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The way to build up Dallas is to patronize Dallas people.

Dallas will get another large sawmill in the near future. The OBSERVER is not at liberty to divulge the plans of the men who are behind the enterprise, but it is sufficient at this time to say that the mill will be built, and that it will be operated on a scale that will materially aid the growth and business of the town. Dallas is already prosperous—and the good times are just beginning.

Dallas is becoming a railroad center of no small importance. The county seat of Polk county now has connection with the outside world by three lines of railroad. The Southern Pacific operates a daily passenger train between this city and Portland, leaving Dallas at 7 a. m., and arriving at 7:20 p. m. The Independence motor connects with this train in the evening, and carries passengers to Monmouth and Independence. The motor also gives the people of Dallas connection with the West Side train, to and from Portland. The Dallas & Falls City railroad leaves Dallas in the morning a few minutes after the departure of the Portland passenger train, and returns in time to give the Falls City people connection with the afternoon train to Portland. The Falls City train leaves Dallas again in the afternoon and returns at night before the departure of the Independence motor. By coming on this train, and staying in Dallas over night, the Falls City people are enabled to catch the early morning train for Portland. As the train service is increased, the mail facilities are also extended and improved. The Southern Pacific depot is a busy place these days, and it is no uncommon sight to see four or five trains in the yards at one time. Dallas is coming to the front at a very satisfactory pace.

The following sensible editorial is taken from the columns of the Dallas Collegian, a paper published by the bright boys and girls of Dallas College: "As the city of Dallas has voted to institute a system of waterworks, the people of Dallas will thereby be greatly benefited. Dallas, a thriving inland city of about 1500 inhabitants, the metropolis and county seat of Polk county, is by no means slow. Up-to-date in every thing pertaining to the upbuilding of the town and surrounding country, she has recognized the fact that this deficiency should be attended to. That waterworks have long been needed by the city is doubted by no one It will be a great help in improving the lawns and also save much time and labor. The College especially should see that this much needed article will be of great use to it and its patrons. In laboratory work it is indispensable, and again baths may be fixed up in the gymnasium by means of which the young athletes may take their shower baths and not have to use a bucket and sponge. The deficiency, which has long been a drawback to the city, when completed, will become one of the many factors which makes our little city a center of attraction and an object of admiration to all who sojourn here, and at the same time remove the danger of fever and sickness to which we are subject by using the water from the shallow wells about town."

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TO RUN THE CAMPAIGN

There is probably some truth in the report that President Roosevelt would like to have Senator Hanna remain at the head of the national committee and to manage the campaign of 1904. The senator is an able and popular man, who has shown his capability as a campaign director by his good work in 1896 and 1900. Probably no man in the country could have managed those campaigns better than did the Ohio statesman. He had the whole situation at his command throughout the entire battle in each year. The Republican party had confidence in his ability even in the campaign of 1896, when he was comparatively a new man in politics. The skillful manner in which he managed the preliminary work in getting the nomination for McKinley showed that he was an adept at the business of winning and holding the support of men. Nobody probably could do better work in this direction in 1904 than could the present head of the committee.

But, of course, the Republicans are not restricted to any one man as a party manager for the coming campaign. Under any sort of leadership in the national committee which can be adopted they have an excellent chance to sweep the country. It is said that Senator Foraker would like to take the job of managing the canvass if Senator Hanna should decline. There is no doubt that Senator Foraker could also put up a very acceptable canvass. The senior senator from Ohio has had considerable experience as a party manager in his own state, and has generally risen to the requirements of the situation.

The conditions will make the Republican canvass easy for the man who will be in charge of it. The Republican party, by its wise legislation, has won the confidence of an overwhelming majority of the people of the country. Theodore Roosevelt, its candidate to be, is a man of great personal popularity throughout the North and West. There is a possibility that he may not win any Southern states beyond those which have been giving their votes to the Republicans in recent canvasses, but this is a matter of no consequence. He will carry in 1904 all the states of the North and West that were won for the McKinley and Roosevelt ticket in 1900. There can hardly be any doubt on this point. There is a strong probability that he will carry some of the four Western states which were held by Bryan in that year. These were Colorado, Idaho, Montana and Nevada. All are on the Republican side already except Nevada, and there is a good chance to get that next year. The outlook for the Republicans on the eve of a great national campaign was never brighter than it is this year. The party's record and the strength of its presidential candidate will make the work of victory easy for the man who manages the campaign of 1904.—Globe Democrat.

The OBSERVER acknowledges the receipt of a copy of the 21st annual catalogue of the Oregon State Normal School, at Monmouth. The Normal is doing good work, and is enjoying a healthy growth. The number of students enrolled in the Normal Department last year was 214. Prospects are bright for a still larger attendance next year.

Ralph Hill has a position as salesman in Brown & Keyt's store.

Miss Geraldine Foley, of Portland, visited at the home of Mrs. Alice Dempsey this week.

Attention is called to the display ad of Pollock's Cash Store, on page 2 of this issue. New goods are constantly being received, and great bargains are offered in all lines. Your patronage is respectfully solicited.

Rev. James Moore, the new pastor of the M. E. Church, has arrived in Dallas with his wife and two children and taken up his residence in the parsonage. He preached his first sermon Sunday morning. Rev. Moore is a recent arrival from the East, and is an able preacher, as well as a gentleman of fine social qualities.

County School Superintendent C. L. Starr went to Corvallis, Tuesday, and in the evening drove out to Bellfountain, where he delivered the address to the public school graduating class.

Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Cary left Monday for Ohio to visit an aged aunt with whom the Doctor made his home from early boyhood. The old lady is rapidly failing in health, and it is thought cannot live many months. Dr. and Mrs. Cary will return home about August 15.

The crowning joy of womanhood is motherhood and the crowning joy of motherhood is to have healthy children. But there can be no joy in motherhood without health, and without health for the mother there can be no health for the child.

It is of vital importance for women to know that the health of mother and child is in general entirely within woman's control. The thousands of women who have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription when expecting motherhood, have testified that it made them healthy and happy in the days of waiting, made the baby's advent practically painless, and gave them health to give their children.

Mrs. W. J. Kidder, of Hill Dale Farm (Enosburg Center), Enosburg, Vt., writes: "During the past year I found myself expecting maternity, and in rapidly failing health. I suffered dreadfully from bloating and urinary difficulty. I was growing perceptibly weaker each day and suffered much sharp pain at times. I felt that something must be done. I sought your advice and received a prompt reply. Took twelve bottles of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and also followed your instructions. I began to improve immediately, my health became excellent, and I could do all my own work (we live on a good sized farm). I walked and rode all I could, and enjoyed it. I had a short, easy confinement and have a healthy baby boy."

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Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bryan drove over to Salem and attended the carnival this week.

Frank W. Shriver and Miss Zaidee O. Chambers were married at Vancouver, Wash., Thursday, June 25. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Shriver, of this city, and his bride is a daughter of Mrs. Martha Chambers. The young man is employed as a brakeman on the Northern Pacific. They will reside at Hoquiam, Wash. The young people have the best wishes of many friends in their new relation.

Miss Hettie Orchard, who formerly resided in Dallas, had a narrow escape from drowning in the Heppner flood. Miss Orchard was standing on the porch of a restaurant when the rush of water came on. The porch was torn loose from the building and swept away by the torrent. The young lady clung to the broken timbers and was rescued after floating about two blocks. She was severely bruised about the head and shoulders by the falling of the porch roof.

The members of the Court of Queen Anna I attending the Salem carnival on the opening night were Frank Kerslake, chamberlain; Fred B. West, jester; Miss Hallie Morrison, of Dallas, and Mrs. Annetta Hooper, of Independence, maids of honor; Harold Madison and Harold Hart, pages. Queen Anna and her Court occupied places on the platform directly to the right of the throne of Queen Agnes I, of the Salem carnival, and were given a hearty reception when introduced to the audience by General Manager N. J. Judah. All speak in the highest terms of the cordial treatment accorded them by the members of the Salem carnival committee.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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I V Lynch et ux to T D Hollowell et al, lot 5, block S, Falls City, $350.

John Parker et ux to A W Fletcher, 155.37 acres, t 7 s, r 6 w, $1200.

Orlando Upton to A W Peebles et ux, 31.62 acres, t 7 s, r 3 w, $800.

A E and J M Campbell to M L Robbins, lot 4, block 18, Imp Co add to Dallas, $100.

W L Gilson et ux to H H Starr, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block O, Falls City, $250.

L R Green et al to R P Boise Jr., 42.50 acres, t 6 s, r 3 w, $1050.

R. P. Boise Jr. et ux to Gilbert & Patterson, 42.50 acres, t6s, r3w, $1050.

Andreas Erdman et ux to Edward Hoxsie, 34.76 acres, t6s, r6w, $600.

Robert Ellis to G. H. Carlson, 62.50 acres, t9s, r3w, $150.

Harriet L. Veazie to Chas. H. Johnson, 4.73 acres, t7s, r5w, $300.

M. E. Wester to F. W. Royal, tract in Ballston, $50.

ARE PAYING TAXES

Corporations Do Not Appear to Desire to Evade New Law.

The Southern Pacific Company, of Kentucky, with a capital stock of $197,849,227.40, was among the corporations which filed its annual report in the office of the Secretary of State Wednesday. The Oregon & California Railroad Company, with a capital stock of $19,000,000, also filed a report. The reports show that E. H. Harriman is president of both companies; that Richard Koehler has been appointed agent in Oregon and George H. Andrews attorney in fact.

Although the time for filing reports has expired, about 100 corporations presented their annual statements today. Those who are delinquent may report within in 20 days, but after that time they will be subject to a fine o $100. All the leading companies are filing their reports as required by law and many are already paying their license taxes, although these are not due until July 15. So far as appears at the office of the Secretary of State there is no disposition to evade the law, for those who are late in filing their reports seem to have delayed through negligence. Some of those who have been talking of testing the validity of the law by suits in court have complied with its provisions.

Secretary of State Dunbar has no fear that the act of 1903, imposing a license tax, will be declared unconstitutional, for similar laws in other states, requiring the payment of much heavier taxes, have been upheld. The contests in other states were based upon the contention that the corporations had already paid taxes upon their property and that the license tax laws were unconstitutional, because they imposed double taxation. The courts held, however, that the license taxes were fees required as compensation for the privilege of doing business as corporations, a privilege expressly conferred by the state.

The general belief that the Oregon corporation tax law is constitutional is shown by the fact that companies represented by the leading attorneys of Portland have filed their reports without a protest. If there were any doubt about the validity of the law, these attorneys would be likely to know it. A few smaller companies have written to the Secretary of State expressing a doubt as to the validity of the law, but in every instance he informs them that the law will be strictly enforced and that companies desiring to maintain their right to transact business in this state as corporations must comply with its terms.

It is a fact, which has not been given much prominence, that the new corporation tax law cuts off a considerable slice from the income of the Secretary of State. Under the old law the Secretary was allowed to put in his own pocket such small fees as the corporations were required to pay. In helping to frame and secure the passage of the new law, and in enforcing it, Secretary of State Dunbar therefore works against his own financial interests, but in the interests of the state.—Oregonian.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

The largest sum ever paid for a prescription, changed hands in San Francisco, August 30, 1901. The transfer involved in coin and stock $112,500.00 and was paid by a party of business men for a specific for Bright's Disease and Diabetes, hitherto incurable diseases.

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Notice of Appointment of Administrator.

Notice is hereby given, that I the undersigned D. J. Riley, have been appointed by the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, Administrator of the estate of Mary F. Riley deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are required to present the same to the undersigned at the law office of Butler & Coad in Dallas, Polk county, Oregon, within six months from date hereof.

Dated this July 3rd, 1903.

D. J. RILEY,
Administrator of estate of Mary F. Riley, deceased.

Administrator's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to and by virtue of an order of sale made and entered by the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Ebert W. Thompson, deceased, on the 29th day of June, 1903, will, from and after the 1st day of August, 1903, sell, at private sale, for cash in hand, the following described real property belonging to the estate of said deceased, to-wit: An undivided one fourth of the nine-tenths interest in Lot No. 5 in Block No. 10 of the original town of Dallas, in the County of Polk and State of Oregon, the same being the premises upon which the Hotel Gail now stands.

J. B. THOMPSON,
Administrator of the estate of Ebert W. Thompson, deceased.
Hewitt & Sox, Attorneys for Administrator.

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