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to the Grande Ronde and to Boise City, and the mining districts of Idaho. The proposed Portland, Dalles and Kelton Railroad, connecting the Columbia with the Central Pacific, is expected to pass through Pendleton, giving it quite a central character. Good roads already lead to the various surrounding towns, bringing it considerable trade. The large valleys of Birch Creek, the Hautomah, and of Wild Horse Creek center to the Umatilla in the vicinity of Pendleton, constituting a large agricultural area, mostly open for pre-emption and awaiting development. It is also hoped that the Indian Reservation which borders the town will soon be removed, and the vast tract of fertile and beautiful country now occupied as a waste by the savages, will be thrown open to settlers. The substantial public buildings and numerous hotels and stores, give evidence of permanence and prosperity. One newspaper, the *Oregon Tribune*, is published weekly.

ABBOTT M H, proprietor Oregon Tribune
 Abbott M H Mrs, milliner and dress maker
 Abbott & Turner, real estate agents
 Allen John, butcher
 Andrews J C, physician
 Bailey G W, livery stable
 Bishop B B, attorney at law
 Bowman John W, livery stable
 Bruce R, laundry
 Byers W S, flour manufacturer
 Dickerson W, physician
 Disosway & Sanford, liquor saloon
 Evarts & Knox, attorneys at law
 Franker William M, carpenter
 Jacobson & Bishop, liquor saloon
 La Dow George A, attorney at law
 La Dow W C, physician
 Larone L, photographer
 Layman James, carpenter
 LIVERMORE LOT, postmaster, agent Wells, Fargo & Co, and general merchandise
 Marshall W H, blacksmith
 Morse & Blackburn, livery stable
 Morse & Gray, harness and saddlery
 OREGON TRIBUNE, M H Abbott proprietor
 Pruett J M, physician
 Raley J H, hotel
 Rothschild S, general merchandise
 Sanford & Co, billiard and liquor saloon
 Switzler William, general merchandise
 Turner J H, attorney at law
 Urantes G, flour manufacturer
 Wilson J H, carpenter
 Webb G W, stoves and tinware
 Zeil John, physician

Peoria, Linn Co, P O 15 miles s w of Albany
 Beavin T, plasterer
 Brown Joseph, bricklayer
 Gallup C B, carpenter
 Miller N, physician
 Parrish W H, carpenter
 Shanklin R S, blacksmith
 Smith J N, attorney at law
 Worth David M, carpenter
 Worth John C, postmaster

Perrydale, Polk Co, P O 10 miles n of Dallas
 Hall William, blacksmith
 McGrew John W, postmaster, and general merchandise

Philomath, Benton Co, P O 6 miles w of Corvallis
 Border —, teacher
 Brownson Julius, attorney at law
 Derick Z S, harness and saddlery
 Felger J S, flour manufacturer
 Godfrey E Rev, clergyman
 Hight S, blacksmith
 Laurance May Miss, teacher
 Mason Lovi, blacksmith
 Rawlings T G, tanner
 Rowe H C, wagon maker, and hotel
 Shipley John L, postmaster
 Shipley & Ilenkle, general merchandise
 Williams A J, carpenter
 Williams R E, teacher

Phoenix, Jackson Co, P O 8 miles s e of Jacksonville

Anderson D P, livery stable
 Cohn S, general merchandise
 Dunlap A, blacksmith
 Lavenburg D, hotel
 Reames Thomas G, postmaster
 Reames & Sachs, general merchandise
 Wymer & Co, flour manufacturers

Pilot Rock, Umatilla Co, P O 16 miles w of Pendleton
 Beasey William Jr, lumber manufacturer
 Byrd & Everts, lumber manufacturers
 Finch S E, blacksmith
 Fletcher John, hotel
 Luhrs & Watson, lumber manufacturers
 Simpson S, physician
 Sturtevant A J, postmaster, general merchandise, and drugs

Pine, Linn Co, P O 35 miles s e of Albany
 Willoughby, E J, postmaster
 Willoughby R B, blacksmith

Pleasant Hill, Lane Co, P O 13 miles s e of Eugene City
 Baughman Samuel Rev, clergyman
 Callison Robert M, postmaster
 Cook M, wagon maker
 Crowley C, painter
 Gilfillan T G, carpenter
 Gill Thomas, teacher
 Hendricks B F, blacksmith
 Mulkey J N, blacksmith
 Walker Albert, blacksmith

Polk County. Bounded north by Yamhill, east by Marion, south by Benton, and west by Tillamook. Area, 624 square miles. Assessed valuation of property for 1874, \$2,000,000. Population, 5,000. County seat, Dallas. Principal towns: Buena Vista, Eola, Independence, and Monmouth. This is a prominent agricultural county, nine-tenths of its surface being arable, while but one-eighth of its area has as yet felt the plough. Grain grows most luxuriantly—wheat yielding from twenty to forty bushels per acre; and the soil is also well adapted to the production of fruit—apples, pears, plums, cherries, and grapes growing to perfection. Oregon apples, and Oregon cider, the product of the valley section of the State, have obtained a wide celebrity throughout the Pacific Coast. No county surpasses it in this species of fruit, and large revenues have been obtained from its cultivation. The county comprises a portion of the valley of the Willamette, extending from that river, on the east, to the summit of the Coast Range on the west; and its surface is pleasantly diversified with hill and dale, forest groves and open plains. Flowing from the western hills are the Luckiamute, La Creole, (or Rickreel) and the head branches of the Yamhill. These pretty mountain streams, as in other portions of the State, give a cheap and lasting power for the movement of machinery, and for this use are appropriated in various places. Gold, silver, iron and copper are known to exist, but no mines are exploited in the county. The climate is mild and very healthy, land is fertile and cheap, timber is abundant, saw and flour mills are numerous, schools and churches abound, and every advantage is offered to settlement, and the creation, at slight expense, of pleasant and comfortable homes. The Willamette, running along the eastern border, affords means of transportation, and the Oregon Central Railroad, when completed to its proposed intersection with the Oregon and California road at Junction City, in Lane County, will give every needed facility for trade and travel. Another railroad, from Salem to Astoria, is projected, which will cross the county from east to west.

Officers: Warren Truett, County Judge; William S. Fink, Clerk and Recorder; J. J. Whitney, District Attorney; J. J. Williams, Sheriff and Tax Collector; R. M. May, Treasurer; N. Garwood, Assessor; S. T. Burch, Surveyor; G. W. Goucher, Coroner; J. C. Grubbs, Superintendent Public Schools.

Port Orford, Curry Co, P O 30 miles n of Ellensburg
 Knapp Lewis, hotel
 Tichenor William, attorney at law
 Vale John, liquor saloon
 Wolcott A D, general merchandise, and postmaster
 Zumwalt C W, general merchandise

Portland, Multnomah Co, P O, Port of entry, incorporated City and County Seat, is on