

PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. Allin, Dentist, Cooper Bldg. if

A good pair of reading glasses \$1.00 at Kramer's.

Special attention to filling family recipes—Williams Drug Co. 29tf

A well equipped stock of sick room necessities. Williams Drug Co. 29tf

Hood Craven of Salmon River was a pleasant visitor in Monmouth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hannon of Hopdale and Mrs. Alice McGowan were visitors in Independence last Friday.

The ladies are invited to call and inspect the new Hand Bags shown by Williams Drug Co. 29tf

Dr. Duganne, Dentist, over Independence National Bank. Bell phone 121; Independent, 4410. tf

Dr. and Mrs. Butler visited Portland on Wednesday, returning the same evening.

W. H. Jenkins, traveling passenger agent for the Harriman lines, was in Independence yesterday.

Edwin and Grace Wallace are home from Oregon Agricultural College to spend the Christmas holidays.

Fresh oysters, both Eastern and Olympia, always on hand at the Gem Restaurant. 19tf

We have the finest list of farms and city property for sale in the city.—Chas. E. Hicks Real Estate Company.

The Chas. E. Hicks Real Estate Company report the sale of twenty acres to L. L. Goodwin, formerly of Hood River.

Mrs. D. A. McRae of Portland visited last week with her cousin, Mrs. Marshal Merwin of this city. Mrs. McRae returned home last Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Esson, state Bible and Sunday school worker for the Christian church, will fill the pulpit at the Christian church of Monmouth next Sunday, December 26.

The original "1892" Pure Spun Aluminum Ware. Aluminum utensils are solid metal throughout. Are not injured by boiling dry. Do not rust, tarnish nor corrode, nothing to scale off. You can't wear out the "Ware that Wears". For sale by Hanna Bros.

F. P. Grounds and R. H. Turner of Buena Vista were in Independence Saturday doing Christmas shopping.

Why don't you cure that cold? Try Williams' Laxative Cold Tablets. Williams Drug Co. 24tf

Five, ten and twenty acre tracts for sale on easy payments. Chas. E. Hicks Real Estate Company, Independence, Oregon.

Saturday's Oregonian says: C. L. Fitchard, one of the big growers and dealers in hops, from Independence, is staying at the Imperial.

Now is the time to list your farm or city property for quick sale with the Chas. E. Hicks Real Estate Company, Independence, Oregon.

Cards are out announcing the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Claggett, which will occur Saturday, December 25.

Miss Frances Patterson of Portland arrived in town yesterday to spend the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hedges.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Goodwin of Hood River have purchased twenty acres of the J. H. Collins farm and intend to build a house and plant out an orchard in the spring.

After skating luncheons are very popular. You can telephone your orders for oysters from the skating promp; service at the Gem Restaurant. 19tf

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Sportsman of Black Rock, which died at that place this week, is to be buried in the cemetery at this place today. The funeral will be held at the cemetery, conducted by Rev. Mr. Osborne.

A fast game of foot ball will be played tomorrow between the Piedmont Stars of Portland and the Independence team. This game will undoubtedly be the best game of this season. Both teams have been very successful this year, each making winnings above the average. Piedmont Stars defeated the Multnomah Addition team by a score of 25 to 5 while the Independence team defeated the same team by a score of 20 to 5.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

Bring us your prescriptions. Accuracy and purity our motto. A graduate pharmacist in charge. Williams Drug Co. 29tf

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. V. Butler attended the wedding of Mr. Butler's niece, Miss Laverne Fenton, at McMinnville, Thursday, December 16. Miss Fenton was married to Mr. Jack Spence, an enterprising young merchant of that place.

Mrs. Richard F. Wells, an artist of San Francisco and an old-time resident of Independence, is here this week, visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Claggett. She will remain here to attend the golden wedding of her parents, which occurs on December 25.

The public marriage of Mr. Roy Collins and Miss Irma Hilliard at Calvary Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon, promises to be a brilliant social affair. The ceremony will be performed by Dr. Dunamore at 6 o'clock and will be open to the general public. From 7:30 during the evening, a reception will be held at the home of the happy couple, to which invitations have been issued.

Calvary Presbyterian Sunday school will have a "Christmas Grove" on Friday evening, Christmas eve, when a short program will be rendered by the children, and the presents distributed. The program will begin shortly after 6:30, in order to conclude early, giving all an opportunity of spending most of the evening in their homes, if desired. A general invitation is extended to any and all who wish to distribute their presents from the "Grove", and all are invited to come and participate with the school in the Christmas cheer.

For Eczema, Tetter and Salt Rheum. The intense itching characteristic of these ailments is almost instantly allayed by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by it. For sale by P. M. Kirkland.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been duly appointed executors of the estate of Viola Sloper, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Polk, and have qualified. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefor to either of the undersigned executors at their places of residence near Independence, Polk county, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

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Willard A. Sloper, Charles O. Sloper and W. H. Cogle, executors of the estate of Viola Sloper, deceased. N. L. Butler, attorney. 26-30

David D. Young and wife have re-



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The wind blew pretty crisply round the corners and men were running after Overcoats. All, naturally, wanted their money's worth. Some of them got it and some of them didn't.

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CROKINOLE BOARDS have been added to our lines and you can now get one of the best games of the season at our store. This is the style on which over 80 games can be played. Prices with the necessary Rings, Cues, etc., range from \$3.50 to \$7.00.

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NO LIQUOR NOR NEAR IT.
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"1892" Pure Aluminum Ware

Will Not Rust, Crack, Break, Scorch or Burn

Cheapest Because Best Will Last a Lifetime



HERE, at last, is the ideal kitchen and cooking utensil—"THE WARE THAT WEARS"—made from Pure Spun Aluminum, and guaranteed by the makers to last 25 years with average usage. "Spun" Aluminum, mind you, not cast Aluminum, which will sometimes crack and scale. Spun Aluminum Ware will never crack, peel, scale or break.

Costs a trifle more than ordinary enamel ware, but is many times cheaper in the long run, because of its wonderful durability and fuel saving. Enamel ware is iron coated with colored glass. Iron expands with heat. Colored glass does not, but chips off into the food with dangerous results to those who eat it.

That the use of enamel kitchen ware causes cancer is a view held by some eminent medical authorities. Dr. William H. Diefenbach of New York, in a paper entitled "Observations on the Etiology of Cancer," read before the Bureau of Sanitary Science and Public Health during the session of the International Homeopathic Congress at Atlantic City, discussed this subject.

According to a special dispatch to the Philadelphia North American, Dr. Diefenbach advanced the argument that chipping

of the hard-coated dishes used in preparation of meals allowed minute but dangerous particles of foreign matter to become mixed with the food, these being taken into the stomach, where the cancerous growth is caused by abrasions which they make in the walls of the organ.

"1892" Pure Aluminum Ware saves doctors' bills. It enables you to bake bread, pies, pan cakes, etc., without grease, which is the great cause of dyspepsia and indigestion. Aluminum griddles require no grease; hence are smokeless and odorless.

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The original and only genuine Spun Aluminum Ware is made by the Illinois Pure Aluminum Co. at Lemont, Ill. Every piece bearing their trade-mark, the Maltese Cross, and marked "1892" Pure Aluminum Ware is absolutely pure, wholesome and hygienic, and guaranteed for 25 years.

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Only a few of the "1892" Pure Aluminum Cooking Utensils are shown here. Complete line will be found at **HANNA BROS.**