

## PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. Allis, Dentist, Cooper Bldg. 121

The public library will be closed Saturday, New Year's day.

A good pair of roasting glass see \$1.00 at Kramer's. 121

Special attention to filling family recipes.—Williams Drug Co. 291f

Mrs. Laura Miller of Portland is visiting relatives and friends here.

For Sale—Plymouth Rock roosters. Enquire of W. H. Cockle. Bell phone 507. 31-2

C. W. Henkle returned Wednesday from Philomath where he visited his parents.

Miss Ella Robinson of McMinnville spent Christmas with her parents in Independence.

Fresh oysters, both Eastern and Olympia, always on hand at the Gem Restaurant. 191f

Williams' Laxative Cold Tablets will cure that cold. Try them. Williams Drug Co. 241f

W. M. Fishback, of the Antioch neighborhood, was an Independence visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Jerome Dornise and son, Dean, are visiting relatives in Chahalls, Washington.

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

Why don't you cure that cold? Try Williams' Laxative Cold Tablets. Williams Drug Co. 241f

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Callaway of Roseburg spent Christmas with Independence friends.

The ladies are invited to call and inspect the new Hand Bags shown by Williams Drug Co. 291f

M. A. Ford and wife of Portland were visiting the family of J. K. Johnson Wednesday.

After skating luncheons are very popular. You can telephone your orders for oysters from the skating prompt service at the Gem Restaurant. 191f

Miss Ethel Whiteaker entertained a few of her friends at her home on Thursday evening.

Miss Maude Hiff, who has been a visitor with her brothers here, returned to Portland Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Chappell returned Monday from Portland where she has visited relatives for a fortnight.

F. M. Skinner spent several days during the past week with friends in the Luckiamute neighborhood.

Cleve Robinson arrived home from Baker City last Sunday and is now employed in Ball's barber shop.

Miss Iva Cooper is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper of Independence.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McIntosh are spending the holiday vacation with the parents of Mrs. McIntosh in Dayton.

Miss Bertha Tharpe of Portland spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Tharpe of Independence.

Bring us your prescriptions. Accuracy and purity our motto. A graduate pharmacist in charge. Williams Drug Co. 291f

Dean Walker is spending the holidays with his parents. Dean is attending the University of Oregon this year.

Frank Richardson is up from Portland to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson of this city.

A marriage license was issued this week by the county clerk to John H. Talbott and Katherine McLean, both of Polk county.

Benton Bowers of Ashland, who has recently invested in a considerable amount of Polk county farming land, is in Independence attending to his interests here.

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

Miss Millie Addison, a stenographer, has accepted a position in the office of the Enterprise.

Mrs. Alice McGowan was a visitor with friends in Independence Tuesday and Wednesday from her beautiful country home.

Chas. A. Rice and family spent Christmas at the home of Harry Hiff. Mr. Rice is principal of the Couch school in Portland.

Emery Allen, who has been visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Shenefield, returned to his home in Corvallis yesterday.

Schools of Independence were adjourned last Friday for the usual holidays. Teachers and pupils will resume work again next Monday.

Mrs. B. V. Runnels of Portland, formerly Miss Maude Tharpe of Independence, spent the week past with her parents in this city. She returns to her home today.

Mrs. Alice McGowan has just returned to her country home south of Independence from a visit over the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. W. G. Shafer of Corvallis.

Misses Hazel Seeley and Emma Henkle arrived in Independence Sunday to spend the holidays with their parents. They are teachers in the public schools at Condon.

Otis Welch of Newberg was visiting in this city this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Seeley and other relatives. He is a former resident of Independence.

The Chas. E. Hicks Real Estate Co. report the sale this week of ten acres to L. L. Goodwin of Hood River, making a total of thirty acres which Mr. Goodwin has purchased for fruit and orchard purposes.

B. F. Dunsmore, with the Honeyman Hardware Company of Portland, visited over Saturday and Sunday with his father and sister in the Manse, returning to Portland on the early train Monday.

A rare opportunity to make some easy money. Honest representative who can give satisfactory references to take orders for Smelt in your locality. Address T. I. Temple, 229 E. Alder St., Portland, Oregon.

F. J. Aldridge, who has been residing here for some time, was over to Philomath looking for a location. Mr. Aldridge is one of the men who recently bought Cleve Robinson's barber shop and afterward sold it to W. T. Ball.

Miss Cecile Wilcox, who is attending the University of Oregon at Eugene, and Miss Geneva Wilcox, who is a pupil at St. Helen's Hall, Portland, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilcox of this city.

For Sale—115 acres, 7 miles from Independence, at \$35 per acre; 90 acres 3 miles from Independence, at \$55 per acre; 30 acre hop yard, 2 miles of Independence—chance to pay for this with one crop.—Chas. E. Hicks Real Estate Co.

Compound Red Spruce and White Pine Cough Medicine is a combination recommended by the medical profession as an expectorant of rare value, especially in cases of chronic bronchitis and ordinary coughs and colds. Williams Drug Co. 241f

The Northwestern Valley Company has rented the north window of Estabrook's pastime resort which will be fitted up with electrical supplies. The window will be brilliantly lighted and will be one of the most attractive windows of the city.

The revival meetings at Buena Vista, conducted by Rev. H. G. McCain, have been very successful. Nearly twenty persons were converted on Wednesday and Thursday. Rev. S. D. Reece of Salem is assisting in the song service and afternoon sessions.

Miss Katie Dunsmore entertained a party of young ladies at the manse on Tuesday evening, when candy making and games, etc., were the order of the evening. Those present were Misses Grace Wallace, Emma Henkle, Nellie Damon, Rowena Sperling, Margaret Hodge, Cordia Gooch, Mildred Owen, Irma Brown and Antha Hartman.

Adah chapter, No. 34, Eastern Star, installed the following officers Tuesday night, December 28: Mrs. Lulu Hiff, Worthy Matron; P. M. Kirkland, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Edna Butler, Associate Matron; Mrs. Helen Kirkland, Conductress; Mrs. Edna Irvine, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Ardella Butler, Secretary; Mrs. Flora Mix, Treasurer.

The death of C. H. Chapman at Dallas last week removed an old resident of that city and a pioneer prune grower of Polk county. He was eighty-two years of age at the time of his death. He leaves of his immediate family three sons, two of whom reside in the Willamette valley, one at Dallas and Frank Chapman of Salem, a member of the Imperial Furniture Co. of that city.

## Drill Hall Under Way.

Corvallis—When the new military hall or armory for the Oregon Agricultural College is completed the college will have the largest enclosed floor on the Pacific Coast, having a seating capacity of 20,000. The structure will be finished by February 1. The building will cost approximately \$40,000.

## Large Hospital for Medford?

Medford—The mother provincial of Oregon, who is in charge of all hospitals in the northwest under the management of the Sisters of the Holy Names, is in Medford for the purpose of meeting local business men and discussing with them plans for the erection of a \$125,000 hospital for this city.

## Expert Goes to Argentina.

Oregon City—H. Leighton Kelly, fish culturist of the United States bureau of fisheries, who has been connected with the government fisheries the last 12 years, will leave next month for Buenos Ayres, where he will take charge of salmon hatcheries for the Argentine Republic.

## Experiment to Be Tried in Oregon.

Prairie City—A movement is under way in the government management of the national forests which may prove the forerunner of change. It is being tried in the Malheur national forest.

At a meeting of the Harney and Malheur Woolgrowers' Association at Vale last week an advisory board was elected, which will be given power to overrule the actions of the supervisors in matters of allotment of range and making reductions in the number of head of stock upon the Malheur national forest. This is the only forest in the state that will not have a reduction in the number of head of stock next year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bullard and daughter, Miss Daisy, went to McMinnville to spend the holidays with relatives and friends. They were met there by their two sons from Portland.

## Chas. E. Hicks Real Estate Co. Has Best Bargains in Farms.



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