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 For WATCH CHAINS and CHARMS.  
 WE HAVE A FINE ASSORTMENT AND OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.  
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**O. A. KRAMER, Jeweler and Optician.**

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 REMEMBER that we handle many articles you may desire, such as Jewelry, Silverware, Watches, Clocks, etc.  
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 Always aim to please and keep on hand  
 Perfumes, Stationery, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Combs, Soaps, Syringes,  
 Rubber Goods, Sulphur, Patent Medicines, Cigars, Thermometers, Books, Pens, Pencils, Etc., Etc.  
 Prescriptions :: Carefully :: Compounded  
 Day or Night.  
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**J. F. O'DONNELL CO.,**  
**HARDWARE,** Scissors, Shears, Pocket Knives, Table Knives, Axes, Saws, Nails, Rope, Etc.,  
**STOVES,** Ranges, Cook, Parlor and Box  
**TINWARE** Graniteware and Woodenware.  
 Shells, Powder, Shot and Cartridges.  
 Polk County Agents for Studebaker Carriages and Wagons.  
**INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.**

**Independence Roller Flour Mills,**  
**L. HELMICK, Prop.**  
 Dealer in Flour, Germes, Graham, Bran and all kinds of mill stuffs.  
**Warehouses at Independence & Parker.**

**THE ANCHOR OF LIFE.**

"Hope Springs Eternal in the Human Breast," Says the Poet, and Such is the Experience of the Race.

Special Correspondence.

The present is a continuation of thoughts on hope. Hope springs eternal in the human breast; and it is well that it does, for hope is not only the anchor, but the fount and spring, the very essence and origin of energy in life. It is desirable that this should be recognized at the outset of a new period of time, for which new plans have probably been laid down and new force of purpose and enterprise is required. Without hope there could be no striving, and without striving there would be no progress. Hope in the heart gives the vigor of life to the whole being, and makes self-respect and duty the moving power of a prosperous existence. We cannot stand still if we have hope. It is impossible that our knees should tremble greatly or our hands hang helplessly by our sides if hope animates and inspires us.

The mistakes many persons make, to their grievous loss and injury, lies in making particular hopes the source of their energy. Hope is one thing, hopes are quite another. A man may have hope in his life, without knowing precisely what he intends to do or to strive for. It is well to have a set purpose, without an object to fix the eye upon, it is difficult and generally impossible to pursue a straight course steadily; and, unless we do move forward steadily, there can lie no momentum in life and little real consistency in conduct or policy. Nevertheless it is an error to self-management to make the hope of success in any special enterprise a condition of happiness or interest. If failures occur to the man who has made a particular hope his life's object, it is inevitable that he should be disheartened by disappointment. The secret of success lies in the power of enduring with little loss of mind-strength the shock of reverses and surmounting the obstacles thrown in his pathway. There is no better gift to bestow on the miserable than hope. It will brighten the dull eye, quicken the weak and failing pulse, stir the brain to energy, and infuse the force of vitality into every drooping member. He who always brings hope is a welcome messenger, and there is nothing else half so precious in itself or so well worth bestowing any pains to compose. Then cherish hope, and live in and by it. S. S.

**DEATH OF C. M. BROWN.**

DIED.—At his home four miles west of Monmouth, Wednesday, October 16, 1895, Charles M. Brown, of consumption, aged 48 years and 18 days.

Charles M. Brown was born in Wayne county, Indiana, September 28, 1847, and came to Oregon in 1875. He and Miss Cora Evans were married in this county in 1879. The deceased was the son of Joshua Brown, who came to this country in the early days, and located on the Little Luckiamute about four miles west of Monmouth. Charlie Brown was an honest, conscientious man and a good citizen. He was a sufferer from consumption for several years, and made frequent visits to California for the benefit of his health, but received only temporary relief. He bore up patiently under the chastening hand of affliction, and for the past year was satisfied that his tenure of life was of short duration. He left a widow and three children. Mr. Jacob Brown, who lives near Buena Vista, is his only brother.

The funeral was held on Friday, 18th instant, Rev. L. S. Fisher, of

Monmouth, officiating. The remains were taken to the Lewisville cemetery for interment.

**DAMON AND PYTHIAS.**

That beautiful and impressive play will be reproduced at the Opera House, in Independence, Friday evening, October 25, by Prof. Wm. Rasmus, assisted by the Salem lodge of Knights of Pythias, and under the auspices of Homer Lodge, No. 45, K. of P. of this city. This drama, which was played twice in Salem last week, during the session of the grand lodge there, was a decided success. Regarding the play the Salem Post says:

"This is a piece which appeals to everyone and shows the possible depth of friendship one man may have for another, but which, as a general rule, is not universal, and a case with few parallels. It is a play which draws out and displays to good advantage the sterling qualities of two good men, while it also pictures the character of another as wicked as theirs is good. Mr. Wm. Rasmus, as Damon, portrayed a certain line of acting, which is seldom seen by a Salem audience in this city. He is strong and forcible in speech; has an excellent voice, and his gestures are perfect, showing he has given the piece deep study and also has had stage experience of a high character."

The Salem Statesman says: "Prof. and Mrs. William Rasmus, assisted by the local Pythian talent, scored another unqualified success last night in the second presentation of 'Damon and Pythias' at the Reed. Not in a long while have Salem lovers of the drama had anything offered them equal to this. The real excellence of the whole affair was augmented by fine staging and accurate costumes and those who witnessed the culmination of this endeavor of the local Pythians to please the Salem public must of a certainty bear testimony to the splendid measure of their achievement. It was altogether remarkably well done and amply appreciated."

Tickets are on sale at Patterson Bros., Independence, and at C. L. Hawley's, Monmouth. Admission 25 and 35 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats.

**SECOND EXCURSION.**

There will be another special excursion from Parker, Independence, Derby, Crowley and McCoy to the Portland Industrial Exposition on Wednesday, October 30, returning the following Saturday. Round trip \$2.75, including two admissions to the Exposition. Persons wishing to avail themselves of this opportunity should secure tickets at least three days in advance. The excursion is under the management of R. D. Cooper.

**The Discovey Saved His Life.**

Mr. G. Caillouette, druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with LaGrippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at any Drug Store.

**Bucklen's Arnica 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.

**EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order given by the Honorable County Court of Polk County, State of Oregon, duly made and entered of record at the October term thereof, 1895, the will of Josiah Johnson, deceased, was admitted to probate and the undersigned was appointed executrix with will annexed of said estate. All persons having claims or demands against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me at my residence in the Town of Independence, Polk County, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof, and all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are notified to make payment thereof to me at said place. Dated this 17th day of October, 1895. NANCY JOHNSON, Executrix of the Estate of Josiah Johnson, deceased.

**EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order given by the Honorable County Court of Polk County, State of Oregon, duly made and entered of record at the October term thereof, 1895, the will of William Percival, deceased, was admitted to probate and the undersigned was appointed executrix with will annexed of said estate. All persons having claims or demands against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me at my residence in the Town of Monmouth, Polk County, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof, and all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are notified to make payment thereof to me at said place. Dated this 17th day of October, 1895. MARY Z. PERCIVAL, Executrix of the Estate of William Percival, deceased.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

**Royal Baking Powder**  
 ABSOLUTELY PURE

**REPORT OF THE PERRY-DALE SCHOOL.**

The following is a correct report of the Perrydale public school for the month beginning Sept. 23rd and ending Oct. 18th.

No. of days taught	29
No. of days present	482
No. of days absent	53
Average daily attendance	24
No. of pupils enrolled	33
Average no. belonging	27
No. of visitors	2

Those neither absent nor tardy were Elsie Webb, Gracie Flannery and Carrie Flannery. Quite a large per cent were not absent after they entered but missed at the opening.  
 A. J. SHIPLEY, teacher.

**MARRIED.**

**STOWE—ELLIOT.**—At the Baptist church, four miles south of Dallas, on Wednesday evening, October 23, 1895, Robert Stowe and Miss Lottie Elliot.

The groom is a well-known and highly respected young gentleman of McMinnville, and the fair bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elliot, of the Little Luckiamute.

**FALL OPENING OF MILLINERY.**

The ladies of Independence and vicinity are cordially invited to call and inspect the new line of

**FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY** just received at **MRS. M. KINNEY'S** Millinery Store, formerly Catlin and Kinney. A fine line of new **FANCY GOODS JUST RECEIVED.**

**MRS. A. M. HURLEY,** DEALER IN **MILLINERY and FANCY GOODS,** INDEPENDENCE, ORE.

The latest styles in Hats and Caps always on display. Infants' Cloaks, Caps and Dresses in the latest styles. Dress Goods, Hosiery and Novelties.

**Worthy Your Confidence.**

The success of Hood's Sarsaparilla in conquering scrofula in whatever form it may manifest itself is vouched for by thousands who were severally afflicted by this prevalent disease, but who now rejoice over a permanent cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Scrofula may appear as a humor, or it may attack the glands of the neck, or break out as dreadful running sores on the body or limbs. Attacking the mucous membrane, it may develop into catarrh or lodging in the lungs lead into consumption. Come as it may, a faithful course of treatment with Hood's Sarsaparilla will overcome it, for working upon the foundation of all diseases, impure blood, the system is clarified and vitalized, and vigor, strength and health restored to the body.

**LOO'S SHORT ORDER HOUSE,**  
 —Open at all hours.—

**DINNER 15cts. LUNCH from 5cts. up.**  
 Oysters kept constantly on hand. Private boxes for parties.

East side of Main Street, INDEPENDENCE, ORE.

**Sperling Bros.,**  
 Meat Market

—DEALER IN—  
**Choice Meats.**



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 Free Delivery to all parts of the city.  
 Main Street. Independence.

**WHY WE SELL**

**The Best Gloves.**  
 You can well judge a dry goods store by the gloves it sells—poor gloves, poor store, and vice versa.

**Foster's Real Kid Lacing Gloves** are at the pinnacle of excellence. The fall novelties are:

**Black,** with white hooks and stitches  
**White,** with black hooks and stitches  
**Tan,** with mode hooks and stitches  
**Mode,** with black hooks and stitches  
 A full line of all staple shades in stock, and if its an odd shade chances are you'll find it here.  
 Every pair warranted.  
**Price \$1.50.**

**Dress Goods.**  
 Monday we opened another shipment of fancy plaids, cord crepons, boucles, fancy mixtures, honey-comb effects, and serges.  
 Novelties in plaid patterns, no two alike.  
 Write for samples.  
 Our 45 inch heavy bicycle serge is a beauty. Comes in black, navy, brown and myrtle. Per yd 50c  
 56 inch waterproof cloaking per yd 66c

Just this to say about

**Fall Clothing.**  
 The new round-cornered sacks, single and double-breasted sack suits and cut-a-ways are the leading things this year; naturally you can see more of them here than anywhere else and the prices are as comfortable as the clothes.

**Happy Home Clothing** received the highest award at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago, 1893, for perfect fitting garments, Beauty of design, Superiority of manufacture, Excellence of material.  
 Try one of these  
**\$10, \$12, \$14, \$15.**

Famous **Overcoats,** Most stylish coat out. **\$12.**  
**Hats.** Fine Fedoras ..... \$1.00  
 Super Fedoras ..... 2.00

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