



Cook in a cool kitchen

All the heat is concentrated where it is needed—keeps you cool and makes for better cooking

NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK-STOVE

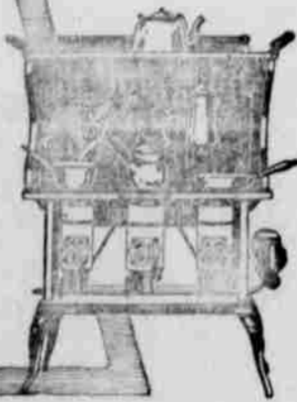
Why not cook with a modern oil stove this summer and be comfortable? Bakes, broils, roasts, toasts. More efficient than your wood or coal stove, and costs less to operate.

Better cooking because the long blue chimneys give steady, more evenly distributed heat, under perfect control—like gas. No smoke or smell. In 1, 2, 3 and 4-burner sizes, ovens separate. Also cabinet models with Fireless Cooking Ovens.

Ask your dealer today.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY (California) Independence

For Best Results Use Pearl Oil



For Sale By CRAVEN & HUFF SLOPER BROS. & COCKLE J. D. HIBBS & CO.

THE INDEPENDENCE MONITOR

AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER

Published Weekly at Independence, Polk County Oregon, on Friday.

Entered as Second Class Matter August 1, 1912 at the Post Office at Independence, Polk County, Oregon, Under the Act of March 3, 1879.

CLYDE T. ECKER, Editor
NINA B. ECKER, Associate

Subscription Rates: One Year \$1.50 Strictly in Advance
ADVERTISING RATES: 15c. per inch for one insertion, 12 1-2c. for two or more insertions, 10c. on monthly contracts. Readers, 5 and 10c. per line

Independence, Oregon, Friday, May 19, 1916

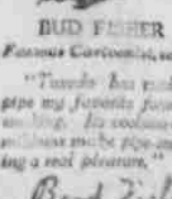
Many primary sores are never healed. Now we shall see what we shall see.

Billie Sunday says Rockefeller has always done the right thing by God. Evidently Rockefeller has done the right thing by Billie Sunday and he has it credited in the wrong place.

Over 40000 Republicans in Pennsylvania wrote in the name of Henry Ford on their ballots this week. If Ford's name had been printed on all the primary ballots in all the states, he would have been the Republican candidate for president and a most likely winner in November.



Bud Fisher jumped the old-time rut when he invented Jeff and Mutt. For years, with that amusing pair, he's chased away the people's care, and made them laugh and throw their hats, and cackle till they broke their slats. The tired, the sad, the weak, the worn, have laughed with Bud, and ceased to mourn; the lame, the halt, the blind, the deaf, have whooped with glee o'er Mutt and Jeff. Where does he find the joyous jests which break the buttons from our vests? You'd think the fount would have to fail, but never once has he been stale. When he sits down to hatch a plot in which his heroes will be caught, he lights his pipe, and soon a joke emerges from Tuxedo smoke. He swears by "Tux" and so will you, when you have tried a jar or two.



BUD FISHER Famous Cartoonist, says "Tuxedo has made a pipe my favorite form of smoking. Its coolness and mildness make pipe smoking a real pleasure."

BREITENBUSH SPRINGS NOW OPEN

Great Baths!
Good Fishing!
Fine Scenery!

Whether you come for a week, a month or the summer, you'll find this place the best in Oregon for a vacation or outing. Address J. K. Johnson, Detroit, Ore., for further information.

AN "OUR TOWN" WINNER



Asa B. Robinson, of Independence, nominated today by the Democrats for county clerk.

BUENA VISTA

Mrs. S. Wilson of Portland is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lester Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Neal are visiting friends in Eugene this week.

Mrs. Chas. Kau has returned to her home in Carlton after spending a few days visiting relatives here. She was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Margaret McLain.

Mrs. Will Bevans is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ed Elkin, at Grande Ronde.

A game of baseball was played here Friday between the Airlie high school and Buena Vista high, which resulted in a score of 20 to 2 in favor of the home team.

Last Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Neal were pleasantly surprised when a crowd of eighteen boys and girls came to their home to spend the evening. The time was spent playing games. The girls brought and served a delicious luncheon during the evening.

The R. N. club met at the home of "grandma" McLain on Thursday afternoon. This was business day, and the greater part of the time was spent talking over the business of the club work for the year. Mrs. Wall recited a comic piece which was greatly enjoyed by the ladies present.

An excursion from Corvallis spent most of the day here Sunday in the interest of their rose queen, Miss Georgia White.

Several of the candidates for county offices have visited this place the past week.

Mothers' day was very appropriately observed at the M. E. church Sunday morning. The choir, consisting entirely of young people, furnished some fine special songs. Alma Walls and Marjorie Reynolds sang "My Mother's Lullaby," and the pastor, Rev. Mr. Wall, delivered a very fine sermon.

Rastus Peterson is visiting in Portland and McMinnville.

The ladies of the Rural Club and their husbands gave a fare-

well party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Neal Saturday evening at the M. E. parsonage. There were about forty-five present. The evening was spent playing games, singing, and in social conversation. The house was very prettily decorated with white flowers and ferns. Ice cream and cake was served during the evening.

CHURCHES

METHODIST

W. C. STEWART, Pastor.

One of the most interesting Sunday sessions will be held next Sunday. Don't miss it. Topic—"The Cripple at Lystra."

Regular Church Service 11 A. M. Topic—"Not by might nor by power but by my Spirit, saith the Lord."

Epworth League 7 P. M. Topic—"Capturing the Student of China." Dorothy Paddock and Opal Hewett are the leaders.

Popular service 8 P. M. The pastor was much gratified with the large attendance last Sunday. Over 200 were present. The following is the program for next Sunday evening.

FATHER'S DAY PROGRAM
1 Voluntary, by orchestra.
2 Hymn "Faith of our Fathers" Congregation, No. 415

3 Prayer.
4 Anthem Choir.
5 Announcements --Offering--Offeratory.
6 Double Duet by four girls.
7 Solo, "Softly Now the Light of Day." Mrs. Irvine
8 Hymn, "How Firm a Foundation" Congregation No. 461
9 Sermon "What We Owe To Our Fathers" The Pastor
10 Solo "Daddy" Mrs. Paddock
11 Hymn "By Cool Siloam's Shady Rill" Congregation No. 678
12 Recessional Special Instrumental
We assure you a delightful time if you come to the First Methodist.

CHRISTIAN

F. Claude Stephens, Pastor

Service for Lord's Day, May, 21. Bible School at 10 a. m.

A most interesting feature given by Carl Bingman at this service that will interest all attending.

Divine worship 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m. Evening Evangelistic services 8:00.

"The Gospel Is God's Power Unto Salvation." Believe it. A welcome awaits all desiring to worship with us.

J. N. McConnell of the McMinnville Christian church spoke Tuesday evening before the auxiliary and general congregation. His address was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present. He returned home the following morning.

BAPTIST

W. S. STEWART, Pastor.

All of the services of the church will be held in the church this coming Sunday. Altho there is plenty of work yet to be done, the Church is so that it can be used for services.

Sunday School at 10. Preaching at 11. Subject, "The Child in the Home."

May 28, The Visitor in the Home." June 4, "The Homes of the Future." B. Y. P. U. at 7:00. Preaching at 8:00. All are cordially invited to attend.

PRESBYTERIAN

Regular services at Calvary Presbyterian church next Sunday. Dr. Dunsmore will preach both morning and evening.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Bids will be received by the clerk of School Dist. No. 29, Independence, Oregon, up to and including May 24, 1916, for wood, as follows: 110 cords of slab wood or old growth fir wood; 10 cords of grub oak wood. All of said to be delivered at public and high schools, as the Board may designate. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

GRACE SWOPE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of George A. Rich, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, and has qualified.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned administratrix at her residence on Moanmuth street, Independence, in said County, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated and first published May 5, 1916.

INETTIE RICH, Administratrix of the estate of George A. Rich, deceased.
B. F. Swope, Attorney.



Washable Painted Walls

You have often wanted a finish for your walls and ceilings that would have the durability of an oil paint, yet with a surface of soft, restful, velvet like appearance. A finish that was sanitary. That you could wash without injury.

'ACME QUALITY'
NO-LUSTRE FINISH

is the ideal finish. It is sanitary. It can be dusted, wiped with a damp cloth, or even washed with mild soap and water without injuring the finish. And it's expensive and easily applied—brushed on like ordinary paint. More information at our store.

THE CHAS. K. SPAULDING LOGGING CO.

THE GOOD JUDGE GETS A TIP FROM THE COUNTRY DOCTOR



MEN are learning the truth about chewing tobacco. A clean, small chew of W-B CUT Chewing—the Real Tobacco Chew, new cut, long shred—will satisfy you. It leaves a clean after-taste in the mouth—not the thick, foggy taste that the ordinary chews forces on a man. That's one of the reasons why men are so eager to tell their friends about the Real Tobacco Chew.

"Notice how the salt brings out the rich tobacco taste!"
Made by WEYMAN-BRUTON COMPANY; 50 Union Square, New York City

Calbreath & Jones GROCERS

Where a Dollar brings one hundred cents of value

A dollar for every dollar or a dollar back

THE INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL BANK

Established 1889

A Successful Business Career of Twenty Five Years

INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS
H. Hirschberg, Pres. D. W. Sears, V. P.
R. R. DeArmond, Cashier
W. H. Walker, I. A. Allen, O. D. Butler