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The way to build up Dallas is to patronize Dallas people.

A paraphrase—"Quoth the Republican legislator 'Nevermore.'"

The Senatorial election off their hands, the unfortunate Legislature now has nothing with which to occupy itself but business.

Some examples of human depravity in its meanest and most contemptible form were noted when a number of persons went out in the vicinity of Independence during the snow storm and slaughtered wholesale, quails and pheasants, which were starving and half frozen and which certain public spirited persons were endeavoring to save from destruction by scattering food for them that had been secured by means of public subscriptions.

The first gun in the renewal of the old normal school battle that has so long vexed the legislative bodies of Oregon, was fired Tuesday, by Representative Jones, of Roseburg, who introduced a bill providing that the Ashland and Monmouth schools be abolished and the Drain and Weston schools continued under the names of the Western and Eastern Oregon State Normal schools. He would have the state board of education dispose of the buildings and grounds of the other two schools and have the proceeds turned into the high schools or back into the general educational funds. While arguments galore are being advanced to the support of the proposed measure, if the case be argued solely on the merits of achievement, the old pioneer Normal at Monmouth can show a record before which the other Normal schools will be obliged to stand aside and admit the superior strength of her claim to continuance.

The following bit of sound doctrine with regard to the recent political experience through which Oregon has obliged herself to pass, comes from the Eugene Register: "After all is said and done, regret as much as we may that Republican Oregon should send a Democrat to the United States Senate, the election of Chamberlain is not too big a price for Oregon Republicanism to pay for its political folly. It is the first lesson the party in this state needs to cure it of its political laxity in political affairs. With Chamberlain, a Democrat, in the Senate, Oregon can make up its mind hereafter to play a very minor part in National affairs at Washington or else get wise to the importance of quitting its flirtation with politicalisms and get down to straight-out party activity. In our opinion, the election of Chamberlain to the Senate will prove the most valuable lesson to Oregon Republicanism it has ever had."

COURT HOUSE NOTES

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

PROBATE.

Guardianship of Wayne E. Greenwood—inventory and appraisement filed and approved; guardian authorized to mortgage real estate for $2,000.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

Ordered that Road District 13 be changed and described as set forth in assessor's description, and that District 17 be changed and described as set forth in assessor's description and that clerk enter record of the description of each of said road districts in Court's Journal.

REAL ESTATE.

J W Crooks et ux to C L Fitchard, 9.76 acres, t 8 s, r 4 w, $1.

J S Bohannon et ux to Eliza A Ewing, lots in Independence Fruit Farms, $650.

Peter Neufeldt et ux to J P Neufeldt, ½ acre in Dallas, $110.

H D Parker et ux to Lydia M Wilson, land in Dallas, $900.

D K McMillan to George M Bennett, 70 acres, t 8 s, r 5 w, $800.

George M Bennett et ux to W H Mack, 70 acres, t 8 s, r 5 w, $1000.

W O Metcalf et ux to John R Johnson, lots in Falls City, $100.

Ten days more—the sale continues at the Dallas Mercantile Company's store. it

The Dallas College basketball team will go to Falls City this afternoon where a game has been scheduled with the local team of that city. A number of the young men of the college are planning to accompany the boys to cheer them on to victory or offer condolence in case of defeat.

A POLITICAL ELEGY.

BY DEAN COLLINS.

The roll call sounds the knell of parting hopes.
The pledged men take the medicine they earned
The disappointed lobbyist elopes—
And George at last, hath that for which he yearned.

'Neath the domed roofs of legislative halls,
Where heaves the air in superheated waves,
Within the Senate's and the House's walls,
Our fond, fond hopes marched grandly to their graves.

Full many a scheme of shrewd and fell intent,
The lobby and the secret conclave bore,
In deep design full many an hour was spent,
To wean the pledged men from the swear they swore.

Mayhap upon that sore, misguided band
That formerly the potent Statement signed
Some mute inglorious Archbold tried his hand,
But could not get his forces all alined.

How bitterly despised a draught was it,
By which the Great Non-partisan hath thrived
Despite our hopes, our prayers, we must admit
Despite them all—George has at last arrived.

So while his triumph song peals long and loud
And he rejoices o'er his new found bliss,
We step aside from out the common crowd,
And frame our little elegy like this.

"Here rests our head upon the lap of earth,
By dealings, foxy, devious and dark,
The Great Non-partisan has proved his worth,
By making us a glorious easy mark.

"We took our medicine and did fulfil
The Statement, that did erstwhile so entice,
We took our medicine, for good or ill—
But darned if we will down the same dose twice!"

POLK.

G. Stump, of Liberty, was a visitor here Monday.

G. H. Robbins will plant several acres of strawberries next spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill, of Portland, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Robbins.

The Fall sown crops near Polk were only slightly damaged by the recent freezing weather.

J. A. Becker left last week for his home in American Falls, Idaho, after a short visit in this neighborhood.

The recent snow storm caused the death of large numbers of wild birds which were cut off from their food supply.

The people living in the vicinity of Perrydale were greatly troubled last week by a coyote that was killing their sheep and pigs.

Wanted.

Representatives in this vicinity, male or female. Those willing to hustle can earn from $100 to $125 monthly. Experience not necessary. Address Northwestern Specialty Co., 501-502-504 Board of Trade, Portland, Oregon. 1-22-2t

INDEPENDENCE & MONMOUTH Railway.

FROM INDEPENDENCE.

FOR DALLAS.

Train No. 64. Leave Independence daily, 6:00 a. m.; lv. Monmouth, 6:15 a. m.; ar. Dallas, 6:40 a. m.

Train No. 68. Leave Independence, daily, 10:50 a. m.; lv. Monmouth, 11:05 a. m.; ar. Dallas, 11:30 a. m.

Train No. 70. Leave Independence, daily, 6:15 p. m.; lv. Monmouth, 6:30 p. m.; ar. Dallas, 6:55 p. m.

FOR AIRLIE.

Train No. 67. Leave Independence, daily, 7:50 a. m.; lv. Monmouth, 7:40 a. m.; ar. Airlie, 8:10 a. m.

Train No. 73. Leave Independence, daily, 3:30 p. m.; lv. Monmouth, 3:50 p. m.; ar. Airlie, 4:25 p. m.

FOR MONMOUTH ONLY.

Leave Independence, daily, 2:30 p. m.
No. 101 arrives Monmouth 7:30 a. m.

FROM DALLAS.

FOR INDEPENDENCE.

Train No. 65. Leave Dallas, daily ex. Sunday, 8:30 a. m.; lv. Monmouth, 8:50 a. m.; ar. Independence, 9:15 a. m.

Train No. 101. Lv. Dallas, Sunday only, 6:45 p. m.; ar. Independence, 7:30 p. m.

Train No. 69. Leave Dallas, daily, 1 p. m.; lv. Monmouth, 1:20 p. m.; ar. Independence, 1:40 p. m. (This train connects at Monmouth for Airlie.)

Train No. 71. Leave Dallas, daily, 7:30 p. m.; lv. Monmouth, 8 p. m.; ar. Independence, 8:25 p. m.

FROM AIRLIE.

Train No. 66. Leave Airlie, daily, 9 a. m.; lv. Monmouth, 9:35 a. m.; ar. Independence, 9:50 a. m. (This train connects at Monmouth for Dallas.)

Train No. 72. Leave Airlie, daily, 5:50 p. m.; lv. Monmouth, 6:40 p. m.; ar. Independence, 6:55 p. m.

Train No. 100 leaves Airlie 4:45 p. m. SUNDAY ONLY arrives Monmouth 5:20 p. m. arrives Independence 5:40 p. m.

FROM MONMOUTH ONLY.

Leaves Monmouth for Independence, daily at 2:00 p. m.

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Address all orders to

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Flood Building San Francisco

SPUDS

WISE TALKS BY M. D. ELLIS' OFFICE BOY.

"Some men were born for great things,
Some men were born for small,
Some, 'tis not recorded, why they were born at all."

Well, that's pretty near the candy, all right. I'll bet you could ask lots of fellows you know what they intended making out of themselves and they couldn't tell you.

Honest, some fellows don't know whether they were born or whether they just grew. Paw says, "Every man should have an aim in life but that some, unless they practice more, won't be able to hit the side of a barn."

Anyway you can bet your bottom dollar little Willie knows what he's going to make out of himself. I am going to be an up-to-date groceryman like the boss and I am going to start in just like he did and learn it thoroughly from the ground up and then I know I'll make a success of it just like he has done. Say, have you noticed the fine spuds we are selling and they did not get frozen either. Each and every one is a full grown healthy potato, and guaranteed to contain just the right amount of starch, and not too much "aqua." "Aqua" is latin for water. Gee, ain't I getting flossy?"

WILLIE

BUSINESS LOCALS.

[Advertisements under this head are charged at the rate of 1 cent per word; first insertion; ½ cent per word for each insertion thereafter; 30 words or less, $1 per month. No advertisement inserted for less than 15 cents.

Figures count as one word. For instance, the numeral combination "$250" counts as one word.

Two initials count as one word. For instance, "C. M. Jones" counts as two words.

The minimum charge is for 15 words; that is, an advertisement from 1 word to 15 words is counted as 15 words; an advertisement from 16 to 20 words, inclusive, is counted as 20 words; from 21 to 25 words, is counted as 25 words, etc.

The figures following the advertisement indicate how long it is to run, and are not charged to the customer. For instance, 3-31-2t indicates that the advertisement was first published on March 31, and that it is to be inserted twice. The figures and letters 4-1-tf indicate that the advertisement was first published April 1 and that it is to be run until the customer orders it discontinued.]

Lumber.

To trade for good cow or horse or for both. N. G. Harris, Dallas, R. F. D. 1-22-tf

Found.

On the streets of Dallas, a lady's neck fur. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Cedar Posts.

Good cedar posts for sale at 11½ cents each. Also another car of extra Star A Star shingles. SOEHREN WAREHOUSE. 7-24-tf

Estray Notice.

Lost or strayed, black and red tan hound, female, average size. Missing since last February. Suitable reward for information. Ira C. Yocom, Willamina, Oregon 1-1-8t

Wood For Sale.

Do you need wood? In preparing to place your orders remember that I am able to furnish you all kinds of slab wood from either of the Dallas sawmills at the best possible rates. Send in your orders by either phone. Mutual 1196; Bell 443.
8-4-tf. AUGUST BOWMAN.

Castle's The Grocery For You.

Located one door south of the Dallas National Bank; carrying a complete line of fancy and staple groceries; affording prompt, careful and courteous service to all customers. When you are in Castle's store you can feel at home. If you are not able to come up town send in your order by either phone—he is ready to take care of it. 1-15-tf

Our Correspondence

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We don't go astray on price, as that like our stationery is always satisfactory.

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California has been called the Mecca of the winter tourist." Its hotels and stopping places are as varied as those of all well regulated cities. Visitors can always find suitable accommodations, congenial companions, and varied, pleasing recreations.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC CO.

Will be glad to supply some very attractive literature, describing in detail the many delights of winter in California.
Very low round trip excursion tickets are on sale to California.

The rate from Dallas to Los Angeles and return is

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Limit six months, allowing stop-overs in either direction. Similar excursion rates are in effect to all California points.

For full information, sleeping car reservations and tickets, call on, telegraph or write

I. N. WOODS, Agent, DALLAS
WM. McMURRAY
Gen. Pass. Agt. Portland, Oregon

Everybody's Magazine

HAS GOT THIS MONTH

Two screaming stories by Ellis Parker Butler and Lindsay Denison, each racing to see which will bump your funny bone hardest.

One tragedy that will grip your heart.

And articles by Russell, Paine and Dickson that cut deep into things.

LOOK OUT FOR EVERYBODY'S THIS MONTH. THE CAT IS BACK

FOR SALE BY
W. R. ELLIS and W. H. ROY

Guardian's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, sitting in probate, made and entered of record in said Court on the 4th day of January, 1909, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Lyle Ball, a minor, authorizing and licensing the undersigned as guardian of the person and estate of said minor to sell certain real property of his said ward, hereinafter described, at private sale, for cash, in the manner prescribed by law, the undersigned as such guardian will, from and after Thursday, the 18th day of February, 1909, at the law office of Oscar Hayter, Esq., in the City of Dallas, in said County, proceed to sell the said real property, at private sale, for cash in hand on day of sale, in accordance with said license of sale and in the manner prescribed by law, subject to confirmation by said County Court; said real property being particularly described as follows, to wit:

An undivided one-third interest in and to that parcel of land described as beginning at a point 20.25 chains East from the Northwest corner of the "L" of the Donation Land Claim of Henry Marshall and wife, Notification No. 1963, Claim No. 69, in Township 8 South, Range 5 West of the Willamette Meridian, in Polk County, State of Oregon, and running thence East 6.75 chains; thence North 15.31 chains; thence West 6.75 chains; and thence South 15.31 chains to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less.

Also, an undivided one-fifteenth interest in and to that parcel of land described as beginning at the Southwest corner of the "L" of said Donation Land Claim and running thence North 19.32 chains to the Northwest corner of said "L;" thence East 101.37 chains; thence South 19.32 chains to the Southeast corner of said claim; and thence West 101.37 chains to the place of beginning, containing 196 acres, more or less.

Dated this 18th day of January, 1909.
FRANK H. FAWK,
Guardian of the person and estate of Lyle Ball, a minor.
Oscar Hayter, Attorney.

Executors Sale of Real Property.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned executors of the estate of William Livermore, deceased, will by virtue of an order of the Hon. County Court of Polk County, Oregon, duly made and entered of record on the 30th day of October, 1908, duly authorizing and empowering them so to do, on or after the 18th day of February, 1909, proceed to sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot No. Five (5) in Block No. Seven (7) in Leven's LaCreole Homestead Addition to the Town of Dallas, Polk County, Oregon.

Sealed bids may be handed to the executors hereinafter named, or to the Attorneys for said estate.

Dated at Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, this 18th day of January, 1909.

A. B. MCIR,
LEONARD R. LIVERMORE,
Joint executors of said estate.
Sibley & Eakin, Attorneys for estate.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as executrix of the estate of J. R. Hubbard, deceased, has filed her final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, and that Thursday, the 18th day of February, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court Room of the said County Court in the City of Dallas, Oregon, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections to the said final account and the settlement thereof.

ELLEN J. HUBBARD,
Executrix of the estate of
J. R. Hubbard, deceased

Oscar Hayter, Attorney.
Dated and first published January 18, 1909.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the state of Augusta Campbell, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, and has qualified.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned, at the law office of Oscar Hayter, in the City of Dallas, in said County, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated and first published January 18, 1909.

W. D. CAMPBELL,
Administrator of the estate of Augusta Campbell, deceased.
Oscar Hayter, Attorney.

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OSCAR HAYTER,

Upstairs in Campbell building, Mill St. DALLAS, OREGON.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Portland, Oregon.
November 28, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Sedley T. Donohoe, of Dallas, Oregon, who, on November 23, 1908, made Timber or Stone No. 6311, for West ½ of N. E. ¼, Section 20, Township 7 South, Range 6 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. M. Smith, County Clerk of Polk County, Oregon, at Dallas, Oregon, on the 19th day of March, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: G. P. Conlee, of Dallas, Oregon; E. W. Hinshaw, of Dallas, Oregon; W. F. Tillotson, of Dallas, Oregon; M. A. Conlee, of Buell, Oregon.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER,
Register.

Administratrix Notice.

Notice is hereby given to whom it may concern, that the undersigned administratrix of the estate of A. F. Stoner, deceased, has this day filed with the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, her final account in said estate, and the said County Court has set the same for hearing on Saturday, January 30, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at which time all persons having objections thereto, if any there be, are hereby notified to appear in said Court at Dallas, in said County, and present the same and show cause if any they have, why said estate should not be fully and finally closed, said administratrix discharged and her bondsmen released.

Dated at Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, this 21st day of December, 1908.

ELIZABETH STONER,
Administratrix of the estate of A. F. Stoner, deceased.
Sibley & Eakin, Attorneys for estate.

A GOOD THING CONTINUED

The successful sale at the Dallas Mercantile Co's. store is still going on. Everything on Sale—Nothing Reserved. A fine line of Ladies', Men's and Children's Shoes on sale at ONE-HALF price. A fine line of Men's Hats and Sweaters less than HALF price. A line of Ladies' Coats ranging from $8 to $20 on sale at $1.15. A line of Ladies' Skirts at HALF price. Dress Goods at prices never before heard of. The greatest reduction ever offered on Men's and Children's Clothing, all this season's goods.

Everything Reduced More Than Ever

Don't put this off but come at once. This may be your last chance, beginning MONDAY, JANUARY 18th UNTIL SATURDAY, JANUARY 23d.

DALLAS MERCANTILE CO.

NOTICE

Can't Announce Premium Results

The P. O. Department forbids publishing the results of the premiums given away by us on December 31, 1908. Those interested can learn the results by calling at our store or at the following places:
Dr. Coffeen, Yamhill; Belt's Drug Store, Willamina; John Bones, Carlton; F. H. Caldwell, Newberg; Fahrs' Drug Store, Sheridan; Dr. Reitzel, Lafayette; Harris Drug Store, Dayton; Mr. Wyatt, Bellevue; Guy Bros. & Dalton, Dallas; Dr. Mathies, Amity.

You will have to hurry, for the big bargains at our big Clearance Sale will positively close Saturday, January 30, 1909.

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