

# THE RAKET STOR

## Still have Their Clearance Sale!

With nothing reserved. Everything goes at the price of 15c off on the \$1. We have placed no limit on this sale as yet, nor do we hold back any goods. We give you a regular price, good values and now at the reductions the values are not touched by any other house. When you can buy a \$2.00 ★5★ shoe for \$1.70 you are the one who is getting the benefit. Remember 15c off on the \$1 and \$1 off on every \$5.

### LOOK AT THESE ADVANTAGES.

A \$1.50 ★5★ shoe. . . . .	\$1.28	Now this means the same on ladies ★5★ shoes. . . . .	\$1.16	BABY SHOES.	HATS	Cotton Batting, Lace Cur-
" 1.00 " " . . . . .	1.36	A \$1.35 shoe . . . . .	1.36	45c shoes . . . . .	\$1.00 hats . . . . .	tains, Underwear, Piece Goods
" 1.75 " " . . . . .	1.49	1.00 " . . . . .	1.36	50c " . . . . .	1.35 " . . . . .	Gloves, Umbrellas, Rubbers.
" 2.00 " " . . . . .	1.70	1.75 " . . . . .	1.49	65c " . . . . .	1.40 " . . . . .	Rubber Boots, Slickers, in fact
" 2.25 " " . . . . .	1.91	1.85 " . . . . .	1.58	90c " . . . . .	2.00 " . . . . .	everything.
" 2.75 " " . . . . .	2.34	2.00 " . . . . .	1.70	1.00 " . . . . .	25 cents caps . . . . .	
" 3.00 " " . . . . .	2.55	2.40 " . . . . .	2.04	1.25 misses shoes . . . . .	MEN'S SHIRTS	
" 3.40 " " . . . . .	2.94	2.75 " . . . . .	2.34	1.40 " . . . . .	50c shirts . . . . .	
" 3.50 " " . . . . .	2.97			1.50 " . . . . .	45c " . . . . .	
				1.75 " . . . . .		

## THE RAKET STOR. J. A. MILLS, PROP.

### Undertaking

In all Its Branches  
Day or night calls promptly attended to.  
Fine hearses in connection.

**W. L. BICE,**  
Embalmer and Funeral Director.  
INDEPENDENCE, ORE.



### Monmouth Correspondents.

G. Howard Osborne, B. A., will give an interesting program of song and story at the Normal chapel Saturday evening, January 17th. His illustrated vocal solos are well worth the price of admission.

"Bits and Scraps" illustrated at the Normal chapel Saturday, January 17th.

#### BUENA VISTA.

A number from here attended a box social at the Artisan lodge at Wells Friday evening and report a splendid time.

Ed Wilson came down from Wells Sunday for a week's sojourn.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Baldwin visited Benton county relatives the first of the week.

Harvey Cole was a visitor this week at the George Pluv home, near Wellsdale.

Logging was interrupted this week at Buena on account of the low stage of water.

The beautiful sunshine and warm breezes of the past week would make an Easterner think he had reached paradise. Farmers

are afield early and late, taking advantage of the good weather to finish their plowing.

Gus Pagenkopf was an Independence visitor Saturday.

Still they come! Everyone wants an art calendar and subscriptions are coming from all directions. The time is limited and delays are dangerous. Subscribe now.

Dell Grigsby, of Parker, was a Buena visitor Monday.

The new ferry boat is expected to arrive from Corvallis in a few days. It was built by Adams Brothers and was to have been completed by the 10th inst, but there was a slight delay. The public will be glad when a boat is again in service at this place.

#### Dislocated Her Shoulder.

Mrs. Johanna Soderholm, of Fergus Falls, Minn., fell and dislocated her shoulder. She had a surgeon get it back in place as soon as possible, but it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised for sprains and soreness, and she asked him to buy her a bottle of it, which he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to sleep

which she had not done for several days. The son was so much pleased with the relief it gave his mother that he has since recommended it to many others. For sale by Kirkland Drug Co.

#### BALLSTON.

Mark Sears spent the holidays with friends in Portland.

Misses Anna Summers and Grace Newall were here last week in the interest of the Circle. About 25 applications were received.

Fay Wester, an old time resident of this place, was shaking hands with old friends last week.

The Woodman Building Co. elected the following officers Monday: Pres., N. F. Gregg; Vice Pres., W. R. Birks; Sec., G. A. McCulloch; Trustees, G. A. McCulloch, W. R. Birk, H. B. Flanery, N. F. Gregg, W. E. Conner, J. H. Butler, A. B. Chandler. Extensive preparations are being made for the Woodmen hunt on the 9 and 10th and a big time is assured.

#### ANTIOCH.

May and Dollie Guthrie were the guests of Alice Mack Saturday.

Dr. W. C. Brown, of Independence, visited his uncle, D. M. Calbreath, and family over Sunday.

A number of young people from here attended meeting at the Christian church at Monmouth Sunday night.

D. M. Calbreath will have a number of his Andalusian cockers on exhibition at the poultry and goat show at Dallas this week.

Fishback brothers are cutting wood for Mrs. A. Ohms.

Mr. W. H. Mack is carpentering for John Yeater.

There will be Sunday school at

the school house next Sunday and also a social meeting.

A number of neighbors and friends of Mrs. E. Clark gathered at her home on the evening of the 9th inst, and spent the evening in playing social games and other amusements, until all were seated when a sumptuous lunch was served. At a late hour all departed for their many homes. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mack, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Calbreath, Alice Mack, Elbert Peterson, Fay and Nellie Shipley, Guy Sevier, David, James, Edward and John Riddle, Edward Turner, Dollie and May Guthrie, Vardie and Russell Fishback, Ora and Katie Towns, Mr. Hill, George Hill, August and Emma Ohms, Mrs. McCaleb, Joe Boginsby, James Goodman, Robert and Clemy Fishback, Mrs. Clarke and family and W. M. Fishback.

#### Another Improvement.

Special from Buena Vista.

Buena Vista has a new blacksmith shop which was completed last week. The builder and occupant is T. P. Oglesby, the "village blacksmith." The removal occurred Wednesday and Mr. Oglesby is now ready to do better work than ever.

The shop is built over a small creek, which is to be used as power for driving an emery wheel, turning lathe and drilling machines. This improvement is another sign of the good times coming in old Polk. Prosperity will meet us half way, but all energetic citizen should help to hasten the day by

#### E. T. HENKLE,

**Bath and Barber Shop.**

MAIN STREET,  
INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.

encouraging all worthy enterprises, building up their town and in urging newcomers to locate in old Polk and invest their capital here.

#### J. S. MOORE,

#### Tonsorial Artist.

Only first-class workmen employed in the "Wigwam." Shop situated on North side of C Street.



UNION PACIFIC  
OREGON SHORT LINE  
AND UNION PACIFIC

DEPART FOR	TIME SCHEDULE FROM INDEPENDENCE	ARRIVE FROM
Chicago	Salt Lake, Denver, Portland Ft Worth, Omaha, Special Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and Hunting-East.	4:30 p m
Atlantic	Salt Lake, Denver, Express Ft Worth, Omaha, 8:50 p m via Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	8:10 a m
St Paul	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.		
8 p m	All sailing dates subject to change. For San Francisco Sail every 5 days.	4 p m

Daily except Sunday 8 p m  
Saturday 10 p m  
COLUMBIA RIVER  
To Astoria and way landings. 4 p m  
Ex. Sun. 4 p m  
AL HERREN, Agt., Independence.