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BUSINESS CARDS.

DRS. LEE & HABBITT.—Physicians and Surgeons. Special attention paid to diseases of women. Office over Independence National Bank. J. Lee, M. D., W. Habbitt, M. D. C. M., Fellow Trinity medical college.

E. L. KETCHUM, M. D.—OFFICE and residence, corner Railroad and Monmouth streets, Independence, Oregon.

E. M. GRAVES.—D. D. S., UNIVERSITY of Michigan graduate. Dental parlors over Independence National Bank, Independence, Oregon.

H. C. EPLEY.—DENTIST, Monmouth, All work warranted.

GEO. A. SMITH.—ATTORNEY-at-Law. Office over Independence National Bank, Independence, Or.

J. H. FRAZER.—DENTIST, Wat house building, College street, Monmouth, Ore.

W. A. VAN NORTWICK.—INDEPENDENT barber. Two chairs. Shaving 15c. Baths 25c. Razors honed on short notice. Next door to First National bank, Independence.

BASH and DOORS.—We carry a full stock of Sash, Doors, Mouldings, Glass, Etc. Turning a specialty. At Mitchell & Robinson's, Main street.

JAMES FLOYD.—Plastering and Brick Work of all kinds done on short notice and warranted satisfactory. Address Monmouth, Or.

E. T. HENKLE.—THE TONSORIAL ARTIST. Has no superior in Shaving and Hair-cutting. Give him your work. Shaving 15c, Hair-cutting 25c, Baths 25c. Main street, Independence.

J. D. IRVINE. Justice of the Peace, INDEPENDENCE, ORE. Writes Insurance and makes Collections a specialty.

ZINA J. ZINN. Boston Coffee House, Main Street, opposite Vanduy's, Independence, Ore.

LOO'S Chop-House Is the best place in Independence to get a good meal at all hours on short notice. Fresh oysters always on hand. Private room for ladies. DAVIDSON BUILDING, MAIN ST.

Pipes If you smoke come and inspect our line of pipes and tobacco. They are quite choice and very reasonable.

P. C. PATTERSON We are offering fresh candies and nuts at as low a price as we possibly can. Sample our different kinds.

Sealed Bids. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will receive sealed bids for 100 cords of red fir split wood four feet long. The wood to be delivered at the Independence public school building. Said bids to be received not later than 7:30 p. m. December 21, 1894. The school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The wood must be delivered on or before September 1, 1895.

J. D. IRVINE, Clerk School District, No. 29. Dated Nov. 28, 1894.

All Free Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised Druggist and get a Trial Bottle, Free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills Free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, Free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing at any Drug Store.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE. Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS.

O. A. Kramer.—Jeweler. Strong's bread at the Star Grocery. Hay wanted on trade by Strong, the baker.

Communicator, comunitor, comutator—which? J. F. Groves, of Dallas, was in the city Saturday.

Everything goes at the Star Grocery. They sell as cheap as the cheapest. A 20 acre hop farm near the city for sale or trade. Inquire of Clodfelder Bros.

Marshal Tupper sold an impounded horse for one dollar at public auction Monday.

Rev. O. B. Whitmore will conduct services in the Congregational church next Sunday evening.

A few chords of that 10c music will make a very highly appreciated Xmas gift, at Clodfelder Bros.

8 per cent money to loan on farm security. Loans made quick. G. W. Wright, Dallas, Oregon.

Mrs. Edna Newby, of Amity, who has been visiting at R. J. Wilson's, returned home Saturday.

Tickets 63, 23, 10, and 27 in series D, E, F and G respectively, are some of the winners at Clodfelder Bros.

The Independence City Band will give a grand ball on New Year's eve. Only one dollar a couple. Don't forget it.

Grand New Year's ball on Monday evening, December 31, 1894. Supper at the City restaurant at 50 cents a couple.

Grandpa McQuery has bought the Bagley property adjoining Dr. Ketchum's on Railroad street, and is having the house remodeled inside.

A fine assortment of Christmas presents in the line of ladies' and gents' easy chairs, children's chairs and elegant furniture goods at E. B. Berg's, corner C and Main streets.

The notice of David R. Lewis' death came in too late last week for publication. All articles of length should reach this office as early as Tuesday to insure publication.

"We'll dance all night 'til broad daylight and take the girls home in the morning" at the opera house on New Year's eve. Under the auspices of the Independence City band.

The provident man always wants to save money and all good husbands desire to save their wives needless work. They can do both by purchasing a Singer sewing machine of E. B. Berg.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Presbyterian church, in this city, on Christmas eve. Presents must be brought in as early as 3 o'clock p. m., on the 24th. A very pleasant and interesting time is anticipated.

The steamer Altona is preparing for an active season's run this winter and spring. Captain Graham is one of the most popular masters that ever run a craft on the Willamette river and he is certain to secure a large share of public favors.

We regret that the wedding notice of I. C. Powell and Miss Butler reached us too late in the day last Thursday for publication. The ENTERPRISE acknowledges the receipt of some delicious wedding cake as a memento of the happy occasion.

Mr. Anson, superintendent of the Salem electric light plant, and the Misses Stella and Pearl Skiff visited Professor Little's dancing school at this place Tuesday evening. The professor is making a brilliant success of his school, and a large attendance was present.

All those who desire a knowledge of stenography and typewriting would do well to see or communicate with Miss Cora Goodwin, Independence, Or. Now is your opportunity to acquire this very useful study in a short time and at reasonable rates. Private lessons given if desired.

Save your wife the hard work of preparing a Christmas dinner, by dining at the City Restaurant on that day. They are preparing a turkey dinner for that occasion which they will serve for 25 cents. Call early and reserve a table for your family and friends. Dinner from 12 to 3 o'clock, p. m.

Frank J. Smith, general agent for the steamer Altona line, was in town Monday looking after the company's interests. Mr. Smith gave the ENTERPRISE office a pleasant call and explained that he was arranging to have freight delivered at any point within reach of the river. He will deliver freight to Dallas via the river traffic.

George Brunk, of Idaho, is visiting his invalid father, Harrison Brunk. Mr. Brunk is an extensive stock dealer. He drives his stock as far north as the Northwest territory for pasturage in the summer season and again comes over the line into Idaho before winter comes on. Mr. Brunk will return to Idaho again in a few days.

When the Oregonian attempts to drive the free silver Republicans out of the party it should remember the freetrade policies of that sheet on former occasions. The Oregonian has bolted against republican principles more frequently than any other republican newspaper on the coast, and it never has a good word to say for the old soldiers. When it succeeds in bouncing the free silver voters and old soldiers from the party the republican vote in Oregon will be rather slim.—Dallas Itemizer.

Engage your Christmas turkey at the Star. Judge Hurley was again called over to Dallas on legal business Monday. Charlie Staats informs us that he will act as local agent for the steamer Altona, at this place.

The Dallas Observer has changed its publication day from Thursday to Friday, and don't reach here until Saturday morning.

Sheriff Plummer was in the city Friday afternoon. He seemed full of business and had only time to nod his head and say "How'dy."

F. E. Shafer will sell you the best of hand made harness as cheap as you can buy factory made ones. Every article he sells is guaranteed. See him about it.

We glean the following item from the "skillfully edited" column "of the best paper?" Will H. Parry, a former Polk county editor, is now city comptroller of Seattle.

Marsh Green, of Newport, is visiting at his uncle's, J. S. Bohannon, of this city. Marsh's boyhood days were passed here in Independence. He has now just reached his 21st year.

The Baptist Sunday school will give a Christmas tree festival at the Baptist church in this city on Christmas eve. The public is cordially invited to participate in the exercises.

The tailorshop, C street, is the cheapest place in the city for clothing, workmanship and material considered. We will prove it to you if you will call—it will be no trouble.

Rev. D. B. Whitmore has been engaged as pastor of the Congregational church of this city. Rev. Mr. Whitmore will make his home in Independence and expects his family here in a few days.

Miss Eva Robertson, who has been visiting among friends in this city for several days, returned to her home in Portland Monday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. H. Craven, of this city.

John Young has traded his city property in second ward to Ira S. Smith for a part of F. A. Patterson's old farm about four miles north of town. Mr. Young will not remove from town until next fall.

Rev. K. H. Siskafoose will begin a revival meeting at the Christian church in this city about January 1st. Rev. Mr. Siskafoose is a fluent and forcible speaker and he is sure to awaken a religious interest in the community.

A number of Monmouth and Independence ladies visited the Rebekah degree installation at Corvallis last Saturday evening. They report a fine meeting and speak in high terms of the hospitality shown them by the Corvallis lodge.

You want to purchase candles and confectioneries for the holidays. In making your selections remember that a good article is cheaper than a cheap one. The Bon Bon has a large stock of the best candles on the market, which it is selling as low as it possibly can.

Rev. D. V. Poling, of the Congregational church, and family, are living in one of Mr. A. B. Woodin's cottages and are well pleased with Albany. The people of Independence, where they formerly lived, speak in the highest terms of them.—Albany Herald.

F. H. Wakefield, of the Dalles, was in the city the latter part of last week. He is assessor of Wasco county, and came down to attend the assessors' convention. Mr. Wakefield was a former resident of Polk county. He used to own the J. W. Masterson farm south of Monmouth.

In last week's issue we erroneously reported that J. H. Hawley was the heaviest taxpayer in Monmouth precinct. We learn from the list published in the Itemizer that Lewis Helmick is that distinction. He pays on \$28,005. C. E. Stump comes second with \$18,117, and B. F. Whiteaker third, \$16,556.

The Itemizer says: "The editor who allows his friends to run his paper is apt to make a botch of it." That's a fact, Bro. Wash, and so is the editor "apt to make a botch of it" who indiscriminately prints all the "stuff" that is sent him for publication. To borrow a phrase from old Nick Whiffles it takes "caution and savvy" to run a live local newspaper.

The Linn County Review has made its appearance upon our editorial table. This paper is published at Harrisburg, Or., by Messrs. LeMasters & Cartwright. It is independent in politics and is a seven column, folio, runs a patent outside, but gives promise of being a live local paper. We believe that it is located in a good field and the ENTERPRISE wishes it well.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Yamhill County Reporter, says that "J. B. Ford is now editor of the Independence ENTERPRISE." The Reporter has our middle initial wrong. The error is unimportant so far as the editor of this paper is concerned, but there happens to be a J. B. Ford in this city who does not consider it a compliment to have his name heralded abroad as editor of a democratic paper.

The Willamette valley is as desirable a home as any other section in the world and Polk county is one of the very best in the state. We cannot all make fortunes, but all who are possessed of reasonable industry and economy ought to wish fair luck, make at least a good living. There is no need of any of our citizens going hungry or staying down to bed rock financially if they will only rustle around, keep at work and use economy in all things.—Dallas Itemizer.

Rev. Mr. Cowden, of Tacoma, was visiting over Sunday night at Dr. S. A. Mulkey's in this city. The reverend gentleman preached in Rev. J. N. Smith's pulpit at Monmouth on Sunday morning.

T. W. Estes, one of our best known citizens, left for the Puget Sound country last Monday. He will probably visit Tacoma, Seattle, Port Angeles and other points. If Mr. Estes finds a location to suit him he may make the Sound country his future home.

New Year's Ball.—The Independence City band will give a New Year's ball at the opera house in this city on Monday evening, December 31, 1894. Music will be furnished by Prof. N. S. Butler's orchestra and the Independence City band. The committee is J. S. Talbot, Chas. Staats, Byron Adkins and E. J. Grubb. It is the committee's intention to make this dance the biggest social event of the season. Every effort will be made to make it "out of sight" socially, "a thing of beauty" and a pleasant, genteel amusement. The ball is given in the interest of the City band, to assist in raising the necessary funds to defray legitimate expenses, etc. A thoroughly organized band is a necessity in every well ordered community, and the Independence City band is worthy the patronage of the people of this community. It is a credit to the city and is developing fair talent in its line. Its membership is composed of the best element among our young men who feel a pride in the material growth and social progress of the city. Let us all, who conscientiously can do so, come out and give the band boys "a lift." Tickets on sale at \$1.00 per couple. Spectators will be charged 25 cents each.

Mammoth Hardware Co. It will, perhaps, be news to the people of Independence and vicinity to learn that Messrs. J. R. Baldwin, M. P. Baldwin, S. B. Baldwin and R. H. Wilcox have formed a co-partnership for the purpose of engaging in the hardware and implement trade in this city under the firm name of the "Mammoth Hardware Company." These gentlemen expect to be ready for business early in the month of January. We understand they have already engaged a suitable location, although this fact is not yet public property.

Messrs. J. R. Baldwin and R. H. Wilcox have had large experience in the hardware business in the East, so we are informed, and their personal knowledge of the wants of the agricultural class in this country will be of service to them in the line of business in which they propose engaging.

The members of this new firm are no strangers to this community. They rank among our foremost citizens, and by their personal bearing and fair dealing with all men they have gained the confidence and esteem of the people. Rev. J. R. Baldwin was pastor of the First Baptist church of this city for a year or more and his strong personality made itself felt for good in the community. Since retiring from the pastorate of the Baptist congregation he has made his home in this city. Messrs. H. R. Wilcox and M. P. Baldwin were engaged in the grocery business here for several years and they are recognized as competent business men of integrity and character. S. B. Baldwin has been a resident of this city for several years and is respected by everyone as a high minded and courteous gentleman. The Mammoth Hardware Company is a strong firm.

BORN.

SCOTT.—In Independence, Or., to the wife of M. D. Scott, an 8 pound daughter, Sunday, December 16, 1894.

LANE.—In Independence, Or., to the wife of David Lane, an 11 pound son, Sunday, December 16, 1894.

MARRIED.

POWELL-BUTLER.—At the residence of Hon. I. F. M. Butler, in Monmouth, Or., Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, 1894, Ira Clinton Powell and Miss Lena Geneva Butler, Rev. B. F. Bonnell officiating. The gallant groom is the son of Hon. F. S. Powell, of Monmouth, and is recognized as one of Polk county's rising young men. He is the gentlemanly and efficient cashier of the Polk County bank at Monmouth. The fair bride is the daughter of Douglas Butler, of California, and grand-daughter of Hon. I. F. M. Butler.

The wedding ceremony was one of the most brilliant social events of the season. Only a limited number of relatives and friends were present at the nuptial ceremony. The parlor was beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums and smilax. The bridal couple stood under a beautiful arch composed of white chrysanthemums with a wedding bell suspended from the center of the arch. The bride was costumed in a gown of heavy cream silk trimmed in lace and lilies of the valley. A flowing bridal veil enveloped the bride's rich costume, a wreath of white rosebuds graced her brow and she carried in her hand a bouquet of white roses and her mother's bridal handkerchief. The maid of honor, Miss Lottie Ground, cousin of the bride, wore a cream silk decorated with pink roses. J. F. Powell, brother of the groom, acted as "best man" of the occasion. Miss Bessie Butler, cousin of the bride, was organist and played Mendelssohn's wedding march as the bridal pair marched slowly under the nuptial arch. Rev. B. F. Bonnell performed a very impressive ceremony. A rich and bounteous supper was served

the guests immediately following the marriage ceremony. The happy couple were the recipients of a number of beautiful and costly presents from friends, both present and absent. Some of the most beautiful floral decorations were sent by friends from San Jose, Cal.

After supper a pleasant social hour was spent in mutual congratulations and all joined in wishing the young couple many happy returns of their wedding anniversary which gave such rich promise of a happy and useful career.

DIED.

LEWIS.—At the asylum in Salem, Or., December 8, 1894, David R. Lewis, age 81 years.

The deceased was a prominent citizen of Polk county, who emigrated to this coast in 1845. He located a donation land claim on the Luckiamute, where the townsite of Lewisville now stands. When in his mental prime he was recognized as a man of forceful character, an obliging neighbor and a kind husband and father. For several years before his death he was afflicted with softening of the brain and was a constant care to his children. He was committed to the asylum several months before his death. Mr. Lewis was the father of a large family, four sons and five daughters now living. His faithful wife still surviving him, but is quite aged and feeble. The remains were interred in the Smith burying-ground on Monday.

RICKREALL.

Rev. Furell preached here last Sunday morning. Ira Koykendall has been visiting in Monmouth with relations.

As it was so very stormy a week ago last Sunday, there was no Sunday school nor Christian Endeavor.

The Sunday school is making preparation for a Christmas tree here.

Several of our people have been doing their trading in Salem recently.

Geo. White and Frank Gibson returned last week from a trip to Newport. Kirkland & Co.'s dryer finished drying Saturday, having dried 20,000 pounds of prunes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamb, of Happy valley, were the guests of Mr. Hatton last week. They left their son Ralph here to attend school.

H. B. Thielsen and family went to Portland last week to attend the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. Thielsen's parents.

C. H. Hoag, who was attending court at Dallas, came down one evening during the week and made his son a visit, returning the next morning.

DALLAS.

Several cases of sickness in town this week. The M. E. church will have a Christmas tree Monday evening.

T. J. Morrison is the happy father of a ten pound boy.

The Dallas fire company will give a grand New Year's ball.

The reading society met at Dr. Eubree's residence Monday evening.

Temperance is taking a new start among the Christian brethren of our town.

The Rebekahs will hold a three days' fair, commencing Monday of next week.

Mrs. Z. Hows died near Perrydale Saturday and was buried in the Dallas cemetery Sunday.

A couple of men living in the Salt creek neighborhood were arraigned before Justice Smith last Monday on the charge of larceny of grain. They were acquitted.

BUENA VISTA.

A. Shives and wife paid Salem a visit last week. Frank Smith, of Salem, was on our streets Sunday.

Chas. Dockstead, of Independence, moved into our city last week.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at the Evangelical church.

Miss Durell, of Woodburn, will stay with her brother "Billy" this winter.

Miss Cora Dempsey, of Rickreall, will visit this winter for Mrs. J. B. Williams, Cricket Bevens and wife, of Kings valley, was in town last Saturday and Sunday.

Gene Simpson, of Corvallis, was here visiting friends and relatives the first of the week.

Wm. McLaughlin and Geo. Scott put in their time last Friday hauling wood for Rev. Ballantyne.

Rev. Ballantyne attended the dedication of the new Evangelical church at Salem last Sunday.

Several people attended a social gathering in honor of Geo. Wells, Jr., and wife last Saturday evening at the home of the above named, and a fine time was had.

A dime social at M. N. Prather's last Saturday night for the benefit of the Evangelical Sunday school netted a good profit from a large crowd. A pleasant time was had.

BRUNO. It will pay you to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. With pure blood you need not fear the grip, pneumonia, diphtheria or fevers. Hood's Sarsaparilla will make you strong and healthy.

F. E. Griffith, of McMinnville, has leased rooms in the east end of the Little Palace hotel facing C street for a cigar stand and factory. He will begin business about Jan. 1.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Independence Water and Electric Light Co. will be held at the Independence National Bank, Independence, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, 1895, at 7 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing officers for said company and attending to such other business as may come before said meeting.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Polk County Land Company will be held at the Independence National Bank Building, Independence, Oregon, on Monday, the 15th day of December, 1894, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing officers for said company, and attending to such other business as may come before said meeting.

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Mrs. Judge Peck

Dyspepsia

Mrs. Judge Peck Tells How She Was Cured Sufferers from dyspepsia should read the following letter from Mrs. H. M. Peck, with of Judge Peck, a Justice at Tracy, Cal., and a writer connected with the Associated Press:

"By a deep sense of gratitude for the great benefit I have received from the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, I have been led to write the following statement for the benefit of sufferers who may be similarly afflicted. For 15 years I have been a great sufferer from dyspepsia and Heart Trouble.