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



Only a week remains in which candidates in the coming city election may file their petitions.

The month of March has certainly played true to the time honored fable of the lion and the lamb...

To Lieutenant Shackleton, of the British Navy, shonks the honor of having headed the expedition which discovered the Antarctic pole.

Since the beginning of March when the colonist rates westward first went into effect, a larger number of persons from the East and the Middle West has passed through Dallas than at any previous time...

COURT HOUSE NOTES

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

PROBATE.

Guardianship of Gould P. Cressy, a minor-guardian's report filed and approved subject to final settlement.

REAL ESTATE.

White Elmery et ux to Henry P. Whitaker, 94 acres, t 8 s, r 4 w, \$5500.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

Bids for supplying wood for County Courthouse offered as follows: B. M. Guy, oak wood, \$3.30 a cord; N. Hughes, fir wood, \$2.74 a cord; E. G. Erickson, oak wood, \$3.85, fir wood, \$2.60 a cord.

Bids on contract to crush and haul rock for road improvement filed by R. B. Winslow, W. J. White, Ira Mehrling and Wolf Brothers & Bradley.

Breeders' Horse Show.

Saturday, April 3, will see one of the finest horse shows ever held in the northwest, as the committee handling that matter has been doing splendid work during the past week...

Lecture at College Chapel.

Dr. C. A. Mook announces that a lecture will be given in the college chapel tonight by Professor Leo Tsakos, a native of Greece, who is touring the northwest with a series of fine stereopticon views.

PROSPECTING FOR COAL

Operations Being Carried On in Polk County With Promise of Success.

Coal may yet be added to the list of products that have ranked Polk county among the best and richest in natural resources, to be found in the state of Oregon.

"The operations here noted are located in Polk county about five miles west of Salem on land owned by Charles Clark and a Mr. Homeyer. Both prospects lie in the same range of hills skirting a small spring branch flowing in an easterly direction about one mile southwest of the Wallace fruit farm.

"At the Clark prospect a shaft of the regulation coal mine dimensions enters the hill from the north some ten or fifteen feet above the bed of the creek. The tunneling is in almost solid rock and already extends eight feet or more into the side of the hill.

"The prospect of the Homeyer place, being worked by a practical coalminer, J. W. McDowell, under lease, is older than the Clark tunnel, and operations are going forward daily. The latter prospect has been worked at intervals for some time, but of late the operations have been more insistent in keeping with the growing enthusiasm of the manager and interest of the community.

"These mining operations began about a year ago when searchers for well water found also prospects of gold, coal and other minerals.

"When the attention of Mr. McDowell was directed to the signs of coal he secured a lease from Mr. Homeyer providing for certain mining privileges on the latter's land, and since then has devoted all the time and resources possible to development work.

"While the operations so far have been comparatively fruitless and have brought forth sneers and jibes from those of little faith in the community, men of maturer judgment are inclined to give credence to McDowell's sincerity from the fact that he is a practical mining man, and it may yet develop that he will have the last and best laugh in the day coal in paying quantities is discovered."

Dance at Colosseum Rink.

Frank Kerslake, proprietor of the Colosseum rink, desires to announce that he will give a dance in the rink tomorrow (Saturday) night, beginning at 9 o'clock. All who attend are assured of a pleasant evening as the management has made every effort to put the floor in perfect condition for dancing.

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, will receive bids for making certain grades and fills on the County Roads. Also for two 45 foot span bridges. Bids to be for wood or steel bridges. Said bids to be opened at 1 o'clock p. m. April 7th, 1909.

INDEPENDENCE.

Mrs. G. W. Kutch visited in Salem, Wednesday. Mrs. J. E. Hubbard was a Salem visitor last week. Mrs. Steiger, of Salem, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. E. Paddock. E. E. Paddock went to Portland, Wednesday, for a few days' stay. Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Drexler returned from Otter Rock the last of the week. Dr. and Mrs. O. D. Butler entertained the Crab Club, Friday evening. G. A. Wilcox visited over Sunday with his wife, who is in a Portland hospital. Mrs. Ella Irvine, of Portland, is visiting friends and relatives in Independence. Mrs. Ella Jessup, of Boise, Idaho, is visiting at the home of her father, Thomas Fennell. The Owls were entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Allen, Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McCrea, of Portland, visited over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Merwin. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stark and daughter, Alice, came down from Eugene, Wednesday, for a few weeks' stay. The Colosseum rink will be thrown open Saturday night for a dance to which all are cordially invited. Will Paul has returned from Yreka, California, where he was called to attend the funeral of his father. W. W. Ulrey has purchased C. F. Bartlett's interest in the second-hand store and is now conducting it as sole proprietor. W. J. White and George Clansfield left yesterday afternoon for Tillamook to look after real estate interests.

A Lazy Liver

May be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. It would be a stupid as well as a savage thing to beat a weary or starved man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging, torpid liver it is a great mistake to lash it with strong drastic drugs.

If you have bitter or bad taste in the morning, poor or unreliable appetite, coated tongue, foul breath, constipated or irregular bowels, feel weak, easily tired, dependent, frequent headaches, pain in the back, "small of back," gnawing or distressed feeling in stomach, perhaps nausea, and "rises" in throat after eating, and knock symptoms of weak stomach, you need a medicine which will relieve you more promptly or cure you more permanently than Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Perhaps only a part of these symptoms will be present at one time and yet point to torpid liver or biliousness and weak stomach. Avoid all hot bread and biscuits, griddle cakes and other indigestible food, and take the "Golden Medical Discovery" regularly and stick to its use until you are vigorous and strong.

The "Discovery" is a non-narcotic, non-alcoholic, is a glyceric extract of native medicinal roots with a full list of its ingredients printed on each bottle, and tested under oath. Its ingredients are endorsed and extolled by the most eminent medical writers of the age and are recommended to cure the disease for which it is advertised. Don't accept a substitute of unknown composition for this non-secret medicine of known composition.

Call For Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that all Polk County Warrants which were presented and endorsed "not paid for want of funds" prior to November 7, 1908, will be paid on presentation at my office. No interest will be allowed on the same after date of this notice. Dated this 20th day of March, 1909. E. D. C. DUNN, County Treasurer.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Advertisements under this head are charged at the rate of 1 cent per word, first insertion; 1/2 cent per word for each insertion thereafter; 10 words or less, 10 cents per month. No advertisement for less than 10 words. An advertisement of 10 words, inclusive, is counted as 10 words. The figures following the advertisement indicate to the advertiser the number of insertions for which it is published. The figures and letters 4-1-1 indicate that the advertisement was first published on March 1st and that it is to be inserted twice. The figures and letters 4-1-1 indicate that it is to be run until the customer orders it discontinued.

Cow For Sale.

Extra good milk cow; roan Durham. C. S. Graves, Dallas. 3-26-1f

Lumber.

To trade for good horse. N. G. Harris, Dallas, R. F. D. 1-22-1f

Baled Hay For Sale.

Four different kinds. U. S. Grant, Dallas, Oregon. 2-19-1f.

For Sale.

Three fine, blooded Rhode Island Red cockerels. Inquire H. C. Seymour, Dallas. 3-16-1f

Wool and Mohair.

Highest market price will be paid for wool and mohair. Sacks furnished free. J. L. Castle. 3-23-1f.

For Sale.

High grade Columbia Wyandotte and Barred Rock eggs. Per sitting of 15. C. A. Sims. Mutual phone 1234.

For Sale.

Team, harness, wagon, surrey, and single buggy. G. D. Treat, Falls City, Mutual phone 1316. 3-19-1f

Teams Wanted.

\$3.75 per day. Slip scraper work. Apply Salem, Falls City & Western Ry. office, Dallas, Or. 3-26-1f

Found.

On college campus, a good fountain pen. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 3-26-1f

For Sale.

Two cottages. One 5-room and one 6-room. Equipped with all modern conveniences. Inquire of C. Craven, Dallas. 2-23-1f

Cedar Posts.

Good cedar posts for sale at 1 1/2 cents each. Also another cut of extra Star A Star shingles. -SOEHLER WAREHOUSE. 7-24-1f

Wanted.

All kinds of iron, rubber, brass, copper, zinc and hides. Highest cash prices paid. A. N. Halleck, Monmouth, Oregon. 3-13-1f

Eggs For Hatching.

From "prize winning strain" Single Comb Buff Orpingtons, \$1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. J. E. Beesley, Falls City, Or. Mutual phone. 3-16-1f

For Sale.

40 acres of dairy land, under cultivation, two miles from town. All modern farm improvements. Call Bell phone 171, Dallas. 3-26-1f

Mohair Meeting.

A meeting of the Polk County Mohair Association will be held in the Courthouse, Saturday, for the purpose of setting the date for the sale of the 1909 pool and arranging for the different details entering into the sale. G. W. McBee, President.

Notice.

Notes and accounts of William Faulk have been left in the Dallas City Bank, where those knowing themselves indebted may call and settle. 3-2-8f

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. 8-4-1f. AUGUST BOWMAN.

SILETZ CLAIMS WANTED.

We buy claims from owners for cash. NELSON & WHITTIER, 517 Board of Trade, Portland, Oregon. 3-16-1f

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, Department No. 2. Mark E. Bullard, Plaintiff v Roy W. Bullard, Defendant.

In the Name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court on or before the sixth day of May, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, in the Court room of said Court, at Dallas, Oregon, and to show cause why you should not be held to answer the same. The said complaint is in full view of the Court and is in the possession of the Clerk of said Court. The said complaint is in full view of the Court and is in the possession of the Clerk of said Court.

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"Two years ago a severe cold, settled on my lungs and so completely prostrated me that I was unable to work and scarcely able to stand. I then was advised to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and after using one bottle I went back to work, as well as I ever was."

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EVERYBODY'S MAGAZINE

Ever had trouble of your own with a hired man? Read "The Late John Wiggins" in this month's EVERYBODY'S, and laugh over the other fellow's trouble.

Did you know that more funny short stories are swapped from "The Chestnut Tree" than from any other similar collection anywhere? Every month you can find one that you'll laugh over till you get the next. Get EVERYBODY'S and see.

A WORD OF WARNING

Just recently a citizen of Patterson, New Jersey, contracted leprosy by wearing clothing that was sprinkled through a Chinaman's mouth in a Chinese laundry. Dr. Spaulding in charge of the department of contagious diseases of Chicago says: "The method of doing up clothes in Chinese laundries is dangerous and ought to be prohibited by law."

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POLK COUNTY FARM BARGAINS

94 acres of fine, level, black bottom land; 3 miles of Dallas; large 2 story house; good, large barn; on motor line between Dallas, Monmouth and Independence, all good towns, creameries at each, 2 have canneries; level gravel road to all main towns in county. Come quick if you want this place at \$7000.

57 acres within 4 miles of Dallas, has a brand new 9-room house, large porch on two sides and back, built on a beautiful knoll, well finished and painted, very attractive; fine large new barn, well painted, 32 acres of rich black bottom land under plow; 25 acres of fine up land, lies nicely, 5 or 6 acres of it under plow, balance young oak timber, easily cleared, the up land is fine orchard land. A beautiful home for only \$4000.

80 acres near Pedee store, school and postoffice; 5 miles of Airlie, has large 6-room house, cost \$1000; 2 barns; 35 acres of fine deep red up land under plow; 30 acres fine young fir timber; 2 good small orchards; balance pasture. This is a good little farm and is a snap at \$2500. Possession given first of next October.

13 1/2 acres fine dairy farm in the heart of the very best and prettiest part of the Willamette Valley. Level, hard roads to Dallas, Monmouth, Independence and Rickwell which have creameries, canneries, etc.; only 3 miles of Dallas; 5 acres alfalfa; balance all fine level black free soil, none better. Dallas-Salem Express will pass through place. Will be laying rails in 3 months and road will be completed in 10 months. Fine house, large barn. If you want a snap buy this for it will be in the market at \$1000 per acre in 10-acre tracts inside of one year. Price \$10,000.

30 acre walnut land tracts at \$100 per acre to start near Dallas. All ready to plant. This land will raise fine apples, prunes, cherries, etc.; nuts. If you want good land adapted to fruit or nuts, don't fail to see this.

H. G. CAMPBELL, Dallas, Oregon

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