

THE CITY

Mrs. Goff is said to be falling rapidly. L. G. Reeves has purchased the Wm. Lawton property on Fifth and G. Streets. Attorney Swope was in Portland Monday on business connected with a foreclosure suit. A sister of Attorney Barrick's was over from Salem a few days last week doing some typewriting for him. J. G. McIntosh had occasion to be in Dallas Wednesday, being summoned as a witness in the Circuit Court. Mrs. L. Bogan expects to leave in a few days for California where she will remain indefinitely with her sister. The Klouse Thilicums were pleasantly entertained last evening at the Carbray home. The usual good time was enjoyed. Sam Hanna attended the Farmers' week meeting at O. A. C. He says that over 1600 farmers were registered, and the meeting has proved very profitable to the farmers. Miss Pearl Smith, a former teacher in the schools here, after passing the holidays with her mother, returned to Corvallis Sunday evening. She is now teaching in the schools of that city. Five drunks were incarcerated in the Polk county bastille in Dallas during the year 1916 against 31 for the year 1915. The elimination of the saloon is given the credit for the decrease. Rev. Tapscott, formerly pastor of the Baptist church in this city, is assisting in a revival meeting at the Calvary Baptist church in Portland. After his engagement in Portland he will go to Vancouver, B. C. on a similar mission. The "Messiah's Advent" the Xmas cantata as presented in Dallas recently, was repeated in this city in the Methodist church Wednesday evening under the direction of D. V. Boling. The entertainment was well patronized and gave entire satisfaction. Divorces are increasing more rapidly than marriages in Yamhill county. In 1914 the ratio was one divorce to each 2.98 marriages, in 1915 this was increased to one divorce for each 2.87 marriage, and in 1916, when there were 191 divorces granted and only 429 marriage licenses issued, the proportion was one divorce for each 2.25 marriages. A GOOD POSITION—The passage of the 8 hour law by congress has created a big demand for telegraph operators, both in railway and commercial service. Young men and young women can obtain positions at \$75 to \$80 per month. Write for full particulars to the Railway Telegraph Inst., Portland, Ore. 23-1f Edward Whitcraft and wife of Great Falls, Montana, are in the city the guests of H. Dadman and wife. Mrs. Dadman being a sister to Mr. Whitcraft's. The latter is here looking over the country with a view of locating, as the long severe cold winters has impaired his health. He is much impressed with the Oregon climate. Under the "Bone Dry" law the genius of the Portland bootlegger will be pitted against the county and city officials of that county and city in an effort to serve his customers. Already the devices of the bootleggers are causing the officials much worry and when the new law, taking away the privilege of shipping in a few drams, is put in force that particular section of the state known as north Portland, will reveal many geniuses in the ways of getting booze to their customers regardless of the law.—Lebanon Criterian.

A young lady "with money to burn" doesn't have to look for matches. Oran Dadman returned to O. A. C. after passing the holidays with the folks at home. Why should soldiers be rather tired on the first day of April. Because they have just had a March of thirty-one days. A pound is "an almighty dollar" to an Englishman, a unit of weight to a grocer, a black eye to a fighter and the Last Days of Pompeii to a stray dog. Earnest Miller and wife, of Corvallis, returned home Sunday evening after a week-end visit with Grant McLaughlin and family. Mrs. Miller is a sister of Mr. McLaughlin's. Mr. and Mrs. Virgin went to Suver Sunday evening to partake of a wild duck feast with Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood. Mr. Wood having bagged a good supply for a good feast. Mrs. Ely Fluke and her son, who are both confined in the Salem hospital, are said to be improving nicely. WANTED TO RENT a medium size ranch, one with machinery preferred. Address H. SAUER, Independence. Mrs. Nat Withers underwent an operation at one of the Portland hospitals this week. From reports she is getting along nicely. The Grand Worthy Matron will visit Adah Chapter No. 34 on next Friday evening, January 19th. A good attendance is requested. Independence High School met their second defeat Wednesday evening in the local gem. Bell Fountain taking their scalps by a score of 20 to 21. A. E. Tulley, sanitary inspector of hotels and restaurants, was in the city Wednesday. He reports the Beaver Hotel the best kept place in the valley of its kind. J. E. Dickson is still agent for the Oregon Nursery Company and if you are in need of any loganberry plants, prune or peach trees, or any ornament shrubbery, you'll save money by seeing him. Take advantage of the January Clearance Sale now going on at Eddy & Carbray's. The goods are moving fast and many are taking advantage of this big inducement sale. You may need something—better hurry. IT COULDN'T BE DONE. Somebody said that it couldn't be done, But he with a chuckle replied, That "maybe it couldn't," but he would be one Who couldn't say so till he tried. So he buckled right in, with a trace of a grin, On his face. It he worried he hid it. He started to sing as he tackled the thing That couldn't be done—and he did it. Somebody scoffed: "Oh you'll never do that— At least no one ever has done it." But he took off his coat and he took off his hat, And the first thing we knew he'd begun it. With a lift of his chin and a bit of a grin, Without any doubting or quitting; He started to sing as he tackled the thing That couldn't be done and he did it. There are thousands who tell you it cannot be done, There are thousands who prophecy failure; There are thousands to point out to you one by one, The dangers that wait to assail you; But just buckle in with a bit of a grin, Then take off your coat and go to it. Just start in to sing as you tackle the thing That "cannot be done"—and you'll do it. H. L. FITCHARD has taken the Agency for the celebrated DELEO ELECTRIC LIGHTING PLANTS—the only safe system now in use.

A fine good looking boy came yesterday to claim his home for twenty-one years with Dr. and Mrs. Grider. Paul Bickley is now traveling with a wholesale grocery firm, having resigned his position with Conkey and Walker. Fresh Vegetables and Fruits Always on hand in season. Calbreath & Jones. Mrs. Ely Fluke and her son, who are both confined in the Salem hospital, are said to be improving nicely. WANTED TO RENT a medium size ranch, one with machinery preferred. Address H. SAUER, Independence. Mrs. Nat Withers underwent an operation at one of the Portland hospitals this week. From reports she is getting along nicely. The Grand Worthy Matron will visit Adah Chapter No. 34 on next Friday evening, January 19th. A good attendance is requested. Independence High School met their second defeat Wednesday evening in the local gem. Bell Fountain taking their scalps by a score of 20 to 21. A. E. Tulley, sanitary inspector of hotels and restaurants, was in the city Wednesday. He reports the Beaver Hotel the best kept place in the valley of its kind. J. E. Dickson is still agent for the Oregon Nursery Company and if you are in need of any loganberry plants, prune or peach trees, or any ornament shrubbery, you'll save money by seeing him. Take advantage of the January Clearance Sale now going on at Eddy & Carbray's. The goods are moving fast and many are taking advantage of this big inducement sale. You may need something—better hurry. IT COULDN'T BE DONE. Somebody said that it couldn't be done, But he with a chuckle replied, That "maybe it couldn't," but he would be one Who couldn't say so till he tried. So he buckled right in, with a trace of a grin, On his face. It he worried he hid it. He started to sing as he tackled the thing That couldn't be done—and he did it. Somebody scoffed: "Oh you'll never do that— At least no one ever has done it." But he took off his coat and he took off his hat, And the first thing we knew he'd begun it. With a lift of his chin and a bit of a grin, Without any doubting or quitting; He started to sing as he tackled the thing That couldn't be done and he did it. There are thousands who tell you it cannot be done, There are thousands who prophecy failure; There are thousands to point out to you one by one, The dangers that wait to assail you; But just buckle in with a bit of a grin, Then take off your coat and go to it. Just start in to sing as you tackle the thing That "cannot be done"—and you'll do it. H. L. FITCHARD has taken the Agency for the celebrated DELEO ELECTRIC LIGHTING PLANTS—the only safe system now in use.

Dr. L. E. BARRICK, Dentist, Office in Cooper Building, Phone Main 7821, Independence, Oregon. Misses Dorothy Childs and Frances Eaton returned to O. A. C. after passing the holidays with the folks at home. Mrs. Willard Craven and son left Monday morning for Los Angeles, California, Mrs. Craven's uncle Mr. Taylor, is said to be very poorly. The Kensington's met with Mrs. R. Coffey on last Friday afternoon. A pleasant social afternoon was spent. A feature of the meeting was a remembrance from Mrs. Behrens of Colorado to each one of the members. John Dickinson, who has been confined to his home for several weeks with a touch of LaGrippe, was able to be down town this week, a little bit "shaky, but still in the ring." Mr. Dickinson says he'll be in good trim for a foot race with anyone on the Fourth of July.

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A NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION

"John Dear! Let us make one good New Year's resolution today." "What is it, Mary?" "Let us resolve to be a month ahead instead of a month behind in our bills. And I know where we can save a great deal of money by paying for what we buy when we get it." "Where, Mary?" "Why, at Fluke & Johnson's, of course on C street."

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL BANK Charter No. 3979 Independence, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business December 27th, 1916. RESOURCES: Cash and discounts (except those shown on bond and c) \$160,013.75; Total Loans 160,013.75; Total U. S. Bonds 12,500.00; Total bonds, securities, etc. \$23,213.70; Total of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription) 1,950.00; Total of bank house (if unencumbered) 15,600.00; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures 15,600.00; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 4,000.00; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 8,615.00; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 2,214.64; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 83,674.08; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 2,715.17; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 800.99; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 626.22; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 243.38; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 160.00; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 160.00; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 27,665.46; Total of bank house, furniture and fixtures, state owned other than banking house 625.00; Total \$344,810.84. LIABILITIES: Total stock paid in \$50,000.00; Total stock paid in 15,000.00; Total stock paid in 19,113.82; Total stock paid in 10,256.15; Total stock paid in 8,857.67; Total stock paid in 12,000.00; Total stock paid in 138,341.79; Total stock paid in 14,039.72; Total stock paid in 2,948.27; Total stock paid in 974.41; Total stock paid in 156,304.19; Total stock paid in 86,348.98; Total stock paid in 86,348.98; Total stock paid in 16,500.00; Total \$344,810.84.

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