

# VALLEY LODGE NO. 42

## I. O. O. F. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR ENSUING HALF YEAR

The Odd Fellows lodge of Independence met at their hall Saturday night and elected new officers for the six months beginning January 1, as follows; J. H. Hoffman, Noble Grand, O. A. Kreamer, Vice Grand, F. L. Hooper, Secretary and W. E. Craven, Treasurer. The appointive offices are to be filled when the installation is made, which will be announced later.

## MRS. MC CLOUD

### IMPROVING

The Monitor is pleased to announce that Mrs. Nellie Harris McCloud, who underwent a very serious operation at the hospital in Albany, October 9, is recovering very rapidly and hopes to be at home in Independence by the first of the year. She is now at the home of her brother, Ben Harris near Corvallis.

## RESIDENCES CHANGES HANDS

B. M. Estes sold his residence property last week to Mr. Addison. Mr. Addison takes possession this week and Mr. Estes put in a few days looking for a new home to live in.

Mr. Wm. McKinney closed a deal this week when he became the owner of the Lena Brown two story residence property on Fifth street. Mr. McKinney plans making considerable improvement on the property.

## MOVING OLD LAND MARKS

One of the old time residences what was known as the Vendann place in the Spurling block and just west of the Lerona was purchased by Chai Long who is taking it to a lot recently purchased near the depot where he will remodel and make it into a desirable renting property. Mart Graves moved the house using "Kitty" and "Cori" his two famous mules.

## SECON TEAM BALL GAME

The J. H. S. basketball team made a trip to Mount Angel Saturday when they played two games of basketball. They played the Mount Angel team in the afternoon where they came up against the "little giants" who circled around the home team to a good decisive score. In the evening they played the Athletic Club team and gave them a trimming, the score being 30 to 17.

The score of the first game was 45 to 11. The line-up of the Independence team was:

Williams and McKinney, Forwards; Mix, Center; Russell and Swope, Guards.

In the afternoon game Williams and McKinney scored 8 points each and Mix 14. In the evening game Williams 4, McKinney 2 and Mix 5.

# HOLDEN LEAVES IOWA COLLEGE

## The "Corn Man" Joins I.H.C. Service Bureau.

## TO HELP PUSH WORK FORWARD

Co-Operation Movement for Larger Crops, Better Roads, More Prosperous People and a Better Nation.

This marks the beginning of a new and greater business service. It is a cooperative movement for larger crops, better roads, happier homes, more prosperous people, and a richer and better nation. That is to say, the I.H.C. Service Bureau proposes to help do for all the states and for Canada what Holden has done for Iowa.

After considering many offers, and after an investigation of the company and its works, Professor Perry G. Holden has entered the service of the I.H.C. Service Bureau at Chicago.

Professor Holden is known wherever real agriculture is known. His whole life is one of service. He originated the idea of carrying information direct to farmers. He is the father of the demonstration tract, short school courses, the corn show, county



PROF. PERRY G. HOLDEN.

demonstration farms, and the National Corn Exposition. As head of the extension department of Iowa State College of Agriculture he did a work which, Senator Cummins says, up to the present time has increased the wealth of Iowa \$30,000,000.

The object of the I.H.C. Service Bureau is the promotion of agricultural education, and a co-operation which will tend to raise the whole tone of commercial, industrial and farm life. Since agriculture is the basis of property and progress, naturally farm problems claim first attention. The aim is higher efficiency, both on and off the farm.

To do a big work a big organization is necessary. Not only the business, but the perfection of the International organization as well as the agricultural organization. The big general assembly, scattered all over the United States and Canada; the salesmen, travelers and expert machine men; the 40,000 dealers—every one, so far as possible, is to be made an apostle of better farming.

For years the International Harvester Company has realized the importance of service. It has spent millions of dollars in the perfection of labor-saving machines, and now the company is going in for direct service—direct to the farmer, and direct to the farmer's children, that the men and women of tomorrow may be more capable and so more prosperous than the men and women of today.

It is no longer a theory that if we are to get the most out of life we must raise more per acre. "Intensive farming" is in the air. It is the battle cry of peace and plenty. But raising more is the result of mind, not muscle. We must know. And not only that we must know we know, and know why we know. We must know the good from bad, right cultivation from wrong, and the why and wherefore of climates, soils, fruits, cattle, horses, poultry, and so forth.

For these things the bureau was established. But the bureau and Professor Holden see more than an average increase of a few bushels. They see a time coming when farmers will raise twice as many bushels of corn, wheat and oats as the acre, and like yields of all other kinds of farm products. They see a time when farmers and farmers' wives and their children will think more and work less. Every bushel raised means just that much profit, and the profits of the farm promote commerce and industry.

After a period of good work in Michigan and Iowa, better work at Illinois, and a great work at Iowa, Professor Holden now enters upon the world's work. While in future Professor Holden will designate Chicago as home, he says he is not leaving Iowa—he is merely carrying Iowa to the rest of the world.

## YALE QUITS HOCKEY LEAGUE

Wants More Freedom and Chance to Play its Game at Home.

Yale will be among the missing when the college hockey teams begin their annual battles for supremacy in the intercollegiate hockey league early in 1912 in New York.

At the annual meeting of the league held in New York recently the Bulldog coaches resigned. The reason assigned was that at New Haven, right under their noses, the Yale team have a great rival. In the past it has been used mainly for one reason. Those interested felt that as a free lance the Yale seven would have a wider scope.

With Yale out of the league only four teams remain—Columbia, Cornell, Dartmouth and Princeton.

## BROOKE A CAPABLE COACH.

Former Gridiron Star Mentioned as Handler of Penn Next Season.

George Brooke, who is being mentioned prominently as the next coach at Pennsylvania, was a player of the first magnitude in the early nineties and since then has met with much success coaching Swarthmore. He was one of the best kickers football ever has known and an All America back.

Bull, Woodruff, Wharton, Gelbert and Kulp were team mates. Since they have been coaching Brooke and Hollenback, the Penn State coach, have been very active in humbling their alma mater. However, that's part of the game. George Foster Sanford did it to Yale when he was coaching Columbia, and there have been other cases.

## KOHLEMANINENS, RUNNERS, ARE VEGETARIANS.

Here's something about the two famous Kohlemaninens brothers, Bill, the professional, and Hanne, the simon pure, that many followers of sports perhaps don't know—the pair are vegetarians. Neither one has eaten any meat for more than four years.

Bill got the vegetable habit from Gustav Ljungstrom, the Swedish professional, who ran some sensational races here in 1908. Bill induced Hanne to become a vegetarian, and the pair are ardent devotees of the so-called food.

When Martin Sheridan heard the Kohlemaninens were vegetarians the great all-around athlete chirped, "Becorra, I wonder how fast they could run if they ever had a square meal under their belts."

## COLLEGE BASKETBALL.

Dr. Raycroft Succeeds Hyatt as President—Changes in Rules.

Several important changes have been made in the intercollegiate basketball league preparatory to what promises to be the most successful year in the history of the league. Dr. Joseph E. Raycroft of Princeton and Joseph E. Hyatt of Princeton are the newly elected president and president respectively. The withdrawal of Hyatt is only temporary and due to the reorganization of sports at Yale. The newly elected president has devoted much time to college basketball, having been its leading exponent in the west prior to his leaving Chicago university and entering Princeton.

The league rules have been simplified for the coming year, and the game, in addition to being spectacular, will be better understood by the spectators. The one hand dribble will prevail this year, as last, with the idea of developing more team work and less individual play.

Dartmouth, which was admitted to the league last year, has been given a place on the executive committee, thereby entitling it to a full voice in the league.

The furnishing of officials by the league for all the games was so successful last year that it has been made permanent, and officials for this season's games will be selected by the executive committee. The schedule follows:

Dec. 14, Pennsylvania at Princeton; 19, Princeton at Dartmouth; 21, Columbia at Cornell.

Jan. 10, Princeton at Columbia; 11, Dartmouth at Pennsylvania; 12, Dartmouth at Cornell; 17, Cornell at Columbia; 18, Princeton at Pennsylvania; 19, Columbia at Princeton; 21, Pennsylvania at Cornell; 22, Pennsylvania at Dartmouth; 23, Princeton at Cornell; 24, Pennsylvania at Columbia; 14, Cornell at Princeton; 15, Cornell at Pennsylvania; 16, Columbia at Dartmouth; 18, Dartmouth at Princeton; 22, Dartmouth at Columbia.

March 1, Cornell at Princeton and Columbia at Pennsylvania.

Feed the Young Stock.

Instead of being a waste to feed young stock liberally it is just the opposite. The young animal is growing and every mouthful he can assimilate adds to his weight and increases the value of the feed. Feed in the form of baby beef or pork is worth a great deal more than it is in the stack or crib and is much more readily salable. If only a maintenance ration is fed to the young animal and he is "roughed through" the winter he has been starting still instead of growing in value, and the feed has been deteriorating with age, and there is a loss both ways. We get no return from the feed that is consumed. On the other hand, if the animal is well fed he pays more for the feed than the dealer would give, he makes the most rapid gain that can be made at any period of his life, and he enriches the soil.

Profit in Fall Pigs.

An Ohio farmer who has had the experience which teaches him that there is money to be made with fall Jersey gives results with two Duroc Jersey sows and their fall litters. These sows farrowed Aug. 30, 13 thirteen and eleven pigs and raised ten and nine, respectively. The feed they consumed, counting from the time the sows were bred until the offspring were sold, May 19, 1911, was as follows: Pasture, \$5.90; tankage, \$12.25; ground wheat, \$0.50; skim milk, \$2; husked meal, \$2; soy beans, \$2; 103 bushels of corn, \$80.85. Total cost, \$120.50. When they were sold they weighed 8,725 pounds. He received \$6 per hundred weight for them, or \$223.50, making \$103 profit, or 85 cents per bushel for corn consumed.

The Breeding Ewe.

Ewes should have attained a good condition of flesh by waning time if they are to provide ample nourishment for rapid and healthy growth in the lambs. If ewes are fed heavily and not sufficient exercise provided both

ewe and lamb will be weak. This condition is often followed by a heavy mortality among the lambs. Better have the ewe in moderate flesh, with plenty of activity, than fat and sluggish.

## PLEASE SETTLE AT ONCE

Having sold out my business I wish to notify all persons who may be indebted to me, to call and settle their accounts at once as all unpaid claims are to be placed in the hands of a collector if not paid in side of 10 days. Jas. Hilliard.

## FIRST NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATRIX

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day been duly appointed by the County Court of Polk County, Oregon, Administratrix of the estate of Curtis M. Baker, deceased, and has duly qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are directed to present the same, duly verified, to the undersigned at her residence at Airie, Oregon, within six (6) months from the date of the notice. Dated Nov. 1, 1912.

Maudie M. Baker, Administratrix of the estate of Curtis M. Baker, deceased. Carey F. Martin, Attorney for estate. E. P. 12-5 L. P. 1-2

## TEACHERS EXAMINATION

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Polk County will hold the regular examination for applicants for State papers at the Court House at Dallas as follows: Commencing Wednesday, Dec. 18 at 9 o'clock A. M., and continuing until Saturday, Dec. 21 at 4 P. M. Wednesday Forenoon: Writing, U. S. History, Physiology. Wednesday Afternoon: Physical Geography, Reading, Composition, Methods in Reading and Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday Forenoon: Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography. Thursday Afternoon: Grammar, Geography, American Literature, Physics, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate.

Friday Forenoon: Theory and Practice, Orthography, English Literature. Friday Afternoon: School Law, Botany, Algebra, Civil Government. Saturday Forenoon: Geometry, Geology.

Saturday Afternoon: General History and Book Keeping. Yours Respectfully, H. C. Seymour, Superintendent of Schools, Polk County, Oregon.

F. P. 12-5. L. P. 12-12.

Walls Wall, Wash., Nov. 29, 1912.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by my son, Robt. Ankeny, of Riekreal, Oregon.

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## CITY OFFICERS AND CLUBS

Independence, Polk Co., Oregon. Population 1800, has water, sewer and electric light systems, \$25,000 high school, public school, city park, paved streets, two banks, fine railroad and boat connections, and city hall.

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Calvary Presbyterian Church H. CHAS. DUNSMORE, D. D. PASTOR. Morning Services, 11 A. M. Evening Services, 8 P. M. Sunday School 10 A. M. Ladies Needlecraft, each alternate Thursday.

Christian Church Bible School at 10:00 a. m. every Sunday. Prayer meeting services Wednesday evenings.

Baptist Church Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. B. Y. P. U. Sunday evenings at 7:20 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings.

Methodist Church REV. A. F. SANDIFUR, PASTOR. Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Morning Service, 11:00 a. m. Evening Service, 7:30 p. m. Epworth League, 7:30 p. m. Midweek prayer service, Wednesday evenings.

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