

COUNTY NEWS NOTES

Items of Real Interest from Others

SUNNY SLOPE NEWS

P. L. Fishback lost a fine milk cow Saturday.

R. M. Bosley made a business trip to Independence Saturday.

Mrs. Clay Guthridge was a Monmouth trader Thursday.

Mr. Putman of Talmage was in this vicinity Thursday buying beef cattle.

R. L. Fishback was a county seat visitor Monday.

Levi Lehman of Independence was here on business Thursday.

Mrs. E. Clark of Monmouth was in our neighborhood last week on business and also visiting friends.

Miss Millie Clark of Monmouth returned home Sunday after spending several days of the past week with relatives here.

Harry Clinton took the train Sunday afternoon to Perrydale.

Miss Ina Fishback was a guest of friends in Monmouth Sunday and Monday.

Ed Mark of Rickreall purchased some pigs of John Holman Monday.

Mr. Bookey of Talmage was sawing wood for R. M. Bosley Monday with his gasoline saw.

Mrs. Alice Walker returned home Sunday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Vernie Marks and family of Rickreall.

W. H. Mack of Monmouth is out on his farm here this week.

Mrs. Tom Marks of Rickreall visited with John Walker and wife the first of the week.

George Sullivan and family spent Sunday with relatives in Monmouth.

Robert Shipley went to Perrydale Sunday on business.

DOVE LAKE VALLEY ITEMS

Several new families have moved into this section in the last few days.

Mrs. George Wilson of Salem and sons moved in last Wednesday.

Mr. La Mar and wife of Salem were arrivals last Sunday.

George Gertsen and wife of Bend, Oregon, arrived Sunday, last, on a visit with Mrs. Gertsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houghton, and are so favorably impressed with this section that they will remain for some time. Mr. Gertsen is a large land owner in Crook county but admits this section with its prosperous outlook looks good to him, and has been looking up new locations this week with a view of purchasing.

Robert McKenzie was in the Valley last Sunday on a visit with his mother, Mrs. Houghton.

The basket social at the Oak Grove school house will be held on Saturday, May 24, instead of Friday, May 23. This social is given to help toward the purchase of a new organ for the school house and it is hoped it will

be well attended and that all the ladies will come prepared with baskets and all the gentlemen with full pockets for they will both be appreciated. A very nice program has been prepared and a good time is assured to all.

The hops in this section are growing fine as this last week has been a growing week and a good crop is almost a sure thing in this part of the country.

The new road being built from the Horst Brother's ranch to Eola is fast being pushed forward to completion which will be a great benefit to parties of this section.

FALLS CITY ITEMS

Mrs. Hannah Vincent, Grand Chief of the Pythian Sisters made Hieronimus Temple, No. 50 an official visit on Wednesday evening of this week.

Misses Edna Barnhart and Ella Mehring were delegates to the Epworth League Convention at Newberg last week.

Miss Gazelle Lee is very ill with slight hopes for recovery.

Mrs. Jennie Cobb was visiting friends in Dallas last week.

The Matron's contest for the silver medal held at the M. E. Church on last Monday evening was won by Mrs. R. Van Den Bosch.

W. O. McKown was in last week from his Eastern Oregon claim for a few days visit with relatives.

Dr. Starbuck of Dallas has been a daily visitor here for some time, having some very sick patients here at present.

Albert Onderkirk who has been quite ill of pneumonia is improving rapidly.

Miss Rickson of Portland is here for a visit with her sister Mrs. Marney.

Art Trask of Corvallis visited his parents here last week.

Mrs. T. D. Hollowell and Al Brown were called to Portland Tuesday by the death of a sister, Mrs. Elwood.

On last Saturday evening a fire broke out in the basement of O. M. Mahr's store, doing serious damage to the complete stock, and although the building was saved, it is thought everything is ruined.

Dale Bell and wife are in charge of the Company store at Black Rock.

High Eggett of Falls City was a visitor of Independence this week. He is thinking of making an exchange for some property in Independence.

C. C. Lee, Falls City news reporter was in Independence Thursday and Friday.

CAFETERIA DINNER AT M. E. CHURCH

Large Attendance Present and Enjoyable Time

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church gave a cafeteria chicken dinner in the dining room of the church Thursday evening. The dining room was crowded and the tables were loaded with the best the market affords to satisfy the

man. The ladies were pleased with the results in a monetary way as the silver donations were all that was expected.

SALT YOUR ASPARAGUS

In growing asparagus, occasional applications of salt will stimulate the growth, as this is a sea shore plant.

GOES TO SILETZ

Tom Lusk, timber cruiser for this entire section of country, was in the city Tuesday, enroute to the Siletz country, where he is doing some work for Portland people. It is believed that the projectors of the proposed mill at Independence have put him in the woods of the Siletz preparatory to commencing work of getting out the timber.—Salem Statesman.

DRY CAMPAIGN PROJECTED

To make Oregon "dry" in 1916 is the ultimate object of a campaign which is being planned by H. L. Sheldon, superintendent of the Oregon Anti-Saloon League, and his associates.

The first step will be an initiative measure, to be submitted at the 1914 election for the repeal of the home rule amendment of the state constitution. If the amendment is repealed the next step will be an effort for state-wide prohibition in 1916.—Exchange.

A buckler in one of the upper camps at Black Rock, while sawing logs, cut off one and was standing on it, while cutting another, the first log was so situated that it was thrown in such a shape as to throw the laborer about 40 feet in the air, injuring him, causing his removal to the hospital at Dallas for treatment.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my thanks to those friends who so kindly assisted me during my late bereavement, the death and burial of my father.

MISS BESSIE BUTLER.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Polk County, Oregon will receive bids for crushing and hauling upon the roads 6,000 yards, more or less, of rock; 2,000 yards, more or less, at the Lee quarry, about 2 1/2 miles south of Falls City; 4,000 yards, more or less, at the Thorp quarry, near Williamina, Oregon.

Bids will be received for the crushing of rock at each quarry.

Bids will be received for the hauling of rock from each quarry from 1/4 to 10 1/4 miles.

All bids to be filed in the office of the County Clerk of Polk County, Oregon, on or before June 14th, 1913.

A. B. ROBINSON, Jr., County Clerk.

Dallas, Ore., May 21, 1913.

Call for Warrants

Notice is hereby given that all Polk county warrants endorsed not paid for want of funds will be paid on presentation at the office of the County Treasurer. No interest will be paid at or date of this notice. Dated at my office in Dallas, Oregon, May 6, 1913.

Tracy Staats, County Treasurer.

P. P. 5-23—L. P. 5-30.

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 in Dallas as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, June 18th, 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, June 21st, 1913 at 4 p. m.

WEDNESDAY FORENOON

Writing; U. S. History; Physiology.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Physical Geography; Reading; Composition; Methods in Reading; 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; Chemistry.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

School Law; Botany; Algebra; Civil Government.

SATURDAY FORENOON
Geometry, Geology.
SATURDAY AFTERNOON
General History, Bookkeeping.
Respectfully,
H. C. Seymour,
School Supt. Polk County, Oregon.

Notice for Sealed Bids for Street Paving

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Recorder of Independence, Oregon, until June 4th, 1913, at 8:00 p. m. thereof, for furnishing materials and constructing street paving with cement concrete, paving mixed in the proportion of 1, 2 and 4, or concrete base with asphaltic or other wearing surface, or other hard surface paving, also concrete curbs and grading said streets to sub-grade.

Each bidder is required to state in his bid the kind of paving he or they propose to build, the price thereof, and the same be accompanied with his or their plans and specifications for such paving and work.

Separate bids will be received for building said curb lines, said street paving, and said grading, or all may be covered by one bid. Said bids will be opened and examined by the City Council of said City on the 4th day of June, 1913, at 8:00 p. m. thereof, at Council Chambers in said City. Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check in an amount equal to 10 per cent of the total amount of such bid, subject to forfeiture to said city, as fixed and liquidated damages, if such bidder fails to enter into a contract for such work, should his or their bid be accepted by the City Council, according to the plans and specifications furnished by such bidder and accepted by said City Council.

The right to reject any or all bids, plans and specifications is hereby reserved by said City Council.

By order of the City Council.

B. F. SWOPE, City Recorder.

Independence, Ore., May 22, 1913.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

All notices under this head will be charged at the rate of 1c a word for an insertion or be a line by continuous advertisers. Fractional lines count as full lines.

Independence Studio over Craven & Moore's.

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It will pay you to look over my samples first before ordering; our spring suit or overcoat. All work guaranteed as to style and workmanship. Dietz, the tailor.

NOTICE: Send a copy of the Monitor's big special advertisement. Sample copies 10c, 50c, 50c.

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Allen Clark is in the market for oats and wheat in car lots.

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ABSTRACTS OF TITLE

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PROPERTY FOR RENT

For Rent—one room furnished for light house keeping, \$7 per month Phone 2012, Independence.

ROOM FOR RENT, for particulars inquire at this office or phone 3311.

DEALERS IN COAL AND WOOD

COAL FOR SALE: The Chas. K. Spaulding Logging Co.

FARMS AND RANCHES FOR SALE

BIG RANCH FOR SALE, 287 acre place at \$75 per acre. Part down, balance on good terms. Inquire of R. J. Taylor.

FOR SALE, 50 acres one mile from Monmouth, fine soil. Price \$125 per acre. For particulars inquire at this office.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Christian Church

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

Baptist Church

W. T. TAPSCOTT, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Morning service, 11:00 a. m.; evening service, 8:00 p. m.

B. Y. P. U. Sunday evenings at 7:00 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, 8:00 p. m.
Epworth League, 7:30 p. m.
Midweek prayer service, Wednesday evenings.

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, hotel, paved streets, two banks, fine railroad and boat connections, and city hall.

The city officers are:

Mayor, K. C. Eldredge.
Marshal, A. J. Tupper.
Recorder, B. F. Swope.
Treasurer, R. R. DeArmond.
City Councilmen, J. L. Hanna, J. H. Dixon, A. L. Spelling, C. W. Irvine, W. H. Walker, P. H. Drexler.

Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month.

Independence Commercial Club

Meets First and Third Tuesdays of each month. Membership over 100.
J. S. Cooper, President.
K. C. Eldredge, Treasurer.
J. G. McIntosh, Secretary.

R. J. Taylor

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By Imported Sain-Dam, St. Rose

16 1-2 hands high, weight 1150, one of the grandest thoroughbreds this side of the Rocky Mountains

Winner of the California Cup at three years old—2 1-4 miles, in the month of April—defeating aged horse, Red Leaf, one of King Brothers' handicap mares. A one-half interest in this horse was sold to Sam Hildreth, a week before the cup race was run, for \$15,000. He was taken to New York, where he was a winner, and was called around New York "The Face Maker."

Tony Faust is now at the Independence Race Track and his headquarters will be at this place until he goes out of our possession.

Any one wishing to breed to this kind of a horse, call at the track, see him and get the particulars. Tony Faust has served mares in British Columbia this season and has also had high-class Kentucky saddle mares bred to him. He has served good standard bred mares this season and has served some of the best thoroughbred mares on the Pacific coast this season. This horse has nice manners and a good head.

Galbreath Brothers, Owners
INDEPENDENCE, OREGON

Do You Comply with the Butter Law?

If not, read the following law and then have your Butter Wrappers nicely printed, with your name and the weight of the butter thereon.

CAUTION!

CHAPTER 179, SECTION 3

"It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation to sell, offer or expose for sale, any short weight butter within the State of Oregon. All butter sold or exposed or offered for sale in rolls, prints or squares within the State of Oregon, shall be plainly marked: 'Eight ounces, full weight.' 'Sixteen ounces, full weight.' 'Twenty-four ounces, full weight.' on every roll, print or square sold, offered, or exposed for sale shall contain the number of ounces marked thereon; and any person, firm, association or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25.00 or more than \$100.00, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than six months; or both such fine and imprisonment."

The Monitor can furnish you with good parchment Butter Wrappers, printed according to law at \$1.00 for the first hundred and 25 cents for each additional one hundred. This includes stock and printing. You can send your order by mail with the amount. Write plainly and state the size you wish.

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