

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

M. Kirkland is reported as being seriously ill.

Lizzie Sullivan spent several days with friends this week near...

we go to press we learn that daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave... passed away this morning... Dallas hospital.

W. Beckett, who served two... as county commissioner of... county, died at his home in Sa... last Saturday from pneumonia. Illness was of short duration.

Loy Gladys Sloper, the twelve... old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G... Sloper, died on Thursday after... February 19th. She had been... for health for a long time and... parents did everything in the way... treatment from the best physici... The funeral services will be... from the residence on Saturday... at 11 o'clock, Dr. Dunsmore... ting.

W. R. C. had on Lincoln's birth... or their chicken dinner about 80... bers, visitors and neighbors. The... given by Attorney Fletcher... very interesting. The program... also very fine. Hoping all mem... be present on Saturday, Febru... which is our regular meeting... Meeting will start at 1.30 p. m... O. Powell, of Monmouth, will be... candidate for the Republican nom... for State representative from... county according to a letter rec... from him by the Enterprise.

The First National Bank at Mon... was entered by robbers some... last Monday night and the lock... of the vault doors blow open... \$1500 in bonds stolen together... some silverware which had been... in the vault by a local citizen... safe keeping. The work was ac... lished without disturbing the ci... of the town and the first intli... the bank officials had of the... was when the cashier arrived... the bank Tuesday morning to open... place for the day's business. The... had no clue which the robbers... behind to work on and no doubt... made their get-away quietly in... automobile.

Ira Mix is sporting about with a fine new Vellie.

Mrs. Reynolds is numbered among the sick this week.

H. E. Dunkell is up and around again after a siege of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Wingard of Independence are registered at the Hotel Portland.

Mrs. Earnest Townsend, of Portland, was in the city a few days this week.

What Independence needs is more competition in business. Then you'll notice a little more "pep".

A Valentine program was given by the various grades at the public schools on last Friday afternoon which was very good.

There will be another change in business circles in Independence according to our informant, next month when invoicing will commence.

John Cooper, who has been in Arizona for some time in the hopes of benefitting his health, arrived home Tuesday and will remain here for some time. He is much improved.

Sam Cox, of Oregon City, who is now interested in a bowling works in that city, was in town Saturday on business. Sam says that Mr. Ferris whose death was reported in the Enterprise last week did not commit suicide as first published in the papers, but that his death was the result of embibing too much hair tonic.

The Knights of Pythias assisted by the Pythian Sisters celebrated the fifty-sixth anniversary of the founding of the K. of P. lodge in the United States, on Monday evening at their hall. Invitations were sent out and the attendance was quite large. Attorney Barrick in a pleasing talk narrated the history of the order from its first inception and its rapid growth throughout the United States paying a tribute to its founder. A splendid program was given consisting of solos and instrumental music, which proved very pleasing to all. Miss Arbutnot gave two readings that was amusing and humorous, causing many a good laugh. After the program was concluded, dainty refreshments were served, after which all left for their homes, feeling that they had been well repaid for accepting the invitation and hospitality of the Knights of Pythias.

M. Metler is reported to be quite sick.

M. Merwin of Portland, was in the city Saturday on business.

Mr. Kelley is numbered among the La Grippe victims this week.

Dr. C. P. Fryer, well known in this city, is now located at Maitland, Mo., in general practice.

Mis Gladys Childs, who teaches in the Salem Schools, is at the home of her mother quite sick.

Mrs. E. L. Smith, of Cordova, Alaska, is in the city making relatives and friends a visit of several weeks.

J. W. Bewley, who is working in the railroad machine shops in Portland, came home Saturday for a Sunday visit with his family.

Loren Steptoe, came in the first of the week and will remain here this summer with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Steptoe on Route one.

Mrs. H. A. Childs received a telegram Friday from Lenox, Iowa, of the death of her niece. Pneumonia or influenza was the cause of her death.

We heard a merchant say the other day that Independence did not need a canery—or saw mill—as it would only bring in competition. His place in life is in the cemetery.

Richard Gains, of Salem, was in town several days this week calling on friends. Dick has had a long siege of sickness but being of a nervous temperament, is hard to keep down long. This was his first visit in this city in several months.

The fifty-sixth anniversary of the K. P. lodge was appropriately celebrated by the local lodge at their hall on Monday evening. Invitations were sent out to the members and their families and a large number were present to enjoy the program. Light refreshments was also served.

Tuesday daily papers in Portland contained a lengthy account of the killing of Mrs. Russell Clark by her husband. The Clark's were former residents of this city and the sad tragedy came as a great surprise to everyone that knew them in this city. They lived here about five years ago.

Sheriff Orr was in town Friday. He will again seek the republican nomination for sheriff, and we believe, the field will be entirely to himself, as he has made an excellent official.

The little child of Mrs. Taylor was taken to the baby hospital in Portland by Dr. Hewitt last week. The little one is four or five months old and has been quite poorly, gaining but very little in strength since being born.

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Independence is to have another drug store according to dame rumor. A gentleman was here also this week looking over the field with a view of putting in a general line, including men's and boys clothing. Independence is destined to become a flourishing town, and competition will put more "pep" into business.

Verd Hill was served with papers in a divorce suit of his wife, Frances E. Hill, Sheriff Orr coming over and served the papers on Mr. Hill, who will have to go to Linn county. The feature of the case that will attract much attention is that both parties are well known in both counties. Mrs. Hill's charges in complaint that her husband is wealthy and she is entitled to \$20,000 alimony, one-third interest in real property said to be worth \$15,000, the sum of \$50 a month for the support of their two-year old child, \$1,500 for court costs and maintenance during the trial, and \$500 for attorney's fees. Mrs. Hill left Independence a little more than a year ago and went to the home of her parents at Albany. Her maiden name was Miss Frances E. Helmick. Having established a residence there she sues in Linn county, which will make it necessary for Mr. Hill to go there to defend.

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