

Local and Personal.

Zook, the paper hanger will do your painting.

Rigg's fine China display will delight you. Go see it.

Mrs. Dr. Matthis has gone to Amity to visit her parents.

C. LeMaster and wife visited with H. C. Cartmell Wednesday.

Eight dollar box of candy will be given away Dec. 25. Present this slip and get a free chance. Craven & Moore, Independence, Oregon.

Travel is increasing and the Hotel is doing a good business at present.

Fifteen thousand records to select from, at Craven & Moore's, Independence, Ore.

The singing school is progressing nicely. Professor Davis is an apt teacher.

We have nicest assortment of china and cheapest in prices in city, Riggs Grocery.

Services at the Baptist Church was well attended Sunday, both morning and evening.

L. D. Brown, Attorney-at-law, Notary Public, Abstractor, Dallas, Oregon.

The Editor and family expect a visit from their daughter from Springfield next week.

The fine Display of Haviland, German, Bohemian and China at Rigg's store is hard to excel.

J. B. Stump drove a fine band of hogs through town Wednesday for the Portland market.

For Xmas goods and Xmas prices we have them all on the run, Craven & Moore, Indep., Ore.

Landlord Hampton expects to make a trip to Portland in a day or two to meet his wife and daughter who are coming from Enterprise, Oregon.

Free, Free, present this slip at Craven & Moore's store, Independence, Oregon, and receive a chance on a beautiful box of Bon Bons.

Mrs. W. A. Tucker returned home from Salem last Friday, Where she had been for some ten or twelve days waiting upon her sister-in-law who is suffering from typhoid fever.

Craven & Moore, of Independence, Ore., now have on display the largest line of Holiday Goods in Polk County.

Rev. W. W. Davis will preach in the Baptist Church again next Sunday, both morning and evening at the usual hours. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend.

The Monmouth Evaporating and Canning Company made shipment of a carload of canned goods last Wednesday. They will ship all their stock of goods the first of the New Year.

Any person from Monmouth or vicinity calling at Cravens & Moore's Store on or before Dec. 24, 1909, will be given a free chance an a beautiful box of Bon Bons, costing \$8.00.

Miss Blanche Stitt, who has been in the Good Samaritan Hospital for the past eighteen days, will be discharged from that institution the first of next week, and will get home by Monday or Tuesday evening.

Dr. Allen, dentist, Cooper Building Independence Oregon. Both phones. 19-1f.

Mrs. F. R. Bowersox and Mrs. Stine visited Eastern Star at Independence last Friday evening on the occasion of Mrs. Stile's visit there. Mrs. Stile's is Grand Worthy Matron of the order. A very agreeable time is reported. Among other things enjoyed was a sumptuous banquet.

Don't leave that Christmas shopping off too late.

A. B. Westfall will do your paper hanging painting for you and take in exchange hasness, horse, or buggy for his labor.

Mrs. D. M. Hampton is expected home in a day or two from Enterprise, Oregon. Her daughter, Mrs. Donnelly, will come with her.

Mo mouth High School Notes

The students were very much pleased with a visit paid them by Mr. Ressler last week. In his talk to them he spoke words of encouragement for the Monmouth public school.

Don't buy your Xmas presents until you see our stock of Books, Toys, Toilet sets, Manicure sets, Glove, Neck-tie, Collar and Work boxes, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Give us a call, Craven & Moore, Independence, Oregon.

Town Election.

Next Monday is the time set for the annual election, at which time a new board of officers will be elected. There is one hold over councilman, T. A. Riggs.

There was considerable interest manifested at the nominating convention Wednesday evening, but the final outcome was the nomination of the following ticket:

W. H. Hawley, for Mayor.
G. A. Peterson, Councilman.
A. B. Morlan, Councilman.
P. O. Powell, Councilman.
L. Ground, Recorder.
Ira C. Powell, Treasurer.
S. D. Coats, Marshal.

On Thursday evening a number of citizens met and placed in the field an Independent ticket as follows:

Monre Mulkey, for Mayor.
P. E. Chase, Councilman.
W. H. Robertson, Councilman.
A. B. Morelan, Councilman.
D. E. Stitt, Recorder.
I. C. Powell, Treasurer.
E. Cornelius, Marshal.

Now that the tickets are put out by both the Citizens and Independents, the voters can take their choice as to who shall govern our city affairs.

Xmas for the Girls, Books, Bibles, Doll Carts, Folding Doll Carts, Blocks, Sewing Sets, Dolls, Dolls and Dolls, in fact everything a child's heart could wish for, at Craven & Moore's, Indep., Ore.

Sunny Slope Christmas Exercises

The Sunnyslope School cordially invites the public to the Christmas exercises to be given at the school on Thursday evening, December 23, at 7:30 P. M. prompt. Following is the programme: Song, by school; Recitation, So Did I; Dialogue, Santa Clause Discovered; Recitation, A Christmas Song; Dialogue, My Wife's Mother; Recitation, The Lucky Mistake; Song, Long Ago; Recitation, The First Christmas; Recitation, Christmas Kiss; Recitation, Visit of St. Nicholas; Recitation, Cake for Santa Claus; Dialogue, Chatter Box; Recitation, The Christmas Stocking; Song, Christmas Stockings; Recitation, Our Old Belief; Recitation, A Christmas Stocking; Recitation, To Santa Claus; Recitation, Bird's Christmas Carol; Song, Jingle Bells.

Dissolution Notice

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between G. T. Boothby and C. M. Lewis has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Dated this 30th day of November 1909.

G. T. BOOTHBY.
C. M. LEWIS.

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Both Phones.

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and Horse shoer

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Monmouth Herald per year	\$1.00
Evening Telegram, Daily per year	5.00
Herald and Telegram, " "	5.00
Evening Telegram, Sat. Ed. " "	1.50
Sat. Ed. and Herald, both " "	2.00
The Fruit Grower, monthly " "	1.00
Herald and Fruit Grower " "	1.50