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YESTERDAY'S PRIMARIES.

The Republican primaries held in the several precincts yesterday afternoon were orderly and quiet, as primaries in Polk county always are, and the contests were remarkably free from partisan bitterness, notwithstanding the intense interest and enthusiastic work of the friends of the various candidates. The attendance was unusually large in every precinct although the weather conditions were ideal for outdoor work. In a majority of the precincts, the vote cast in the primaries was larger than the total Republican vote in the same precinct at the June election two years ago—an attendance unheard of before in Polk county primary elections. Interest throughout the county centered in the contest in the three Dallas precincts, and the battle here was close and exciting. The Kirkpatrick ticket was elected in North Dallas and East Dallas, and was defeated in South Dallas. Complete returns from the county will probably be in this morning, and the candidates for the various offices can now get busy figuring on their chances for nomination in tomorrow's convention.

Until the returns are all in, it will be difficult to estimate the relative strength of all the men who are aspiring to the office of Senator, for the reason that in several precincts where the Senatorial contest was not as open and clearly defined as in others, delegates were elected whose choice for this office is not positively known. The real strength of any candidate this morning is an unknown quantity, and developments are awaited.

The following lists of delegates were received by the Observer by telephone last night. It was impossible to obtain the list of delegates from Rock Creek and Douglas before the hour of going to press:

South Dallas—James Elliott, C. R. Farley, Wilson Ayres, John Embree, C. A. Rice, U. S. Grant, G. W. McBoe, Amos Holman, J. M. Farley, Oliver Dennis.

North Dallas—D. P. Stouffer, Frank Kerslake, J. S. Ashbaugh, T. E. Rowell, Jas. Hayes, North Cherrington, George E. Johnson, V. Pink, J. M. Holman, J. L. Castle.

East Dallas—Glenn Grant, Robert Gynor, G. L. Hawkins, H. B. Plummer, J. S. Tallott, Abel Eglov, L. N. Woods, A. G. Rompel, Ed Richmond.

Rickreall—Frank Gibson, William Rowell, A. F. Steiner, G. N. McArthur, H. C. Fox, Sam Orr.

North Monmouth—J. W. Howell, E. H. Hosner, J. Powell, Wm. Riddell, H. S. Portwood, L. P. Reese, C. C. Yeater.

South Monmouth—Evan Evans, Frank Lucas, J. H. Moran, L. E. Bell, H. D. Whitman.

Falls City—J. R. Ford, G. M. Tiew, O. E. Lee, W. H. Livingston, S. H. Tetherow, Harry Starr, Wm. Ellis, A. Sampson.

Spring Valley—Sam Phillips, A. H. Coyle, Wes Hodson, W. J. Crawford, J. R. Shepard.

Suwer—W. W. Collins, J. A. Withrow, —Huston.

Lackmannite—A. J. Hannum, O. Buchanna, E. E. Hillbrand, Percy Hadley, Ira Hooker, Frank Loughary, Thos. Hooker, J. Bagley, H. Brinkley.

South Independence—M. W. Mix, I. H. Ingram, C. M. Thorp, E. M. Young, Jerome Dornise, W. T. Hoffman, E. L. Ketchum, L. U. Josse.

North Independence—Arthur Fisher, J. E. Burton, U. L. Prager, E. E. Padlock, B. H. Knox, F. A. Patterson, S. B. Irvine, J. E. Hubbard, S. S. Wilson, J. L. Hanna, J. W. Brooks, W. G. Sharrman.

Buena Vista—E. N. Hall, M. A. Winn, H. Nash, A. M. McLaughlin, E. Devens, A. J. Richardson.

Salt Lake—Wm. Keyt, Lee Conner, Lee Crossen, J. J. Mathis, George Nelson.

McCoy—T. J. Graves, G. L. Keltz, S. L. Stewart, C. L. Hawley, Theo Zozel, Floyd Miller.

Jackson—Loman Conner, Bert Conner, J. A. Baxter, Steve Bralcy, J. L. Guttry.

Edla—J. B. Chapman, Wm. Pearce, H. B. Brophy, Chas. Allen, T. W. Warr, —Loop, A. R. Southwick.

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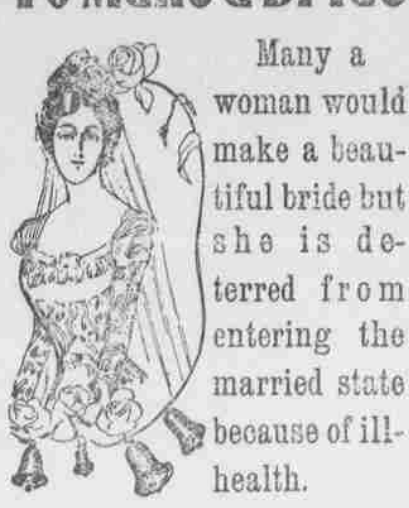
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ALL WERE RE-ELECTED

Councilmen Boals, Belt and Shaw Will Serve Another Two Years' Term.

The administration of city affairs in Dallas for the last two years received a hearty endorsement Monday, when the three retiring councilmen were elected to serve for another term of two years. As is usual in the case of an "off year," little interest was taken in the election and only about 50 per cent of the total vote of each ward was cast. Supporters of J. G. VanOrsdel in the First Ward put up a good fight for their candidate, as did the friends of H. E. Kozar in the Second Ward. But these efforts were unavailing, and the old councilmen were elected by small majorities. In the Third Ward there was no contest to speak of, the name of Charles F. Belt being the only name on the ticket. R. L. Chapman, who was not a candidate, received a complimentary vote of 20. The vote by wards was as follows:

First Ward—W. H. Boals, 37; J. G. VanOrsdel, 30.

Second Ward—C. E. Shaw, 35; H. E. Kozar, 32.

Third Ward—Charles F. Belt, 44; R. L. Chapman, 20.

The election was quiet and good-natured throughout, and no bad feeling resulted. The defeated candidates are all worthy citizens, but the people evidently felt that the old council had done good work and that the retiring members were entitled to another term of office. These men are thoroughly familiar with the details of the work of putting in the sewerage system, and the improvement will be carried on without any delay or interruption.

MAUNDY-THURSDAY BANQUET

Scottish Rite Masons Gather Around the Festal Board.

The mystic banquet of the Polk county members of Ainsworth Chapter, Rose Croix No. 1, Scottish Rite Masons, held in the dining room of the Hotel Gail last Thursday evening, was among the most elaborate and enjoyable social affairs ever given in Dallas. The dining hall was richly and tastefully decorated for the occasion, and neither money nor effort were spared by Landlord Thompson and Chef Walker in providing the banquets with the seasonable delicacies afforded by the local and Portland markets.

The members from Independence and Monmouth, accompanied by their wives and invited friends, arrived on a special motor at 7 o'clock and were entertained in the Masonic lodge room until 10 o'clock, when all repaired to the hotel and sat down to the feast of good things which had been prepared for them. Oscar Hayter presided as toastmaster, and toasts were responded to as follows: "Our Country," J. B. V. Butler, of Monmouth; "Freemasonry," Rev. D. M. Metzger, of Dallas; "The Order of the Eastern Star," by Mrs. Dr. O. D. Butler, of Independence.

Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. D. M. Metzger, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richardson, Dr. and Mrs. O. D. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Locke, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. V. Butler, Dr. and Mrs. Mark Hayter, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Belt, Mrs. Walter Babit, Miss Maude Huff, Miss Bertha Fuller, Miss Edna Sunonton, Messrs. W. R. Craun, H. Hirschberg, R. E. Williams and Oscar Hayter.

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COURT HOUSE NOTES.

PROBATE.

Estate of Adella Michell, deceased—final account allowed and administrator discharged.

Estate of Hannah Miller, deceased—petition for proof of will filed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J O Stevenson et ux to S D Ramp, 132.81 acres, t 7 s, r 3 w, \$3807.

United States to E C Pentland, 80 acres, t 8 s, r 7 w, patent.

J Dornise et ux to Polk County Land Company, lots 4 and 5, block 23, lots 7 and 8, block 16. Company's add to Monmouth, \$60.

J F Goode et ux to Henry Fawk et ux, lots 2 and 3, block K, West Salem, \$250.

F P Farrington to Charles S Russell, 160 acres, t 8 s, r 8 w, \$1600.

Albert Olin to Elizabeth Manston, 160 acres, t 9 s, r 8 w, \$900.

W O McKown to John D Moyer, lot 25, block K, Falls City, \$75.

Abel Uglov et ux to Haida J Ball, lots 5 and 6, block 15, Thorp's Independence, \$10.50.

A M and J J Williams to Frank A Stiles, tract in block 8, Dallas, \$1.

George Hagood to S D Stoffy, 58.35 acres, t 8 s, r 5 and 6 w, \$4200.

Frank Zimwalt to Glen B Zimwalt, und one-eight int 239.92 acres, t 6 s, r 5 w, \$370.

Phoebe and W R Pfennig to Elmer Reynolds, lot 6, block 2, Conkey's 1st add to Dallas, \$600.

Clara Guy to R E Williams, und one-fifth int 319.95 acres, t 9 s, r 5 w, \$2.0.

Abel Uglov et ux to Henry Fawk, 100 acres, t 7 s, r 3 w, \$75.

Prescott & Venes to Pearl Matney, lots 3 and 4, fr block 4, Thorp's add to Independence, \$150.

E C Kirkpatrick et al to Jessie S Farley, lot 3, block K, Falls City, \$1.

Anny Dunn and hd to E L Ingalls, lot 8, block 18, Ellis add to Dallas, \$1.

Robert Quinn et ux to Allen A Mc-

Lean, 69.25 acres, t 6 s, r 6 w, \$1.

United States to William McCarty, 100 acres, t 8 s, r 8 w, patent.

United States to Peter A Syron, 160 acres, t 8 s, r 8 w, patent.

United States to James Vaughn, 160.71 acres, t 8 s, r 7 w, patent.

"JOHN DOE" IS DAN TARPLEY

Well-Known Salem Attorney Arrested on Charge of Conspiracy.

New developments in regard to the land frauds came to light in the United States court, when Dan J. Tarpley, of Salem, waived arraignment on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the Government of lands and was released on \$4000 bonds. Tarpley was one of the persons indicted, along with S. A. D. Pater, Marie Ware and H. G. McKinley in the first indictment returned by the United States Grand Jury at its last session, but his name was not at that time made public.

Mr. Tarpley is an attorney, practicing in the Capital City, where he has lived for many years. He is well known in the Willamette Valley. Mr. Tarpley was notified Monday by United States District Attorney Hall that he had been indicted by the Grand Jury, and immediately started for Portland prepared to give whatever bonds were necessary. When interviewed in Salem before his departure, Mr. Tarpley did not appear worried over his indictment.

The indictment of Mr. Tarpley in connection with the investigation of the doings of the timber land ring, which operated in Lane and Linn counties, H. G. McKinley, Miss Marie Ware, S. A. D. Pater and Mrs. Watson arrested in Chicago last Friday were indicted by the Grand Jury last Summer during the investigation of the alleged frauds. Pater, Miss Ware and McKinley have been out on bonds since their indictment.

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 *Bridgeport.....7:55 1:45
 Ar. FALLS CITY.....8:05 1:55

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