



Just to remind you to call on us when you need anything in the line of

Wall Paper and Paint

Perkins' Pharmacy

If we haven't got it we'll get it. Ask us.

For Sale—4 stands of bees, \$5 and \$7 per stand. Some pure bred Oregons, \$1.50 each. L. P. Gilmore

Items of Interest

Mrs. Geo. Sullivan has been in Independence the past week or two helping to care for an uncle there who is sick.

Mrs. M. M. Long of Corvallis was a week end guest of her mother, Mrs. L. R. Burkhead.

Mrs. A. Johnson and Miss Ellen Johnson of Central Point were visitors this past week with Mrs. Mack.

The Busy Bees met this week at the home of Mrs. G. M. Partridge. A very pleasant time was enjoyed. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present were Mesdames C. H. Boothby, C. Lorence, James Riddell, J. V. Webber, L. C. Parker, C. H. Newman, G. M. Partridge and her sister who is visiting with her, and Miss Freda Powell.

R. L. Stephenson is helping his brother Wm. build a house at Oak Point this week.

Miss Fern Johnson of Independence was visiting her sister Mrs. Robert Fishback, Monday.

Charles Lorence of Walla Walla, Wash., is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lorence.

High School Notes

The Seniors paid their treat for not getting more subscriptions for the Country Gentleman on Saturday evening, at the High School. For entertainment a mock trial of the Junior Class for various alleged offenses was put on. The class was honorably acquitted by a jury of towns people.

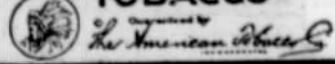
There will be a pie social at the High School Saturday evening, April 2, the proceeds of which are to go for athletics. A mirth provoking farce will be given before the sale. All are cordially invited to attend.

The boys are practicing for baseball with a vengeance. The weather is "great" for such thing.



50 good cigarettes for 10c from one sack of

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO



P. A. Finseth, one of the prominent residents and merchants of Dallas, left for Portland Tuesday where he will make final arrangements to leave for a trip to the old country, expecting to visit his old home in Denmark and possibly Sweden, England and France.

Miss Vera Thurston, a Normal student who had to go to her home at St. Johns because of sickness, is reported letter.

Elbert Peterson of Portland was here during the week end to visit with his foster-mother, Mrs. Mack. Mr. Peterson has been working in the shipyards in Portland and has lost only three days this winter because of the weather.

M. Ingermanson, it is reported, has bought a lot at the west entrance to Independence and a small bungalow situated near by and will combine the two for a future residence.

G. T. Boothby has sold his old Ford to Clarence Grund and has bought a new one.

The Dorcas Society held its regular meeting at Mrs. James Riddell's last Tuesday afternoon. There was a good attendance and a large number of new members were taken in.

The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Rossell's Tuesday, April 5th.

Mrs. Jane Hedgpath of Portland visited Mrs. Emma Hagard of Monmouth the first of the week, on her way to Airlie to visit her daughter, Mrs. Wade Williams.

A timely examination of your eyes may save you a lot of worry and care in the future. Better be wise than sorry. Consult Dr. Thompson next visit, Monday April 4. Local hotel all day.

G. A. Conn, whose mercantile interests have been disposed of as announced in our Airlie correspondence, has prospered in our neighbor village. Nature helped with his natural trading ability for he has a good trading point and light overhead expense. His successors, John Wienert and Kenneth Williams have the advantage of a wide acquaintance and will undoubtedly do well.

E. W. Staats was a week end visitor in Portland.

W. M. Meeker's car was taken from the corner of Main street and Monmouth avenue during services at the Christian church Sunday evening and was recovered in Independence the next day, having been abandoned on one of the streets of that city.

The pitching of quoits, which had developed into a general pastime in the vacant lots along Main street, received a setback this week because of frequent rains.

Pomona Grange meets at Oak Grove next Saturday. Senator Paterson is the big attraction on the program and he will give an account of the ins and outs of legislation in the late legislature.

Misses Esther Halvorsen of McMinville and Sue Grapp of Portland, graduates of last year, attended the party at the Normal gym last Saturday night.

The sale was recently made by Joe Peters of Portland to C. E. Stewart, city marshal, of what is known as the Pedwell property. This consists of a little over two acres of land, fronting on Main street between Wm. Jones and the Oleman property. A narrower strip fronts on East street and on this a house is located. Consideration was \$750.

The Monmouth market has recently added a larger ice box in preparation for a busy summer.

Baptist Church Notes

Easter Sunday Services.
7:00 The usual "sunrise" Easter devotional service and breakfast.
10:00 Bible school
11:00 Morning worship; Pastor's Easter message: "The Hope of Immortality"

6:30 p. m. Endeavor service
7:30 "The Ever-Living Christ"—a brief Easter program by members of the Bible school
Special missionary offering Sunday towards the Million Dollar Easter Fund for the children of the world.

Christian Church Notes

Our Pre-Easter service thus far has been a great success. J. A. Carroll has certainly made good as vocalist and chorus leader. His last service will be Friday night. Our baptismal service will be Friday night. The sermon subject will be, "In the Straight and Narrow Way", illustrated. The Saturday night topic will be announced then.

Easter Program—Invisible Chorus; Children's Processional and Class Songs and Children's Chorus; The Choir will sing, "Hosannah in the Highest" and "Lift up Your Heads, O Ye Gates". Sermon subject, "The Inspiration of Immortality".

New members will be received into the fellowship of the church.

Great evening song service and a sermon upon which the Pastor has studied for thirty years, "The Faith of Our Fathers".

Junior and Senior C. E. at 6:30. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30.

Resolutions

Whereas the Heavenly Father has seen fit to remove from our midst our faithful and beloved sister, Laura Colby Price:—

Resolved: That we hereby express our appreciation for her devotion and faithfulness to our order, and our personal regard for her as a friend.

Resolved: By the Agate Kebekeh Lodge, I. O. O. F., that we set forth this regard by spreading a copy of these resolutions upon our minute book, and also by having the same published in the Monmouth Herald.

Laura M. Pace
Nannie M. Sackafosse
Tena A. Brown
Committee

EASTER

Mysterious voices whisper,
A softness is in the air,
The wind gently lingers, caresses,
And murmurs a peaceful prayer
An expectant air is pervading,
Though all is quiet and calm;
The sun, a benevolent brother,
Sends forth his warm, mellow balm.

A fragrance seems all about us
From brown earth and flowers
and trees,

An offering sweet of incense,
Subtly stealing upon the breeze.
Assembling seems all Nature's
forces,

On some joyful mission bound,
A harmony of form and of color
And light and shadow and sound.
Now, as the some unseen choir-
naster
Has bidden them unite in song,
A chorus bursts forth and, in
rapture,
Their joy and their praise they
prolong.

The wind on invisible harp-strings,
The birds with their sweet clar-
inets,

The lilies on trumpets of silver,
Daffodils with golden cornets
Pour forth in sublime adoration
Their reverent worship and love;
Their gratitude, wonder, and tri-
umph,

In a poem, ascend far above.

'Tis the time of the Great Resurrec-
tion
With its message of hope and glad
cheer,
With its promise of life, free, un-
ending.

Christ is risen! Easter is here!
Norma Daniel Arant



Yardgoods

Pretty Wash Goods For Spring

We have a complete new stock of yard goods upon our shelves and it is the wise woman who selects her materials early for gingham, parcale, Swiss or cotton summer dress.

Such charming frocks can be made from any of the new fabrics for Spring. Never have we had so pleasing a variety of distinctive patterns as these—and at so moderate a price.

Nell Wingel Home Frocks

Our Ladies' Furnishings section looks very bright this week with the arrival of many pretty new house dresses and aprons: all new Spring styles, If you want something really attractive for house wear, made up as well as you could do it yourself, you should see these new frocks.

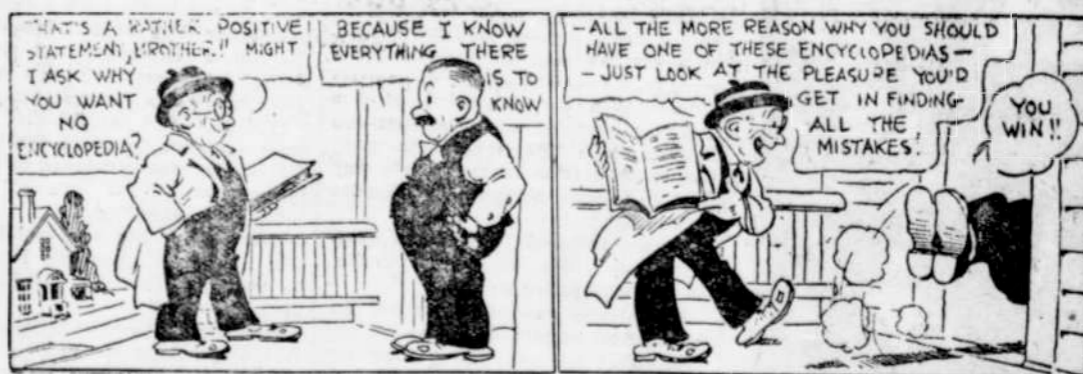
Prices \$2.39 and \$2.50

Slipova Rompers for Children

You mothers who have always wished you had the time to sit down and make the children's rompers and play suits should come in and see the new SLIPOVA rompers and creepers which have recently arrived. We know you are going to like them, and the price will please you still further.

Prices 90c, \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.25

MILLER'S Good Goods.



Do You Like PIE?

Not a small section but the whole works. If you do, attend the

Pie Social!

at the High School at 7:30 p. m.

Saturday, April 2

Come and get a pie at your own price and the girl who baked it to help eat it

A Free Program including a One Act Farce!

Come and eat pie and enjoy the fun.

SYNOPSIS OF THE ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE WEST COAST LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

of San Francisco, in the State of California, on the thirty-first day of December, 1920, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law.

CAPITAL	
Amount of capital stock paid up.....	\$ 250,000.00
INCOME	
Total premium income for the year.....	\$1,774,000.83
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year.....	366,739.20
Income from other sources received during the year.....	45,901.33
Total income	\$2,186,641.36

DISBURSEMENTS	
Paid for losses, endorsements, annuities and surrender values.....	\$ 409,824.60
Dividends paid to policyholders during the year.....	83,808.52
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year.....	0.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year.....	466,390.47
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year.....	41,618.84
Amount of all other expenditures.....	137,231.73
Total expenditures	\$1,138,863.66

ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value).....	\$ 703,373.05
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market or amortized value).....	2,728,202.52
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.....	874,335.52
Premium notes and policy loans.....	1,002,736.52
Cash in banks and on hand.....	158,090.79
Net uncollected and deferred premiums.....	274,678.90
Interest and rents due and accrued.....	48,545.94
Other assets (net).....	19,656.47
Total admitted assets	\$5,809,869.61

LIABILITIES	
Net reserves.....	\$4,741,208.00
Gross claims for losses unpaid.....	82,544.58
All other liabilities.....	587,141.66
Unassigned funds (surplus).....	178,789.97
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of \$250,000.00	\$5,809,869.61
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Gross premiums received during the year.....	\$ 82,827.81
Premiums and dividends returned during the year.....	1,628.45
Losses paid during the year.....	13,107.13

WEST COAST LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
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