THE INDEPENDENCE MONITOR If there is a time in the year when the man with the Published Weekly at Independence, Polk County, Oregon; on Friday. sues are not only a benefit to LOCAL AND PERSONAL Entered as Second Class Matter August 1, 1912 at the Post Office at Inde the immediate section where pendence, Polk County, Oregon, Under the Act of March 3, 1879. printed, but to the whole Dance, Monday, March 17. state since they necessarily K. N. Wood of Dallas was G. A. Hurley, Publisher & Proprietor attract much attention. visitor in the city Saturday There should be more of jus Subscription Rates: One Year \$1.50 Strictly in Advance P. A. Lockwood was in the such issues, but as they gen Oregon, Friday, Mar. 14, 1913 city from Newberg over Sun erally cost more than they Iadependence,

WHY NOT PREPARE YOUR YARDS NOW?

Spring time is coming and with it comes the best season day. of the year for improvements. In front of every sidewalk

in Independence is a strip of land that should be spaded or plowed, and put into some good yard grass, flowers, etc. Now is the time to do this. It would be agood plan for the ning. city counc'l this spring to set aside about two days during the next two or three weeks as clean up and improvement days. The city should furnish teams and wagons to haul city. off all the refuse gathered up during those days and the residents should be notified to clean up their premises. At this time it would be a good plan to have plowed and harrowed the front yards and the parking space in front of all sidewalks getting things in shape for summer. Independence is too neglectful of her residence section. Civic pride should be cultivated and when once the results is

shown the future is assured in this one respect. The Monitor suggests that, independent of all other ning by the band will be a recommendations we have made, the city council should re- big success. quire the cleaning up of all yards, the refuse from barns, the placing of chloride of line in all out houses, etc., so as to keep the health of the city in the best condition possible.

WHAT ARE THE SAD SEA WAVES SAYING

They say use salt. One of our exchanges finds that city Saturday. Lot's wife when she turned into a pillar of salt did a good act. She started something.

Salt on the fingers when cleaning fowls, meat or fish will prevent slipping; thrown on the fire when broiling steak will prevent blazing from the dripping fat; as a gargle will cure a sore throat; in solution, if inhaled, will cure a cold in the head; in water is the best thing to clean willow furniture or matting; in the oven under baking tins will prevent their scorching on the bottom; puts out a fire in the chimney; with vinegar will remove stains from discolored teacups; with soda will relieve the pain of bee stings and insect bites; thrown on soot which has fallen on the carpet will prevent a stain ; put on in a freshly spilt on the carpet green be at the St. Patrick will help to remove the spot; in whit wash makes it stick ; dance Monday, March 17 thrown on a coal fire which is low will revive it; used in sweepi ig carpets keeps out moths, and coarse salt sprinkled on a carpet that looks dull, when swept hard will do much to brighten it.

POLK COUNTY LEADS

Not in one industry alone but in all lines, Polk county business visitor in Indepen- only. Appointments may be leads. While Polk county hops are recognized as the best dence Frider. in the world, she has a reputation reaching far and wide for her thoroughbred stock. She excels in jersey and ayrshire cattle, ir, cotswold and lincoln sheep, in angora goats, in poland china and berkshire swine, in mammoth turkeys, in blue and alusions, plymouth rocks, anconas, Rhode Island reds and wyandott chickens. Fine crops of clover are produced. She has record breaking yields of potatoes and the week every branch of industry is represented. Take the dairying Nelson Anderson of Burna feature alone and it is a success and pays the owners of the dairy farms a large interest on the investment. Vegetables Vista delivered six head of mature well and make record crops. In fact everything fine porkers at the Nelson does its best in Polk county. Nature is built right in this meat nook of Oregon, that's why.

THE	MAN	WITH	THE	HOE	

Capitol Journal.

J M. Stark, former mana

ger of the little Palace Hotel

spent Monday and Tuesday in

this city on bu iness. While

here he called at the Monitor

office and was favorably im

pressed with the growth and

He makes his headquarters

The Christain Church Bible

School expect to have one

hundred in attendance Sun-

day morning. We want you

'Greater Works'' in the morn-

ing at 11 o'clock and in even-

ing "The Great Physician"

at Eugene.

will be given.

Hoe succeeds in getting in work that counts, it is nowgarden making, lawn making, home beautifying weather.

return, the county editor, few

E. M. Young was trans- of whom are in the J. Pierp acting business in town Mon- class, are naturally slow about

Don't fail to attend the St. Patrick dance Monday eve-

Dr. F. B. Eaton of Corvallis spent Sunday in this

Louis Ohmart of Falls City spent Saturday in Independence

Jim Swift of Junction City development here. Mr. Stark was looking over the city is now at leasure, not having Friday. The bigdance Monday eve-

E. W. Bryant of Albany transacted business in the city Saturday.

W. W. Keown of Jefferson, to be one Will you? Do was a business visitor in this

H. E. Gilbert of Salem pent a day in the city the

ast of the week. Born to the wife of James

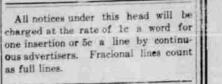
Ferris, Sunday morning at 3:00 A. M. a baby girt.

Miss Mary Kate visited gon, to look after his property with her parents in Corvallis there. He will return in a few Saturday and Sunday.

If you are a wearer of the

Craven and Moore have been putting in a fine easter display in their how windows this week.

Charles Atwater, a real BenC. Crow announces that estate man of Airlie, was a he will accept six voice pupils



CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

LIVE STOCK, IMPLEMENTS. ETC. Get haby chix for less than you can afford to hatch them. White Leghorns and Houdans Polk County Sanitary Egg Farm Route 2, Salem 4 t FOR SALE-Mare 1300 about 12

years old. A. Green. Rout 2 Belgian Stallion for sale or exgetting them out, and when change. A bargain. they do it is a labor of love, Inquire at this office. not profit, says the Salem

> Young horse for sale cheap. Inquire at this office.

Will trade Upright Piano for any thing of value. What have you? Address A. C. P. care of the Monitor.

FOR SALE, cream seperator call at this office.

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For sale, some good American Wonder early seed potatoes. Call or phone Homer Hill.

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you attend? If not, come ABSTRACTS OF TITLE made promptly, carefully and at a reasonable price and we will take care of you. Brown & Sibley, Attorneys and Ab slractors, 610 Mill St, Dallas, Oregon, Mr. Crow will speak on the

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PROPERTY FOR RENT

FOR RENT, furnished rooms.

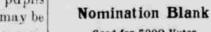
D. D. Davis.

week for Myrtle Creek, Ore- inquire at this office.

For sale, 8 room bungalow, modern, gasoline engine and water system comweeks to take charge of the plete, 4 good lots, all kinds of fruit. At Whitney blacksmith shop for bargain and on easy payments.

Al Whitney. Miss Cate, domestic science and art instructor of the Indep ndence high school, left l'ussday evening to be pres-Inquire at this office. ent at the marriage of her bro-

ther in Corvallis Welnes-FOR RENT, two houses. Call on day. or telephone Miss C. A. Robinson





Located in old Hotel Building Facing Railroad Street

DOWN WITH BILL BOARDS AND TIN SIGNS

If anything makes a town look like "podunk" it is the tin signs and bill board mania inside of the main business streets of a city. When a man, walking down the street sees such signs on a board between two buildings as, Imperial's cigars, copenhagen, souff, sneezum, etc., he looks February 28, it containing 34 for a directory to see if he has not arrived in the wrong pages. It can be truthfully town. It is a disgrace to have bill boards on your main added that every one of the Elimurry visited over Sunday thoroughfares carrying ragged circus posters and tobacco 34 pages was filled to crowd- with Frank Valiers at Crowadvertisements that have become so old that the moss is ing with interesting and edu ley. growing out from theeracks between them. The city should calional matter, that i , edu regulate the bill posting business, and civic pride should cational so far as information relegate to the scrap beap the back woods, died in the wool, "Podunk" dead town features that are evidenced by such of Baker county and the great advertising matter as stated above.

PLANS FOR CELEBRATION HERE

Independence is due this year to celebrate "Independence Day." For a number of years we have passed up the big Fourth of July celebration and why not shape up early J. D. Winn for a monster meeting, asking all the nearby towns to join us in one big time on this day. While it is a little early, by making arrangements now we can have the support of several towns that might otherwise celebrate themselves

THE RIGHT COVER FOR SPRING

The Gem State Rural, Caldwell, Idaho's farm and live stock monthly, came to our desk this week with an illustrated color cover, showing a little boy astride old "Molly." a man at the plow handle and the horse plowing a straight furrow. That picture certainly shows spring is coming and the time for planting here.

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made by phoning the resi R. C. Davis formerly of dence of Fred Hooper. C. W. Mott and family left

this place, now with the the first of this week for Cal Hammond Lumber Company with headquarters at Oak ifornia, where they will spend several months. Mrs. Mott Point, Washington. was a visitor in this city the first of going for her health.

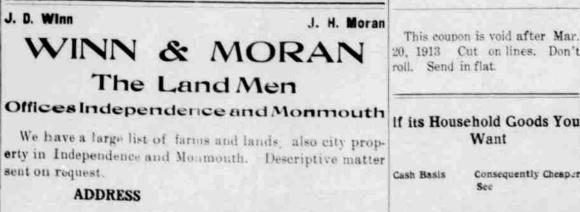
W. W. Keown, recently from Jefferson, has accepted a position with the Independence Creamery. His family vill move here soon. market Saturday.

Claud Kurre delivered seven. Miss Thelma Fowler, while roller skating Friday in front Everett Hiltebrand of the of the Palm Cafe, fell sprain-Luckiamute seven and De Armond Brothers of Suver ing her wrist quite badly properly filled and brought or

delivered three head of cattle. Mr. Stawn and wife are expected here this week to 5000 votes. Only one of these

The Baker City Herald got visit with C. D. Moore and blanks will be credited to each outa" Greater Baker" edition family. Henry and Warren Mc Everybody's doing it. What? the name of the candidate you Traiking of the St. Patrick wish to vote for, will be counted about the wonderful resourcelance Monday, March 17,

Mrs. M. E. Stansberry spent far eastern Oregon section is concerned. It is a number Fr day in Salem visiting friends of which the owners, editors and newsgatherers may all Mart Scrafford of Luckiafeel justly proud. Such is mute was in town Monday.



Winn & Moran

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Nominated by

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