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DALLAS, OREGON, MAY 5, 1905.

The way to build up Dallas is to patronize Dallas people.



AN URGENT NEED.

One of Dallas' urgent needs at the present time is suitable facilities for shipping livestock.

With the rapid settlement of the vast grazing country west of Dallas, stock raising is rapidly becoming one of our important industries.

A remonstrance against the removal of the United States Land Office from Oregon City to Portland received numerous signatures in Dallas this week.

The year of 1905 will be one of great prosperity for the farmers, if the prevailing high prices for farm products continue.

The Josephine county court has appropriated \$2500 for a county exhibit at the Lewis and Clark Fair.

Fiske's All Right.

Brother Fiske, of the Oregon Woodman is a poet, and a good one.

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SAW LUMBER HERE

L. Gerlinger Says Another Large Sawmill in Dallas Would Prove Paying Investment.

L. Gerlinger, president of the Dallas and Falls City railroad, came up from Portland last Thursday, and on Friday morning went to Falls City, where he spent the day looking over the work that has been accomplished in extending the road into the timber west of that town.

Mr. Gerlinger says that his road will soon be completed into an excellent body of timber, and that hauling of logs will then begin.

With the extensive investments I have made in timber in Polk county in the last few years, and the heavy expense of building and equipping a railroad, I cannot see my way clear to build a sawmill in Dallas at this time.

"The people of Dallas should not wait for outside help, but should build and operate this mill themselves," continued Mr. Gerlinger.

INDEPENDENCE, Ore., May 2.—Miss Mabel Cressy left Wednesday for a few weeks' visit with friends at Siletz.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ireland, of near Corvallis, visited relatives here and in Monmouth during the week.

John Dickinson has returned from South Dakota, where he has been visiting relatives and friends for several weeks.

Independence now has a Driving club with sixty members.

Miss Opal McDevitt was tendered a surprise by a number of her young friends Monday evening, the occasion being her birthday anniversary.

Rev. Ray Palmer, D. D., of Portland, is holding meetings in the Baptist church each afternoon this week and in the Opera house in the evening.

The public school of this place has completed and forwarded their exhibit to the Lewis and Clark Fair.

Grandma Irvine, of Dallas, has returned from McMinnville, where she spent two months with her son, and is visiting relatives and friends in Independence.

May Day festivities will be held at Monmouth Friday afternoon by the students of the O. S. N. S. Miss Francis Cooper, of this place, will be crowned Queen with elaborate ceremonies.

Dr. Tufts Coming. Dr. Tufts, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon, will spend Sunday in Dallas, speaking in the M. E. Church in the morning.

Conductors' Excursion Next Sunday To Portland and the Lewis and Clark Fair grounds.



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COURT HOUSE NOTES.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

May 2—Peter Wall and Lena Quirling

PROBATE.

Guardianship of S. W. Fletcher—petition to sell personal property granted.

Guardianship of M. L. Robbins—first semi-annual account filed.

Guardianship of Effie and Walter Easler—A. N. Holman, H. B. Cosper and J. E. Beezley appointed appraisers.

COMMISSIONERS COURT.

In the matter of employing Mrs. F. A. Wolfe to take charge of the Polk county exhibit at the Lewis and Clark Fair—ordered that a contract be made with Mrs. Wolfe, employing her during the Fair for the sum of \$800; same to be paid as follows: June, \$100; July, \$100; August, \$100; September, \$100; October, \$100; November, \$300.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

ROAD ACCOUNT.

Western Clay Co. \$112.40 William Faulk 70.35 J. A. Hannum 16.50 Josiah West 9.00 J. B. Teal 28.25 W. E. Martin 47.66

PAUPER ACCOUNT.

D. L. Key, supplies 15.15 Ellis & Key 22.63 C. E. Huntley 40.35 D. G. Meador 11.00 V. J. Bodwell 8.00 F. S. Wilson 8.50 J. T. Simpson 30.00 W. T. Rigdon 35.00 R. R. Crandle 8.00

SALARY AND FEES.

W. T. Pearce, assessing 57.50 J. K. Guttry, same 32.50 A. E. Williams, same 67.50 T. J. Card, same 50.00 Leo Rowell, same 35.50 T. W. Wann, same 67.50 C. S. Graves 75.00 J. E. Beezley 62.50 E. M. Smith 143.61 C. L. Starr 86.05 A. M. Trent 43.45 Ed F. Coad 66.65 H. B. Cosper 62.50 M. A. Ford 167.91 J. T. Ford 65.00 A. N. Holman 65.00

COURTHOUSE ACCOUNT.

Dallas Water Co. 10.00 J. G. VanOrsdal, lights 15.00 J. E. Beezley 11.75 Wm. Kersey, labor 11.81 S. W. Blessing, labor 8.25 Vaughn & Weaver 2.95

MISCELLANEOUS.

A. Wolfe, election acct. 2.00 Glass & Prudhomme, supplies 1.55 Irwin-Hodson Co, same 46.50 B. H. McCallon, ex insane 5.00 H. J. Osfield, mdse 7.50 C. G. Coad, postage 21.80 OSERVEE, printing 7.75 West Side, same 4.50 Loughary & Ellis, supplies 1.50 R. L. Chapman, inquest 9.40

Lively Class Spirit.

A small sized riot occurred at the Monmouth Normal last Friday. The occasion of the outbreak was the hoisting of the Freshman flag on the flag pole.

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Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers The famous little pills.

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Depot Phones Taken Out.

The free telephones have been taken out of the Southern Pacific depots in Dallas and other valley towns on account of a disagreement between the railroad company and the Pacific States Telephone Company.

Jury List For May Term of Court.

The following citizens of Polk county will serve as jurors at the May term of Circuit Court, which will convene in Dallas on Monday, May 8:

Dallas—G. W. Siofarth, George B. Gates, W. H. Kraber, W. H. McDaniel, L. M. Humphreys.

Falls City—A. F. Courter, Hugh Black, N. A. Emmitt.

Independence—S. W. Miles, J. H. Burton, Charles Mattison, John Dickenson, George Conkey, B. B. Knowles, T. L. Hartman.

Monmouth—F. R. Barnes, S. C. Denny, J. H. Mulkey.

McCook—J. D. Kelly, M. E. Bailey. Perrydale—B. F. Jones, J. P. Byerie. Ballston—J. A. Baxter, G. W. Newbill.

Suver—O. H. DeArmond, H. M. Berry.

Airlie—P. A. Bachelor. Buena Vista—J. A. McClain. Rickreall—S. H. Crowley. Buell—Ross Rowell. Salem—T. J. Jennings.

Revival at Perrydale.

PERRYDALE, Ore., May 2—Revival services will begin at Perrydale, at the Christian church, Sunday, May 7. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. D. W. Horn, of California, will have charge of the services.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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

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Wagon For Sale. Light wagon for sale. N. HUGHES, Dallas, Or.

Goats For Sale. Twenty-six head of wethers, and 20 nannies with kids, for sale. O. N. HARRINGTON, Dallas, Or.

Team For Sale. Fine span of young Clydesdale mares; nice team and well matched. A. C. DIMICK, Dallas, Or.

Buggy For Sale. Good second-hand buggy for sale; or will exchange for milk cow. JAMES ROSS, Dallas, Or.

Horsemen, Attention! The imported German Coach stallion "Alban" will make the season of 1905 at Farmers' Feed Shed in Dallas, Polk county. Terms \$10, \$15 and \$20. HUBBARD & McDANIEL, Dallas, Oregon.

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