

News of City and County

A. V. R. Snyder made a visit to Ballston yesterday.

Mrs. S. Taylor Jones was in Portland visiting Tuesday.

Dr. McNicol, Osteopathic Physician, Wm. Riddell of Monmouth was over to Dallas Wednesday.

J. J. Williams of Independence was a Dallas visitor Wednesday.

The Dallas Meat Market is adding to their cold storage facilities.

M. W. Black and wife of Airline were visitors in Dallas Wednesday.

Phelix Cormegys of Amity was in Dallas transacting business yesterday.

Cash paid for eggs by T. S. Townsend Creamery Company, 92-St.

Barham Bros. are at work remodeling the Uglow residence on Court St.

J. F. Ulrich was in Dallas Wednesday looking after County Fair matters.

W. J. Forrester of Portland was transacting business in Dallas this week.

Mrs. J. Montgomery has moved into one of Dr. Hayter's houses on Levens street.

H. A. Ypoom of Amity has been in Dallas this week attending Circuit Court.

We cut, fit and make our own suits.—Phil Begin, 67-4f.

W. E. Williams of Airline was in Dallas this week attending Circuit Court.

W. J. Kearth has moved into Charles Weston's new bungalow on Academy Street.

H. I. Price of the Price Bros. Clothing House made Oregon City a visit Sunday.

John J. Vick and Alva Thompson went to Salem Wednesday for a short business visit.

Rev. C. C. Curtis and wife made a short visit to Portland Tuesday, returning the same day.

—Many come miles to dine at the Gail.

A. M. Wood, W. N. Wood and G. Wood of Airline, were in Dallas transacting business Wednesday.

Sam Scooley has returned from Salem, and is back on his old job, working for Holmes & Grant.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Taylor of Washington Street in this city, Wednesday, February 4th, a boy.

We want to exchange cash for your eggs. T. S. Townsend Creamery Company, 92-St.

C. Whiteside, Lew Gray, Dick Scott and Fred Cooper of Corvallis were in Dallas this week attending Circuit Court.

Mrs. Thos. Fennell, Elizabeth Ingram and Mary Alice Plummer, of Independence were visiting in this city Wednesday.

If your husband is a good provider, you have "Prune City" flour in your home.—97-11.

A. N. Holman of Portland was in Dallas visiting with his father, Judge Holman and shaking hands with old friends yesterday.

Miss Pauline Snyder was down from Dallas Friday and spent the night at the T. J. Warren home.—McMinnville Register.

J. L. Atwater of Airline was in Dallas yesterday transacting business, and while in the city he made the Observer a pleasant call.

Bake day troubles fly out of the window when "Prune City" flour comes in at the door.—97-11.

The ladies of the Evangelical Church will sell home baking at Holmes & Boydston, Saturday the 14th of February.

C. H. Glos, one of the leading attorneys of Corvallis, came over from that city to attend Circuit Court, which is now in session in Dallas.

—The greatest thing in Dallas—a meal at the Gail.

J. W. Myers, a prosperous merchant of Hebo, Tillamook county, a former resident of this city, was in Dallas yesterday transacting business.

Mrs. E. A. Haan of Monmouth visited friends in Dallas on Tuesday.

Mr. Shiver and daughter from Greenwood Station were in Dallas the present week.

The Bee Hive now has one of the handsomest back grounds to its show window in the city.

Mrs. Gerald Volk who has been visiting friends in Portland and Forest Grove for the past week has returned home.

A little excitement was caused Tuesday when the Pop Corn machine took a notion to burn. It was a close call.

The Dallas Mercantile Company is having their display window decorated with a coat of paint which will add greatly to its appearance.

Don't be alarmed when you see a number of idle men walking around the city, they are not I. W. W., only jury men taking a little exercise to get a dose of ozone.

The Christian Women's Board of Missions met at the home of Mrs. Preston on Washington Street Wednesday afternoon and the regular program was carried out.

The Dallas Wood Company is ready to furnish you with mill wood. Good loads and good service. All wood cash on delivery. Phone 492. 96-4f.

Among the farmers who were in the city the past week, were the following from the Greenwood section, Ike Robinson, Alph Vernon, Ide Osborne, John Young and Martin Boyle.

Workmen are busy this week in the Masonic Lodge rooms, putting in steam fixtures, preparatory to connect with the Central Heating Plant. The next building to be connected with the heating plant will be the I. O. O. F. lodge rooms.

After February 1st, gasoline per gal. 20c. Lubricating oil much cheaper. Thres 20% cheaper. T. Catherwood. 95-E.O.I.

All business houses of Dallas were closed yesterday from 10 to 12 as a mark of the high esteem in which the people of this city held to the memory of Mrs. Dalton, whose funeral was held at the Presbyterian Church during these hours.

In the report of the Moose Orchestra the name of G. M. Stewart and the picture credited to him should have been Ray James a former resident of Falls City. As James claims to be better looking than Stewart, we make this correction.

"Prune City" flour makes lighter, whiter bread. 97-11.

Mrs. Thomas Hill of Portland, who has been here a short time with her mother, Mrs. Swanson, was presented with a bright girl Sunday. Mrs. Hill had made the trip here so as to be with her mother and have the services of her old family physician, Dr. McCallon of this city.

"The Octopus of American Politics, The Islam of America." Mormon Methods and Organization. Second on Issms at the Evangelical Church, Sunday evening, February 8th. Hear it. 97-11.

Mrs. Hattie Garrett of Independence was brought before Judge Teal yesterday to be tried for sanity. Doctors McCallon and Starbuck were called as examining physicians and they pronounced the lady insane.

Wilson vs. Yocom. In the case of Wilson vs. Yocom, a civil suit, the jury rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$317.09. This case was one of those which required a good deal of time and almost two days were consumed in getting the case before the jury. Vincent and Burdette of McMinnville represented the plaintiff and Oscar Hayter represented the defendant.

Polk County to Exhibit.

Charles Dunsmore was appointed on the exhibit committee of the Willamette Valley Association, which met at Salem this week and it was the unanimous opinion that the Valley should be well represented at the Panama Pacific Exposition. A committee was appointed to confer with the state exposition committee in regard to obtaining space in the agricultural building, the horticultural building and the Oregon building.

It was decided the Valley should have a space of at least 20 by 100 feet in the agricultural building.

The committee appointed to obtain the necessary space is composed of E. C. Roberts, Linn County; O. E. Freytag, Clackamas County; M. J. Duryea, Lane County; W. F. Groves, Benton County; A. O. Sarff, Yamhill County; E. W. Haines, Washington County; W. A. Taylor, Marion County; and Charles Dunsmore, Polk County.

It was decided to make the exhibit from the Valley as representative of the resources as possible and the only fear seemed to be that the space awarded would not be sufficient.

Among the members of the association present were—C. H. Stewart, president; E. C. Roberts and O. H. Russell, Linn County; O. E. Freytag, Clackamas County; M. J. Duryea, Lane County; W. F. Groves and C. C. Murphy, Benton County; A. O. Sarff and N. E. Britt, Yamhill County; E. W. Haines and C. A. Hanley, Washington County; W. A. Taylor, Marion County; and H. G. Campbell, Polk County.

Women's Club Concert.

The Women's Club Concert which was presented at the Armory Wednesday evening, was one of the best entertainments ever given in Dallas.

All of those participating seemed to be at their best. Those who failed to attend missed a great treat in music. Dallas is well supplied with musical talent and are thereby enabled to put on any kind of a program either instrumental or vocal.

There was a good audience present to enjoy the feast of music placed before them, and all present united in giving praise to those participating.

The Women's Club is one of the most wide awake organizations in our city, and whatever they do they do it right.

Such entertainments as this are always appreciated by the public. There is nothing that will do more to make the world better than music, which stirs and brings out all the better elements of mankind, and the ladies of this club should have a unanimous vote of thanks for the very excellent entertainment which they gave Wednesday evening.

Advice to Teachers.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Churchill announced that persons desiring to teach school next year should read one of the following books:

Charters—Teaching the Common Branches, c1913. Houghton Mifflin Co., Boston.

Chubb—The Teaching of English in the Elementary and Secondary School, c1902. (Teachers' professional library.) The Macmillan Co., New York.

Foght—The American Rural School. Its Characteristics, Its Future and Its Problems, c1910. The Macmillan Co., New York.

McMurry—How to Study and Teaching How to Study, c1909. Houghton Mifflin Co., Boston.

McMurry—Elementary School Standards, c1913. Word Book Company, Yonkers-on-Hudson, N. Y.

O'Shea—Everyday Problems in Teaching, c1912. Bobbs Merrill Co., Indianapolis.

Parker—History of Modern Elementary Education, c1912. Ginn & Co., Boston.

Puffer—Vocational Guidance, c1913. Rand McNally & Co., Chicago.

Weeks—Education of Tomorrow, c1913. Sturgis & Walton, New York.

The law requires that teachers who register certificates between the third Monday in June, 1914, and the third Monday in June, 1915, must make it clear to the County Superintendent that he has read one of the books. Those who read one of them last year are urged by Mr. Churchill to read a different one this year.

Philogian Program.

The Philogian Literary Society of the High School will give the following program in the High School Auditorium, Tuesday evening, February 10th, at eight o'clock.

"The Orange and Black." Philogian Chorus.

Instrumental Solo...Marorie Holman Review of the Opera "Carmen", Helen Casey.

Vocal Solo...Elva Lucas Accompanied by the H. S. Orchestra.

Reading...Goldie Bissel Vocal Solo...Lucille Hamilton

Review of "V. V. Eyes," Miss MacDonald.

Vocal Duo, Louise Miles and Elva Lucas.

Review of the Philogian work for the semester, Miss Horner.

High School Quartette.

Lemon Tree...Marie Griffin

Instrumental Music, Mariel Grant and Dorothy Bennett.

New Grand Jury.

The new grand jury chosen at this session of the Circuit Court, February 3rd, are as follows:—

L. Damon; C. W. Boyle; William Butterick; Henry Clifford; John Palmer; L. C. Sherwood.

Realty Transfers.

Transfers of real property in Polk County for the week ending February 5th, 1914. Corrected weekly by Sibbey & Eakin law and abstract office, Dallas, Oregon.

William E. Smith to Earnest M. Stone, lot in Monmouth, \$200.

I. E. Hooker and wife to Jennie M. Sliter, lots in Independence, \$100.

J. G. McIntosh and wife to J. L. Linn, lots in Independence, \$10.

J. F. Ulrich and wife to May Lewis, 1 acre T. 9-5, \$100.

George F. Vick and wife to J. M. & Effie M. Card, \$10.

George F. Vick and wife to J. M. and Effie M. Card, 164 acres T. 810, \$10.

Joseph T. Robertson to I. Govro, lots in Independence, \$1.

E. G. Syron et al to J. G. & Cora A. Whitman, 40 acres T. 6-5, \$1.

F. E. Fisher and wife to L. A. Bollman and V. C. Staats, lot in Dallas, \$10.

Matilda J. Ridgeway to Lloyd Ridgeway, 40 acres T. 6-6, \$10.

J. A. Mathews to G. P. and Elsie E. Bartlett, 81 acres T. 6-6, \$5650.

E. L. Baker and wife to M. W. Mix, lots in Independence, \$1700.

John P. Emmett and wife to Geo. H. and Mary A. Stoddard, 320 acres T. 6-4, \$11,200.

Geo. H. and Mary A. Stoddard to H. W. Waters, 320 acres T. 6-4, \$10.

H. W. Waters to F. W. Waters, 320 acres in T. 6-4, \$10.

Mary E. Gilson to Willamette Valley Lumber Co., 2 acres T. 7-5, \$1.

F. S. Crowley and wife to Charles D. Tree, lot in Falls City, \$10.

Pool Room Used as Pulpit.

The following from Independence was in a Portland paper yesterday.

Using the pool-room of R. L. Gains for a pulpit, Dr. H. Charles Dunsmore has given the first of a series of lectures and talks to the men, and he was received by a large, attentive audience. This series of talks is a result of the arrest and trial of the owners of the pool halls here last week when some of the ministers tried to close the halls on Sunday, without success. Dr. Dunsmore expressed himself as being in favor of keeping the pool halls open as long as the men had no other place for recreation on Sunday.

It is reported that the grand jury has indicted the owners of the halls, and will make another attempt to close them.

Women's Club.

The regular meeting of the Women's Club was held on Tuesday afternoon.

After a short business session and a pleasing instrumental solo by Miss Longmecker an interesting program of the drama was given by Mrs. Geo. Gerlinger and Miss Bertha Serr.

A number of visitors were present among them were Mrs. Ackerman, Miss Parrott, Mrs. Boehle and Mrs. Haan and Mrs. Staats of Monmouth.

Refreshments were served by the social committee.

Advertised Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed at Dallas Postoffice, February 2nd, 1914.

Burke, Mr. J. A.

Goss, Miss Floy

Miller, Mrs. Ida (3)

Mitchell, Mrs. Estar

McDonald, Miss Ethel

Singh, Mr. Saroop (2)

Tury, Mrs. Bertha

C. G. Coad, Postmaster.

Public Sale.

1 range, 1 heater, 1 dining table, 6 dining chairs, 2 rockers, 6 other chairs, 1 kitchen treasure, bedssteads, springs, mattresses, sanitary couch, 9 by 12 rug, 10 yd. carpet, kitchen utensils, dishes, crocks, fruit jars, canned fruit, and many other articles.

Tuesday, February 10th at 2 p. m. Bernhard Friesen, Washington and Lewis Streets, Dallas, Oregon. 97-11

Two Cougars Killed.

A. V. McCarter and J. P. Magers killed two cougars Monday on Mill Creek, only a short distance from this city. They were in Dallas yesterday to register for the bounty, and those who saw the skins say they were exceptionally large ones.

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BUY YOUR BEST GIRL A Valentine

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Your attendance will be appreciated.

POLK COUNTY NEWS

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OAK DALE

Melvin Green is quite indisposed.

Mrs. Leland Murphy is visiting in Falls City.

Miss Beth Wilson and brother James spent the week end at the Garwood place.

Chas. Bird has been enlarging a field by grubbing with George Robinson as assistant.

John and George Robinson are grubbing for themselves.

Rob McDonald is suffering with a sore head.

Mr. McDonald, Chas. Graham and John Robinson attended the O. A. C. exhibit at Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Frink of Falls City visited their son, Willis Sunday.

The many friends of Mrs. Malinda Kimball are giving her a post card shower today, February 6th in honor of her birthday.

Thos. Carl has been putting in a water wheel to furnish power for wood sawing and it is working very satisfactorily.

Mrs. Lirt Miller underwent an operation in the Dallas hospital Saturday and is doing well.

Mrs. M. D. Miller is keeping the children while their mother is in the hospital.

Little Norma Robinson has been having an attack of La Grippe.

OAK GROVE

Mrs. Pugh had some extensive dental work done last week going in to Salem Monday returning Saturday.

Mrs. A. G. Roberts and John Schaffer went to Dallas Monday afternoon.

Nettie Williamson and Emma Montgomery called on the former's sister, Edna Schaffer Monday afternoon.

Mr. Stevens and wife took two fifty gallon barrels of vinegar, six dozen eggs and nine dollars and forty cents worth of chickens to Salem last Wednesday.

J. E. Allen was in the neighborhood on business last week and visiting his daughter and family. He came Wednesday and returned Saturday.

Thad. Stevens' mare is very lame again. He hired a horse Monday afternoon and went to Millard Whites and got a load of white oats for seed, accompanied by his wife and son Allen.

Mrs. Pugh called at Mrs. Lewis Monday.

Ida and Fred Schukie spent Sunday at the Stevens' home and Olive went home with them to stay over night.

Guss Larson was in Salem Wednesday.

Benton is very ill with rheumatism. Millard White and wife was calling on the later's sister, Mrs. Warren Monday.

Mr. Warren and son was in Salem Monday.

Monday was the first day this year that we were free from rain. It had rained every day this year before.

PEDEE

Mr. Walter Bush is on the sick list also Grum Bevens.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. A. Buen and family visited Hester Brown last Sunday.

Mr. Alva Womer is building a fence, also Edwards Bros.

Mr. Walter West was a Pedee caller Saturday.

Mrs. Willie Bush was a Kings Valley visitor Thursday.

There is going to be a basket social at Pedee school house the 14th of this month.

There was a dance at Pedee Saturday night and a party at Friers, both were well attended and a good time was reported by those in attendance.

Mr. Richards went to Airline Sunday on business.

Miss Eva Womer visited her parents Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Ruban Hastings was a Dallas visitor a few days last week.

Mr. Henry Prowell was married last week.

PERRYDALE

Mr. Max Flanery made a trip to Portland to the automobile show and reports that it was the greatest ever.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mitchell were among those attending the auto show this week.

The program to be given by the C. W. B. M. Saturday evening promises to be a good one. Come and get your money's worth. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Fud Hedding returned Sunday from the hardware convention and reports a good session.

Mrs. Ewin Jennings returned Monday from La Grande. She has been visiting her daughter there for some time.

Harry Russell of Aberdeen, Wash., is among us again for a while.

Mr. Henry Key is having some carpenter work done on his old house.

RICKREALL

Mrs. Holt Croxley and daughter Vivian were in Portland last week.

Geo. Smith Sr., in in very poor health. Dr. Starbuck was called Sunday, but he is no better at this writing.