

Mrs. Quinn, of Eugene, was a guest at the Dr. Russell home last week.

The January term of the Polk county Circuit Court convened at Dallas Monday.

H. E. Hulbert, who has been the local manager for the Mountain States Power Company, has resigned his position to take effect the 15th. He will engage in business for himself.

F. O. Parker was home last week for a little repairing. He has been under the weather but is again feeling like himself and is able to resume his work as State Guard at the Penitentiary.

The Farmers State Bank held its annual meeting of the stockholders on Thursday, January 8th, and the affairs of that institution were found to be in a flourishing condition. The board now consist of J. B. Parker, Edward Rex, G. A. Wells, C. De Armond, and C. W. Irvine. Officers chosen were the same as last year, C. W. Irvine, president, J. B. Parker, vice-president; O. G. Irvine, cashier; and N. C. Smith, assistant cashier. During the past year this bank has erected one of its own buildings and has every device of modern science, installed for the protection of its patrons. The bank just closed its most prosperous year paying a dividend of 8 percent at the end of the term. Also placing an addition of \$1500.00 to their surplus account and leaving the balance of their 1919 earnings undivided.

Dr. Thompson has purchased and will operate during 1920, one of the latest and most scientific instruments known to optical science, which assures his patrons of absolutely correct glasses. This brings his standard of examination up to "second to none" in the state. Don't fail to have Dr. Thompson demonstrate, and examine your eyes, with this wonderful instrument—next visit Thursday January 23rd, at Beaver Hotel all day.

Dr. Dunsmore spent Sunday with his daughter in Portland. He tells us that his son-in-law Mr. Macy, is now the head buyer for the Spaulding Lumber Company.

A. T. Solie and sister, of Whalan, Minn., are visiting their brother O. T. Solie. They very much pleased with Oregon and have decided to sell their farm as soon as they get home and return to Oregon.

We understand that H. Hirschberg has again leased his building to the government for a postoffice. He has been having it overhauled and now is recognized by the traveling public as being the best and cleanest appearing office in the county.

A large crowd of representative tax payers attended the special school meeting called by the chairman for the purpose of bonding the district to erect a gymnasium as well as to elect another director to fill the vacancy made vacant by the removal of E. E. Paddock. The unanimous sentiment was strongly in favor of the erection of a gymnasium, as the need for such a building in conjunction with our schools was apparent to every one. M. H. Pengra, a young and conservative business man, and manager of the Oregon Gravel and Contracting Company, was chosen as director. He will make a good member and is progressive as well as enterprising.

One Sunday recently a farmer from the Eola section drove to the county seat and demanded the arrest of a neighbors working crew saying that they were violating the Sabbath. The attorney was busy pulling weeds in his garden and suggested that the complainant go before a justice of the peace, but was informed that the justice was fixing his windmill. He was then told to phone to the sheriff but the latter was busy loading cattle. The farmer was exasperated and resolved to go for a constable, but his good wife, who was then busy canning fruit, informed him that the boys had driven the horse to the village and were playing baseball.

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At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Independence National Bank, C. A. McLaughlin was chosen vice-president to succeed Dave Sears.

Dean H. Walker, of Eugene, has been elected alderman from the first ward in that city. Good for Dean.

The new Baptist minister arrived last week and is now comfortably domiciled in the parish parsonage on Fifth street.

Mrs. Damon went to Portland on Wednesday. Her son is recovering from a slight operation performed at one of the hospitals in that city and if he is able will return with her.

The officers of the Eastern Star were formerly installed by Mrs. W. J. Clark, retiring Worthy Matron, at a public installation held on Tuesday evening, which was attended by a large number. After the installation a program was rendered which was pleasing to everyone and later all retired to the dining room to partake of light refreshments.

The Merchants Association should see to it that all citizens are properly counted as it is important that everyone one be duly enumerated and that the city is given due credit for its full number. A town that shows no gain from one census to another—every ten years—is not a very attractive place for outside capital to invest in, as it shows something is radically wrong or the town is "no good." A town that shows a gain, invites others to settle here, besides enhances the value of your property. Let's see that every one is counted in the census.

Orders for slab work will be received at the Enterprise office for the Hoskins Mills. Order today.

We are told that there are no marriages or giving in marriage in heaven. Said to be a nice place to live in, too.

Will Cocker reported to Sheriff Orr that a few nights ago some one stole two row boats that belonged to him. Two boys in this city are suspected.

P. O. Powell of Monmouth, was chosen president of the Polk County Fair Association for the coming year. Verd Hill left yesterday for Tacoma, Washington, where he will make his sister a week's visit.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Popular Gospel Meetings conducted by Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Driver are still continuing and show increased interest. Mr. and Mrs. Driver are the chapel car evangelists and are going from town to town doing a wonderful work and preaching the gospel. The pastor of the Baptist church where the meetings are being held, will preach Sunday morning and Rev. W. C. Driver will hold a special meeting in the Chapel car on Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. and then again at the Baptist church Sunday night at 7.30. If you love good singing and a straight message, come to these meetings. The public is most cordially invited.

Men Look at His Fellow Man

Do You Envy Him or Do You Pity Him?

He is a man who has not cared much about his health or appearance. You see many just like him every day. They are all the same—they have no purpose in life.

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