

DOUITY'S Cremo Baking Powder

Is manufactured at home and conforms to the state food law. It is guaranteed strictly pure. Give it a trial. Every can guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded.

Girls Contest

1st prize \$5.00 in gold
2nd prize 2.50 pr. shoes
3rd prize 1.00 umbrella

These prizes will be given to the three girls, not over 16 years old, selling greatest number of cans of

Cremo Baking Powder

for us during the month of December. In addition to these prizes we will pay a commission for each can sold. Now is the time for the girls to make Xmas money. Call at the store for full particulars.

Cremo Prices

8-ounce can	15 cents
16-ounce can	30 cents
24-pound can	75 cents
5-pound can	\$1.50

This powder is not manufactured or controlled by a trust.

Our Prize Pumpkin

This pumpkin cost us a \$5 overcoat. It weighs 66 pounds. We have a great curiosity to know just how many seeds there is inside of it and offer a

\$5 Gold Piece

To the person or persons guessing the number exactly. We give one guess with each pair shoes sold from December 1st to 15th. The seeds will be counted December 16th.



Our special prices for week Dec. 1st to 6th inclusive

Short Jackets

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S	VALUES	PRICES
2.50 value	1.90	
3.00 value	2.20	
3.50 value	2.70	
4.00 value	3.10	
5.00 value	4.00	
6.00 value	4.70	
7.50 value	5.90	
10.00 value	7.95	
12.50 value	9.85	
15.00 value	11.75	

Long and 3-4 Coats

LADIES' AND MISSES'	VALUES	PRICES
At half price this week on these grades:		
12.50	6.25	
14.00	7.00	
16.00	8.00	
20.00	10.00	
22.50	11.25	

Sugar

The long looked for advance on Sugar has come at last.

It is now

\$4.45

and will probably go higher.

Wool Waists

Our entire line goes at just half price this one week.

\$3 value for \$1.50

And so.



Now is the time to begin thinking about your Christmas pictures. Come early and give the artist plenty of time to do your work nice. Go to

PicKel's Gallery,

For artistic work. All work guaranteed.
Monmouth Street Independence, Ore

Monmouth Correspondents.

Fred Huber left for Eastern Oregon Sunday on a visit.

Rev. F. M. Fisher, wife and son of Portland, are visiting friends and relatives in town.

John Emmett, formerly of Monmouth, has been sent to the hospital in Portland.

Mrs. M. E. O'Kelly and children were visiting in the country Saturday and Sunday.

W. P. Fisher is still at Portland.

The burning of the notes of the Evangelical church Sunday evening was quite an affair. Presiding Elder Shuff made some appropriate remarks. Many were present to witness the ceremony.

Monmouth is proud of her basket ball team.

Luck in Thirteen.

By sending 13 miles Wm. Spirey, of Walton Furnace, Vt., got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve that wholly cured a horrible fever sore on his leg. Nothing else could. Positively cures bruises, felons, ulcers, eruptions, boils, burrs, corns and piles. Only 25c. Guaranteed by Kirkland Drug Co.

Mr. Silas Coats came down from Lewisville Tuesday to see his sister, Mrs. Meador, who was quite ill.

John Emmett is reported quite ill at the hospital at Portland. His immediate relatives are there with him.

The Misses Bown left Tuesday for their home at Almira to attend the wedding of their sister.

Mr. McCann, of Suver, entered school here this week.

Mrs. Rose, of Airlie, attended the social given by the women of Woodcraft Saturday night.

McMinville football will play the Normals here Saturday. A warm game will be the result.

Mrs. Lewis left Monday for her sister's home at Sacramento, Cal., where she will spend the winter.

J. P. Doughty returned from Portland Friday with his sight fully restored.

Miss Crystal Loughlin left Wednesday for her home at North Yamhill, where the wedding of her sister will take place.

Mrs. Boots returned last week from Hillsboro, after an extended visit with her daughter.

Mrs. Frank Lucas returned last week from Arlington.

The seniors are preparing for their reception to be held Friday night of this week.

Mr. Hosner has been working on the kitchen of his hotel building and has it is about ready for occupancy.

A splendid temperance sermon was preached in the Christian church Sunday morning by E. C. Wigmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin spent Sunday here.

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Daniel Tuesday and are preparing for energetic work this winter.

When in Monmouth stop at

Hotel Hampton

D. M. Hampton, Prop.

First-class accommodations.

Rates \$1 per day.

Special Rates by the week

Seymour-Myer Wedding.

Monmouth, Nov. 24.

One of the most beautiful weddings it has been the pleasure of the writer to attend occurred at the home of the bride's parents last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The parlor was beautifully decorated for the occasion and Miss Hallie Gibson, seated at the organ, played the wedding march, while the happy couple marched into the room, where, surrounded by many relatives and friends. Rev. B. Z. Riggs performed the ceremony that made H. C. Seymour and Miss Georgia Myer man and wife.

After the usual congratulations an excellent lunch was served, followed by a good social time. Many valuable and useful presents were received.

The bride is the accomplished daughter of Hon. G. W. Myer of Smithfield, and the groom is one of our successful and promising young men. Both rank among the best teachers of Polk county. They will make their home at Rickreall, where Mr. Seymour is principal of the school.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Myer, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Riggs, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brown, Sadie Myer, Vida Myer, Pern Myer, Mrs. Anna Myer, Mrs. A. J. Hastings, Ruby Hastings, Jess Martin, Gladys Martin, Homer White, Hattie Gowdy, Inezelle Adair, C. L. Starr, Tracy Staats, R. R. Hill, Fred West, Edith Houck, Hallie Gibson and Rosa Smith.

Elder W. R. Briscoe, pastor of the Baptist church, preached the Union Thanksgiving sermon this morning.



O.R.&N. OREGON SHORT LINE AND UNION PACIFIC

DEPART FOR	TIME SCHEDULE FROM INDEPENDENCE	ARRIVE FROM
Chicago, Portland, Special 9 a m via Hunting-	Salt Lake, Denver, Ft Worth, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	4:30 p m
Atlantic Express 8:50 p m via Hunting-	Salt Lake, Denver, Ft Worth, Omaha, via Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	8:10 a m
St Paul Fast Mail 6 a m via Spokane.	Walla Walla, Lewiston, Spokane, Wallace, Pullman, Minneapolis, St Paul, Duluth, Milwaukee, Chicago and East.	7 a m

72 hours. Portland to Chicago. No change of cars. Tickets East via all rail or via boat and rail via Portland.

OCEAN AND RIVER SCHEDULE FROM PORTLAND.

All sailing dates subject to change. For San Francisco Sail every 5 days.

Daily except Sunday 8 p m Saturday 10 p m	COLUMBIA RIVER To Astoria and way landings.	4 p m Ex. Sun.
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