

## Polk County Observer

Tom Bowditch visited over Sunday in Hillsboro.

Miss Jennie Muscott was a visitor in Portland, Saturday.

Walter Baker left Friday for an indefinite stay in Seattle.

C. L. Starr, of Salem, was an over-Sunday visitor in this city.

J. C. Talbot was down from Falls City yesterday on business.

Miss Sadie Boughey, of Falls City, was a visitor in Dallas, Sunday.

Mrs. H. M. Brown was a visitor in Portland, Saturday and Sunday.

Lee Smith returned Sunday night from a business trip to Portland.

Mrs. Arthur Moore, of Independence, visited friends in Dallas, Sunday.

Miss Laverne Burns, of Bridgeport, was a Dallas visitor this afternoon.

F. J. Wagner went to Portland, Saturday morning, on a business visit.

C. I. Ballard, of Rickreall, was in Dallas yesterday on a business visit.

D. J. Riley went to Portland yesterday morning on a short business visit.

Mrs. P. A. Finaeth returned yesterday from a few days' visit in Portland.

W. E. Critchlow went to Portland, Friday, where he will enter law school.

Mrs. M. J. Peary and Mrs. A. A. Launer visited in Falls City yesterday.

George Kurre, of Monmouth, was a visitor in Dallas yesterday on business.

Wee Atchison was a passenger to Portland yesterday morning on business.

Earl G. Wisecarver spent Sunday with relatives and friends in McMinnville.

E. Boyd and family left today for Creswell where Mr. Boyd will conduct a hotel.

Mrs. M. J. Peary, of Albany, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Launer.

Glen Elkins returned yesterday from a week's stay at his home in Albany.

G. A. Griswold, of Portland, was a visitor in Dallas and Falls City over Sunday.

Claud Dempsy came up from Portland, Sunday for a brief visit with relatives.

W. R. Craven is in from his claim on Saimon River for a few days' visit in Dallas.

George Gates and family went to Forest Grove, Saturday, for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Leo Bowers, of Portland, has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. F. H. Muscott.

Professor James E. Dunton, of Ballston, was a business visitor in Dallas, Friday.

The Dallas Grange went on record at its meeting Saturday afternoon, as opposed to state ownership of railroads, the vote on the resolution being unanimous.

Miss Jennie Sanders, of Silverton, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sweeney.

L. L. Shrove, of Arlington, is visiting with his many friends and relatives in this vicinity.

F. K. Hubbard was in Dallas, Saturday, enroute from Portland to his home in Falls City.

Willie Reynolds came over from Shaw and visited over Sunday with his brother Clarence, in Dallas.

Mrs. P. M. Churchman, of Sheridan, visited last week with her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Campbell, in this city.

Miss Florence Burton, of Independence, visited Friday with Miss Flora McCallon and Miss Maude Robertson.

Mrs. A. N. Halleck, mother of Taylor H. Halleck, returned to her home in Monmouth, Saturday.—Yaquina Bay News.

L. D. Brown has fitted up the rooms adjoining the Dallas creamery for his law and abstract office and has already moved into them.

Miss Lillian Perkins went to Monmouth Friday and assisted in the program given at the basket social held there that evening.

Miss Edna Hayes went to Newberg, Saturday, with Miss Lena Spangle, who has been teaching in Independence this year.

Hon. J. V. E. Butler was in Dallas, Friday, returning to Monmouth after attending the State Grange at McMinnville last week.

C. F. Swander, of Portland, visited for a short time yesterday with Rev. C. A. Sias while on his way home from a visit in Falls City.

The students in Mrs. Mae Wright's classes in elocution and vocal music are preparing a program for a recital to be given on Friday night, May 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gerlinger, Jr., Mayor and Mrs. H. C. Eakin and Roy Bronson made a trip to Forest Grove, Sunday, in Mr. Gerlinger's touring car.

Frank Kersey went to Portland, Saturday for an indefinite stay. He will place himself under medical care in the Portland Sanatorium while in that city.

Company H will hold its regular dancing school Thursday evening after the drill, in the armory. The next regular dance will be held Saturday night, May 29.

M. D. Warren went to Airlie last Friday to adjust the losses sustained on account of the recent fire which destroyed several stores and residences.—McMinnville Telephone-Register.

G. N. Cherrington and R. E. Williams went to Portland yesterday afternoon to attend to some of the preliminary arrangements for the erection of their new building in that city.

News was received here recently that Mrs. Chester Ellis had died in Redlands, California, May 13, from a long illness of consumption. The remains were brought up to Sheridan today for burial. Mrs. Ellis is survived by her husband and two small children. She was about 30 years of age at the time of her death.

## CITY COUNCIL MEETS

Discussion of Proposed Street Improvement Consumes Greater Part of Session.

Street improvement plans occupied the greater portion of the council session last night, orders being made for the repairing of a number of sidewalks and the construction of several new ones, beside the general plans for the extension of the macadam district this season.

An estimate of the cost of macadamizing and curbing was filed, in which the rate for macadam was placed at \$1.25 per front foot on one half of the street, with the exception of that portion of Church street lying between Washington and Oak, and that portion of Oak street, lying between Church and Main. On these two parts the estimated cost will be \$1.60 per front foot on one half of the street. The curbing construction was estimated at a straight rate of 30 cents.

On the basis of this estimate of costs the city will proceed with the work and June 7 has been set for the date on which the council will sit to apportion the cost of the improvements among the various property owners in the new macadam districts.

In the Church street improvement, the proposition of the Southern Pacific Company will be accepted, in which the company agrees to finish the portion of the street occupied by its road, with first-class gravel, filled in from the end to the end.

In its orders for sidewalk repair and construction, the council ordered that J. E. Smith be notified to construct a cement sidewalk in front of his property lying on the east side of Main street between Oak and Mill.

It was decided by the council that, during the period in which street repair work was being carried on, a flat salary of \$75 a month for half time should be allowed the city engineer.

At the city quarry on the old Boise farm above Ellendale a fence has been ordered built, enclosing the quarry and the road out from the crusher to the main highway between Dallas and Ellen Dale.

Oscar Hayter, who has been acting as legal counsel for the city for the last eight years in preparing ordinances and resolutions, and in representing the city in all suits where he was employed under special contract, gave notice that he could no longer serve in that capacity. Mr. Hayter gave as a reason for his action that his office work and court practice had become so pressing that he had not the necessary time to devote to the city's business. The council deferred consideration of the resignation until the next regular meeting.

G. W. Pettit and family went to Portland yesterday where they will remain for a few weeks before moving to the vicinity of Roseburg. During his stay in Dallas as pastor of the Adventist church, Mr. Pettit has won many friends and his departure from this city is regretted by all.

Legal Blanks at this office.

## DALLAS WINS AGAIN

Jones' Pitching Proves Too Stiff For Visitors Who Lose by a Score of 5 to 2.

Dallas 5, J. G. Mack, of Portland, 2. The baseball game between the J. G. Mack team, of Portland, and the Dallas Grays, although clearly a victory for the local nine after the second inning, proved to be one of the best games played in the Dallas baseball park since the season opened.

The Portland nine was composed of strong and speedy players, all being good batsmen and base-runners, and was by far the best aggregation from that city which has been brought up to Dallas to play this season. O. Gardner, the pitcher, was their one weak man. The Dallas players batted him almost at will, securing six hits off of him, while he was able to strike out only one man during the entire nine innings. Had his pitching been equal to the work of the rest of his nine, it is probable that Dallas would have found a harder job out for it.

The scoring began in the second inning, when the locals took advantage of a temporary flurry in the opposing team and drove in three runs. This score was maintained until the sixth, when the lead was increased by two more points, the visitors succeeding at the same time in scoring one. The score remained thus until the ninth inning when the Dallas players allowed the Portlanders to make one more point before they "put an end to the agony" by retiring the side, with the score still substantially in their own favor.

A slight dispute between Fay, of Portland, and Glen Grant, the umpire, over a decision early in the game, bade fair for a time to result in considerable excitement, but Umpire Grant, with considerable self control, quickly quieted the recalcitrant player and from that point the game progressed smoothly.

The pitching of Bud Jones was, as in the game against Chemawa, the star feature. His arm was trained into better condition than at the previous game, when he had stepped into the box without any previous preparation, and during the entire nine innings he pitched with perfect endurance and control. Never worried by anything, he played easily throughout the game, scarcely allowing the situation to get beyond his control for an instant. Whenever it appeared likely that the opposing team would score, Jones would merely unlimber, so to speak, and fan out a few of the batters, leaving the hopeful runners to die of disappointment on the bases.

The support given him by the Dallas players was excellent, only a few errors being made, on two of which the Portlanders brought in their two scores. The elusive "split ball" which he pitched with wonderful control, proved too hard for the visitors to solve and it was with this ball that he made the greater part of his strike outs. Thirteen men on the Portland team struck out during the game, only four hits being made by them.

The lineup was as follows: Portland; Fay s, Nevel 3d, Shea c, Somerville 1st, Reed c f, F. Gardner l f, Larry 2d, O. Gardner p, Hoffman r f; Dallas, Rice r f, Toome 2d, Shorey s s, Fenton 1st, W. Barham l f, Boydston c, Hunt 3d, E. Barham c f, Jones p.

Mrs. Jessie Hale and children, formerly of Idaho, left today for their new home in Orland, California, after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ayres.

W. L. Soehren reports that he was awakened Saturday night by a man prowling about his house with the apparent intention of making an entrance. As the would-be burglar approached the window, however, he stumbled over a piece of water pipe, the noise serving to arouse Mr. Soehren and to frighten the prowler away. From the appearance of the tracks next morning it was evident that the man travelled in moccasins.

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