

ARRANGE FOR PICNIC

Business Men Will Meet Tonight to Plan for Pioneer Reunion.

Mayor H. C. Eakin has called the business men of Dallas to meet in his office tonight to effect an organization and make preliminary arrangements for the annual pioneer reunion and picnic to be held in Dallas on Saturday, May 25.

The pioneer officials have made it known that they do not desire any financial aid in connection with their part of the program, and they only invite the business men of the city to arrange for the program of games and amusements.

It is hoped that there will be a large attendance at the Mayor's office tonight, when plans for the day will be thoroughly discussed. Judging from present prospects, the pioneer picnic will be the only entertainment of a public nature in Dallas this year. It is therefore important that the people of the city spare no effort to prepare a program of amusement and entertainment that will fully sustain Dallas' reputation as a picnic and celebration city.

Baseball Today.

The Dallas College and Salem High school baseball teams will meet on the campus in this city at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. The Salem High school team is one of the fastest in the state and is expected to win. The Dallas College team is also one of the best in the state, having recently defeated by the High School boys this year.

Notice.

Having added an up-to-date Candy Kitchen and hired a candy-maker who has had 18 years of experience, we are in a position to give you fresh candy that is made right every day. Give us a trial and be convinced that we are second to none.

W. R. ELLIS.

L. D. Brown, Abstractor; Notary.

Legal blanks for sale at this office.

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Over one-half of the stock carried by the Red Front Store is new.

Lak's Guaranteed Granite ware at Craven Bros.

The Colosseum Rink will be open to skaters Saturday night, May 7.

Go around to the Red Front Store and get a butcher knife for 10c.

Oscar Hayter, lawyer, Rooms 5 and 6, Uglow Building.

Remember 523 Court Street for cheap goods.

See those silk and house dresses at Dallas Mercantile Company.

Pads, halters, curry combs and brushes. Red Front Store.

Skating at the Colosseum Rink Saturday night.

Good matting for 25c. yard. This is new goods. Red Front Store.

Cheap second-hand goods in Dallas at Ulmey's.

It beats all how they can sell post cards for a penny, but this is what they do at the Red Front Store.

Ice cream at George Coad's.

Mohair wanted at Dallas Mercantile Company's.

For Sale—Two good folding beds at the Red Front. Will sell cheap.

Dr. R. E. Novel, Veterinary Surgeon, Mutual Phone 1177, Dallas, Or.

If you want to get a hoe, rake or saw for your wife, come to the Red Front Store.

People like the penny postage at the Red Front Store. Just the same as the ones you pay more money for.

The Farmer's Fire Relief Association of Butteville, Oregon; J. D. Winn, agent, Buena Vista, Oregon.

If ice cream at George Coad's.

TOM GETS SEVEN YEARS

SLAYER OF JEFFREY WACHENO CONVICTED OF MANSLAUGHTER.

Other Indian Charged With Murder Is Released; Owner of Grand Ronde Wine House Goes to Jail.

After a busy session lasting less than three days, Department No. 1 of Circuit Court for Polk County adjourned at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Three jury trials were heard during the term, default orders were entered in several cases, and a number of actions were continued.

The trial of Larny Tom, a Grand Ronde Indian, indicted by the grand jury for murder in the first degree for killing Jeffrey Wacheno, another Indian, resulted in a verdict of manslaughter. The testimony brought out by the trial was substantially the same as that appearing in the columns of the Observer the day following the killing.

It was proved that the two Indians had been drinking and quarreling at August Gross' winery near the Grand Ronde reservation, and that when Wacheno left the place, he rode away on a horse claimed by Tom. Tom at once gave chase, and upon overtaking Wacheno near the home of Frank Kieker, shot the feeding Indian from his horse.

Jury Verdicting to Hang Indian. Unwilling to hang the Indian for a crime committed while under the influence of liquor, the jury, after brief deliberation, returned a verdict of manslaughter. The defendant was brought into court Wednesday morning and given a sentence of seven years in the penitentiary.

During his confinement in the Polk County Jail, Larny Tom proved to be a model prisoner. He gave the Sheriff no worry whatever, but on the contrary was at all times good-natured and well-behaved. While the punishment administered by the court is somewhat severe, it is believed that it will have a salutary effect, not only upon the defendant, but upon other Indians on the reservation who are much given to indulgence in booze. It is the general opinion that if a parole is not granted to the erring Indian before the expiration of his sentence, his good behavior in the penitentiary will at least earn him a material reduction in the number of years he was sentenced to serve.

John Wacheno Released.

John Wacheno, another Grand Ronde Indian, charged with the murder of Stephen Kiki, was released from custody, the grand jury failing to indict him. The only witness of the row between the two Indians was Wacheno's wife, and as she could not be compelled to testify against her husband, nor the prisoner against himself, the State could only afford a dismissal.

Two Counts Against Gross.

Two indictments were returned against August Gross, the proprietor of the Grand Ronde wine house, whose resort has long been complained of by the residents of that neighborhood as an intolerable nuisance.

Gross was indicted on a charge of disturbing the peace, morals and decency of the public, and also for violating the local option law. To both of these charges, the defendant pleaded guilty.

On the first count, Judge Burnett sentenced the prisoner to serve a five months' term in the county jail. On the charge of violating the liquor law, he was given the alternative of paying a \$500 fine or of remaining in jail one hundred days. In the event that the prisoner decides to pay the fine, the county will in a measure recover a portion of the heavy expense caused by the violation of the local option law in the last two years. If, on the other hand, he shall decide to remain in jail, the taxpayers will have a three months' board bill to pay for him.

Cases Disposed Of.

Entries in the court docket since the

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. A. F. Toner is visiting friends in Portland.

Mrs. C. E. Shaw is visiting friends in Portland.

Mrs. Arthur Phelps was a visitor in Salem, Wednesday.

Harry Madison, of Salem, visited friends in Dallas, Wednesday.

Dr. A. B. Starbuck was a professional visitor in Falls City, Wednesday.

William Burns, Jr., of Lewisville, was a business visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Starr and Mrs. Frank Muscott visited friends in Salem, Wednesday.

B. F. Swope, a lawyer of Independence, was a business visitor in Dallas yesterday.

Mrs. Walter Williams went to Portland, Wednesday, for a few days visit among her friends.

Charles Gregory, City Auditor and Police Judge, was a business visitor in Falls City yesterday.

Mrs. Ray Craven returned yesterday afternoon from a visit at the home of her mother in Ballston.

County Commissioner John Teal, was in Dallas on a business errand Wednesday and yesterday.

Lloyd Rice left yesterday for Nampa, Idaho, where he will play in a band during the summer.

W. E. Gilbert, a prominent hardware merchant of Falls City, was a visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.

Judge N. L. Butler went to Portland yesterday afternoon for a few days' visit with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Applegate, of Sellwood, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Farington.

W. W. Rowell, manager of the Rickreall flouring mill, was a visitor in Dallas a few hours yesterday.

Miss Winnie Launer returned home Wednesday from Grants Pass, where she had been visiting her brothers, Lloyd and Vern.

J. H. Hollister returned home Tuesday evening from Portland, where he had been spending a few days looking after his business affairs.

C. H. Morris and A. H. Harris attended the annual meeting of the State Jewellers Association in Portland, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Edna Hall, a teacher in the Dayton High School, is at home for a few days' vacation on account of scarlet fever among the students.

G. O. Graves, the well-known traveling man and former resident of Polk County, was in Dallas on a business visit Wednesday and met many of his old-time friends during his few hours' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. VanOrsdel will leave today for a three months' visit in the eastern states. They will attend the World's Sunday School Convention to be held in Washington, D. C., and will visit all of the large cities of the United States, including Chicago, New York and Philadelphia.

Andrew Smith, one of the prosperous Indian farmers on the Grand Ronde reservation and a director of the Rogue River Valley school, was a Dallas visitor Wednesday. Mr. Smith owns a fine tract of land adjoining the Glenn Butler ranch and is experimenting in the raising of numerous varieties of fruits, grains and vegetables. He says that his experience with alfalfa convinces him that it is eventually become one of the leading crops of the Willamette Valley.

H. Hirschberg Re-Elected. The Oregon State Grange has re-elected H. Hirschberg, the well-known Independence banker, to the office of treasurer, a position he has held for many years. Before adjourning, the Grange adopted a resolution favoring a Normal School at Monmouth, with an appropriation of \$25,000 for maintenance. The organization, however, is not in favor of more than one normal school in the state.

Yamhill Couple Married. Mr. Anson B. Henry and Miss Clara C. Laughlin, both of Lafayette, were married at the home of the Reverend A. A. Winters in this city Wednesday, at noon. Only a few intimate friends of the bride and groom were present. Mr. and Mrs. Henry will continue to make their home in Yamhill County.

Sells Land in Washington. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barham left yesterday for a few days' visit at their old home in Kennewick, Washington. Mr. Barham has just sold a 640-acre ranch near Prosser, in our neighborhood, for \$14,500. This ranch was purchased from Evan Evans, of Dallas, last fall.

William Holman Buys Land. Through the Hughes and Bird Land Company, a house and small tract of land on the North bank of the La-Creole River was sold by E. C. Kirkpatrick to William Holman yesterday. Mr. Holman and family will move to their new home in a few days.

Are Live Advertisers. A special train passed through McMinnville, Sunday, bearing a blazing banner "Buy Falls City Orchard Tracts." Guess that's advertising some. It is an idea that should not be overlooked by our local concerns. McMinnville Telephone-Register.

Dance Tomorrow Night. A social dance will be given in the Woodman Hall tomorrow night under the same management that has been so successfully conducting the parties given during the last few weeks. Good music will be furnished by the Dallas orchestra.

PROGRAM OF SPORTS

Much Amusement Promised at Rickreall Artisans' Picnic.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the big Artisan picnic to be held at Rickreall, Saturday, June 11, met Wednesday night and arranged the program of sports for the day. It is evident that the committee means to see that there is "something doing" every minute of the day, for a more interesting program of athletic sports and games was never planned for a picnic in Polk County. The musical and literary program is now being prepared and will be given to the public through the county papers next week. The afternoon program, together with the list of prizes, is as follows:

Men's Race, for men over 40 years of age—\$3 hammock, by Craven Brothers.

Foot Race, free for all, 100 yards—\$2.50 cash, by Campbell Real Estate Company.

Foot Race, free for all, 50 yards—\$2.50 cash, Jacobson Land Company.

Foot Race, free for all, 100 yards—\$2.50 cash, by Barham Real Estate Company.

Foot Race, free for all, 100 yards—\$2.50 cash, by Peter Cook.

Fat Men's Race—\$2.50 box of cigars, by Horace Webster.

Foot Race, running backward, 50 yards—\$2.50 fountain pen, by C. H. Morris.

Foot Race, boys of 12 and under, 50 yards—\$1.35 pocket knife.

Ladies' Egg Race—\$2.50 bucket poultry food, by S. M. Ray & Company.

Sack Race, 50 yards—\$3 shoes, by J. C. Gaynor.

Ladies' Race, 50 yards—rocking chair by Adams' Big Store.

Ladies' Nail Driving Contest—\$3 toilet articles, by Fuller Pharmacy.

Men's Pillow Fight—\$5 silk shirt, by Uglow Clothing House.

Boys' Pillow Fight—\$2.50 fishing rod, by Guy Brothers.

Girls' Race, under 12 years—\$2.50 box of candy, by Coad's Confectionery.

Girls' Egg Race—\$2.50 brooch, by A. H. Harris.

Climbing Greased Pole—\$5 cash.

Tug of War—Salem Artisans vs. Rickreall Artisans—\$3 box of Cigars, by J. A. Lynch.

Box of War—Polk County teachers vs. winners of first match—\$5 bottles Walker's grape juice, by Walker Confectionery.

Pony Race—\$5 cash.

Base Ball—Rickreall vs. Dallas—ball and bat, by Ellis Confectionery; catcher's mit, by Lee Smith.

Two Prettiest Girls on Ground—each one-half dozen photos, by Cherington, Rex.

Baby Show, 1 to 2 years—\$5 go-cart, by Sterling Furniture Company.

Baby Show, under 1 year—\$5 merchandise, by Dallas Mercantile Company.

Polk County man with largest family on grounds—8 pounds coffee, by Buckeye Variety Store.

Other Prizes To Be Given. Simonton & Scott—\$3 parlor lamp. Bee Hive Store—lady's parasol. Stockwell's Music House—\$2.50 music roll.

Daniel & Sears—lady's \$2.50 hand bag.

A. S. Campbell—lady's \$2.50 waist. Stafin Drug Co.—\$2.75 cuff and collar box.

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Notice to Contractors. The Board of School Directors of District No. 42 are now ready to receive sealed bids for the building of a one-room school house. The plans and specifications may be seen at the