

THE INDEPENDENT

SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 1884

LAUREL LODGE A. F. M. WILL HOLD regular meetings on Wednesday or before each full moon.

PHILETAN LODGE, No. 2, I. O. O. F., meets on Thursday evening of each week at 7 o'clock.

UNION ENCAMPMENT, No. 9, I. O. O. F., meets at Old Fellows Hall on 13th and Third Fridays of every month.

UMPIQUA GRANGE, No. 28, P. O. F., will meet hereafter on the first Saturday of each month.

EMPIQUA CHAPTER, No. 11, F. A. M., hold their regular communications every first and third Tuesday in each month.

W. I. FRIEDLANDER, Sec'y.

S HAMILTON

Dealer in

Drugs and Stationery

Offers for sale in Kegs or Tin;

4000 pounds of Pioneer White

Lead; 500 Galons Salem Boiled

Linsed Oil; 250 gals. Tur-

pentine; A complete stock of

Paints, Brushes, Varnishes,

and Can Color. (If you are

going to do any painting call

and get prices before purchas-

ing elsewhere.) A complete

assortment of School Books,

School Stationery, Writing

Paper, Envelopes, etc., which

I will sell very Cheap. Gar-

den Seeds, Patent Medicines,

and everything that is kept in

a first-class Drugstore. Or-

ders by mail and Express

promptly attended to.

BAZAAR OF FASHION

THE UNDERSIGNED

TAKES PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING TO THE

public that he has recently opened in the building

two doors north of the Douglas County Bank,

a complete and assorted stock of

Ladies

FANCY DRY GOODS!

Consisting in part of the following:

DRESS GOODS, RIBBONS, LACES, EMBROIDER-

RIES, HOSIERY, GLOVES, UNDERWEAR,

SILKS, ATINS, ETC., ETC.

Also a fine stock of

Gent's Furnishing Goods,

Of finest styles and quality. This is THE place to

get what you want. BAZAAR OF FASHION,

CREED FLOED, Prop'r.

S. Smith & Co.

DEALERS IN

MILLINERY

—AND—

FANCY GOODS.

Next door to the New Bakery.

Prices Moderate!

FOR SALE.

I OFFER FOR SALE A FINE LOT OF

SPANISH MERINO BUCKS

At my farm 6 miles from Roseburg

on the Cole's Valley Road.

y21m3 H. CONN, Sr.

OAKLAND

ACADEMY!

Oakland, Douglas Co., Or.

School Year Begins Monday, September 3, 1883.

Tuition per session of twelve weeks:

Primary \$4.00

First Grade Junior Class 6.00

Second Grade Junior Class 6.00

First Grade Middle Class 7.50

Second Grade Middle Class 9.00

Senior Class 10.00

Twenty-four Lessons \$12.00

Use of Instrument 2.50

Twenty-four Lessons \$14.00 to \$16.00

Send for Catalogue.

Geo. T. Russell, Principal.

At Hamilton's drug store, quacksilver,

Balpher, lime and a cheap grade of coal oil

for dottering sheep.

LOCAL ITEMS.

All the latest novelties at Creed Floed's.

James Byron, of Ten Mile, was in the city

Wednesday. He remained but a short time.

There were six new recruits to the Good

Templar lodge last Tuesday night.

The hilarity of the holidays has imbued

our correspondents with a superabundance

of poetical "confusion."

Messrs. Rice and Winterburn of Nonpa,

rell, were in Roseburg Thursday, on business

connected with the quacksilver mines.

Joseph Cellers, one of the leading mer-

chants of Drain, gave us a pleasant call yester-

day.

Mr. F. M. Gabbert was in Roseburg yester-

day. He reports Myrtle Creek quiet during

the holidays.

Hon. D. S. K. Buick was in Roseburg on

Thursday attending to some business at the

court house.

Hon. J. D. Burnett was in town this week

preparing the holidays. He will probably

not be a candidate for political honors.

Rev. J. W. Craig will hold services in the

M. E. Church South, next Sabbath, both

morning and evening at the usual hours.

Wm. Irwin was in the city this week.

He came to town to spend the new year,

which he has been enjoying in the fullest de-

gree.

J. J. Comstock of Latham, Lane county,

spent his New Year with us in Roseburg.

We are pleased to see that he is enjoying

better health than he has for some years

past.

D. W. Applegate, Wells Fargo and Co.'s

express agent, has been in the city for a

couple of days. He went south on the train

a week ago Monday and had to hoof it back

from Grants Pass to Glendale.

The Myrtle Creek milling company hatched

thirty hogs this week, that averaged

370 pounds per head, and 56 that averaged

250 per head. One of the pigs weighed 610

pounds. It was a fat hog.

Col. Thomas Beal of Coos county, has been

perambulating through Douglas for some

weeks. Some suggest that he is looking for

swamp land that has been raised under.

Others suggest that the Colonel is looking

for a wife. Whatever his business is he is

fully able to attend to it himself.

Our young friend James Hamilton Esq.,

has just returned from a trip to Coos bay

and seems to have enjoyed it. He reports

that the Coos bay wagon road had been pret-

ty well sliced out, but that Wm. Glover,

the agent of the stage company, has exhib-

ited unusual energy and will soon make the

road passable.

The railroad between Glendale and Grants

Pass has been pretty badly washed away.

There has been no train through since Mon-

day week. The passenger and express train

that went out a week ago Monday night has

had to remain. It is expected it will get

back this morning. The company has assum-

ing its best endeavors to repair the damage

caused by the rain and the cars will be

running through in a short time.

The Oregonian published on New Year's

morning, is the largest and most complete

newspaper ever printed in the State. It

comprises sixteen large, well filled pages,

replete with valuable statistical information

in reference to the State of Oregon and the

United States, which should be kept for re-

ference, for from these compilations we can

gain as much information concerning the re-

sources of the State and country as we can

by perusing many volumes of public docu-

ments.

The social dance at the skating rink on

New Year's night was a pleasant affair.

The large hall was crowded and the music

and dancing was kept up until near the

break of day. The midnight supper given

by Mr. Zigler at the Metropolitan hotel, was

excellent. The music was the very best

and when Cousa Joe would come down

with the long stroke of his bow it would

make one imagine himself back in the blue

FROM OAKLAND.

Times are quiet since the holidays.

The health of the country is good.

Social parties are becoming numer-

ous.

Our city marshal has a quiet time.

The morals of the town are still im-

proving.

Our matrimonial market is lively.

One wedding this week and several

more ready for the ordeal.

Promenades in the stillness of the

night are indulged in by some of our

quiet people.

Card-playing is becoming popular

among the fair sex and the males are

giving up the instructive pastime.

One more reformation of great value,

the result of our improved morals.

Four sermons were delivered in Oak-

land last Sunday. The congregations

were large and those attending were

well pleased with the sermons, which

were scientific and ably delivered.

The dance on New Year's eve was

well attended and all who were present

enjoyed themselves well. Everything

was pleasant and harmony presided over

the assemblage of those who partici-

ipated.

Mr. J. C. Hutchinson, our esteemed

real estate agent, has been called to

Portland on very important business

connected with his agency. We hope

that he will soon return to his old

haunts.

One of our business men has a corner

on wheat and his only object is to

protect the farmer and crush the monop-

olist. One dollar per bushel is now of-

fered for wheat and our future pros-

pects were never better.

Our amateur club of ground tum-

blers gave an exhibition of their skill

this week. Every one in attendance

was well pleased and willing to admit

that the members of said club are the

right parties in the right place.

Mr. Heart, superintendent of the

new reservation, is busily engaged in

arranging things for the accommoda-

tion of those who will reside there.

This reservation has been needed a long

while and will soothe the aching hearts

of many who have been out in the cold

these many years.

It is reported that some of our sa-

loon men have been speculating in tur-

keys, which appears to encroach on

some of our honest farmers, who have

some of the valuable birds on hand.

We can hardly credit the reports we

have heard, but such may be true, for

our saloon men are guilty of many mis-

deemeanors.

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Costly Animals.

A special from Chicago says: Mr.

W. H. Harris, of Chicago, manager

and owner of the celebrated Nickel

Plate shows, now wintering in Oregon,

has recently purchased the finest den of

performing lions owned by any circus

manager in America, including the cel-

ebrated lions Sultan and Prince, said to

be the best performing and largest lions

in captivity, and have been known

throughout Europe as the Hagenroch

\$50,000 den. In addition to this pur-

chase he also bought the famous trick

elephant Gypsy. These, with a large

amount of other show property, will be

shipped to Oregon in the early spring

for the great Nickel Plate shows.

Card of Thanks.

ED. INDEPENDENT: Permit me in

your columns to thank the people of

Drain and surrounding country for

their very marked kindness to me and

mine during the very severe trial and

affliction through which we have just

passed. May the good God deliver you

all from a like calamity, is the wish and

prayer of

Mrs. W. E. PALMER.

DRAIN, Dec. 28, 1883.

THE protectionists claim that the

higher the tariff, the higher will be the

wages of the workmen. The present

tariff is twenty years old. It is the

highest in human history. More

strikes have occurred under it and

bloodier ones, at that, than any record-

ed in our civic annals. The truth is

the tariff has paid a rich bounty to the

iron barons and factory lords and not

a dollar, in many instances, has gone into

the national coffers or one cent been ad-

ded to the wages of the laborer.—

[Standard.]

VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE.—Here it is again,

brighter and better than ever; the cover

alone, with its delicate tinted background

and its dish of gracefully arranged flowers,

would entitle it to a permanent place in ev-

ery home. The book contains three beauti-

fully colored plates, is full of illustrations,

printed on the best of paper, and is filled

with just such information as is required by

the gardener, the farmer, those growing

plants, and every one needing seeds or

plants. The price, only ten cents, can be

Items from Tin Pot.

Business lively.

A heavy snow storm.