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In an interview at Ashland with a representative of the Portland Telegram, Senator B. F. Mulkey, of this county, says he will support Governor Geer for United States Senator. As Mr. Mulkey is supposed to be the spokesman of the Simon forces in the upper branch of legislature, several of the papers over the state are figuring that Senator Simon's influence will be thrown to the governor.

Today is our tenth birthday and we take this event as an occasion to rededicate our future services to the up-building of the city of Independence and the development of Polk county in general. Gentlemen, let us have concerted action and bring to our midst new industries along with desirable citizens. The ENTERPRISE will tack the banner of progress to our helm and fight for every measure that will redound to best interests of our town. Year by year we have developed our facilities until today (we say it with pride but not with braggadocio) we have the best equipped printing establishment of any city any where near our size in the northwest. We are prepared to do our part, will you do yours?

**Circuit Court**

CIRCUIT COURT DOCKET.

Department No. 1—George H. Burnett, Judge.

Circuit Court for Polk County, Department No. 1, George H. Burnett, Judge, convened Monday, December 1.

The docket is short, only ten cases having been filed to date. They are as follows:

Scroggin & Wortman vs Cyrus Parvine, action for money.

E C Keyt vs E Biddle, M M Ellis, Wm. Faull and A K Wilson, action at law.

Harris & Hirschberg vs J G Van Orsdel, Sheriff, action at law.

Wm. Dean vs. Luckiamute Mill Co., action at law.

L A Westcott vs. James Harris, action at law.

J W Kirkland vs P T and A

**A Bad Breath**

A bad breath means a bad stomach, a bad digestion, a bad liver. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, sick headache.

25c. All Druggists.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use **BUCKINGHAM'S DYE** for the whiskers. 50 CTS. OF DRUGGISTS. DR. R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H.

Peterson, action at law.  
J E Haseltine & Co. vs Thos. Fennell, action at law.  
A J Luce Hop Co. vs I L Smith, replevin.  
A J Luce Hop Co. vs R E Bryan & Son, replevin.  
A W Dockstader vs J C Loundree action for money.

Our holiday line will soon be complete. Wagoner's.

**Stockholders Meeting.**

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Independence National Bank will be held on Tuesday, January 13, 1903, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., at the Bank, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

C. W. IRVINE, Cashier.

Dated this 3d day of Dec 1903.

**Call For City Bonds.**

I have been ordered by the City Council of the City of Independence to issue a call for city bonds bearing date of April 1, 1901. The numbers are from 1 to 14, inclusive. Interest stops on and after the first publication of this notice.

C. W. IRVINE,

City Treasurer.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1902.

**Horse, Buggy and Harness for Sale at a Bargain.**

A good big horse, perfectly gentle; can be driven by anyone, together with buggy and harness, for sale at half price. Inquire at this office.

**Standing of Correspondents.**

Buena Vista, H.....	541
Antioch.....	340
Lewistown.....	11
Highlands, B.....	27
Sunny Slope.....	33
Airlie, S.....	27
Crowley, G.....	16
Parker, G.....	47
Rickwood, C.....	71
Calvary, D.....	204
Monmouth, A.....	249
Pedee, P.....	41
Monmouth, H.....	482
Ballston, B.....	146



**Mrs. Laura S. Webb.**

Vice-President Woman's Democratic Clubs of Northern Ohio.

"I dreaded the change of life which was fast approaching. I noticed Wine of Cardui, and decided to try a bottle. I experienced some relief the first month, so I kept on taking it for three months and now I menstruate with no pain and I shall take it off and on now until I have passed the climax."

Female weakness, disordered menses, falling of the womb and ovarian troubles do not wear off. They follow a woman to the change of life. Do not wait but take Wine of Cardui now and avoid the trouble. Wine of Cardui never fails to benefit a suffering woman of any age. Wine of Cardui relieved Mrs. Webb when she was in danger. When you come to the change of life Mrs. Webb's letter will mean more to you than it does now. But you may now avoid the suffering she endured. Druggists sell \$1 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**Big Bargain  
Opportunities!**

These special values are placed before you with the idea of having you become better acquainted with our store. We invite you to call in and see the many bargains we have to offer you.

Good Hardwood Stands.....	\$ .45
Oak Center Tables.....	.75
18-inch top Oak Center Table.....	1.00
20-inch do do better grade.....	1.50
24-inch do do.....	2.00
Cobbler-seat Rockers, golden or mahogany.....	2.00
do do oak.....	2.25
Wood-seat Rockers.....	.85
Oak Dinner.....	1.00
Ladies Writing Desk.....	5.00
Combination Writing Desk.....	10.50
Couches covered in Valour.....	4.50 and up
A good wool-top Mattress.....	1.80 and up
Opaque Window Shades.....	23 cents
Wood Bedsteads castered.....	1.95 and up
6 feet Extension Table.....	3.95 and up

**W. L. BICE**

Next door to Paddock's.

**WANTED!**

To buy for Cash

**50 Doz. Chickens.  
1000 DOZ. EGGS**

Oat, Wheat and Clover Baled Hay and Potatoes.

I have in stock at all times

**Baled Hay; Wheat, Oat, Speltz, Rape, Cheat and Clover seed. Also a complete line of Poultry Supplies.**

**L. DAMON.**

Produce and Commission Merchant,  
In Old Athletic Club Building, Independence.