

The Independent

The Independent - The newspaper published in Douglas county.

Society Meetings.

UMPUQA CHA-TER NO. 11, R. A. M. hold regular communications every first and third Tuesdays in each month.

LAUREL LODGE A. F. and A. M. holds regular meetings on or before each full moon.

PHILEAS T. O. Lodge, No. 8, I. O. O. F. meets on Saturday evening, of each week at 7 o'clock in their hall at Roseburg.

LOCAL NOTES.

Look at the new ads!!!! Weather cool and pleasant. Farmers everywhere busy. Potatoes for sale at the Grange.

A HISTORICAL CURIOSITY.

We have in our possession a dark-colored stone, found by Mr. John McBe in the waters of the South Umpqua, some six miles south of Roseburg.

A DEAR SCHOOL.

If, as reported, next Spring shall bring to this State a second visitation of the horrors of an Indian outbreak, then the Government will learn there is no use to temper with the savages through religious mission agents, and probably turn them over to the inexorable but just control of the military.

Unsettled.

It appears that the Indians of Eastern Oregon and Washington Territory are far from being satisfied with last year's outbreaks, and are preparing to repeat the work of murder.

Letter List.

Following is a list of the letters remaining in the Postoffice at Roseburg, Oregon, December 1st, 1878.

Floating in the Air.

According to announcement, Mr. Isaac Cox gave an exhibition of the power of the mind over inert matter, last Saturday night.

A New Firm.

Cyrus and William Watkins have purchased the blacksmithing shop formerly occupied by George Mickle, and hereafter will conduct the same in a first class manner.

Into His New Quarters.

Mr. H. O. Waters, of Looking Glass, has at last moved into his new two-story residence in Looking Glass.

About New Year's.

Appearance how to show that Marks & Co. will move into their new store about the first of January.

Steadily at Work.

Mr. George A. Booth has returned from a trip to Roseburg. He reports the farmer yet busy sowing grain, and engaged in planting in large wheat crops.

Land Office Transaction.

Following are the transactions in the Roseburg Land Office for November: 454 acres sold for cash; 12 homestead applications filed; 12 land homestead certificates issued; 30 acres of mineral land sold; 1 timber land application.

Public Ball Printing.

We have received several tons of type from San Francisco, and are now prepared to print posters, cards, invitations, programmes, etc., for public halls in a handsome manner, and at prices which defy competition.

Raffle.

Dr. J. Woodruff has a fine \$150 melodeon, which he will raffle off during the holidays. The price of the melodeon is put at \$20, since it has become second hand, and chances will be held at \$1 per chance.

MINING NEWS.

From various sources we gather the following information of the mines of Jackson county.

The diggings on the Hamilton claim near Clifton, are progressing finely. A hydraulic mine is being put up.

The Centennial Mining Company, in the Willow Springs District, has its hydraulic in position and awaiting White rain.

The monster derrick for the Sterling Company was taken from Roseburg last week, and has probably reached the mine by this time.

It is stated that Capt. Kelly has transferred the Corvise mine to some capitalists who are intending to push the work forward.

The Grand Applegate Company are now pushing their work forward with activity. Their pipe and plant are on the ground and soon three miles of ditch will be completed.

Rodenburger, Citizer & East's ditch from East Tom creek to their claims in the Grave creek district, three miles distant, is now completed and a fair head of water is running through it.

An excitement in Josephine county, on account of recent discoveries on Silver creek, has broken out. It is said that in one claim over two hundred dollars were taken out in five days.

THE ENTERTAINMENT.

The entertainment given Thursday evening by the Presbyterian church and its friends was a decided success, and therefore a pleasure to all who contributed to the desired end.

The friends of the church should first thank Mr. A. R. F. for the admirable seal he displayed in putting the enterprise upon a safe and popular footing, and also Mr. John Dombrow for securing Mrs. Jarley's waxed pictures.

Would you notice to the public that he has for the first time in the jewelry ever brought to Roseburg, and intended especially for the holiday trade.

Give me a call, if you want anything of the kind, in a fair price. All work warranted. LOUIS BELFILS, Jeweler & Watchmaker.

San Francisco CIGAR STORE.

S. GOLDSTEIN HAS OPENED A CIGAR AND VARIETY STORE next door to the barber shop and nearly opposite to the P. office.

We have just received a copy of the Chicago Ledger, the leading family paper of the west, which is now entering upon its seventh volume.

Rev. Mr. Williams, the new mail contractor, has resigned the office of carrying the U. S. Mails between this place and Reading.

Mr. George A. Booth has returned from a trip to Roseburg. He reports the farmer yet busy sowing grain, and engaged in planting in large wheat crops.

The carrier on the route was telegraphed Thursday morning to carry the mail from this city to E. City, Coos county, and the service has been discontinued until further orders by way of the Coos Bay route until more is learned.

The Republicans carried the election of Salem at the late municipal election held at that place. Once more the German sings songs in "olla-bé" because the whole ticket was successful, excepting in the case of one candidate—one Democrat and one Independent.

November 18th, Elmer, infant son of T. J. and Sarah E. Sigheon, aged seven months and twenty one days.

New York Graphic: "Gentlemen," said Tilden calmly, when they caught him with the ciphers in his hands, "gentlemen, my name is not Tilden."

Hurrah for the Dutch.

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Home-made Furniture

Upholstery, Spring Mattresses, etc. I have the Best Stock of Furniture south of Portland, and all of my own manufacture.

By the report of the United States consul at Glasgow, recently transmitted to the department at Washington, it appears that wages are steadily declining in that country.

August Belmont, formerly Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, now adds his influence in favor of the resumption act, which his party has endeavored to repeal, and denounced in its most strenuous manner.

Senator Jones believes this country belongs to the people, and those who are not content to become citizens should not be allowed to interfere with the political, social, moral, or industrial rights of those who are.

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Notice of Final Settlement In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Douglas, sitting in Probate.

HERBERT GIVEN THAT MY WIFE, Ada Sher, has left my bed and board without cause, and I hereby warn all persons not to credit her on my account.

LANGENBERG BROS. This firm has constantly on hand the finest stock of

Boots and Shoes Ever brought to Roseburg.

BOOTS AND SHOES Made to Order

LYON'S PATENT METALLIC STIFFENERS, FOR LEATHER SHOES.

THIS FIRM HAS CONSTANTLY ON HAND THE FINEST STOCK OF LEATHER IN THE STATE.

T. C. SMITH & CO. DRUGGISTS & CHEMISTS

Pharmacist, Patton's block, State street, Salem, Oreg.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN to prescriptions, and all orders by mail or express filled promptly and accurately.

NOTICE Of Final Settlement in the Matter of the Estate of Loren Davis Deceased.

ROSEBURG ACADEMY WILL COMMENCE Monday, Dec. 2d, 1878.

MAHONY'S SALOON, Nearest to the Railroad Depot, O'klan

THE FINEST OF WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

DISSOLUTION NOTICE This is to notify the public that the partnership heretofore existing between W. L. Burton and O. C. Perkins has been dissolved.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC Notice is hereby given that all debts due by the late firm of Burton & Perkins will be paid upon presentation to W. L. Burton, Metropolitan Hotel.

A. BUSHMEIR, PRACTICAL GUNSMITH Has Permanently located in Roseburg, OPPOSITE COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL.

JOHN FRASER, Home-made Furniture WILBUR, OREGON.

Upholstery, Spring Mattresses, etc. I have the Best Stock of Furniture south of Portland, and all of my own manufacture.

Work Done by Me as Good Superior to any performed in Oregon

1877! 1878! GRAND FALL OPENING!

AT THE NEW YORK STORE.

NEW GOODS! NEW PRICES!

M. JOSEPHSON,

Has just returned from San Francisco, where he has purchased the Finest Assortment of

BOY AND YOUTH'S CLOTHING,

Latest Styles and Patterns, PRICES RANGING FROM \$1.50 UPWARD.

Ladies' Dress Goods, LACES, TRIMMINGS,

EMBROIDERIES

Which will be sold at Prices to suit all purchasers.

Also a Full Line of GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

Gentlemen's Clothing, HATS, SHOES, Boots, ETC.,

Stoves and Tinware AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

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Wheeler Bros. Postoffice Building, Locust street, Oak and

DRY GOODS! WOOL AND COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Pay the Highest Price FOR WOOL.

SALEM FOUNDRY MACHINE SHOP.

STEAM ENGINES, SAW MILLS GRIST Mills, Reservoirs, Pumps, and all kinds of Machinery made to order.

WILLAMETTE STOVE WORKS

Dexter Cook Stoves

ROUND MONITOR

H. C. STANTON, DEALER IN

Staple Dry Goods

EXTRA FINE GROCERIES, Wood, Willow and Glassware, also CROCKERY AND CORDAGE.

SCHOOL BOOKS, Such as required the Public County Schools

PACIFIC THRESHING MACHINE COMPANY.

SMOKED MEAT FOR WINTRE TRADE

SMOKED HAMS, BACON AND MEATS

MAMMOTH LIVERY

Feed Stable.

Best in the State

WAGON YARD WITH FINE WOOD ROOM

BEST OF HAY AND RAIRN

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