

COURT HOUSE NOTES

Court Items, Real Estate Transfers, And Other News Briefly Told.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
Norman E. Tufford and Edna M. Butler; Frank Williams and Jennie Caldwell Joseph N. Cosselman and Amelia E. McInturf.

PROBATE.
Estate of Mary E. Knowler, deceased—report of sale of personal property approved.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.
Ordered that the District Attorney be authorized to compromise with C. E. Hicks for overcharge on printing bill.

Bid of Ira Mehrling for one-fourth mile of J. C. Kramer road accepted.

REAL ESTATE.
William Ellis et ux to Lulu Trimble, land in T. 8 S., R. 6 W., 1165.

Marlin St. Pierre et ux to Charles R. Schwartz, land in West Side Park, \$850.

James R. Shepard et ux to Kate Coyle et al., 106 acres, T. 6 S., R. 3 and 4 W., \$13,780.

Marcus A. Embree et ux to H. G. Campbell, land in Dallas, \$10.

Charles Meyer et ux to J. R. Meyer, lot in Falls City, \$150.

Ethel P. Jones et ux to Lena Brown, one-third interest lot in Independence, \$133.33.

Carrie M. Harman et ux to Edna L. Brown, 74.91 acres, T. 9 S., R. 5 W., \$1.

Carrie M. Harman to Ethel P. Jones, 45.24 acres, T. 9 S., R. 5 W., \$1.

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Mary E. Stansberry to Letitia E. Purvine, 2 blocks in Independence, \$1.

J. W. Leek et ux to A. L. and M. S. Tiedeman, 43 acres, T. 8 S., R. 6 W., \$1600.

Martha A. Holman and hd. to James Best, land in T. 8 S., R. 5 W., \$600.

Jason Neely et ux to Sarah A. Collins, lots in Independence, \$200.

George Boyer et ux to John Zylstra, 15 acres, T. 4 S., R. 5 W., \$1275.

Jacob Nightengale to G. P. Schmitt, 25.24 acres, T. 7 S., R. 5 W., \$1125.

FOUR HOLIDAY WEDDINGS

Three Former Dallas Residents Are Among Contracting Parties.

The beautiful wedding service of the Methodist Church was read Wednesday, December 28, 1910, by the Reverend George F. Hopkins, when Mr. Frank Williams, of Portland, and Mrs. Jennie Caldwell, of Dallas, were made husband and wife. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Morrison in the presence of a few intimate friends. Immediately after the service, a beautiful wedding repast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Williams left for their home in Portland on the afternoon train. The best wishes of a host of friends follow them.

Froelich-Belt.

Mr. Harry Froelich, a former flour mill man of Bellingham, Wash., recently and will make their home in this city. Mrs. Belt is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Black, of this city, and has been living in California the greater part of the time since the death of her husband in Dallas a few years ago.

Gibson-Adams.

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Mode-Lewis.

Mr. Roscoe B. Mode and Miss Ethel Lewis were married at the Hotel Gail in this city in the presence of a few relatives and friends, Wednesday, December 28, 1910. The Rev. Leon Myers, pastor of the Christian Church, was the officiating clergyman. The happy couple took the evening train for Independence, where they expect to reside.

RETURNS AFTER MANY YEARS

Former Resident of Polk County Revisits Old Haunts.

Paul Valerius, a prominent real estate man of Bellingham, Wash., arrived in Dallas Wednesday, after an absence of nearly a quarter of a century, and spent the day looking about the city and comparing its progress since he first saw it. The growth and improvements have been such that he had difficulty in locating the familiar landmarks of earlier days. Mr. Valerius first saw Dallas in 1844, when he began work on the old Coolidge place near Rickreall. Later he was in the employ of Col. J. W. Nesmith.

Mr. Valerius has disposed of his interests in Bellingham and this summer expects to make an extended European trip. Upon his return to this country he will probably re-enter the real estate business in the Willamette Valley. Upon Mr. Valerius' next trip to this city he will be accompanied by his wife, who will visit her cousin, Mrs. J. B. Thompson, of the Gail Hotel.

STRONG TEAM IS COMING

Famous Spartan Basketball Players Will Meet Dallas Tomorrow Night.

Manager Claud L. Shaw, of the Dallas College basketball team, has booked one of the strongest teams in the state for a game in this city tomorrow (Saturday) night. The visiting team will be the famous "Spartans," the first team of the Portland Y. M. C. A.

The Spartans are not new at the same and have among their number several men who are well known on Oregon basketball floors.

Since the victory over Philomath, the collegians have been working consistently and they expect to show the Spartans a highly interesting time when the opening whistle puts the ball in play tomorrow night.

Go and see the fun. Things will be moving when these teams mix. Seats at Fuller Pharmacy.

Will Banquet Judge Burnett.

The Marion County Bar Association will tender Judge Burnett, who retires the first of the year from the circuit court bench, to accept a place on the Hotel Marion Friday evening. It was also decided by the association to pass resolutions commending Judge Burnett's work and career on the bench, and a committee was appointed to prepare them. Committees were also appointed to prepare a program for the banquet to be given in honor of the Judge.—Salem Journal.

Oscar Hayter, lawyer, Rooms 1 and 4, Uglow Building.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Leon Myers is visiting relatives in Eugene.

Mrs. T. J. Butler spent Christmas in Forest Grove.

W. V. Fuller was a business visitor in Portland yesterday.

C. L. Cridler was a business visitor in Falls City, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schoel are visiting relatives in Washington.

Misses Alice and Freda Grant are visiting relatives in Portland.

Miss Leola Lewis, of Lewisville, is the guest of friends in Dallas.

Doctor and Mrs. L. Pfandhofer, of Falls City, were visitors in Dallas yesterday.

D. H. Simpson, the well-known merchant of Arlie, was a county seat visitor yesterday.

Hood Craven left for his Salmon River claim Wednesday after a visit in Dallas and Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Starr, of Falls City, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Starr yesterday.

Harry Bradford, of Kearney, Nebraska, is spending the holidays with his sister, Mrs. J. H. Weeks.

The Reverend and Mrs. Wayne Phelps, of Mapleton, are visiting at the home of the Reverend Guy Phelps.

Claude M. Lewis, stock buyer for the Dallas Meat Company, was down from Monmouth on a business visit yesterday.

Miss Loretta Dally, teacher of the Oakdale school, and Miss Lulu Miller spent Christmas with friends in Portland.

W. H. Brown and family, of Willamina, are visiting Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brown, in North Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Howe have returned to their home in Portland after spending Christmas at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Howe.

Mrs. Lizzie Mills, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. P. Shriver, for several months, has returned to her home in Seattle. Mrs. Shriver accompanied her as far as Portland.

Miss Paroline Doughty, of Monmouth, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Grant. Mrs. Grant is recovering from her long illness and was able to spend Christmas with relatives in Monmouth.

E. Carlson, who has been employed in Hugh Black's grocery, will resign the first of the year to take charge of his hop yards. His place in the store will be taken by E. T. Foster of this city.

WIPES OUT INDEBTEDNESS

Polk County Poultry Association Gains Many New Members.

After many years of strenuous effort, the affairs of the Polk County Poultry Association are at last on a safe and substantial financial basis, and the officers and members will no longer be embarrassed by a deficit.

The purchase of necessary show pens and other fixtures, purchased for the first show, caused the association a heavy indebtedness at the outset and at the close of the show last year the officers found themselves facing a deficit of \$75. Through the liberal donations of Dallas merchants and the untimely large entry fees this year, it was found possible to pay all expenses and wipe out \$50 of the old debt.

At the annual business meeting Saturday, it was voted to levy an assessment on members to cover the remaining indebtedness and to begin the new year with a clean slate.

A. G. Rempel was rewarded for his good work in behalf of the association by being re-elected to the office of president. E. N. Keeny was elected vice-president, and D. G. Rempel was again chosen to fill the office of secretary. The members of the new executive committee are B. I. Ferguson, C. S. Graves and T. D. Phillips.

Poultry breeders were elected to membership in the association at Saturday's meeting as follows: Mrs. Winifred Braden, G. O. Harshman, Henry Voth, S. D. Steffy, Clarence Dornhecker, A. S. Wilson, Merle Meyer, J. W. Meyer, J. S. Macomber and E. N. Keeny.

The next annual show will be held in Dallas, December 12-15, 1911, at which time it is proposed to hold the largest exhibition of blooded poultry ever seen in the Willamette Valley.

WILL ATTRACT MANY BUYERS

Bee Hive Store's Twelfth Annual Sale Will Begin Tuesday.

Handsome two-color posters are off the press announcing the twelfth annual clearance sale of the Bee Hive Store. The sale will commence Tuesday morning, January 3, and will continue 30 days.

The Bee Hive has always "made good" on its clearance sales, and for this reason heavy buying by the people of Polk County is assured for the next month. This store has not made a bad thing of holding so-called sales in season and out of season, but has confined its efforts to the annual January clearance sales. The building occupied by this store has always been inadequate to the demands of the large stock carried, and for this reason an annual clearance has proved an absolute necessity.

The heavy price reductions advertised for this sale will apply to practically every line of goods in the store. Even many lines on which contracts with the manufacturers have heretofore forbidden any reduction in price will be included in this sale, special arrangements permitting the reductions having been made.

The entire force of clerks in the Bee Hive is now busy arranging the stock and marking down the prices so that the large crowds which are sure to attend may be handled comfortably and expeditiously.

Union Church Services.

Union services of the churches of Dallas will be held next week in observance of the Week of Prayer. All services will be held in the Presbyterian church, beginning at 7:30 o'clock each evening. Leaders have been appointed as follows:

Monday.....Rev. D. M. Metzger
Tuesday.....Rev. G. F. Hopkins
Wednesday.....Rev. H. L. Pratt
Thursday.....Rev. Leon Myers
Friday.....Rev. Edgar W. Miles

It is hoped a large attendance will be given each of the services.

WOULD DIVIDE DISTRICT

Taxpayers of Eastern Polk Hold Rousing Good Roads Meeting.

The people of Road District No. 5, lying along the Willamette River in the east end of the county, will ask the County Court to divide the district, on the substantial ground that it is now too large to be properly attended to by one supervisor.

What was probably the best attended road meeting ever held in the history of that district took place at Mountain View schoolhouse last Saturday. The seating capacity of the building was scarcely sufficient to accommodate all present.

It had been announced that the matter of voting a special tax for road improvements would be considered, but as it appeared the law had not been carefully complied with and its action as to a tax would therefore be invalid, the meeting turned to a general discussion as to the best methods on which to proceed for the future.

It was thought that where districts saw fit to vote a special tax in addition to the regular tax, it should be guaranteed that the money should all be spent with as perfect equity as possible on the roads adjoining the property from which the money was collected.

It was brought out in the discussion that the increasing population and travel had long since rendered the work too great for one supervisor in this district, and that in order to reduce this responsibility and secure better results the district should be divided. Division would also insure, beyond doubt, that money collected in a given locality would be used for improvements in that same locality.

It was therefore proposed to send a committee to the County Court to ask that the district be divided and to assist the court in determining how the division would best be made. To this end the chair was asked to name a committee of men who were thoroughly familiar with the roads and the requirements of the district.

Mr. T. W. Brunk, officiated with credit as chairman, and later announced the committee as follows: C. A. Park, L. D. Gibson, H. B. Brophy, A. R. Southwick and G. W. Chapman.

The meeting was thoroughly representative and the action taken expressed so nearly the unanimous sentiment of all that there was but one dissenting vote.

EVANGELISTS ARE COMING

D. E. Olson and Company Will Hold Revival Meetings in Dallas.

The members of the Christian Church of this city voted Sunday to secure the services of the D. E. Olson Evangelistic Company for a series of meetings in Dallas. The dates of these meetings will be announced later.

This noted evangelist and his company of helpers stir the souls of men with great sermons and music, and the people of Dallas may look forward to a grand meeting. Evangelist Olson has turned thousands of men to the Lord.

The Christian Church had three additional last Sunday. Next Sunday will be Men's Day. You come.

Bible school, 10 a. m.; sermon, "Inspiration," 11 a. m. This sermon is second in the series, and the questions, "Are the books of the Bible inspired?" will be answered. Senior C. E. 6:30 p. m.; sermon, "Behold the Man!" at 7:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

LEON MYERS, Minister.

WHOLESALE PRICES ON HAIR GOODS.

Madama Smith and Davidson will be in the city for a few days with a complete line of hair goods, including puffs, switches, curls and chignons, at Mrs. Lee Smith's millinery store. Wholesale prices.

YOU MAY HAVE APPENDICITIS AND NOT KNOW IT.

If you have wind or gas in the stomach, sour stomach or constipation, you very likely have chronic Appendicitis, which may any minute become acute.

A SINGLE DOSE of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adler-I-ka, the new German Appendicitis remedy, will relieve you—try it, you will be surprised at the QUICK action. Conrad Stafrin, druggist, Dallas.

COLUMBIA RECORDS

No one thing will give so much pleasure, to so many people, for so long a time, at so little cost, as a

Columbia Graphophone

And if you will come in and see this "BKT" outfit you'll believe it. A new aluminum tone-arm cylinder machine with flower horn and 6 records, costing \$37.10. Plays both 2-minute and 4-minute records. Other outfits from \$20 up—and you can buy them all on easy terms.

FIDLER'S CASH STORE

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OUR 12TH ANNUAL JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Begins Tuesday, January 3d, 1911

Our Gigantic Sale carries an important message to the people of Dallas and vicinity. You will find a clearance sale price on every article in the store. The best stock of merchandise in Polk County will be offered in the next 30 days at prices that will undoubtedly create a sensation. We are prepared for the great event---and are quoting prices on standard and reliable goods only. The Purchasing Power of Your Dollar, During This Sale, Will be Great, if You Trade at This Store.

Record Breaking Prices on Furnishing Goods	
Men's Collars, all linen, 15c grade, sale	10c
Men's Work Shirts, regular 50c quality, now	35c
Men's Dress Shirts, Monarch make, \$1.00 and \$1.25 grade, sale	75c
Men's All Wool Army Shirts, tan only, \$1.75 grade, sale	\$1.19
Men's Fancy Soft Shirts, \$1.25 grade, sale	95c
Men's Black Sateen Shirts, 75c grade, sale	48c

Men's Women's and Children's Shoes	
Our Entire Stock has been Arranged on the Firing Line to Effect Speedy Removal	
Lot No. 1. 300 pairs of Children's Shoes, values up to \$2.00. Sale.....	95c
Lot No. 2. 150 pairs of Boys' and Youths' Oxfords, \$2.75 values, at, per pair.....	\$1.69
Lot No. 3. 85 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords. Regular \$2.00 values. Sale	\$1.50
125 pairs Queen Quality Oxfords, regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 kind sale	\$2.45
175 pairs of Men's Shoes and Oxfords; W. L. Douglas' \$3.50 and \$4.00 make, full assortment of sizes. Sale	\$2.50
Sale prices on all High Cut Loggers', Cruisers' and other heavy shoes, during this sale.	

Clearance Sale Prices on Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps	
Boys' Caps, 50c value, at	35c
Boys' Hats, \$1.25 value	95c
Men's \$2.00 Hats. Sale	\$1.50
Our Famous "Gordon" Hat during this sale at	\$2.50

TREMENDOUS SACRIFICE

Boys' and Men's Clothing

Lot No. 1. Boys' Knee Pants Suits in sizes from 8 to 15 years. Regulars \$5.00 to \$6.50 value, at.....	\$3.45
Lot No. 2. Boys' Knickerbocker Suits. All sizes. \$6.50 to \$8.00 suits, at	\$4.95
Young Men's Suits, ages 12 to 18, long pants, worth up to \$15.00, at	4.95, 7.85, and \$9.50
Men's Hand Tailored Suits at greatly reduced prices.	
All our \$20.00 Suits, all wool. Sale	\$15.00
All our \$25.00 Suits, all wool. Sale	\$18.50
All our \$30.00 Suits, all wool. Sale	\$23.50
EXTRA SPECIAL on Men's Suits in lower grades at	9.50, 10 and \$12.50
Men's Corduroy Pants, warranted not to rip. Full line of sizes. Sale, per pair	\$2.15
Men's Peg-top Corduroy Pants; all our \$3.50 and \$4.00 grade, per pair	\$2.85
Blue and white stripe Overalls per pair	50c
Boys' Knee Pants, values to \$1.00, for	25c
Odd line of Boys' Long Pants	50c

Hosiery and Underwear at Mill Prices	
Men's Fast Black Half Hose, 15c grade, sale.....	10c
Misses' Fine Ribbed Hose, all sizes, 15c grade sale.....	10c
Ladies' Hose, pure Lisle finish, 25c value, sale	15c
Men's Wool Ribbed Underwear, pink and blue, \$1.00 value, sale	69c
Men's Cotton Ribbed Underwear, all 50c kind, sale.....	37 1/2c
Dr. Wright Health Underwear, \$1.00 grade, sale	75c

CLEARANCE SALE PRICES ON

Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Notions, Draperies, Lace Curtains, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Linen Scarfs

Ladies' Embr. Handkerchiefs, 25c value. Sale	15c
Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 10c grade	5c
Men's Fine Cambric Handkerchiefs, 10c value	5c
Men's Extra Fine Flexette Handkerchiefs. Sale.....	10c
Ladies' Neckwear, 75c grade. Sale	48c
White Lace Curtains, \$1.25 quality, per pair	93c
White Lace Curtains, \$1.75 quality, per pair	\$1.29
White Lace Curtains, \$2.00 quality, per pair	\$1.45
Fancy Curtain Material. Sale, per yard	12 1/2c
Fancy Silkline, 27-in. wide, per yard	8c
58-in. full bleached Table Damask, per yard	39c
64-in. Sateen Damask, 75c grade	58c
70-in. all-linen Damask, \$1.00 grade	78c
Fancy patterns in Table Damask, red, blue and buff, 60c grade, per yard	45c
Safety Pins, two papers for	5c
Darning Cotton, three balls for	5c
Good Pins, two papers for	5c
Extra quality Pearl Buttons, at per paper	5c

UNRIVALED BARGAINS

In Silks, Wool Dress Goods, Muslin, Sheeting and Cotton Materials