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DALLAS, OREGON, JAN. 2, 1911.

The way to build up Dallas is to patronize Dallas people.



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DALLAS CITY TAX. Dallas has levied a 10-mill tax for city purposes and expects with the aid of an additional \$2400 gained from liquor licenses...

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Only four or five years ago, the city tax levy was \$100,000. Now it is 10 mills on a valuation of over \$1,000,000.

Here's hoping that 1911 will bring us all wells in Polk County and paved streets in Dallas.

Creditable New Year numbers were printed by the Salem Statesman, Pacific Homestead, Portland Journal and Medford Mail-Tribune.

The Masonic lodges of Salem will join in building a six-story business block when a city begins putting up six-story buildings, its future is assured.

Commenting upon the damage done to orchards in Polk County by jack-rabbits, the Oregonian hazards the opinion that the destructive work may be that of a band of Belgian hares.

Falls City's population is 1892, according to the report of the Census Bureau, a gain of 22 per cent in ten years.

A city gravel team came around yesterday afternoon and, without so much as saying "by your leave," dumped a load of rock in the street in front of the Observer office.

Portland to Los Angeles and Return With corresponding low fares from all other sections of the Northwest.

WM McMURRAY General Passenger Agent Portland, Ore.

BUSINESS LOCALS. Advertisements under this head are charged at the rate of 1 cent per word, first insertion, 1/2 cent per word for each insertion thereafter.

House Wanted. Wanted to rent, a seven or eight-room house in North part of town.

For Sale. Four fine S. C. White Leghorn chickens. Phone Green 25, or address Mrs. Anna Brock, Dallas.

FALLS CITY VOTES BONDS

Advocates of Municipal Ownership Are Victorious at the Polls.

FALLS CITY, Or., Jan. 2.—By the decisive vote of 148 to 21, the people of Falls City today authorized the issuance of bonds to the amount of \$25,000 for the construction of a municipal water system.

Bonds for this purpose were voted last Fall, but found no buyer, investors being unwilling to advance money at 5 per cent interest.

Surveys and estimates for the proposed plant are all completed and it is the intention of the council to begin the construction work as soon as the new bonds are sold.

An effort is being made on the part of H. G. Campbell and a number of residents and property owners in the neighborhood of the Dallas and the Old Fellows' cemeteries to secure city water service.

Wanted. 20 to 30 good, fresh dairy cows. R. A. Campbell, Sheridan, Oregon.

For Sale. Fresh grade Jersey milk cow; gives 5 gallons daily; tests 5.20. Also, good laying strains Rhode Island Red chickens for sale.

For Sale. House and lot on Washington St., 2 blocks from Court house. 50 x 100 lot. Bath complete. All modern improvements.

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

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

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Board and Room.

Board and room with private family. Inquire at Observer office.

Found. In Dallas, a gold stick pin. Owner will claim property and pay for this notice. J. M. Farley. 12-24-10

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ATTENTION

With our mills at Falls City and yards at Salem, West Salem and Falls City, we are prepared to furnish

EVERYTHING in the building line. We will gladly furnish estimates for all material delivered to any place in the county.

We make and handle Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Moulding, Sash and Doors, Frames, Posts, Cement, Plaster, Hardware, Wood, Coal, and Ruberoid and Resisto Roofing.

Call or Address FALLS CITY LUMBER CO.

Falls City Salem West Salem

line 19.37 chains to place of beginning, and containing 195 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.

SWEENEY BROS. are now prepared to deliver Hay, Grain and all kinds of Mill Feed to any part of the city.

WATCH FOR THE VALUABLE COUPONS IN SWEENEY'S BEST

COLUMBIA Indestructible Cylinder Records Two-Minute 35c

Here is a sale no book-lover can afford to miss! All the late Fiction, Non-Fiction, Poetical and Historical Books--everything in our store except school books will go in this sale at

40 per cent Discount That means a big saving to you. It means that you can afford to make your book purchases for the entire year while this great sale is on.

Come in and Look CONRAD STAFRIN DRUGGIST

SHERIDAN MEAT MARKET Dealer in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats. I also make a specialty of marketing all kinds of Live Stock, including Dairy Cows, Sheep, Goats and Hogs.

What is The Definition of Reliability? It means that when you can buy good, reliable home grown apples at reasonable prices, that you are saving time and money; it means that you are assured of a better orchard--as your soil conditions are the same, thus not retarding the growth from the start.

LAFAYETTE NURSERY COMPANY Lafayette, Ore.

California

In the place to visit Orange groves, bloom, tropical flowers, famous hotels, historic old Missions, attractive watering places, delightful climate, making that favored section the Nation's most popular resort. You can see it at its best via the

Shasta Route

"The Road of a Thousand Wonders"

Southern Pacific Company

Up-to-date trains, first-class in every respect, unexcelled dining-car service, quick time and direct connections to all points south.

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