

**COURT HOUSE NOTES**

**Real Estate Transfers, And Other News Briefly Told.**

**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**  
Alva J. Byers and Hansena Berkens, both of Independence.

**MINISTERIAL REGISTRATION.**  
Arthur R. Blackstone, Baptist.

**FARM NAMES REGISTERED.**  
Lafayette Jersey Farm—W. O. Sawyer, Rieckhoff.

**PROBATE.**  
In the guardianship of J. C. Palley, competent. G. A. Wells, W. S. McLean and J. D. Winn appointed appraisers.

In the estate of Samuel H. Peterson, deceased. Grove A. Peterson appointed administrator on filing bond of \$1200, letters to issue; bond of \$1200, approved, and P. H. Johnson, D. M. Hewitt and D. E. Stitt appointed appraisers.

In the estate of Lena T. Gilbert, deceased. Petition for order of sale of real estate filed; ordered that citation be issued to the heirs and devisees 15 days before the sale, at 10 a. m., to show cause why order of sale should not be made as prayed for.

**REAL ESTATE.**  
John H. Stiekney to Walter L. Nelson, 140 acres, 1 s 8, r 6 w, \$2000.  
Curtis U. Damon et ux to Alexander Counter, lots in Falls City, \$10.  
R. C. Hanson et ux to Edwin Jacobson, lots in Dallas, \$10.  
E. Wilson to Perie Mark et ux, 1/4 section interest in 320 acres, t 6 s, r 7 w, \$100.  
Loyd Hudson and his to Lulu B. Nelson, lots in Dallas, \$10.  
Edwin Jacobson et ux to L. D. Nelson, lots in Dallas, \$100.  
V. E. Cook and his to Mrs. O. C. Nelson, lots in Independence, \$1500.  
James Skyles et ux to J. A. Laycock, 17 s, r 4 w, \$13,000.

**CONTRACTOR FINISHES MILE**  
Short Teal Rushes Work on Branch Line to Cement Quarry.

After a brief but strenuous piece of work, Albert Teal has finished one mile of the grading on the new spur line to the Salem, Falls City & Western railway, which has been surveyed and bridged to the cement rock quarry of the Portland Cement Company, about four miles west of Dallas. Mr. Teal has had 25 men and 13 mules in his employ, and has made unusually rapid progress. Further work in the work has been temporarily stopped by delay in obtaining right of way over part of the line. Two miles of the road remain to be graded from Bridgeport. The terminal is at present near the hopy house on the J. M. Farley place. A grade of 2 per cent has been obtained.

**Class on Vacation.**  
W. P. Miller, teacher in the Methodist Sunday school, left this morning with a number of the boys of his class on a vacation trip to the Siletz. They will travel by wagon, and will be absent during the remainder of the week, returning in time to appear in class next Sunday. The time will be spent in hunting, fishing and other sports appropriate to the occasion. The following members of the class are in the party: Max and Dewey Albert, Glen and Virgil Brock, Willie Brooks, Harold Miller, Ted Berg, Donald Wilson, Otis Hayes, Albert Bennett, Willard Swan, Jack Eakin.

**Meat Market Moved.**  
The Union Meat Market has moved from the street to its new location, the corner of Main and Mill, where meat and airy shop has been fitted

**SOLDIERS WILL CAMP**

**LOCAL MILITIA TO LEAVE FOR PORT STEVENS SOON.**

**Annual Outing of Oregon National Guard—Recent Company H Promotions.**

Orders have been received by Captain Walter L. Tooze, Jr., Company H, Fourth Infantry, O. N. G., to take the month of the Columbia River, for a ten-days' outing and encampment, to commence on August 7. The company has been ordered to leave Dallas at 6:30 a. m., August 7, via the Salem, Falls City & Western Railway, to Salem, and will leave Portland at 10:20 a. m. for Astoria.

Fort Stevens is located about five miles from Astoria, and about ten miles from Gearhart, one of Oregon's famous summer coast resorts. It is an ideal camping ground. The Centennial will then be in full swing at Astoria, and the camp will be most delightful one. Boats will run from Fort Stevens to Astoria about every half hour, and there will be plenty of opportunity for the men to visit the fair.

**Service Pay Allowed.**

Regular service pay will be allowed all enlisted men in attendance. First enlistment men will receive \$1.25 per day, besides clothing, board and transportation, while second enlistment men will receive \$1.50 per day. Besides receiving such useful instruction, the men will be given an opportunity of enjoying an outing at the beach, and undoubtedly will take part in the big parade at the Astoria celebration.

Company H can accommodate about ten more recruits, and up to that number the officers of the company would be pleased to enlist able-bodied citizens between the ages of 18 and 45 to take this trip, if possible, combining pleasure with duty, and incidentally fitting themselves to protect their country in time of need. Captain Tooze and Lieutenant Staffin will take enlistments any time prior to next Tuesday.

**Building Launch.**

Private L. H. Ghorke and Sergeant Wayne Greenwood are not going to depend upon the boat service at Astoria and Fort Stevens for their trips back and forth, but are building a gasoline launch of their own, which they will take down with them. It is their intention to leave Portland in their boat August 6 and make the trip down by water.

Sergeant Wayne Greenwood has been promoted to first sergeant; corporals B. A. Teats and Harold H. Rich have been promoted to sergeants; privates Leon J. Elder and George Morton and musician R. W. Finseth have been promoted to corporals; and privates Norval Gates and E. E. Comstock have been promoted to musicians.

The plans for the new armory are now being drawn and bids will be asked for within the next week. Captain Tooze is in receipt of a letter from General Finzer in which he says that work will be commenced on the armory as soon as possible. It is the intention of the members of Company H to give a series of entertainments and invitation social affairs in their new armory this winter.

**Marion Stream Gets 24,000 Trout.**

SALEM, July 23.—Shipment of 24,000 young Eastern brook trout has been received in this city by Houser Bros., through the efforts of Representative Hawley. The trout will be consigned to Battle Creek. The fry were in excellent condition when received and there is every reason to believe that they will survive and propagate freely.

**SHERIDAN LIVES IN HOPE**

**Baseball Team Smarting Under Drubbing Given by Dallas Boys.**

Life will soon be worth living again for the baseball team in making big preparations after the short rest and meditation. There are a few fans, a very few, who seem to think that baseball is dead in Sheridan, and that it has been prompted by the defeat at the hands of Dallas. Such a deplorable stagnation of sporting blood is the last malady that the Sheridan fans would allow themselves to be heir to and we were never more hopeful.

Do you know that Sheridan has won 12 out of 16 games played this season thus far? There is not another team in the valley that can boast of a better record, and but few can equal it, and there is but one team which we have played that has beaten us: St. Paul, Minn. and Dallas, and losing our sole game with Astoria; the latter team does not see fit to play, as a return game and the fans hope our neighbors have a good excuse.

The general spirit among the Sheridan fans is one of fight and good sportsmanship and the cry is "dig in Dallas". The boys on the team are confident that they can hang the Indian sign on Dallas at the next meeting of the two teams and all that they ask is another game, to be played where Dallas dictates.—Sheridan Sun.

**OIL PROSPECTS FAVORABLE**

**Stockholders of Whiteaker Oil Well Hold Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oregon Oil & Pipe Line Company was held in the office of Sibley & Eakin Monday evening, and favorable reports were given by President Emery regarding the prospects in the oil well which is being drilled by the company on the Whiteaker place. A test was made there recently and both oil and gas were found in such quantities as to greatly encourage the men interested in the enterprise. Operations at the well will be resumed as soon as possible, and it is thought that a flow of oil will be tapped within a short distance.

The following board of directors were re-elected for the ensuing year: George A. Emery, of Portland, D. J. Riley, H. C. Eakin, L. N. Woods and J. E. Sibley.

The officers of the company are: George A. Emery, president; J. E. Sibley, vice-president; H. C. Eakin, secretary; Eugene Hayter, treasurer.

**OWNS BOTH CITY THEATERS**

**Henry Stump, Proprietor of Star Buys the Grand Here.**

W. J. Larson, who for some months past has had charge of the Grand moving picture theater on Court street in this city, has sold out to Henry Stump, proprietor of the Star theater on Main street, who will henceforth conduct both houses. The Grand will be run every night in the week, except Sunday, as at present, but the Star will be open to the public only on Friday and Saturday evenings.

The same high grade pictures will be maintained at both places, and yandeville will be an attraction from time to time.

Mr. Larson left Monday afternoon for Portland, where he will take up the practice of dentistry.

The Bon Marche for the "Spa" ice cream—best in the city—flavors, chocolate, vanilla, strawberry.

**PERSONAL MENTION**

Mrs. A. M. Perry, of McMinnville, is visiting relatives in Dallas. Mrs. Ira Mehrling and daughter, Miss Ella, were in Dallas last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Crider left for an outing at Newport last Monday morning.

A. M. Holmes and A. E. West, of Rieckhoff, were business visitors in Dallas, Saturday.

F. J. Holman, an enterprising merchant of Black Rock, was a Dallas Royal Plunk, a prominent resident of Roera, arrived in Dallas, Friday for a few days' visit.

E. V. Dalton arrived home last night from a trip to Seattle and other Washington cities.

C. C. Hammerly, editor of the McMinnville Reporter, was in Dallas on a business visit Friday.

Chetwynd Coad was up from Portland Sunday, visiting his parents, Judge and Mrs. Ed F. Coad.

E. E. Paddock, a prominent business man of Independence, was a business visitor in Dallas, Friday.

W. H. Merritt, who recently sold his farm on Red Prairie, near Sheridan, was in the city Monday, on business.

G. W. Carroll, manager of the Molson hop yard at Derry, was in town this morning on a business errand.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Graves and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Campbell returned Monday from an outing in Tillamook County.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Strayer, of Portland, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Strayer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cosper.

Mrs. H. L. Veazie, accompanied by her grandson, Harold Glen, of Eugene, has arrived from Portland and is visiting friends here.

President A. A. Winter came up from Lafayette last week and left Friday for the campmeeting of the United Evangelical Church at Quinby Park.

Glen M. Holman left this week for California, where he will visit his sons. After his visit, he will be employed by the Government in some legal matters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cressy and children, who have been visiting at the home of Abel Uglow, left this morning for their home in South Bend, Washington.

Hon. C. N. McArthur, of Portland, was in Dallas on a business visit this afternoon. He will spend a few days on his farm at Rieckhoff before returning to the city.

Mrs. H. C. Eakin and son, Jack, returned home Friday after an extended outing at Newport. They expect to return in a few days for the remainder of the season.

W. L. Soehren, who has been in Hillsboro in charge of improvements being made there by H. V. Gates, has been in Dallas several days and left yesterday to complete the work.

Mrs. F. J. Coad, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Hallie, and her niece, Miss Ava Coad, and Mrs. Henry Savery, has come to Newport to conduct the remainder of the season.

A. G. Magers, one of Salem's prominent wholesale merchants, accompanied by a party of friends, motored from Salem, Sunday afternoon, and enjoyed a twilight luncheon in the City Park.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Belrendt and three children have arrived from Chicago for a visit with the doctor's brother-in-law, L. W. Plummer, at the latter's fruit farm north of Dallas.

Secretary Martin, of the American Sunday School Union, for the district of Oregon, Washington and Idaho, was in the city last Sunday, and spoke at the different churches on the work of which he is in charge.

Dr. R. E. L. Steiner, Superintendent of the Oregon Insane Asylum, accompanied by Mrs. Steiner and daughters, Rita and Barbara, and son, Milton, drove over from Salem, Sunday afternoon, and visited Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kirkpatrick and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Yoakum.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams have returned home from a several months' stay in Blackfoot, Idaho, where Mr. Williams was interested in a large irrigation project. They prefer Oregon to Idaho and are glad to be at home again. Mr. Williams will resume his position in the Dallas National Bank.

Mrs. W. P. Mills, of Centralia, Washington, and Mrs. Elmer LeCorun, of Spokane, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Shriver. Mrs. Mills and Mrs. LeCorun will be remembered by the older residents of Dallas as Miss Jennie Crystal and Miss Belle Crystal, members of one of Polk County's early and prominent pioneer families. The ladies are greatly enjoying their visit to Dallas.

**YARDS IN GOOD CONDITION**

**Indications That Quality of Hops Will Be Above Last Year.**

Local hop dealers who spent some days in the valley producing districts this week report the yards generally in a very satisfactory condition, considering the slow growth of the vines early in the season. The favorable weather of the past month has in a large way made up for the adverse conditions that prevailed during the spring months, and the outlook now is for a yield of fair size and good quality.

Vermin appeared to some extent in most of the yards two weeks ago, but thorough spraying, aided by recent hot spells, appears to have practically cleared the vines of the pest, with no appreciable damage done to the crop to date. The indications now are that the quality average of the 1911 crop in this state will be above that of last year. Beyond spraying there is little or nothing being done in the valley yards at this time.

The market is still a quiet affair but strong in the extreme, says the Portland Oregonian. There is a good demand for contracts on the coming crop at 25 cents, for 1910s at 25 to 26 cents and for 1909s at 15 to 20 cents, but even at those figures, which are the best offered at this time in years, the growers evince little disposition to sell. Very little in the way of trade in any growth has been reported in this state since the first of July.

In the South the trend of the market is no less strongly upward. A late report from Sacramento says that dealers there are predicting a 35-cent market on the 1911 crop, and in the Sonoma district it is said that dealers are offering to contract for five years, paying 25 cents for this year's crop and 15 cents for the four years following. In this state and in California as well only a negligible fragment of the 1910 crop remains in the hands of growers.

**QUARRY OWNERS PLAN ROAD**

**Design to Reach Cement Rock Deposits West of Dallas.**

Incorporation articles were filed yesterday with Corporation Clerk Babcock by the Oswego, Dallas & Roseburg Railway Company, says the Salem Statesman. The company plans to construct several lines of road in Polk, Clackamas, Sherman, Douglas and Marion counties to connect with the Salem, Falls City & Western, the Oregon & California, and the Oregon & Washington Railway & Navigation Company, all the lines to begin near the quarries of the Portland Cement Company in the counties named.

The first line will be run from the Portland Cement Company's quarry a short distance west of Dallas, to connect with the Salem, Falls City & Western Railway, near Bridgeport Station. The second line will begin near the quarry in Clackamas County to connect with the Oregon & California near Oswego. The third line will connect with the O. & C. near Green Station in Douglas County, and the fourth line will connect with the Oregon-Washington Railway & Navigation Company, near Rufus Siding, in Sherman County. The fifth line will connect with the same road near Mt. Angel, in Marion County.

The capital stock of the company is placed at \$250,000. The incorporators are Aman Moore, W. A. Johnson and Lillian B. Powers.

**Artisans To Meet.**

A special meeting of Dallas Artisans Assn. No. 46, Dallas Artisans, has been called for next Thursday evening at 8 p. m. for the purpose of making arrangements to attend a meeting of Capitol Assembly at Salem the following Friday night. Initiatory exercises will be the attraction, and it is the intention of a large number of the Dallas Artisans to be present. A special train has been chartered and will leave here at 7 p. m., and returning will leave West Salem at 11:15 p. m.

**Consult Him.**

Wednesday and Thursday of this week, Dr. Lowe, the optician, who has been coming to Dallas for so many years, will again be at the Hotel Gail. You can do no better than to consult him about your eyes and glasses. It

The Bon Marche for the "Spa" ice cream—best in the city—flavors, chocolate, vanilla, strawberry.

Legal blanks for sale at this office. Brown & Sibley, Attorneys, Notary, Oscar Hayter, lawyer. Rooms 5 and 6, Uglow Building.

If you want fine photographs, Cherrington is always ready.


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The Farmer's Fire Relief Association of Butteville, Oregon; J. D. Winn, agent, Buena Vista, Oregon.

**No. 55 Leads**

**Free to Someone**

**Value 400 Dollars**



**5th Count of Piano Vote:**

No. 2	16,855	No. 55	28,615
" 3	12,625	" 61	26,140
" 4	8825	" 66	12,745
" 8	7550	" 67	7785
" 52	7090	" 79	8525
" 53	18,695	" 112	7175
" 54	12,700	" 137	5360

No. 151 6610

**Thousands of votes are out, and have not been turned in for any contestant. All Pink votes should be in the store and counted for someone by next Wednesday.**

Come to our store, see and try this splendid instrument. We will tell you all about our plan of giving this piano away. This is a present worth having. This Piano is of the celebrated Upton make. It carries the manufacturers' Ten Year Guarantee.

**We Cordially Invite Your Inspection**

**UGLOW CLOTHING HOUSE**

Men's Fine Clothing, Gentlemen's Furnishings, Etc., Florsheim Shoes

DALLAS, OREGON

**JULY SPECIALS**

**Misses' and Children's Tan Oxfords and Sandals**

**At Wholesale Prices**

Children's Tan Oxfords	\$1.00 Grade	75c
" " "	\$1.25	95c
" " "	\$1.50	\$1.15
" " "	\$1.65	\$1.25
" " "	\$2.00	\$1.45

The above line is strictly up-to-date styles but must be closed out in order to make room for Fall goods

**Great Bargains in Ladies' and Men's Shoes and Oxfords During This Month**

**THE BEE HIVE STORE**

A Reliable Place to Trade

Dallas, Oregon

L. O. O. F. Building

**GUESTS PLAY FIVE HUNDRED**

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sundberg entertain friends Thursday evening.

Thursday evening, July 20, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Sundberg pleasantly entertained a number of their friends at five hundred at their home in this city. Nine tables were played, the prizes for highest score being won by C. L. Crider and Mrs. Mark Hayter. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. George L. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Soehren, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Munson, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. Riley Craven, Dr. and Mrs. Mark Hayter, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Crider, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Kugel, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kearth, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Loughery, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gerlinger, Jr.; Miss Mary Anderson of Minneapolis, Minnesota; Dr. A. B. Starbuck.

**OBSERVER AWARDS PRIZES**

Mrs. Arthur Starr Sends in Best List of Dallas Advertisers.

For sending in the most nearly correct list of Dallas business firms named in the Observer's knowledge contest, the first prize—a vacuum carpet cleaner—was awarded to Mrs. Arthur Starr, of this city. Mrs. Starr's list was received at this office in less than two hours from the time the paper was mailed at the postoffice.

The second prize of \$2.50 in cash was awarded to Maurice Dalton, of this city.

The Observer is greatly pleased with the success of this competition, as it caused a large number of prospective buyers to read the list of bargains offered by enterprising merchants of Dallas.

**MAKE HER HAPPY BY TAKING IT THE YEAR ROUND**

**A Penny Saved Is A Penny Earned**

A DOLLAR SPENT AT HOME is a Dollar That May Come Back to Your Purse

**Are You Going To Build?**

See The

**Dallas Lumber & Logging Company at Dallas**

About Your Material Not Always the Cheapest but

**Always The Best**

Lumber Shingles Roofing