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LABOR AND CAPITAL.

The tendency of the times is toward a consolidation of interests in which the laborer, the man who is compelled, as is the farmer, to do his own work, is robbed. Here is what Senator Ingalls has to say of the situation.

Labor and capital should not be antagonists, allies rather. They should not be opponents and enemies, but colleagues and auxiliaries, whose co-operative rivalry is essential to national prosperity.

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OUR government is the grandest on the face of the earth, and the most powerful, but so had Rome a great republic for 400 years and then it fell. The corruption of the wealthy caused it and will in America unless we are alert.

THE WEST SIDE stands firm for the rights of the oppressed. What we say does not strike a popular view but the time is rapidly approaching when the truths of our every word will be verified.

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A merry Christmas to you all, and a happy new year.

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living near her, and the kindly relations existing between her and children are noted by all familiar acquaintances. May her voyage of life still continue a happy one until summoned into the presence of the great "I Am."

AND now Independence is soon to be connected with Salem by motor. Our merchants are already beginning to think of the day when all the trade of the town will go to Salem. Monmouth thought all its trade would come to Independence, but it did not, when the motor line was completed, and so will Independence be surprised at the result.

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The West Side Offers Equal Suffrage to All.

ELECTION COMES OFF IN JANUARY.

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Commencing with the first week in January this paper will print coupons, which are to all intents and purposes, election tickets.

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No vote will be counted when deposited by anyone not a subscriber, being paid three months in advance. Any lady living in Independence or vicinity, may be a candidate.

The list of all ladies receiving votes will be published in each issue of the paper. The lady receiving the most votes will be declared elected. An elegant premium will be given to the successful candidate, which will be announced later.

It costs you nothing to vote. Every vote will be preserved in the WEST SIDE office and recounted February 1st.

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Every coupon sent in by a paid subscriber counts. Every issue in January will contain a coupon. This is a fair contest and is open to all.

A three months subscription entitles you to a vote. Vote early and often as this contest lasts but one month.

All voting must be done on coupons taken from the WEST SIDE. The returns of votes up to Thursday noon of each week will be published. Get your subscription account in shape so that you may vote.

The printed tag on your paper tells you whether you are a legal voter. See that you are paid to April 1893, at least.

A Hint to Holiday Purchasers.

Don't buy things because they are cheap or because they especially appeal to your individual taste. Think of the occupation and inclinations of the ones for whom they are intended and purchase accordingly.

Red Men's Mask Ball. One of the most pleasant, the most delightful, and in every way the most enjoyable dancing parties of the season was that given last Friday night, by the tribe of Red men of this city.

Much credit is given to Mr. A. B. Cherry, who, having charge of affairs managed them so well. Invitations were issued to those only, belonging to some secret society.

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In Its Worst Form—White Swelling—Cured.

The remarkable effect of Hood's Sarsaparilla in the following case illustrates the power of this medicine over all blood diseases.

"My son, 7 years old, had a white swelling on his right leg below the knee, which contracted the muscles so that his leg was drawn up at right angles. Physical cleanliness, the use of blisters, and other means failed to cure it. He was taken to the hospital, but did not help him materially. I considered him a confirmed cripple.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

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NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 29, in the county of Polk, state of Oregon, that a special meeting of said district will be held at the school house on C Street, in the town of Independence, on Monday the 9th day of January, A. D. 1893, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. for the following objects:

To authorize the board of directors to levy a tax for the payment of a part or all of the current indebtedness of said school district, including interest on bonds; also for the maintenance of a free school the remainder of the school year.

J. D. IRVINE District Clerk. Dated this 22nd day of December 1892.

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In Our Window when you go by between now and Xmas. See the New Goods; Step inside and ask the Price. Store open until 9 p. m. We have in stock

WATCHES—A large assortment of both Gents' and Ladies'—Gold Filled, Silver and Silver-tone. We make a specialty of watches.

DIAMONDS—TEN DOLLARS will buy a very neat diamond ring. We have them from Ten Dollars upwards.

RINGS—A New Line of Late Styles at Right Prices.

CLOCKS—We handle the Seth Thomas Clocks. We are closing out a few odd clocks of different makes at low prices. None will be left after Xmas.

JEWELRY—What haven't we in stock that you want? We have brought, but only so as to give you an assortment to select from.

PATTERSON BROS.

Druggists and Jewelers, INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.

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ONLY ONE FOR A DOSE

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Don't Delay but avail yourselves of this Rare Opportunity.

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Make this as their last appeal to the

BARGAIN HUNTERS.

SHOOTING MATCH

AT Independence, ON Saturday, December 31, 1892

Glass Balls, Clay Pigeons, and Rifle Shooting.

TURKEYS AND CHICKENS HILL'S PASTURE.

A. D. SLOPER.

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McCoy, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1892.

200 TURKEYS, ONE OR MORE BEEVES, AND 4 HGS.

It is gotten up by a committee of five, the most energetic men of the community, who are going to use every effort to have a

First-Class Time.

There will not be nothing left returned to insure a perfect success. It will be advertised in four of the leading papers of both Yamhill and Benton counties. There will be a large supply of

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