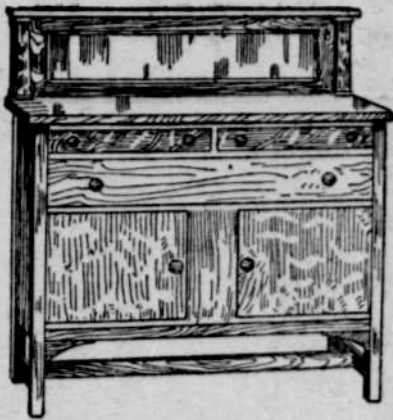


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CITY AND COUNTRY

Tripp writes fire insurance.

J. S. Cooper Jr. visited in Portland this week.

Mrs. H. A. Childs was hostess to the S. S. club Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Florence Burton attended the funeral of Mrs. Kennedy in Portland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Reeves and "Grandpa" Adams are visiting in San Francisco. They arrived in time to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

The ladies of the Christian church held a most successful bazaar at Sloper Bros. & Cogle's store last Wednesday afternoon. They had many dainty articles for sale, also a splendid line of cooked foods which proved popular with their customers.

The Civic Club will meet in a combined business and social session at the home of Mrs. C. O. Sloper on Main street on next Wednesday afternoon. Everyone interested in club work is invited to attend the meeting. If you are not a member you will be a welcome addition to the roll.

Monmouth Herald: Herman Wunder, who returned recently from a two weeks visit at Grass Valley in Sherman county, reports that section very prosperous. They harvested a large crop of wheat last summer and received for it \$2.60 per bushel, it being mostly hard wheat. Big farms are the rule there and it takes an investment in machinery of about an equal value to the land to farm successfully.

Major and Mrs. Lewis Rose have just returned from Newport where they were the guests of the Beaver Lake club for several days. Mrs. Rose won the distinction of catching a 14-pound salmon, the only one caught this year on a troll. The major declares he caught as many as six salmon a day, and we know of no one who can beat that record except J. S. Cooper. The major and his estimable wife are always great boosters for Independence and this trip increased their good opinion of Oregon.

AIRLIE

C. S. Cooper is very ill.

The Camp Fire Girls will fix up the old Phelps shack for a cabin.

The parent-teachers association at its meeting Friday night voted to present the school with a clock.

A debating society was organized at Lewisville Saturday night with the following officers: Rev. Victor Ballantyne, president; J. F. Ulrich, vice president; Emery Whitaker, secretary. The next meeting will be held Friday night, Dec. 12.

Albert Lewis, a young man who has been working on the Simpson ranch now leased by Dixon and Miller, is in jail for thirty days at Dallas charged with stealing a suit and its contents belonging to Harry Powell of Monmouth.

At Christmas Time
Your friends can buy
anything you can give
them—
except your photograph.

INDEPENDENCE STUDIO

VALLEY & SILETZ TIME TABLE

Effective April 1, trains will run as follows:
No. 2 arrives from Hoskins 9:15 A. M. daily
No. 4 arrives from Camps 4:00 P. M. daily except Sunday
No. 1 departs for Camps 10:50 A. M. daily except Sunday
No. 3 departs for Hoskins 4:15 P. M. daily
Freight service 2:30 P. M. on Tuesdays and Saturdays

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