

## PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Dr. Allin, Dentist, Cooper Bldg. L. Damon was in Salem Thursday.

Rev. Weber was in Salem on business one day this week.

Geo. W. Whiteaker of Salem, was in the city Monday.

Fritz Webber expects to move to Portland next week.

Now is the time to come in and list your farms for sale with the Independence Real Estate Co.

Wm. Dawes, who has been ill for several weeks, is now able to be out and around the streets.

Emerson Groves was up from Salem, last week, where he is attending business college.

Mrs. Sylvia W. McGuire of Portland will delight a large crowd at the M. E. church this evening.

E. C. DeArmon of McMinnville, is in the city in pursuit of land bargains and may decide to locate here soon.

Floyd D. Brown accompanied the basket ball teams to Silverton Saturday and remained a few days with his sister and friends.

The Independence Real Estate Co. believes in printers ink and are revealing results from its use in the Enterprise every day.

The Independence Real Estate Co. sold the W. W. Newton general delivery business this week to E. W. Graves, who took possession at once.

L. V. Baker of Suver, was in the city on business Monday. Mr. Baker recently moved there from Corvallis and embarked in the Blacksmith business.

Mrs. R. E. Morris and her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Smith, each gave birth to a son at the former's home in Dallas one day last week at the same hour.

An interesting game of basket ball is said to have been played at Monmouth Saturday evening between the Dallas and Monmouth teams and victory was won by the former in a score of 21 to 19.

Long & Campbell had expected to abandon the Sunday trips to the Crossing with the Auto stage, but last Sunday there was such a demand that they made one trip. Hereafter, it is understood, the car will not go out on Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Aldrich of Los Angeles, Cal., who has been visiting with Mrs. M. E. Stansberry and other friends in this city for five weeks past, left on the boat Monday for Portland, where she will sail for her southern home.

G. L. Rose sold his 486 bales of hops, last week to Kleber, Wolf & Nelter of Portland, and they were delivered at the warehouse this week. Two hundred sixty bales were from the 1909 crop and the balance were 1910s. It is understood that they sold for 19 cents.

Rev. Sanford Snyder has established quite an extensive poultry business at his park in the north part of the city. He has been devoting considerable time and attention to the flock and is now reaping the reward, bringing eggs to market daily, and receiving fancy prices.

Miss Besale Hartman, Ernest Williams and Marion Butler, comprising a part of the Independence Debating Team, went to Falls City Friday evening and met the team at that place. We were unable to learn full particulars of the debate, but it is understood that the neighbors won the victory.

The Modern Woodmen expect to hold an open meeting one week from Saturday evening when outsiders and friends of the order will be invited to attend and participate in the banquet. At this time the matter of organizing a Royal Neighbor camp will be discussed. The camp will hold a special meeting next Saturday evening to formulate plans for the coming event.

The Rebekah lodge entertained the Odd Fellows and their wives and the Rebekahs and their husbands last Friday evening and it proved to be a very pleasant occasion. A literary program was rendered and an excellent banquet was served. The Independence orchestra furnished the music for the occasion.

Hear the entertainment in the M. E. church this evening.

Mrs. Sylvia McGuire at the M. E. church this evening. Hear her.

Mrs. W. W. Percival was a Dallas visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. T. W. Hart was a Dallas visitor Wednesday.

C. F. Fitchard was in the city Wednesday.

John Stapleton of Portland, was in this city Tuesday.

Bernard Deaton of Portland, was in this place Wednesday.

D. W. Sears of Portland, was in the city the first of the week.

James Stapleton of Vancouver, Wn. was here to attend the funeral of his mother the middle of the week.

Don't fail to attend the entertainment in the Methodist church this evening. It will surely please.

Al Whitney was out early Monday morning with his gun and pet coon, training the animal to hunt.

Miss Marie Byers spent several days this week, with her sister in Monmouth.

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

Mrs. Deaton of Vancouver, Wash., came up Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of her mother.

C. H. Pickens was arrested at Salem Saturday and taken back to Dallas where he is wanted on a charge of forgery.

Mr. Macey, the local manager of the Spaulding Logging Co., returned from a business trip to Portland the first of the week.

Considerable work is being done on the street near Hilliard's blacksmith shop, where a deep fill has been made necessary on account of the new cement walk.

There seems to be more interest in school work here this year than has ever before been manifested. This is certainly encouraging and speaks well for our able corps of instructors.

It is said that the farmers and fruit growers of this vicinity have decided to wrap walnut trees with strong rubber covering to keep jack rabbits from ruining them.

Read in February Sunset Magazine, San Diego—The City of Dreams Come True. Beautifully illustrated in the Streets of San Francisco—Christmas Eve. Now on sale at all news stands 15 cents. 36-37

G. H. Ruof, who has been at Los Angeles, Cal., for two months past having his eyes treated, is expected to arrive home tomorrow. Mrs. Ruof will meet him in Salem.

Mrs. L. H. Fischer and daughter, Louise, of Silverton, visited at the home of Mrs. Henry E. Browne last Sunday, stopping while enroute home from Suver where they have been for several weeks on her farm.

C. W. Purvine is the man to whom Skinner Bros. give thanks for speedy work in getting their boat from the bottom of the Willamette last week. Saturday he put in a new jack-staff and started the steamer in motion.

The following books have recently been added to the Free Public Library of this city: English Prose, The Bishop's Emeralds, Castle Cranecrow, The High School Freshman, The Conquest of Canaan, Hearts and Marks, An Old Sweetheart of Mine, Barbary Sheep, The Castle of Grumpy Grouch.

Gilbert A. Eldridge entertained a large audience at the Star Theatre Wednesday evening and he was most highly appreciated. As an impersonator Mr. Eldridge has few, if any superiors, and probably no one man has ever been more successful in the entertainment of Independence people than was he. This entertainment concludes the series for this season given by the Lyceum Bureau.

Yesterday, according to ancient tradition, was Candlemas Day, or more commonly called, ground hog day, the period of the year when the ground hog is supposed to merge from his hole in the ground and forecast the climatic conditions for the next six weeks. If there is any thing in such a prediction, Oregon will not have an early spring, but it is hardly presumable that an insignificant little ground hog has any knowledge as to what the condition of the weather will be.

Mrs. Ben Whiteaker returned from Portland Monday morning.

Mrs. Hattie Ruof was a Salem visitor last Friday.

Dr. Butler was in Portland the fore part of the week.

A. V. Clay visited his brother in Salem a few days this week.

Mrs. Wm. Ward is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. S. E. Bush was a Portland visitor this week.

Claire Thorp was a business visitor to McMinnville last week.

Mr. Maley of Newport, is in the city this week.

Fritz Webber left Friday morning for Portland.

C. L. Long who has been in a critical condition for more than a week is said to be improving in health.

J. J. Thurston and lady of Suver, were in the city Tuesday and made this office a pleasant call.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red cockrels, also, eggs for setting.—Both Phones.—J. M. Johnson. 36-7.

The ground hog saw his shadow on the 2nd. Six weeks more winter, is it?

County Superintendent of Schools Seymour, came up from Dallas Tuesday.

J. W. Scott, who has been at McMinnville for some time past, has moved to Monmouth.

Special sale on men's shoes. All our Walk Over Shoes, to clean out, Saturday only, February 4, the price \$3.00.—Conkey, Walker & Lehman.

Notwithstanding the heavy fall of rain and snow of the past week, the Willamette has assumed its almost normal winter condition.

The Independence High School Basket Ball team met defeat last Saturday evening at Silverton on the Silverton floor.

Our Walk Over Shoes for men will be cut to \$3.00 a pair Saturday, February 4th.—Conkey, Walker & Lehman.

Peter Cook returned from Portland and Salem the latter part of the preceding week where he had been attending the Grocer's and Hardware Dealers' convention.

Adah Chapter, No. 34, O. E. S. will on February 8, at 8 p. m., receive an official visit from their Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Jennie G. Rinehart. All Stars are requested to be present.

Don't forget the date, Saturday, February 4th, one day only—our big sale on men's shoes—the price that day on Walk Over Shoes will be \$3.00.—Conkey, Walker & Lehman.

Our special sale Saturday, February 4th, will be a great money saver for you all. Our Walk Over Shoes for that day will be \$3.00 per pair.—Conkey, Walker & Lehman.

Compton the Presser, certainly does remove spots of any kind—ink, paint, pitch or grease. Repairing, Cleaning and pressing neatly done. Home phone 7311. ntf.

Dr. Lowe, the well known optician, is again at Independence Hotel and will remain 'til Saturday noon. The Doctor is building up a fine business here. Well, why shouldn't he? He has the skill and ability and his prices for glasses are most reasonable.

The Eastern Star has made arrangements to hold a series of socials for an indefinite period, once a month, at which members of the Star and the Masonic lodge will be present. They met in the first social last Monday evening and it proved to be a very pleasant occasion.

A literary program will be rendered in the Baptist church Friday evening, February 10, at eight o'clock, by the McMinnville College Quartette, assisted by Miss Helen Trew, reader, and Miss Beulah Lynch, soloist. No admission will be charged but silver offering will be taken. All are invited.

A. Wilson made this office his usual call Tuesday. Mr. Wilson was the first subscriber to The Enterprise, he says, and has paid his subscription on his birthday, February 1st, every year since. This year he doubled the price because he happened to call on the editor's wedding anniversary.

T. C. Parker of Folsom, Cal., is visiting at the home of his brother, J. B. Parker. He leaves on the 9th for South Africa, where he has a position at \$300 per month with a mining Co.

On Saturday, February 4th, 1911, there will be a local Teachers, School Officers and Parents meeting held in the New High School Assembly room beginning at 10 a. m. and in the evening Mr. Livingston will lecture. Mr. Livingston was formerly President of the Wisconsin State Normal School but is doing institute work at the present time. He is an excellent lecturer and all the people of Independence are cordially invited to both the Saturday meeting and the lecture in the evening which will be free.

The lecture will be given in the Opera House.

## NOTICE

Valley Lodge No. 42, I. O. O. F. has appointed Mr. W. Huntly, sexton of their I. O. O. F. cemetery. Mr. Huntly is prepared to keep your lot in good condition by the year, at a reasonable price. 36-39.

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## Our Compliments

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