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The way to build up Dallas is to pa-
rsonize Dallas people.



Republican State Ticket.

- Supreme Judge, F. A. MOORE.
- Dairy and Food Commissioner, J. W. BAILEY.
- First Congressional District, Congressman, BINGER HERMANN.
- Third Judicial District, Circuit Judges, GEORGE H. BURNETT, B. L. EDDY.
- District Attorney, JOHN H. McNARY.
- Twelfth Representative District, Joint Representative, J. S. COOPER.
- Republican County Ticket.
 - State Senator, U. S. LOUGHARY.
 - Representative, D. L. KEYT.
 - County Judge, ED. F. COAD.
 - Commissioner, WILLIAM RIDDELL.
 - County Clerk, E. M. SMITH.
 - Sheriff, M. SCRAFFORD.
 - Assessor, C. S. GRAVES.
 - School Superintendent, C. L. STARR.
 - Treasurer, J. T. BEEZLEY.
 - Surveyor, J. P. VANORSDEL.
 - Coroner, R. L. CHAPMAN.

Judge Boise is a crafty old politician. Within the writer's memory, he has been identified with no less than three different political parties, and history has it that he changed a time or two in his younger days. He has held office almost continuously for forty years, and shows no disposition to let go. When one political party drops him, he immediately joins another and keeps on running for office. Six years ago he identified himself with the Populist element and slid into office on the Fusion ticket. This year, his friends forced the Democrats to endorse him in their state convention by filing a petition for his nomination prior to the date of the convention. Many Democrats openly expressed their opposition to his candidacy, but the party did not dare to nominate a full judicial ticket with Boise running as an independent candidate. It now remains to be seen how many of the Democrats will swallow the dose prepared for them by this perpetual office-seeker and his friends.

There is no Republican opposition to Mr. Hermann in his district. He will be elected by 6000 or more. He is an efficient Representative. He is doing excellent work for the people of his district, and they recognize it. He did excellent work for the Lewis and Clark appropriation, and all Oregon should recognize that. The experience of a man like Hermann is worth something in Congress, and the people of his district will more than double the majority they gave him on the light vote thrown last year—Oregonian.

Register now, and avoid the rush.

That Tired Feeling

is a Common Spring Trouble.

It's a sign that the blood is deficient in vitality, just as pimples and other eruptions are signs that the blood is impure.

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Remove it, give new life, new courage, strength and animation.

They cleanse the blood and clear the complexion.

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JUST IN TIME.

A motorman in Chicago ran his car onto the approach of an open bridge and stopped it with the fender actually overhanging the gulf below. He wouldn't want to repeat the experiment because the chances are that he'd never again have the same good fortune.

Once in a while some one who has traveled to the very edge of the danger line of stomach disease stops just in time to save his health, but the majority of people go across the line, and slight symptoms of indigestion grow to disease of the stomach, involving the other organs of digestion and nutrition.

Indigestion and other forms of stomach "trouble" are perfectly and permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It strengthens the whole body by enabling the perfect digestion and assimilation of food.

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"I have been suffering for about eight years," writes Mrs. E. Pierce of Millingsville, Ky. "I have had several doctors treat me—some for female weakness and others for stomach trouble, but received no relief. When I wrote you for advice you hardly said a word, and you advised me what to do. I took some bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' four of 'Purifier' and 'Purifier,' also two of the 'Purifier.' Dr. Pierce's medicines will do all that you claim for them. Believe I would have been in my grave if I had not taken them."

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Congress has passed every Oregon bill save two, and those two are of minor importance. Senator Mitchell says that never before since he has been in Congress has the Oregon delegation so thoroughly cleared its docket of local legislation as it has in the session about to close. This is the kind of news the people like to hear. Sounds like the old times when Oregon had the reputation of getting whatever it wanted. Mitchell and Hermann, and that grand old statesman, Joseph N. Dolph—all were there in those days, and Oregon was proud of them. Mitchell and Hermann are there again, and working as faithfully as of old. The people will keep them there as long as they desire to stay. And Senator Fulton, too. No new man has ever made a better record than that of Oregon's junior Senator during his first year in office. His career of usefulness is just beginning, and no young man in either house of Congress has brighter prospects of becoming one of the prominent men of the Nation. Oregon again has a delegation in Congress of which she may well feel proud.

Notice to Voters.

J. R. Shepard, of Spring Valley, will be at West Salem to register voters on Saturday, May 7, at 1 o'clock p. m. This will afford an opportunity to the voters in the East end of the county to register without coming to the county seat, and all voters who have not enrolled their names should take advantage of it.

E. N. Hall and family have moved from Buena Vista to the Conkey house on Mill street. Mr. Hall is a carpenter, and already has work on the Kirkpatrick building.

A young man named West died in North Dallas, Sunday, and was buried Monday. He was about 18 years old.

HOW MONEY WAS SPENT

Report Showing Receipts and Expenditures of Cemetery Sidewalk Fund.

DALLAS, OR., April 28, 1901

To the fraternal orders and citizens of Dallas contributing to the fund to build a sidewalk to the I. O. O. F. cemetery:

As custodian of the fund subscribed for the above-named purpose, I beg to submit the following report, showing the total receipts and expenditures:

RECEIPTS	
From fraternal orders.....	\$120.00
From individual subscriptions.....	97.25
Total receipts.....	\$217.25
DISBURSEMENTS	
Johnson Lumber Co., lumber.....	\$162.13
W. E. Gilbert, contractor.....	47.63
William Faulk, nails.....	6.00
Total Disbursements.....	\$215.76
Balance on hand.....	\$1.49

At a meeting of the committee representing the various fraternal orders on November 23, a special committee of five was created to estimate the cost of the proposed walk. The gentlemen appointed to serve on this committee were A. B. Muir, U. S. Grant, C. F. Belt, F. A. Stiles and Walter Nichols. This committee had no funds at their command with which to make a survey, and were obliged to go over the entire distance of three-fourths of a mile and roughly estimate the amount of lumber and labor required to bring the sidewalk to a proper level. How carefully they did their work is shown by the following figures, giving the estimated cost as compared with the actual cost. It will be seen that in constructing a walk three-fourths of a mile in length they missed the actual cost only \$3.03.

Estimated cost of lumber \$155.25; actual cost, \$162.13.
Estimated cost of labor, \$90; actual cost, \$47.63.
Estimated cost of nails, \$7.50; actual cost, \$6.00.
Total estimated cost, \$212.75; total actual cost, \$215.76.

Respectfully submitted,
J. C. HAYTER,
Chairman of Comm.tee.

PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY

Dallas is Experiencing the Busiest Year in All Her History.

Dallas is a busy and progressive town. If anyone doubts this statement, a walk through the business and residence districts will convince him that it is true. New buildings are springing up on every hand; the mills are all running on full time; hundreds of laborers are at work in the hop fields and orchards adjoining the town; every man who has any knowledge of the use of carpenter's tools finds steady employment; pipes are being laid in every part of town to supply business houses and residences with mountain water, and plumbers are rushed with orders to supply the necessary fixtures and fittings; Contractor H. V. Gates has a force of men steadily employed in the construction of the water reservoir on the hill west of town, and many laborers are employed in laying the foundation of the Kirkpatrick building on Main street.

The days of the old wooden shacks in the business district of Dallas are numbered. Last year a row of the worst fire-traps in town were torn down and hauled away when Abel Uglow and William Faulk built their row of brick buildings on Mill street. This Spring the good work goes on. E. C. Kirkpatrick removed two frame buildings, one in a very dilapidated condition, to make room for a handsome brick structure, and now R. E. Williams is tearing out the old lively stable on the corner of Main and Oak streets to make room for a new frame building. F. A. Stiles is preparing to build a harness shop with a modern glass front on his present location, and I. V. Lynch's blacksmith shop will be replaced with a building more suitable to his needs. It is believed that the time is not far distant when the Crider brothers will replace their wooden buildings on Main street with substantial brick structures. Another piece of property on which parties desiring to build a fine brick building have their eye is the corner now occupied by the Club saloon. This is one of the sightliest corners in town, and it is believed that it will not be long until some one will offer Mrs. Smith a price that will induce her to part with it. A great change for the better has been made in the appearance of the business blocks of Dallas in the last three or four years, and it is apparent that the improvement is just getting fairly under way.

In the residence portion of town, substantial improvements are noted on every hand. More dwelling houses have already been built this season than were erected during the whole of last year. Men with capital are beginning to awaken to the fact that Dallas needs more houses, and neat dwellings are beginning to spring up all over town. W. H. McDaniel is building two houses to rent; Dr. Mark Hayter has finished a neat cottage and has a force of carpenters employed in the construction of another, making altogether five houses that he has for rent; C. L. Hubbard is preparing plans for two new dwellings, George Cutler will build two, and many other citizens are preparing to build during the coming Summer. It is conservatively estimated that from 50 to 60 new dwelling houses will be built in Dallas this year.

The spirit of progress and civic pride seems to have taken a thorough hold upon the people, and private

premises all over town are being improved and beautified. Dallas has always been numbered among the attractive towns of Oregon, and this reputation has been gained in the face of the greatest drawbacks and discouragements. But now, with an abundant supply of water for public and private use, the people are encouraged to go ahead and make many hitherto impossible improvements, and a marked change for the better will soon be seen. Old, unsightly fences are being torn down, and beautiful green lawns will soon be seen in front of nearly every door. Many streets will be graded and graveled this Summer, and new sidewalks, some of them constructed of cement, will be put down in the residence district. The greatest public improvement of all will be the system of sewerage recently voted to be put in, and for the construction of which the city council has already advertised for bids.

The Observer believes it is safe to say that more important improvements will be made this year than in any like period of time in the history of the town.

Have You Registered.

Untill the books are closed in May the OSBERVER 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	1901
1 Douglas.....	125	55
2 Jackson.....	107	76
3 Salt Lake.....	70	47
4 Spring Valley.....	78	60
5 Eola.....	126	100
6 Bicknell.....	118	79
7 South Independence.....	137	110
8 South Monmouth.....	115	88
9 Buena Vista.....	90	21
10 Suver.....	41	17
11 Lutskamute.....	176	143
12 Bridgeport.....	73	56
13 East Dallas.....	203	171
14 McCoy.....	89	69
15 South Dallas.....	155	150
16 North Independence.....	206	168
17 North Dallas.....	154	117
18 Rock Creek.....	23	9
20 North Monmouth.....	102	66
21 Falls City.....	139	136
Total.....	2336	1797

BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

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TIME TABLE, Effective April 1. Daily except Sunday.

West Bound	A. M.	P. M.
lv. DALLAS.....	7:30	1:30
*Teas' Siding.....	7:46	1:36
*Gilliams.....	7:49	1:39
*Bridgeport.....	7:53	1:43
Ar. FALLS CITY.....	8:05	1:53
East Bound	A. M.	P. M.
lv. FALLS CITY.....	9:20	4:30
*Bridgeport.....	9:30	4:40
*Gilliams.....	9:36	4:46
*Teas' Siding.....	9:39	4:54
Ar. DALLAS.....	9:55	5:10

*Trains Stop on Signal only.

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COURT HOUSE NOTES.

PROBATE.

Guardianship of Lloyd, Banna and Lyle Ball, minors—Frank Fawk appointed guardian; bond fixed at \$4000.

Estate of Gilbert McCabe, deceased—petition to sell real property at private sale granted.

Estate of Hannah Miller, deceased—bond filed and approved; F. B. Sackett, C. P. Clover and G. W. Brentner appointed appraisers.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. H. Collins et ux to Chas Huntley, lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, block 14, Talmage, \$90.

R A Glandon to W W Glandon, 429.33 acres, t 6 and 7 s, r 4 w, \$1000.

M L Thompson et al to Henry Rhoades, lots 2, 3 and 4, block D, Hood View add to Falls City, \$140.

Eliza A Wilcox to W J Steele, lots in Buena Vista, \$200.

Alex Courter et ux to Charles E Dill, 3750 square feet, t 8 s, r 6 w, \$37.50.

John J Colwell to Jackson Baker, lots and tracts in Falls City, \$1400.

W G Stanton to J T Bowman et ux, 13.24 acres, t 7 s, r 3 w, \$1.

W Dent et ux to Wm Branchflower, 220 acres, t 6 s, r 4 w, \$3500.

W H Holmes, assignee, to F E Myer, 2.50 acres, Dallas, \$150.

Harriet K McArthur et al to Clifton N McArthur, 355 acres, t 7 s, r 4 w, \$1.

Harriet K McArthur et al to Lewis A McArthur, 15 acres, t 7 s, r 4 w, \$1.

John, Foster and Daniel Wacheno to J C Cockerham, 42.80 acres, t 6 s, r 8 w, \$100.

United States to Robert B Hansen, 160 acres, t 7 s, r 7 w, patent.

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DALLAS, OREGON.

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