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A large assortment of Very Fine Glassware Just received. New designs.

IRVINE'S CASH GROCERY, Independence, Oregon.

Dr. Epley, dentist, Monmouth. Chickens wanted at the City Restaurant.

Horse shoeing only \$1.00 at Fennell's shop. Straw hats out of sight. Go and see them at the Raket Stor.

Velvet and silk flowers latest designs also new at Mrs. Hurley's.

Dr. Epley, the dentist, Monmouth, does crown and bridge work.

A very fine line of french candles just received at Clodfelter Bros.

The ENTERPRISE and Oregonian for \$2 a year. Inquire at this office.

Dress stays 8 cents a bunch, dress shields 10 cents. The Raket Stor.

Clodfelter Bros. are fitting up ice cream parlors for the benefit of their customers.

The ladies will now find it a pleasure to eat ice cream in the parlor at Clodfelter Bros.

TAX, not poll tax but carpet taxes; tack pullers and drawers at the New Hardware. F. E. Chambers.

If you want your jewelry repaired in a neat manner and at low prices, carry it to J. E. Adcox, the jeweler.

E. T. Henkle has added a second chair to his tonsorial parlors. He will be found at the old stand on Main street.

Paint your house with Cleveland Cottage Colors, ready mixed at The New Hardware. F. E. Chambers. Price \$1.50 a gallon.

Miss Lula Spangler, of Corvallis, who has been the guest of Miss Alta Estes, of this city, for several days, returned home Monday.

Are you going East? The N. P. R. R. gives its patrons the best accommodations and the lowest rates. W. H. Hawley, agent, Independence.

Any one desiring to take lessons in oil painting or pastel drawing would do well to call on Mrs. F. E. Griffith on W. 1st and examine her work.

Do you know that every 5 or 10 cent piece you spend for cigars goes to help support some other city unless you smoke home manufactured cigars?

Travelers who desire good accommodations always stop at the Little Palace Hotel, while in Independence. The best rooms and the best meals in the city.

The cheapest place in town to buy your crockery and glassware is at J. P. Irvine's. He carries the largest and most complete stock in that line this side of Portland.

If you are in need of a Disk harrow, hop cultivator, small plows, garden tools and lawn mowers, go to R. M. Wade & Co., where you will find a large variety and at bottom prices.

The City restaurant will furnish an elegant dinner for 25 cents on Saturday, May 25. Mrs. L. Campbell, proprietor. Remember the location, Main street, opposite R. M. Wade & Co's.

Until further notice I will change keywind watches to stemwind at the following prices: In silver case, \$6.45; in gold case, \$8.85. These prices are 28 per cent under San Francisco. J. E. Adcox, the watch maker.

The Bon Bon has received a fresh supply of bottled soda and the latest in French candies; also fresh fruits, nuts of all kinds, as well as the finest lines of cigars and tobaccos.

How do you and your wife get along. Does she like some other man better than she does you? If that is the trouble take her to J. P. Irvine's store and buy her a set of that fancy new glassware and you will be all right.

The world-renowned Peak Sisters will appear at the opera house in this city Friday evening, May 17. Miss Fannie Orr, of Bicknell, will give a few of her luminous selections. There will be a social and ice cream after the entertainment. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

W. H. Patterson has purchased a half interest in F. E. Griffith's billiard parlors and cigar factory. They will also carry confectioneries and soft drinks (lemonade and soda water) in connection with their business. They have purchased P. C. Patterson's stock of tobacco and confectionery.

The City Band will give a grand ball at the opera house in this city, Saturday evening, May 25. Butler's orchestra and the City Band will furnish music for the occasion. Every effort will be made to make the ball one of the most pleasant gatherings of the season. Tickets 75 cents each.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Polk County District Fair association it was decided to hold a series of races on the 13th, 14th and 15th of June. Purses to the amount of \$1500 will be offered. Every effort will be made to make the races a success, and a number of first class horses are expected to enter the contest. Full announcements will be made later on.

J. M. Mitchell returned home the other day from a flying visit to the Chehalis country. He was at Chehalis, Winlock and other points in that section. He says that Western Washington is still suffering from the collapse of the big boom. Business is stagnant, labor goes begging and a general lethargy prevades the whole country. Every town is filled with vacant business houses and residences. Rents have dropped down to bedrock and the people feel the depression a great deal more there than here.

For skillful horse shoeing go to Fennell's blacksmith shop.

Hood's pills for the liver and bowels, act easily yet promptly and effectively. 1

Attorney A. L. Frazer, of Portland, has been visiting his brother, Dr. J. H. Frazer, of Monmouth, who received severe injuries in a runaway accident last week.

Miss Ora Whitmore, daughter of Rev. O. B. Whitmore, of this city, who has been attending the Portland high school, returned home last week for the summer vacation.

Prices to suit the times and skilled work up to date at Fennell's blacksmith shop.

The ENTERPRISE has removed into its new quarters on Main street opposite Patterson Bros. drug store. It will be glad to greet both old and new acquaintances at any time. The ENTERPRISE latching is always hanging on the outside.

Prof. W. W. Allingham leaves our school with the best wishes of his patrons. He did not make application for a second term because he has bright prospects of securing the principship of a school in an adjoining county at decidedly increased wages.

The professor has given good satisfaction in the management of his department, and has proven himself to be a thorough and competent instructor. His department probably required more labor than any other in the school because of the number of pupils, consisting as it did of the sixth and seventh grades. Prof. Allingham left here Tuesday forenoon for his home in Lauree city.

For all-round blacksmithing, carriage and wagon repairing Fennell's shop is excelled by none in the county. Try him.

After the grip, diphtheria, pneumonia, scarlet fever, typhoid fever, etc., Hood's Sarsaparilla is of wonderful benefit in imparting the strength and vigor so much desired. 1

TOLD IN SIDE HEADS.

Stereopticon.—Mt. Hood, as seen by the Mazamas and a trip around the world, at the Christian church, Saturday evening, May 18, at 8 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

A Correction.—In presenting the diplomas to the graduating class, last Friday, I made the remark that Clarence Waggoner was the first to graduate from the high school. Upon investigation I find that Misses Dora E. and Maud Cooper, daughters of Mr. E. S. Cooper, graduated in 1892. The exercises were held in the opera house Friday eve, May 20.

Baseball Saturday.—The newly organized Independence base ball nine will play their initial game of the season at the Talmage base ball grounds, Saturday afternoon, May 18. Their opponents will be the noted Chemawa base ball nine. A rattling lively game will be played, as both teams are working themselves into good form for the contest. Manager Griffith says Independence will put up a good game, as it has the best team in the field that it ever had. The game will begin at 2 o'clock p. m. Admission 25 cents.

Serious Accident.—While driving through North Independence the team of Dr. J. H. Frazer, of Monmouth, became frightened by the tongue of the buggy dropping out of the neck yoke, and in spite of the doctor's efforts the horses became unmanageable and dashed at break-neck speed down the road. The end of the tongue was rammed into the ground upsetting the buggy and hurling its occupants, Dr. Frazer and R. M. Smith, violently to the ground. The doctor received severe internal injuries from the effects of which he will probably be laid up for several weeks. Mr. Smith fortunately escaped with only a few scratches. Medical aid was immediately summoned and the doctor made as comfortable as possible. He was taken to his home at Monmouth.

School Exercises.—Mr. Allingham's department—sixth and seventh grades—of the Independence public schools rendered quite an interesting literary program at the school house last Thursday evening. The entertainment was exclusively for the benefit of the pupils and the patrons of the school, the general public not being invited because of the lack of accommodations. The exercises consisted of music, declamations, essays and a lively juvenile debate on the much mooted question: "Resolved, that woman should be given the right of suffrage." W. P. Conaway and E. C. Pentland acted as judges, but being unable to decide the question, Mr. Van Orsdell was chosen a third judge to break the tie, which he did very gracefully by deciding in the affirmative. The exercises were quite interesting and reflect credit upon Mr. Allingham as a painstaking and thorough instructor.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

BICYCLE TOURNAMENT.

The Biggest Sporting Event of the Season in Polk County. A RED LETTER DAY FOR INDEPENDENCE.

Five Separate Races—Gold Medal Prizes to the Winners—Second, Third and Fourth Prizes.

The first annual tournament by the Independence Athletic Club will be given at Independence, Saturday, May 25, 1895, commencing at 2:30 o'clock p. m., to consist of five bicycle races, mile heats.

These races will be held with the sanction and under the rules of the L. A. W., on the well-known Talmage track. The members of the Athletic Club have been at no small expense to make these races the sporting event of the season. A fine gold medal will be awarded to the winner of each race, and suitable secondary prizes will be awarded to the second, third and fourth winners in each race. The races and prizes are as follows:

No. 1.—One mile novice, heat race. 1st, gold medal; 2nd, opera glasses; 3rd, bicycle outing bag; 4th, cap.

No. 2.—One-half mile open, heat race.—Class A. 1st prize, gold medal; 2nd, sweater; 3rd, one pair of shoes.

No. 3.—One mile open.—Class B. 1st prize, gold medal; 2nd, opera glasses; 3rd, bicycle outing bag; 4th, cap.

No. 4.—Three mile open to Polk county.—Class A. 1st prize, gold medal; 2nd, sweater; 3rd, one pair of shoes; 4th, bell.

No. 5.—Five mile open lap race.—Class A. 1st prize, gold medal; 2nd, bicycle lantern; 3rd, cyclometer.

The Club have the assurance that a number of visiting bicyclists will contest for the prizes, besides a number of Polk county wheelmen will enter the races. Interest in these races is quite general throughout the valley, from Eugene to Portland, and a very spirited contest is anticipated. The prospects are very flattering for a large attendance from all over Polk county and adjacent counties.

It will be a red-letter day for Independence, a grand May-day carnival, and everybody who enjoys witnessing an exhibition of human skill and endurance should be present. There will be a grand bicycle street parade, headed by the city band, at 2 o'clock p. m. Admission 25 cents. Grand stand free.

There will be a grand ball at night at the opera house under the auspices of the city band.

Teachers' Picnic.—The Polk County Teachers' Association will hold their annual picnic in this city Saturday, May 25. The program has not as yet been announced, but every effort will be made to have the exercises of more than usual interest. The exercises will begin at the city park promptly at 10 o'clock a. m., and will be completed as early as 2:30 p. m., in order to give the people an opportunity to witness the bicycle races. Every person in the county who is interested in educational work should attend. These annual meetings should be more generally encouraged by the older people in order that the young may become interested. Every little boy and girl should be taught the importance of education, and nothing instills this sentiment more thoroughly in the minds of the young than to see their parents enthusiastic in the work. Remember that Saturday, the 25th instant, is to be Independence's great May Day. Come and enjoy the festive occasion with your neighbor, become better acquainted with the people, make new acquaintances and cultivate the social side of your nature. Those who refuse to mingle with their fellows shut out one half of the sunshine of life. We learn from high authority that it is not good for man to be alone.

\$100 Reward. \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

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Salem, Oregon. Has gained an enviable reputation for the elegant fit and substantial quality of all clothing turned out of their store. The fact that the company employs 120 hands is conclusive evidence that they are doing an immense business even in these dull times. The fact also should stimulate consumers to patronize.

The Salem Woolen Mill Store For by so doing you keep your money at home instead of sending it east, where it cannot be of any use to you or your neighbor. Patronize home institutions is the sure sign of success.

Well Cured.—A number of the G. A. R. post and their ladies, and other friends, met at the residence of Mr. M. A. Baker in North Independence on Monday evening and extended to Rev. J. B. Smith and lady a farewell party. The conspicuous event of the occasion was the presentation of a neat gold-headed cane to Rev. Mr. Smith as a memento of his efforts in organizing the Gen. Gibson post of this city. The presentation speech was made by Mr. J. L. Stockton in a few appropriate words, to which Mr. Smith replied in a neat hit he speech gratefully thanking his kind friends for this evidence of their appreciation and esteem. Mr. Smith has accepted a call to preach for the M. E. church, of Byron, Cal., and he and family left here Tuesday morning for their California home. Rev. Mr. Smith is a forcible speaker, an earnest, active worker and a most pleasant and companionable gentleman. He and his estimable lady have many of the best wishes of their many Independence friends, who regret to lose them from our religious and social circles. Mr. Smith is a zealous man who win, the esteem of all classes of peoples open and frank in his manner as well as earnest in promulgating truth as he sees it and believes it. The people of Byron are to be congratulated in securing the ministerial services of so broad minded and progressive a gentleman.

Two Lives Saved. Mr. Phoebe Thomas of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos Egger's, 130 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free Trial Bottle at any Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

If you want jobwork just a little better than any other shop in the county can do it, leave your orders at the ENTERPRISE office. Their workmen are artists, and know how to avoid offensive combinations so frequently seen in the work of would-be "first-class" printers. Prices are as low as you would have to pay for inferior work.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL BANK.

At Independence, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, May 7, 1895.

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities. Assets include Loans and discounts, U.S. Bonds, Real estate, etc. Liabilities include Capital stock, Surplus fund, U.S. Deposits, etc.

Dinner 15 cents

INDEPENDENCE Coffee House Open Day and Night Lunches from 5c up. A. T. MOSIER, (Successor to Loo)

New Millinery.

THE LADIES BAZAAR, Of Salem, has just opened out a new line of Spring Millinery. Everything New and Stylish, and at prices 25 per cent lower than you can buy elsewhere. Sailor Hats at 12c each. LADIES BAZAAR, Salem, D. W. FRASER & Co.

Bulk Coffee

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