

Polk County Observer

Raffia for basket work at Mrs. Metzger's.

Albert Meier is up from Portland on a business visit.

Fresh cow for sale by J. W. Robinson, near Oakdale.

H. G. Campbell, agent McMinnville Insurance Co.

The Observer job office wants the printing you are particular about.

Horse and buggy for sale cheap. Walter F. Nichols, Dallas, Oregon.

Ribbons: Special sale Saturday, March 12th, one day only, interesting prices. Pollock's Cash Store.

Special sale of underwear and hosiery for next two weeks, to make room for Spring goods. Mrs. Ella J. Meyer.

Everything in the line of wire fencing, poultry netting, barb wire and smooth fence wire at Guy Bros. hardware store.

George E. Johnson, manager of the Johnson Lumber Company's sawmill, visited over Sunday with his family in Portland.

Mrs. W. V. Fuller left Saturday for a few days' visit to Clatsop, Wash., where her husband is manager of a large shingle mill.

Dr. H. L. Toney, dentist; graduate of Ann Arbor, Michigan. Office upstairs Uglow building. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5. Examinations free. Phone 45.

Mahara's have about the best chorus show seen in Oakland this season and no doubt will test the capacity of the Dewey for the balance of the week.—Oakland Times, Feb. 8, 1904.—At Dallas City Hall, March 17.

Emblem cards of the various degrees of the Masonic fraternity, the Order of Oddfellows, Elks and Knights of Pythias can be had at the Observer job office. Call and see our handsome line of samples.

J. B. Nunn reports sales of nursery stock as follows: To John Shaw, 600 apple trees, 100 walnut trees, 100 filbert trees; 6000 strawberry plants; to James Boydston, 3000 strawberry plants; to H. M. Brown, 2000 strawberry plants; to Albert Meier, 250 prune trees, 50 apple trees.

At the Victory Theater last night Mahara's minstrels were greeted by a large and enthusiastic audience. The show was a surprise to all, being the best minstrel company ever in San Jose. The singing was far superior to many companies that boast of an all-star cast.—San Jose Mercury. At Dallas City Hall, Thursday, March 17.

Try some of those sweet pickles and olives at Rio's.

Mrs. Mary Hubbard has been severely ill, but is improving.

J. E. Hubbard, of Independence, was a Dallas visitor, Monday.

Frank Gibson, of Rickreall, was a county seat visitor, Monday.

Read all the bright, new ads of Dallas merchants in this issue.

Mrs. E. J. Bryan, of Falls City, visited friends in Dallas, Tuesday.

Mayer J. S. Cooper, of Independence, was a Dallas visitor, Wednesday.

Ladies, it is no trouble to make bread with Crusade flour. Rio's.

Harold Weaver, the little son of Mrs. M. E. Weaver, is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Butler, of Butler, are visiting relatives in Dallas.

Once you eat our cakes and home-made bread, you will have no other. Rio's.

Layton Smith, of Independence, was in Dallas on a business visit, Wednesday.

J. A. Baxter, a substantial farmer of Ballston, was in Dallas on a business errand, Wednesday.

Owing to repairs being made on the building, no services will be held in the M. E. Church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Viggers, of Portland, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Lynch this week.

L. Gerlinger, president of the Dallas & Falls City Railway Company, was up from Portland a few days this week.

F. H. Morrison has been confined to his room by a severe attack of erysipelas, but his condition is not considered serious.

Dr. Mark Hayter, president of the Oregon State Dental Association, attended a meeting of the executive committee in Portland, Wednesday.

E. T. Miller suffered a stroke of paralysis one day this week. He is receiving the best of care and attention, but, owing to his advanced age, it is feared his recovery will be slow.

Miss Bertha Collins invites the ladies to call and see her new styles in street hats. All the new creations of the milliner's art. The date of her Spring opening will be announced soon.

Max Milsap, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Milsap, can say something that can be said by very few people, and that is, it was his good fortune to be present at the golden weddings of his grandparents on both sides of "the house." Today he is at the golden wedding of his grandparents on his father's side, and on November 13, 1901, he was at the golden wedding of his Grandfather and Grandmother Hoberg, at McMinnville, Oregon.—Lebanon Express.

Edward Rosendorf, a nephew of H. Hirschberg and Zed Rosendorf of Independence died of pneumonia in Philadelphia last Sunday afternoon. The young man was attending a medical college in the Quaker City, and was making a brilliant record as a student. Although but 22 years old, he ranked as one of the brightest men in a class of over 300. Edward was a popular boy, and his death will be deeply mourned by a wide circle of friends.

IN THE SOCIAL REALM

Enjoyable Filch Parties Were Given at the VanOrsdel and Reynolds Homes This Week.

An enjoyable party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. VanOrsdel, Monday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gerlinger, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nichols. The game of filch was indulged in, and a merry evening was spent. An impromptu musical and literary program added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion. Delicious refreshments were served.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gerlinger, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Eakin, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Lynch, Misses Edna Simonton, Emma Dempsey, Ollie Howe, Rose Bronken, Nora Robertson, Adella Simonton, Jessie Bratton, Halle Reynolds, Minnie Robertson, Maggie Pomeroy, Edna Parrish, Messrs. Harry Gaynor, Aure Ford, Tracy Staats, R. E. Williams, C. L. Starr, Ross Ellis, H. E. Judge, J. C. Hayter, Dr. H. L. Toney and Dan Poling.

MISS REYNOLDS ENTERTAINS. Miss Halle Reynolds entertained about forty of her friends at the home of her parents, Prof. and Mrs. W. L. Reynolds, Wednesday evening. The party was in honor of her guest, Miss Etta Redmond, of McMinnville, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nichols, who leave in a few days for the Philippine Islands. Several hands of filch were played, after which dainty refreshments were served by the charming young hostess. The guests departed at a late hour, and all pronounced it one of the most enjoyable social events of the year.

The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Cherrington, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Belt, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Loughary, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hollister, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nichols; Misses Etta Redmond, Bertha Fuller, Minnie Robertson, Emma Dempsey, Jessie Bratton, Retta Campbell, Maggie Pomeroy, May Shelton, Eloise Phillips, Elsie Canfield, Ollie Smith, Zeta Hollister, Eugenia Phillips, Nora Robertson; Messrs. T. J. Cherrington, Dr. H. L. Toney, R. E. Williams, J. C. Hayter, C. L. Starr, Ross Ellis, Aure Ford, August Riser, Martin Meiser, Dan Poling, Oscar Hayter and John VanOrsdel.

William Dent, of Zena, was a Dallas visitor yesterday.

O. E. Focht and George Ball, of Ballston, and Lee Rowell, of Butler, were Dallas visitors this week.

Auction sale of household goods: On Saturday, March 26, 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m., I will sell at public auction all our household goods. Remember the date and hour. W. R. PFENNIG.

It is rumored that the Dallas passenger train is to run into Portland over the West Side division from Whiteson, and that a daily train will be put on between Corvallis and the Jefferson street depot. If this arrangement is made, the evening train to Sheridan will be discontinued and a morning train out of Portland to Sheridan put on.

DALLAS WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

Clinches Basket-Ball Honors in Hotly Contested Game With Willamette Team.

On Tuesday evening of this week, Dallas College, in by far the fastest and most brilliant basket-ball game of the season, defeated Willamette University by a score of 16 to 4. The championship of Oregon, if not the entire Northwest, was at stake, and with six hundred people cheering like mad, the men in crimson rose to the emergency, and with a display of skill, science and endurance seldom equalled on any athletic field or court, won the most glorious victory of the year. The defeat of two weeks ago seemed to have endowed the entire team with that determination that knows no defeat, and, realizing that now or never their honors could be retrieved, and backed by the howling enthusiasm of that greater crowd, Dallas clinched the honor coveted by a score of rival institutions. The game was not a walkover, but an athletic battle between Oregon's two foremost representatives of America's great winter sport.

For the first two minutes of the play, the contest raged from one end of the field to the other without visible advantage gained by either side. Dallas then threw a foul. Willamette followed immediately with a field basket negotiated by Miller. This was the only field basket scored by the visitors, and, save for two points scored from fouls—one late in the first half and one early in the second—Willamette's scoring was ended. The Dallas boys had struck their pace, and the pace was terrific—from Hoffman to Gates, from Gates to Wilson—and the score was 3 to 2. With never a slump, never a falling away from the irascible endurance and speed, the collegians hounded the ball for those first twenty minutes, and when the half ended the score was 8 to 3, with Dallas leading.

Could the crimson hold her own pace, was the anxious question uppermost in the minds of the home crowd. The visitors were larger and more powerful, the locals speedier and more scientific—where lay the greater endurance? The question was soon answered. Dallas held her pace and literally wore out her husky opponents. Old Willamette, represented by one hundred loyal rooters, saw her team defeated by the largest score in its history—16 to 4—or four to one.

The home men were in the pink of physical condition, having fully recovered from the effects of bruises and wrenches that have so long handicapped them. Willamette was also in perfect form. The individual work of the men on both teams was of the highest order, and the team work of Dallas has never been equalled on the local floor.

Gates and Hoffman, for Dallas, played the most consistent game at guard ever put on in this place. Both scored baskets from the field, and to see their passing was worth the price of admission. Gates held his man down to no baskets, and his work throughout the game was phenomenal. The basket throwing of Wilson was the most brilliant of the year. Five times, with unerring judgment, he landed the sphere for field goals. His work was confined to no one section of the field, but was evident over every square foot of playing space. Teats, gritty as of old, was in every play, and his passing at critical times netted several points. Although guarded by a man far outweighing him, he was always where most needed. Poling played a strong game, and held down Willamette's big center in good shape.

The work of the officials was highly satisfactory. Morris, the referee, kept the game continually moving, and VanOrsdel, as umpire, was fair and impartial. The game with Willamette closes the season as far as games on the home floor are concerned.

Tonight Dallas will play the last game of the year with O. A. C. in Corvallis. A special motor will run from this place, carrying the loyal supporters of the crimson. A large number of tickets have been sold for the excursion.

The season now closing has been the most successful in the history of Dallas College, both financially and athletically. The people of Dallas have had the privilege of seeing the best basket ball games played in the Northwest this season. The splendid work of the college boys has been a great advertisement for Dallas as an athletic town, and the loyalty of the citizens to their college basket-ball team has become proverbial.

Life Guards.

The Life Guards are two regiments of cavalry forming part of the British household troops. They are gallant soldiers, and every loyal British heart is proud of them. Not only the King's household, but yours, ours, everybody's should have its life guards. The need of them is especially great when the greatest foes of life, diseases, find allies in the very elements as colds, catarrh, the grip, and pneumonia do in the stormy month of March. The best way we know of to guard against these diseases is to strengthen the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla—the greatest of all life guards. It removes the conditions in which these diseases make their most successful attack, gives vigor and tone to all the vital organs and functions, and imparts a genial warmth to the blood. Remember the weaker the system the greater the exposure to disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the system strong.

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Digests what you eat.

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Go to Wilson Drug Company for books and school supplies.

L. D. Brown, Notary Public; typewriting. 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.

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

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Hay For Sale.

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N. P. RASMUSSEN, Two miles east of Dallas.

Pigs for Sale.

Pure Poland China Pigs, of either sex, for sale; from 6 weeks to 6 months old. JAMES ELLIOTT, Dallas, Or.

Durham Bull For Sale.

Full blooded Red Durham bull for sale. Address

GEORGE SIEFARTH, Falls City, Oregon.

Horses Wanted.

Four or five head of good work horses wanted; suitable for logging purposes. Address, Box 265, Independence, Or.

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 Airfile. Posters later.

Estray Notice.

Taken up by the undersigned, three sheep which came to my place last September. Owner can have same by paying pasturage and the cost of this notice.

A. BURKHALTER, Dallas, Oregon.

For Sale.

12,000 shares mining stock in the Gold Creek Mining and Milling Company. Certificates 1000 shares each. Price 6 cents per share.

S. B. ORMSBY, 112 Court St., Salem, Oregon.

German Coach Stallion.

The imported German Coach stallion "Albion" will make the season of 1904 in Dallas.

J. R. HUBBARD, W. H. McDANIEL.

For Sale or Trade.

A good young horse and second-hand wagon. Inquire of

J. F. GROVES, Dallas, Ore.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Taxpayers who wish to take advantage of the 3 per cent. rebate must pay on or before the 15th day of March.

Eggs For Sale.

Brown Leghorn eggs for sale; 50 cents for setting of 15. S. R. KENNEDY, Dallas, Oregon.

Oat Hay For Sale.

First-class baled oat hay for sale. J. F. HOLMAN, Dallas, Or.

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. In the following table, the first column shows the number of the precinct; the second column the name of the precinct; the third column, the total number of voters registered in 1902, and the fourth column, the number of voters who have registered to date.

No. Precinct 1902 1904

1 Douglas.....125.....37

2 Jackson.....107.....56

3 Salt Lake.....70.....17

4 Spring Valley.....78.....38

5 Eola.....126.....63

6 Rickreall.....118.....39

7 South Independence.....137.....10

8 South Monmouth.....115.....48

9 Buena Vista.....99.....6

10 Suver.....41.....7

11 Luckinmote.....176.....78

12 Bridgeport.....73.....32

13 East Dallas.....203.....92

14 McCoy.....89.....63

15 North Dallas.....155.....82

16 North Independence.....206.....10

17 North Dallas.....154.....60

18 Rock Creek.....23.....5

20 North Monmouth.....102.....30

21 Falls City.....139.....102

Total.....2336.....925

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; hence cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

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VAUGHN & WEAVER, DALLAS, ORE.

WALL PAPER

Our Spring line of Wall Paper is now arriving from the Eastern Factories and our stock of papers is more complete than ever before. Prices are the same as 1903 from 10c to 50c per double roll. You will do well to call and look them over.

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