

POLK COUNTY NEWS

SMITHFIELD GLEANINGS.

J. H. Rempel Suffers Injuries—Other News of That Neighborhood.

Gerhard Diehm is the first farmer in this neighborhood to have the hay balers bale his hay. From eight and one half acres he harvested eighteen tons.

Frank Friesen, Jr., Mary Friesen, Anna Kliever, Peter and Henry Enns have returned from Pacific City, an ocean resort, enjoying a very pleasant time.

While returning from the German speaking and picnicking at Fir Villa, on the Fourth, J. H. Rempel had a narrow escape. An auto and several bicycles passed him on a bend in front of A. Warkentine's at about 8:30. He was thrown out of the buggy. His horse was entirely out of the harness, the top of the buggy was partially demolished and Mr. Rempel has several fractured ribs. Dr. Rempel of Dallas was called to attend to the injured man.

Herman Wiebe is the owner of a new Ranger bicycle.

Elizabeth, Gerhard, Peter and Helena Diehm, Henry and Anna Warkentine have been to the coast recently. They having a good time, but a little too early for fish.

Mr. B. Wiebe, Sr., is the owner of a new team, which he bought from D. Rempel of Bowersville for \$400.

Jacob Gerig and Ben Dirks of Pratum attended the German picnic on the Fourth.

Henry Glazeman is planting cabbage for Claud Diehm.

Cary Gilson and family were in Willamina visiting and also spending the Fourth.

Having heard that his brother, J. H. Rempel, got hurt, David Rempel being in Dallas at the time, got a motorcycle from a friend of his. When they got to the Hall hill near the Peters sisters' place the cycle struck a rock throwing both the driver and him off. His thumb and leg was bruised quite badly.

Peter Diehm has been hiving bees in the Bowersville neighborhood.

Mr. Glazeman is building a house for Mrs. Grandma Quiring on the other side of Polk.

The telephone lines are in a terrible shape, but will be repaired in a day or so.

Quite a few young folks were at F. Friesen's Saturday evening, having an ice cream supper.

WEST SALEM HAPPENINGS.

Nine Automobilists Pay Fines for Exceeding Speed Limit.

The recorder reports that nine had paid fines for violating the speed ordinance.

Rev. Maurie L. Bullock closed his ministerial work here Sunday evening, June 5th. He will start for Denver, Colorado, in the near future and will continue his college course there. Mr. Bullock hopes the change of climate will benefit his throat.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Cade entertained their son and wife and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cade and family, of Aberdeen, Wash., the last of the week.

Mr. Leslie Cade, formerly of West Salem but now of Albany, had a very serious fall from a hay mow a few days since. His physician says he will not be able to work any for some months.

Mr. N. E. Tyler, of Buena Vista, and grandson, Franklin Tyler of Woodburn, were over Sunday guests at the home of John R. and Mrs. Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Walters are enjoying a visit from their son, S. F. Walters, wife and family from Brookings, S. D., also their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Powell, from Sioux Falls, S. D. Mrs. Walters has disposed of his holdings in South Dakota and will make Oregon his future home, possibly in or near Salem.

Mrs. Powell will make an extended visit and if pleased with Oregon may locate here in the near future.

Mrs. Cherry, of Corvallis, has bought the McLach property and moved in.

The county road through West Salem has been oiled and the residents along the same are rejoicing over the laying of the dust.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eaton and son Kermit and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lawbaugh and family were jolly picnickers at Bybess' beautiful little lake recently.

MONMOUTH CELEBRATES.

Few Politicians Hover About the Eagle.—Personal Paragraphs.

One of the grandest Fourth of July celebrations ever held in Polk county was that at Monmouth last Saturday, when close to 3,000 persons assembled to observe the day in an appropriate manner. There were no drunks, no accidents, nothing but pure, unadulterated enjoyment. The parade was a feature of the occasion, and extended about one-half mile. The band furnished fine music and the Normal students made a splendid display. There were visitors here from Salem, Portland and from Eastern Oregon, to say nothing about those present from Independence and Dallas, the former coming en masse. A laughable feature of the parade was a patrol wagon filled with policemen, though their purpose was not made manifest, this being a law-abiding, peace-loving community.

The Hon. C. L. Hawley, candidate for state senator, and Ed. Smith, candidate for county clerk, were here on the Fourth greeting their many friends and acquaintances. Both are popular candidates, and their election by large majorities is predicted. Ed. Smith, it is conceded, made one of the very best clerks this county has ever had. Dr. Smith, democratic candidate for governor, was also here and made an address, but made no allusion to politics from the platform.

Miss Rose Smith, a teacher in the Portland High school, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smith.

Mr. Churchill of Eastern Oregon, formerly of Monmouth, spent a few days in town this week.

L. Russell of Washington state was in town Saturday, enjoying himself. William Parker, a brother of our postmaster, was here over Sunday. He is teaching school in Portland, being principal of the Vernon school.

Mrs. Rachel Waller was able to be out to see the parade on the fourth.

A. F. Huber, the rural mail carrier, says they are doing some good road work in Cooper hollow.

Mrs. Ernest Riddle of Northwest Monmouth was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Herren, this week.

Frank Mndock and family have moved to Yamhill county on a farm, where they will make their future home.

John Hook fell off of a load of hay the first of the week, dislocating the knee joint. He is doing well.

Mrs. Perna Johnson returned from Eastern Oregon last week. She had been visiting there.

C. E. Tate and wife and B. Brown and wife of Dallas, were guests of C. C. Lee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Newman and family spent the Fourth in Newberg with relatives.

PICNIC AT BUENA VISTA.

Sunday Schools Join in Celebrating on Fourth.—Other News-Notes.

The Sunday schools of the Methodist and Evangelical churches gave a picnic July 4 on the school-house lawn. An excellent program was rendered, consisting of music, the reading of the declaration of independence and other numbers, and at noon a bounteous dinner was spread under the shade of the trees. The afternoon was devoted to games and sports of different kinds.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Ballantyne and Mrs. Sarah Collins of Dallas spent the fourth at this place and were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. M. S. Bevens.

Bob Emmons and Clarence Reynolds returned Friday from Tillamook.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McClain are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter at their home.

Miss Evadna Smith returned from Lewisville Sunday, where she has been for several weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Cecil Embree.

W. S. McClain is erecting a fine new residence on his property here.

Miss Mildred Hall of Portland is spending her vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hall.

BALLSTON NEWS.

Mrs. J. S. Newbill is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Craven at Dallas.

A number of our people celebrated at Willamina.

J. H. Butler and family visited relatives near Willamina over Sunday.

Russell Harris of Willamina was in town Friday.

W. H. Morris and family returned Wednesday from a two weeks' outing at the coast.

Zelma Butler was home from Monmouth for a short visit the Fourth.

Mrs. C. L. Fisher and daughter Beulah of Portland visited friends here between trains Monday morning.

Forrest Craven was over from Rick-reall the first of the week.

Andrey and Robert Ruedy of Portland are visiting their uncle, Norman Tufford.

W. H. Morris and family attended a picnic at Newberg Monday.

ZENA AND SPRING VALLEY.

Mrs. Bessie Smith and Victor Simpson, of Unionvale, visited Sunday with their sister, Mrs. W. N. Crawford.

Mr. Shadle and family have returned to their Portland home.

Born, July 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Loren Walling, a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford and Howard Zinser enjoyed the attractions of Wilhoist Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKinney will spend the summer in Coos county.

The Crawford and the Stratton hay balers will start the latter part of this week.

OAKDALE.

The families of George Robinson, Don Miller, M. D. Miller, and Bruce Miller spent the Fourth up the La Creole.

The families of Chas. Bird, Clarence Sellers, J. W. Robinson, Mr. Ross, Joe Murphy, Fountain Murphy, Walter Barnhart, C. P. Burley, Mr. McVey, and O. E. Dennis spent the Fourth at Falls City.

Ray and Yoran Butler spent the Fourth at Falls City as members of the Dallas band.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Robbins of Greenwood spent Sunday at the Garwood place.

Newman Dennis, Forest and Lester Martin went up the La Creole

on a camping trip the last of the week.

Guy and Douglas Hubbard spent the Fourth at the latter's cabin in the Rock Creek country.

Claud Stanton and family attended the dance at Joe Gage's at Bridgeport Saturday night.

The families of Hugh Smith and Claud Stanton spent the Fourth at Jim Hubbard's.

Mrs. Shirk has been visiting relatives in Salem the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bird visited the family of Austel McCarter Sunday.

Henrietta Bird has been visiting her brother Charlie the past week.

Ben Thompson and M. D. Hubbard are on the sick list.

BOWERSVILLE.

Mr. C. B. Friesen is helping D. N. Kaegi haul hay from the Holt McDaniel place.

Mr. C. Swensen has built an addition to his barn.

A new house is being erected on the old Ramsey place, belonging to Genson.

A family by the name of Buller arrived here from California last week, Friday.

Mr. G. E. Kliever's prune drier has been completed.

The picnic given by the churches on the Rev. S. S. Ediger's place on the Fourth of July was well attended.

Mrs. G. E. Kliever and Mrs. J. Davis were business callers in Dallas on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Neufeldt and family visited with George Klievers last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Mortimer called on D. N. Kaegi's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Davis left last Thursday for Newport.

Mrs. W. Larson of Portland is visiting her mother, Mrs. O. Byerley, and is intending to stay for two weeks.

Band Concert Program.

Following is the program for the band concert tomorrow evening, beginning at 7:30:

March, "Universal Peace;" march, "Trooping of the Guards;" descriptive military fantasia, "The Battle of San Juan Hill;" characteristic march, "Chop Suey;" cornet solo, "Old Kentucky Home;" "Harmony Rag;" vocal solo, "Il Bacio," by Miss Elva Lucas and band accompaniment; march, "America Triumphant."

Unto Them Twins Are Born.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Thurston of Suver are rejoicing over the arrival at their home of twin girls. They made their appearance on July 2, one weighing 6 and the other 8 pounds. Mrs. N. C. Brown of this city is attending.

Proposal for Sale of County Fair and City Park Bonds of the City of Dallas, Polk County, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the purchase of the whole or any part of \$5,000.00 of County Fair and City Park Bonds of the City of Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, as authorized by Ordinance No. 231 of said City, will be received by the undersigned, Auditor and Police Judge of said City, until 6:30 o'clock p. m. on Monday, August 10, 1914. Said bonds will be fifty in number and in denominations of \$100.00 each. Each of said bonds will be dated August 15, 1914, payable in ten (10) years from date, and will bear interest at a rate not to exceed six (6) per cent. per annum, interest to be payable semi-annually on the 15th day of February and the 15th day of August of each year; both principal and interest to be payable in United States Gold Coin of the present standard of weight and fineness, at the Dallas City Bank in the City of Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, without charge, cost, or expense to the purchaser or holder of said bonds.

The said City of Dallas, Oregon, hereby reserves the right to take up and cancel said bonds, or any part of them, upon the payment of the face value thereof and the accrued interest to the date of such payment, at any semi-annual interest period at or after one year from the date of said bonds, to-wit: At or after one year from the 15th day of August, 1914.

The above named bonds will be sold to the highest bidder, by the said City of Dallas, Oregon, at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1914, in the Council Chamber in Dallas, Oregon. The bids must state the rate of interest, not exceeding 6 per cent. per annum; but said bonds shall not be sold for less than their face value, together with the accrued interest thereon from the day of their date to the date of their delivery. Said delivery of said bonds will be made at the office of the City Treasurer of the City of Dallas, Oregon.

The City Council of the City of Dallas, Oregon, hereby reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids must be marked "Bids for County Fair and City Park Bonds," accompanied by a certified check for ten (10) per cent. of the amount bid, and addressed to Charles Gregory, Auditor and Police Judge, Dallas, Polk County, Oregon.

Done by order of the City Council of the City of Dallas, Oregon, made and entered of record on the 6th day of July, 1914.

Witness my hand and the official seal of the City of Dallas, Oregon, this 8th day of July, A. D. 1914.

(Seal.) CHAS. GREGORY,

Auditor and Police Judge.

July 10-Aug. 7-Fri.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that Polly G. Siefarth, executrix of the estate of Andrew Siefarth, deceased, has filed her final account as such executrix in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, and that Saturday, the 8th day of August, 1914, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court Room of said County Court, in the Court House in the city of Dallas, Oregon, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections to the said final account and the settlement thereof.

Dated and first published, July 10, 1914.

POLLY G. SIEFARTH,

Executrix aforesaid.

OSCAR HAYTER, Attorney.

July 10-Aug. 7-Fri-x

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Mary A. Cutler, has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, administratrix of the estate of George E. Cutler, deceased, and has qualified.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present them, duly verified, with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice, to the undersigned administratrix at the law office of Oscar Hayter, in Dallas City Bank Building, in Dallas, Polk County, Oregon.

Dated and first published, July 3, 1914.

MARY A. CUTLER,

Administratrix aforesaid.

OSCAR HAYTER, Attorney.

July 3-July 24-Fri.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Under and pursuant to decree of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Yamhill, in a cause therein pending, wherein C. M. Bair is the plaintiff and William Rea, Jr., Elizabeth Sayer Rea, Rea Brothers Sheep Company, a corporation, and Smith Bros. Commission Co., a corporation, are defendants, and to make the full sum of Eighty-nine Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-four and 20-100 Dollars (\$89,784.20), principal, interest and attorney's fees by the decree adjudged to be due and owing from the defendant, William Rea, Jr., to the plaintiff, C. M. Bair, and the further sum of Fifty and 33-100 Dollars (\$50.33), the costs and disbursements of the suit, I will, on the 31st day of July, 1914, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon of said date, sell the following described property at public auction to the highest bidder for cash; an undivided one-half interest in and to the following described property, situate in the County of Polk, State of Oregon, and all right, title and interest had or held therein either by the defendant, William Rea, Jr., or the defendant, Smith Bros. Commission Co., as assignee of the said William Rea, Jr., the property, the undivided interest in which as aforesaid to be sold, being described as follows:

The West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$) of Section Twenty-seven (27) and all of Section Twenty-eight (28), in Township Six (6) South of Range Eight (8) West of Willamette Meridian.

By the decree aforesaid likewise the interest in the lands directed to be sold by the decree is charged with a lien by way of mortgage for the several sums of money directed to be made by the decree and sale thereunder. Process of the enforcement of the decree is in my hands. The sale of the said property so to be made to be made subject to redemption as provided by law. The sale to be made at the front door of the Court House in the County of Polk, City of Dallas.

J. M. GRANT,

Sheriff for the County of Polk, Oregon.

June 26-Aug. 7-Fri.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Polk. Pay Anthony, Plaintiff, vs. Robert Anthony, Defendant.

To Robert Anthony:—In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before the 10th day of July, 1914, said date being six weeks from the date ordered for the first publication of this summons, to-wit: six weeks from the 29th day of May, 1914, and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint, namely: for a decree dissolving forever the marriage contract now existing between yourself and plaintiff, for the custody of Robert Murray Anthony, the minor child, and for such other and further relief as the court may deem just.

You are further notified that this summons is ordered to be served upon you by publication thereof in the Polk County Observer, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, for six consecutive weeks, beginning on the 29th day of May, 1914, and the last publication thereof to be made on the 10th day of July, 1914, and you are further notified that this summons is served upon you pursuant to an order of the County Judge of Polk County, Oregon, said order bearing date of 27th day of May, 1914.

M'NARY, SMITH & SHIELDS,

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

May 29-July 10-Fri.

Some Trite Facts About Dallas In a Nut-Shell

Dallas has two planing mills and wood working factories, also an iron works and machine shop.

Dallas is a trade center for a vast surrounding territory.

Dallas has nine religious organizations, with seven edifices of worship.

Dallas has a modern sewer system, touching all sections of the city.

Dallas has many beautiful and costly homes. And the number is on the increase.

Dallas has an active Commercial club and a Woman's club constantly working for the material interests of the community.

Dallas is the starting point for the hunting and fishing grounds. Deer, grouse, pheasants and quail are here, while an occasional cougar or wildcat is found. Speckled beauties abound in the streams.

Dallas enjoys the reputation of being a clean town, with a good moral atmosphere.

Dallas has a \$15,000 armory, large and well equipped.

Dallas has a sawmill cutting over 15,000,000 feet per annum, and furnishing steady employment to 175 workmen.

Dallas is a ready market at good prices for everything raised on the farm. The local demand is greater than the supply.

Dallas has a volunteer fire department that fights the destroying element like old-timers.

Dallas probably handles more mo-hair than any other town in the state. Angora goats make money for their owners.

Dallas has two substantial financial institutions, occupying modern brick blocks.

Dallas has large tracts of standing timber tributary to it, dotted here and there with sawmills of the smaller class.

Dallas is picturesquely situated on the LaCreole river, and has a happy and contented population of about 3,000, 90 per cent American.

Dallas has some knockers; but, thank the Lord, they are in the minority.

Dallas has good transportation facilities, both passenger and freight.

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