

News of City and County

EXPERT HORSESHOEING

415 Oak Street, Dallas.

Dr. Freeze, September 4, Oct. 2.
—Meet me at the New Scott, 2-25tf
Oscar Ridder spent yesterday in Independence.

—Oscar Hayter, lawyer, rooms 5 and 6, Uglow building.

—Be a man of good habits, eat your meals at the Gail.

Roy W. Finseth is passing a short vacation at Portland.

G. O. Holman was a visitor in Independence Wednesday.

—A meal at the Gail will relieve that tired spring feeling.

Merrill Barber spent Wednesday in Salem on business.

Ben Wold, of Portland, was a business visitor in Dallas yesterday.

—Walter L. Tooze, Jr., lawyer, rooms 8 and 9, National Bank Bldg.

—Tile for everybody. Dallas Brick & Tile Co. Special price on carload lots. 8-5tf.

Justice of the Peace Quick of Ballston was a caller in the city Wednesday.

—D. H. Upjohn, attorney, room 19 and 26, Dallas National bank building.

Ed. Cornelius, who has been suffering from pneumonia is much improved in health.

—Dallas Wood and Coal Yards, W. L. Barber, proprietor. Office phone 334; residence 663.

Andrew Campbell living near Ballston has started on the erection of his fine new bungalow.

—When in town try the Dallas Hotel. Short orders served at all hours. 25c up. Also good clean beds. (tf)

—All kinds of engraving from visiting cards to wedding invitations furnished at The Observer office.

Frank Morrison, carrier on rural route No. 1 will take a vacation next week and intends to put in his time in the hop fields.

Mrs. George S. Billings is at the city hospital undergoing an operation. Her condition at this time is not considered serious.

Dr. Freeze the eye specialist will be in Dallas, Thursday, September 4, and October 2. Consult him if you wish expert examination and advice.

Milt Grant will leave Sunday for Oregon City where he will attend the annual meeting of the Oregon Postal Carriers. He expects to return Monday evening.

A. M. Fanning of Ballston, was in the city yesterday. Wednesday Mr. Fanning reports fire burned one of his large straw stacks entailing a loss of about \$75.

Complaints have been received by District Attorney Upjohn of stock running at large in the county. Attorney Upjohn has promised to take the matter up at once and end the trouble is possible.

—O'Neill, the Salem Optician, representing Barr's Jewelry Store, will be at the Gail Hotel, Thursday and Friday, August 28 and 29. Let O'Neill care for your glasses. He knows how. 8-26

Mrs. W. D. Ottiger and daughter, Mrs. Henry Savery, returned Wednesday from a three-months' visit with friends and relatives in Texas and Oklahoma. Mrs. Ottiger's home is at Sheridan.

Mrs. Sam Burke, of Dallas, arrived here today on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Merritt and family. Mrs. Burke, who accompanied her, went on to Philomath to visit friends—Corvallis Times-Gazette.

Harold Glen, who has been spending his summer vacation at his grandmother's summer home north of Dallas, left Thursday morning for his home in Seattle, where he will take up his junior year in the Broadway High School.

Miss May Shelton will leave today for Roseburg where she is expected to make her home. Miss Shelton will be greatly missed in church and fraternal circles. A number of farewell parties were given Miss Shelton during the past week.

After spending one of the most delightful vacations of their lives, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Campbell returned Tuesday from a trip to Silverton where they visited at the home of Mrs. Campbell's mother, Mrs. Siefarth. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell arrived unexpectedly, but just in time to participate in a family reunion at which were present a score or more of relatives.

Three Names To Remember

There are three names to remember when you want good stationery. They are.

**HURD
BLAIR
CRANE**

We have Hurd's Fine Stationery both in box and in bulk. You can buy it in any quantity desired, from a 10-cent bunch to a \$5 box.

We carry the Crane paper in bulk and in tablets, in all the late styles and fabrics.

The famous Blair tablets are here in five sizes, ranging in price from 10 cents to 25 cents. Use a Blair tablet once and you will buy no other kind.

No store in Oregon carries a better stock of fine stationery than you can find right here at home.

We ask your trade.

J. C. HAYTER
Bookseller and Stationer
428 Main Street

—Trespass notices, weather proof, for sale at Observer Job office.

Jack Loveloy of Springfield, is in the city visiting with his uncle, J. C. Schultz.

Prof. and Mrs. E. J. Hadley, of Portland, were over-Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Loughary.

N. Patterson, of Black Rock, was in the city Wednesday on his way to Florence, Oregon, where he will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Eakin and son Jack returned yesterday from their two week's trip to Newport and other coast points in Oregon.

Carey Hayter will leave today for Salem where he will take up his duties as a member of the committee appointed to appraise the printing office of the late state printer, Willis Dunaway.

C. D. Babcock, a member of the workmen's compensation commission was in the city yesterday from Salem. Mr. Babcock says that the arguments in the case which has caused state wide interest has been held up for reason of alleged fraud but that a decision is expected to be reached either today or tomorrow.

LOYAL SPIRIT STILL LIVES

Grand Army Man Wants to Organize G. A. R. Post in Dallas.

Comrades of the Civil War come, let us organize a G. A. R. post in Dallas. I know the G. A. R. is often accused of trying to keep up the war spirit but nothing is further from the truth.

If any one organization more than another discourages, abhors and detests war it is the G. A. R. and their feelings in this matter are not the result of observation as much as from terrible and bitter experience. They more than all others know that "war is hell"—know also its degrading and demoralizing character—both to the conqueror and conquered. Its brutalizing nature, destroying all the finer sensibilities of manhood, and observation shows this course entailed upon children to the third and fourth generations.

It knows that it destroys the sense of government in the individual, substituting in its stead brute force. That it makes home, the foundation of human society secondary to the camp; that it destroys property, the accumulation of ages, thus crippling human progress, and none deplore it more than the G. A. R.

No, our organization is for peace and only peace—all other societies strive for membership, the G. A. R. neither expects, hopes nor desires increase membership (excepting always and only soldiers of the civil war).

We are the G. A. R. Limited. From the beginning of our organization, we were beyond statutory limitation, and running against time, and time is getting the best of us all. The spirit of our organization is based on that old adage, "That a touch of sorrow makes all mankind akin." There is a fellowship born of suffering, born of the earthquake, the shock and the thunder of war. We know of no worldly comradeship stronger. Others may forget but the soldier never forgets the story of our civil war. It is not simply in their memory, it is a part of themselves. In a great measure it made them what they are, and no man can divorce himself from himself.

Thus the G. A. R. organize and meet in loyalty, fraternity and fellowship, not to foster the spirit of war but peace and to keep in touch with each other until a stronger tie shall bind them together on the eternal camping ground.

Come, let us organize a G. A. R. post in Dallas.

IRA WAKEFIELD.

FALLS CITY

Hop picking started in several of the yards near Falls City this week.

The pickers are taken from town each day as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown are at Pacific City enjoying a short vacation. Wright Garner is mixing drinks at the store during their absence.

M. L. Thompson, Ira Merling and W. F. Nichols drove to Dallas Tuesday in the former's auto.

Jim Hinshaw is the owner of a new Ford auto which he purchased of the Dallas agents.

The circus in Salem Saturday attracted several Falls City people to the capital.

Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Hellwarth spent a few days at Newport returning home Monday.

C. J. Pugh has started to remodel the Gem Theatre building. A thorough overhauling will be given and several improvements added.

The Elie Brothers are putting the fixtures in the furniture store preparatory to the adding of a complete stock of hardware. The room formerly used by A. B. Servey has been thrown into the main room.

Mrs. C. R. Cochran visited with relatives in Salem Saturday and Sunday.

Roy Bowman returned home this week from Washington where he has spent the summer.

Chas. Dill and I. L. Stoddard left Saturday for a hunting trip near Roseburg. They will be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. Anna H. Pfandhoefer and daughter Violet went to Salem Wednesday to look up a house as they expect to make Salem their home in the future.

Mrs. C. F. Vick returned Tuesday from Salem where she has been visiting for a few days. She was accompanied home by Miss Bertha Vick.

WANTED—Men to Hew

Ties for the Valley & Siletz Railroad Company. 11 and 12 cents per tie according to timber. Report to Airline, Ore.

TELLS WEALTH OF RICHEST VALLEY

NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENT WRITES OF KING'S VALLEY

Dwells on Early History Then Tells of Great Feature When District Is Tapped for Railroad.

The following vividly descriptive story of the resources and wealth of King's Valley appeared in a recent issue of the Corvallis Times-Gazette. The article was evidently written by a correspondent of the paper yet its composition is so clear and straight to the point that it is with regret that the author's name remains, at least to the Observer, a mystery:

Almost upon the site of old Fort Hoskins, once made famous by the frequent visits there of Generals U. S. Grant and Phil Sheridan, about the time this valley was first entered by Sol and Amos King, who, with their families settled upon thousands of acres of this rich valley, will soon stand the depot of the newly projected Valley & Siletz Railway, now about to be built from across the mountains, into the Siletz country, opening up to traffic tremendous bodies of virgin forests, and the richest dairying section of the Willamette Valley.

During the year 1846 Sol and Amos King started from Missouri, with their families, crossing the plains by ox teams, and after long days and nights, in spite of dangers from Indians, safely arrived here, making up a large colony, and settled along the banks of the Luckiamute creek. Here a grist mill was established by Rowland Chambers, a brother-in-law of Amos King. The rich lands here soon made the entire family independently well-off, most of them having naturally, even at that early date gone into dairy farming, which is now the principal occupation of every farmer of this district.

It was my good fortune while here to go over part of the right of way of the new railroad in company with H. T. Maxfield, himself a patriotically say that no richer dairying country than this can be found near of King's Valley, and I can in the Willamette valley, and when this new railroad is completed, and the means of quick and cheap transportation is afforded, the business of dairying and lumbering will be more than quadrupled.

Dairying here, is, as yet, only in its infancy yet there is now shipped from King's Valley each month on the average, 8,120 pounds of cream, which pays the dairymen of this section an average, the year round, 31c per pound. Quite a neat fortune in itself, to be added to high prices received for poultry, eggs, hogs, veal, sheep, goats and wool.

The old saw mill is now being reconstructed upon its former site in Hoskins, and when completed will be able to cut upwards of 40,000 feet of lumber per day; the old grist mill, formerly run by water power, is to be replaced by a larger and more modern flour mill. The "Luckiamute" will again be filled by logs from the nearby mountains and the farmer will again find a home market for all the wheat he can raise.

Once the railroad is in operation I predict that in less than five years the business of this valley will be more than quadrupled; new stores will be built in King's Valley and Hoskins; a bank will be established, and the dairymen can put away his savings without going to Corvallis or Portland.

Not only the "Luckiamute" but numerous other streams and springs of cold mountain water furnish an abundant supply for all domestic as well as irrigation purposes.

Land once bought for a song, or entered direct from the government is now selling for from \$40 to \$75 per acre, and much of the best of it cannot be bought at any price.

For Sale.
200 fine Leghorn hens from four months to one year and half old. These are thoroughbred hens from best laying strains. J. L. Castle, phone 1143. 8-29

Summer Hats Cleaned.
At Phil Begin's, the tailor. tf

Groceries

—For—

Hop-Pickers

Let us fill your Grocery order before going to the yards. We will see that the goods are neatly and conveniently arranged for immediate use. The

Sanitary Grocery

Will be pleased to make your hop-picking vacation a happy one

Full Line of Pickers' Supplies

Holman & Boydston

523 Main St. Phone 1271

OBJECT TO BAND NOISE

"Yellow Jackets" Assert Rights at City Park; Band Willingly Surrenders to Insects.

The usual courtesy always extended by the Dallas Band to visitors from neighboring cities on Wednesday night resulted in a stampede at the city park where the band had assembled in rehearsal in order to give over to the Agricultural College visitors the use of the Armory. In the language of the legal craft, said stampede was caused by the entrance of a swarm of insects known as "yellow jackets." The band re-assembled at the council chambers for the purpose of preparing for the regular Saturday night program and passing comment as the sore places were being gently rubbed.

Councilman Risser and J. E. Miller were appointed on the onetime committee with full power to act and terminate. The committee yesterday failed to act while the extermination that the electricians will today apply the remedy by removing the lights to more convenient and less dangerous quarters.

Saturday Night Band Concert.

The following program will be rendered Saturday night on the court house plaza by the Dallas band:

March, Altona.

Medley March, Down in Dear Old New Orleans.

Overture, Living Pictures (request) Uncle Josh's Huskin' Dance.

Waltz, Flowers of the Wildwood.

March, The Jolly Fisherman.

Medley, Selection of Popular Hits.

Two-Step, Cross the Mason-Dixon Line and Apple Blossom Time.

B. A. DOWNEY, Director.

THE FLOCKMASTER.

The time has come when every farmer who is in the sheep business should preserve a part of his corn crop in the silo. It means much in the efficient production of mutton.

Sheep cannot eatilage in as great proportionate quantity as do cattle, though no one seems to know why. However, they do well on it, and it saves a great deal of hay and other feed.

Sheep will do better on rough land than will any other kind of stock save goats.

Success in the sheep business depends as much or more upon the care taken as upon the sheep.

Oilmeal is greatly relished by lambs and helps greatly in obtaining a fine finish for the market.

Be sure the flock has plenty of fresh water. If the sheep drink from springs keep the approaches dry.

Corn silage is a safe feed for lambs when it is free from mold and does not contain an excessive amount of acid.

MILK COWS REGULARLY.

Carelessness in This Matter Tends to Lessen Milk Flow.

No greater mistake can be made with good dairy cows than to milk at irregular hours. No good cow will keep up her milk flow under such treatment, writes H. P. Button in the Orange Judd Farmer. Two milkings a day, twelve hours apart, is the only rule which the cows will abide by. On my own farm we milk at 5 a. m. and 5 p. m., which are as convenient hours as any. If anything happens to delay the milking even an hour it is noticeable that the cows resent it by giving less milk for a day or two. The reason for this is not far to seek. The solids of the milk are secreted at a very uniform rate between milkings, but the liquid part is mostly formed just before and during milking.

If a cow giving six quarts of milk at a milking was killed half an hour before milking there would not be more than two quarts of milk in her udder. This addition of the liquid to the solids that have accumulated since the last milking constitutes a large part of "letting down the milk" and is under the control of her nervous system. I do not mean that it is voluntary on the part of the cow, though I have seen men club a cow to make her let down the milk. We all know how emotion, such as anxiety or fright, makes our mouths dry. It is just in this way that any sort of disturbance shuts off a cow's milk.

I have several times found men who failed to milk their cows clean thus drying them up after six or seven months. The best security against this is found in keeping daily milk records. A spring balance with a dial face and a ruled sheet of cardboard will pay many hundred per cent in the larger flow of milk. I know that many a man who is dishonest enough to leave milk in a cow's udder is not bold enough to put record of his dishonesty down for his employer to read.

Good Discipline.

"Our American militia is the best in the world," said the president of the Descendants of the Signers.

"How strict it is! During the annual encampment of our Virginia militia a private was riding one hot day on a trolley car with his uniform coat unbuttoned. This caused a sergeant on the smokers' seat behind to say: "Button up that coat! Haven't you got any sense of military decency at all?"

"But here a gentleman on the left interfered, saying to the sergeant: "How dare you give commands with a cigar in your mouth? I'm Major Fitzhugh Calhoun."

"At this point an elderly gentleman, with a white military moustache leaned over and murmured in the major's ear: "Colonel Brewster Fairfax is sorry to remind you, sir, that to scold a sergeant in the presence of a private is a military offense hard to overlook."—Washington Star.

SCHOOL LECTURES WELL RECEIVED

GENERAL WELFARE SCHOOL INTERESTS RESIDENTS.

Instructive Lectures at Armory Were Well Attended; Members of Faculty Praise City.

With an attendance far above the expectation of the school officials, last night's program given by the O. A. C. General Welfare school was generally pronounced as the most successful and interesting events of its kind ever brought to Dallas. The large armory auditorium was well filled during the two day's program.

One of the most interesting numbers was the address of J. D. Mickle, Oregon Dairy and Food commissioner who talked interestingly on pure food legislation. His talk was followed with an interesting lecture by Prof. R. K. Brodie who chose for his subject "Chemistry of Foods and Food Preservation." Professor Reed, of the O. A. C., made an interesting talk on the "Four Factors Which Make Up a Man."

The social hygiene exhibit of the Oregon Society of Hygiene was extensive and was excellently arranged, in fact the same exhibit was here as was in Portland. This attracted a great deal of attraction and was well worth visiting. In connection with the exhibit was an instructive lecture by Professor E. J. Cummings who gave talks to fathers and sons.

The school work as a whole was well received by Dallas people, and the members of the O. A. C. faculty who were in charge of the work have nothing but praise for the general welcome accorded them by residents of this city.

BUSINESS LOCALS

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—My share of timber land with the Boyle heirs; make me an offer. Address Mrs. Laura Harman, R. 1, Box 268B, Pasadena, California. 855 9-5

SEED WHEAT FOR SALE—Hard milling, yield 20 1/2 bushels to the acre cleaned, where White Wheat had been yielding 18 bushels. U. S. Grant, Dallas, Ore. 854 8-20tf

FOR SALE—Six' oigs for sale. C. A. McVay, Oakdale. 852 8-29

FOR SALE—Driving horse and buggy. A bargain if taken soon, Call 819 Washington street or phone 1672.

FOR SALE—A fine 3-year-old Red Polled Bull, a fresh milk cow, several high grade Holstein Bull calves and some beef cattle. Geo. E. Rowe, McArthur farm, Rickreall, Or. 853 9-5

FOR SALE—New range and other household furniture at 105 North Levens St., Dallas. 848tf.

FOR SALE—Clover huller and 10 H. P. Advance engine now in operation. Come and see me if interested. Here is a bargain. Ed. Miller, Ballston, Oregon. 8-29

FOR SALE—Four dairy cows. G. F. Brown, Dallas. Phone 25 South Red. 808tf

WANTED.

WANTED—Oak wood on subscription at The Observer office.

WANTED—Experienced Waitress. Apply at Hotel Gail. 814tf

Highest market price paid for machine cast iron, stove plate, rubber, brass, copper, zinc, rags, bottles and hides. Address A. N. Halleck, Month, Oregon.

LOST.

LOST—Receipt book containing lodge receipts and other papers. Finder leave at Observer office. 851

MISCELLANEOUS.

MONEY TO LOAN—On improved city property; abstract must be furnished. If you have money to loan I can place it for you on good security. Walter L. Tooze, Jr., lawyer, suite 8 and 9, National Bank building. 769-4f

GOOD WOOD—At right prices. Order your block wood and slab wood for early delivery. Trimmings furnished on short order. Plenty of good fir and other kinds of wood now ready for customers. Send orders early by phone to—AUGUST BO-MAN. Phone 1563 766tf

HOMESTEADS—If you want a good 320 acre homestead you should write to me at once. I spent several hundred dollars and almost a year's time investigating the different homestead districts of the Northwest. I finally bought out a relinquishment here adjoining the town of Imperial. I now have two or three other first-class relinquishments near mine for sale. The price is no more, if as much, as the usual location fee charged by locaters. This valley is thickly settled, prosperous, has schools, the advantages of a small town, daily passenger and freight automobile service connecting with railroads. We will soon have a good road. Plenty of water and wood, good even climate, grow almost any crops. Write me now, enclosing stamp, and I will tell you all about these claims. Address: Sherman Montgomery, Imperial, Crook County, Oregon. 812 9-5

WILL REDUCE PRICE OF FISH

Tillamook Company Would Sell Salmon at 7 1/2 Cents Per Pound.

Cutting the price of Chinook salmon to seven and one-half cents per pound F. O. B. Bay City, H. O. Osbourne of this city who has for a number of years been one of the leading fishermen at Tillamook is in the city in the interest of the Tillamook Bay Fish company, a cooperative company operated by the fishermen of Tillamook. This is the first year, according to Mr. Osbourne that the company has made a real showing and several larger companies were forced to leave the field owing to the determination of the fishermen to demand a fair price for their salmon. With the arrangements which are expected to be completed through the efforts of Mr. Osbourne it will be possible to buy fresh salmon in Dallas for about eight and one-half cents instead of 15 and 20 cents, the prevailing prices.

All Kinds of Insurance.

Fire, Casualty, Automobile and Plate Glass Policies on liberal commissions. Money to loan on farm mortgages. C. L. Prichard, with McBee Land Co. tf

In Dallas Pulpits

Christian.
Bible school 10 a. m.
Morning service, 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, 8:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting and Bible study Thursday evening, 8 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend all these services.

C. C. CURTIS, Minister.

Christian Science services held in Adventist church, Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject of lesson—sermon, "Christ Jesus." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Reading room No. 10 National Bank building. The public is cordially invited.

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