

## Holiday Goods

We are showing a line of the latest novelties in Christmas goods from a penny postal to a set of furs, including sofa pillows, stamped linens, etc. While it is a little early to buy we would be pleased to have you drop in

### When in Salem

and examine our display. We feel sure you will find something that will please you, especially the price. Remember we are headquarters for Santa Claus this season.

## Remember the Place The Variety Store

ANNORA M. WELCH, Prop.,  
64 NORTH COMMERCIAL STREET. SALEM, OREGON.

## Auditorium Skating Rink

OVLATT BROS., Proprietors

### MOVING PICTURES AND SKATING

Entire change of Pictures three times a week

Every evening except Sunday from 7:30 to 10 p. M.

Good Music, Hardwood Floor and first-class Skates. Come out and enjoy yourself. No Rowdyism allowed.

Admission 10 cents Skaters 25 cents

### PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY

Get your laundry done at the

## INDEPENDENCE STEAM LAUNDRY

All work guaranteed to be first-class. Our prices are right. When calls for your bundles

## Farmers' Feed and Sales Stable

H. EICHEL, Proprietor

Grain and Hay for Sale.

Horses boarded by day, week or month, at reasonable rate

INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.

## THE NOBLE

D. A. MADISON, Prop.

Corner Commercial and State Street

SALEM, OREGON

## Capital Business College

W. I. Staley, Principal Salem, Oregon

A good school—none better. Has a well established reputation. Successful graduates. Skillful, painstaking teachers. Living expenses low. Many other advantages. Let us tell you about them. A catalogue for the asking.

## 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

## POLK COUNTY BANK

Monmouth, Oregon

Paid Capital, \$30,000.00 Transacts a General Banking 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.

## SCHOOL HOLDS ENTERTAINMENT

The school entertainment given on Wednesday night was a successful affair and as usual met with a large attendance. The program consisted largely of musical numbers but there was a treat for Independence in the lecture given by L. R. Alderman. Mr. Alderman held the attention of old and young for more than an hour with his able address. In his discourse there was meat for matured minds and mirth for the children.

The numbers by the children were pleasing and worthy the pride of their teachers. Special numbers by Chas. H. Glos, who sang, "If I Had A Thousand Lives to Live," captivated the audience as did Miss Inez Dennison, who sang sweetly the song, "Remembrance," which was accompanied by Mr. Chas. E. Hicks with a violin obligato.

From the entertainment the school netted a neat sum to be devoted to the use of the school library and athletic club.

**Don't Be Hopeless** about yourself when you're crippled with rheumatism or stiff joints—of course you've tried lots of things and they failed. Try Ballard's Snow Liniment—it will drive away all aches, pains and stiffness and leave you as well as you ever were. Sold by Williams Drug Co.

### ANTIOCH NEWS

Herman Wunder is having some stove wood cut.

Pearl Fishback spent Saturday in Independence.

Allie Griffith and wife were Monmouth traders Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Mack was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Alice Kurre of Talmage, Thursday.

Miss Mabel Yeater visited friends in Monmouth Saturday and Sunday.

James Goodman was a Salem visitor Thursday.

Jay Clark was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Belle Sullivan of Monmouth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Locke of Bridgeport passed through Antioch Thursday.

Daniel Dodson of Airle visited his sister, Mrs. Dave Olin, and family Wednesday.

# What to Buy for Christmas

This will be a merry Xmas, indeed, if you buy your holiday goods at this store

Ladies' goods,  
Silk petticoats,  
Fancy silk  
Waists,  
Kid gloves,  
Fancy neckties,  
Hair Ornaments,  
Hand bags,  
Handkerchiefs,  
Fancy hosiery,  
Sweater coats

### Special

From now until

Jan. 1, 1910

Hats or Caps

FREE!

With all our

Boys' Suits

also  
THE BEST SUIT VAL-  
UES IN OREGON

Men's goods,  
Fancy shirts,  
Dress gloves,  
Silk mufflers,  
Pajamas,  
Fancy sweaters,  
Umbrellas,  
Suspenders,  
Gordon hats,  
Shoes, slippers,  
Suit cases

Christmas buying in our establishment is now in full swing—Undoubtedly the best selection can be had at this store—We invite the people of Independence and vicinity to give us a call—We are anxious to prove to all our good people of Polk county that this store can give you the best service and most reliable goods at lowest prices.

BEAUTIFUL CALENDARS GIVEN TO EACH PURCHASER

## The Bee Hive Store

Dallas, Oregon

Dallas, Oregon

## Bissell Cyclo Bearing Sweepers



## Christmas Gifts

You will find our Store the Ideal Market for the careful Holiday Shopper.

Our holiday stock has been selected with the greatest care in order to afford a very wide range of articles at prices which will enable shoppers, whether they have little or much to spend, to secure just what they want. Every department is full of good things; in fact, we have a real Exposition of holiday goods. You are invited to pay our store an early visit. You will certainly find that your holiday shopping will be simplified and made easier. But don't wait until the last day.

The Earlier You Come, The Easier You Will Find It.

