

# Polk County Observer

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The way to build up Dallas is to put routes Dallas people.

The Portland Journal warns the Oregon legislature against abuse of the emergency clause. The advice is good, but it comes from a poor source. We do not recall that the Journal was heard sounding a similar warning two years ago when Governor Chamberlain and the legislature were juggling circuit and supreme court judgeships for political purposes. Nor is it likely that the Journal will be found urging serious objection if the next legislature shall decide to attach the emergency clause to the proposed bill to provide two more Supreme Judges and an additional Circuit Judge for Multnomah County. With the appointing power resting in a Democratic Governor, and the emergency clause limited to measures pertaining to the public peace, health and safety, it will be an easy matter for the Journal to convince itself that the "health" of the people of Oregon demands quick action in creating the additional judgeships.

It would be better to build five miles of good streets in Salem during 1911 than to construct ten miles of makeshift. Makeshift mean double assessments. Once for the makeshift and once for the standard street that must be built later, and ought to have been built in the first place.—Salem Statesman.

Dallas is beginning to learn this costly lesson, and it will not be long until the dirty and unsightly macadam will begin to give way to clean, hard-paved streets in the business district. No town ever really begins to grow until it has built a few blocks of hard-paved streets, and Dallas will grow. What a pity, though, that property owners were compelled to spend so much good money for a poor makeshift. Twice the cost of macadam would have paid for smooth-surface pavement, and there the expense would have ended. But we will get the pavement yet, and the council will give us ten years in which to pay for it. Such an arrangement will work a hardship on no property owner in the business district.

According to the new census, Oregon has 672,765 people, an increase of 62 per cent in 10 years. Our neighbor state, Washington, has 1,141,999 inhabitants, an increase of 120 per cent since 1900. If Oregon would devote more of its time and talents to securing immigration, and less to devising freak laws and revolutionary constitutional amendments, it might stand a better show of keeping pace with its "live wire" neighbors.

A writer in The Public, in an appreciation of W. S. U'Ren, says the Oregon lawyer has a way of "slipping around quietly and doing things which afterwards the people believe they did themselves." This writer should have said, "and causing the people to do things which afterwards they are ready to swear they didn't do."

Charles E. Hicks has resigned his position as editor of the Independence Enterprise, says the Hood River Glacier. "Resigned his position" is good.

### REPROVED, NOT LABELED.

Under the heading, "Eastern Oregon Labeled," Editor Frank Davey takes the Observer to task for charging Eastern Oregon with the defeat of two Eastern Oregon candidates for Governor. In the face of the election returns from the sagebrush counties, Editor Davey's argument counts for naught. Eastern Oregon defeated Furnish and it defeated Bowerman, and its delegates worked night and day to secure the nomination of both. The editor of the Observer attended the convention that nominated Furnish. He was also present when Bowerman was endorsed by the assembly. He knows what took place there. Editor Davey was not present and knows nothing of what was done, except from hearsay. Had he been present we do not believe he would now be saying that Bowerman's nomination was forced on Eastern Oregon. But let us read his editorial:

(Burns News, December 7, 1910.) "The following is an editorial which appeared in a recent issue of the Polk County Observer, and while we are particularly inclined to let past election matters go without much discussion, there is a lot of stuff in this article that should not be allowed to go unchallenged. Editor Hayter says:

"The defeat of Bowerman again demonstrates that an Eastern Oregon man cannot be elected Governor or remarks the Woodburn Independent. The Independent is correct, and the cause is not hard to find. Delegates from the sagebrush counties are always loud and insistent in their demand for a candidate from Eastern Oregon, and, by united effort, they are usually able to nominate their man. Right then, their enthusiasm seems to die. They will demand the nomination of a candidate from East of the mountains, and then turn around and vote against him. Eastern Oregon's demand for Furnish's nomination, and defeated him in the election. Eastern Oregon forced the nomination of Bowerman, and while the Western Oregon counties piled up majorities reaching into the thousands for West, the counties East of the mountains either voted against their candidate or cast a few paltry handfuls of votes in his favor. Such half-hearted support does not elect candidates to office. Eastern Oregon will have to learn this lesson. If it would hope to gain recognition from the remainder of the state in future.

"The News disputes the very first assertion, taken from the Woodburn Independent and endorsed by the Observer, and the next assertion is the baldest kind of an untruth and injustice to Eastern Oregon when applied to the nomination of Jay Bowerman. There was no demand for it in eastern

Oregon. There was no demand in eastern Oregon for the scheme by which he was made the official candidate of the party. That scheme was engineered by the politicians of Portland, Salem, Eugene and Dallas, the latter the home of the Observer and Mr. Bowerman was simply the natural sequence of the scheme, because he was the candidate most in sympathy with it and most representative of its manipulation. Some eastern Oregon counties were whipped into line by the political forces above named in the name of loyalty to an eastern Oregon man, and even then there were some eastern Oregon counties in the assembly whose votes were not cast for him.

"When it came to the primaries, it was plain that Mr. Bowerman was not the choice of eastern Oregon and that either one of the other three candidates running could have beaten him for the nomination, notwithstanding they were all residents of western Oregon.

"Mr. Furnish in 1902 was similarly forced on eastern Oregon, not through any spontaneous desire for him east of the mountains but by circumstances created in Multnomah and Clatsop counties.

"Eastern Oregon will loyally support a candidate of its own, but is not likely to be very enthusiastic for one who is selected by special interests that are foreign to its sentiments and sympathies."

### THE LUMBERJACK.

There has been a good deal said in jest regarding the lumberjack, and some very thrilling romances from near-life have been written concerning him, to create a balance on some journalists' butcher bills. The fact is that very little that is true has been said or written about the man who manages the business end of the canthook. It is also a fact that the lumberjack doesn't care a continental, says the Inland Herald.

Yet, while he does not demand any defense, the northwest owes so much directly and indirectly to the man who exaggerates the college styles in clothes and lowers the haughty pride of the monarch of the forest, that he is more than entitled to a word of protest.

There may be a melancholy droop about the knees of the lumberman's trousers; he may say, "I seen," he may eat beans with his knife and pie with his fingers, but he is a whole lot more essential to the upbuilding of a great new empire than the dyspeptic cadaver with a black cord on his glasses, who writes by-line articles at a penny a word.

There is a lot of lumberjack stock in the populace of the northwest, and the country has reason to be proud of it. It is by such means that wildernesses are conquered, and the foundations laid for bigger achievements. The northwest doesn't need the aesthetic influence of any more mollycoddles, but if there is any off-set section of the country that has tired of the man who wears long spikes in his boots, and tucks his pants inside his socks, the Inland Empire announces that it has adopted the open door policy.

### EDITOR DECLINES HONOR.

The editor of the Graphic acknowledges the receipt of a letter from Washington, D. C., apprising him of the fact that he has been nominated as a member of the Navy League of the United States, but since the duties of the office would no doubt be arduous, and besides, the fortifications along the Chatham seem to be ample for protection against the invasion of all foes from without, and the battleships on the Yamhill and Willamette are in good working order, we beg to be excused.—Newberg Graphic.

### SOME DON'TS.

(Contributed to the Observer.) Don't expect your horse to draw a load that you yourself would not care to lift in like proportions. Don't blame your wife for being out late when you are guilty of the same offense. Don't forget to take home that which you borrow. Don't forget that a pound of bread is worth a ton of sympathy. Don't forget that when you are sad and feel that all the world is against you, there are others that would gladly exchange places with you if it were possible so to do.

Don't forget that the only way to save money is to spend less than your income. Don't forget that a kind word spoken at the right moment will never be forgotten by the person to whom it is spoken. Don't forget that your neighbor has the same right to his opinion as you have to your's. Don't forget that a ray of sunshine oftentimes projects through the darkest cloud. Don't borrow trouble, but rather dispose of what you now have in store.

### Try an Observer "Want Ad."

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### BUSINESS LOCALS.

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**For Sale.** House and lot on Washington St., 2 blocks from Court house, 20 x 100 lot. Both complete. All modern improvements. A snap if taken at once. \$1350. Inquire Brown & Sibley. 12-12-10.

**Notice.** Persons indebted to the estate of the late Dr. T. V. B. Embree are requested to call and settle their accounts with Mrs. Annie Embree. 12-2-10.

**Outs for Sale.** Good grade of grey or winter outs for sale. W. C. Lewis, Hickoria. 12-9-21.

**Wanted.** Wanted, 20 or 30 good, fresh dairy cows. H. A. Campbell, Sheridan, Oregon. 12-6-10.

**For Sale.** Farm bargain: 24 acres choice fruit land, 1/2 miles from town. Has six acres oak timber and a spring. L. L. Lough, 510 Shelton street, Dallas, Oregon. 12-6-21.

**For Sale.** Oak and Cedar posts. Soehren Warehouse Company. 11-18-10.

**Typewriter for Sale.** For sale, \$100 Oliver typewriter, in good condition. Used less than a year. Will sell for \$50. Inquire at this office. 12-2-10.

**Lost.** A medium-sized dog, of bull terrier type. Color, yellow, and hair short. Liberal reward for information leading to his recovery. J. B. Embree, Airline, Oregon. Phone 2 on Camp. 11-25-10.

**For Sale.** General merchandise store; invoices about \$5500. Would take some real estate or trade. Address Box 142, Independence, Oregon. 11-25-10.

**A Bargain for Cash.** Two \$500 lots for \$350 each, on Main street. Payment, sidewalk, nice fruit trees. The best buy in town. See S. B. Taylor, 901 Jefferson street, Dallas. 11-22-10.

**House and Lot Wanted.** I have a client who wishes to purchase a house and lot in Dallas, Call at my law office or phone 1092. L. D. Brown.

**Jerseys for Sale.** Two Grade Jerseys for sale; one large, mature cow, testing 5.8, and one 2-year-old, testing 5.4. Both will be fresh in February. Two miles Southwest of Perrydale. G. G. Rempel, Dallas, R. 1, Box 55. Phone Pink 152.

**Employment Wanted.** Man and family want work on farm, or will take charge of farm. Man understands caring for stock and general farm work. A. R. Stout, Dallas, Oregon. 11-18-10.

**Board and Lodging.** Board and lodging house two blocks north of Courthouse on Jefferson St. Mrs. C. Freeman, 267 Jefferson St. 11-22-10.

**House for Sale.** Good, new 2-room house on Shelton street, for sale, woodshed and out-buildings; city water. Apply at this office.

**Wood for Sale.** For sale, 16-inch, dry Oak wood. O. DeHaven, two miles Southeast of Dallas. 10-25-10.

**New Photographer.** Portraits, views, postcards, copying and enlarging. Eaton the Photographer, Burns Building, Dallas, Oregon. 10-11-10.

**For Rent.** For rent, the Francis Wrightson place of 240 acres, in Pelee precinct. Oscar Hayter, Agent, Dallas, Oregon. 9-23-10.

**Wanted.** All kinds of iron, rubber, brass, copper, zinc and hides. Highest cash prices paid. A. N. Hallock, Monmouth, Oregon. 3-12-10.

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**Executor's Notice.** Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Executor of the estate of Robert Howe, deceased, has filed her final account in said estate with the Hon. County Court of Polk County, Oregon, and that said Court has set the same for hearing on Saturday, December 11, 1910, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at which time all persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear, discuss, and make objections, if any they have, why an order should be made closing said estate and discharging the executor therefrom. REBEKAH HOWE, Executor of the estate of Robert Howe, deceased. Sibley & Eakin, Attorneys.

**Notice of Final Settlement.** Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of William Groom, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, and that the 24th day of December, 1910, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the Court room of said County Court in the City of Dallas, Oregon, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections to the said final account and the settlement thereof. U. S. GRANT, Administrator of the estate of William Groom, deceased. Oscar Hayter, Attorney. Dated and first published November 25, 1910.

**Summons.** In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, Department No. 2. H. R. Sloan, Plaintiff, vs. Holley Groom, Lockey Groom and Lee Groom, Defendants. To Holley Groom, Lockey Groom and Lee Groom, the above named Defendants: 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 on the date set within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit, on or before the 21st day of December, 1910; and if you fail so to answer, or fail to appear for a decree as prayed for in said complaint, to-wit:

1. That the defendants herein may be required to set forth the nature of their claims in and to that certain parcel of land described as Lot No. 2 of Section No. 12 in Township 5 South, of Range 5 West of the Willamette Meridian in Polk County, State of Oregon, containing 32.75 acres more or less,—and that all adverse claims of the defendants may be determined by a decree of said Court.

2. That by said decree it be declared and adjudged that the said defendants and each of them have no estate nor interest whatever in or to said parcel of land and that the title of plaintiff thereto is good and valid; and

3. That the said defendants and each of them be forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claims whatever in or to said land adverse to plaintiff and that plaintiff may have such other relief as may seem meet with equity.

This summons by an order of the Honorable Ed F. Coad, County Judge of Polk County, Oregon, made at Chambers in Dallas, Oregon, on the 7th day of November, 1910, is served upon you by the publication thereof for a period of six consecutive weeks immediately prior to the 21st day of December, 1910, in "The Polk County Observer," a newspaper of general circulation printed weekly at Dallas in said County. The first publication of this summons is November 3, 1910.

OSCAR HAYTER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

### Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, Department No. 2. John Hostetter, Plaintiff, vs. Riley Rhodes, Leander Rhodes, Joseph Rhodes, George Rhodes, Joseph Rhodes, Adeline Rhodes, Arvilla Rhodes, Perry Chamberlain, John Chamberlain, Jack Chamberlain, Charles Chamberlain, Lottie Chamberlain, Ella Chamberlain, Kate Chamberlain, Edward Pyburn, Charles Pyburn, Richard Pyburn, Josephine Pyburn, Ora Pyburn, Wm. J. Pyburn, Zachariah Pyburn, Zimhard Rhodes, Laura Pyburn, George Pyburn, Adeline J. Pyburn, Vesta Fletcher, Caroline Saver Fuqua, John T. James, Joseph James, Julie J. Boone, Mary J. Harper, Carrie J. Allen, John E. James, Leonora James, Greenbury Saver and Marshall Saver, Defendants. To Riley Rhodes, Leander Rhodes, Joseph Rhodes, George Rhodes, Arvilla Rhodes, Perry Chamberlain, John Chamberlain, Jack Chamberlain, Charles Chamberlain, Lottie Chamberlain, Ella Chamberlain, Kate Chamberlain, Edward Pyburn, Charles Pyburn, Richard Pyburn, Josephine Pyburn, Ora Pyburn, Wm. J. Pyburn, Zachariah Pyburn, Zimhard Rhodes, Laura Pyburn, George Pyburn, Adeline J. Pyburn, Vesta Fletcher, Caroline Saver Fuqua, John T. James, Joseph James, Julie J. Boone, Mary J. Harper, Carrie J. Allen, John E. James, Leonora James, Greenbury Saver and Marshall Saver the above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby notified and required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause and court on or before six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons upon you, and if you fail so to appear and answer the plaintiff will take a decree against you and each of you as prayed for in his complaint herein to-wit; that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described real premises, to-wit: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the D. L. C. of Aron Pyburn and wife, Not. No. 1732, Claim No. 67 in Township 10 South of Range 4 West of the Willamette Meridian, in Polk County, Oregon, thence running South 41.00 chains to division line between the north and south half of said D. L. C. thence North 19.84 chains thence West 57.30 chains, thence North 1 degree 09 minutes West 21.14 chains to north line of said D. L. C. thence West along said north line 19.37 chains to place of beginning, and containing 196 acres more or less, and that you and each of you be forever barred and enjoined from claiming any right, title or interest either in law or in equity in or to said real premises or any part thereof, and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem just. This summons is published for a period of six weeks in the Polk County Observer, by order of Hon. Ed F. Coad, Judge of the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, made at Chambers in Dallas, in said County on the 8th day of December 1910, and the date of first publication will be the 9th day of December, 1910, and the date of the last publication will be on the 26th day of January 1911.

SIBLEY & EAKIN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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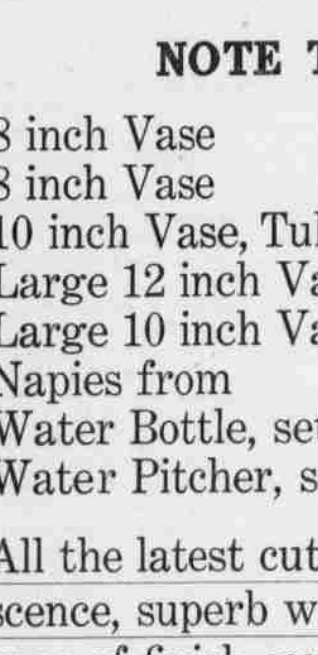
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