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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

No is hereby given that J. R. Cooper has been appointed administrator of the estate of Constantine Housh deceased on the 24th day of August 1894. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to settle the same immediately, and all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same, duly verified, within six months from this date. Dated this 22nd day of August, 1894. J. R. COOPER, Administrator.

For Sale.

A MONITOR FORCE-FREE DRILL, all most new, will be sold for \$80. Latest patent, farthest west, in good order. Enquire at this office.

Land for Sale.

400 acres of good bottom land for sale at \$25 dollars per acre. Will cut it to suit purchaser, in lots of forty to sixty acres. Terms easy. Address Frank Elgin, Suver, Polk county, Oregon. 4t

George Skinner & Co. of the Flouring Mills, of Independence, are now ready to store wheat or pay cash for same, and are here to do business with the farmers, and invite their patronage.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

A. O. U. W. - INDEPENDENCE Lodge, No. 22, meets every Monday night in L. O. F. hall. All sojourning brothers are invited to attend. Geo. A. Smith, M. W.; W. O. Cook, Secretary.

VALLEY LODGE, No. 42, L. O. O. F. - Meets in Vanduy's hall every Thursday evening. All Odd fellows cordially invited to meet with us. R. E. Ferguson, N. G.; Zed Rosenfort, Secretary.

LYON LODGE, No. 29, A. F. & A. M. - Stated communications Saturday evening on or before full moon each month and two weeks thereafter. W. P. Connaway, W. M.; H. R. Patterson, Secretary.

HOMER LODGE, No. 45, K. of P. - Meets every Wednesday evening. All knights are cordially invited. W. P. Connaway, C. C.; D. H. Craven, K. of E. & S.

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D. R. S. A. MULKEY, DENTIST, practices the profession in all its branches. Satisfaction guaranteed. Office hours, 8 to 12 and 1 to 5. Office in the O'Donnell brick, Independence.

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MITCHELL & BOHANNON, MANUFACTURERS of sash and doors. Also, scroll sawing. Main street, Independence, Or.

VETERINARY SURGEON.

D. R. E. J. YOUNG, late of Newberg, Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist has moved to Independence, and opened an office over the Independence National Bank.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

A TRIO OF ACCIDENTS.—There were standing on the street, Sunday evening three persons with their arms in slings and they compared notes. Warren Ferguson had his left arm broken in a runaway two weeks ago Thursday, by his team running away in North Independence and throwing him out on the road. J. E. VanMeer had his right hand in a bandage caused by getting caught in a straw-carrier on Madison & Murphy's threshor on Thursday of last week. His hand is badly cut and bruised and had it not for prompt assistance would have lost his hand entirely. J. C. Gompel had his hand in a bandage, he having been chopping wood for a threshor across the river and blood poisoning set in and his hand presents a very bad appearance, being swollen and inflamed.

REDUCTION OF FREIGHT RATES.—The Southern Pacific company announce that they will issue, effective September 1st, 1894, a special tariff on grain in carloads minimum weight of 12,000 lbs. of \$1.00 per 100 lbs. from Oregon terminal and intermediate points to Missouri river, Mississippi river; Chicago, and point, common therewith. Cincinnati, Detroit and common points, Buffalo and common points, and New York, Boston and Atlantic seaboard common points. This is nearly a 25 per cent reduction, and will be of great benefit to the hop growers of Oregon. The Southern Pacific company recognize the fact of the present low price being offered for hops and are willing to help the situation by reducing freight rates.

THE SEASIDE AT HOME.—This warm weather has sent very many persons to the coast but still everyone cannot have that pleasure. Those who stay at home need not however deprive themselves of all the seaside pleasures. The writer took a carriage last week and with a company of friends went down to the La Creole creek near the bridge on the Salem road, down under the shade of the green trees, bathing suits were put on and you can have just as fine sport there as at the ocean beach. After a swim in the water dinner was spread and partaken with a good appetite. There are many places both on the La Creole and Luckiamute where parties can go out and have a most enjoyable time in that way, at small expense.

A FINE HOP YARD.—W. M. Molson, who resides near Rickreall has 450 acres of splendid farm land, of which he has thirty-three acres in hops. During the planting season he had twenty-six men at work but now he has only five men. Ezra Meeker, the hop king of the coast was visiting his yard last week and gave Mr. Molson much encouragement from his report. It takes a man with business ability to conduct farming on the large scale which Mr. Molson is following and Mr. Molson is the right man in the right place.

SQUIRE LINES HURT.—Last Saturday as H. M. Lines was driving along near Chas. Handlin's farm in King's Valley, he came to a short turn in the road and thinking the horses were turning too short gave a jerk on the lines, but pulled the wrong line and so threw himself out of the buggy and sustained some injuries, one or two ribs being broken, and being badly shaken up. Dr. Butler was called and drove out in two hours and soon had his patient feeling comfortable.

STATE FAIR.—The program of the forthcoming state fair September 17th to the 23rd promises to be very attractive, the persons having it in charge evidently being "new blood." There will be both day and evening sessions and besides the horse racing there will be bicycle races and Indian war dances, field sports and day fireworks. It is of late time that our state fair should be conducted on more modern methods and be less of a chestnut in its program.

A BICYCLE ACCIDENT.—Last Thursday evening Ed. Clodfelder, who is quite an expert on the bicycle, was making a spur on the race track at Talmage and his machine became unmanageable and threw him, dislocating his collarbone. A physician was summoned and Ed. suffered intensely while the bone was being brought back in place, but is now getting along all right.

PIERCED WITH A PITCPOCK.—Last week Clyde Williams lay down in the straw to take a rest out near Allie, and one of the hands on the threshor came along and not seeing him, threw a pitchfork into the straw, which ran through the fleshy part of Clyde's arm, inflicting a painful, but not a dangerous wound.

FENCING BURNED.—We understand that as Isaac Simpson's threshor was passing along the road last Saturday some sparks from the engine set fire to Mart Staal's fence and before assistance came half the mile of his fencing was burned. During this dry weather the utmost precaution must be used against fire getting out.

ANOTHER RUNAWAY.—Last Sunday Ben Harris, came down to his father's house in the western end of town and was unloading some vegetables and fruits for his father when the horses took a start and ran up in front of H. H. Wagoner's residence where they collided with a tree and badly damaged the buggy.

CAUSE OF EDUCATION.—Last Saturday Prof. P. L. Campbell left for Baker City where he will take part in a teachers institute. He will also be in Umatilla county during his absence. To start out in the cause of education and go into Eastern Oregon this warm weather shows Prof. Campbell to be imbued with the educational spirit.

RUSHED WITH WORK.—This office has been crowded the past two weeks with job work, and consequently we are indebted to several who have assisted in getting news for the paper, chief among them being W. R. O'Donnell, brother of J. F. O'Donnell the hardware merchant.

RUSTICATING.—John Vernon and family are rusticating at the home of his parents near Independence.

week, but one of his horses was taking sick on the road at Haley and they could not proceed until another horse was sent from the farm. They are now at the springs.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL.—An ice cream social will be given by the Cochran W. C. T. U. ladies at the residence of David Whiteaker on the evening of September 1st. Everybody cordially invited. Mrs. Jane Powell, president; Miss E. Coquelle, secretary.

Last Saturday afternoon a motor load of the Monmouth Junior Y. P. S. C. E. came down on the 230 motor and upon their arrival here, were met by the Independence Junior Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church and escorted to the city park. An excellent program by the Monmouth Juniors and ice cream was served by the Independence Juniors and a pleasant game enjoyed by the children until 5:30 o'clock when the Monmouth Juniors took the motor for their homes.

H. A. Hammer and family, of Benton county, passed through Independence Wednesday from Eastern Washington, where he has been traveling for his health. He travels with a team and visited Walla Walla, Colfax, Spokane and the Big Bend country. He reports times to be harder east of the mountains than here, wheat only 25 cents per bushel and the majority of people drink barley coffee.

Mrs. Ida Vaughn, who has made her home in Portland ever since leaving Independence came up on Tuesday's train, accompanied by her friend Mrs. E. A. Percy, and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper. Mrs. Vaughn is suffering from a stiffness in her left arm, and is going to spend sometime at the coast hoping to recover its use by resting there.

Mrs. J. D. Smith, Miss Emma Dempsey, Mrs. T. J. Hayter and Mrs. M. P. Collins, of Platt county Missouri, forms the body guard to safely conduct Tom Hayter, of Duluth, over to Newport last Tuesday to spend a week or so. Mrs. Collins is a sister of Mr. T. J. Hayter and she and Mr. Collins are visiting in Oregon.

Web, Holmes, of Salem, who is studying law with his uncle W. H. Holmes, was here Tuesday examining the records in Squire Irvine's court, on some case in which he was interested. He attended school at Monmouth and will be remembered by the people there for his studious habits.

"Oh, my poor feet!" Why suffer when you can buy comfort at Vanduy's for so little money. At his store there are shoes that require no breaking in and won't hurt the most sensitive feet. Call and get Vanduy's prices.

Hewn timbers began arriving last Wednesday for a new foundation under the Revere house, which will be raised to the grade of the street, a new sidewalk will also be built in front and otherwise improved.

Clarence Henkle and Frank Hall leave on Saturday for St. Louis, where they enter a medical college and will return with the necessary knowledge to enable them to successfully combat the physical ills of man.

Our townsman Peter Cook who owned the lively stables here, selling them to A. Dockstead, has accepted a position with a Portland agricultural implement firm and last Tuesday started out on a collecting tour.

When we are offering this paper with twenty-three columns of reading matter for eighteen months for \$2, wise and prudent readers will take advantage of the offer and plunk down the coin while the offer lasts.

Proposals are in order these nice evenings such as are enjoyed only in Oregon. Why not propose to your fair companion, to take a glass of those cooling drinks sold by Pink Patterson.

Zed Rosenfort returned from his visit to Walla Walla, Heyner, etc. on last Friday. He says he found the towns up there quite lively and business men having a good trade.

You would, wouldn't you, pay \$37 for a pair of shoes formerly \$4 and \$5? Of course you would. Then go to Vanduy's and select a pair of his latest in style.

Farm for sale.—One of the best 300-acre farms in Polk county—only one mile from State Normal school; also 40 acres choice hop land. Apply to Eugene Catron, Monmouth.

Harvesting of wheat and oats is over and now the Prescott & Veness saw mill will again resume operation. Over 2,000,000 feet of lumber was sawed this year.

Mrs. W. P. Connaway her mother and her niece Miss Cora Sull, returned from Newport Monday, where they have been enjoying the sea breeze for a week.

We would call the attention of cash subscribers to our offer of the West Side to January 1896 for \$2. This offer is made now and may be discontinued at any time.

W. O. Cook wishes to inform the public that he has in his employ a skilled mechanic who is ready to do all kinds of furniture repairing and upholstering. Give him a call.

Man wants but little here below, this sentence tumbles flat. For with the Wilson Bill; he can't get half of that.

J. F. O'Donnell, of Independence, and G. W. Beach, of Monmouth, have purchased C. G. Griffin & Co's. tile factor, of this place.

Mrs. Harris, of Salem, the mother of Mrs. D. H. Craven, and her daughter Ida, spent this week here, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Craven.

Mrs. W. W. Percival returned Monday from Seattle, Washington, where she has been visiting relatives and friends for a couple of weeks.

H. R. Patterson and wife, Miss Fanny Scott and A. J. Goodman and wife, who returned from Nescia last week report a very pleasant trip.

Miss Etta Clark, of Portland, was the guest of Mrs. W. P. Connaway part of this week, spending the remainder with her parents at Rickreall.

There is no place in Oregon where a better meal is served than at the restaurant of Westcott & Irvine, 271 Commercial street, Salem. Meals 25 cts.

Take a look at those cunning peaches at Clodfelder Bros. and get orders to

be filled from large shipments next week while fresh.

D. R. Boynton, the fish dealer, of Independence, has had a sign painted and is expecting to reap a golden harvest during hop picking.

A sample of those cunning peaches received from Clodfelder Bros. Be sure your orders are in to catch the large shipment next week while fresh.

When you want a good bricklayer, plasterer or stone mason. Call on or address James Floyd, Independence.

Old papers in bundles of twenty-five, for sale at the West Side office for a dime.

Vanduy has just received a fine line of hop picking gloves at 50 cents a pair.

Frank Hall, of Croton, had his photo taken last week by our resident artist, Craven.

F. E. Shafer, of the harness shop, went over to Jefferson last Sunday to visit friends.

Rev. D. V. Poling will preach in the Congregational church on Sunday morning only.

George McKnight, of Linn county, the owner of Oneca the famous trotter is in the city.

Mrs. M. M. Armstrong, of Corvallis, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dockstead.

It will not be long until Chas. Staats will be in his new barn at the end of the long bridge.

W. E. Cresney and wife returned home Sunday from Yaguina. He says that he had a fine time.

Mrs. H. J. Day, of Eugene, sister of A. J. Goodman, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Goodman this week.

Miss Ota Knigton, of Albany, was visiting Miss Allie Vernon at her home near Rickreall last week.

Mrs. Armstrong, matron of the Siletz agency, and her daughter, came in on the morning train Monday.

Miss Bessie Barker and Mildred Linville, of Corvallis, were visiting Miss E. Owens this week.

Hop picking commences next week in full blast.

The bicycle races last Saturday were well attended.

Bicycle races at Talmage, Saturday at 6:30 sharp.

Miss Alice Macauley went to Esu Francisco Monday.

Dr. Ketchum is building a small addition to his house.

Aunt Huldah Brown went to Corvallis Monday on business.

Canning peaches at Clodfelder Bros.

For a cut, bruise, burn or scald, there is nothing equal to Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It heals the parts more quickly than any other application, and unless the injury is very severe, no scar is left. For sale by Alexander-Cooper Drug Co.

DALLAS DOINGS.

(Dallas Transcript.)

H. C. Plummer is looking awfully lonesome these days. His wife and son are away at the coast, and batching doesn't set well with him. (Since the above was put in type, Mrs. Plummer has returned and H. C. wears his usual smile.)

Thrashing is about completed and most of the machines have been housed for the season.

Sup. Hutchinson yesterday took a run up to Portland on his wheel.

Prof. Reynolds reached the 100 notch for state certificate. That's the kind of a principal to have.

Assessor Beckett has rented the Cooper property, corner Main and Clay, and will move with his family to Dallas.

J. S. Ashbaugh is serving in the capacity of deputy sheriff, and looks quite at home at the table where he has been for several months past.

Women and girls who ride bicycles sit erect and usually present a graceful appearance. Some men and a few boys who ride bicycles sit like toads on a log and look at all the world like them—ungraceful, uncouth and horribly deformed. Pattern after the girls while riding.

Sheriff Plummer is a pretty close and accurate observer of the hop situation, and he says there will be 12,000 bales produced in Polk county this year—or nearly double the output of any previous year. Counting 180 pounds to the bale would be 2,160,000 pounds, and at 10 cents per pound would bring \$216,000 into the county. Of course the price part of this item is based on supposition; but that seems to be about the way the hop business is running these days.

Saturday evening last, Louise, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Collins met with a painful accident. She got her right hand caught in the gearing of a straw cutter, and the first and second joints of the second finger were mashed to pulp.

The Reporter is authority for the statement that the Salvation army, which has been holding forth in McMinnville for some time past, will be in Dallas this week to remain for a time. There are eight members; have a complete brass band, are all good singers and Dallas may expect a genuine "hallelujah time."

Fred Brown has a partner in the Hotel de Plummer, and his name is Charles Smith. He was brought up from Independence, Monday, by special constable W. W. Williams, from Justice Irvine's court. The charge against him was breaking open a trunk and some sewing machine drawers, and his bonds were fixed at \$200.

Sheriff Plummer is quite a Joker. Monday he told Smith that Brown had fits and to watch him; then he told Brown the same regarding Smith. The result was that the two prisoners took up stations at safe distances from each other and watched almost through the entire night. But neither was attacked with fits.

Web Sittin, one of the jolliest boys in the country has bought out the interest of Mr. Griffith in the McMinnville cigar manufactory, and he and Wayne Carlin make a strong team. The boys are turning out several No. 1 brands of cigars and are doing a good

Attorneys Butler & Townsend were in Independence on legal business last Thursday. The "non-partisan" lawyer and advertising solicitor was also there and when he started home got attorney Townsend's horse and buggy and was driving out with all pomp imaginable when he stopped by the latter, who reminded him that he had been going to get his own rig. They say that the Independence "water" has a wonderful effect on some men.

J. C. Cooper, of Yamhill county, is now engaged in arranging to display at the state fair an exhibit of fruits of the county. He has constructed an arrangement which when completed will represent a large well curbed, composed entirely of the various varieties of fruit, produced in Yamhill, both in the natural and preserved state, and when once set up on the grounds must excite the interest and admiration of all. Polk county is better for fruit than Yamhill, and just why some such device for display is not being sent over from here, this writer knoweth not.

THE BICYCLE RACES.

THE SECOND RACE TAKEN PLACE WITH A GOOD ATTENDANCE.

There Were Six Riders to Contest in this Race.

CHARLES STAATS AGAIN IN WINNER IN THE RACE.

Last Saturday evening the second of the series of the bicycle races for Polk county wheelmen took place. The City Band of Independence enlivened the occasion with their choice music. There were six started in the race they drawing positions as follows: Chas. Staats, Luke Hawley, W. R. Howe, Fred Veness, Loring Bedwell, and C. L. Hawley. The races by laps is given in the following table.

THE RACE BY MILES.									
Time	Staats	Howe	Hawley	Veness	Bedwell	C. Hawley	Total	Time	Staats
1 mile	5:55	6:45	6:55	7:15	7:30	7:45	35:15	1 mile	5:55
2 miles	11:50	13:30	13:50	14:30	15:00	15:30	70:30	2 miles	11:50
3 miles	17:45	19:45	20:00	20:45	21:30	22:00	105:45	3 miles	17:45
4 miles	23:40	25:45	26:00	26:45	27:30	28:00	140:55	4 miles	23:40
5 miles	29:35	31:45	32:00	32:45	33:30	34:00	176:05	5 miles	29:35
6 miles	35:30	37:45	38:00	38:45	39:30	40:00	211:15	6 miles	35:30
7 miles	41:25	43:45	44:00	44:45	45:30	46:00	246:25	7 miles	41:25
8 miles	47:20	49:45	50:00	50:45	51:30	52:00	281:35	8 miles	47:20
9 miles	53:15	55:45	56:00	56:45	57:30	58:00	316:45	9 miles	53:15
10 miles	59:10	61:45	62:00	62:45	63:30	64:00	351:55	10 miles	59:10

W. R. Howe, of Dallas, took the lead in the first mile but Curt Hawley led nearly every heat after that. On the fifth mile Hawley took a spurt and came in nearly an eighth of a mile ahead of his fellows. The time for that mile was the best of the race but all the heats were slow. The last mile was hotly contested and excitement ran high. Mr. Howe was taken sick on the fifth mile and had to withdraw from the race. This does not prevent him from starting again if he desires.

The Monmouth boys on last Monday filed a protest against the race on Saturday night claiming the decision of the referee B. L. Lucas, of Monmouth, was wrong and should be reconsidered. They took the ground that as the time limit of the former race was thirty-five minutes therefore this was the same and the additional nineteen seconds made it no race. The matter was referred to C. L. Howe, chief counsel for Oregon and Washington of the League of American Wheelmen, of the United States, and he said that even if the time limit were announced at the beginning of a race and at its conclusion the referee was satisfied the riders made a reasonable attempt to come within the limit he could declare it a race, but the written opinion given by Mr. Howe on the Saturday races says: "The time limit must be announced to the competitors before the race is started. A time limit on one race does not hold good on one later, even if it is the same series and distance." As no time limit was announced before the race started there was no time limit and it was a legal race.

It was announced from the stand that a race would take place on Wednesday, but the riders objected as being too busy. On Saturday a time limit of thirty-three minutes will be placed and we may expect to see some good time made, as it is an average of 3-18 to the mile.

Kenneth Basmore had the good fortune to receive a small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when three members of his family were sick with dysentery. This one small bottle cured them all and he had some left which he gave to Geo. W. Baker, a prominent merchant of the place, Lewiston, N. C., and it cured him of the same complaint. When troubled with dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera or cholera morbus, give this remedy a trial and you will be more than pleased with the result. The praise that naturally follows its introduction and use has made it very popular. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Alexander-Cooper Drug Co.

My boy was taken with a disease resembling bloody flux. The first thing I thought of was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Two doses of it settled the matter and cured him sound and well. I heartily recommend this remedy to all persons suffering from a like complaint. I will answer any inquiries regarding it when stamp is inclosed. I refer to any county official as to my reliability. Wm. Roach, J. P., Primory, Campbell Co., Tenn. For sale by Alexander-Cooper Drug Co.

Safety Hop Tickets.

The West Side office has one of the best and most convenient hop ticket ever sold in Polk county and invites a comparison with anything else offered both in price and quality. Call at this office and examine the tickets for yourself. Our prices are all right. Call on or address The West Side, Independence.

Electric Telephone.

See our list of numbers, and we will install a complete system of electric telephones, and we will install a complete system of electric telephones, and we will install a complete system of electric telephones.

AN EVERGREEN TREE WITHOUT COST.

We will send you by mail post-paid one small evergreen tree for your home, with full instructions for planting and caring for it, together with our complete list of Nursery stock. If you will cut out this advertisement, mark on it the name of this paper and tell how many and what kind of trees and plants you would like to purchase and when you wish to plant them.

Write at once. We will quote you for post-favor, be solicited a fair share of its future patronage.

If you want a Good Square Meal for 25 Cents.

MRS. L. CAMPBELL, Prop.

Ice Cream every day during the season. Chicken Dinner every Sunday. Meals served at all hours. Main St., Independence.

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