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DALLAS, OREGON, FEBRUARY 1, 1907.
The way to build up Dallas is to patronize Dallas people.



Senator Wright's bill providing the death penalty for the holdup man is one of the few really meritorious measures pending before the Oregon Legislature. It should pass both houses and become a law.

Congressman-el-et Hawley is active in lobbying against the Jones canal and locks bill, and says he wants to carry the project back to Washington. He wouldn't know what to do with it after he got it there.

The bill appropriating \$65,000 for the Jamestown exposition was killed in the senate by a vote of 15 to 12. Pretty tough on Hon. Jeff Myers, Uncle Henry Doseh and a few others, but no particular loss to the state.

Printers' Ink, recognized the world over as an authority on advertising, says in a recent number: "It is now pretty generally believed that one large advertisement in one paper will prove more useful than four small announcements occupying the same space in the aggregate in four papers."

Special investigating committees to visit state institutions have been appointed at Salem. As the members draw no mileage this year, and have no clerks to appoint, positions on these committees were not in great demand. Polk county members received places as follows: Senator Loughary on Baby Home and Boys' and Girls' Aid Society; Representative McCallon on Capital Building and Grounds; Representative Jones on Boys and Girls' Aid Society.

W. W. Percival has recently contributed some excellent articles on sheep and hog raising to the Independence West Side. He tells what is being done by enterprising Polk county farmers in this line of industry, giving facts and figures to show the profits that are being made by men who are handling livestock in an intelligent and business-like way. Such articles are of great practical value, and more of them should be published by the newspapers of Oregon.

It seems almost impossible of belief that while the people of the Willamette Valley were enjoying mild, balmy weather this week, the city of Portland was experiencing the worst sleet and ice storm ever known in Oregon. And yet such was the case. It is believed that the damage caused by the storm will reach nearly one-half million dollars. Telephone and telegraph wires were wrecked, trees were uprooted in the streets, traffic was blocked, and business was brought to a standstill. Such storms are almost unknown in Oregon, and it is lucky for the state that they occur at such infrequent intervals.

Believing that many of the limestone deposits in Oregon will furnish prime material for the manufacture of cement, the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis has added a new automatic cement testing machine and will make experiments with any stone sent to the college free of charge to the person sending it. Samples of limestone sent for testing should weigh not less than 20 pounds, and should represent an average sample of the deposit. It has long been believed that the immense deposits of limestone in the hills west of Dallas would make an excellent quality of cement, and it would be well for the owners of these quarries to take advantage of this opportunity to have the stone given a thorough test. If this stone is suitable for cement purposes, it will be the means of establishing another important industry that will add hundreds of thousands of dollars to the wealth of Polk county.

Dallas needs a night watchman.

Liver and Kidneys

It is highly important that these organs should properly perform their functions. When they don't, what lameness of the side and back, what yellowness of the skin, what constipation, bad taste in the mouth, sick headache, pimples and blotches, and loss of courage, tell the story.

The great alternative and tonic
Hood's Sarsaparilla
Gives these organs vigor and tone for the proper performance of their functions, and cures all their ordinary ailments. Take it.

NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE

Commencing February 1, Three Daily Passenger Trains Will Be Run Between Dallas and Falls City.

The new passenger train schedule for the operation of trains between Dallas and Falls City, and also between Falls City and Black Rock, has been completed and will go into effect February 1. By this schedule, the running time of the present trains will be changed and an additional train will be added. General Manager Gerlinger says that the operation of an additional daily train will cause the trainmen much extra work, and he is not yet sure whether the trains can be run on the time provided by the new schedule. In order to determine the practicability of the arrangement, the time table will be given a week or ten days trial, and if it proves satisfactory it will be permanently adopted.

According to the new schedule, the morning train will leave Dallas at 7:15 and arrive at Falls City at 7:55. Returning, it will leave Falls City at 8:45 and arrive in Dallas at 9:30.

The next train will be a freight. No coach will be attached to this train, but accommodations will be provided for passengers in the caboose. None but through passengers will be carried, however, as the train will make no stops between Dallas and Falls City, either going or coming. Owing to limited time, this train will not be run to the Southern Pacific depot for passengers, but will start from the company's terminal grounds in South Dallas.

This new train will accommodate Falls City people arriving in Dallas on the morning train from Portland, and will also connect with the afternoon train between Dallas and Portland. It will leave Dallas at 11:10 a. m., and arrive in Falls City at 11:50 a. m. Returning, it will leave Falls City at 1 p. m., and arrive in Dallas at 1:45 p. m.

The last train in the afternoon will leave Dallas at 3:20 o'clock, and arrive in Falls City at 4. Returning, it will leave Falls City at 4:30, and arrive in Dallas at 5:15 p. m.

The daily schedule between Falls City and Black Rock will be as follows: Leave Falls City at 6 a. m., and arrive back in Falls City in time to connect with the 8:45 train for Dallas. Leave Falls City at 9 a. m., and arrive back in time to connect with the 1 p. m. train for Dallas. Leave Falls City again at 1:30 p. m., and arrive back in time to connect with the 4:30 train for Dallas. This schedule will give the people of Black Rock three trains daily to the county seat, and will be a great improvement over the present schedule.

The road is now well equipped with heavy locomotives and cars, and no difficulty will be experienced in operating all trains on time. The officers of the company are entitled to much credit for their efforts to furnish such excellent service to their patrons, and a greatly increased travel will doubtless result.

W. H. Roy has purchased the Meiser & Meiser crockery and notion store and will move the stock to the Collins building. He has also purchased the ladies' furnishing goods department of Mrs. Metzger, the latter retaining only her millinery business. Judge Collins will put a modern front in his building and a neat store will be fitted up. Mr. Roy is no stranger in Dallas business circles and it is certain that he will enjoy a paying trade.

Street Improvement Notice.

To J. M. Sears:
Notice is hereby given, that the City Council of the City of Dallas, Oregon, contemplates the passage of an Ordinance requiring the improvement of those certain streets or parts of streets herein described as follows, to-wit: A new sidewalk 5 feet 4 inches in width on the East side of that part of Robb street adjacent to and adjoining that certain lot or part of lot or parcel of ground described as Lot No. 8, Academy Block, Dallas, Oregon.

That such sidewalk will be constructed of lumber at the time and in the manner to be hereafter prescribed by such ordinance;

That the cost of such sidewalk will be assessed to the above described real property fronting and abutting thereon;

That the City Council of said City will sit in the Council Chamber in said City on the 4th day of February A. D. 1907, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening and at said time and place will hear and determine objections and remonstrances thereto, if any there be; and

That all owners, and other persons in interest, may attend at said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why such sidewalk should not be constructed.

Done by order of the City Council of the City of Dallas, made on the 21st day of January A. D. 1907.

Witness my hand and the official seal of the said City of Dallas, this 22nd day of January, A. D. 1907.
(Seal) DAN P. STOUFFER,
Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Dallas, Oregon.

DOCTORS MISTAKES

Are said often to be buried six feet under ground. But many times women call on their family physicians, suffering, as they imagine, one from dyspepsia, another from heart disease, another from liver or kidney disease, another from nervous prostration, another with pain here and there, and in this way they present alike to themselves and their easy-going or over-busy doctor, separate diseases, for which he, assuming them to be such, prescribes his pills and potions. In reality, they are all only suffering from the same disease, the cause of suffering, keeps up the treatment until large bills are made. The suffering patient gets no better by reason of a wrong treatment, but probably worse. A proper medical treatment of the disease would give relief.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate system. It is made of native American medicinal roots and is perfectly harmless in its effects in any condition of the female system.

As a powerful invigorating tonic "Favorite Prescription" imparts strength to the whole system and to the organs distinctly feminine in particular. For overworked, "worn-out," run-down, delicate, faded teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, stenographers, housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequalled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. One to three a dose. Easy to take as candy.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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

For Sale.

Three good lots, 6-room house and new barn; three blocks east of court-house, on Court street, in Dallas. For particulars apply to S. R. KENNEDY.

Wanted to Rent.

Wanted to rent, a 5 or 6 room modern house for one year. Best of references. Address "A" care of OBSERVER.

Walnut Trees For Sale.

English walnut trees for sale. J. E. BEEZLEY, Dallas, Or.

Organ For Sale.

Cottage organ, in good condition, for sale at a bargain. Apply to Mrs. G. L. HAWKINS, Dallas, Or.

Fir Wood Wanted.

From 200 to 500 cords of dry fir wood wanted. Apply to Salem, Falls City & Western Railway Co.

Dry Slabwood For Sale.

The Willamette Valley Lumber Company has some fine dry slabwood for sale cheap; also 16-inch slabs and block wood.

Estray Notice.

Strayed from my farm one dehorned Jersey bull. Please notify W. D. CALKINS, Bickreall. Bell phone 458.

Wanted.

I have an old orchard one mile from town that I want grubbed out by contract. H. G. CAMPBELL.

Farm for Rent.

Farm of 250 acres to rent at once. C. J. GUY, Dallas, Or.

Fine Chickens for Sale.

I have a few fine White Wyandotte cockerels for sale which are from the Duston-Hallock stock. Come to J. C. Stingley for them, Dallas, Ore.

Teams Wanted.

Several heavy teams wanted for logging purposes. Will buy or hire. C. A. BARNUM, Falls City Lumber Co. Camp No. 2, Falls City, Or.

For Sale or Trade.

House and lot in Salem to sell or trade for Dallas property. Harris the Jeweler.

For Sale.

Elegant furniture of a modern six-room house, consisting of fine new piano, sewing machine, parlor, sitting room, dining room, bed room and kitchen furniture; Brussels carpet throughout the house. House for rent. First house west of R. C. Craven's on College street. F. KENSLAKE.

For Sale.

A fine carriage horse (pacer under saddle and gentle for either riding or driving); a single harness and light one-horse express wagon; also, a pet Billy goat. Address EDWARD SMITH, Box 263, Dallas, Or.

Cow For Sale.

For sale, first-class milk cow. Inquire of L. Rogers, Mutual Phone 1294.

Piano For Sale.

A \$500 piano for sale for \$285. Used but little, and practically as good as new. Call, or write to Mrs. Lottie Hedges Dorris, Independence, Or.

Extra Special Values in Men's Suits and Overcoats.

Are to be had here every day in the week—values that are unmatched. You will find upon investigating that our prices are appreciably lower than other stores ask for the same class garments and that our style assortment is larger. But it is not the saving of money that should interest you in our offering of

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Men's and Young Men's Overcoats at \$12 to \$20.

PAJAMAS

The man who discards night shirts for Pajamas, is glad, as a rule, he made the change. Pajamas are becoming more popular from year to year as a sleeping garment for Men. It would be difficult to find better Pajamas than ours.

The Uglow Clothing House

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We have a fine line of Men's Women's and Children's SHOES in the latest styles. Also a nice line of Slippers at the right prices. We know they are what you want, but we want you to know it.

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The Dallas Shoe Store, Mrs. J. C. Gaynor, Proprietor

Electricity for Lighting

Is only expensive to people who are wasteful and careless. To you, who are naturally careful, it does not come high.

It is economical because it can be quickly turned off when not needed. With gas or kerosene there is the temptation to let light burn when not needed to save bother of lighting and adjusting. In some homes the electric light bills amount to only one or two dollars per month. You can probably get some kind of artificial light for less money than electric light, but does it save you anything when it limits opportunities for work and recreation—ruins your eyesight—smokes your walls—mars decorations and increases household work. You could probably save a dollar tomorrow by going without your meals but it wouldn't be economy. It is not so much what you save, but how you save that counts.

WILLAMETTE VALLEY CO. RATES—Residence on meters, per Kilowatt 15c; Residence, flat per month, 16cp 50c. RATES FOR BUSINESS HOUSES—25c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt up to 10 drops; over 10 drops 20c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt up to 40 drops; over 40 drops 17c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt. A drop figures 16cp or less. For power rates apply at the office. We are always ready to explain the "ins and outs" of the lighting proposition to you, call on us or phone to us, we are never too busy to talk business.

Willamette Valley Company

E. W. KEARNS, Manager for Dallas. Office on Mill street, just north of the Court House. Phones Bell 421, Mutual 1297.

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