

THE WEST SIDE

Telephone, No. 141. FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1900

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS... FRIDAY EVENING... MEETINGS... AT 8 O'CLOCK.

Court Independence No. 30, Foresters of America, meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Wheat, 50c. Foggy mornings. W. R. Allen, dentist, Cooper block.

J. L. Stockton has men's clothing, A—No 1, at old prices.

The annual meeting of the Independence fire department will be held next Monday evening at which time officers for next year will be elected.

Ladies' and children's jackets less than cost at the Monmouth store.

Campbell Bros. have no equal in pricing ranges and styles.

The Monmouth people have always patronized us liberally and still continue to do so.

Christmas decorations, candies, etc., at Robinson's.

The driveway at the S. P. depot needs several coats of good gravel to make it both useful and ornamental.

Buy your mill feed at the Collins mill. Bran, \$15 per ton; shorts \$16 per ton.

Have you bought your winter wraps? Now is the time to buy them at less than cost at the Monmouth store.

The Multnomah football team has cold feet. The Salem boys have tried in every way to get a game but without success.

Robinson's Book Store has just received a large lot of new books by the latest and best authors.

J. L. Stockton buys of the best houses in the U. S. The same traveling men sell him as to the best houses in Portland and Salem.

Newbro's Herpicide, the dandruff cure, E. T. Henkle the barber, keeps it.

Wm. Barnett is preparing to open up a poultry market on Main street where he will be ready at all times to supply customers with freshly dressed fowls.

There is no use sending away to Portland or Salem for holiday goods as Robinson & Co. keep a good stock on hand.

Wall paper that will please the most critical, at Campbell Bros.

A moral wave is said to be moving at Dallas. 'S'pose it will reach over this way after a bit.

Campbell Bros. have just received a new and complete stock of wall paper.

J. L. Stockton has a \$30,000 stock. He is constantly buying and selling, and in his stock there is not \$50 of unsalable goods.

Several of the boys who "lit out" of Salem court was about to be in session at the county seat on Monday, have returned, court having adjourned the same day it opened.

You would be surprised to see the great variety of air tight heaters displayed on the floor at R. M. Wade & Co.

At Dallas on Monday, Judge Burnett held court for about fifteen minutes, called the docket, settled eight cases and continued a half dozen others.

We wish to thank the Independence people who have organized so liberally and extend an invitation to others also. Remember that if your neighbor can save money buying dry goods in Monmouth, you can too.

FOUND—On Wednesday morning a pair of silk mitts was picked up in front of the office, which some early traveling lady had dropped. She may call and get them.

Carpenter Finch has just finished a fine skiff for duck hunting and will soon give it a trial.

Xmas goods at Robinson's. For special rate on Lippincott's Magazine to subscribers of the West Side, call at the office.

Portland bicyclists ride on all the sidewalks right in town. But then, Portland is a back-number village, has street lights, a big debt, and is, generally, not up to date.

The word Garland is a guarantee that the rope is first class in every respect. For sale by R. M. Wade & Co.

Campbell Bros. have the best line of carpets that has ever been carried in Independence—all wool and a yard wide.

A few growers still hold their hops in expectation of higher prices. Offers are made of 14c cents. In New York Pacifics were 19c cents for choice a few days ago. Buyers are still active, but will not go above 15 cents notwithstanding the market value in the East—Woodburn Independent.

Campbell Bros. carry six different lines in air-tight prices guaranteed the lowest.

Try Moore, the barber, north side of "C" street, opposite Knox's grocery store, for a hair cut or shave.

Newbro's Herpicide, the dandruff cure, at E. T. Henkle's barber shop, 10 cents.

Judge Boies of Salem, was in town Tuesday. A number of Monmouth young men attended the hop last Saturday evening.

The whist club will meet this evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Katch.

Mrs. Decker of Montana, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stansberry. James Therow was in from the farm on Thursday.

The orchestra had a goodly attendance at the dance last Saturday evening.

Last Friday T. J. Fryer took 300 sheep down to Portland on the steamer Altona.

Howard Williams, the creamery man of Newberg, visited over Monday with K. C. Eldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ireland were in town from their Oak Ridge home Saturday and Sunday.

J. S. Cooper will leave tomorrow for the eastern part of the state and will be gone probably a week.

The "Uncle Josh" company held forth at the opera house on Wednesday evening to a \$125 house.

M. O. Potter, a former resident of this city, now one of the traveling fraternity, was in the city during the week.

Charles Sperling spent a portion of the week in Portland, going down on the Altona last Friday.

Miss Nellie Cox, who visited here over the week, left on the up train Thursday morning enroute to Grant's Pass.

Mrs. Sherman Hays is again in the Salem hospital. During the week she underwent an operation and it is hoped that she will soon regain her health.

George Jones and Al Herren went to Albany Saturday evening and floated back next day, capturing a half dozen birds on the way.

J. M. Stark is getting ready to put in a planer at the saw mill. A shed alongside the mill proper is being made ready for the machine which has already been purchased.

J. S. Cooper bought a fine string of teal ducks the other day and the boys persuaded him that they were mud hens. He came near to losing his birds before finding out the joke.

If the Portland hunters want the China bird last extended, why not add December instead of beginning a month earlier, when the birds are too small to look after themselves?

C. L. Pearson, an A. O. U. W. worker, was in Independence during the week, on his way to Corvallis. He will likely return here soon to look up some matters for the good of the order.

Mrs. W. H. Powell, who has been visiting at Monmouth several weeks, was a visitor at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mills on Monday, leaving next morning on the early boat for her home at St. Helena.

F. A. Douty, of Independence, was in Albany yesterday concluding the sale of 50,000 pounds of wool to the Albany Woolen Mills Company.

The Masonic lodge met on Saturday evening. Election of officers will take place at the next meeting.

There is no assessment for the Degree of Honor this month. This makes seven skips during the year, leaving five assessments on 1300 members. The Degree seems to be growing.

Report of the Independence public school for the month ending October 26, 1900:

1st Grade, Mrs. Tuck, teacher. Number enrolled... 42. Days present... 636 1/2. Days absent... 43. Per cent of attendance... 93.7.

2d Grade, Miss Burke, teacher. Number enrolled... 24. Days present... 404. Days absent... 15. Per cent of attendance... 96.9.

3d Grade, Mrs. Cochran, teacher. Number enrolled... 36. Days present... 620 1/2. Days absent... 47 1/2. Per cent of attendance... 93.

4th Grade, Miss Cooper, teacher. Number enrolled... 28. Days present... 514 1/2. Days absent... 11 1/2. Per cent of attendance... 97.8.

5th Grade, Miss Goff, teacher. Number enrolled... 30. Days present... 524. Days absent... 27 1/2. Per cent of attendance... 95.

6th Grade, Miss Masterson, teacher. Number enrolled... 30. Days present... 558 1/2. Days absent... 29 1/2. Per cent of attendance... 95.

7th and 8th Grades, Miss Smith, teacher. Number enrolled... 48. Days present... 816 1/2. Days absent... 42 1/2. Per cent of attendance... 95.

9th and 10th Grades, A. M. Sanders, teacher. Number enrolled... 39. Days present... 665 1/2. Days absent... 39. Per cent of attendance... 95.5.

Summary. Total enrollment... 290. Days present... 4796. Days absent... 265 1/2. Per cent of attendance... 95.

City Election. The city election on Monday was a very quiet one, only 188 votes being polled. Two tickets were in the field.

The ticket elected at the mass meeting or non-partisan convention was successful with the exception of councilman for the first ward. The following gentlemen will look out for the city's interests during the year 1901:

J. L. Stockton, mayor. J. D. Irvine, recorder. C. W. Irvine, treasurer. A. J. Tupper, marshal. J. A. Mills, councilman, first ward. J. W. Kirkland, councilman, second ward. T. B. Huntley, councilman, third ward.

City Council. Council met Tuesday evening. The committee on streets reported progress on street and sidewalk work.

The water and light committee was empowered to have a 16-candle power lamp placed in the parlor of the city jail.

Claims were allowed as follows: F. E. Chambers, nails, etc., \$2.15; J. S. Jones, gravel, 1.50; Enterprise, election notice, 3.00; West Side, advertising and job work, 7.50; E. T. Henkle, fees, 9.75; E. T. Henkle, election expenses, 19.50; A. J. Tupper, night watch, 23; J. F. Buckley, marshal and street work, 50.25; Gilmore & Calbreath, light and water, 49.75.

One assessment, No. 9, for the A. O. U. W., this month. Independent Lodge No. 52, A. O. U. W., met on Monday evening and elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing year: A. J. Walcott, past master; D. L. Hodge, master workman; A. J. Goodman, foreman; L. Damon, overseer; G. L. Hawkins, recorder; W. G. Shearer, fin.; E. L. Ketchum, recy.; S. E. Owen, guide; S. H. Walker, inside watchman; E. S. Hilliard, outside watchman; E. L. Ketchum, trustee.

Homer Lodge No. 45 met Wednesday evening and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: F. S. Wilson, chancellor; J. M. Frazier, vice chancellor; Veril Hill, prelate; J. W. Richardson, jr., keeper of records and seal; O. A. Kramer, master of finance; D. Calbreath, master of exchequer; O. C. Locke, master at arms; L. C. Gilmore, master of work; B. M. Atkins, inner guard; Wm. Benner, outer guard; J. W. Kirkland, trustee 1 year; F. E. Chambers, trustee 2 years; J. L. Stockton, trustee 3 years.

Holly Hive No. 31, Ladies of the Macabees, elected the following officers Monday evening: Essie Robertson, lady commander; Maggie Robertson, lady treasurer; Candace Robinson, finance keeper; Anna Knox, chaplain; Nellie Hilliard, sergeant; Vaneh Dickinson, mistress at arms; Elizabeth Burton, inner sentinel; Jane Finch, outer sentinel.

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PUBLIC BUSINESS. Abstract of Instruments Filed in Polk County Nov. 27 to Dec. 3, 1900.

N E Duncan to J A L Duncan, 65a sec 25, 30, tp 9 s, r 6 and 7 w—\$328.94. Sheriff VanOrdel to Henry Clansfield, 146 1/4 J S Holman d l c tp 9 s r 5 w—\$25.92.

C W Leick to Henry Clifford, 321.92a sec 26, 27, tp 6 s r 6 w—\$2000. Sanford S Harris to Fannie Kemp, 290.08a C P Zamwalt d l c tp 6 s r 5 w (qt cl)—\$1.

A W Beckett to Ross J Hall, 297.0a E C Dice d l c, tp 8 s r 4 w—\$1000. Cora Dand J D Black to J B Gohlson, 47-100a P E Smith d l c tp 6 s r 3 w—\$25. Andrew Siefarth to Isaac Hughes, 65.5a H Willoughby d l c tp 8 s r 6 w—\$39.50.

Lucy E and Frank Rowell to Isaac Hughes, 15 1/2 blk 6, Levens add Dallas—\$45. Aenry Meyer to O M Johnson, 55a S Tetherow d l c tp 9 s r 5 w—\$1000. S C Dodson to Mrs M Bills, 60.40a Mc M Dodson d l c tp 7 s r 5 w—\$80.

S H Tetherow to Polk County Bank, 1/2 blk 1, 2, blk 2, out 1, 2, Mon—\$550. F K Hubbard to M C Moyer, 14 blk K, Falls City—\$1.

PROBATE COURT. Estate of W B Bricker—Report of sale of personal property filed and approved. Estate of Lewis Helmick—Semi annual account filed and approved subject to final account.

Estate of James F. Taylor—Final account heard and approved; administrator discharged. Estate of David Ackley—Final account approved; administrator discharged.

Estate of Sylvester Wilson—Final account heard and approved; administrator discharged. Estate of John C Allen—Final account heard and approved; administrator discharged.

Estate of John Fawk—On motion of attorney for estate cause continued till Dec 8, at 10 o'clock. Guardianship of Williams minor heirs—Report of sale of real property presented and approved and guardian ordered to make deed.

Estate of Wm Gay—Final account heard and approved and administrator discharged. Estate of Nathan Hussey—Petition to sell real property filed and same set for hearing on Feb 4, 1901.

Estate of Nathan Connor—Final account filed and approved; executor discharged. Guardianship of Seth L. and Blanche L. Fawk, minors—Bond filed and approved. J W Lewis, E L Harris, W W Smith appointed appraisers.

Estate of Amanda Richards—Final account set for hearing Jan 7, 1901, at 9 o'clock. Estate of J W Richards—Final account set for hearing Jan 7, at 9 o'clock. Estate of Edward O'Brien—Petition to sell personal property filed and prayer granted.

A Pomona Grange. On Tuesday delegates from the various granges throughout the county met in this city and organized a Pomona grange. Judge R. P. Boies, of Salem, a past grand master, was the instituting officer, being assisted by Jacob Voorhees, of Woodburn. The following are the officers of the new grange:

Master, J. C. White, Oak Grove. Overseer, F. M. Smith, Lewisville. Lecturer, J. B. Stump, Sover. Steward, W. W. Smith, Lewisville. Assistant Steward, H. Black, Dallas. Chaplain, E. Evans, Monmouth.

Treasurer, W. H. Robertson, Lewisville. Secretary, D. A. Hodge, Independence. G. Pomeroy, A. Nelson, Independence. G. Pomeroy, A. Nelson, Independence. G. Pomeroy, A. Nelson, Independence.

Flora, Sister A. Collins. Ceres, Sister A. Withrow. Assistant Secretary, S. T. Simpson. The next meeting will be held at Dallas on January 12, 1901.

The creamery is gradually getting more business. Farmers are beginning to appreciate pay day every month and are adding more and more to their milk and cream shipments to the creamery.

A man has been running a great fake game up in Eastern Oregon, catching suckers right and left. He gives an auction, sells a lot of cheap jewelry to begin with, and then returns the money to the purchasers. That gets the crowd excited and they pay exorbitant prices for goods; at Pendleton the man cleaned up about \$150, giving almost nothing in return, said he would be back the next night, and then skipped out.

Christmas Goods as usual Raket Stor at the. Our endeavor has been this year to buy Useful but not Expensive Articles

Come in and see them. I am sure our prices will please you. We will mention some things— Bamboo Hampers, or Laundry Baskets, Crokenole Boards, Parlor Croquet, Doll Carriages, Books for Little Folks and Big Folks.

FINE BOX STATIONERY. Photo Albums, Scrap Albums, Mufflers and Fine Neck Wear. You can surely find something to please your friends

The Best Plaster. A box of flannel dampened with Chloroform Pain Balm and bound over the injured parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with a lame back or pains in the side or chest, give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords.

Hot and Cold. A few days ago W. G. Sharman received a postal card of which the following is a copy: Falls City, Oregon, 24 Nov., 1900.

Mr. Sharman didn't send the shirts but he sent the bill for 'em which will doubtless keep Frank warm until the shirts are received.

Drug preparations simply developed; they dry up the secretions, which adhere to the membrane and decompose, forming a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying, irritating, fumes, smokes and snuffs and use that which cleans, soothes and heals.

Myrtle Point, a small town of Coos county, has installed gasoline street lamps. The Enterprise of that city says that four lamps, with a 500-candle power, have been placed in position, and that the same are found to be almost equal electricity.

Among the tens of thousands who have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds and grippe during the past few years, to our knowledge, not a single case has resulted in pneumonia.

Oliver Locke and L. C. Gilmore went across the river Thanksgiving Day for a final hunt. They brought back several scraggy birds. It is very likely that Gilmore killed them but he's afraid of hearing Oliver's feelings by telling the truth.

A CLEAN SHAVE + + + + -AND- + + + + STYLISH HAIR CUT IS WHAT YOU GET WHEN YOU PATRONIZE Kutch's Barber Shop.

E. L. Ketchum, M. D. Office and Residence Corner Railroad Monmouth Streets. INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.

DAN P. STOFFER. Insurance and Collection. Titles Examined. CHARGES REASONABLE. Main Street - Dallas, Oregon

W. G. Sharman, MERCHANT TAILOR. Notable among the pleasures afforded by the Shasta Route is the winter trip to Southern California and Arizona.

Fountain Pens. \$1.00 \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$4.00 and \$5.00. These are extra good value. Call in and be convinced. Yours, for Fountain Pens, O. A. KRAMER & CO. Jewelers and Opticians.

Election is now over and you all know the result. But from now on let us talk business. The Holiday season is very near here, and you are all in need of an OVERCOAT, a SUIT of CLOTHES and a FINE PAIR of SHOES.

I overstocked myself with the above garments therefore concluded to close them out at wholesale cost price for the NEXT 30 DAYS.

REMEMBER: You are the buyer, I am the seller, when the seller is ready to sell, that's the time to buy; you have your innings now, and it is your turn to take advantage and make the profit yourself.

This offer stands good for only 30 days at the WHITE HOUSE ZED ROSENDORF.

A Big Kick. A man makes when his laundry work is sent home with perspiring edges and sore and ailed button holes. It would bring his linen to an up-to-date laundry, where perfect methods obtain at all times, such as the Salem Steam Laundry, he will receive his shirts, collars and cuffs equal to new every time that we send them home.

Are you looking for a brush? Not with Germany—but a hair brush, tooth brush, or a silver-polishing brush. I have a good all-bristle hair brush for 25c. Tooth brushes, 5c up.

A. S. LOCKE, INDEPENDENCE, OREGON. Prescription Druggist.

Polk County Bank (INCORPORATED) MONMOUTH, OREGON. Paid Capital \$30,000.00.

THE ARCADE. Davidson & Hedges, Props. Cigars, Cigarettes, Tobacco and Confectionery.

THE CASTLE. Keeps constantly on hand a fine assortment of Whiskies, Wines, Brandies, Cigars.

NATIONAL BANK. Capital Stock, \$50,000.00. A general banking and exchange business transacted.

The Hotel Gail. Dallas, Ore. Has been refitted and renovated from cellar to garret, and everything is new.

"DOCTOR UP" Changeable weather between two seasons encourages your chronic troubles and inflicts upon you much petty sickness.

STATIONERY, SCHOOL BOOKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES. KIRKLAND DRUG CO.

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YOU CAN PATENT. Anything you invent or improve; also get COVEAT, TRADE-MARK, COPYRIGHT or DESIGN PROTECTED. Send model, sketch, or photo.

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD CHARACTER to deliver and collect in Oregon, or old established manufactory; would be \$500 a year, sure job. Address: W. H. BARKER, in any city. Enclose 2c. stamp and send no charge. Trade Editor, St. Charles St., Chicago.