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They did not believe that any man, or set of men, would have the temerity to propose such a dangerous and radical scheme with any hope of its receiving favorable consideration.

Many, indeed, were inclined to treat the rumor as a joke, believing that the men reported to be behind it would eventually confess to the people that they were only testing the credulity of the Oregon voters.

Any such charitable view, however, was destined to be swept aside, for the rumor was soon followed by confirmation by Mr. U'Ren, himself, in a statement to the effect that he and his associates were very much in earnest in their plans to place such a measure before the voters at the November election.

That he is ready and anxious to carry his plans to a finish is evidenced by the recent mailing of a pamphlet containing argument in support of the amendment to every voter in the state.

The Observer wishes it might predict that this amendment would not receive a single vote in Oregon other than that of Mr. U'Ren. It would express such prediction, were it not for the fact that other amendments, equally radical and only a little less dangerous, emanating from this same source, have been written into the constitution of Oregon in the last few years.

Under existing conditions, we can only give voice to the hope that this latest measure will meet the fate it so richly deserves.

Fellow Americans, before you vote for such government, think of the Father of our Country, Think of Lexington and Concord and Bunker Hill. Think of the sufferings and privations endured by the Revolutionary sires at Valley Forge. Think of the Declaration of Independence. Think of Shiloh and Antietam and Gettysburg. Think of the martyred Lincoln and his immortal speech at Gettysburg. Think of that loved father or brother whose life blood crimsoned the sod that a "government of the people, by the people, and for the people" might not perish from the earth.

Think of these things, and then go to the polls and bury this proposed revival of foreign despotism so deep that no crank or theorist will ever again be found attempting to make such an absurdity a part of the fundamental law.

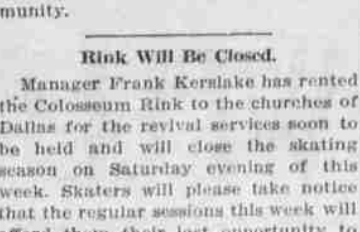
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A NIGHT ALARM.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of creep. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives. No opiates. For Sale by Conrad Staffin.

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 17th day of February, 1910, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Clyde W. Robbins, a minor, authorizing and licensing the undersigned as guardian of the person and estate of said minor to sell the 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 Wednesday, the 30th day of March, 1910, 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 the day of the 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 sixteenth interest in and to that parcel of land described as beginning at a point ten chains West from the Southeast corner of the Donation Land Claim of R. P. Boise, Notation No. 3125, which point is 2.92 chains East from the Southwest corner of Township 7 South, of Range 5 West of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence South 27 chains, thence North 15 chains, thence East 28.77 chains; and thence South 15 chains to the place of beginning, in Polk County, Oregon.

Dated this first day of March, 1910. JOHN R. ROBBINS, Guardian of the person and estate of the above named minor. Oscar Hayter, Attorney.

Administrator's Notice. Notice is hereby given to whom it may concern, that the undersigned has been by the Hon. County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, appointed administrator of the estate of Ray Sever, deceased. All persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, on or before six months from the date of this notice, failing themselves indebted to said estate are notified to call and make immediate payment of the same. Dated at Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, this 22nd day of January, 1910. R. M. GUY, Administrator of the Estate of Ray Sever, deceased. Shibley & Eakin, Attorneys.

Notice to Creditors. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed executor of the estate of Andrew Siefarth, 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 executor at her residence in Dallas, in said County, on or before six months from the date of this notice. Dated and first published January 18, 1910. POLLY G. SIEFARTH, Executrix aforesaid. Oscar Hayter, Attorney.

Summons. D. L. Keyt Plaintiff vs. Preston Lung Defendant. To Preston Lung, 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 and action, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons to-wit:—on, or before the 23d day of March, 1910, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the Plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum claimed in the complaint to-wit:—for \$250 and for his costs and disbursements herein. This summons is ordered to be served upon you by publication thereof once a week for six consecutive and successive weeks immediately prior to the 23d day of March, 1910, in the "Polk County Observer" a newspaper published weekly in Dallas, Polk County, Oregon. By order of the Hon. Ed. F. Condon, County Judge of the State of Oregon for the County of Polk, said order duly made at Chambers, and entered on the 4th day of February, 1910. The date of the first publication of this summons is the 5th day of February, 1910, and the date of the last publication of this summons is the 22d day of March, 1910. N. L. BUTLER, Attorney for Plaintiff. Dated February 4th, 1910.

Would Have Cost Him His Life. Oscar Bowman, Lebanon, Ky., writes: I have used Foley's Kidney Remedy and take great pleasure in stating it cured me permanently of kidney disease which certainly would have cost me my life." For sale by Conrad Staffin.

Dallas Trade Co.

A few of the articles carried by the Dallas Trade Company: Shovels, Axes, Forks, Handles, Granite and Tinware, Cutlery, Tablets, Pencils, Second-hand School books bought and sold, Whips, Currycombs and Brushes. We have Stoves, Ranges, Heaters, New and Second hand Stove Pipe and also the most complete stock of Second-hand Furniture in town.

Give us a call when in need of anything in our line and save money.

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Sterling Furniture Company

DALLAS, OREGON

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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 p. 50c. RATES FOR BUSINESS HOUSES--25c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt. A drop figures 15c p. 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

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Nicely blended at The Uglow Clothing House Polk County's Best Men's Store All the New Styles in Smart Spring Clothing

Will be found here Don't buy your Spring Suit until you have seen our line

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does all kinds of hauling at reasonable rates. Stand and both phones at Webster's Confectionery Store.

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I can cure Quarter Cracks and Contracted Feet, also stop Interfering and Forging. I guarantee all work first class--All I ask the public is to give me a fair trial. I also cure corn on horses feet.

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Largest stock in Polk County at prices which will mean a substantial money saving to you.

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One half of the trusses that people wear do not fit them. They cause continual annoyance. Tell us your troubles alone that line. We carry a large stock and claim to be expert at truss fitting.

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as well as yourself is liable at any time to have rheumatism. We're all liable to have cuts or burns, bruises or sores, crack in the back, neck or side--some kind of an ache or pain. Then heed this advice and tell your neighbors--Ballard's Snow Liment relieves all aches and pains, and heals all wounds. Sold by Conrad Staffin.

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DALLAS, OREGON

DALLAS STATION TIME CARD

SOUTHERN PACIFIC.		ARRIVING DALLAS	
LEAVING DALLAS.	Passenger No. 74..... 8:45 a. m.	Passenger No. 77..... 11:15 a. m.	Passenger No. 75..... 1:30 p. m.
Passenger No. 76..... 2:30 p. m.	Passenger No. 78..... 4:45 p. m.	Passenger No. 79..... 7:15 p. m.	Passenger No. 80..... 9:45 p. m.
Trains Nos. 4 and 74 connect at Sheridan Junction for North Hill, Forest Grove, Hillsboro and way points. Trains Nos. 3 and 75 connect at St. Joe for Independence, via Dallas. Nos. 1 and 77 connect at Joe for Independence, Corvallis and way points.			
SALEM, FALLS CITY & WESTERN RY.			
East Bound.	TRAIN NO. 1.	West Bound.	TRAIN NO. 2.
Lv. Dallas..... 7:45 a. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 9:45 a. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 9:45 a. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 11:15 a. m.
Ar. West Salem..... 8:25 a. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 1:30 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 1:30 p. m.	Ar. Black Rock..... 10:15 a. m.
TRAIN NO. 3.			
Lv. Black Rock..... 10:45 a. m.	Lv. Falls City..... 11:00 a. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 1:25 p. m.	Ar. Dallas..... 2:45 p. m.
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TRAIN NO. 4.			
Lv. Dallas..... 3:15 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 4:30 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 4:30 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 6:45 p. m.
Ar. West Salem..... 3:55 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 6:45 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 6:45 p. m.	Ar. Falls City..... 5:45 p. m.
TRAIN NO. 5.			
Lv. Falls City..... 6:00 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 6:30 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 1:25 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 1:25 p. m.
Ar. Dallas..... 6:30 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 1:25 p. m.	Lv. Falls City..... 2:45 p. m.	Ar. Black Rock..... 2:45 p. m.
TRAIN NO. 6.			
Lv. Dallas..... 1:25 p. m.	Lv. Falls City..... 2:45 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 4:30 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 6:45 p. m.
Lv. Dallas..... 4:45 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 6:00 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 6:00 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 8:15 p. m.
TRAIN NO. 7.			
Lv. Falls City..... 6:00 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 6:30 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 1:25 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 1:25 p. m.
Ar. Dallas..... 6:30 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 1:25 p. m.	Lv. Falls City..... 2:45 p. m.	Ar. Black Rock..... 2:45 p. m.
TRAIN NO. 8. (Sunday only.)			
Lv. Dallas..... 12:40 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 1:25 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 1:25 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 3:45 p. m.
Ar. West Salem..... 12:40 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 3:45 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 3:45 p. m.	Ar. Falls City..... 2:45 p. m.
TRAIN NO. 9. (Sunday only.)			
Lv. Falls City..... 2:15 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 2:45 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 4:30 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 6:45 p. m.
Lv. Dallas..... 2:45 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 4:30 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 4:30 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 6:45 p. m.
TRAIN NO. 10. (Sunday only.)			
Lv. Dallas..... 4:45 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 6:00 p. m.	Lv. West Salem..... 6:00 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 8:15 p. m.
Ar. West Salem..... 4:45 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 8:15 p. m.	Lv. Dallas..... 8:15 p. m.	Ar. Falls City..... 7:15 p. m.
Train No. 3 connects at Dallas with morning train from Portland for way points.			

INDEPENDENCE & MONMOUTH RY.

Division.		ARRIVING DALLAS	
LEAVING DALLAS.	Passenger No. 65..... 8:15 a. m.	Passenger No. 64..... 11:15 a. m.	Passenger No. 63..... 1:30 p. m.
Passenger No. 66..... 2:30 p. m.	Passenger No. 67..... 4:45 p. m.	Passenger No. 68..... 7:15 p. m.	Passenger No. 69..... 9:45 p. m.
ARRIVING INDEPENDENCE.			
Passenger No. 64..... 6:00 a. m.	Passenger No. 65..... 8:15 a. m.	Passenger No. 66..... 10:30 a. m.	Passenger No. 67..... 12:45 p. m.
Passenger No. 68..... 10:50 a. m.	Passenger No. 69..... 1:15 p. m.	Passenger No. 70..... 3:30 p. m.	Passenger No. 71..... 5:45 p. m.
ARRIVING MONMOUTH.			
Passenger No. 64..... 6:00 a. m.	Passenger No. 65..... 8:15 a. m.	Passenger No. 66..... 10:30 a. m.	Passenger No. 67..... 12:45 p. m.
Passenger No. 68..... 10:50 a. m.	Passenger No. 69..... 1:15 p. m.	Passenger No. 70..... 3:30 p. m.	Passenger No. 71..... 5:45 p. m.
ARRIVING AIRLIE.			
Passenger No. 62..... 8:15 a. m.	Passenger No. 61..... 10:30 a. m.	Passenger No. 60..... 12:45 p. m.	Passenger No. 59..... 3:00 p. m.
Passenger No. 72..... 4:05 p. m.	Passenger No. 73..... 6:20 p. m.	Passenger No. 74..... 8:35 p. m.	Passenger No. 75..... 10:50 p. m.
ARRIVING INDEPENDENCE.			
Passenger No. 61..... 7:00 a. m.	Passenger No. 62..... 9:15 a. m.	Passenger No. 63..... 11:30 a. m.	Passenger No. 64..... 1:45 p. m.
Passenger No. 75..... 1:25 p. m.	Passenger No. 76..... 3:40 p. m.	Passenger No. 77..... 5:55 p. m.	Passenger No. 78..... 8:10 p. m.
ARRIVING AIRLIE.			
Passenger No. 63 leaving Dallas at 1:00 p. m. connects at Monmouth for Falls and way points.			