

# You May Admire

The clever advertising that draws you to a store, but you won't go again if the promises made are of the pie crust kind.

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however, the store where promises are more than fulfilled—where you buy groceries and crockery better than you expected and at prices lower than you expected to pay. That's the kind of a store this is. The store of Perfection, Promise and Price.

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I WAS THERE AND THEY HAVE THE FINEST LOT OF HOME MADE CANDIES, AND THEY ALSO HANDLE FACTORY CANDIES, AND CIGARS AND TOBACCOES, AND, SAY, THEY HAVE A FINE LINE OF XMAS BOX GOODS. . . .  
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# Good Luck

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**C. D. THARP** INDEPENDENCE, ORE.  
Phone 721

## Get in the Habit of Trading Here

We make a specialty of fancy groceries—goods with a reputation for quality that please the most exacting taste, and we take special pride in recommending our grocery department to the people of Independence and vicinity. But our efforts to keep our GROCERY DEPARTMENT in the front ranks have been no greater than have been our efforts to make every department of the store just right. If you are not in the habit of making this establishment your shopping headquarters, get in the habit.

# Drexler & Alexander

INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.



LET US URGE YOU to give our meats a fair trial. We have your best interests at heart as well as our own, for we cannot hope to hold you as our customer if we do not please you with our wares and our treatment. We aim to serve each patron alike, whether the orders come large or small. We have one quality—the best; one price—the lowest consistent with such quality. Call or phone. Either way, you'll be treated right.

J. C. YOUNG, Proprietor.

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From Independence to Dallas.  
Train No. 66 leaves Independence daily at 2:30 p. m. and Monmouth at 2:40 p. m. and arrives at Dallas at 3:05 p. m.  
Train No. 64 leaves Independence daily at 6:15 a. m. and Monmouth at 6:30 a. m. and arrives at Dallas at 7:00 a. m.  
Train No. 68 leaves Independence at 10:50 a. m., Monmouth at 11:05 a. m., and arrives at Dallas at 11:30 a. m.  
Train No. 70 leaves Independence at 6:15 p. m. and Monmouth at 6:30 p. m., and arrives at Dallas at 6:55 p. m.  
From Independence to Airtle.  
Train No. 61 leaves Independence at 6:30 a. m. and Monmouth at 6:45 a. m., and arrives at Airtle at 7:20 a. m.  
Train No. 73 leaves Independence at 3:35 p. m. and Monmouth at 4:10 p. m., and arrives at Airtle at 4:45 p. m.  
From Dallas to Independence.  
Train No. 73 leaves Dallas daily at 3:30 p. m. and Monmouth at 3:55 p. m.  
Train No. 65 leaves Dallas daily at 8:30 a. m. and Monmouth at 8:55 a. m. and arrives at Independence at 9:15 a. m.  
Train No. 69 leaves Dallas daily at 1:00 p. m. and Monmouth at 1:25 p. m. and arrives at Independence at 1:40 p. m.  
Train No. 71 leaves Dallas daily at 7:20 p. m. and Monmouth at 7:45 p. m., and arrives at Independence at 8:05 p. m.  
From Airtle to Independence.  
Train No. 62 leaves Airtle daily at 7:30 a. m. and Monmouth at 8:05 a. m., and arrives at Independence at 8:15 a. m.  
Train No. 72 leaves Airtle daily at 5:00 p. m. and Monmouth at 5:35 a. m., and arrives at Independence at 6:45 p. m.  
From Independence to West Salem.  
Train No. 124 leaves Independence daily at 8:20 a. m. and arrives at West Salem at 9:00 a. m.  
Train No. 126 leaves Independence at 4:05 p. m. and arrives at West Salem at 4:45 p. m.  
From West Salem to Independence.  
Train No. 123 leaves West Salem daily at 9:50 a. m. and arrives at Independence at 10:25 a. m.  
Train No. 125 leaves West Salem daily at 5:00 p. m. and arrives at Independence at 5:40 p. m.

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ALL CEMETERY WORK.  
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## TARIFF QUESTION IS POSTPONED

### President Would Leave Issue for New Congress.

### Greater Navy Advised—Autonomy for Philippines Opposed—Currency Reform.

**FEATURES OF MESSAGE.**  
President Taft's principal recommendations in his message to congress were:  
The plan of currency reform outlined by the monetary commission.  
Amendment of the law to lessen the penalty when corporations inadvertently disobey the corporation tax law.  
Congressional approval of plan of army reorganization prepared by the war college last spring.  
The passage of the military pay bill increasing compensation to militia in the field.  
Citizenship without statehood for Porto Rico.  
Regulation of water power grants so that navigable streams might be improved by water power companies.  
Elevation of Colonel Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, to a major generalship.  
A return to the policy of two battleships a year by the appropriations for three battleships this year.  
Authority to the United States Supreme court to make rules of procedure in common law cases in Federal court to expedite and lessen the cost of litigation.  
He disapproves the following:  
Autonomy and independence in eight years for the Philippines.  
Amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law.  
The president made no recommendations for tariff revision, saying he would leave that subject to the incoming congress.

Washington, D. C.—President Taft will make no further effort to have congress reduce the tariff. In a "general" message to congress the president clearly indicated his intention of leaving further tariff revision to Wilson and the congress just elected.  
"Now that a new congress has been elected on a platform of tariff for revenue only rather than a protective tariff and is to revise the tariff on that basis," said the president, "it is needless for me to occupy the time of congress with arguments or recommendations in favor of a protective tariff."  
This message, the second submitted by the president since the present session began, will be his last of a general character. It dealt with every department of the government except the State department, recommended much of the legislation which the president previously had urged upon the attention of congress, and took up and discussed at length several subjects comparatively new.

**Rayner Leaves Million.**  
Baltimore—The value of the estate of the late Senator Rayner will approximate \$1,000,000. This will be shown when the senator's will is filed next week for probate. The property is divided equally between the widow and the son, William B. Rayner, a portion being left in trust. The senator left to the widow and son the right to make such charitable bequests as they may see fit, saying in the body of the will that their judgment would enable them to act in accordance with what would have been his ideas.

**Storm Sweeps Great Lakes.**  
Chicago—A raging sea, with treacherous squalls and shifting winds, imperiled several lake boats bound for Chicago Saturday and swept away the last vestige of hope that the three-masted schooner Rouse Simmons and its cargo of Christmas trees would sail safely into Chicago's harbor with its hardy crew of 16 men. The roaring waters were driven by a 50-mile gale that first burst upon Lake Michigan in all its fury from the northwest.

**Illiteracy Test Favored.**  
Washington, D. C.—Early action in the house on the Burnett immigration bill, presenting an illiteracy test, is predicted by Chairman Burnett, of the immigration committee, who announced that the rules committee was prepared to bring in a special rule under which the bill could be passed, when it would not interfere with appropriation bills. He asserted that at least 250 members of the house were pledged to vote for the measure.

**Wolves Attack Cattle.**  
Steamboat Springs, Colo.—Heavy snows and extreme cold have driven packs of gray wolves out of the timber and many cattle are falling victims to their attacks. Cattle men have offered bounties for wolf scalps in addition to those offered by the county and state. It was 29 degrees below zero here Saturday night.

**Nebraska Women Busy.**  
Omaha—The Nebraska Woman Suffrage association has decided to petition for a submission to the people of a constitutional amendment providing for woman suffrage. The petition will require 22,000 signatures and a committee was appointed to start work on it.

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