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J. W. THOMAS, HE SELLS FOR CASH

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Motor Line Time Table.

Table with columns for Week Days and Holidays, listing departure and arrival times for various destinations.

SASH and DOORS: We carry a full stock of Sash, Doors, Mouldings, Glass, Etc.

ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS.

O. A. Kramer—Jeweler. J. P. Irvine returned to McMinnville yesterday.

Sewing machines rented by W. H. Wheeler. J. A. Roberts is putting up a small barn on his premises.

Osborne extras at Frazer & Catron's, Monmouth, Or.

Block laying is progressing at a rapid rate on the new brick building.

Extra dinners at the City Restaurant now. Always ice cream on Sundays.

The J. F. O'Donnell company are sole agents for the Piano binders and repairs.

Frazer & Catron have the exclusive sale of Osborne tender and mower extras, Monmouth.

It seems that Eugene has got badly cheated in the purchase of a new chaulfat engine.

Money and time saved by taking the Northern Pacific when you go East. Inquire of W. H. Hawley.

The J. F. O'Donnell company have just received a new cargo of the celebrated Studelaker farm wagons.

A full assortment of celebrated Clause Shirts and Socks, unlimited guarantee with every pair. F. E. CHAMBERS.

W. H. Campbell & Son have the contract of putting up the new warehouse at Helmick's Independence Roller mills.

Call at R. M. Wade & Co. for anything you need in the Vehicle and Hardware line, the only house that carries everything that the farmer needs.

Uncle David Johnson returned from Sodaville Tuesday afternoon. He reports that his wife has been in poor health for several weeks and will immediately return home.

If you are feeling worn out, or have that tired feeling Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine to restore your strength and give you a good appetite. Hood's makes pure blood.

It is believed that the lone highwayman, who figured in the Klamath-Ager stage "hold-ups" has been arrested. Sheriff Fitch on Monday arrested Watt Pierson, a young man who lives at Keno, a small place on the Klamath-Ager road.

There is said to be strong circumstantial evidence against Pierson.

Cash paid for poultry and eggs at the Star Grocery.

Dr. Epley, dentist, Monmouth. Masons commenced work on the new brick block Tuesday morning.

Frazer & Catron sell Clover Leaf binding swine. Monmouth.

Zed Rosendorf returned home this week from an outing over at Newport.

For a dinner pill and general family cathartic we confidently recommend Hood's Pills.

J. P. Irvine came up from McMinnville Tuesday to look after his business interests here.

If you need a cook stove buy the "Superior," the very best. F. E. Chambers, sole agent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Irvine were visiting relatives at Marion Station last Saturday and Sunday.

W. O. Cook returned yesterday from Fletcher's beach, his family will remain at the coast several weeks before coming home. He reports having had a pleasant trip.

Mine host, J. M. Stark, of the Little Palace hotel, has been tarting half a dozen turkeys for the past six weeks and will serve them for dinner next Sunday. Meals at the usual price—25 cents.

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Get your bread at the Bon Bon. They receive it fresh from Salem every day.

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Will Bro. Wash please tell us how many "important contracts" have been let to Dallas contractors in that city during the past five years.

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It appears that the rumor going the rounds of the valley press to the effect that the San Francisco Examiner had bargained for the Portland Sun is a newspaper hoax. Mr. J. B. Fithian corrects the report and says that it is an injustice to the Sun, and especially an injustice to him to say that the report originated from him.

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A fresh and complete stock of the Celebrated Cleveland paint just received. F. E. Chambers.

Charlie Doughty, editor of the Dallas Observer, was elected president of the Oregon Press association. We congratulate Bro. Doughty.

Dr. B. Henderson, who has been visiting physician at the Oregon state asylum, was committed to that institution on the 17th instant.

O. P. Crane, a newspaper man of Arcadia, Nebraska, was in the city Monday. We understand that Mr. Crane is looking for a location.

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Berry Bulletin, there is no cause for neglecting its use: One ounce of white hellebore dissolved in two gallons of water, applied with sprinker or brush broom when worms just appear, will exterminate them. Two, or possibly three, applications may be necessary.

A site has been selected for the new wigwam or armory building, it is located on the R. D. Cooper lots on south side of C street between Fifth and Sixth streets. The plan of the building is a half hemisphere, eighty feet wide and forty feet from the ground to the top of the dome, Chautauquan style. The seating capacity of the building is estimated at nearly 1,500 people. We understand that Prescott & Veness have the contract to furnish the lumber, and work will begin on the building in a short time.

TOLD IN SIDE - HEADS.

The Mt. Jefferson Party.—After an arduous and rugged trip of peril and adventure the Mazamas party that left here on the 3rd instant for Mount Jefferson are at home again, arriving here late Tuesday afternoon.

After arriving at Fish Lake it was ascertained that the party, owing to the presence of ladies, could not possibly reach the summit of Jefferson on the 10th, as previously arranged. Messrs. T. O. Hutchinson, Dick Burford and C. C. Lewis left that place on foot for the mountain, carrying biograph, camera and provisions, but no blankets.

The greater part of the way there was no trail, and the distance proved to be at least thirty-five miles. The mountain was reached July 10, and the ascent made in the afternoon. The atmosphere was very hazy and no flash light response could be obtained from either Mt. Hood or the Three Sisters.

The rest of the party: Mrs. J. S. Cooper, Miss Maud Cooper, Miss Essie Robertson, W. H. Hawley, of Independence; Miss Emma Fisher, Mrs. Ella Wasson, Lon Lewis, aged 13, Clarke and Clinton Teale, of Mouthmouth; D. A. Hoag, of Saverly; and E. G. Kirby, of Salem, attempted to reach the mountain by another route, with teams, but were compelled to abandon the wagons at the old railroad camp.

From this point they packed into Marrow Lake, where they abandoned the horses, leaving them in the care of Clarke Teale, while the other members of the party pushed on to the mountain on foot, reaching it on the afternoon of the 12th, and were joined by the others who went across from Fish Lake. The entire party successfully made the ascent on the 13th, after experiencing numerous hardships and overcoming many obstacles.

These are said to be the first ladies who ever reached the summit of Mt. Jefferson.

The view of the Willamette valley was obscured by a thick haze, but the view over into the Deschutes and Ochoco country was very fine. No attempt was made to scale the lofty pinnacles, which shoot up some 250 feet from the summit of the mountain.

Several of the party have made the ascent of Mt. Hood and other lofty peaks, but in their opinion Mt. Jefferson is the most difficult to ascend of any in their experience.

A Gloomy Outlook.—The Puyallup Citizen of July 10, takes a gloomy view of the hop outlook in Puyallup valley. It says: "A forecast of picking never looked bluer at this season than at the present writing. Lice are more plentiful, according to A. J. Query, Chas. Ross and many other close observers, this early in the season than ever before. The Citizen fully believes that the state's crop this season will not reach over 20,000 tons unless there is a sudden market change for the better. Hops have lately made progress and most of all the well kept yards look well, but the lice in very many cases have already spread to such an extent that they are not likely to be checked enough to save the crop. Last season the Meekers who were about the first in the field at spraying did not commence before July 15. This year spraying was general early in June.

Strayed.—A large red and white spotted milk cow, marked with a crop, split and underbit in the right ear. A reasonable reward will be paid for information leading to the recovery of said cow. S. K. CROWLEY, Monmouth, Or.

Parker School. Report for the term of four months, ending July 3rd, Parker district: Number of days taught 75, Number of days attendance 1,055, Number of days absence 174, Number of tardies 13, Number of boys enrolled 8, Number of girls enrolled 11, Total number enrolled 19, Average number belonging 16, Average daily attendance 14.

Those neither absent nor tardy during the last month were Nannie Chambers and Maggie Kerr.

Nannie Chambers was neither absent nor tardy during the entire term. NETTIE CROSBY, Teacher.

BORN. KIBBEY.—In Independence, Oregon, July 29, 1893, to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kibbey, a son.

At the BOOT & SHOE STORE

Is the place to buy your footwear if you would... SAVE MONEY... We know our prices are lower than at any other place in the county, and our shoes are just as good.

—I ALSO— MAKE AND REPAIR BOOTS AND SHOES. J. W. Bentley, Independence, Oregon.

Prune Growing Countries.

The leading prune growing countries aside from the United States are Bosnia, Servia, France, Germany, and Austria-Hungary. The prune exporting countries are Bosnia, Servia and France.

The prunes which are known as "Turkish prunes" come chiefly from Bosnia and Servia, although Bulgaria and other adjoining countries furnish a few. Bosnia and Servia are the greatest prune producing countries of the world.

The exports of dried prunes from Bosnia sometimes reach 100,000,000 pounds a year, under which circumstances the price sometimes falls to two cents per pound, or even less. In 1880 the exports of prunes from Bosnia were 44,000,000 pounds, valued at \$2,400,000, the price being much higher than usual.

The bulk of the prunes exported from Bosnia go to Germany, but a good many are sent to Bordeaux, France, where they are repacked and sold as French prunes.—Rural Northwest.

Have Begun Operation.—The Mexican Yucca Soap company of this city have begun operations in the manufacture of soap. They now have on hand a fine lot of laundry soap, consisting of the Borax and Pride of Oregon brands.

In a few days the company will get out a special lot of their extra toilet soaps. The bath and laundry soaps will be labeled Aunt Kate's Wonder, Grandma's Wonder, Pride of Oregon, and Goetzman's Steam Refined Borax.

The quality of some of these brands have already been tested and found to be more than satisfactory in every particular. It is the intention of the management to manufacture an article of unsurpassed quality and as cheap as the best grade soaps on the market.

A number of orders have already been filed with the company and others are coming in. The factory has a capacity of about 10,000 bars a day, and there will be no difficulty in filling orders as rapidly as they come in.

We call our readers attention to a very readable communication on fourth page from the pen of our versatile correspondent, "S. S."

Haw's Tis? We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by him.

W. S. & T. W. Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. W. A. L. KIDNEY, KIDNEY & MAXLIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

The Ideal Panacea. James I. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints."

It is in my family for the last five years, and the exclusion of physicians' prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgess, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 30 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial Bottles Free at Any Drug Store.

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

FLIES ARE DOING WELL This summer just because a great many people think it's economy to let their horses go without nets. Let's a mistake.

TREAT YOUR HOUSE LIKE A MAN! He'll do better work, be less nervous and require less feed when protected from insects. It's near the end of the season just when flies bite hardest and stick tightest. Nets are cheapest now—not at cost, but with mighty small profit—some at 50 cents, some at 75, and all prices between.

W. H. Craven Co. H. M. LINES, Notary Public. Office East, INDEPENDENCE, NEV. OREG. 4th Main St. Independence, Oregon.

Wheat made a jump of 5 cents at Chicago yesterday.

George W. Shinn is painting F. A. Dany's new residence. It will be a beauty when completed.

Gilfed Zumwalt, of Perryville, is visiting Eastern Oregon, and will probably be absent a month.

J. A. Mills, proprietor of the Independence Back-et Store, is taking a week's vacation over at Newport.

W. T. Bohannon, a brother to J. S. Bohannon of this city, has been appointed postmaster at Yaquina City.

Orville Butler, of Rowland, Or., is visiting relatives in Monmouth and his son, Dr. O. D. Butler, in this city.

H. R. Patterson is back from Fletcher's beach. His family will remain several week before returning home.

Mr. T. C. Thorp has the new grain separator and elevators to the Independence Rolfs Mills about completed.

Pierce Riggs and J. C. White, two substantial farmers of the Crowley neighborhood, were transacting business in the city today.

The Endeavor Society at the Christian church Sunday evening will be of more than usual interest. A special program has been arranged, consisting of music and literary exercises.

Our city baker, George Strong, had a serious runaway early this morning. While delivering over in third ward near the Kay's residence his team took fright and made a wild dash down the street towards the railroad. An inventory of the wreck revealed two badly smashed wheels, a broken tongue and double tree, and a pair of harness that needed considerable repairing.

Marvelous Results. From a letter written by Rev. J. Gaudenian, of Dinondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at River Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Perilous paroxysms of coughing, a solid last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at any Drug Store. Regular size 50c, and \$1.00.

Doehler's Anion Salve. The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by all druggists.

SOAP

For one week we will sell 10 bars Royal Savon Soap for 25 cents at

IRVINE'S CASH GROCERY, COME A RUNNING Independence, Oregon.

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