## NCREASE IN RECEIPTS COURT

POSTOFFICE ENTITLED RANK SECOND CLASS.

Done in 1910 Exceeds the lume of Previous Year By 18 Per Cent.

al receipts of the Dallas gardian filed. for the year just closed the aggregate of \$8106.44, ded those of the previous he sum of \$1230.33, which 18 per cent. This additional sufficient to raise the grade 160 acres, t 9 s, r 6 w, \$10. e from the third class to hire and add materially \$4000. vileges and facilities accrodadvantage to the patrons. as shown by the reports

re as follows:	1909	1910
Test quarter	\$1566.22	\$1917.26
econd quarter	1660.91	1938.80
hird quarter		1760.70
ourth quarter		2489.63
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office were unusually heavy, s, r 5 w, \$12,000. ssitated hard work and long the part of the office force. lots in Klose Illihe, \$1. ion to the usual amount of papers and packages that land in Monmouth, \$10. lled, the duties of the clerks of postcards that passed stamps amounted to 24,480. ho. \$55,000,000. were used almost wholly on , it gives an idea of the vast lots in Falls City, \$250. of these cards that were re-One business house in Dallas Crest Orchard, \$1011.

the same period of 1910 by land in Monmouth, \$25. in the office, the work was \$600. by the regular force, consist-B. F. Wells and Miss Ruby No. 1, \$10.

# SESSION OF COURT

In Seven Cases.

William Galloway adjourned ourt in Dallas yesterday after having ade orders in the following cases: mas Crowley vs. Nellie Grant, crtition; Kelly & Curl for plaintiff; ar Hayter for defendant. Decree ntiff; neither party to recover

John H. Putnam vs. Elias D. Rav. it to quiet title; G. G. Bingham and ar Hayter for plaintiff; E. M. Endefendant. Decree for neither party to recover

plaintiff; L. D. Brown and like for defendant. Demurrer ded answer overruled. Frank Quenel et al. vs. Walter nd J. M. Stow, suit in equity; Jones for plaintiff; Oscar

one Powell vs. C. C. Hansan for Powell vs. C. C. Hansen, fore-

O. Sims for plaintiff. L. D. Brown pinted examiner of title. May Jordan vs. John Jordan, di-Default and decree.

nday, January 8, the fourth quarced of the Church of Christ." It is in their voyage through life. that all the members be preswill sing a solo. The usual meeting will be held in the Saturday evening, beginning o'clock. All the official memexpected to be present. HAMLIN L. PRATT, Pastor.

This evening at Dallas College gym the initial High School bascame will be played between pendence High School team Dallas High School team. The of the Dallas team are: Hawkins, manager; Ray evening, January 7.

Services for Sunday, January 8: Bible class, 10 a. m.

11 a. m.; subject, "The Immediate Needs." Christian Endeavor, 3:30

n Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. 7:30; subject, "Jonah's

election of officers and rollmbers. Come.

LEON MYERS, Minister.

W. T. Stolz, of Salem, purchased s Connery farm near Perryweek. The tract contains and is rated as one of the is in Polk County. The conwas not made public, but it that the transfer involved a unt of money. The sale was rough the Edwin Jacobson ate agency.

H. Oregon National Guard, Albany, Wednesday morning. the Fifth Annual Conventhe National Guard Amocia-Thile there they were guests dedicatory ceremonies of Al-

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

PROBATE. Estate of A. W. Stansberry, deceas-

and approved. Guardianship of Joseph Tharp, in- visited friends in Dallas this week.

REAL ESTATE. Jason Neely et ux to Sanford Snyder, t 8 s, r 4 w, \$450. Stella Brown and hus to Elmer E. extremely gratifying in- Enes, land in t 6 s, r 5 w, \$1450. H. Hirschberg to D. H. Simpson

Fred J. Holman et ux to Spaulding second, and will allow for Logging Co., 160 acres, t 8 s, r 7 w,

Martha A. Holman and hus to Mary se, so that altogether it will Jones, land in t 8 s, r 5 w, \$375. August Hautt et ux to H. F. Schoenes for each quarter for the feld, 65 acres, t 6 s, r 6 w, \$4875. Trustees M. E. Highland Church to

> E. C. Yarnell et ux to M. E. Townsend, 5 acres in Independence, \$300. F. W. Waters et ux to Thomas H. Fennell, lot in West Salem, \$50.

> J. D. Fuller et ux to Eugene Bogert, 5 acres, t 8 s, r 5 w, \$1350. Thomas F. Notson to Felix and

istmas receipts of mail mat- Lovina A. Comegys, 151.86 acres, t 6 visit. F. J. Coad, trustee, to I. N. Woods,

F. R. Barnes et ux to Thomas Small, Cranston E. Higgins et ux to A. M. rgely added to by the great Patrick, 1 1/2 acres, t 7 s, r 4 w, \$60.

Oregon Railroad and Navigation of Mrs. Gaynor's daughter, Mrs. F. J. office on their way to Company to Oregon-Washington Rail- Chapman, who submitted to an operholiday greeting. During the road and Navigation Company, rall- ation at the Salem Hospital a few days of December the number of roads in Oregon, Washington and Ida- ago.

Title and Trust Company to Balm in Dallas, Wednesday. Mr. Beckett nd distributed in the Dallas Mann Hodgson; 20.22 acres Eagle

Pearl Nunemaker and hus to B. d 7000 postcards during the In 1909 the sales of one- Wilson; lots in Independence, and of office. He reports prosperous conups reached the number of 4.02 acres in Marion County, \$10. W. O. Meador et ux to D. D. Coats, being less than the number

Buena Vista Hop Company to Wil-

E. W. Strong et ux to James H. Postmastter Coad and his Morrison, lot in Strong Fruit Tract, James Connery to W. T. Stoltz et al.

296.25 acres t 7 s, r 5 w, \$10. John Hanson to Elnora A. Sickafoose, lots ni Monmouth, \$2500. W. C. Slattery et ux to Harrison

24, 126 acres, Polk, Yamhill, Tilla- las visitor Wednesday. He says new mook and Lincoln Counties, \$10. John Vernon et ux to John Young, 12 acres, t 7 s, r 4 w. \$1000.

S. E. Riggs and hus to J. W. Myer, 3 acres, t 7 s, r 5 w, \$120. F. W. Waters et ux to W. H. Grabenhorst, lot in West Salem, \$10. W. F. Simon et ux to W. N. Simon et al., 51.23 acres, t 7, r 4 w, \$1. Campbell, land in t 8 s. r 5 w. \$10.

Margaret J. Bryant to Sarah E. Sarah E. Fisk to Margaret J. Bryant, 160 acres, t 10 s, r 7\*w, \$100.

# A. Kersey vs. John G. Brown, QUIET WEDDING IN BALLSTON

Miss Edna Butler Becomes the Wife of Norman E. Tufford.

wedding occurred at the home of Mr. yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, after and Mrs. J. H. Butler, in Ballston, F. A. Turner for plaintiff; when their daughter, Edna was united ns for defendant. Testimony in marriage to Mr. Norman E. Tufford and case taken under advise- of Portland. The Reverend H. W. H. F. Schoenfeld vs. All Whom It Episcopal church, of Sheridan, officiat- to Oregon. He resided in the Willamncern, registration of title; ed, the ring ceremony being used. The ette Valley almost continuously the room in which the marriage took place was tastefully decorated with evergreen and Christmas bells. Immediately after the ceremony, the bridal of Dallas, and W. W. Rowell, of Rickparty repaired to the dining room,

where a bountiful dinner was served. The bride is the oldest daughter of Coad and Mrs. V. P. Fiske, of this January 8, the fourth quar-nunion service will be held spent most of he. He. Butler, and has union service will be held spent most of her life in Ballston, morning sermon. Doctor where she will be missed by a large Poling, the Presiding Elder, will number of friends. The groom is a 1 o'clock. nt to preach and conduct the well-known Portland man, having liv-The subject of the morning ed in that city many years, where he will be "The Principles of is employed as a lumber inspector by the West Side Lumber Company. dect will be, "The Greatest Their many friends wish them success

The young couple left Ballston or at both these services. All others the afternoon train for Portland, e cordially invited, and will be wel- where they will make their future In the morning a special duet home. A host of friends gathered at ung by the Misses Scott and the depot to extend to them congrattu-In the evening Miss Laura lations and shower them with rice, as they boarded the train.

The only guests present at the cere mony were Miss Olta Mayfield, Miss was finished yesterday. A levy of 1.6 Rhoda Conner, and Mrs. T. J. Butler mills has been made to cover taxes for and her two sons, Ray and Emmett.

### DALLAS HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE a decrease of 6.5 mills, notwithstand-

Local Negative Team Will Meet Mon mouth Team Here,

School debating teams are actively encenter; Laird Woods, for- League debates which are to take portionment a few years ago. captain, forward; Wayne gaged in preparing arguments for the ank Campbell, guard; Mel- place in this city and Independence, guard. A game has been Friday, January 27, and encylopedias YOUNG DALLAS COUPLE WED between the team and the and other ponderous works are in h High School, at Monmouth, demand. The subject which has been Miss Eva May Kelly and Mr. George chosen for the oratorical battle is "Resolved, That the single tax should be adopted."

The Dallas negative team will meet the Monmouth High School team here home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bingham, in the assembly hall of the new High on Jefferson street in this city, Satur- in full bloom, tropical flowers, famous School building, and a large number day, December 21, when their son, Mr. of people is expected to be in atten- George E. Bingham, was united in negative team are Miss Anna Garner, the presence of immediate relatives.

The affirmative team, which will go the Methodist Episcopal Church. from Dalias to meet the Independence The young couple will make their High School team at Independence on this same date, is composed or Miss Pearl Phillips, Miss Carolyn Ghorke

and Miss Ruth Campbell.

Services next Sunday at the Presyterian Church in this city: Sunday School, 10 a. m.

sermon, "The Nearness of God." Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m.; topic sermon, "Abraham's Adventure." Midweek prayer meeting, Thursday

vening at 7:30. A feature of the Sunday evening service will be special music by a men's You are very cordially invited to

EDGAR W. MILES, Pastor.

New Photograph Records. agent, Buena Vista, Oregon. Stockwell's Music House,

## PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kirkpatrick are isiting in Portland.

B. I. Ferguson, of Eola, was a busiiess visitor in Dallas Wednesday.

Hon, N. F. Gregg, of Ballston, was ed-inventory and appraisement filed a county seat visitor Wednesday. Emerson Groves, of Independence,

ane—petition for appointment of Frank Pepper was up from Portland on a business visit the first of the week.

Mis Margaret Putnam, of Salem, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. A. McCann.

Mrs. Ollie McCarter returned ho Tuesday evening from a visit with friends in Salem.

Hon, D. L. Keyt and W. H. McKee, of Perrydale, were business visitors at the courthouse yesterday.

Charles McDevitt is recovering from a severe attack of quinsy and is able to be on the streets again. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parry, of Port-

by Postmaster C. G. Coad, J. R. Chapman, 11/2 acres, t 7 s, r 3 land, were in Dallas the first of the week, the guests of V. F. Compton. D. T. Hodges, a prominent hop

raiser of the Rickreall district, was a business visitor in Dallas Wednesday. Judge and Mrs. Dan P. Stouffer and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Quick, of Ballston, went to Portland yesterday for a

B. C., accompanied by her nephew, little Pat Cowan, is visiting at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. F. R. Rich.

Mrs. J. C. Gaynor and Mrs. Walter Williams are at Salem at the bedside

M. C. Munson et ux to I. H. Wiles, Polk County, now a substantial farmer of eastern Polk, was a business visitor enjoys the distinction of being one Oregon farmer who went back to his farm after the expiration of his term ditions and steady development in his

section of the county. Judge Warren Truitt, a pioneer law histanding the extra rush of liam G. Shafer, 4 acres t 9 s, r 3 w, yer of Dallas, but now practicing his Dallas a few hours Wednesday afternoon. Judge Truitt had been in Salem a few days on a business visit and came over to Dallas to greet old-time friends. He met many former acquaintances and greatly enjoyed his

brief stay in the city. Van B. Sears, a pioneer resident B. Riley and William C. Niblack, lots the Ballston neighborhood, was a Dalsettlers are coming into northern Polk County every day, and land is changing hands at prices that would have seemed extravagantly high a few years ago. The demand for fruit land is especially strong and many orchard tracts are being sold. From information gained during recent trips to the Middle West., Mr. Sears believes Ellen Mahoney and hus to H. G. the rush of homeseekers to Western Oregon will be greater this year than ever before.

### OLD RESIDENT IS DEAD

Curtis G. Rowell Passes in Dallas Aged 78 Years.

Curtis G, Rowell, one of Polk county's oldest and most highly respected citizens, died at the home of his son-in-law. Postmaster C. G. Coad an illness of several months, aged 78

Mr. Rowell crossed the plains with his family in 1861 to Walla Walla, Kuhlman, pastor of the Methodist Wash., and in the following year came remainder of his life. He is survived by three sons: Thomas Rowell, of reall, and by three daughters, Mrs. A. V. R. Snyder, of Salem; Mrs. C. G.

> The funeral will be held from the Coad home tomorrow afternoon at

The Observer will print a more extended and appropriate sketch of the life of this worthy citizen in its Tues-

### OREGON'S STATE TAX LEVY

Amount to Be Paid by Polk County ls \$26,667.74.

The final apportionment of Oregon's state taxes for the various counties general state purposes, as against a levy of 2.2 mills for last year. This is ing the fact that a levy of 1-25th of a mill was made for the Normal Schoo at Monmouth this year. The total tax to be raised is \$1,385,615.

Polk County's portion will amount to \$26,667.74, a reduction of nearly The members of the Dallas High \$20,000 from the amount wrung from

E. Bingham United.

The members of the local marriage to Miss Evn May Kelly, in mate, making that favored section the Miss Roberta Ballard and Harold The ceremony was performed by Rev- can see it at its best via the erend George F. Hopkins, pastor of

Tenchers Needed in Polk.

A shortage of school teachers in Polk County is enusing County Super- Southern Pacific Company intendent Seymour some worrying just Up-to-date trains, first-class in every

qualified for such positions. College Work to Resume.

will be resumed in all departments With corresponding low fares from all Monday morning. January 9, after a other sections of the Northwest, Libtwo-weeks' holiday vacation.

Webster's confectionery. Oscar Hayter, lawyer. Rooms 5 and a N. Agent, or from 6, Uglow Building. The Farmer's Fire Relief Amociation of Butteville, Oregon; J. D. Winn,

General Passenger Agent Portland, Ore.

# **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, sale10c
Men's Work Shirts, regular 50c quality, now35c
Men's Dress Shirts, Monarch make, \$1.00 and \$1.25 grade, sale
Men's All Wool Army Shirts, tan only, \$1.75 grade, sale
Men's Fancy Soft Shirts, \$1.25 grade, sale

## Men's Women's and Children's Shoes

Our Entire Stock has been Arranged on the Firing Line to Effect Speedy Removal

	to Effect Speedy Removal
	. 1. 300 pairs of Children's Shoes, values up to 00. Sale
Lot No \$2.	. 2. 150 pairs of Boys' and Youths' Oxfords, 75 values, at, per pair
	3. 85 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords. Regular \$2.00 ues. Sale
	rs Queen Quailty Oxfords, regular \$3.50 and 00 kind sale
175 pair \$3.5	rs of Men's Shoes and Oxfords; W. L. Douglas' 50 and \$4.00 make, full assortment of sizes. Sale <b>\$2.50</b>
	ices on all High Cut Loggers', Cruisers' and er heavy shoes, during this sale.
Clearan	nce Sale Prices on Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps
Boys' C	aps, 50c value, at
	Iats, \$1.25 value
Men's \$	2.00 Hats. Sale\$1.50
Our Fai	mous "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.	15
Lot No. 2. Boys' Knickerbocker Suits. All sizes. \$6.50 to \$8.00 suits, at\$4.5	95
Young Men's Suits, ages 12 to 18, long pants, worth up to \$15.00, at4.95, 7.85, and \$9.5	50
Men's Hand Tailored Suits at greatly reduced prices.	
All our \$20.00 Suits, all wool. Sale\$15.0	00
All our \$25.00 Suits, all wool. Sale\$18.6	
All our \$30.00 Suits, all wool. Sale\$23.	
EXTRA SPECIAL on Men's Suits in lower grades at 9.50, 10 and \$12.5	
Men's Corduroy Pants, warranted not to rip. Full line of sizes. Sale, per pair\$2.1	
Men's Peg-top Corduroy Pants; all our \$3.50 and \$4.00 grade, per pair\$2.5	
Blue and white stripe Overalls per pair	
Boys' Knee Pants, values to \$1.00, for	

## Hosiery and Underwear at Mill Prices Men's Fast Black Half Hose, 15c grade, sale......10c

Misses' Fine Ribbed Hose, all sizes, 15c grade sale10c
Ladies' Hose, pure Lisle finish, 25c value, sale15c
Men's Wool Ribbed Underwear, pink and blue, \$1.00 value, sale
Men's Cotton Ribbed Underwear, all 50c kind, sale37%c
Dr. Wright Health Underwear, \$1.00 grade, sale75c

# CLEARANCE SALE PRICES

Carried Diagram	014
Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Notions, Draperies Curtains, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Linen S	
Ladies' Embr. Handkerchiefs, 25c value. Sale  Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 10c grade  Men's Fine Cambric Handkerchiefs, 10c value  Men's Extra Fine Flexette Handkerchiefs. Sale  Ladies' Neckwear, 75c grade. Sale	5c 5c
White Lace Curtains, \$1.25 quality, per pair	.93c 81.29 81.45
58-in. full bleached Table Damask, per yard 64-in. Sateen Damask, 75c grade 70-in. all-linen Damask, \$1.00 grade Fancy patterns in Table Damask, red, blue and buff, 60c grade, per yard Safety Pins, two papers for Darning Cotton, three balls for Good Pins. two papers for	.39c .58c .78c .45c 5c
Extra quality Pearl Buttons, at per paper	

## UNRIVALED BARGAINS In Silks, Wool Dress Goods, Muslin, Sheeting and Cotton Materials

All our 19-in Taffeta Silks in solid colors. Sale59c
27-in. "Kobe" Silk, our regular 35c grade, sale25c
A very pretty line of Tissue Silks, in figured effects, worth from 40c to 50c. Sale
Fancy Dress Goods, Suitings, Mohair and Worsted
effects, sold regularly at 50c. Clearance sale29c Great variety of Patterns and material, all fancy Dress
Goods, sold regularly at \$1.00. Sale69c
All our Fancy Weaves in Dress Goods, sold regularly
at \$1.25. Sale
36-in. Bleached Muslin, sale, yard
36-in. Fine Bleached Cambric, sale, per yard10c
36-in. Best Lonsdale Cambric, sale, per yard121/20
Outing Flannel, mill lengths, per yard6c
Kimona Flannels, 18c grade, sale, per yard 121/20
81x90 Bed Sheets, seamless, each
Amoskeag Gingham, 12½c grade, per yard9c
Lawns and Dimities, 15c and 18c grades, sale9c

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