# Polk County Observer importance, there are other issues that will not be lost sight of by the voters

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ronize Dallas people.



#### PRIMARY DRAWS NEAR.

One week from today, the voters of tain it upon the statute books.

this law upon its merits, the OBSERVER C. L. Hawley, of McCoy, was ap. done that the law says must be done. The signing of Statement No. 1 is not school taxation was discussed at one of these. The provision covering length, and a committee was apthis much-discussed pledge is not pointed to prepare resolutions to be mandatory, and it is plain that the submitted at a later date covering framers of the law did not so intend it needed legislation to be asked at the to be. The observance or non-observ- hands of the next legislature. ance of this section is left to the Among the school officers present judgment of the individual candidate. were: H. G. Campbell, G. W. Myer, To men who believe in the main- T. W. Brunk, J. M. Taber, C. C. istence.

Republican candidates for representa- Stapleton and D. P. Stapleton. tive from Polk county have taken this pledge proves that it is not seriously demanded by the voters. Had it been widely popular, some

of Oregon in the present campaign. The people are going to ask candi-EDITOR AND PUBLISHER. dates for the Legislature how they stand on the taxation of franchises, the Normal school question, the regulation of insurance rates, legislation for equal taxation, inspection of state banks, better road laws, better school laws, and other questions of vital im-The way to build up Dallas is to pat- portance to the welfare of the state. The people have a right to ask these

questions, and they are going to exercise that right. The candidate who does not come out into the open and answer these questions fairly and honestly will stand little chance for election this year, whether he be for Statement No. 1, or otherwise,

# SCHOOL OFFICERS MEET

Endorse Fair and Appoint Committee to Prepare Resolutions on Taxation.

A highly interesting and profitable Oregon will go to the polls and chose meeting of the school officers of Polk their candidates for state, district and county was held at the courthouse, county offices. There has been no Saturday. Nearly every district in attempt in any quarter to evade the the county was represented, and the provisions of the direct primary law, meeting lasted all day. Many patrons but rather, a general desire among and friends of the public schools were the voters, irrespective of party affili- present and took part in the disliation, to give the new method of cussions. Hon. George W. Myer, of selecting candidates a fair trial. The Smithfield, was the presiding officer. OBSERVER did not favor the passage The entire forenoon session was deof this law, but has at all times advo- voted to the discussion of plans for cated giving it a fair test, believing the Polk county public school fair to that in no other way can the people be held in Dallas next September. determine whether they desire to re- The farmers are enthusiastic for the success of the Fair, and all pledged In advocating a thorough test of their hearty support to the movement. has only urged that those things be pointed to head the Executive Board. In the afternoon the question of

tenance of opposing political parties Gardner, A. W. Plankinton, Wm. as a means of securing good govern- Hoisington, Henry Voth, E. Aebi, P. ment, any law that would force one Peterson, Evan Evans, Ellis Davidparty to elect a member of another son, J. A. Withrow, William Riddell, party to next to the highest office Percy Hadley, C. L. Hawley, F. H. within the gift of the people seems Fawk, W. H. McKee, D. L. Keyt, A. Z. unjust and unreasonable. While Tedrow, James Simonton, J. M. partisan prejudice is not as strong as Prather, J. R. Loy, A. Anderson, J. it once was in this country, the OB- Smith, J. K. Guttry, H. P. Strickler, SERVER is not prepared to believe that J. H. Brown, T. S. Brown, J. S. the American people are willing to Parker, J. M. Farley, Floyd Miller, Starr; A. L., D. D. Bell; banker, D. J. see political parties wiped out of ex- Ben Thompson, G. W. McBee, J. J. McBee, N. Harris, Mark Blodgett, Lee

The very fact that none of the three Humphrey, J. C. Peterson, L. E.

#### Ate Poisoned Food.

Two Dallas boys were victims of the efforts of Captain V. P. Fiske, that plot to poison the boarders at Miss tireless toiler in the cause of Woodcandidate would have arisen to Behren's boarding house in Heppner craft. The membership is composed champion it before the people. It is last week. Robert Gaynor drank of bright and energetic young men, coffee and was immediately slezed and the OBSERVEN predicts that Falls Republicans of Polk county want to with intense pain. His condition was City Camp will take its place among stallion "Albon" will make the season be represented by a man who will considered very serious for a few the best and brightest in Oregon. vote for a Republican for United hours, and it was only through the prompt efforts of physicians that his life was saved. Clarence Shultz ate closing, the OBSERVER has endeavored mush made with water from the The Dallas College basketball team poisoned teakettle, but escaped serious won its first game of the year by dedidates for public office. It has sought illness, the mush doubtless absorbing feating the Salem High School team to coerce none into its way of think- much of the drug, and rendering by a score of 7 to 3 on the home ing, neither has it threatened any who harmless the small quantity he ate. grounds last Saturday afternoon. happen to differ with its opinions. It Analysis of the contents of the cook- Myer pitched a splendid game, striking has permitted candidates to use a large ing utensils revealed sufficient oxalic out 12 men and walking only two. acid to kill the inhabitants of the en- G. O. Grant officiated as umpire to local and county news in presenting tire town. J. H. Bode, step-father of the satisfaction of all. The OBSERVER Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Miss Behrens, was placed under arrest regrets that a lack of space prevents on a charge of attempting to poison it from publishing the tabulated score, lishing this matter it has made no the members of the household, and kindly furnished by Vernie Compton, charge. Space for pictures, letters has been held to answer to the Circuit the official scorer. Hereafter, we shall and testimonials of indorsement, and Court. Clarence Shultz returned to endeavor to print the full score of all Dallas this week and has entirely re- games played. Prior to the big aftercovered from the effects of the poison. noon game, the Tribunes defeated the second college team by a decisive

Treating Wrong Disease. Many times women call on their family physicians, suffering, as they imagine, one from dynepsia, another from heart disease, as an from near or kidnoy disease, another from near section or prostressing another with pair to re and there, as i in this way they all present alibe to then selves and their end going and indifferent, or over-busy doctor, sep-arate and distinct diseases, for which he, assuming them to be such, prescribes his plifs and potions. In reality, they are all pills and votions. In reality, they are all only symploans caused by some aterine disease. The physician, imported the cause of suffering, encourages this prac-tice until large bills are made. The suf-fering patient gets no better, but probably worse, by reason of the delay, wrong treatment and consequent complications. A proper medicine like Dr. Pierce's Fa-vor a Prescription, directed to the cause would have entirely removed the discase, thereby dispelling all those distressing symptoms, and instituting comfort in-stead of prolonged misery. It has been well said, that "a disease known is half cured."

curred." Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carcially devised by an experienced and skillight physician, and adapted to woman's deficate system. It is made of native medicinel roots and is perfectly harmlers in its chects in any condition of the sustem. As a powerful invigorating tonic "Fa-corite Prescription" imparts strength to the whole system and to the organs dis-tinctly feminine in particular. For overcured.

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stor: tive tonic. As a soothing and strengthening nerv-ine "Favorite Prescription" is uncoualed and is invaluable in allaying and sub-duing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, chorea, St. Vino's dance, and other distressing nerv-ous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic discusse of the uterns. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency. Dr. Flerce's Pleasant Pollets invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. One to three a dose. Easy to take as candy.

## FALLS CITY CHOPPERS

Captain V. P. Fiske Organizes Woodman Camp at Falls City With Forty Charter Members.

One hundred Woodmen from Dallas organize a Camp at that place. Also, house and two lots in Dallas. Organizers H. L Day and Captain V. P. Fiske, officers of Dallas Camp and Captain Muscott's drill team had charge of the work, which was put on in excellent shape. After the lodge had been duly organized, the visitors a nice supper by the Falls City boys. nesdays and Thursdays; Dallas, Fri-40 members, and has bright prospects time at Turner's near Airlie. for a rapid growth. The officers are: P. C., H. C. Courter; C. C., H. E. Grant; clerk, C. V. Averill; escort, W. Harmon; watchman, C. D. Tice; sentry, J. F. Jones; managers, S. S. Cook, W. T. Grier, G. A. Griswold. The organization of a live camp of "choppers" at Falls City is due to the

BUSINESS LOCALS. 0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0 // Dr. Hayter, Dentist. Office over Wilson's Drug Store. Dallas, Oregon.

House For Rent.

House for rent. Apply to Guy BROS.

For Sale.

White Seed Oats for sale by SAMUEL ORR, Rickreall, Or.

#### Milk Cow Wanted.

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Wanted, to trade, baled cheat hay for a good fresh milk cow. FAY BROWN, Dallas, R. F. D. 1.

### Building Material.

I am now dealing in brick, lime, sand, cement and shingles. Also carry a good supply of land plaster. Call and see me at the new warehouse in Dallas. W. L. SOEHREN.

Cow For Sale.

1 Extra fine 3-year-old fresh cow for sale. R. HATTON, Dallas, Or. Bell 1 Phone 213.

Eggs For Sale. Fine white Wyandotte eggs, Duston strain; first pen, \$2.50 per setting of 13; second pen, \$1.50 per setting of 13. Address J. C. STINGLEY, Dallas, Oregon, R. F. D. 1.

#### Embroldery Designs.

Ladies, please call at the Studio for designs for embroidery, shirt-waist patterns, or anything desired. Instruction in painting and drawing given very reasonably. Pyro-etching 1 a specialty. Phone, Main 163. JOSEPHINE ARMSTRONG.

For Sale.

Camp went to Falls City by special proved; 20 acres subject to irrigation. train Saturday night and helped to Also a 55-acre tract, unimproved. FRANK ROWELL,

Fifty-two acres of land; well im-

Dallas, Oregon.

#### "Lambert Boy 4192."

WILLIAM TATOM.

The noted Morgan horse "Lambert Boy 4192" will make the season of were taken to the hotel and treated to 1906 as follows: Independence, Wed-The new camp starts out with about days and Saturdays; remainder of

> J. W. BRØWN, Owner, Stallion "Mercules." Commencing April 1, the Percheron Office with W. V. Fuller in Campbell stallion, "Hercules," will make the season of 1906 as follows: Mondays and Tuesdays at Rickreall; Wednesdays at Independence; remainder of time at Black's stable, Dallas, Terms, \$12.50 to insure.

Many Bargains

We have now had time to look over the stock, and find there are many things left that we must still leave at bargain prices. Come and help yourself to them while they last. For example, we still leave on sale at prices as follows:

A Large Line of Boys' Shoes at . . . A Line Misses' and Ladies Shoes at ALL OF THEM WORTH TWICE THE MONEY.

# A Line of Shirt Waists, old and new at \$1.00

We have left our Clothing at sales prices for a time, and many other things are remarkably cheap. All goods the kind you buy the year round.

Our Dress Goods Department and Dress Trimmings are remarkably fine this year. All the beautiful shades in the Soft Woolens and in the Fleecy Soft Summer Goods-the like we never had before.

Come and See Them.

ELLIS & KEYT

DALLAS, OREGON

MAIN STREET,



Main Street, Dallas, Oregon

Dallas, Ore

States Senator.

In the preliminary campaign just to be fair and impartial toward all canamount of space usually devoted to portance to the voters, and for puball other like matter benefiting individual candidates only, has been charged for at regular commercial advertising rates. While each has been permitted to present his own merits, we have permitted no candidate to speak disparagingly of his opponents. All matter of a personal nature reflecting upon the character consigned to the waste-basket, or

The contest between the candidates for the county offices has been notable so far for the clean and good-natured ducted, and it is only reasonable to conclude that this friendship and good-will among the contestants will continue to the end. Such conditions make it possible for all voters to line up in support of their respective tickets, when nominated, and to work together pleasantly and harmoniously men are chosen for party standardbearers.

While the selection of a United rapidly growing in popularity under

# Hood's

Sarsaparilla enjoys the disequalled effects by purifyorgan, bone and Lissue de- present. pend. Accept no substitute for Hood's, but insist on having Hood's AND ONLY HOOD'S

#### Parents' Meeting at Falls City.

parents' meeting held at the school- Salem this afternoon. house Thursday evening was a grand success. Every seat was taken, and many stood in the halls, Mayor or good name of another has been Lucas and Chairman Dodd were both absent on account of sickness, and promptly returned to the sender. To Principal Seymour presided. County the credit of the candidates, it is only Superintendent Starr, the first speaker due to say that few articles of this of the evening, gave one of his most nature have been offered for publi- interesting talks, and was followed by J. H. Ackerman, who gave a pleasing

and instructive address. Several musical numbers were furnished, among them an excellent violin solo manner in which it has been con- by Miss Violet Pfandhoefer. At the reception following the program, over 100 people sat down to the spread given by the teachers of the school.

#### Cottage Hotel Changes Hands.

The Cottage Hotel in this city changed hands this week, F. W. Treanor selling the lease and furniture for party success. It is now up to the to F. E. Myer. The new proprietor people to turn out at the primaries took charge of the house at once, and and see that the best and most capable will devote his entire attention to its management, Mr. Treanor will continue his interest in the Little Palace Hotel in Independence, which is

States Senator is a matter of great his able management. Mr. Myer is a capable hotel man, and will spare no pains or expense to keep the Cottage up to a high standard of ex-

cellence.

## Notice to Election Officers.

tinction of being the great-est curative and preventive medicine the world has ever A meeting of the judges and elerks of election of Polk county will be held at the courthouse in Dallas on Mon-day, April 16, at 2 o'clock. The object A meeting of the judges and clerks known. It is an all-round of the meeting is to give the election medicine, producing its un- officers an opportunity to talk over their duties under the new law and ing, vitalizing and enriching ize themselves with work as it is the blood on which the actually performed at the polls. It is Senator and for the other state and health and strength of every hoped that as many as can will be

E. M. SMITH. County Clerk.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Horsemen, Attention! of 1906 at the Farmers' Feed Shed in Dallas. Terms, \$10, \$15 and \$20.

#### Dalias Defeats Salem.

ASHLAND, ORE.

for STATE TREASURER.

to the this place on the ticket."

Little Early Risers

The famous little pills.

## W. H. McDaniel is prepared to furnish pasture for mares. HUBBARD & MCDANIEL, Dallas, Oregon. Percheron "Tatia." The famous Percheron stallion, "Tafia" will make the season of 1906

Pays Accident Benefits classas tollows: Dallas, Monday, Tuesified according to occupation. Pay; Surgeon's Fees Service, \$10; \$15 and \$20 to insure. Pays Funeral Expenses of A. H. HOLMAN, from \$100 to \$150. Manager. REPORT OF THE CONDITION No Medical Examination. OF THE Dallas National Bank score. The Dallas team will play a able only once in a lifetime. FALLS CITY, Or., April 11.-The game with Willamette University in At Dallas, in the State of Oregon, at Dues,\$1.50 and \$1 per Month the close of business, April W. V. Fuller, Agent 6, 1906, RESOURCES. E. V. CARTER Dallas, Oregon. Loans and discourts ..... \$21,893 15 Overdrafts, secured and unsecured ..... 302 42 U. S. Bonds to secure circulation ...... 6,250 00 Bonds, securities, etc......18,804 2 ATTENTION !! Banking house, furniture and fixtures.. 4,5025 Due from State Banks and Bankers ..... 2,372 97 Due from approved reserve agents ...... 50,243 31 WHAT? Checks and other cash items ... 219.80 Notes of other National Banks. 325.00 Fractional paper currency, nickels and BALLSTON HAS A cents. 111 50 LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ: **Hardware Store** Specie. \$ 10,044 Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, SUBJECT TO INSPECTION. (5 per cent of circulation) ..... 312/50 Handling everything necessary to \$115,381 40 complete this line. Also, Paints, Oil, LIABILITIES. Gasoline and Turpentine. Call and Capital stock paid in ... \$25,000.00 look over my stock. Undivided profits, less expense and taxes paid ..... THE EYE CAN SEE BETTER THAN 705 50 National Bank notes outstanding .... 6,050.00 THE TONGUE CAN TELL. Individual deposits subject to check... 73,700 24 Demand certificates of deposit ...... 1,174 75 Time certificates of Deposit ..... **Ballston Hardware** 11,750 00 Total ..... State of Oregon, County of Polk. 88. G. W. HAYNES. I, E. Hayter, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and Candidate for Republican Nomination bellef. E. HAYTER, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th If you need new tires for day of April, 1906. N. L. BUTLER. How to Reduce Your Taxes. CORRECT-Attest Notary Public. I. N. WOODS, B. H. McCallon, WALTER WILLIAMS, [SEAL] your wheel, come and Mr. Carter says: "Oregon has never received any of the interest paid on see me. I handle its money. If elected State Treasurer, **Boothby** & Lewis I will pay over to the state every "THE RACYCLE" dollar of interest earned on its funds whether a law be passed requiring me the best wheel made. STOCK BUYERS to do so or not. This will result in a saving to the taxpayers of this state Come and examine it of from \$15,000 to \$20,000 per annum. Highest Market Price Paid and convince yourself of "I am not the candidate of any for SHEEP, HOGS, CATTLE, clique, faction, organization or society. its superiority over other Eastern Oregon, Multnomah county and GOATS. bicycles, and you will and the northern section of the state Bell Phone, Farm 228 save money, district offices-and it is a reasonable C. RISSER, claim that Southern Oregon Is entitled MONMOUTH, OREGON Dallas,



DeWitt's Witch Salve For Piles, Burns, Sores.