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**FALLS CITY**

W. T. Harris, who has been ill with an attack of LaGrippe for a few days is on the mend.

I. S. Lee of Portland, was a guest of friends here a few days last week. C. J. Meyers visited the capital city one day last week.

Frank Ford of Portland, was entertained at the home of Walter L. Toose a part of the preceding week. Mrs. H. Berry of Salem, is visiting friends in this village.

Miss Emma Kramer of Salem, is visiting at the home of J. C. Kramer. C. H. Trask has sold his farm near here. We understand that he will move to town indefinitely.

Typhoid fever is quite prevalent here at present. There are said to be two severe cases in the Olson family.

C. H. Brown has been entertaining a friend from Boston, Mass. A. Ford of Newport, is visiting in the city.

The county school superintendent, H. C. Seymour, was looking after the interest of the schools in this vicinity last week.

The motion picture show is again in operation. Mr. and Mrs. C. Oxford are visiting relatives in Linn county.

In 1900 Falls City had a population of 600. Now, according to Government census the population is 1092. The town has increased more, according to its opportunities, than any other place in the county.

The question of water works is the topic of conversation all over town now.

**BASKET BALL AT DALLAS**

The first and second basket ball teams of the Independence high school went to Dallas Friday evening and met the first and second teams at that place in two rather interesting contests. The score of the first team was 38 to 15 in favor of Dallas and in the second game the Juniors of the county seat won out by a score of 5 to 3. There was some handsome team work in both games.

**NOTICE**

Independence, Ore., Dec. 22, 1910. To Mrs. Pearl Mattney:

You are hereby notified that an assessment has been made by the City Council of the City of Independence, Polk County, Oregon, and entered in the docket of the city liens thereof against lots 3 and 4 in Block No. 4, in Thorp's Town of Independence, Polk County, Oregon, in the sum of \$70.00 for the purpose of repairing the sidewalk on Boat Landing Street therein and adjacent to said lots; that the same is now due and must be paid to the City Treasurer of said City of Independence not later than 10 days from the date of this notice or service thereof upon you; That said assessment was duly entered in said docket of city liens on the 2nd day of December, 1910, and the amount of said assessment therein entered is \$70.00; That the number of the lots so assessed and the number of the block in which situated is entered therein as lots No. 3 and 4 in Block 4, Thorp's Town of Independence, Polk County, Oregon; the name of the owner thereof as entered in said Lien docket is Mrs. Pearl Mattney.

By order of the City Council of said City of Independence.

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W. S. KURRE,

City Recorder of the City of Independence, Oregon.

**NEWS FROM THE COUNTY SEAT**

In the matter of the petition to locate a new school district to be known as Joint District No. 70, with Yamhill county ordered that the matter be continued for further hearing to the May term of court.

In the matter of the change in boundaries of School Districts Nos. 35 and 40; petition granted.

The bonds of the following officers were approved: E. M. Smith, County Clerk; Tracy Staats, Treasurer; J. M. Grant, Sheriff; Hardy Holman, Justice of the Peace, District No. 3; B. Wilson, Justice of the Peace, District No. 5; J. H. Flower, District No. 4; R. L. Chapman, Coroner; George W. Chamberlain, Constable District No. 2; A. E. Myers, Constable, District No. 4; C. L. Hubbard, Constable, District No. 23; B. F. Beasley, Surveyor; Peter Cook, Commander of General Gibson Post, No. 44, G. A. R.

Appointments of A. F. Toner as Deputy County Clerk and J. E. Richter, as Deputy Sheriff, were approved.

Deed of R. M. Smith et ux, for rights of way for road, accepted and ordered recorded.

The new high school building in this city was opened for service last Monday. It is the intention to have two grades of the public school occupy a part of the building.

The city council is advertising to sell bonds for the improvement of Washington street which was macadamized a short time ago.

Prof. Seymore went to Salem Saturday to attend an educational meeting.

The post office business in this city has increased to such an extent that the office is now ranked in the second class. This will allow extra clerk hire.

The Dallas basket ball team went to Monmouth Saturday to meet the team there in a game.

W. T. Stolz of Salem, has purchased 256 acres of land near here.

Judge Galloway held a short term of circuit court here last week and disposed of the cases on the docket.

The school week in Dallas College was resumed Monday after a vacation of two weeks.

**ENGINE FAILS TO WORK**

Messrs. Hicks, Whitney, Clay and Whitcomb started for Salem Sunday in the launch, Comt. They had proceeded only a short distance down the river when the engine refused to respond and the boys found themselves floating toward the Columbia as rapidly as the current could carry them. There seemed to be no possibility of escape for the pleasure seekers. It was either swim or go on down the river until such time as the boat might strike land by mere accident. Hicks has not spent many years of his life on the water and to him it was not an interesting adventure. To be cast away on an island like Robinson Crusoe or float on down to the Pacific was not a pleasant thought.

Just as the excitement was becoming intense, however, the launch, Alce, happened along and pulled the boat and its unfortunate crew back to land. Mr. Hicks will walk the next time he starts to Salem.

**THE CANNING FACTORY**

In our brief write-up of Independence last week we failed to mention the large canning factory and packing plant located here. The building was erected some time ago, but it is not occupied at the present time. The building is owned by a stock company and it is to be hoped that an effort will be made soon to get the enterprise into hands that will keep it in operation. It would seem that if half the fruit wasted in the fields each year could be consumed in this factory and a market established for the same, the institution could be made to yield dividends to the satisfaction of all interested.

Suppose the board of directors would turn the property over to responsible parties without cost for a term of years and allow them time to place it on paying basis.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of Allen W. Stansberry, deceased, by the county court of the state of Oregon, for Polk county, and has qualified.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefore, to the undersigned executrix at her residence in the city of Independence, Polk county, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated and first published December 30th, 1910. 31-36. Mary E. Stansberry, Executrix of the estate of Allen W. Stansberry, deceased. B. F. Swope, Attorney.

Emerson Graves was in Dallas one day last week.

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