

## Polk County Observer

Miss Inez Allen, of Oak Grove, was a Dallas visitor Wednesday.

Ralph Adams returned from a short business visit in Portland, Wednesday.

M. D. Coulter, of Sheridan, was a business visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.

G. W. Cone and daughter, Bernice, went to Portland, Wednesday, for a short visit.

Miss Eula Phillips returned Tuesday from attending the Y. W. C. A. convention at Seaside.

Mrs. Nellie Dew, of Nelsonville, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. S. Clark, whom she had not seen for over 24 years.

F. H. Morrison returned Tuesday from a week's stay in Portland, where he has been studying their methods of building streets with crushed rock.

Prof. D. M. Metzger returned from Portland, Wednesday. J. Y. Maxwell, of Eugene, came up with him, and will attend Dallas college this winter.

Norval Gates arrived home Wednesday, from Haines, Baker county, where he has been staying for the past ten months with his uncle, Grant Hoberg.

J. H. Dancy was in town this week on business connected with the Pacific States Telephone Company, of which he is the Polk and Marion county representative.

Von Casey visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Casey, Sunday. He has been making his home in Southern Oregon for the past few years, but left on Monday for Montana.

The new bowling alley recently installed at the pool room is proving quite an attraction, and rivalry between the young men of Dallas for the highest score, is growing stronger every day.

Howard VanAuken and Chester Phelps, of Los Angeles, arrived in Dallas, Wednesday, and are visiting at the home of the latter's uncle, A. H. Phelps. The young men will probably spend the winter here.

Cornelius Hughes called at the Observer office yesterday, and left some samples of his curious apricot-plant which was mentioned in one of our former issues. The fruit is of an excellent flavor and good color, and can doubtless be cultivated into a valuable marketable product.

The Townsend creamery is now well under way and is receiving a rapidly increasing patronage from all the farming country bordering on our town. The churning is done every other day, and many visitors are attracted thither to watch the interesting process of manufacturing butter by strictly modern methods.

Mrs. Roy Webb was very painfully injured, Tuesday, by being thrown from a buggy in a runaway. The horses became frightened at the Falls City train near the crossing beyond the old Harris property and bolted, throwing Mrs. Webb out of the rig upon her face. Her nose was broken and she sustained several severe bruises on her head and body, but it is thought that none of her injuries are extremely serious.

Frank Pepper went to Portland yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gerlinger were visitors in Portland, Wednesday. Charles Mayfield, of Airle, was a business visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.

John VanOrsdel and Harry Byers have gone to Newport on a cruising expedition.

E. A. Carlson and family, of Olympia, Washington, are visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Johnson.

Kerslake & White offer a pair of roller skates to the boy having the best collective exhibit at the school children's Industrial Fair.

George Moore, of Buena Vista, offers a reward of \$1000 for any information which will lead to the capture of the murderer of his wife.

Seventy-five cents for a quarter is what you get if you dine at the Dallas Hotel, Sunday. The dinner is worth it, and you will be loser if you fail to come.

Wednesday's rainstorm fortunately came too late in the season to cause serious damage in the hopyards, as nearly all of the crop had already been picked.

Several people have reported seeing a large flock of wild geese headed southward Wednesday morning. If this is true, it would appear that we must expect an early and hard winter.

John Woods arrived in Dallas this week from Starbuck, Wash., and is visiting his mother, Mrs. Sarah Woods. Since leaving Dallas, he has been engaged in railroad work, the greater part of the time in Arizona and Sonora, Mexico.

Prof. I. M. Glen and family, who have been spending the summer on the Lyle farm, will go to their home in Eugene today. Mrs. H. L. Veazie will also return to her home in Portland for a few days stay and then leave on a trip to Japan.

W. R. Howe has harvested and disposed of his entire crop of peaches, and there are still many people desiring to order from him. The excellent quality of the fruit made the demand for it so great that it was impossible to furnish peaches to all who desired them.

A fine "Clipper" seed cleaning machine is being set up in Ray & Stoner's feed store and will be operated by their electric motor recently secured from the Willamette Valley Electric Company. They are already using the latter to run the chopping machine, and are highly satisfied with its evident superiority over the gasoline motor that they formerly used.

H. C. Dimick, owner of the Dallas-Derry stage line, was a visitor in Portland this week. Returning home, he was accompanied by Mrs. O. E. Scovill, a sister of Mrs. Dimick, who is now visiting at the Dimick home. Mrs. Scovill's former home was in Portland, Maine, but recently she came west to Seattle. The two sisters had not seen each other for 43 years. Mrs. Scovill is 76 years old and Mrs. Dimick is 64. The two sisters are enjoying a glad reunion, and before parting again will have their photographs taken to send to another sister still residing in Portland, Maine.

Attorney Oscar Hayter was in Corvallis on a business visit yesterday.

Henry Clamfield, of Salt Creek, was a business visitor in Dallas yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hopkins, of Falls City, were visitors in Dallas, Wednesday.

Miss Hortense Kimball, of Portland, is visiting her father, S. P. Kimball, in Dallas this week.

Born, Thursday, to Mrs. Will Jost, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Phillips, a son.

Mrs. S. J. Richmond and granddaughter, Miss Leone Williams, went to Portland yesterday for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moffat and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dillard, of Texas, have been in Dallas this week trying to secure houses, as it is their intention to make their homes here.

Rader, of Willamette University, famous in the northwest as a full back, and well known to the basketball fans of Dallas for his ability in that game also, will attend the university at Pullman, Wash., during the coming year.

John Wyatt was in town, Saturday, to take home a thoroughbred buck that arrived that day from the Stump farm in Polk county. The animal weighs 310 pounds and was a first prize winner at the St. Louis exposition and again at the Lewis and Clark exposition in 1905.—Corvallis Gazette.

W. R. Howe has sold his grocery store to the Dallas Mercantile Company, which took charge of the establishment and began invoicing the stock yesterday evening. This department of their business will for the present be conducted in the building it now occupies, as there is no room to install the stock in their other store.

W. H. McDaniel was a heavy loser by Monday's fire, which destroyed the barn on his farm near Rickreall. The building contained 1200 bushels of wheat, 800 bushels of oats, 30 tons of loose hay, 25 tons of baled hay, and several sets of harness. Two fine colts were also burned to death. Mr. McDaniel says no gasoline or other explosives were stored in the barn, and the origin of the fire is a mystery.

The Dallas public school will open September 23, and Principal Hill desires that all pupils commence on the first day, as a day or week lost is hard to regain. The Oregon Textbook Commission has adopted a large number of new books, but the publishers will allow a 50 per cent reduction in the exchange of old books. No allowance will be made in the exchange of books of different grades.

W. D. DeVarney, of the Home Telephone Company, Albany, accompanied by W. F. Jeffries, of Portland, and a mechanic, drove over to Dallas from Salem yesterday in his fine Knox touring car. Mr. DeVarney said that he was surprised to find that the road between Dallas and Salem was in much better condition for automobile travel than any of the other roads in this part of the valley. The distance between the Willamette Hotel, Salem, and the courthouse square, in Dallas, is exactly 16.3 miles according to the register of his autometer.

## The Renewal a Strain.

Vacation is over. Again the school bell rings at morning and at noon, again with tens of thousands the hardest kind of work has begun, the renewal of which is a mental and physical strain to all except the most rugged. The little girl that a few days ago had roses in her cheeks, and the little boy whose lips were then so red you would have insisted that they had been "kissed by strawberries," have already lost something of the appearance of health. Now is a time when many children should be given a tonic, which may avert much serious trouble, and we know of no other so highly to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla, which strengthens the nerves, perfects digestion and assimilation, and aids mental development by building up the whole system.

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