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DALLAS, OREGON, JANUARY 3, 1908.
The way to build up Dallas is to pat-
ronize Dallas people.



DALLAS' PROSPERITY.

The receipts of the Dallas postoffice, according to the report of Postmaster C. G. Coad, amounted to \$616.86 for the month of December, 1906, and to \$948.35 for the corresponding month in 1907, making an increase of \$331.49, or more than 50 per cent.

No truer insight into the progress and prosperity of our city could be gained from any other source, for a city's growth keeps pace with the increase of its commercial intercourse with other cities, and the truest criterion of this commercial development is the growth of its mail service.

Construed in their absolute significance, these figures mean that the business transactions of Dallas with other cities were 50 per cent greater during the month just past than they were during the corresponding month in 1906. Such a phenomenal increase may well be regarded with pride by the citizens of Dallas as indicative of a growth that can scarcely be equalled by any of the cities of like size in the Willamette Valley.

THE GOAT SHOW.

The Angora goat raisers are making active preparations for their annual show, to be held in Dallas on January 15, 16 and 17. Including sheep and hogs in its exhibits, this Dallas show has perhaps done more than all other agencies combined to advertise Polk County as the home of blooded livestock, and Dallas as the center of the Angora industry in the United States. The show is open to all Oregon breeders, and recognition by the American Angora Goat Breeders' Association has given it National standing and prominence.

Secretary Fulton of the American Association is a loyal friend of the Dallas show, and it was through his efforts that over \$700 was spent in behalf of the Oregon breeders last year. Mr. Fulton says the show of last year was brought to the attention of practically every goat breeder in the United States and Africa, and was far more widely advertised than any previous exhibit held in this country.

In a recent letter to Secretary Fenton he urged the importance of the breeders of Oregon and the merchants of Dallas making liberal provision for the expense of the coming show. The committee will begin their canvass for funds tomorrow, and are assured of liberal donations from the business men.

The newspapers of Oregon have always been friendly to the Dallas goat show, and recognizing the fact that its promoters were working for the common good and not for personal profit, have given liberally of their space in advertising the show. This year the Observer is clipping all of this advertising from its exchanges, and will turn it over to the committee after the show. The amount of publicity received from this source will prove a surprise to the management, and to the people of Dallas and Polk county as well.

ARRESTED IN DALLAS

C. H. Fieldon Held on Charge of Having Robbed Edgar's Saloon in Falls City.

C. H. Fieldon was arrested in Dallas, Wednesday, on the charge of having broken into the Bank Saloon, in Falls City, on the night preceding, and having stolen \$50 from the slot machines and cash register. He had been loafing around in Falls City for some time preceding the night of the robbery, and appeared in Dallas on the day following, with a suspiciously large amount of small change on his person. Sheriff J. M. Grant took him to Falls City yesterday morning for a preliminary hearing before the Justice of the Peace at that place. The prisoner neither affirmed nor denied his guilt, and was at his own request, granted until Saturday to make plea.

Fieldon is a young fellow only 19 years of age, and is a native of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He came to Oregon only a short time ago, and has, as it seems, been unable to secure employment for some time.

Catarrh

Whether it is of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, or more delicate organs, catarrh is always debilitating and should have attention.

The discharge from the mucous membrane is because this is kept in a state of inflammation by an impure condition of the blood. Therefore, to cure, take the best blood purifier,

Hood's Sarsaparilla

In usual fluid form or chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 doses \$1.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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

For Sale.
Several choice White Leghorn cockerels. Mrs. O. E. DENNIS, Mutual phone Black 515. 1-3-2t

Goats on Shares.
About 50 goats to let out on shares, or would sell. If let on shares would prefer near Dallas. Apply at this office. 12-20-1t

Shingles For Sale.
A carload of Star A Star shingles received this week by the SOEHREN WAREHOUSE Co. 10-1-1t

For Sale.
Two fresh Jersey cows. Phone 552. FRED J. WELLS, R. F. D. 1, Dallas, Oregon. 12-24-0t

Farm For Sale.
Good 300-acre dairy and stock farm, two miles from railroad; good grass and farming land; plenty of running water; good house and barn and sheds. Call on or address JAMES A. GIBSON, Sheridan, Or., R. F. D. 1. 8-10-1t

Notice.
I have sold my millinery stock to the Misses Reddecock, of Salem, who will take possession at once. Those who have accounts with me are requested to call and settle at earliest convenience, as I desire to close my business by February 1.
12-31-0t
ELLA J. METZGER.

Wood For Sale.
Do you need wood? We want to remind you that the block wood from the Willamette Valley Lumber Company's sawmill is the best and cheapest wood you can buy. \$1.75 per load, delivered. Mutual phone 1407, or leave orders at Webster's confectionery store.
11-22-1t. BOWMAN BROS.

Notice.
Having leased the Dallas foundry to Harris & Stump, I take this means of thanking my many customers for the valued patronage they have accorded me during the last 20 years. My successors are worthy young men and are thoroughly deserving of a continuance of this patronage. I will remain in Dallas and will devote the principal part of my time to assisting these young men in their business.
ED. BIDDLE.

Collections!
I have now been in the collecting business for about two months. My success has been uniformly good, and I have secured a large list of patrons during this time. Every effort will be made to insure promptness and thoroughness in my work, and the commission charged will be nominal. I respectfully solicit your patronage in the future, and promise the best service possible.
L. D. BUTLER,
Dallas, Oregon.

Of Vital Importance
No other organs of the body are so essential to good health as the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy so that they will strain out the impurities from the blood which is constantly passing through them. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of danger. Stafrin Drug Co., Dallas; M. L. Thompson, Falls City.

A Higher Health Level.
"I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Jacob Springer, of West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right." If these pills disappoint you on trial, money will be refunded at Belt & Cherrington drug store. 25c.

From a tract of land 50 feet wide by 60 feet long a Corvallis man sold \$15 worth of potatoes in June.

A Card
This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures la grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Stafrin Drug Co., Dallas; M. L. Thompson, Falls City.

Woodburn is going to pull for a spur of the new electric railroad.

How to Avoid Pneumonia
You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Stafrin Drug Co., Dallas; M. L. Thompson, Falls City.

A sapolla mine is to be opened near Forest Grove next spring.

Two Unwelcome Visitors Here
At this season Lagrippe and Pneumonia cause more deaths than consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures lagrippe coughs that may result in pneumonia over night. Do not take chances with a cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will quickly cure it. Stafrin Drug Co., Dallas; M. L. Thompson, Falls City.

Executor's Notice.
Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Honorable County Court of Polk County, Oregon, duly made and entered of record on the 2nd day of December, 1907, the undersigned was duly appointed executor of the estate of Burro L. Hastings, deceased. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby notified to call and settle the same at once with the undersigned and all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified within six months from the date hereof.

REUBEN HASTINGS,
Executor of the estate of Burro L. Hastings, deceased.
Shibley & Kabin, Attys.

COURT HOUSE NOTES

Items of Interest From the Records in the County Offices.

PROBATE.
Estate of Sarah Miller, deceased—E. Lipton, Z. Hinshaw and A. R. Bell appointed appraisers.
Guardianship of Charles A. Baldwin, minor—bond filed and approved.
Guardianship of Annie Young, a minor—E. M. Young appointed guardian.

REAL ESTATE.
Charles B. Freeborget et ux to W. H. Merritt, 123 acres, t 6 s, r 6 w, \$2829.
Mark Hayter et ux to R. I. Chase, lot in Dallas, \$110.
B. S. Knowles to Henrietta Knowles, lot in Dallas and 25 acres in t 7 s, r 6 w, \$1.
United States to Alle Riggs, 40 acres, t 6 s, r 8 w, patent.
John Olin et ux to Martha B. Stafrin, lots in Dallas, \$500.
S. E. Trask et ux to Sadie A. Toozie, lots in Falls City, \$100.

Lost.
Lost on Levens or Oak streets, a gold brooch, with single opal setting. Finder will please return to OBSERVER office. 12-10-1t

Physical Culture Class.
A class for men at the Gymnasium next Tuesday, at 7:30 p. m.
If a class is desired for women, apply to the undersigned.
N. W. SAGER,
Physical Director.

TEA
The cost of good tea is so very little: only a third of a cent a cup! a cent-and-a-half or two cents for the family breakfast!

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best, we pay him.



20% Discount!

All toys and Christmas Goods, such as Albums, Indian Baskets, Brass and Copper Ware must go at 20 per cent discount.

W. H. ROY & CO.
The China and Notion Store Dallas, Oregon

A Baker City boy killed two monster cougars in the Burnt river region recently.

Pictures Pictures Pictures
of all kinds and sizes.
Rockers, Center Tables and Jardiniere Stands, Pedestals, Foot Stools, Etc.

The finest line of Rugs in the city. All bought expressly for the holiday trade. Come in and see them.

HALL & HAYES
Successors to F. J. Chapman.

Grippe or Influenza, whichever you like to call it, is one of the most weakening diseases known.

Scott's Emulsion, which is Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites in easily digested form, is the greatest strength-builder known to medical science.

It is so easily digested that it sinks into the system, making new blood and new fat, and strengthening nerves and muscles.

Use Scott's Emulsion after Influenza.
Invaluable for Coughs and Colds.
ALL DRUGGISTS, 50c. AND \$1.00.

Messrs. Kerslake & White will introduce a novelty into their week's skating sessions Tuesday night by conducting a "leap year skating party." Although everybody will be admitted to the rink, gentlemen will not be allowed to skate only when accompanied by a lady partner. A liberal prize will be awarded to the best married couple of skaters on the floor.

A Bold Step.

To overcome the well-grounded and reasonable objections of the more intelligent to the use of secret, medicinal compounds, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., some time ago, decided to make a bold departure from the usual course pursued by the makers of put-up medicines for domestic use, and so has published broadcast and openly to the whole world, a full and complete list of all the ingredients entering into the composition of his widely celebrated medicines. Thus he has taken his numerous patrons and patients into his full confidence. Thus too he has removed his medicines from among secret nostrums of doubtful merits, and made them **Medicines of Known Composition.**

By this bold step Dr. Pierce has shown that he is not afraid to subject them to the public scrutiny.

Not only does the wrapper of every bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the famous medicine for weak stomachs, torpid liver or biliousness and all catarrhal diseases wherever located, have printed upon it, in plain English, a full and complete list of all the ingredients composing it, but a small book has been compiled from numerous standard medical works, of all the different schools of practice, containing very numerous extracts from the writings of leading practitioners of medicine, endorsing the strongest possible terms, each and every ingredient contained in Dr. Pierce's medicines. One of these little books will be mailed free to any one sending address on postal card or by letter to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and requesting the same. From this little book it will be learned that Dr. Pierce's medicines contain no alcohol, narcotics, mineral acids or other poisonous or injurious agents and that they are made from native, medicinal roots of great value; also that some of the most valuable ingredients contained in Dr. Pierce's favorite Prescription for weak, nervous, over-worked, "run-down" men, women and debilitated women, were employed, long years ago, by the Indians for similar ailments affecting their tribes. In fact, one of the most valuable medicinal plants entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was known to the Indians as "Sagaw-Weed." Our knowledge of the uses of but a few of our most valuable native, medicinal plants was gained from the Indians. As made up by improved and exact processes, the "Favorite Prescription" is a most efficient remedy for regulating all the worst and functions, correcting displacements, as prostrated, prostration and restoration, overcoming painful periods, toning up the nerves and bringing about a perfect state of health. Sold by all dealers in medicines.

Money Saved Here!

A CLEARANCE SALE THAT WILL SHATTER ALL PRECEDENT IN LOW PRICES.

Our always strictly-adhered-to policy of "Never to pack goods away from one Season to the next," makes it imperative for us to hasten the departure of our present stock of **SUITS AND OVERCOATS**, before the arrival of Spring Goods.

We want fresh goods every Season--and not Carry Overs

This is the way it will continue to go until this Great Sale ends:

\$30.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$22.50	\$18.00 Suits and Overcoats	13.50
27.50 " " "	20.75	17.50 " " "	13.25
25.00 " " "	18.75	16.50 " " "	12.50
24.00 " " "	18.00	15.00 " " "	11.25
22.50 " " "	17.50	13.50 " " "	10.25
20.00 " " "	15.00	12.50 " " "	9.50
	\$10.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$7.50	

BOYS' SHORT-PANT SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$5 and \$6 values at \$3.50 to \$3.75
\$4 and \$4.50 " " 2.50 to 2.75
\$3 and \$3.50 " " 1.75 to 2.25

SMOKING JACKETS AT COST
Boys' long-pant suits at actual cost.
Boys' Golf Shirts, 50c values at 35 cts.

"But it is too late to buy Winter Clothing," you say. Not a bit of it—providing the inducements are great enough. Winter is not over by any means. We can expect plenty of cold weather—more than likely, the coldest of the year. The reputation earned by adherence to our rule of making quality paramount to price, has given this store an unsurpassed reputation for reliability and square dealing.

The Uglow Clothing House
LEADERS IN MEN'S CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS
MILL STREET, DALLAS, OREGON

A. J. BARHAM R. B. WINSLOW

BARHAM & WINSLOW
Dealers in
Real Estate
Farm and Timber Lands
A Specialty.

City property bought and sold
We will sell you a house and lot on easy terms.
Call and see us. First door west of the postoffice.
Dallas, Oregon

Cut Prices
I will cut prices on all goods sold for the next 30 days.
Special Cut on Gold Headed Canes, Umbrellas and Diamonds
I have one of the largest and best selected stocks on the West Side, so you will do better to call early and get the pick. Yours for business.
C. H. MORRIS

Complete Stock

Dress Goods The largest stock this side of Portland, all of the latest shades and weaves.

Furs and Fur Coats Just arrived by express direct from the Eastern factory. They are the correct things.

Julia Marlowe and Flintstone Shoes, the dress shoes for ladies.

Packard Flinstone and A. A. Cutter Shoes for Men have no equal in style, comfort and wear. We are sole agents.

J. B. Stetson & Conqueror Hats, the correct shapes and shades for Fall and Winter.
Agents for McCall Patterns.

GROCERIES

A complete stock of Staple and Fancy. Prompt attention paid to phone orders.

Mokana Coffee, 1 1/2 lbs. for 25c. Your money back if you do not like it.
All kinds of produce taken at the highest market price.

Dallas Mercantile Co.
Successor to Ellis & Keyt