

**Polk County Observer**

George Gerlinger is in Portland on a business visit.

T. A. Riggs, of Monmouth, was a Dallas visitor Wednesday.

Sheriff J. M. Grant was an official visitor in Salem yesterday.

I. G. Arehart, of Independence, was a Dallas visitor yesterday.

Ralph Savery, of Ballston, was a visitor in this city yesterday.

Miss Ethel Tooze, of Falls City, was a visitor in Dallas yesterday.

Miss Nellie Link, of Airlie, was a visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. C. Kramer, of Falls City, was a Dallas visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Bertha Toner went to Portland, Wednesday, on a business visit.

Mrs. Frank Rowell was up from Newberg, Wednesday, on a visit.

C. Thrasher, of Corvallis, was a business visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.

E. L. Hayes, of Rickreall, was a business visitor in Dallas yesterday.

Bert Dennis, of Falls City, was a business visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.

W. H. Hallis, of Forest Grove, was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crider were passengers to Portland yesterday morning.

W. J. Southwell was down from Falls City yesterday on a business visit.

Mrs. G. W. Pettit is in Portland visiting with her sister, Mrs. E. L. Belknap.

Mrs. Margaret James, of Portland, is visiting at the home of Mrs. S. P. Riggs.

Mrs. Eugene Byerley went to Salem yesterday for a few days' visit with friends.

J. B. Hutchins, of Black Rock, was in this city, Wednesday, enroute for Portland.

Mrs. M. J. Cosper returned Tuesday night from a few days' visit in Portland.

Miss Cecil Blessing and Miss Emma McKenzie went to Salem yesterday for a short visit.

William Lynn, of Spokane, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lynn.

Thomas Edgar, of Falls City, was in Dallas, Wednesday, enroute for Portland, on business.

E. C. McTimmonds, of McTimmonds Valley, was in Dallas, Tuesday, on a business visit.

H. Venske returned to Cottage Grove, his home city, Tuesday after a short business visit in Dallas.

County Clerk E. M. Smith issued license to wed to Charles W. Stegar and Creta J. Stubbs, Wednesday.

F. S. Martin, of McMinville, was in Dallas, Wednesday, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Uglov.

William Reetz, a prominent farmer of the Perrydale section, was a business visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.

Miss Mary Hammond, who has charge of the Free Reading Room in Falls City, was in Dallas, Wednesday, on a visit.

Eugene Byerley has resumed his daily stage run between Dallas and Salem with the "Red Car" which he had on the road last season.

Judge and Mrs. J. L. Collins and daughter, Nellie, attended the funeral of the late G. W. Whiteaker, in Independence, Wednesday afternoon.

All are cordially invited to attend the ice cream social at the North Dallas schoolhouse tonight. A fine program will be given at eight o'clock.

Perry Graves, of the Graves Music Company, returned to his home in Portland yesterday afternoon after several week's business visit in Dallas.

The students of Dallas college are preparing to organize a baseball team and arrange for a series of games with teams of neighboring communities.

C. L. Crider is having the J. W. Crider residence on the corner of Main and Academy streets extensively improved and will soon move into it with his family.

In honor of the fourth birthday of her little daughter, Marjorie, Mrs. Cal Hutton gave a party at her home Tuesday to a number of the child's young friends.

Mrs. Jennie Eastman, of Seattle, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. I. M. Palmer, this week. She will leave tomorrow for a short stay in Portland after which she will return to her home city.

W. V. Fuller returned home Wednesday from an extended stay at his big mining holdings in Inyo county, California. After visiting for a few weeks with his family, Mr. Fuller will return to California.

City Engineer Morrison is making preliminary surveys for grading and excavation on Church and Washington street, preparatory to surfacing with a coat of macadam.

A street cleaning campaign was inaugurated in the business section of this city Wednesday, and for several hours, men were hard at work clearing the rubbish from the streets in front of their business establishments.

Construction work on the Dallas-Salem branch of the Salem, Falls City & Western railroad is being pushed forward with greatest activity, and there is little doubt but the work will be completed by the beginning of the Fall season.

L. Gerlinger, Jr. has recently become the possessor of a fine touring car. The machine was purchased in Portland last week and brought up to Dallas, Sunday. It is one of the handsomest and most powerful machines owned in this city.

It is reported that the strawberry crop for the coming season will be considerably impaired by the recent frosts that have come in this vicinity. The blossoms in several of the large strawberry patches having been nearly all shrivelled and destroyed.

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"The Sick Man of The East, or Turkey in the light of Prophecy. What do the present uprisings mean?" Hear this subject at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, Sunday night at 7:45 o'clock.

At the Presbyterian Church next Sunday the pastor will speak at 11 a. m. on "The Validity of Infant Baptism," and at 8 p. m., he will give the closing illustrated sermon of the present series, the topic being "Paul, the Apostle, to the Gentiles."

Stockwell's orchestra, appearing at the Star Theater this week, has proved a strong attraction and large crowds have thronged the hall each night. In addition to the musical features other attractions of especial interest will be introduced tonight and tomorrow night.

The Tom C. Stockwell Music House now has a complete stock of the Edison 4-minute Amberol records. Every owner of a phonograph should call and look over these splendid records of popular and classical music. All of the new May records are due to arrive in a few days. Watch for them.

The Golden Rule Restaurant has again changed hands. E. Bonin, the former proprietor, having sold it to J. W. Conner, who took possession Wednesday. The new proprietor has been a resident of this vicinity for a number of years and has many friends in Dallas. Mr. Bonin will continue to make his home in Dallas for the present.

The following pupils of Pioneer School District, No. 59, were neither absent nor tardy during the month ending April 15. Violet, John and Elizabeth Hoppe, Frank, Rhineheart, and Eva Dornabecker, Frank, Oscar and Alfred Domaschofsky, and Leph and Oda Blodgett, Hattie Teats, teacher.

Services at the Adventist Church for the coming Sabbath and Sunday will be as follows: Saturday, Sabbath School, 2 p. m.; preaching at 3 p. m. on "Christian Baptism." Following this service, baptism at 4 o'clock. Sunday night an address on the "Sick Man of the East—Turkey as brought to view in the light of prophecy." All are welcome.

Assessor C. S. Graves reports that the work of assessment in Polk county is nearing completion, the deputies in many of the districts having already covered their territory. The district about Eola and Spring Valley and in the Luckiamute neighborhood is hardly more than begun, but can be rapidly covered and the full reports of all the deputy assessors are expected to be in shortly after May 1.

The beautiful monument which is to mark the grave of the late Frank Butler was finished at the Dallas Marble Works last week and was hauled out to the Falls City cemetery yesterday morning. Two other handsome monuments have just been completed by Mr. Hawkins, one for the Independence cemetery and the other to mark the last resting place of the late Robert Gaynor, of Dallas.

**MOHAIR POOL ASSEMBLED**  
Will Aggregate Between 75,000 and 80,000 Pounds When All Has Been Weighed.

The work of gathering in the mohair of the 1909 pool of the Polk County Mohair Association is nearly completed and practically all of the mohair has been weighed in at the various shipping places in the county appointed by H. L. Fenton, who is handling the work of assembling and shipping the pool this year.

Mr. Fenton urges all mohair growers to weigh in their product before the end of this week, so that the business may be wound up as soon as possible.

At the time of the sale of the pool last Tuesday it was estimated that it would amount to about 60,000 pounds. This estimate was based on the size of the 1908 pool which was about 45,000. At the time of its sale, however, no definite figures could be secured concerning the 1909 pool, on which a certain estimate of its size could be based.

The weighing in last week shows that the pool contains between 75,000 and 80,000 pounds—over 50 per cent more than the estimate made earlier in the season. Compared with this enormous pool, the smaller ones sold recently in Hillsboro, Solo and other places, ranging from 4000 to 8000 pounds, appear insignificant.

The mohair has been weighed in at seven different shipping points in Polk county, from which it will be sent direct to Portland. The places of weighing in and the amount of mohair (approximately) received at each point are as follows: Airlie, 22,000 pounds; Sheridan, 25,000 pounds; Dallas, 20,000 pounds; Amity, 5,000 pounds; Monmouth, 2,000 pounds; Ballston, 1,000 pounds; Perrydale, 1,000 pounds.

**Domes Herd Ranks High.**  
A. F. Domes, a prominent stock breeder of McCoy, says in a recent letter concerning his herd, written to the Pacific Homestead: "We are proud of the cows we have under Yearly Authenticated Test and the rest of our herd also. The two cows and seven heifers we have on test now averaged 60,759 lbs. of 85 per cent butter last month. One 2-year-old made a record of 1243 lbs. 7 ozs. milk and 92,743 lbs. of butter, another one, 2 years, 5 months old, made 1272 lbs. 10 ozs. milk and 83,991 lbs. of butter."

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