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



A USELESS MEASURE

The four Circuit Judges in Multnomah County did a good job when they gave the "solar plexus" to the initiative and referendum. It is sincerely to be hoped that the Supreme Court will take a like course in the matter, and hit it a jolt that will put it to sleep for all time to come.

When a man brings a suit against another through spite, backed by taxpayers' money for costs, it would be the correct thing for the courts to tax the costs against him personally, should he utterly fail to show a cause for action and show conclusively by his own acts that he forced the defendant into court.

According to reports received from correspondents throughout the Valley, Oregon will produce about 65,000 bales of hops this year, if conditions in the yard remain as they now are until picking time, says Monday's Oregonian.

The proposed initiative and referendum amendment to the constitution of Oregon has been endorsed and recommended by the Republican state convention, the Democratic state convention, and the Socialist state convention.

Just how many thousand votes were recorded against the measure through the publication of this paragraph will probably never be definitely known. Certain it is that the number influenced by the OBSERVER'S opposition did not exceed 5,000, for that was the total number of votes cast against the amendment.

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came due on June 6, but the railroad committee of the Board of Trade extended this time 30 days in order to give each subscriber a chance to arrange for meeting his obligation. All the heavy subscribers have paid, and many of the smaller ones have taken up their contracts, and those who are in arrears should lose no time in doing likewise. The obligation is an honest one, and should be promptly met. The committee having the collection of the subsidy in charge are all busy men, and have but little time to devote to matters outside their stores and offices. Remember that the members of this committee gave liberally of their own means to aid the railroad, and that it is not fair to expect them to leave their work at this busy season of the year to collect money that should be paid voluntarily by those who subscribed it. Mr. Gerlinger has done much for Dallas, and is in a position to do infinitely more in the future. The friendship and good will of such a man is worth having, and the OBSERVER sincerely hopes that those who have neglected to pay will now come forward and meet their pledges.

charge of the Molson farm, near Derry, and will spend the Summer in Polk county. Mr. McArthur has been engaged in newspaper work most of the time since finishing his course at the University of Oregon three years ago. He first secured a position as reporter on the Morning Oregonian, and was rapidly achieving success when falling sight caused him to resign his position. After a few months' vacation, he entered the Portland office of the Associated Press as night reporter, but his eyes were unequal to the strain imposed upon them, and he was obliged to retire from the work a second time. He will probably take up the study of law next Winter.

The Fourth of July celebration in Independence this year was one of the largest and most successful affairs of the kind ever held in Polk county. The town was crowded with people, and an excellently arranged program was carried out in good shape. The morning parade was an imposing one, some of the floats prepared by the secret societies and business men being especially beautiful. Hon. L. T. Harris, the brilliant young lawyer from Lane county, and Speaker of the Oregon House of Representatives, delivered the oration, and Prof. Ed. M. Smith, of Monmouth, read the Declaration of Independence. The barbecue dinner was an enjoyable feature of the day, several fat beefs and sheep being nicely roasted and served to all who desired any of the delicious meat. The early part of the afternoon was given over to the races and athletic sports on Main street, and at 3 o'clock a baseball game was played between Independence and Polk Station, in which the latter team was badly defeated. The festivities closed with a grand ball at the Auditorium in the evening.

A large number of Dallas people attended the celebration, and the motor was taxed to its full capacity each trip in handling the passengers. All returned home well pleased with the splendid entertainment provided. A special motor was also run from Corvallis, and the river boats made several trips between Independence and Salem during the day.

Just About Bedtime. take a Little Early Riser—it will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Riser are different from other pills. They do not gripe and break down the mucous membranes of the stomach, liver and bowels, but cure by gently rousing the secretions and giving strength to these organs. For sale by Belt & Cherrington.

COURT HOUSE NOTES COMMISSIONERS' COURT In the matter of fixing bonds of warehousemen—ordered that bonds be fixed at the rate of 10 cents per bushel of the estimated amount of grain which such warehouseman expects to store, but in no case shall such bond be less than \$1000.

Resignation of C. W. Boyle, road supervisor of District No. 13, accepted, and James Boydston appointed to fill the vacancy.

Bond of R. C. Craven as warehouseman approved, and ordered that license issue.

County Treasurer Dalton exhibits cancelled warrants as follows: County, \$26,637.01; special, \$7,867.11; road, \$3,638.67; state tax, \$11,572.40; receipts from School Superintendent, \$796.15.

CLAIMS ALLOWED F. J. Coad, supplies, \$ 5 00 Mrs M A Tetherow, pauper acct, 7 00 F Fraundtner, same, 5 15 D G Meador, same, 8 00 C E Huntley, same, 11 35 C F Royal & Son, bridge, 800 00 H Holman, justice court, 40 80 W F Nichols, salary, 65 00 W B Daggett, same, 27 50 F E Meyer, same, 78 00 Mrs F E Meyer, same, 20 00 A Huston, same, 25 00



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FINISH BALING TODAY Amount of Wool in Polk County Pool Was 206,716 Pounds.

Bushard & Robson, of Albany, the purchasers of the Polk County wool pool will finish the work of baling the wool today. Four cars have already been shipped to New York, and the remainder will be shipped within the next few days. The total amount of wool in the pool was 206,716 pounds.

Special motor to Ballston, Sunday. Will Holman has secured a position as salesman in Ellis & Key's store.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

J F Goode et ux to Thomas O Gosser, 140.36 acres, t 7 s, r 4 w, \$6350. F A Douty to J W Kirkland, part of lots 2 and 3, block 3, Hill's Independence, \$2250. F E Starbuck et ux to J A Krenis, 47.58 acres, t 7 s, r 3 and 4 w, \$2370. E F Sargeant et ux to John Nelson, 160 acres, t 6 s, r 5 w, \$4700. Frank Butler et ux to J T and J O Chamberlain, 60-100 acres, t 8 s, r 6 w, \$60. W L Bice et ux to Luena M Fisher, lots 6, 7 and 8, block 19, Thorp's Independence, \$170. R J Kinney et ux to N H Smith, 100 acres, t 8 s, r 5 w, \$3655. D J Riley to M J Clark, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 4, Lovelady's add to Dallas, \$3000. H E and J G VanOrsdel to Phy Simpson, 160 acres, t 9 s, r 7 w, \$50. H S Montgomery et ux to C P Darling, lot 3, block D, Falls City, South, \$150. Lucinda Baldwin to G H and H Reuf, 159.18 acres, t 8 s, r 4 w, \$9650.80. Dundee M & T I Co to Alliance Trust Co, 160 acres, t 9 s, r 4 w, \$1. Dundee M & T I Co to Alliance Trust Co, 140 acres, t 9 s, r 6 w, \$1. D A Elkins to B Gldner, south one-half lots 5 and 6, block 13, Dallas, \$148. Polk County Land Company to J Dornisfe, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 9, Talmage, \$60. H G Campbell to Annie Nosler, tract in Monmouth, \$30.

CIRCUIT COURT

Judge R. P. Boise held an adjourned term of Circuit Court, Department No. 2, on Monday and Tuesday of this week. Several cases of minor importance were tried. Docket entries were made as follows: James Helmick et al vs Laban Case, suit to quiet title. Default and decree. Samuel O Work vs Fanny Work, divorce. Divorce granted; children awarded to plaintiff. H. W. Bancroft vs Emaline Bancroft, divorce. Divorce granted. Nettie B Hasbrook vs Ben Hasbrook, divorce. Divorce granted. Albert Harper vs George W Willson et al, suit to quiet title. Default and decree. George A. Muscott vs Katharine Muscott, divorce. Divorce granted. John B. Teal vs Bryan-Lucas Lumber Co, suit in equity. Settled and dismissed.

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Notice to Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Dallas City Bank will be held at the Bank parlors on Saturday, July 18, 1903, at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing officers and transacting such further business as may come before the meeting.

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