

LOCALS BREVITIES

Max Goldman buys and sells all kinds of wood. 40tf

Work Shoes \$1.75 to \$12.50 at Kreamer's.

Mrs. J. E. Duganne of Portland is the guest of her son, Dr. R. E. Duganne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hibbs spent several days recently in Portland with relatives.

D. H. Phillips, jeweler, successor to H. J. Rowe. 41tf

Mrs. O. L. Peterson of Astoria is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dean H. Walker.

Miss Opal McDevitt has returned from California where she has been the pupil of a music master.

D. A. London of Sover and Miss Alpha Meekling of Pendleton were licensed to wed in Vancouver Wednesday.

Eyes scientifically examined and glasses fitted. Dr. F. G. Hewett, Cooper Bldg. 29tf

Don't forget them Unionalls for men and boys at Conkey & Walker's.

Miss Lavon Leitch, who has been attending school at the state university, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Conkey.

Miss Winnifred Garlow who has been visiting Miss Emma Henkle left last Tuesday for her home in Oberlin, O.

Work Shirts 50c. to \$1.50 at Kreamer's.

For Sale—42 acres of good land, one and half miles from Independence, just off paved road. Good terms. Write or call Falls City-Salem Lumber Co., Salem, Ore., 349 South Twelfth St., phone 813. 47

Mrs. Tom Hart was hostess to the members of the Needlecraft Thursday afternoon. Sewing and a light luncheon formed the pleasures of the meeting.

Mrs. O. J. Whiteaker started Wednesday morning for her old home near Paducah, Kentucky. Her mother is in poor health. Mrs. Whiteaker will return in September.

B. F. Swope, Lawyer Cooper Bldg.

We expect the balance of our Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits next week. O. A. Kreamer.

Homer Wood and family are in the eastern part of the state this week visiting Mr. Wood's parents. They made the trip by Ford.

Dr. J. B. Grider departed for California the first of the week, being called there by the serious illness of his father. He expects to return next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown started yesterday on their summer vacation. After staying near Salem a week, they will go to Chicago and then back to California.

A watch repaired by D. H. Phillips will keep time, and you can depend on it. 41tf

Mrs. Childs and daughters, Gladys and Dorothy, departed Wednesday morning for Iowa where they will remain until fall. Mrs. W. J. Clark accompanied them as far as Portland.

Miss Dolly Dearing returned from Portland Wednesday where she has been for the past week with Mrs. Lucinda Baldwin, who is receiving medical aid. Mrs. Baldwin will return home tomorrow.

Wanted—housekeeper on farm. Address Box 61, Monmouth, Ore. 50

Department Encampment G. A. R. meets at Forest Grove on June 26, 27 and 28. A number from Independence will attend. The Pacific Coast Veteran's Association meets at the same time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Roach of Nebraska were visiting at the home of his brother-in-law, H. G. Seeley, this week. Mr. Roach is not a tenderfoot in Oregon as he comes out here every once in a while.

Mrs. Alpha Bascue will depart next week for her girlhood home in Missouri where she will spend July and August. Her millinery stock will be left with Mrs. Bulloch at the pressing and cleaning parlors.

Mrs. S. B. Walker entertained with a charming sewing party Thursday afternoon. The pretty function was a compliment to Mrs. I. O. Peterson of Astoria who is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Dean Walker. The hostess closed the afternoon with an elaborate luncheon.



Kale plants for sale. Bert Hinkle, phone Farm 6122.

Dr. R. E. Duganne, dentist, National Bank Building.

After an absence in the east of about a year, Dr. Lowe, the well known optician, has returned to Oregon and will be in Independence in place of Dr. Turner on Saturday, July 7 to 4 o'clock. Consult him at the Beaver Hotel.

Ladies, you should see the new line of fancy, snappy sport hats at Conkey & Walker's. Priced very reasonable.

The ladies of the W. R. C. had a banquet at the close of their regular meeting for the benefit of their new members and guests on last Saturday afternoon. They expect several more new members at their next meeting as a result of a contest they have been having.

For Men and Boys—New patterns, new styles in the Straus suits with the newest shaped hats and caps to match at Conkey & Walker's.

O. A. Macy, who has been the manager of the Spaulding Logging Co. in Independence for some years, has been promoted and is now city salesman for the same company in Salem. This is the old adage, "you can't keep a good man down" proven. B. E. Smith, another good one, will be in charge of the Independence yard.

WHEN IN DOUBT ASK YAMOREG COLLECTION AGENCY 13 Masonic Bldg., McMinnville. 41tf

F. C. Stephens, Christian minister, and family were out of town from Saturday afternoon until Wednesday morning. Mrs. Stephens and daughter remained at Dallas until Tuesday morning when they joined F. C., who held meetings from Sunday morning until Tuesday evening, at Falls City. They report having a good time.

Chester Henkle was operated upon in a Portland hospital yesterday with remarkable success. The young man has suffered for a number of years with stomach troubles and it is believed that this operation will relieve him from further attack. The operation was a very serious one and his friends are happy today that he went thru so well.

Would you like to save from 50c to \$1.50 per pair on your shoes? If so, buy them from Conkey & Walker. They have only all-leather soles and counters which is the life of any shoe. They come in black, fancy tan, and white tops, and black for ladies. Tan and black with white soles, all black or all tan, both lace and button for men. Give us a call. See our line. Conkey & Walker.

The Wednesday Afternoon Club enjoyed a pleasant afternoon with Mrs. J. G. McIntosh last Wednesday. During a short business session the members decided to disband for the summer to meet again at the call of the president. The luncheon table was centered with a large bowl of Caroline Testout roses and ferns. The club color, pink, was prettily motifed in the ices. Besides the club members, Mrs. Pearl Hedges was a guest.

In the Arena of Sports

Hank Gowdy, Boston Braves

Hank Gowdy, crack catcher of the Boston Nationals and batting hero of the world series of 1914, was one of the first of the ball tossers to enlist in the army. He joined the Second brigade of the Ohio national guard at Colum-



Photo by American Press Association.

HANK GOWDY.

bus, his home city. Hank is twenty-seven years old and is under contract at a salary of \$6,000 a year. As the Ohio national guard forces will not be mobilized until July 15, Gowdy's services will not be lost to the Braves until that date.

Ball Magnate to Go to France. Captain T. L. Huston, part owner of the Yankees and one of the most popular magnates in baseball, has joined a regiment of engineers which will go to France in the near future. He gained much experience in building railroads and bridges in Cuba during the Spanish war, and he will devote his time to this line of work at the front.

Honor For Nap Lajoie. Napoleon Lajoie, who is the manager and second baseman of the Toronto International league club, has not been forgotten by the American league, for which he played many years. At an early date President Johnson will visit Toronto and present Lajoie with a diamond Maltese cross.

Timely Summer Hints For the Home Gardener

Now that radishes, lettuce and in some sections peas, spinach and other crops are being harvested, home gardeners should be making their preparations to utilize the freed space by planting other crops, say specialists of the United States department of agriculture.

In planning for these plantings the specialists suggest it is well at all times, but especially this year, to concentrate efforts on the production of vegetables that have considerable food value and on those which may be stored in their natural condition, dried or canned, for winter use. Late Irish potatoes are one of the important crops that can be grown on the freed ground. Navy beans furnish substantial food, which is easily stored, and the present market prices make it worth while in sections where they thrive to replant with this legume the space from which crops have been harvested.

Other vegetables of much food value from which choice may be made for late plantings include sweet corn, late beets, string beans, turnips, tomatoes, squash and pumpkins. Among the less nutritious vegetables which may be planted in soil freed by early harvests are late cabbage and cucumbers. Winter onions, fall lettuce and fall radishes also may be planted late in the season.

Cleaning Copper. When cleaning copper use hot vinegar in which a little salt has been dissolved. A thorough washing with soap and warm water must follow and every trace of the acid removed before finally polishing with dry whitening. If any vinegar is allowed to remain verdigris will appear and the article be completely ruined.

PERSIAN PROVERBS. A prince who falleth out with his laws breaketh with his best friends. The laws are the only guards he can be sure will never can away from him. Power in the prince and liberty with the people are like heat and moisture where they are well mixed everything prospers.

JITNEY DANCE Red Cross Benefit

If you don't dance, come anyway and give your "bit"

At the Elliott-O'Brien Store Building

Saturday Night

Inspiration Miscellany

Scatter Your Smiles

We are living now in a troubled time. War is with us—war that brings the fear and pain of parting and giving and renouncing. And it isn't as easy to smile as it has been. And for just that reason every smile that we give means a hundred times as much as it formerly did.

And so I'm going to ask you, friends of mine, to try to bring one smile a day to some soul who maybe hasn't the courage to smile. You needn't limit yourself to one smile. If you can make ten, twenty, fifty people smile, so much the better. But be sure, at least, of that one smile.

A little old lady didn't know that she was making the way possible for a genius—that she was bringing a gift of God out of obscurity into the light. But that's what she did when she made the writer girl's work worth while.

We don't know, any more than the little old lady did, when we give our smiles, just how much good we may be doing. Sometimes a smile given at the right time is worth almost as much as a word of understanding or a loving hand or a bit of helpful advice. And sometimes the smile that isn't given may be the weight of lead to help crush some one.

A little girl in the subway disappeared into the crowd before I could show her that I wanted to be friendly. Don't let your opportunities to bring cheer disappear, as she did, into oblivion.—Margaret E. Sangster, Jr., in Christian Herald.

Love That Counts. The greatest modern sin is the abstract love of humanity, impersonal love for those who are—somewhere out of sight! To love those we do not know, those whom we shall never meet, is so easy a thing. There is no need to sacrifice anything, and at the same time we are so pleased with ourselves. The conscience is fooled. No. We must love our neighbors—those we live with and who are in our way and embarrass us.—Leo Tolstoy.

Riches and Strength. Men seem neither to understand their riches nor their strength. Of the former they believe greater things than they should, of the latter much less. Self reliance and self denial will teach a man to drink out of his own cistern and to eat his own sweet bread and to learn and labor truly to get his living and carefully to expend the good things committed to his trust.—Bacon.

Keep Tomatoes From Contact With the Soil

Stake tomatoes and get more and better fruit is the advice of M. F. Ahern, associate professor of horticulture, Kansas State Agricultural college.

Tomatoes in the home garden, if properly staked, give the best results. Staking will give satisfactory results with plants that have not been pruned, but the finest tomatoes are secured by pruning the plants to two or three stems.

In tests conducted by the department of horticulture three stems gave the best results. Tomatoes may be trained on a trellis, wires or stakes. Barrel hoops have sometimes been used with good effect.

Tomatoes grown in this way can be sprayed easily, are readily harvested, and there are fewer rotten tomatoes than if they were in contact with the soil. If planted close enough fewer fruits will be sun scalded than if the vines are permitted to grow over the ground. This method is somewhat more expensive than the common method of growing tomatoes, but it will pay the home gardener well.

EVERYBODY KNOWS HIM.

Lloyd George Now Discovers He Has Hundreds of Schoolmates.

London.—Lloyd George told a friend the other day that he was beginning to think that he had had almost as many schoolmates as there were passengers on the Mayflower, which carried the pilgrim fathers to the American coast in the seventeenth century.

The premier made this observation after the amusing discovery that he had thousands of schoolmates when he was a schoolboy in Wales. He said the attendance never exceeded thirty, but that almost every day his mail included a letter from somebody who begins by saying, "I was once at school with you."

Millinery Sale

After Saturday, June 23, 1917, my millinery store will be closed until September 1st.

You will find my hats on sale at Mrs. Bulloch's Cleaning and Pressing Parlors just across the street from the Elliott-O'Brien store building.

I will open up again for business in September for the Fall season.

Mrs. Bascue



Notice

With a suit, or coat and pants order, we will give you absolutely FREE an extra pair of trousers or a fancy vest, provided you will leave the selection of this vest pattern to Bean Brummel.

Order today as this offer expires July 1st.

G. A. Lochridge & Co., MAIN ST., INDEPENDENCE

Craven & Huff Hardware Co.

INDEPENDENCE

Sell the Champion Cream Saver

THE NEW DE LAVAL

THE worth of a separator depends very largely upon its bowl. A separator bowl must be scientifically designed, properly constructed and perfectly balanced or it will not only lose some cream to begin with, but will soon get out of balance and lose a great deal more cream, besides wearing out the bearings and gears in a short time. That is why the average life of a cheap separator is only two or three years.

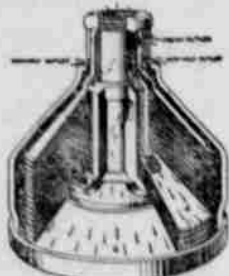
The bowl of the NEW De Laval is self-centering

The new De Laval bowl is so constructed and so balanced upon its detached spindle that it will run true and do perfect work even after the machine has been in use for a long time.

The De Laval bowl has always been noted for its close skimming under all conditions, but the new De Laval patented milk-distributing device, together with the larger discs, makes the new De Laval bowl an even closer skimmer than the old one and gives considerably greater capacity into the bargain.

The new De Laval bowl has been called by people who ought to know, "the greatest improvement in cream separator construction in the last thirty years."

Come in and see one of the new machines. We'll be glad to explain it to you in all its details, and we know you will be interested in examining the new bowl, the bell speed-indicator, and the many other improvements.



Cross-section of new bowl, showing new method of distributing milk between the discs.