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NEWS OF POLK COUNTY

ITEMS CONTRIBUTED BY RUSTLING LOCAL CORRESPONDENTS.

Happenings of Interest in Various Neighborhoods Told in Interesting Manner.

INDEPENDENCE

W. J. Baker, of Airlie, was in this city Monday.

John and Joseph Jones, of Suver, were here Monday.

Edith Wolverton, of Monmouth, visited in the city Saturday.

Three auto loads from Silverton passed through here Saturday.

J. L. Hanna and R. W. Addison made a business trip to Portland Friday.

Cleve Robinson, of Lebanon, spent a few days at his home here this week.

Charles Powell and son, from Montgomery, were in Independence Saturday.

L. H. Doolittle, of Lebanon, spent the Fourth at the home of H. E. Browne.

The Misses Oviatt, of Corvallis, visited over Sunday here and attended the wedding of their brother.

Dole Pomeroy, who has been working on a surveying job near Rainier, was home to spend the Fourth.

Benton Bowers, of Ashland, was here on business Saturday and remained over Sunday at the home of Mr. Addison.

Fayne Simpson, Sam Gross, Harry Williams and Richard Grant, of Airlie, passed through on their way to Salem, Sunday.

Work on the Odd Fellows' building is progressing rapidly, and when finished will add greatly to the appearance of C street.

Many newcomers make their appearance on the streets daily, and are made to feel they have found the land so long looked for.

Will Woods went to Portland on Monday to deliver an auto which, it is understood, was given by Mrs. Jasperson in exchange for city property.

A number from here went to Cascadia on Monday to spend the Fourth. Among them were C. G. Long, Mr. Hirschberg and Aug. Sperling.

The advertising matter which is being prepared for the booster campaign is nearly completed, and Independence will be heard of in the future.

Mrs. F. P. Sumpter died at her residence near the high school, Thursday night. The funeral was held Saturday. She was 89 years of age, and left three children.

W. E. Williams, of Airlie, who took the prize on his team of roadsters at the race meet, sold the team for $450 to a party in Corvallis, it is reported.

The Commercial Club meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month, and extends a cordial invitation to members of outside organizations to attend its meetings, held in the city hall.

D. L. Hedges will add to the appearance of the city by giving his residence a new coat of paint. Mr. Riggs has the contract and will begin operations this week. He will also build a new barn on his ranch, the contract having been given to Finch & Wood.

A very pretty wedding occurred in this city Sunday morning, when Pearl Knox, adopted daughter of R. H. Knox, was given in marriage to Wells Oviatt, of Corvallis. The contracting parties are both favorably known here, and their many friends wish them a long and happy life. The Reverend Clarke, of the Christian Church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a few immediate friends. Mr. and Mrs. Oviatt left on the Sunday morning train for San Francisco, to visit some of his people, and it is said they expect to reside there.

MONMOUTH

J. J. Russell, of Parker, was in town Monday.

Everybody is busy cutting and taking care of the immense crop of hay.

The Muscott & Portwood drygoods department is now running in full blast.

Mrs. S. Lanktree, of Lebanon, is renewing old acquaintances in Monmouth.

Doctor Mathis says he will probably have to go to work, as there is no sickness in town.

R. Ring, of Portland, was the guest of his half brother, Chris Cummins, the first of the week.

Contractor Mollicop is putting the finishing touches on President Ackerman's fine dwelling house.

All the business houses in Monmouth closed the afternoon of the Fourth, and owners and clerks took a rest.

Professor Wells, County School Superintendent of Umatilla County, was the guest of President Ackerman, Sunday.

Mrs. M. Sacre has moved her furniture from Portland and will run a lodging house for the students and the general public.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Meadow and family are visiting Mr. Meadow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Coats, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton and son, of Salem, came over in their automobile Sunday and visited their parents, President and Mrs. Ackerman.

Quite a number of people went from here to the celebration at Falls City; but there were many home celebrations in Monmouth and all had a good time.

H. S. Chase returned Friday from a visit to Wisconsin. He says he had a good time, but is glad to get back to the Willamette Valley, where he can enjoy the cool breeze.

President Ackerman informs us that the prospect for a large attendance at the Normal School is good. He is having the building repaired according to the order of the Board of Regents.

The Evangelical people gave special patriotic services Sunday night which consisted of special music and a sermon. The attendance was large and the church was nicely decorated with flowers and flags.

W. Beckley will move into his fine bungalow this week. The house was built by A. N. Poole, and is situated on the railroad, one block east of the Normal school building. When coming into Monmouth, do not fail to look for it, for it is one of the finest houses in town.

OAKDALE

Clarence Sellers is hauling cordwood.

Ben Thompson is cultivating Fred Hughes' orchard.

The Cochran boys are cutting wood for David Hubbard.

Mr. Mason's children have been very sick with measles.

John Dennis is home from Black Rock to spend a few days.

Newman Dennis has been visiting several days with Lee Tate at Willamina.

Ed Cochran is working for John Ebbe on Dunlap hill improvements, on the Salt Creek road.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Burley were among those attending the Tabernacle meetings last Sunday.

Professor Metzger will preach at the Oakdale school house next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Andrew Bartholomew and daughter, Clara, of Portland, are visiting his cousin, Mrs. Melvin Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Robinson and their son, of Portland, are visiting his brother, J. W. Robinson, at Mountain View Farm.

The Bramhaugh residence and the Card residence were beautifully decorated in the national colors on the Fourth.

John Macomber has moved his family to David Hubbard's place in order to be near Martin's mill, where he is working.

Jim Hubbard has 50 head of sheep belonging to County Commissioner S. H. Petre, of Bridgeport, which he is using in his hopyard to eat down the runners.

John Dennis and Clyde Robbins started Wednesday morning for a few days' outing on Rock Creek and the Siletz. They will visit Alvin Kimball's ranch in that vicinity while there.

BETHEL

George Shields is able to be up again.

Edwin Merritt is visiting in this neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Storm are working for Garnet McCrow.

Otho Shields and Robert Wyatt spent Tuesday in Lincoln.

Mrs. O. A. Rhoades and children are visiting in Hood River.

Hon. C. L. Hawley and family spent Tuesday in Lafayette.

William Boyer has moved his family to the vicinity of Rickreall.

Lola Shellenberger, of Amity, spent a day last week with Edith Romig.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Mulkey spent Monday with Champ Callaway's, near Amity.

The Reverend J. W. Jenkins and family will attend the Cherry Fair at Salem, and the International Christian Church Convention, being held at Portland this week.

The Fourth was held here in the grove belonging to S. L. Stewart. A large crowd gathered to participate in the pleasures of the day. At noon a luncheon was spread, after which a short program followed. The afternoon was given to races of all descriptions, the runners being awarded prizes. The Reverend Jenkins was orator of the day.

POLK

The cherry crop is larger than at first expected.

A. G. Rempel has purchased a registered Jersey bull lately.

C. B. Friesen is putting up a neat cottage on his 20-acre farm.

Haying seems to be the order of the day, and the crop is looking good.

Mr. Giesbrecht and family, of British Columbia, is looking for a location in these parts.

D. G. Rempel, of Portland, who is studying to be a doctor, is visiting in this neighborhood with his family.

P. G. Rempel and family, of Salem, were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Rempel, near Rickreall, last week.

The aphis were getting quite numerous on the wheat and oats, but this hot weather will check them materially.

The prune crop will be larger than first predicted, and the quality will be above the average, if the weather is favorable in the fall.

S. S. Ediger, Sr., recently of Kansas, has purchased "Fir Villa," the R. T. Pierce place, about two and one-half miles south of here.

BUENA VISTA

N. E. Tyler went to Dallas, Monday.

A number of our citizens celebrated in Albany.

Fred Wells, of Parker, was a Buena visitor Monday.

Mrs. M. N. Prather was an Albany passenger Monday.

Mrs. Mary Bevens, of Hopdale, was in town Monday.

Miss Hazel Nixon, of Dallas, was an incoming passenger Saturday.

It is rumored that there will be a wedding in Buena Vista next Sunday.

W. I. Reynolds has rented the Henry Seaton property, and is now established therein.

B. A. Snyder is nursing a bruised leg, on account of coming in contact with a gasoline engine.

Little Frank Tyler, of Woodburn, is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Tyler.

F. M. Donaldson left Saturday for the Nestucca country, where he will spend several days rusticating.

McCOY

Mr. Powell opened his meat shop Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Laird visited in Hillsboro Saturday and Sunday.

A good many McCoy folks attended the celebration at Sheridan, Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Wannie and Clifford Ralston, of Culver, visited at John Stevenson's last week.

Mrs. Jacob Faist, Mrs. Rose Pickens and Mrs. Charles Faist are visiting in Corvallis.

John McCrow returned Sunday from Waldo Hills, where he has been visiting his daughter.

FALLS CITY

Miss Ethel Tooze was in Dallas last Saturday.

A. E. Teal was a Dallas visitor last Thursday.

Fred Smith celebrated the Fourth in Portland.

George A. Teaton visited friends in Salem, Thursday.

S. Ouderkirk is building a residence at Ballston.

Mrs. Clara Kaufman made a trip to Salem last week.

S. H. Tetherow was a passenger to Dallas last Sunday.

O. A. Spinney visited relatives in Salem last Thursday.

S. R. Skeels returned Wednesday from a trip to Albany.

Mrs. C. W. Olcott was a visitor in Portland, Thursday.

Sheriff J. M. Grant, of Dallas, was in the city Monday.

D. J. Grant, of Dallas, was in the city last Wednesday.

F. S. Belcher was in this city on business last Thursday.

J. H. Kelt, of Salem, was a visitor in this city Wednesday.

J. H. Flower was in Dallas last Thursday on legal business.

Harry Packard visited his sister, Mrs W. T. Grier, last Sunday.

Mrs. W. T. Grier is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Belcher in Portland.

B. F. Boughey, of Salem, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Treat this week.

Thomas R. Townsend visited friends in this city last Saturday.

Miss Rose A. Whitney, of Salem, was in Falls City last Wednesday.

Harry Hall, of Woodburn, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tooze Monday.

George Gerlinger, of Dallas, drove up in his automobile last Thursday.

W. B. McKown has constructed a drinking fountain at the city park.

J. E. Elkins, of Independence, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ford are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Courter.

Doctor and Mrs. F. L. Hellworth celebrated the Fourth in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Meyer will reside in Tillamook for the summer.

A sidewalk has been built in front of the property of G. S. McMurphy.

Clinton Harlan returned Tuesday from an extended trip in Coos County.

Percy Dodd, of Portland, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dodd.

Colonel C. W. Matthews made a trip to the county seat last Saturday.

Jess Beezley, of Astoria, is visiting his brothers, Ben and John Beezley.

F. H. Harmon and family, of Portland, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Grier.

W. E. Gilbert, of Portland, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Tetherow over Sunday.

County Surveyor B. F. Beezley is over from Lincoln County to visit his mother.

Dr. B. H. McCallon, of Dallas, was seen on the streets of this city last Monday.

County Commissioner S. H. Petre made a business trip to this city last Thursday.

Professor and Mrs. Ernest Buell, of Independence, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. Buell.

Zimri Hinshaw, of Siletz Basin, visited his son, W. R. Hinshaw, of this city, last Saturday.

Miss Chloe Palmer, of Salem, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hinshaw the first of the week.

C. W. Lee, editor of the Falls City News, has erected a residence on East Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kramer, of Redding, California, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kramer.

Miss Hazel Kuykendall, of North Yamhill, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hinshaw last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Talbott returned Monday from a three weeks' outing in Tillamook.

Oral Courter returned Saturday from a three weeks' visit with relatives in Eugene.

W. M. Newsome, of Rainier, inspected the electric light system in this city last week.

Alvin Robinson and family, of Fort Rock, Lake County, is visiting his father, J. W. Robinson.

Clarence Reynolds, of Dallas, visited his sister, Mrs. W. F. Nichols, in this city on the Fourth.

Miss Elsie White, of Salem, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hinshaw last Monday.

Clarence O'Brien, who was injured at Powell's camp three weeks ago, returned home last Tuesday.

J. E. Hubbard, of Independence, visited Mayor and Mrs. F. K. Hubbard last Monday and Tuesday.

Fred Bogue, of Corvallis, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moyer and Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Ellis over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Mugler and daughter, of Sisson, California, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKown.

Mrs. Frank Coquilette and daughter, of Independence, joined her husband in this city last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Tooze, Jr., and Wilbur Ross, of Dallas, attended the baseball game here Monday.

Frank Inman and family, of Dallas, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Inman in Falls City.

Roy Bowman, Sam Schlappi and Lot Gardner left Thursday for a week's outing in the Siletz Basin.

Mrs. T. J. Beery, of Monmouth, and Miss Emma Kramer, of Salem, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kramer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Belcher and daughter, of Portland, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Grier.

William C. Bryant, an attorney of Moro, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moyer.

Steele Evans, who is employed at Bracey's camp, suffered the fracture of three ribs last Thursday, when a lever on a donkey engine struck him.

Charles Richey, Bert Robinson, W. A. Allen, R. A. Wonderly, W. R. Wiles and J. W. Wiles returned last Saturday from Woodburn, to celebrate the Fourth here.

A report was current that Robert M. Wonderly had received a patent on his homestead, but it was his brother who received a decision in his favor from the general land office.

The cement sidewalk adjoining the property of John Cabe has been completed, and M. L. Thompson is having the walk extended in front of his property. Coquillette Brothers, of Independence, are doing the work.

Pem C. Meyers was seriously injured when a lineman's "come-along," or wire stretcher, fell from a height of 30 feet and struck him on the side of the head. Doctor Officer dressed the wounds, and he is able to be about again.

The annual district camp meeting of the Free Methodist Church will be held in this city this summer. The committee in charge of the arrangements is composed of the Reverend B. F. Smalley, of Salem; the Reverend O. M. Blair, of Salem; W. T. Harrison, A. E. Seymour and the Reverend E. H. Hillis, of this city.

BOWERSVILLE

Cherries are ripening fast.

Eb Marks is building a barn on the old Smith place.

C. B. Friesen is building a neat cottage on his place.

Tom Hayes has been getting strawberries from Greenwood's.

Milt Wilson started his mowers in the hayfield last Tuesday.

P. G. Rempel and family, of Salem, are visiting in this neighborhood.

Louis Fosnot and family were visitors at the Stinnett home last Sunday.

R. T. Pierce traded his farm to the Reverend S. Ediger for his property in Dallas.

Elbert and Mabel Hayes attended the last services in the Tabernacle at Dallas, Sunday evening.

Wayne Greenwood, of Craven Brothers' hardware store in Dallas, was a business visitor at the home of G. J. Rempel last Tuesday.

RICKREALL

Glenn Orr came up from Portland, Sunday.

J. Orval Price is carpentering at John Orr's.

Hugh Braden, of Coburg, is visiting his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cook drove to Salem, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burch went to Albany, Monday.

Inez Arthur returned from Hood River last Sunday.

A number of Rickreall's citizens went to Falls City to celebrate.

Mabel Craven, of Ballston, is visiting at the home of J. J. Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirkland, of Independence, spent Tuesday at the home of J. F. Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Domes, of McCoy, were visitors at the home of L. C. Koser last Sunday.

EOLA

Mr. Ferguson is picking his cherries.

Harry Heth is working at Mr. Bell's.

Grant Heth is in the employ of Mr. Capps.

Everybody will be busy haying before the week is out.

Ethel Brunk is over the mumps and Ronald Hogg has recovered from the measles.

Some of the residents of this place attended the celbration in Falls City, and others went to Salem.

Work has been commenced on the Jeffry hill improvements. It is intended to cut it down to about a three per cent grade.

FOR CHERRY FAIR VISITORS

Reduced Round Trip Railroad Rates and Special Train Service Given.

Managar Louis Gerlinger, Jr., has announed a special train service and reduced round-trip rates for the benefit of excursionsts from Polk County to the Cherry Fair, to be held in Salem, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 6, 7 and 8. The late train leaving West Salem at 11:15 p.m., Saturday, July 8, has been arranged especially for those who wish to take in the carnival on that night, and will give everyone a chance to see everything and still get home in time for a good night's sleep.

The following round-trip rates are authorized to West Salem from the stations named:

	Adults.	Children.
Black Rock	$1.25	$ .75
Falls City	1.00	.65
Dallas	.75	.40

Thursday and Friday, regular trains only will be run, but No. 6, the westbound train, will leave West Salem at 5:35 p. m., instead of 4:35, as at present.

Saturday, in addition to the regular trains, a special train will be run, leaving West Salem at 11:15 p. m., for Dallas, Falls City and Black Rock.

The final return limit of tickets will be Sunday, July 9. The usual free allowance of baggage is authorized on regular tickets, and children of half fare age will be carried at rates shown above.

Flag Flies High.

TIMBER, Or., July 4.—While locomotives whistled and cannons boomed salutes, an American flag was hoisted to the top of a giant fir tree, itself surmounted by a flag pole, ushering in the first Fourth of July celebration in the brief existence of Timber, the new townsite on the line of the Pacific Railroad & Navigation Company, this morning. Flag and pole together towered 225 feet into the air and as the banner, tiny at the great height, fluttered in the wind, the assembled population and visitors cheered. The new townsite, which thus sprang into its first prominence, is 40 miles from Portland and 28 miles west of Hillsboro.

Church of Christ.

Services Sunday, July 9:

Bible school special, 10 a. m. Last Sunday there were 400 present; be sure to come.

Sermon, 11 a. m.; subject, "After the Revival, What?"

Junior Christian Endeavor, 3 p. m.

Senior Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.

Sermon, 8 p. m.; subject, "The Living Word."

All of these services will be held in the Tabernacle. Everybody welcome.

LEON L. MYERS, Minister.

Bids Wanted.

Bids wanted on grading of three miles of railway. For particulars see S. R. Taylor, Chief Engineer, Salem, Falls City & Western Railway, Dallas, Oregon. 746f

GINSENG CULTURE AT EUGENE

Two Brothers Have 40,000 Plants and Think It a Success.

EUGENE, Or., July 5.—Bottom soil of the McKenzie Valley is pronounced exceptionally favorable for ginseng culture, which has been successfully grown here and is now past the first experimental stage. O. P. and G. W. Neff have the second ginseng garden in the southern part of the state. The first one, which is turning off plants, is near Medford.

The Neff brothers have 40,000 plants in the enclosure. These were grown from seeds, the plants having attained a growth of several inches since last March. They have also successfully transplanted a great many six-year-old plants, which are beginning to bear seed, some of these having been shipped by express from the East.

The enclosure is about 90 by 60 feet and over the frame work are three-inch slats, laid about one inch apart. The beds are well mulched with leaves. They were prepared from virgin soil and leaf mold mixed with sandy loam. Another smaller enclosure has about 20,000 plants. When the plants are one year old they are estimated to be worth 75 cents each.

The ginseng is maintaining a healthy growth under this heavily shaded pen and the owners are confident of making a success of the venture. They have had no previous experience. G. W. Neff says that some Oregon ginseng root from other points in the state marketed recently for $6.50 per pound, and the best of it is in demand at from $10 to $12, according to age and size.

Mr. Neff is a Pennsylvanian by birth and came to the Pacific Coast about 10 years ago. Before coming to Eugene he resided near Portland. He says that ginseng formerly grew wild, and in profusion, in Pennsylvania, and when gathered and taken to drug stores sold for 50 cents per pound. While ginseng culture is a slow process it quickly runs into big profits when the seed bearing stage is reached. There is a good demand at all times for plants for transplanting and for seeds.

SHERIDAN WANTS CHANGE

School Levy Said to Be Too Low and Trouble Ensues.

SHERIDAN, Or., June 30.—The curtailment of school expenses for the year by the voters of the Sheridan School District at the annual meeting, to such an extent as to practically close the school, has aroused such a general unfavorable comment that the school board and patrons deem it wise to take steps to repair the threatened injury to the school system.

At the annual meeting of the school district it was voted to levy a 7-mill tax, which tax would be insufficient to run the schools for a period of more than six months; there was a clause in the motion that carried the placing of the levy which provided that the school year close when the district levy is exhausted and that no bonded indebtedness shall occur, and this would mean that the school district would not get the county school fund, the term of school being too short to meet the requirements to get this apportionment.

In other words, the 7-mill levy voted by the school patrons at the annual meeting means a shortening of the school year, and the result of the election is causing such adverse discussion that another meeting has been called for, at which time the citizens of the town intend to correct the blind mistake made at the regular annual school meeting. The meeting is called for Monday, July 10

WATSON FUNERAL HELD

Seven Children Survive Pioneer Who Dies at Albany.

ALBANY, Or., July 3.—The funeral of Joseph Watson, of Milwaukie, Or., who died in this city Friday, was held at the First Baptist Church here today. The body was interred in the Masonic cemetery.

Mr. Watson was born in Canada, 84 years ago. He served in the Civil war as a member of the One Hundred and Thirty-ninth Volunteer Infantry, and came West in 1876, settling in Albany. He resided here for nine years and then moved to Newport. Later he went to Seattle, where he spent several years, and then resided in Portland. Recently he has been residing with his daughter, Mrs. John Chamberlain, at Milwaukie. He was brought to St. Mary's Hospital in this city, several days ago.

Mr. Watson is survived by seven children: Mrs. John Chamberlain, of Milwaukie, Or.; Mrs. T. J. Ewing, of Independence; Mrs. Wilson Webb, of Tacoma, and Joseph T. Watson, S. E. Watson, Frank W. Watson and C. A. Watson, all of Albany

Methodist Church.

Services Sunday, July 9:

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.

11:00 a. m.—Pastor preaches; topic, "Old Testament Church."

7:00 p. m.—Epworth League.

8:00 p. m.—Pastor preaches; topic, "Spirit Filled People."

Special music at all preaching services. Thursday evening each week the prayer service is held. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend each and every service.

GEORGE F. HOPKINS, Pastor.

Postal Bank Deposits.

SALEM, July 4.—In a report issued by the State Bank Examiner yesterday it is shown that $9696.20 in deposits are being held by the Postal Savings banks in Oregon, while a total of $108,413,884 is on deposit in all the banking institutions in the state. The increase for the past year's deposits in Oregon is $2,336,975. The report shows that there are now 247 banking concerns in operation in this state and the increase for the past year is 21 banks.

CELEBRATED TWO DAYS

FALLS CITY ENTERTAINS BIG CROWDS MONDAY AND TUESDAY

List of Prize Winning Sports, Included Two Baseball Games and Horse Races.

FALLS CITY, Or., July 5.—Several thousand people were in attendance at the big two-days' celebration held in this city Monday and Tuesday, July 3 and 4. The program was carried out in good shape, and everybody was immensely pleased. Herewith is the order of exercises for July 3:

C. W. Lee, president of the day.

10 a. m.—Concert at city park by band.

Address of welcome, Mayor Hubbard.

Song—Falls City Glee Club.

Address on the history of Falls City, from 1881 to 1911, by Mayor Hubbard.

Music by band.

Address by Hon. William C. Bryant.

Monday Afternoon.

1 p. m.—Baseball game; Falls City Commercial Club vs. Dallas Greys. Dallas won, 7 to 4.

2 p. m.—Ray's Rough Rider exhibition.

6 p. m.—Footrace, 100 yards, free-for-all. T. Smith first; E. Buell second.

Girls' race, under 15. Sybil Wilson first; Lucile Tichenor second.

Old men's race. C. A. McVey, first.

Fat men's race, over 200 pounds. Claude Lewis first; W. T. Grier second.

8 p. m.—Concert by band in city park.

8:30—Cantata, "Carnival of Flowers," by 65 school children in city park. Especially well performed and greatly enjoyed. Under the direction of Miss Hazel Kuykendall and Miss Chloe Palmer.

Later in the evening, a dance was given at Wagner Hall.

July Fourth—Morning.

Mayor F. K. Hubbard, president of the day.

9:45 a. m.—Parade, headed by Falls City band, to city park. Alma Huesby acted as Goddess of Liberty. The Knights of Pythias float won the first prize of $10. Many automobiles and carriages were in the procession.

10:30 a. m.—Invocation.

Song, "America," by Glee Club.

Reading of Declaration of Independence.

Music by band.

Address by Hon. George F. Rodgers, of Salem.

Afternoon.

1 p. m.—Baseball game; Falls City vs. Rickreall; Falls City won, 7 to 1.

2 p. m.—Ray's Rough Rider exhibition.

5:30 p. m.—Tug-of-war on Main street, between Black Rock and Falls City; won by Black Rock.

Women's wood sawing contest. Mrs. J. E. Illingsworth, first.

Horse race, running. Reddekopp first; McCormisk second.

Horse race, trot. Williams first; Steffy, second.

Beginning at 7 o'clock, a concert was given by the band in the city park.

REMPEL FAMILY REUNION

Pleasant Fourth Is Spent at Home of Parents Near Rickreall.

A family reunion was held July Fourth at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Rempel near Rickreall, at which the seven sons of the family were present for the first time in many years. The eldest of the boys is 42 years old, and the youngest 20 years. Their average age is 33 years, and their average weight is 151 pounds. A remarkable fact in connection with this family is that there has not been a death in it since the members left Russia in 1875.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Rempel, who are well known and highly esteemed residents of Rickreall, are the parents of 11 children, 10 of whom are still alive, and they are also the grandparents of 20 grandchildren, including a pair of twins born to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neufeldt about two weeks ago.

The following children were present at the reunion: John Rampel, Abraham Rempel, of Polk Station; Jacob Rempel, of Smithfield; Gerhart Rempel, of Perrydale; Dietrich Rempel, of Portland; Peter Rempel, of Salem; David Rempel, of Rickreall; Mrs. J. G. Diehm and Mrs. J. P. Neufeldt, of Polk Station; Miss Elizabeth Rempel, of Rickreall.

Buys Fruit Farm.

The George O'Neil place of 70 acres, situated about two miles north of Dallas, has been bought by Louis Plummer, a recent arrival from Chicago, who will devote the entire tract to the culture of prunes. Mr. Plummer for a number of years was engaged in office work in the city, and he is glad to "get back to the soil." He is convinced that no other locality offers the advantages for prune culture that Polk County does.

People You Know.

Will Percival, the Independence horse and hop king, is in the city with his horses, to take in the races this afternoon.—Albany Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Starr, of Salem, are spending their honeymoon in this city. Mr. Starr is secretary to the State Board of Tax Commissioners at Salem.—Portland Oregonian.

The Latest About Appendicitis.

It has been announced that wind or gas in the stomach or bowels, sour stomach or constipation, are symptoms of chronic Appendicitis which may any minute become acute. A doctor states that a SINGLE DOSE of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adler-i-ka, the new German Appendicitis remedy, relieves these symptoms almost INSTANTLY. Conrad Rufrin reports that many Dallas people are receiving QUICK benefit.