

Liberty Bond Sale Begins April 6, Prepare Now Polk County's Quoto Estimated at About \$180,000; Possibly Less

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Items of Real Interest for Real People who Like Real News

Allan A. Hall, an attorney of Salem, and M. D. McAllister, clerk in the corporation department at the state house, were in Independence Wednesday on business. The boys were well pleased with the Monitor's appearance and Mr. Hall came from the same section of the bunch grass as the editor.

A big meeting of the Knights of Marion and Polk counties will be held at Salem Tuesday and the Grand Lodge officers will be present.

FAREWELL SURPRISE

A very pleasant surprise was given to W. Brown, Grand Master of Lyon Lodge 29, A. F. and A. M., Wednesday evening, being the regular meeting night of the local lodge and there being a third degree candidate to initiate the sisters decided it a proper occasion to surprise Mr. Brown.

Light refreshments were served and at the banquet table appropriate remarks were made wishing Mr. Brown every success in his new field of labor at Oregon City, to which point he has been transferred by the Southern Pacific.

Mr. Brown will be missed as he has been one of our most active and energetic citizens and has made a host of friends in our city.

HURT IN LOGGING CAMP

Chris McClosky, who was employed in the logging camps at Hoskins, got in between a sliding log and stump of a tree in such a manner that one arm was almost entirely severed from his body and other injuries received.

He was brought to Independence on a speeder, where Dr. Butler took charge of him until the O. E. train was due when he was sent to the hospital in Portland for surgical treatment.

At last reports he was alive but serious doubts were entertained for his recovery.

POST OFFICE NEWS.

Under the new ruling you can ship 70 pounds by parcel post up to and including the third zone.

You can ship 50 pounds in any zone in the U. S.

Baby chickens, not over three days old can be shipped by parcel post. Not insured or C. O. D.

Restrictions on A. E. F. matter is seven pounds. All packages must be passed and inspected at local office.

In addressing soldiers write American Expeditionary Forces, as the Australian forces also carry the same initials, A. E. F. Also in writing soldiers give full name and title. If a private address party as a private. American Expeditionary Forces carry your letter and the words France, England, via New York, etc., are not essential.

The tri-county medical meeting of Marion, Yamhill and Polk counties was held at Salem Wednesday evening. Dr. O. D. Butler motored to the capital city to attend.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. Hartley of Eugene Will Preach Both Morning and Evening

Sunday morning, Mar. 31, Rev. Hartley of Eugene will deliver a sermon on the subject "The Battle over the Empty Tomb" and in the evening on "To Whom Shall We Go." Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Remember the clock has been changed one hour ahead and govern yourselves accordingly.

JOHN C. BROWN.

John C. Brown was born in Morgan county, Ohio, on April 24, 1840, and died at his farm two miles north of Independence at 5:00 A. M. Tuesday, March 26, 1918, at the age of 77 years, 11 months and two days.

Mr. Brown at the age of twenty-two volunteered in the service of his country, serving in Company E, Seventy-eighth Ohio regiment from September 2, 1862, to June 1, 1865; was married while on furlough in 1863 to Miss Diannah Bacon, to which union two sons were born; came to Oregon in 1872 via Central Pacific Rail Road to San Francisco and thence by steamer to Portland. Arriving in Oregon in October, 1872, he located at Eola, where he engaged in the carpenter business for a number of years, later moving to his farm north of this city.

Mr. Brown was raised a Quaker, of which church he was a member at the time of his death. He was a member of Gibson Post, G. A. R. of Independence and was very active in the work of this organization.

He leaves one son, Francis M. Brown of Salem, one brother and five half brothers and three grand-children who miss his kind council

and loving tenderness.

The funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church in Independence, on Wednesday at 1:00 P. M., H. Chas. Dunsmore delivering the funeral sermon. Interment was made in the Grand Army Circle of City View cemetery, Salem, Oregon.

Mr. Brown was one of the early pioneers of Polk county and leaves a host of friends who knew him well and held him in high esteem for his upright character and noble worth.

INDEPENDENCE BAKERY

Local Institution Doing a Good Business.

Independence Boy Has Charge—Plant Clean and Neat.

The Monitor "mouse" goes everywhere. He slips in the dark corners and walks into the bright spots. He seeks the sunshine and the sordid darkness; he looks for cleanliness and ferrets out filth. Like the lowly Nazarene there is none he passes by.

In the mending this week the Independence Bakery caught the attention and so we walked in and found an up-to-date plant in operation, with C. A. Lochridge in charge. We found bread raising rooms, mixing boards, a big brick oven, a good steam boiler to heat and to raise the bread, and for other purposes.

We also found the plant was licensed under the United States Food Administration, carrying the number B 20709.

Seeing so much we wished to know more. We were informed that the bread was wrapped in specially prepared wrappers which were labeled "Liberty Bread." We found everything neat and clean. Mr. Lochridge stated: "I have solved the larger loaf for a nickel and make a white bread that carries the proper percentage of substitutes required by law and believe I now produce a better bread than the old all wheat bread." This loaf is a fine, big white loaf and the same was duly sampled by us and found good and wholesome.

The Independence Bakery has a good local trade, supplying the stores of Johnson & Collins, Calbreath & Jones, Conkey & Walker and Max Goldman. Bread is shipped from the plant to J. M. Larson of Suver and to the Milling Company plant at Hoskins. Other near by towns not having bakeries of their own would find a good sale for the Independence bread and the Monitor recommends its trial.

Mr. Lochridge states that his place is open to the inspection of the public and you are invited to call at any time and inspect him at his work.

THOSE SERVING ARE TO BE PROTECTED

The War Department's official summary is as follows:

"A soldier or sailor may owe money on a note. Or he may have bought or leased land or tools or furniture on the installment plan, or he may have mortgaged his home, and be liable to foreclosure for non-payment, or he may have started a homestead or mining claim and be unable to continue the necessary occupation in the required period of time. Or he may have carried life insurance for several years and now be unable to keep up the premium payments. Or he may have a money claim against someone and during his absence the lapse of time may raise a legal bar against suing for it when he returns, or he may be sued on some claim in his absence and may be unable to defend the suit effectively while absent.

In these and other ways he may suffer undue hardship. The object of this act is to give relief from such hardship.

The provisions of the act are too numerous to set forth accurately here. Enough to point out the fact that its main principle is as follows:

1 Let some one, on behalf of the soldier or sailor, notify the court that the party concerned is a sailor or soldier. Then the court will make prompt inquiries into the merits of the case; if the case merits it, the court has power to stay the other party from further proceeding, or to give other remedy that may be appropriate. The court may also appoint an attorney to represent the soldier or sailor in the lawsuit.

2 If a lawsuit has been begun already in some court against the soldier or sailor, go to that same court and give the notice above mentioned. If no lawsuit has yet been begun, but some landlord or other person is preparing to sell out or to take possession of property in which the soldier or sailor is interested, go to the court in whose jurisdiction the property is, notify the court as above, and ask the court to summon the other party. All such persons are forbidden by law to take property in that way without first applying to the court for an order; but some persons may attempt to take possession without doing so, in ignorance of the new law.

3 If the soldier or sailor had an insurance policy or a fraternal benefit membership, before Sept. 1, 1917, and fears that he may not be able to keep up his payments, he should write to the War Risk Insurance Bureau at Washington and ask for a form of application or ask his post adjutant at the camp. The Government, on certain conditions, will guarantee the payment of the premiums, so that the policy or membership will not be forfeited during the soldier's or sailor's absence; he will then have a year after his return in which to pay up and save his policy or membership. This relief does not apply to all policies or memberships, and details cannot be given here; but on filling out the application and sending it to the War Risk Insurance Bureau it will be duly taken care of, if it is the kind of insurance that is protected by this act.

4 Copies of this act are being sent to about 20,000 lawyers, to all superior courts, and to all Local Boards; and the Boards have been asked to hand a copy to the nearest magistrate. Thus the courts ought to be already well informed as to its provisions.

W. J. Mulkey Leaves.

W. J. Mulkey who has been stationed at Goat Island, wrote his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mulkey, that he expected to sail for France about April 5, and Mrs. Mulkey left this week to visit for a few days at the camp before he leaves for the front.

R. N. STANFIELD

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and made a hit with the loggers. The demonstration he was given would indicate that the logger vote of this locality will support him.

Mr. Stanfield was also a guest of honor at a banquet given about 800 sheepmen and by the representatives of live stock interests of various parts of the state he was paid a high tribute of respect.

When his name was mentioned in connection with his campaign he was given rousing cheers. Mr. Stanfield bought a sheep for \$1000 when it was offered for sale to raise money for the Red Cross. The sheep was sold over again many times and finally netted a total of \$4000 for the Red Cross fund.

WHEAT-CORN YEAST BREAD.



Wheat-corn bread is more nutritious than bread baked with wheat flour alone. Thousands of American families today are using this mixed flour bread, and in so doing are enabling America to provide more wheat flour for the allies. Here's a tested recipe for this bread: Take one and a half cups of milk, water or a mixture of the two; one-half cake compressed yeast, one and a half teaspoons salt, one tablespoon sugar, one tablespoon of fat if desired, one cup cornmeal and two cups wheat flour.

Put one and a half cups of water, the cornmeal, salt, sugar and fat (if used) into a double boiler and cook twenty minutes. The water is sufficient only to soften the meal a little. Allow the meal to cool to about the temperature of the room and add the flour and yeast mixed with the rest of the water. Knead thoroughly, make into loaf, place in pan of standard size, allow to rise until nearly fills the pan and bake 45 or 50 minutes. It is hardly practicable to use a greater percentage of cornmeal than this even in emergencies, for bread so made differs very little from baked mush. Less cornmeal can be used and in such a case the general method given above may be followed.

It is possible to make a yeast raised corn bread without first cooking the cornmeal. In this case not more than one cupful of meal should be used to four cupfuls of flour. In other respects the bread is mixed and baked as in the above recipe.

NUTRITIOUS CORN BREAD.



One New York hotel has arranged a diet for its guests. The corn bread recipe is as follows: cornmeal with rye flour, both of which are being consumed in greater quantities this year in order to release wheat flour for the allied nations. This recipe fills a large pan 10 by 12 inches and contains the following ingredients: One quart rye flour, four ounces butter substitute, two ounces light syrup or honey, three cups rye flour, salt, two pounds cornmeal, one pound rye flour and two ounces baking powder.

The butter and syrup are thoroughly mixed. Then add the eggs gradually, pour in the milk, then add the rye flour mixed with the cornmeal and baking powder. Bake in a hot oven.

INCREASED VALUE OF FARMS

Influence of Road Improvements on Real Property is Described by Baltimore Financier.

The influence of road improvements on the value of rural property was described in a letter recently sent to the Manufacturers' Record by the president of the Baltimore Commercial Bank, who wrote: "Around my home town in Virginia property could be bought three years ago for \$50 to \$80 an acre. We put a fine road several miles through that county, and today you cannot buy anything for less than \$100, and some is held at \$150 per acre."

Net-Work of Good Roads.

This whole country will some of these days be a network of good roads, which will have a place on the maps along with the railroads. The Lincoln highway linking the East and the West, the Jefferson highway, linking the lakes and the gulf, and the Dixie Overland highway, are a beginning.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CANDIDATES COLUMN

FOR STATE SENATOR

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for State Senator from the Ninth District, comprising Benton and Polk counties, at the primary election, May 17, 1918, on the Republican ticket.

I. L. PATTERSON

pd. adv.

CANDIDATE FOR CLERK

I herewith announce myself as a Republican Candidate for County Clerk of Polk County, at the Primary Election, May 17, 1918, subject to the will of the Republican voters.

JOHN C. UGLOW

CANDIDATE FOR REPRESENTATIVE

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination of State Representative for the District of Polk County, at the primary election

of May 17, subject to the will and vote of the Republicans of Polk County. pd. ad. W. V. FULLER

CANDIDATE FOR CLERK

I respectfully announce my candidacy for County Clerk for Polk County, at the primary nominating election, May 17, 1918, subject to the wish and vote of the Republican voters. pd. ad. FLOYD D. MOORE.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

A. V. R. Snyder desires to succeed himself and will go before the people at the primary election, March 17, as Republican candidate and would thank the people for their votes. Pd ad

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

Frank Gibson, Republican Candidate for County Judge, pledges the voters that "If I am nominated and elected, I will during my term of office, serve the interests of the people of all of Polk County, to the best of my ability. Pd ad

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