

# INDEPENDENCE ENTERPRISE

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## ENTERPRISE TO BUILD OFFICE

WILL HAVE MODERN CONCRETE STRUCTURE.

THE BUILDING WHICH THE ENTERPRISE WILL ERECT WILL BE MODERN STRUCTURE AND CREDIT TO THE CITY.

The Independence Enterprise has been promised a new home. The publisher has already closed a deal for the ground as a site for the new building and plans and specifications are being completed this week for the concrete structure. The new Enterprise building is to be located on Main street, north of Hanna Bros. hardware store, on the site of the old Garrigus hotel. All that property owned by Mrs. Garrigus was recently sold to J. L. Hanna who sold to the publisher of the Enterprise the lot upon which the building is to be erected. The Enterprise building will be one of the best business blocks in Independence. It will be a modern and up-to-date building, with basement and modern front. It will be one story only and will occupy 30x78 feet.

The basement will be occupied by the presses of the Enterprise and the power plant with which they are operated. The Chas. E. Hicks Real Estate Co. will occupy offices in the building.

Between the Enterprise building and Hanna Bros. hardware store is soon to be erected a building by Hanna Bros. which will be occupied by that firm to accommodate their increasing trade. It is understood that other business men of the city are figuring on putting up business structures adjoining the Enterprise but at this time no announcement of them can be made.

### SHOULD RESTORE NORMAL

A petition is in circulation among the citizens of our county, fathered by the alumni of the Monmouth Normal school, praying for a restoration of the Monmouth state normal school.

This is a petition that every citizen should sign as it is a stain upon the fair state of Oregon to be dispossessed of normal schools. No other state would think of such a thing as tearing out the very institutions that have made our public schools the bulwarks of American liberty and independence.

It was a grievous error in the state legislature to abolish, even temporarily, our splendid normal schools. Oregon wants intelligent citizenship, and intelligent citizenship is a creature of good schools, and good schools can only be had by well-trained teachers, and well-trained teachers must come from the normal schools, so when the state abolished her normal schools, it looks as if the future welfare of her boys and girls is a matter of small importance.

We can't allow such an impression to be given, as this state is as anxious for good schools as any in the union, but some poor imbeciles that were sent as misrepresentatives from their respective districts forgot themselves and their duties to the state and cut off the most essential stream of revenue in the state.

It was not wilful—it was only ignorance, or possibly indifference; but whatever the cause, we trust all the people of the state will rally round the flag that floats over the little red school houses the strongest links in the grandest educational system to be found in all the world.—Lakeview Herald.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years,

**\$10 GIVEN AWAY**  
Nominate your friend as a contestant for the capital prize piano in the Enterprise voting contest. \$10 in gold will be paid to the one who nominates the candidate. You can get it whether you enter the contest or not.

and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### MEET WITH SPLENDID WELCOME

The Portland business men have returned from their visit over the Willamette valley intensely enthused with the meeting of the business people of the various towns which they visited. Aside from the splendid welcome extended to them everywhere they found much interest in discussing municipal affairs of the smaller cities of the valley. At Independence the people were taken by surprise, the delegation coming a day in advance of schedule arrangements as understood by this city. Hence the failure to respond with a more fitting welcome to them. Among the men who were in the excursion and who visited among our people during their hour's stay here, were: L. A. Brown of Allen & Lewis; William Albers, President Albers Bros. Milling Co.; Edward Ehrman of Mason, Ehrman & Co.; Edwin C. S. Knowles, special agent, Phoenix Assurance Co.; J. W. Vogan, President Modern Confectionery Co.; Dom J. Zan, President Zan Bros.; Dr. Andrew C. Smith; W. S. Dunaway, State Printer; Frank O. Bristol, Gen. Agent Columbia Life & Trust Co.; William J. Henderson of Closset & Devers; Robert M. Irvine of Fleischner, Mayer & Co.; A. F. Bickford, Manager Hazelwood Cream Co.; F. C. Wasserman, Secretary Blake, McFall Co.; Edward J. Brown of Pacific Paper Co.

### ANNUAL BAPTIST ROLL-CALL

The annual roll-call meeting was held in the Baptist church April 30. A short devotional service was enjoyed in the forenoon at which many of the members renewed their church covenant.

At the business session in the afternoon a new constitution was adopted and new officers were elected. Although during the year the church has suffered a serious depletion in its membership, this loss has been compensated for by the reception of a number of new members. Reports on the whole were favorable and there are strong indications of renewed activity; this being manifested by the good will and cheerful spirit which prevailed throughout the session.

Conkey, Walker & Lehman have just received a big assortment of glassware—can sell you in single pieces or sets.

## PLANS ARE IN BOARD HANDS

BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION ARE ADVERTISED.

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING WILL CONTAIN EIGHT ROOMS AND FULL BASEMENT—GROUNDS TAKE IN ALMOST SIX ACRES.

Plans are completed and are now in the hands of the board of directors of school district No. 29 for the construction of the high school building. A very good picture of the building as it will appear when completed appears on this page of the Enterprise. The total cost of the structure will be \$15,000 instead of \$20,000 as reported through the Oregonian some time ago.

The bonds for the amount of the cost of the building have been disposed of to Morris Brothers of Portland. The bonds went at a premium amounting to something like a hundred and seventy dollars.

The exact location of the high school building in the lot of land recently bought of the Hill estate has not been fully determined, however, that is of minor importance, but the plot of land has been decided upon and purchased, as above stated. It is located at the southern outskirts of the city on Fifth street and is bounded on the south by I street. There are six acres of land in the plot of ground for the site which is ample for all time to come.

There are to be eight rooms in the building including the basement. The structure is to be of reinforced concrete and the roof is to be covered with asbestos shingles. With such a covering there is no doubt but that the building will last for a hundred years in such weather as the Willamette valley is subject to. These shingles will never have to be painted but they will retain their color during all time.

Bids for the construction work on the school building are to be opened by the board on the 20th of this month. After that time building operations will go apace.

### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Baptist Church

Next Sunday in the Sunday school the contest begins between the "Purple" and "White". Let every member do his utmost to increase the attendance of his side.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock; B. Y. P. U. at 7 and preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. W. S. Stewart, regular supply, will speak at both services. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, and the young people's Bible study class on Friday at 8 o'clock. A most hearty welcome will be extended to all who come.

#### United Evangelical Church

Regular preaching services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Topics, morning, "Our Lord's Return," evening, "Our Riches Through Christ's Pover-

ty". Public cordially invited. Rev. F. E. Brickley, pastor.

#### Methodist Church

Regular services next Sunday. Sunday school at 10 a. m. with special temperance program. Preaching at 11 a. m. Loyal Temperance Legion at 3 p. m., Epworth League at 7 p. m. and preaching at 8.

#### Calvary Presbyterian Church

Regular services in Calvary Presbyterian church next Sunday, the evening service being the "Mothers' Memorial". A cordial invitation to all, to attend our services.

#### Christian Church

Mothers' Day will be observed in the Bible school at ten and in the preaching service at eleven. All are requested to come wearing white flowers in honor of Mother. Let the mothers come and bring their children to Bible school and remain for the church service. Hunt up your grown-up children, too, who have wandered away from the fold, and bring them. The sermon will be about "Mother". Much of the singing, led by the good choir, will refer to our best earthly friend. The auditorium will be decorated with white flowers in honor of our mothers, those living and those who have passed over to the Better Land. We repeat the call for young men for the Bible club, which is taught by the pastor at ten. There will be a special service in the evening also, and the subject will be "The Call of our Home Land". The ordinance of Christian baptism is expected to follow, and a call is extended to all who are trusting in Christ as their Divine Savior, to "put on Christ in baptism". At the roll-call meeting last Sunday those present gladly subscribed over sixty dollars to pay a few old and new bills. An atmosphere of fresh joy and hope pervades the church.

## OLD PIONEERS' ANNUAL EVENT

BIG PICNIC TO BE HELD AT RICK-REALL.

TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL REUNION OF POLK COUNTY PIONEERS TO TAKE PLACE SATURDAY, MAY TWENTY-EIGHTH.

The date for holding the twenty-first annual reunion of the Polk County Pioneer Association has been changed from June 25 to Saturday, May 28, says Polk County Observer. The change in dates was made at a special meeting of the executive committee, held at the courthouse on Saturday afternoon.

When the pioneers met in Dallas ten days ago and set the date of their reunion for June 25, they inadvertently overlooked the fact that the people of Independence had advertised their June races for the same date. As soon as the matter was called to their attention, President T. J. Hayter hastened to call the members of the executive committee together again, and the date of the reunion was changed to the last Saturday in May.

The pioneers and the business men of Dallas are anxious for the success of the three days' entertainment in Independence, and for that reason have changed the date of the reunion so that it will in no way conflict with

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## WHY

"1892" Pure Spun Aluminum Kitchen Ware Is Better Than Agate or Enamel

Because it is sanitary and saves your money, time and health. The genuine spun aluminum ware, stamped with the Maltese Cross, will outlast any other cooking utensils and is guaranteed by the makers for twenty-five years.

It is pure, wholesome and hygienic—no danger of metal poisoning—cannot chip into the food, because pure SPUN Aluminum expands with the heat and will not crack, scale or peel like the old style ware.

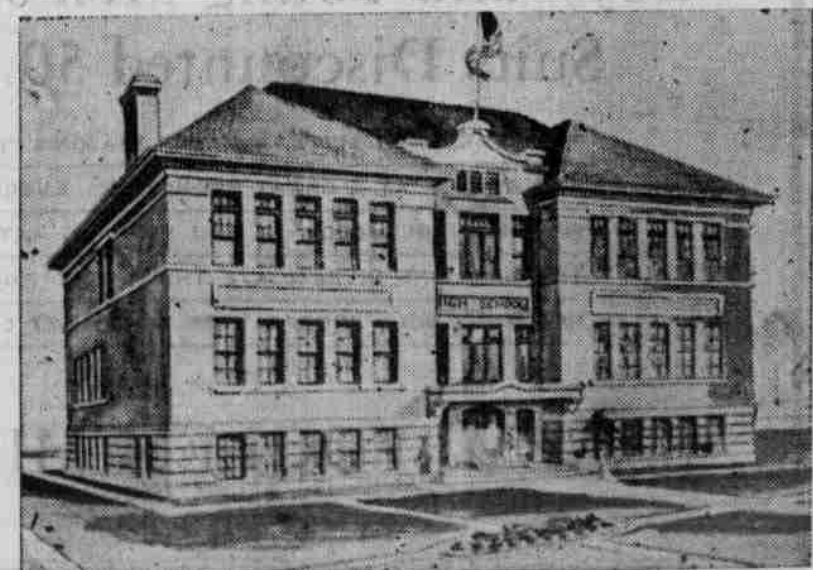
Enamel ware is iron coated with colored glass. Heat causes the glass to chip off into the food in minute particles, which, taken into the stomach, is apt to cause serious troubles, including cancer, according to some medical authorities.

"1892" Pure Spun Aluminum Ware is made from solid Aluminum throughout—no coating of glass—and expands uniformly under heat. It cannot crack, scale, peel like the out of date enameled utensils; it does away with all possible danger from this source.

You owe it to yourself, and to every member of the household, to give this new and better kitchen ware a practical test. If it fails to do what is claimed for it, you get your money back without a quibble or a cross word.

At your dealers.

Hanna Bros.



High School Building in Course of Construction