What Is Home Without a Baby

The parents who are blessed with little souls just beginning life's journey are indeed fortunate and we wish there were more of them.

This store has always catered to babies, and if there is anything the baby wants, we have it.

Williams' Drug Co.

"Home of the Grafonola"

PERFECT SERVICE PURE DRUGS

CITY AND COUNTRY

Tripp writes fire insurance.

See F. M. Brown for loganberry tips. 47

Mrs. Sara Claggett Young was home from Albany last week-end.

Mrs. Conkey has been in Dallas with her mother, Mrs. McDevitt, this week.

The great Douglas Fairbanks again next week. "He Comes Up Smiling."

Miss Bessie Swope returned to Woodburn Wednesday, the schools having resumed work.

Mrs. Shallenbarger and son of Portland have been visiting the Robertson's and W. H. Cravens.

Albert Quartier is home with a broken foot, an injury he received while scuffling with some friends in Portland last week.

W. A. Sloper was in Roseburg this week looking into the brocoli market. Sloper Bros. raised about ten cars of it last season.

Wanted—A housekeeper. T. J. FRYER. 42-tf

FOR SALE—Best of hop land with good improvements. Address, MRS. W. H. PARK, Independence, Oregon.

Miss Bessie Swope spent this week at home, the Woodburn schools being closed on account of the prevalent colds.

Dr. and Mrs. Horn and son, "Young America," of Newberg spent last week-end with Mrs. Horn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bohannon.

Mrs. Alpha Bascue nas been in Portland this week studying styles and purchasing chic chapeaux for spring shoppers.

Friends here will be interested to know that a little son, "Billie" arrived at the W. F. Campbell home in Salem last Sunday.

Captain Stidd, with a Fordson tractor, began plowing at the Homer Wood and Francis Brown ranches this week. The acreage will be used for hops and logans.

Mrs. M. E. Stansberry's many friends will be glad to know that she is steadily improving. Mrs. Alice Skinner has been caring for her during her recent misfortune.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mattison visited friends in Portland this week, going down to meet Will Mattison and family of Astoria, who were leaving for California to spend the remainder of the winter. Mrs. Matison also visited Mrs. E. B. Arthur of Vancouver.

S. Taylor Jones has purchased the N. L. Butler residence on Fourth street and will move into the same about the middle of this month. The interior as well as the exterior will be put in a most attractive condition and the Jones will have one of the nicest and most comfortable homes in town.

Last Saturday evening Mrs. Clyde Williams was a very gracious hostess to a coterie of friends, the occasion being a farewell tribute to Mrs. J. L. Clark, who was leaving to make her home in Springfield. The charming Williams home always offers a delightful setting for social functions, and on this occasion Mrs. Williams furnished plenty of amusement, topping the informal evening with a delicious luncheon.

Mrs. Hollie Coffey is a guest at the J. S. Bohannon home.

Mrs. D. M. Calbreath has been quite ill.

Mrs. L. Bogan of Portland has been visiting Mrs. Irvin Baun this week.

The J. L. Clarks left the first of the week for Springfield where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Smith returned Wednesday from a visit with Portland friends.

Large stock of electrical goods received this week by W. E. Craven Hdw.

Go "Back to God's Country" at the Isis Sunday afternoon and evening and Monday night.

For Sale—1 horse weight about 1200 lbs.
G. W. WATTENBARGER,
On the Sloper ranch.

The Williams Drug Co. has a very attractive baby window. This popular store has everything a baby wants.

The W. R. C. will hold their regular meeting Saturday, Feb. 7. All members are requested to be present.

Mrs. McMurphy of Eugene, the Grand Worthy Matron of the O. E. S., who was to pay Adah Chapter an official visit last Wednesday, postponed her coming until a more convenient day.

Rev. C. T. Cook has just received word from the W. G. Grants who are down in Sunny Tennessee, stating that their son, Fred, is steadily improving. They say they think of Oregon and Oregon friends and long to be back here again.

The tea at the Public School Tuesday afternoon met with satisfactory response. The youngsters are equipping a room for "first aid" service and asked their friends for donations. A program was rendered and light refreshments were served the soup kitchen.

The W. R. C. will observe Lincoln's birthday at the G. A. R. Hall. The G. A. R. and families, W. R. C. and families, Sons of Veterans and families are cordially invited to the dinner. A short program will be rendered.—W. R. C. PRESS CORRESPONDENT.

The Baccalaureate services of the 20 class of the Independence High School will be held at the Methodist church Sunday evening. Dr. Dunsmore will be the speaker and Mrs. M. J. Butler, the soloist. The graduation exercises will take place Thursday evening. Dr. Staub of Eugene will deliver the class address.

35 Independence Knights of Pythias attended a district meeting in Salem Tuesday night and had a royal Pythian time. A number of Pythian Sisters accompanied them —the Pythian Sisters holding a meeting at the same time.

Phone the news to M2113.

JOIN THE
100 PERCENT
INDEPENDENCE
BOOSTERS

"A lot of us fellows in it and more invited."

BILLY'S RIDE IN AIRPLANE

Merely an Imaginary Trip, but Six-Year-Old's Fancy Made It Seem Very Real to Him.

Little Bill is much interested in airplanes. He is only six years old. When he hears the hum of a motor overhead he rushes out of the house to watch the plane. Little Bill is also addicted to all the fanciful dreams which are a part of childhood.

Grandpa Bill came home from work the other day and young Bill started to recount the day's doings. "Buddy and me took a ride in a airplane today," he said gravely.

The conversation ensuing was something as follows:

"Is that so? How did it happen?"

"Well, Buddy and me were sitting on the fence and a airplane came along and we climbed in."

"Well, well. And where did you go?"

"Oh, we went all over town, up to Anderson and back."

"How did you get out? I would think it would be hard to land an airplane in the back yard."

"Oh, no! The man just sailed by kinda low and slow and when we got over our back yard he just lifted us out and we hung onto his hands a minute and then dropped off, and he flew on away."—Indianapolis News.

ENTITLED TO WEAR KILTS.

Scores of American visitors to Scotland have wondered by whom and on what occasions the picturesque native dress of Scotland, kilts, are worn nowadays.

Upon inquiry it is learned that apart from actual Highland gatherings, where every one is expected to "dress the part," there are only four classes of kilted folk accepted without comment in Scotland.

In the north the head of the clans and septs, the "gentry"—which includes Englishmen, Welshmen and anyone who owns land or uses land as a playground; in the south, the public piper; and all over Scotland, the soldier. As an evening dress it also has a degree of general popularity.

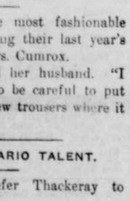
TALLEST INDIAN TOWER.

A cliff dwelling called Square Tower house having a high tower situated midway in its length, has been discovered in the Mesa Verde National park, Colorado. This tower is 40 feet high, and is the highest building constructed of masonry by Indians north of Mexico, before the coming of the whites. It also furnishes the best-known example of pre-historic masonry shown in the construction of the roofs of two circular rooms. The original rafters are still in place, showing the marks of stone implements used by the builders. The whole ruin measures 136 feet in length.

PULPWOOD IN MONTANA.

Unlimited quantities of timber suitable for wood pulp used in the making of paper are available in Montana and would furnish material for a huge industry, according to J. C. Van Hook, state forester. The big drawback is transportation, and this factor has been largely responsible for the failure to develop the paper industry in the state.

WOULD NEVER DO.



Why can't you wear that hat now?
It is trimmed with cherries, Hubby.
Well?
And cherries are out of season.

IN STYLE.

"Some of the most fashionable people are wearing their last year's clothes," said Mrs. Cumrox.

"Yes," replied her husband. "I told my tailor to be careful to put a patch in my new trousers where it would show."

LOST SCENARIO TALENT.

"Do you prefer Thackeray to Dickens?"

"I don't think either of them had half a chance, owing to the fact that the moving picture had not been invented in their time."

NOT IN THE LEAST.

"The great trouble with Dubb is that he doesn't know anything."

"Oh, you're mistaken; that doesn't trouble him at all."

LOOK LADIES!

The refreshment committee has has decided for each one of you to sack some sandwiches and bring them with you to the "Hard Times Party" at the K. P. Hall next Wednesday night.

CITIZENS ASK COURT ABOUT ROAD WORK

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road. The court replied that it had made application on this road identical with the application for the Dallas, Salem road and expected it to be paved as a post road in due time.

Responding to the appeal for work on the road south of Monmouth as well as north from Rickreall, the court promised to take this up with the commission and do what they could.

Prospective Candidate for Office.

(From the Polk County Observer)

Independence people have placed the name of Cecil Swope as candidate for district attorney of Polk county. Although Swope has not agreed to run for the office, it is possible that he will accept at the time of the primaries.

MEAN REGRET.

She—Mr. Bangs was the man I was engaged to when you came along.

He—I always did just miss my luck.

PROBABLY NOT.

"I don't believe in glittering generalities, do you?"

"Well, I donno. There's one thing sure."

"What's that?"

"You can't hardly blame a dealer in generalities if he kin make 'em glitter."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

AT THE ISIS NEXT WEEK

When "Back to God's Country" is shown on the screen Sunday afternoon, evening and Monday night it will represent the accomplishment of a task of incredible magnitude. Aside from the fact that it is a graphic version of the original story, "Wapi, the Walrus," which was published in the Good Housekeeping Magazine not long ago, it has the distinction of having been made farther north than any other picture in the history of the screen. "Back to God's Country" is based essentially upon the theme that kindness to animals results in reflecting and generating that kindness to the giver, whereas cruelty and torture serve to incite an animal to fiendish savagery. Curwood writes his story about Wapi, the killer, a great Dane upon whom no man or beast has ever lavished a kind word or act. Another thread of the story leads to Nell Shipman as Dolores LeBeau, a girl living with her father in the wilds of Canada and whom all the wild animals near her home have learned to love.

This is a little invitation to a great big party—one of the most enjoyable evenings ever staged since Adam was a boy. Charles Ray is going to play "Bill Henry" Tuesday and Wednesday nights; almost everybody is going to be there; and if you come, you are in for all sorts of fun, and tugs at your heart, and thrills and everything. No need to tell you about Charles Ray. Hiis charm, his humor, his healthy, wholesome humaness have made him one of the half-dozen greatest players on the screen Once a Ray spectator, always a Ray fan! As for the story, Bill Henry Jenkins rides forth to win wealth with an electric vibrator that could put new life into old king Rameses. But his first "prospect" wrecks his temper, his ambition and his new bicycle, and drives Bill right into love and a fortune.

If the statement of an eminent psychologist is to be taken seriously, that nine out of ten people in this great big world are made miserable because of the fear of superstition in one form or another, Douglas Fairbanks is doomed to be a mighty gloomy young man for the balance of his nautral days. Doug may not have the regulation Ph.D., on his calling cards and it is certain that he never delved very deeply along the lines of belief in supernatural agencies; however, he disagrees with the learned student and in reply to his theory has taken a broadside at superstition in every phase, counting it out for the full ten units in his forthcoming production, "When the Clouds Roll By," which will be the feature Thursday and Friday nights. It may be that the dynamic one is the tenth of one of the particular short dozen embraced by the doctor's remarks because Doug hasn't lost even a suggestion of the wrinkles in his smile, despite his very harsh treatment of the numerous agencies involved in the superstition clan.

SEE US FOR LIGHT FIXTURES

WE have received an additional supply of light fixtures, which added to our present stock, gives us reason to believe that we carry more if this particular kind of merchandise than any store in Polk County. It is to your interest to become a customer of ours.

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INDEPENDENCE WOOD YARD

DICKSON & MATTISON, Props.

——Dealers in——

All Kinds of Wood

Independence Studio

now open
For Business
under
New Management

Announcement

We wish to announce to the people of Independence and vicinity that we have opened our Independence Branch in the McBeth Building on C street and have on display a few 1920

Maxwell Cars

which we will be pleased to have you come in and look over at any time. We expect to be here permanently and trust that we make many friends in this territory.

Our Motto is "SERVICE Plus QUALITY".

The Auto Utilities Co.,

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