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SUCSUMBS TO PARALYSIS

Asbury Shultz, Aged and Prominent Citizen of Dallas, Dies After Brief Illness.

In the death of Asbury Shultz, which occurred Sunday afternoon December 27, Dallas lost a citizen whose lifelong influence for its practical upbuilding and development has been greater probably, than that of any other man, if influence may be judged according to comparative ability and measured by actual personal achievement.

His death was sudden being due to an attack of paralysis. He was stricken Saturday night, and in the feebleness of his advanced years was unable to rally from the attack, never regaining full consciousness from that time until his death during the afternoon of the following day.

Asbury Shultz was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Shultz and was born in Ohio, April 23, 1834. He married Miss Eliza Cedara, December 27, 1846, and in 1861 he crossed the plains to Oregon, starting in April and reaching Dallas in September.

Dallas was at that time a mere vil-

lage of only about 50 inhabitants. Mr. Shultz purchased 40 acres of land in the outskirts of the town which in its subsequent growth has become a part of the most valuable residence property in the city.

From the time of his arrival in Dallas, with the exception of one year in Washington county, Mr. Shultz resided here continuously, pursuing his trade, that of a carpenter and contractor, up to about five years ago, when he retired from active business. During that time he built at least six fine residences for himself which he afterward either rented or sold and he was employed in the construction of a large majority of the older buildings in the city, holding throughout his work the reputation of being a skillful and substantial workman.

He is survived by his wife, five children, fourteen grand children and eleven great grand children. The children are: Mrs. Gertrude Sobring, of Winchester, Oregon; John C. Shultz, Mrs. Ollie McCarter and Mrs. Evelyn Hayter, of Dallas, and Sanford Shultz, of Cross Keys, Oregon.

Funeral services were held at the family home at 1:30 this afternoon and many relatives, friends and mem-

bers of both the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges, of which the deceased was a member, were in attendance. The remains were laid to rest in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

HAS FINE JERSEY HERD

F. E. Lynn Secures Twenty-One Head of Blooded Cattle While in Kentucky.

After traveling through a half dozen states looking at fine stock, F. E. Lynn, of Perrydale, has brought back to Oregon with him, 21 head of the finest pure bred Jersey cattle that he could secure.

They were purchased at Shelbyville, Kentucky. The majority of them were bought of Colonel Scott, a veteran Jersey breeder of wide reputation in the stock raising business. The herd consists of eight cows, eleven heifers and two bulls. One of the latter was sired on the Jersey Isle and the other, a three-year-old, was bred on the St. Louis Fair grounds, his sire being Mary Maiden's third son, Grand Champion of all dairy breeds, and his dam, Roeses Glory, was one of the twenty-five thoroughbred Jersey cows in the dairy test.

The heifers in Mr. Lynn's new herd are a beautiful bunch of solid fawns, two of them having been prize winners in the showing last Fall. The eight cows are all of the strictly Island type and promise to be heavy producers.

These 21 fine new cattle have increased Mr. Lynn's herd to 43 head. Mr. Lynn is very proud of his fine cattle and justly so, for with the recent addition, his herd has become one of the finest in the Willamette Valley.

Jennings Lodge Installs Officers.

Jennings Lodge Number 9, A. F. & A. M., elected and installed officers for the ensuing year, at their regular meeting Friday night. After the installation ceremonies, those who were present at the meeting were invited to the home of Dr. Mark Hayter where a pleasant smoker was given. Following are the officers: Dr. Mark Hayter, W. M.; Conrad Stafrin, S. W.; J. H. Hollister, J. W.; R. E. Williams, treasurer; J. C. Hayter, secretary; W. L. Soehren, S. D.; W. F. H. Mannston, J. D.; A. B. Muir, S. S.; Ed Biddle, J. S., and D. S. McDonald, Tyler.

Miss Maud Tharp, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Tharp, of Independence, was married to Mr. Victor V. Rannels in Woodlawn, Monday, December 21. They will make their home in Portland.

OREGONS HAVE WALK OVER

Dallas Players Meet No Teams in Montana That Can Make Things Really Interesting.

The Oregons have played even more brilliantly during the second week of their tour, than during the first, piling up enormous scores in the last two games.

The game with Anaconda, Montana, the first game concerning whose outcome the boys were doubtful, was won by a score of 22 to 16, although in the first half Anaconda led by 12 to 6. The line-up was re-adjusted in the second half however and the Oregons boys fairly played rings around their opponents, overcoming their lead within the first two minutes of play. Anaconda has seldom been defeated and the people, as the manager of The Oregons said in one of his letters, were the poorest losers that the team has yet encountered.

The other two games last week were played in Billings, Montana. The first game against the regular Billings team was won by the enormous score of 97 to 8, and the boys would no doubt have been equally successful against the Y. M. C. A. on the following night had they not changed their line-up so as to work in some of the players who have had but little practice since leaving Oregon.

As the line-up stood, the score was large enough—50 to 15—but it is believed that the team in its regular form could have piled it up even higher. The new line-up was as follows: Claud Shaw, center, injured slightly during the first half and substituted by Fenton; Edward Shaw and Teats, guards; Rice and Morton, forwards.

The manager writes that the advance schedule will be as follows: December 29, Dickinson, N. D.; December 30, Jamestown, N. D.; December 31 and January 1, Minneapolis; January 2, Stillwater, Minnesota; January 4, Hudson, Wisconsin; January 5 and 6, Redwing, Minnesota; January 7, LaCrosse, Wisconsin. The hardest of these games will be played in Redwing. Mail for members of The Oregons team should be addressed to Redwing, Minnesota, to insure its prompt receipt and should be marked "care of The Oregons."

Mr. and Mrs. J. Collins left today for their home in Seattle after a few days' visit at the home of Mrs. Collins' sister, Mrs. Addie Magers. The two sisters had not seen each other for nearly 23 years.

COURT HOUSE NOTES

Items of Interest From the Records in the County Offices Briefly Told.

PROBATE.

Estate of Evaline H. Steffy, deceased—petition of S. D. Steffy for license to borrow \$360.85 for support of Henry B. Steffy, an old, infirm and feeble person, granted.

Estate of Jacob Brown, deceased—will admitted to probate.

Estate of Lucy VanTassel—petition to sell real estate set for hearing January 30, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Estate of William G. Henry, deceased—final account approved; executrix discharged.

REAL ESTATE.

W S Campbell to R B Chaney, 100 acres, t 8 s, r 5 w, \$6,750.

Nancy Fredricks to and hd to M H and Emma Jones, 118 acres, t 6 s, r 5 w, \$2,000.

C A Ramsey to O W Cobb, 20 acres, t 7 s, r 5 w, \$1,400.

W H Houck et ux to P Mark et ux, 100 acres, t 6 s, r 6 w, \$3,000.

W M Bernard et ux to Lazelle Bernard, 9.15 acres, t 7 s, r 3 w, \$10.

Hattie I Tico and hd to James Elkins et ux, land in Falls City, \$200.

Mark Hayter et ux to A R Brown, lots in Dallas, \$195.

James Howe to G E Lawrence, 21 acres, t 7 s, r 5 w, \$429.

Abel Ugiow et ux to R H McCarter, 53 acres, t 9 s, r 4 w, \$1.

E C Dunn et ux to Arch Robinson, lot in Dallas, \$800.

Lucy E Rowell and hd to James M Dougan, 25 acres, t 7 s, r 5 w, \$3,200.

J N Jones et ux to M R and W W Black, land in Independence, \$2,400.

George Jones et al to M R and W W Black, land in Independence, \$100.

Parlies Byerley to R A Embree, land in Dallas, \$125.

Poultry Raisers Will Meet.

The members of the Polk County Poultry Association will meet in the Courthouse, Saturday, at 10:30 a. m., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and outlining the work of preparation for next year's poultry show. All who are interested in poultry and poultry raising are cordially invited to attend.

R. M. Fowle and H. V. Link, of Alirle, were Dallas visitors over Sunday.

Big Reduction SALE

On all Ladies' and Children's Coats. All this season's styles.

Special Sale on Clothing

Men's, Boys' and Youths' Suits will be sold at a big cut in price. If you need clothing it will pay you to see what we are offering.

Special lot Ladies' 26-in. Umbrellas 90 Cents

Campbell & Hollister CASH STORE

ATTORNEYS AT LAW
BROWN & STOUT
ABSTRACTORS
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ATTORNEY AT LAW
Ed. F. Coad,
Office in Courthouse
DALLAS, OREGON

Buys Hops at Seven Cents.

Hop deals consummated Friday show an upward tendency in the market. Kola Neis purchased the entire output of Miles Porterfield, 150 bales, and the output of John R. Cooper, 250 bales, for 7 cents a pound. This is one of the best sales reported recently and the price is far above the average. All of the hops indicated in these sales are of prime variety. Growers argue from this tendency among well-known and extensive hop dealers to purchase at this price that the market is materially awakening.—Statesman.

Dr. L. A. Bollman is attending the militia convention in Portland.

Will Begin Towing Logs.

The old Willamette is beginning to creep up at this point, due to the recent rains and sudden warm weather and now stands at four feet above the low water mark. The cold weather prevailing for a short time affected the upper river considerably, but warm rains have been falling causing the snow to melt rapidly. At the present rate, the Willamette will reach the six-foot mark soon, at which time the Spaulding Logging Company will put their towing steamer "Grey Eagle" at work bringing down logs from the Luckiamute. The Spaulding Company has several million feet near the head of that stream.—Salem Journal.

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, 16c; 50c. **RATES FOR BUSINESS HOUSES**—35c 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 16c 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 to 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.

JAN. CLEARANCE SALE

This sale means a mercantile event that borders on the marvelous. A regular price cutting outrage. A sweeping reduction throughout this entire store. Reduced prices that will undoubtedly create a sensation. All broken lines and odds and ends go at a mere fraction of their former value. Prices have been cut as never before. We are going to make this sale a record breaker in the history of this house. The only original and genuine clearance sale will be on at **THE BEE HIVE STORE**

STARTS JANUARY, 2nd, 1909

MEN'S SUITS LOT No. 1—A broken line of Men's suits regular \$8 to 10 values; Clearance Sale price \$4.75 LOT No. 2—Men's Blue Serges, Fancy Wosted effects, good style; sold regularly at from \$12.50 to 15.00; Clearance Sale price 9.85 LOT No. 3—Men's High-grade Suits, hand-tailored garments; \$16.50 to \$20 values 13.85	This gigantic clearance sale which starts here Saturday, January 2, carries an important message to every man and boy in this community A World-beating, Record-breaking Sale on All CLOTHING	BOY'S KNEE PANT SUITS LOT No. 1—Boy's Knee Pant Suits, \$3 to 3.50 values; our Clearance Sale price \$1.98 LOT No. 2—Boy's Knee Pant Suits, \$4 to 4.50 values, all good patterns and styles Clearance Sale price 2.79 LOT No. 3—Boy's Knee Pant Suits, our regular \$5 to 6.50 kind; Clearance Sale price 4.39		
A lot of Cambrie Embroideries, regular 8c and 10c values. Sale price 5c per yard	A Big Surprise. Fine Swiss Embroideries values to 25c per yard Sale 15c	Clearance Sale of Boy's Caps all 50c Caps 35c	Clearance sale on Ladies' Sateen and Heatherbloom Petticoats. Sale price \$1.65 to 3.45	Clearance sale on Children's Cotton Hose. One special lot 12c per pair

There will be no reductions on the following lines: **W. L. Douglas shoes, Queen Quality shoes, Gordon Hats, Butterick Patterns**
Prices on these goods are controlled by the manufacturer and must be sold regularly.

This Sale Positively Closes Saturday, January 30th, 1909

The BEE HIVE STORE

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