

Polk County Observer

Legal Blanks at this office.
Home-grown new spuds at Loughary's.
Matinee, Saturday afternoon at Black Tent.
Miss Ella Carpenter is visiting friends in McCoy.
Universal Perculator for perfect coffee, at Loughary's.
C. C. Lowe, of Falls City, was a Dallas visitor Tuesday.
Mervin Boyer, of Butler, is visiting in Dallas this week.
H. A. Packard, of Falls City, was a Dallas visitor yesterday.
Dallas Furniture Co. is headquarters for tents—rent or sell.
Edgar Craven went to Portland yesterday for a short business visit.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Guy, Thursday, August 13, a daughter.
Verne Johnson went to Salem yesterday morning on a business trip.
Everett Gwin returned Tuesday from a pleasant outing at Newport.
T. W. Yost, of Black Rock, was a business visitor in Dallas, Tuesday.
E. W. Buell, of Falls City, was a business visitor in Dallas, Tuesday.
Cleveland Burch went to Independence yesterday on a business visit.
Sheriff J. M. Grant was in Spring Valley, Tuesday on official business.
The total wheat crop of Oregon for 1908 is estimated at 11,850,000 bushels.
George W. Nichols, of Wisconsin, is visiting with his friend E. Cochrane.
E. P. Hutchins, of Black Rock, was a business visitor in Dallas yesterday.
L. A. Matthews returned yesterday from an extended stay in North Yamhill.
Mr. and Mrs. George Cutler went to Portland yesterday for a few days' visit.
County Commissioner J. B. Teal was a business visitor in Dallas yesterday.
Attorney Oscar Hayter returned Wednesday, from a pleasant outing at Newport.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Shaw, of Bridgeport, Thursday, August 13, a daughter.
Mrs. Palmer, of Salem, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Cooper.
Alvin Brown and family have returned from a pleasant outing on Salmon river.
Mrs. E. J. Snelling, of Albany, is visiting at the home of her son, Charles Snelling.
Mrs. F. H. Morrison and daughter, Edna, returned Wednesday from Salem where they have been attending Summer Normal.

Legal blanks for sale at this office.
J. J. Fidler and family have returned from a pleasant camping trip in the mountains.
Elder W. F. Martin will preach at the Adventist tent, Sunday night on "The Sabbath Question."
Miss Hattie Teats returned to Dallas, Tuesday, after several days' visit with friends at Perrydale.
Samuel Orr has returned from Portland to Rickreall and will make his home at that place in future.
Polk County Fruit Inspector R. B. Nelson, of Independence, was a business visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.
Dennis Caldwell is suffering from a severe attack of blood poisoning, caused by a splinter in his right hand.
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crider and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Crider enjoyed a pleasant picnic near Falls City, Wednesday.
Willis Montgomery, of Falls City, was in Dallas, Wednesday, visiting among his many friends and schoolmates.
Messrs. St. Helens and Cherrington, prominent music dealers of Salem, were in Dallas this week on a business visit.
G. B. Morrison, of Shreveport, Indiana, is in Dallas for an extended visit at the home of his brother, F. H. Morrison.
Mrs. Walter Williams and Mrs. C. E. Shaw went to Salem yesterday for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Madison.
Miss Nellie Shreve returned to her home in Stayton, Wednesday, after a visit at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Hubbard.
E. L. Young and family, of Mount Angel, arrived in Dallas, Tuesday evening for a visit at the home of his brother, the Rev. M. B. Young.
G. W. Pettit, one of the leaders at the Adventist Tent meeting, which is now being held in Dallas, was in Portland, Tuesday, on a short visit.
E. A. Cary, of North Platte, Nebraska, and J. C. Hart, of St. Louis, Missouri, are visiting at the home of Mr. Carey's brother, Dr. W. S. Cary.
Judge William Kaiser, W. H. Holmes and G. G. Brigham, of Salem, were in Dallas yesterday attending the session of Judge Galloway's court.
On Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, the Rev. G. H. Cornwall will preach in the Presbyterian church on "The Sabbath Question." All are cordially invited.
Verne Launer has been suffering quite severely from an attack of poison oak and has been compelled to stop his work at the city rock quarry temporarily.
Miss Bernice Cone returned to Dallas with her father, G. W. Cone, Tuesday night, after an extended visit among friends and relatives in neighboring cities.

Matinee, Saturday afternoon at Black Tent.
Roy Finseth, one of the members of Company H, stopped off in Portland on the return trip from American Lake for a few days' visit with friends in that city.
Mrs. G. T. Gerlinger and sister, Miss Lucile Hazard, went to Portland today for a short visit, after which Miss Hazard will return to her home in San Diego, California.
Ray & Company's fine addition to their big feed and seed establishment brings it all under one roof and makes one of the most convenient and commodious systems of storerooms in this city.
E. E. Dykstra, of Ballston, was fined \$10 by Justice of the Peace Hardy Holman, Tuesday, for assault upon Roy Jones. The complaint was brought by Noah Jones, the young man's father.
Miss Minnie Roy arrived in Dallas, last night for a few weeks' visit with relatives. She has just completed her nurse's course in the Portland hospital and after a short vacation will return to that city to accept a position.
Walter McClintock, of Polk Station, was brought before Justice of the Peace Hardy Holman yesterday, accused of larceny. The complaint was withdrawn, however, and upon payment of costs the defendant was released.
Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Farrington left today for an extended visit in Minnesota, their old home state, and a trip through other important portions of the East. They will be accompanied on their journey by Mr. Farrington's sister, Mrs. Frank Hughes, of Portland.
The macadam block on Court street between Main and Jefferson is nearly finished and is proving to be the best block of street that has yet been built in the city. The work throughout the whole improvement district is being carried forward rapidly and better results are being obtained with the completion of each new block.
The members of the choir of the Presbyterian Church were entertained in a most enjoyable manner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Simon, Tuesday night. After a short rehearsal, the remainder of the evening was spent in a social way, and light refreshments were served at its close.
Notice to Contractors.
The clerk of the school board of School District No. 67 will receive sealed bids on the construction of a schoolhouse in said district. Bids to be filed with clerk on or before Saturday, August 22 at 10 o'clock a. m. Plans and specifications may be found with clerk of board or in office of County School Superintendent. The school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted. B. C. Kenyon, Clerk of School Board, District 67. 8-7-08

FREE LIBRARY PROSPERS
Statistics Furnished by Librarian Show Encouraging Patronage During Past Seven Months.
The records kept by Miss Jennie Muscott, the librarian at the Dallas Free Library, show a very creditable run of patronage during the past seven months. Large numbers of new books and magazines have been received either by purchases or generous donations from friends of the library, and a steady increase in the number of regular readers is shown by the fact that an average of 19 new cards has been issued each month since January 1, 1908, an average of 770 a month. Of these the fiction books were in the majority, the juvenile literature coming next and non-fiction standing at the bottom of the list with an average of only about 35 volumes loaned each month. About 140 new books have been received in the library since the first of the year.
The month showing the heaviest patronage was January in which the number of books loaned amounted up to 1184, while the lightest month was June, with a total of only 502.
All of the figures showing the business of the library during the past seven months are considerably higher than those of 1907, and everyone interested in the institution is hoping for and anticipating a corresponding increase in its patronage during the remainder of the year.
The Newport Colony.
A Newport correspondent writes that Dallas is now represented at that place by quite a pretentious colony and that they are all enjoying the best of times. A party of Dallas people went to the lighthouse Tuesday and spent the entire day in a most enjoyable manner. In the crowd were Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Dalton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Woods and daughter, Evelyn, of Chemawa, Mrs. E. J. Coad, Mrs. Ed F. Coad and daughter, Eya, Mrs. D. C. Crider and daughter, Frankie.
At a depth of 150 feet the Madras Oil & Gas company struck a vein of good looking coal in the hole which they were sinking.
Messrs. Whiteside and Cooper, of Corvallis, have established a moving picture theater in Dallas and will begin their shows tonight. They are at present compelled to show in a tent on Main street, no suitable building being available. They hope to be able to secure one in a short time however and will make their residence in Dallas permanent.
Captain C. D. Chorpene and 1st Lieutenant L. A. Bollman did not return from Portland with Company H, Wednesday night. The former went to Salem for a short visit and the latter to Halsey, where his wife is visiting at the home of her parents. Captain Chorpene returned to Dallas yesterday, and Dr. and Mrs. Bollman will be home today.
M. Tillery, who came to Corvallis from Independence two months ago, purchased the grocery store of Bridwell & Craven, and will continue the business at the old stand one door south of Starr's confectionery establishment. Mr. Tillery is an old-time resident of Independence, and is a progressive and worthy citizen, in whom the greatest confidence may be imposed.—Corvallis Times.

Killed by Falling Tree.
Early Wednesday morning Mrs. S. Bemis, said to be of Portland, was killed in her cabin on the Siletz by the large limb of a tree falling on the cabin. The body was carried three miles through the timber to a road and taken to the Siletz agency for burial. Mrs. Bemis was on her claim and had a man working for her, who was not in the cabin at the time or both would probably have been killed.
Track Scales Ordered for Dallas.
The enormous and rapidly increasing shipments of merchandise from Dallas have made it necessary for the railroad company to order track scales installed in Dallas. These will make it possible for the produce to be weighed easily and accurately after it is shipped. Dallas is one of only a few cities in the Willamette Valley whose business has justified the installation of such an improvement.
Coroner R. L. Chapman reports the death of Mr. Morrison, of Monmouth, which occurred at the home of his son, Samuel Morrison, of McTimmonds Valley, Tuesday, August 11. Mr. Morrison was about 84 years of age and his death was due mainly to a general physical break down. He was visiting at the home of his son in McTimmonds Valley, when he was stricken with his final illness. The funeral was held Wednesday and the remains were taken to the Smith Cemetery for burial.

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