

## Polk County Observer

Orrie Savery went to Perrydale yesterday on business.

F. S. Lindley went to Portland yesterday on business.

Charles Rowell, of Sheridan, visited in Dallas this week.

John Simonton visited friends in Salem over Sunday.

P. A. Finseth made a business trip to Portland yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Craven visited in Monmouth, Saturday.

Eugene Byerley went to Portland, Saturday, on business.

D. L. Key, of Perrydale, was a Dallas visitor, Sunday.

Miss Hazel Hollister is visiting friends in McMinnville.

Miss Claire Padrick went to Oregon City, Saturday, for a brief visit.

Claud Dunn, of Portland, was in Dallas, Saturday, for a short visit.

Why not try the new shoemaker? Irvine is at Hughes' old shop.

Bert Clansfield, of Salt Creek, visited friends in Dallas, Friday and Saturday.

County Commissioner J. B. Teal, of Falls City, was a Dallas visitor Saturday.

County Assessor Carl Graves went to Ballston, Saturday, for a short stay.

Misses Ida and Anna Staffin are visiting friends and relatives in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams, of Falls City, were Dallas visitors over Sunday.

Miss Ella Roy went to Portland yesterday for a short visit among friends and relatives.

Intending builders should read the Willamette Valley Lumber Co.'s "ad" in this issue.

Dan P. Stouffer is confined to his home with a severe attack of facial rheumatism.

Jap Boydston, of Portland, was in Dallas, Friday and Saturday, visiting among his many friends.

C. A. Malboeuf, District Freight Agent for the Southern Pacific, was in Dallas today on business.

Come and see the moving pictures at the Colosseum rink tomorrow night (Wednesday.) Admission 10c.

Earl Shelton, of Salem, a former student of Dallas College, visited in this city Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Edith Ya's went to Portland yesterday and attended the concert given by Paderewski last night.

Kenneth Campbell, of Monmouth, was in Dallas yesterday on business concerning the schools of that city.

Special Price on mattresses, tables, iron beds and hardware at Guy Brothers & Dalton.

Will Paull, an employee on the Salem-Portland Electric Railway, visited friends in Dallas over Sunday.

Lumber prices are down. Read the Willamette Valley Lumber Co.'s price list in another column of this issue.

Gus Muhlig, of Portland, was in Dallas, Saturday and Sunday, and left his little daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Tennis, with whom she will stay for the present.

## DRINKS DEADLY ACID

**Eola Babe Dies Frightful Death Despite Best Efforts of Doctors.**

Little Virgil Crippen, the 18 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Crippen, of Eola, died Wednesday afternoon, as the result of swallowing a quantity of carbolic acid.

The bottle had been placed on a bureau out of the child's reach, as the mother supposed, but he climbed upon a chair while she was absent from the room and managed to reach it. Hearing the little one's screams the mother rushed to his aid. Antidotes were administered and a doctor summoned at once from Salem, who found the child past all possibility of recovery when he arrived. Death followed within a half hour after the arrival of the physician, in spite of every effort that was employed to save his life. The funeral was held at Eola, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Crider visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Biggs in Monmouth, Saturday and Sunday.

H. L. White, of Washtucket, Washington, son of M. F. White, of Rickreall, was a Dallas visitor yesterday.

Earl Wisecarver visited relatives in McMinnville Saturday and Sunday, returning to his work in Dallas yesterday.

J. R. Hubbard was reported to be slightly improved in health yesterday, although still in a very critical condition.

Miss Flora McCallon went to Salem, Saturday for a two days' visit at the home of her friend, Miss Margaret Putnam.

The Rev. W. P. Marrs returned yesterday from Amity, after holding Saturday and Sunday revival services in that city.

Mrs. J. L. Collins returned Saturday night from a short visit with her daughter, Nellie, at Glenalder Farm, near Falls City.

Will Caldwell, Musical Instructor in Dallas College, attended the concert given by the renowned Paderewski in Portland last night.

Mrs. Alice Dempsey returned Sunday night from an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Morrison, in Portland.

Roscoe Ballantyne went to Portland yesterday morning for a short visit, and attended Paderewski's concert given in that city last night.

Do you need money? Then save some by buying at our special price this week and next. Guy Brothers & Dalton.

Bert Dowall, a millwright of Aberdeen, Washington, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Falls City, was a Dallas visitor yesterday.

Miss Edna Holmes, Miss May Shelton and Mrs. A. F. Toner went to Portland yesterday on business concerning their spring lines of millinery goods.

Don't miss the big "Automobile Race" given in moving pictures nearly life size at the Colosseum Rink, Wednesday night. Thrilling and exciting entertainment from start to finish.

## TEACHERS ARE TAUGHT

**County Institute at Independence Largely Attended and Full of Interest.**

About 40 teachers from different districts of Polk County attended the Teachers Institute held at Independence, Saturday. This meeting took the place of the School Convention which was to have been held at Airle on that date, but was postponed on account of the damaged roads and bridges, making travel to that place difficult.

The lectures on "Language and Composition" by R. F. Robinson, Superintendent of the Schools of Multnomah County, were especially fine, and those on "Grammar and Arithmetic" by Professor L. R. Traver, of the Training Department at Monmouth, were of valuable practical benefit. Able addresses on educational subjects were delivered by Miss Loretta Smith and Mrs. Pennel both of Monmouth, and an excellent program was rendered by the public school pupils of Independence. Music for the occasion was furnished by the Normal Faculty Quartette.

All the Dallas public school teachers who were present at this Institute report a most pleasant and profitable day.

See Guy Brothers & Dalton's ad in this issue for Special Price on Furniture and Hardware.

G. W. Myer and family, F. E. Myer and family and H. C. Seymour, of this city attended the funeral services of the late Mrs. M. F. White at Zona, Saturday.

Editor V. P. Fiske, of the Itemizer, underwent an operation Saturday, and is now confined to his bed. He is resting easily at present, and will soon be able to be about.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fenton and Mrs. F. J. Coad returned to Dallas Friday night on the special train that had been chartered for the basketball game, after spending a few days at Newport.

See the exciting "Automobile Race" in the moving picture show at the Colosseum Rink Wednesday night. The beautiful song, Redwing, richly illustrated with fine colored slides, Admission 10 cents.

The depot in this city is being extensively repaired so as to give more office room, since the business at this place has grown to such proportion as to be considerably cramped in the quarters it has occupied up to this time.

Mrs. Louis Gerlinger, who has been ill in San Francisco for some time was reported to be much worse Sunday evening on account of having taken a sudden relapse, and was said to be in an exceedingly critical condition.

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## GIVE FINE CONCERT

**Dixie Jubilee Singers Will Appear at Woodman Hall Next Monday Night.**

Monday, March 2, the Dixie Jubilee Singers will give an entertainment in Dallas, under the auspices of the Dallas Public School, the proceeds to be used to secure new books and fixtures for the Public School Library. This will be the first date the Dixie Jubilee Singers have filled in Dallas during the present season, although they have played successful engagements in the two previous years.

Although to those who have heard them sing this company needs no introduction, it is well to distinguish them from the Tennessee Jubilee Singers, who filled a date in Dallas a short time ago. The Dixie Company differs from the Tennessee Singers in every respect and their program is of a distinctly higher quality, and is rendered by voices trained well nigh to perfection in the best schools of the United States.

Since they sang in Dallas last year, another member has been added to the troupe making the double quartette complete. Otherwise the personnel of the company will remain the same.

New songs have been added to their repertory, and Mr. Williams, the manager, promises a finer program of choruses, quartettes, and solos than they have ever before offered to the music loving public.

Leo Rowell, of Butler, was a business visitor in Dallas today.

Come and see the moving pictures at the Colosseum rink tomorrow night (Wednesday.) Admission 10c.

Roy Finseth, a student in the business college at Eugene, attended the basketball game between Dallas College and O. A. C., Friday night, and came on to this city with the Dallas delegation of "rooters," for a few days' visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Finseth.

D. W. Sears was painfully injured Friday morning by a kick from a horse, having one of his ribs badly fractured and sustaining severe bruises on his body. He is resting easily at present however, and the prospects for his rapid and complete recovery are good.

County Surveyor R. B. Winslow and Harry Byers, who have been surveying the course for a proposed county road near Suver, boarded the Dallas-Corvallis special Friday afternoon, and after witnessing the basketball game played at Corvallis that night, returned to this city with the Dallas delegation.

The Executive Committee of the Polk County School Children's Industrial Fair will meet at the office of County School Superintendent Seymour next Saturday, for the purpose of preparing a list of prizes for the Fair to be held in Dallas next Fall. Every member of the committee is urged to be present, as much important business must be transacted.

The lecture on "Home Missions delivered at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday night, by Miss Julia Frazier, Secretary of the North Pacific Board of Missions, was well attended and proved highly interesting. The address dealt mainly with Mormonism and Mormon customs, and the subject was presented in a most forcible and appealing manner.

The basketball game between Dallas College and the famous aggregation from Muscatine, Iowa, will be played in Dallas, Thursday, March 5. The visiting team has asked for another game to be played on the following night (March 6), and a meeting of the Athletic Committee of Dallas College will be held tonight to determine whether or not the request shall be granted.

We can now furnish you wood on the same day you order it, at the following prices:

4 foot Slabwood, delivered, \$2 per cord.

16 inch Edgings, split ready for kitchen use, \$1.75 per load.

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The second basketball team of Dallas College defeated the first team from the Chemawa Indian School, Saturday night, in a hard and close game before a fair sized audience, the score standing 20 to 16 in favor of the home aggregation. Although clearly outclassed, the Chemawa boys played pluckily throughout the game, and accepted their defeat in a thoroughly sportsmanlike manner.

The masquerade on rollers given at the Monmouth skating rink Saturday night was a very pleasant affair and was well attended. Several parties from this city were present and there were fully a score of Dallas skaters on the floor during the evening. Music for the occasion was furnished by an orchestra of five pieces, and the grand march during the earlier part of the evening was beautifully executed. The prizes were awarded as follows: Best lady's costume, Miss Agnes Clark as "Lady Washington," best advertising character, Lester Lindsay and Glen Worth, as the "Gold Dust Twins," best couple of skaters, C. H. Percival and K. C. Eldridge, of Independence.

**A Call to Action.**

By urgent request, I hereby call a mass convention of the Socialists of Polk county to meet in the Court House in Dallas, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. Saturday, March 7.

JAMES K. SEARS,  
Chairman of County Committee.  
2-14-71

## Candidates' Column TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS

I beg to announce my candidacy for the office of **COUNTY TREASURER** of Polk county, to be voted for at the Primary election, April 17, 1908. If I am elected to this office, I will, to the best of my ability, faithfully and honestly perform the duties of the office, and will studiously endeavor to safeguard the money of the people.

I respectfully ask your support.

**DAN P. STOFFER.**

Glen O. Holman announces his candidacy for the Republican nomination for county judge. Mr. Holman practiced law successfully for many years but on account of his health has been at outdoor work for some time. He now lives on a farm in Bridgeport precinct, which he is putting into fruit. He is well qualified for the position to which he aspires.

**Candidate's Announcement.**

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of County Judge of Polk County, subject to the vote of the republicans. My platform is Good Roads.

G. O. HOLMAN,  
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**COST NOT TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION**

Every one of our Extension Tables on sale at a very low price.	Some article special in the Hardware Department each day.
\$9 Tables at \$7	Thursday, Feb. 27
7 " " " 5	14 oz. heavy copper boilers at \$2.45
13 " " " 9	Iron Frame Wringers \$1.65
19 " " " 15	Friday, Feb. 28
16.50 " " " 12	Milk Pails of all kinds at less than you ever bought them.
15 " " " 11	Saturday, Feb. 29
<b>MATRESSES</b>	1 doz. only 25c brooms at 10c each
All kinds from the cheapest to the best at less money than the material to make them costs, for instance:	5c, 10c and 15c tables will be run during the entire sale. Notions in hardware at One-half the money you usually pay.
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