

Where in the country can be found finer camp grounds for state than those of the Oregon State Fair Affords Opportunity for Delightful Outing.

J. P. O'Brien, general manager of the Harriman line, L. Gerlinger, president of the Salem, Dallas & Falls City railroad; R. B. Miller, general freight agent of the O. R. & N., and W. H. Hurlburt, formerly with the Oregon Water Power Company, came up from Portland in Mr. O'Brien's private car Tuesday evening.

The party spent the night in Dallas, and on Wednesday made a trip over the Gerlinger road. The visiting officials also spent some time in looking over the terminal grounds and numerous sidings in this city.

This was Mr. O'Brien's first trip over the Salem, Dallas and Falls City road. He carefully inspected the entire property and paid Mr. Gerlinger the compliment of pronouncing it one of the most substantially constructed and best equipped lines he had ever seen.

The trip to Dallas combined pleasure and business and was greatly enjoyed by all of the members of the party.

U. S. Grant Sends Angoras to Sonora, Texas, and Scotts Mills, Oregon.

U. S. Grant, the well-known Angora breeder of this city, sold 42 registered does and two bucks Wednesday to C. K. Leitzel, of Scotts Mills, Oregon.

Mr. Grant shipped two bucks to J. N. Ross, of Sonora, Texas yesterday. Mr. Ross purchased two of the Grant bucks three years ago and was so well pleased with them that he orders again.

Popular Organizer Dies.

J. H. C. Montgomery, who will be remembered by many in Polk County, as an organizer for the Lincoln Annuity Union, died recently at his home in Portland. He was born in Shawneetown, Illinois, and was 51 years old. Mr. Montgomery was a courteous, pleasant gentleman who made friends wherever he went. His valuable services will be greatly missed by the order which he spent so many years in building up.

Candidates Petition for Sale.

The Observer job office has candidates petitions for sale at 10 cents each. Order now.

Legal blanks for sale at this office.

Adams Big Store Will Now Redeem All Coupons Issued Last May.

All persons holding buggy coupons issued by Adams' Big Store last May are hereby notified that each of these coupons will now be accepted for One Dollar, the same as cash, on any cash purchase amounting to \$15 or over, being your coupons with you the next time you come trading. The Big Store is crowded with Fall bargains in housefurnishings goods, implements and machinery, and your coupon is as good as the money.

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Socialists Will Nominate Ticket.

A meeting of Socialists was held at the Courthouse in Dallas, Saturday, August 20, at which time the interests of the party movement were discussed and a call made for a convention to be held at the Courthouse in Dallas on Saturday, September 24, at 1 o'clock p. m., to nominate candidates for the various county offices.

JAMES K. SEARS, Chairman.

Portland Pastor Will Preach.

The Rev. Edgar W. Miles, of Portland, will preach in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning and evening.

Best \$15 suits ever received in Dallas. New Fall patterns—Dallas Mercantile Co.

Forest Fire Threatens Black Rock Logging Camp West of Falls City.

The unprecedented heavy wind which swept Western Oregon, Wednesday, helped to fan the flames of the forest fires and to make life a burden for the residents of the Willamette Valley. A pall of stifling smoke hangs over the valley, smothering the eyes and making one wish for a breath of pure air. There is talk of petitioning Colonel Hofer to cease his hunt for votes for the Governorship long enough to pray for rain.

The fire in the mountains at the terminus of the Salem, Dallas and Falls City railroad, continues to burn, but little damage has been done so far. The high wind of Wednesday fanned the flames, and for a few hours the town of Black Rock was threatened. A small house belonging to Mrs. Lucy Darling, in the outskirts of town, was destroyed, as well as a few shacks occupied by Japanese railroad hands.

In the rear of the sawmill are the office, oil room and paint shop, all thoroughly equipped for handling the business of the firm in the most modern way.

William P. Holman and M. M. Dungan, the owners of the new store, have few equals in Oregon as painters and decorative artists. Examples of their skill as decorators are to be seen in the finest homes of Polk County and in many of the leading business houses and offices of Dallas. They are wide-awake, progressive business men, and it is certain that their new store will prove popular and successful.

JUST AS GOOD AS THE MONEY

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MADE IN DALLAS

List of Live Firms that are making DALLAS one of the leading Manufacturing Towns of the Northwest.

PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRIES AND BUILD THEM UP.

Insist on Your Dealer Giving You these Goods!

Willamette Valley Lumber Co.

LARGEST INDUSTRY AND LARGEST PAY ROLL IN POLK COUNTY.

Modern Store Fronts

Are a specialty at COAD'S PLANING MILL. MODERN PLANT-SKILLED WORKMEN—UP-TO-DATE IDEAS. Shop Work of All Kinds at Reasonable Prices.

DALLAS GARAGE

ABSOLUTELY FIRE-PROOF. Best equipped Garage in the State. Constructed of Concrete. Through-out. Automobiles stored at reasonable rates. Expert machinists in charge of Repair Department.

D. F. HARRIS, Proprietor.

DALLAS BAKERY

C. C. MULKEY, Proprietor. Do not send your money away to Portland for bread. Buy good Dallas bread and keep the money at home. It will help us and help you.

Bell Phone 51. Mutual Phone 326.

"WHITE CLOVER" CARTON BUTTER

Manufactured by T. S. TOWNSEND CREAMERY CO. Creameries at Portland, Astoria, Salem, Gardiner, Dallas, Nahcotta, Lyons, Seattle.

Legal blanks for sale at this office.

COY BROTHERS

CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS. Plans and Estimates Furnished.

W. J. COY, Phone Mutual 1194. G. H. COY, Phone 1285.

"OREGON'S BEST" DALLAS FLOURING MILL

Manufactured Solely by. Guaranteed to be the best soft wheat flour in the Willamette Valley. Sold by all Grocers in Dallas.

Otho Williams

Merchant Tailor. All the New Spring Styles and Patterns. Solicits your orders for Careful and Conscientious Workmanship.

VICK BROTHERS

C. C. MULKEY, Proprietor. We are prepared to fill your orders promptly for all common lumber both rough and sized, also shiplap and rustic at very reasonable rates. We will be glad to figure with anyone needing lumber. Mill located on the John Farley farm 4 miles Southwest of Dallas. Phone 25 Oak.

COSY CORNER CANDIES

Try our fine Home-made Candies and our delicious Ice Cream.

GEORGE R. COAD

West Side Marble Works

G. L. HAWKINS, Proprietor. MONUMENTS, HEADSTONES AND CURBING. A Complete Line of All Latest Designs.

F. J. WAGNER

MECHANICAL EXPERT. Tires Set while You Wait. Agency for International Harvester Company's Auto. Buick—Best Auto for farm and country purposes. Have just added a complete line of Farm Implements and Machinery.

GLEN O. GRANT

Contractor and Builder. Estimates Furnished on All Classes of Buildings. Store and Interior Work a Specialty.

Dallas Iron Works

Machinists—Foundrymen—Pattern-Makers. SAWMILL WORK A SPECIALTY. We are prepared to do any kind of Iron and Brass work. Lumber trucks and Stock work on hand. We make the best and cheapest Stump Puller on the market. Prices reasonable.

One of Dallas' Finest Products.

Observer Printing

"THE LINO TYPE WAY." All Printing Done Just a Little Better Than Seems Necessary.

Stock Reducing Sale

Gigantic reduction on all Summer Goods

This is a sweeping sale and every department has been drawn upon and furnishes its share of this Harvest Bargains. Summer Goods must go regardless of former prices to make room for new Fall Goods.

SHIRT SPECIALS

Men's fancy Negligee Shirts in gees, surah and silk at the following reductions:

10 values at	\$1.45
50 " "	1.75
100 " "	1.90
50 " "	2.45

SUIT SPECIALS

MEN'S ALL WOOL SUITS, this season's make, all the new greys light shades, no reserve, everything must go.

Suits at	\$13.85
Suits at	16.85

BOYS' SUIT SPECIAL

Boys' Wash Suits at	95c
Boys' \$5, 6 and 6.50 Suits at	\$3.85
Boys' \$7, 7.50 and 8 Suits at	5.00

Best stock of Boys' Clothing in valley. All sizes and colors. Ever-garment guaranteed for wear.

Boys' Oxfords in gun metal, tans and Douglas make, \$3.50 and \$4 values at

Annual Sale of Wash Goods

Amaskeag Gingham, our regular 12c value at 10c

Scotch Zephyr Gingham, regular 25c grade at 15c

Yarn-dyed organdies and fancy weaves in summer dress fabrics 35 cent values at 19c

PONGEE SILKS

Beautiful material in figured and diagonal effects sold regularly at 50c

35 cents

50c VOILE

36-inch material in grey, cream and black, 36 in. wide 35 cents

TAN SHOES

Ladies, misses and childrens tan shoes at wholesale prices. We will show you the best shoe values in town—and the best shoes.

Ladies, misses and childrens tan shoes, W. \$2.85

HOP PICKERS WANTED

For the Molson Hop Farm 125 acres good hops. Pick by box. Fine camp ground good water. Register names with G. W. CARROLL, Rickreall, Oregon.

PRUNE TREES

Bargain Offer at 10c. For one month we are offering first class yearling prune trees, quality guaranteed at 10 cents. Fine thrifty home grown stock. You who will set, now is the time to save good money and secure trees equal to best—send in your orders at once before prices are discontinued, taking advantage to your own benefit for this offer is for a limited time only.

CARLTON NURSERY CO. Carlton, Oregon.

Barnum & Bailey's Circus

Salem, Oregon. Saturday, August 27. For the above occasion the Salem, Falls City & Western Ry. Co. will sell tickets to West Salem, from stations named:

From	Adults	Children
Falls City	\$1.25	\$.75
Dallas	.75	.40

Regular Train Service and the following SPECIAL TRAINS

Train No. 6, due to leave West Salem at 4:35 p. m., will be held until 5 p. m., arriving Dallas 5:35 p. m., Falls City 5 p. m.

Leave Falls City 6:10 p. m.; leave Dallas 6:40 p. m.; arrive West Salem 7:10 p. m. Returning leave West Salem 11:30 p. m.

Tickets will be good for continuous passage in each direction and limited for return to date of sale, Saturday, August 27, 1910.

Children of half-fare age at rate shown herein.

S. F. C. & W. Ry. Co. L. GERLINGER, JR., Manager.

Child Severely Injured.

Alma Roman, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ose Roman, stepped on a pitchfork in the hay mow of her father's barn Tuesday and was painfully injured. One of the tines of the fork pierced her foot, and it will be several days before she will be able to walk.

Fine Feathers Make Fine Ladies as Everyone Knows

SEPTEMBER 1

will see the opening of the

Chic Millinery Parlor

When the women of Dallas will have an opportunity to see the well-chosen stock of trimmed and un-trimmed hats.

Hats of all kinds from the inexpensive knock-about to the Imported Pattern Hat.

Trimming in good style and at reasonable prices. Fancy Feathers, Fancy Velvets and Silks, Fall Gloves. Everything has been chosen to please the ladies.

Mrs. Lee Smith DALLAS, OREGON

A FEW HEN HOUSE HINTS

To raise fine birds you must provide comfortable quarters. Profitable egg getting presumes this—success in the poultry business requires it.

PAROID the Permanent Ready Roofing

Is especially prepared to meet the poultrymen's needs. It is a heavy felt (not paper), No tar in it—proof against climatic changes. Easily applied by any one, with free roofing kit inside each roll does not require painting when first applied and long life. The only roofing with rust-proof caps. You can save money and keep your poultry dry and warm by using PAROID. Send for call-to-day for our book of Farm and Poultry Building Plans. It is free.

CRAVEN BROS., Dallas, Oregon

DALLAS' POPULAR GROCERY

We carry the famous DIAMOND "W" brand of Extracts, Spices, Coffee, Tea and Canned goods. Fresh bread daily. The very best of fruits and vegetables can always be found at our store.

Simonton & Scott Dallas, Oregon

Capital Business College

Prepares young people for bookkeepers, stenographers, correspondents and general office work. The development of the Northwest will afford openings for thousands in the next few years. Prepare now. Send for catalogue.

W. I. STALEY, Principal. Salem, Oregon.