



HEAVY HIGH TOP SHOES AND RUBBER BOOTS

### Heavy Dress Shoes

Waterproof

JACOB VOGT  
245 State Street. Salem, Ore

Pianos  
Organs  
Sewing Machines  
Talking Machine Records  
Piano and Organ Studies  
Sheet Music  
Extras for All Makes of  
Sewing Machines

Basis of success  
of Old and Reli-  
able House of Geo.  
C. Will—  
Good goods,  
right prices, posi-  
tive guarantee,  
and defects (the  
fault of instru-  
ment) repaired  
free of charge.

**GEO. C. WILL,**

121 Commercial Street  
Salem, Oregon.

## POLK COUNTY BANK

MONMOUTH, OREGON

PAID CAPITAL, \$30,000.00

Transacts a general banking and  
exchange business.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS:

J. H. Hawley, Pres. J. B. V. Butler, Vice Pres. Ira C. Powell, Cash.  
F. S. Powell. J. B. Stump. I. M. Simpson.

### Little Palace Hotel

Independence

F. W. Creanor, Proprietor

Carefully Supplied Tables. Special Attention to Commercial Trade.

## What Papers Do You Read

?

H. B. Geer tells of a farmer who once said: "I don't believe in your book learning, study and all that; I'd rather learn by experience." He did. That man a couple of years later lost out as a farmer and moved to town, where he made a very poor living working by the day and doubtless working for men who studied and read and thought about their business, and applied in it, as far as practicable, that which they had learned from books, periodicals and the experience of others given therein. It is the men who read; the men who study; the thoughtful men who support the farm journals. They are the men who read books and papers on agriculture, fruit growing, poultry culture and bee-keeping. They are the men who stand in the front rank; the leaders in their respective communities. These men have found that it pays to read and study on any subject in which they are interested and apply their knowledge in their everyday work.



is published for this class of farmers and stock raisers. Every week it contains articles by men who KNOW. Practical experience is what counts and you get it from others through the Pacific Homestead, published at Salem, Oregon, each Thursday. Subscription price \$1 per year, sample copy free.

West Side Enterprise - \$1.50  
Pacific Homestead - - 1.00

The two for \$2.00

Remit to either paper.

### Farms and City Property

262 acres, most all in cultivation; Luckiamute river runs through the place; 1 1/2 miles from motor line; fences and cross fences; wheat and oats have been grown on place of late. Good hop land or would make good walnut farm. This place belongs to an old man who has only daughter with whom he lives and he desires to get his business settled. \$30.00 an acre.

Two residences in best part of Independence, Railroad and Monmouth streets, for sale at \$1800 for both. Come and let me show them to you. This is one of the desirable locations for a fine home in Independence. Better buy now while the owner is in a notion of selling.

224 acres, 4 miles southwest of Monmouth, mile and a half from Luckiamute station, 160 acres in cultivation, remainder in pasture and timber; 30 acres fir timber, remainder oak. Well watered and fenced. Good family orchard, small fruits, grapes, cherries, apples and prunes, pears, etc. Dwelling 24x24, two stories, new and cost \$1000. Barn 40x56, 20 feet high and cost \$600. 3 hen houses, hog house, milk house, meat house, two hay barns for cattle and goats in pasture. Farm is suitable for grain raising or dairying, or stock raising. Would be fine walnut or fruit land. Price per acre, \$25.00.

90 acres, mile and a half north of Rickreall, on county road and railroad. No improvements. Part of donation claim recently divide among heirs. First class land—rolling. 60 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture and oak timber. Can be bought on good terms. Per acre, \$40.00.

53 acres one mile from Independence; all cultivated and fenced; no improvements. The place will be sold for \$3000

600 acres four miles from Dallas; 50 acres in cultivation; quarter mile from rail road; enough axe-handle grub oak to pay for the place; six-room house; ideal dairy and goat ranch. Per acre, \$20.00

28 acres adjoining city limits of Independence; all in cultivation, one-third acre in strawberries and other fruits on place; two-story house, five rooms below; dug well with abundance of water; large barn and chicken house; woven wire around place, also cross fences. 3000, including household furniture and farm implements. A bargain.

102 acres one mile from Independence; fenced with woven wire and well improved; cross fences of woven wire. This is a real farm. All in cultivation except 15 acres in timber and pasture; large 8-room house; barn 40x60; other outbuildings, such as machine sheds, chicken houses, etc.; living water on place and good dug well. Per acre \$100.

215 acres, two miles from Independence is another of the good farms near Independence; level, but with 17 feet drainage in half mile; 205 acres in cultivation, rest in good oak timber; new barn 40x56; chicken houses and other buildings; a young orchard of 115 trees just coming into bearing, also old orchard; has good well, windmill and tower, with water piped to house; good fences and cross fences, cow barn 40x44, granary, etc. Can be bought for \$60.00 an acre.

102 acres, seven miles south of Independence, one mile from two school houses; 45 acres in cultivation; young orchard of 100 trees, eight years old; 25 acres of oak and fir timber on place; living water runs through corner of place; 7-room cottage built last year, good barn 50x34; place fenced with woven wire; telephone goes with place; after October 1st will have to buy crop that is seeded to get possession. Price for this place, \$2800.

22 acres, two and one-half miles from Independence; rolling, good land; 14 acres in cultivation; house has three rooms below, upper rooms not finished; barn 20x30; good well with plenty of water; fenced with barbed wire and woven wire; good spring on place. Place cost \$50 in grubs and stumps. Can be bought for \$1200.

53 acres, one and one-half miles from Albany, in highest state of cultivation; 27 acres in Baldwin and Johnathan apples; young orchard in all kinds of fruit and two acres in berries; orchard is in first-class shape; Baldwins had seven boxes apples to tree this season; six acres in clover pasture; barn 40x45; dwelling is 8-room house; good well with water in house; three crops would pay for place. Situated on slope Place can be bought for \$2000 and balance on long time at six per cent. Price \$9000.

33 1-3 acres, one and one-half miles from Independence, bottom land; has hop yard of 10 acres on it; best quality onion land; 30 acres in cultivation; all fenced; old build-

ings. A good buy. Place can be bought for \$4000.

2 lots, beautifully situated in Independence. All or part of them will be sold cheap.

40 acres, all in cultivation, 21 acres seeded to wheat, oats and vetch. All under good fence. Quarter of mile from school house. Choice fruit land. Land lies rolling. Price \$1900.

9-room house and three lots in Independence; large septic tank; hot and cold water and bath; electric lights and telephone; barn, fruit and berries; range and linoleum will go with place, \$2200.

Good 7-room house and 8 lots; barn, chicken house and wood house, fruit trees, strawberries and small fruits. In Independence. \$850.

10-room house and two desirable lots in Hill's addition to Independence. Barn 12x16, shed on two sides, good chicken house and wood shed; fall grown hedge fence in front. Splendid buy. Terms, \$1500.

Country store, hotel and postoffice in Northern California. A good money making proposition for a man and his wife. This place can be had very reasonable.

I have the Messner residence in Independence for sale. This is probably the finest residence property in this city. I have other good residence properties in own and some in Monmouth for sale. Chas. E. Hicks.

CHAS. E. HICKS,  
Real Estate Broker,  
Independence, Oregon.

### Notice of Final Account.

In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Polk county; in the matter of the estate of Robert Wilson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Lillie J. Wilson, executrix of the estate of Robert Wilson, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement, and filed in said court, her final account of her administration of said estate, and that Friday, the 22d day of January, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the County Court rooms of said Court, in the city of Dallas, Polk county, Oregon, has been appointed by the Judge of the Court, for the settlement of said account, which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file exceptions in writing to said account and contest the same.

LILLIE J. WILSON,  
Executrix of the estate of Robert Wilson, deceased.  
B. F. JONES, Attorney 29-33

### Was Going Some.

Tuesday evening there was an accident at the skating rink in Falls City that might have proven fatal had it killed the person involved, says a contributor to the Falls City News. Our most skillful trick skater was performing some of his acrobatic stunts, a handspring being his next performance. He placed his hands on the floor and was making glorious progress when his feet caught in the air and his head struck the floor. He lay groaning for several minutes, no one having courage to go near him fearing he was in his death agonies. At last he was carried from the floor and a doctor summoned, who carefully examined his cranium and pronounced it a bad case of concussion of the brain. It is hoped that he will soon be able to take charge of the floor again.

### A Horrible Hold-Up.

"About ten years ago my brother was 'held up' in his work, health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless consumption," writes W. R. Lipscomb, of Washington, N. C. "He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors, but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man today." It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, hemorrhages, coughs and colds, bronchitis, la grippe, asthma, and all bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

### A "Glad Hand" Committee

The Portland Commercial Club has introduced a novel feature that should be adopted by every community in Oregon. It is the appointment of a Newcomers' Special Committee, and that committee held its first meeting Saturday, outlining a plan to be carried on throughout the entire year which will result in giving each and every newcomer the "glad hand".

### Polk's Gazetteer.

A business directory of each city, town and village in Oregon and Washington, giving a descriptive sketch of each place, together with the location and shipping facilities and a classified directory of each business and profession. R. L. Polk & Co., Inc., Seattle.

Mrs. Clarence Ireland returned to Portland Tuesday afternoon, after spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of  
of  
*Dr. J. C. Hatcher*  
In Use For Over  
Thirty Years  
**CASTORIA**  
THE BERTHA COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

900 DROPS  
ALCOHOL 3 PER CENT.  
Vegetable Preparation for  
stimulating the Food and Regulating  
the Stomach and Bowels of  
INFANTS & CHILDREN  
Promotes Digestion, Cheerful-  
ness and Rest. Contains neither  
Opium, Morphine nor Mineral.  
NOT NARCOTIC.  
A Perfect Remedy for Constipation,  
Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea,  
Worms, Convulsions, Feverish-  
ness and LOSS OF SLEEP.  
The Sincere Signature of  
*Dr. J. C. Hatcher*  
NEW YORK.  
476 months old  
35 Doses - 35 CENTS  
Guaranteed under the Food and  
Drug Act of 1906.  
Exact Copy of Wrapper.

## The Willamette Valley Company

Light, Power & Water at Very Reasonable Rates

**WATER RATES**—(Water by meter applies to residences only.) Residence rate on meter applies to customers only who pay \$2.00 and over at the rate of 20c per 1,000 gallons; minimum \$1.00 per month.

**ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER RATE**—Residence, 15 cents per K. W. Business houses, 25 cents per drop and 5 cents per K. W. Power, rates on application.

OFFICE AT WATERWORKS PHONE MAIN 41

## The Court Resort and German Lunch Place

FRANK H. COLLINS, Proprietor

357 State St. Salem, Oregon Phone 117

## —THE— WILLIAMS DRUG CO.

Pure Drugs and Medicines Stationery and Toilet Articles

INDEPENDENCE OREGON

## MAKE YOUR OWN STOCK FOODS BY USING SKIDOO HORSE AND CATTLE TABLETS

Crush and mix in feed or salt. Proper dose in tablets  
Makes Your Stock Look Like the Top Price

For Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Swine and Poultry. They are made from the active principle or the condensed essence of the drug. They don't contain Sawdust, Ashes, Chop Feed or Bran. Are just as good when 10 years old as when 10 days old. They comply with all pure drug laws. Ask for and try once SKIDOO Condition Tablets, or SKIDOO Worm, Kidney, Chicken Cholera, Blister, Cathartic, Heave, Fever, Hog Cholera, Distemper, Pink Eye, Colic Tablets or Loose Powder, Spavin Cure or Barb Wire Lintiment. Distributed by THE BLUE BELL MEDICINE CO., incorporated; Capital Stock \$300,000.00; Watertown, South Dakota, U. S. A.

For sale by HANNA & IRVINE, Independence, Oregon

## UNDERTAKING

Day and night calls promptly attended to. Fine parlor in connection. An experienced lady assistant.

W. L. BICE, Embalmer and Funeral Director. Licensed by the Oregon State Board of Health.

BICE & CALBREATH  
Home Phone: Store, 2220; Res. 3121  
Independence, Oregon Bell Phone: Store, 114; Res. 73

**WE BUY FURS AND HIDES**  
For spot cash. 10 to 25% more money for you to ship Raw Furs and Hides to us than to sell at home. Write for Price List, Market Report, Shipping Tags, and about our 24 Million HUNTERS' & TRAPPERS' GUIDE \$10,000 Book 400 pages, leather bound. Book tells on the subject ever written. Illustrating all Fur Animals. All about Trappers' Hooks, Traps, Game Laws. How and where to trap, and to become a successful trapper. It's a regular Encyclopedia. Price, \$2. To our customers, \$1.25. Hides tanned into beautiful Robes. Our Maggotic Salt and Dyeer attracts animals to traps. \$1.00 per bushel. Ship your Hides and Furs to us and get highest prices. Address: Brock, Dept. 71, Minneapolis, Minn.