. Register early and avoid extra expense to the county.

U. S. LOUGHARY, County Clerk.

Good Farm at a Bargain. 286-acre farm, 4 miles from Dallas; 5 acres in cultivation; 10 acres in hops; good hop-house; plenty of fruit; well watered by living water; several springs on place; good pastures, and plenty of timber; one mile from Railroad; house, barn and outbuildings. A nice home, and a great bargain at \$15 per acre. Call on, or address W. A. AYRES, Dallas, Oregon.

A. R. BROWN DEALER IN LIVESTOCK. Buys and ships Hogs, Mutton and Stock Sheep. Highest market price paid at all times. Address, DALLAS, OREGON.

A Cure for Eczema. My baby had eczema so bad that its head was a solid mass of scabs and its hair all came out. I tried many remedies but none seemed to do any permanent good until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The eczema is cured, the scabs are gone and the little one's scalp is perfectly clean and healthy, and its hair is growing beautifully again. I cannot give too much praise to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve—Frank Farmer, Bloff City, Ky. In buying Witch Hazel Salve look out for counterfeits. DeWitt's is the original and the only one containing pure Witch Hazel. The name E. C. DeWitt & Co. is on every box. Sold by Belt & Cherrington.

Folding Sawing MACHINE THE ONE MAN SAW. Runs Easy—no back-ache—folds up like a pocket knife, and is easily carried.

SAWS DOWN TREES. Everyone who has wood to saw should have one.

M. D. TEATS AGENT, DALLAS, OR.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

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ELLIS & KEYT WE have closed one of the most satisfactory month's business it has ever been our pleasure to experience.

Now for Business in Earnest Our Spring stock is beginning to arrive, and we will show the finest Spring Stock of Goods that will be seen in Oregon this year outside of Portland.

ELLIS & KEYT Phone 246. Main Street

J. G. VAN ORSDEL & SON DEALERS IN Farms, Stock Ranches, Timber Lands and City Property

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.

CENTRAL MARKET Knox & Murrell, Prop'rs. FRESH AND SALT MEATS of All Kinds.

Fish, Game and Chickens ICE FOR SALE. Farmers will find it to their advantage to bring us their Poultry and Eggs, as we pay the highest cash price for same at all times.

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