

# INDEPENDENCE ENTERPRISE

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### PASSING OF THE PRIZE RING

In defense of honor, family and home, fighting is an act which plays on the finest sensibilities of men. In such is a display of the noblest attributes of the human race. Our forefathers fought for their homes and their country. On the frontier they went forth to give battle in single combat in defense of all that they held dear on earth. Not for love of conflict was battle waged.

To fight is the common resort of the vile and ignorant who would secure notice by overpowering the intelligent with displays of daring in wanton battle.

In the battle at Reno pugilism has been disgraced until it is unfit to be styled the manly art. To stoop to attempt to wrest the belt from a negro should have been beneath the dignity of a member of our noble white race. It should have been regarded as an unfit decoration for the king men of the world. From developments it would appear that there is little or no assurance that an ape would not be allowed to retain the honors of the prize ring, to say nothing of slimy beasts of lower orders. Surely this should mark the passing of the prize ring with all its gore and orry.

### OUR GREAT SHIPPING CENTER

Portland now holds second place of the entire United States as a cereal shipping center, New York alone having a greater volume to her credit. The current year, ending May 31, Portland has to her credit exports in wheat amounting to 6,350,032 bushels with a value of \$5,791,304. Within a decade Portland will stand first as a shipping center of all the country.

Attention is called by The Oregonian to the growth of the livestock industry in the Pacific Northwest. On one day of last week it says ten carloads of wheat were received at Portland and forty carloads of livestock. It is maintained that the stock grower will become a more important factor in the prosperity of the state than the wheat grower within the coming ten years. Then there will be more wheat grown than at present but the livestock industry will have expanded to a remarkable degree by that time, due to Portland having the greatest stockyards and packing plant on the Pacific coast. This means much to the city's future, it is believed.

### POLK'S GAZETTEER

A Business Directory of each City, Town and Village in Oregon and Washington, giving a Descriptive Sketch of each place, Location, Shipping Facilities and a Classified Directory of each Business and Profession. R. L. POLK & CO., Inc. Seattle, Wash.

# Do You Wear GLOVES

If so we want your Glove business. We have the finest kind of an assortment of work Gloves—a Glove for every kind of work. A good 50c Glove for rough heavy work; a 75c Glove with gauntlet for heavy work; a nice \$1.00 Glove—will make a dandy for light work; a fine Driving Glove for \$1.25 and \$1.50; heavy gauntlet, well made, for heavy work, \$1.50; an extra fine gauntlet for driving, \$1.75; fine auto Gloves, \$2.00; also fine dress Gloves; and we have a leather Glove for handling wood, for 25c. We have Gloves for all kinds of work. Let us sell you your next pair of Gloves.

YOURS TRULY,

O. A. KRAMER

### SETS GOOD EXAMPLE

The Amity Standard says that Polk county republicans set a good example for the balance of the state on Saturday of last week when in representative assembly they recommended an entire county ticket to be voted for at the primary election. The assembly was composed of representative men of the republican party of the county and their recommendations, while not insuring nominations, will centralise the thoughts of voters on one man, who, if he does not prove to be the right one, will be opposed by not to exceed one other candidate and thus insure majority nominations. The Polk county idea is a good one to follow even if the leading democratic newspaper of that county is fearful that it will disrupt the republican party.

### EVERYBODY REGISTER

Remember that you have to register every year for every election. You can't vote at the coming primaries unless you are registered. The issues before the people are of such importance that every man should register to take a hand in the contests. Don't put it off; register now. Lay down your paper and go and do it this minute.

### Drum Corps Adopts Resolutions

At a recent meeting of the Drum Corps of Oregon of the Grand Army of the Republic, at Oregon City, the following resolutions were adopted in honor of C. W. Burright and A. W. Stansberry, deceased comrades:

"Resolved, That we, the members of the corps who survive them, respected and loved them, we miss them from our number, we deeply sympathize with their families in their bereavement. Therefore resolved

"That these resolutions be placed in our minutes and copies be sent to the families of the deceased comrades. Also to the paper published in Independence, Oregon."

### SEES WONDERFUL POSSIBILITIES

R. H. Campbell brought in a sample of his Royal Ann cherries from his Hill Crest orchard in the Highland district. These cherries graded among the highest in the Salem market this summer. He took 700 pounds to Salem for which he received four cents per pound. These cherries graded from sixty to seventy-five and are a fair sample of the Rogue river cherries which sell regularly at nine to ten cents per pound. Mr. Campbell sees no reason why cherries from the Willamette valley, which he says are as fine as any he has seen in the Rogue river valley, should not have a value equal

to those of that country. Mr. Campbell is demonstrating that Polk county can raise as good quality fruit as grown anywhere. The Summit orchard, which adjoins Mr. Campbell, grew 100 per cent wormy fruit last year. After spraying five times under his direction it will yield a 90 per cent pack. Independence can well feel proud of the work which Mr. Campbell has done during his short residence in Polk county.

### ANTIOCH NEWS

Bert Cross attended a sale at Saver Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Wagner of the capital city were in our neighborhood Monday.

William Goodrich of Chemawa was here Friday buying goats.

Mrs. Orra Marks of near Rickreall, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Towns, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Newt Grooms of Bridgeport visited Mrs. E. Fishback and family Thursday.

Elmer Rake is working for Mrs. E. Clark.

Geo. Sullivan and family of Tabmage were in our locality the first of the week.

A large number of rigs passed through this locality Monday en route to Falls City, where the people celebrated.

### MONMOUTH NEWS

Miss Birdie Coulter of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coulter this week.

E. H. Craven was a pleasant visitor here Saturday.

Mrs. Hyde and three daughters left Thursday to live in Seattle where the former's son, Clarence, has a position in the postoffice department there.

Mrs. B. F. Mulkey and children of Jacksonville are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hawley.

Misses Jessie, Sarah and Myrtle Hyde were given a farewell reception at their home Tuesday evening. A pleasant time was enjoyed.

Martin Keiffafer of Oklahoma and Mr. Mitchell of Lebanon were guests of J. W. White Thursday.

The W. O. W. gave a farewell party to John W. Scott Thursday. Ice cream was served and a fine time was enjoyed until a late hour at Woodman hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Mulkey went to Sheridan Saturday to stay until after the Fourth.

The Sunday schools of this place united and went to Helmick's grove beyond the bridge on the Luckiamute and enjoyed a grand picnic to their hearts' content. There was lunch at noon and after noon a program was rendered. The grounds were supplied with swings and hammocks.

Eugene Catron and daughters of The Dalles visited the past week with his mother, Mrs. Catron of Monmouth.

The Social Hour Club was entertained at the country home of Mrs. Orville Butler Wednesday. The ladies were royally served.

Mrs. E. Percival of Madras is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Miss Ruby Lorence won the \$2.50 prize given by Dr. Bowersox for the best display of sweet peas Tuesday afternoon. There were several competitors and a fine display at the drug store.

### SIDNEY NEWS

Mrs. George Law of Northfield, Minnesota, is here for an all-summer visit with her mother, Mrs. L. L. Cochran, and her brother, E. B. Cochran.

Tom Hampton of Jefferson has purchased the Cuthbert place and will move on it in a few weeks. Mr. Cuthbert will move into Independence where his wife and daughters have resided during the past winter for the schooling of the latter.

C. A. Epley, manager for the Sidney Power Co., made a business trip to Independence Saturday.

J. L. Whiteman and his wife have gone to Newport for several weeks outing.

A party of eighteen men are camped here surveying for the Oregon Electric car line. Everybody in this vicinity is hoping that this survey will be finally settled upon as the best route for the new railroad. As this is a great hop center as well as a grain producing locality, the railroad would be of great benefit in shipping these productions.

Miss Mary Scheman, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is slowly recovering under the care of Dr. Butler of Independence.

The new telephone line from Jeffer-

# Farmers and Hop Growers

For your insurance why not patronize

Chas. E. Hicks

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son to this place is proving a great benefit to farmers along the bottom road.

Mr. Nicolson, whose shoulder and arm were badly mangled two weeks ago by a hop pole falling on him, is slowly recovering at the sanitarium at Salem.

Mrs. M. E. Epley, who has been away on business for some time, returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Yost and son attended a public sale near Corvallis Saturday.

Miss Maude Epley went to Albany Monday to celebrate the Fourth and for a few days' visit.

### Napoleon's Grit

was of the unconquerable, never-say-die kind, the kind that you need most when you have a bad cold, cough or lung disease. Suppose troches, cough syrups, cod liver oil or doctors have all failed, don't lose heart or hope. Take Dr. King's New Discovery. Satisfaction is guaranteed when used for any throat or lung trouble. It has saved thousands of hopeless sufferers. It masters stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, hemorrhages, la grippe, croup, asthma, hay fever and whooping cough and is the most safe and certain remedy for all bronchial affections. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free at all druggists.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Independence National Bank

at Independence, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, June 30, 1910.

RESOURCES.	AMOUNT.
Loans and discounts	\$154,950.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,500.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	19,500.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	29,400.00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	10,000.00
Other real estate owned	12,500.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	7,157.76
Due from State Banks and bankers	6,165.47
Due from approved reserve agents	75,000.00
Checks and other cash items	1,046.05
Notes of other National Banks	100.00
Fractional paper, currency, nickels and cents	158.39
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank	24,484.40
Reserve fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	925.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$851,297.55</b>
LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.
Capital stock paid in	20,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	7,800.47
National bank notes outstanding	12,500.00
Deposits made	300.00
Undivided deposits subject to check	196,500.00
Demand certificates of deposit	9,110.11
Time certificates of deposit	65,536.74
Cashier's checks outstanding	5,081.28
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$851,297.55</b>

State of Oregon, )  
County of Polk, )  
T. C. W. Irvine, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
C. W. IRVINE, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1910.  
B. WILSON, Notary Public.  
CORRECT—Attest: D. W. Sears, H. Hirschberg, Ois D. Butler, Directors.

### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, in the matter of the estate of James T. McClain, deceased.

#### Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that Margaret E. McClain as administratrix of the estate of James T. McClain, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement, and filed in said Court her final account of her administration of said estate; and that Monday, the 1st day of August, 1910, at the hour of 10 a. m. thereof at the County Court room at the County Court house at Dallas, in said County and State, has been duly appointed by said court for the settlement of said final

account, at which time and place any and all objections which may be made to said final account will be heard by said court.

MARGARET E. McCLAIN,

Administratrix of the estate of James T. McClain, deceased. 4-8

### NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Independence, Polk County, Oregon, to be held at the Council Chambers of said City on the 20th day of July, 1910, at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. thereof, the said City of Independence will sell 68 negotiable coupon bonds of said City of the principal amount of \$17,000.00 in the aggregate, as authorized by ordinance No. 116, of said City, entitled "A Bill for an ordinance No. 116. An ordinance authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Independence, Oregon, for the purpose of raising funds for the construction of a system of sewers in said City of Independence, Polk County, Oregon, providing for a 'Sewer fund' for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds and the redemption thereof; declaring an immediate emergency to exist and excepting this ordinance from the effect of the referendum", passed by the City Council of said City on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1910; approved by the Mayor of said City on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1910, and said ordinance took effect and came into full force and effect from and after its approval by said Mayor. Said bonds are in denominations of \$250.00 each, payable 20 years from the 1st day of August, 1910, (with the privilege, optional with said City, of paying said bonds or any thereof at any time after the first day of August, 1915,) and bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually from August 1, 1910, until paid; principal and interest payable at the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, in gold coin, without costs, charge or expense to the purchaser or holder of said bonds. Said bonds will be sold to the highest bidder or bidders therefor, but will not be sold for less than their face value. The said City Council reserves the right to accept bids for any part of said issue of bonds hereby advertised to be sold, if bids for a part only of such bonds be received, and also reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the City Council.

W. S. KURRE,

Recorder of said City. 4-7

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Portland, Oregon.

June 4, 1910.  
Notice is hereby given that William F. Bundy, of Independence, Oregon, who, on March 15, 1904, made Homestead Application No. 15291, Serial, No. 01072, for Lot 2, Section 14, Township 9 South, Range 4 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the County Clerk of Polk County, Oregon, at Dallas, Oregon on the 12th day of July, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: G. W. Wells, C. P. Wells, Richard H. McCarter and Walter Acocks, all of Independence, Oregon. 2-6

CHAS. B. MERRICK, Register.