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Waste Paper Baskets

We have only three of our stock left. The price placed against them was the thing that moved them. \$1.45 now 35 cents.

Flower Makers Supplies.

Ladies' Stationery.

We have a nice supply of bulk paper for ladies' use. What we mean by bulk paper is that you can buy any amount you want. It comes in six of the latest shades with envelopes to match. The envelopes are of the very latest cut and are made of the very best stock. In fact they are the proper thing now. Five bunches of paper 10 cents; one bunch envelopes 10 cents.

Finest Line of Candy in the City.

Oranges and Bananas in Stock now.

Your Winter's Reading Matter.

We are selling more reading matter every day. Our circulating library is the popular thing now. We sell you your first book for 10 cents and if in good order when returned we will take it back and give you another one for it and 5 cents. So it only costs you really 5 cents each to read our library.

One Dozen Lead Pencils With Rubber Tips 10c.

Photograph Envelopes.

We have a line of picture envelopes from the very best manufacturers in the United States and they will get your picture to its destination in first-class order and not leave it broken and twisted up. Small size, 2 for 5 cents; large size, 3 for 10 cents.

Everything Complete for the Public Schools.

Our Cigar Department.

In this department you find only the very best lines of cigars that retail from 5 to 15 cents each. All the leading brands.

Plug and Smoking Tobacco.

In this line we have a very complete stock and the prices are the lowest.

Pipe Department.

You should see our line of pipes. It is surely very complete. Our line runs from a 5 cent cob to the very nicest genuine meerschaum.

Picture Albums.

Out of our entire stock of albums we have but one left and it is a very nice one, too. It did retail for \$2.25, but you can have this one for \$1.00.

All Late Magazines Are Now On Sale.

Geo. F. Rodgers & Co.
 Wholesale
Paper Dealers

Our Paper and Bags are products of the best mills in the country. You will save money on prices and freight with us.

130 Court St., Salem, Or

mouth with Fannie Helmick, last Saturday for a few days' visit.

Clifton Peterson has been suffering with the neuralgia and Miss Caddie Gentry with pneumonia.

Farmers are working early and late, quite a number are sowing grain and have planted early garden.

E. Evans on last Monday, drove to Independence a nice bunch of hogs and sheep, which he sold to Will Percival.

E. Davidson sold to the Dallas butchers, Castle and Shaw, three head of calves under two years old, for the sum of \$109.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of La Grange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For ulcers, wounds, piles it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by Kirkland Drug Co.

RICKREALL

E. Yarnell was taken to the hospital last week.

Peter Cook is adding buggies and sewing machines to his stock.

J. W. Fetzer and wife spent Sunday with friends in Independence.

Mrs. J. Southwick has gone to her farm to remain for a short time.

S. T. Burch has lost several sheep lately with something like staggers.

Orval Price, of Needy, grand-son of Peter Cook, is stopping with him for a time.

Mrs. Thos. Canfield went to Portland Friday to visit relatives, returning Monday.

Conrad Smith, of Monmouth, has rented his farm here to a gentleman from Nebraska.

S. Orr has several men putting in trellis in his hop yard. He will have a fine yard when finished.

F. A. Koser expects soon to commence building a new house on his farm two miles from this place.

John Fiddler is again with his stage to Salem. He was off duty for a couple of months, Mr. Martin taking charge.

Mrs. T. Brown came down from Salt Creek on her way to Oregon City, visiting her cousin, H. C. Seymour, while here.

The school will give an entertainment and supper March 14, to raise funds for repainting the inside of the school house.

Mr. Lewis, the photographer of Monmouth, is billed here for March 11th, for an entertainment of moving pictures of Oregon scenery in general.

Some person entered the home of Frank Gibson while the family was out for a couple of hours and took some valuables belonging to his mother.

filed and approved; Willis Simon-ton, Fred Rich and Charles Campbell appointed appraisers.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

John Sommerville et al to P M Kirkland, part of block 2, Hill's Independence, \$2.

E J Sommerville et al to P M Kirkland, part of block 2, Hill's Independence, \$2.

United States to Hiram G Klum, 160 acres, t 7 s, r 8 w, patent.

W T Slater, receiver, to H P McNary, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Orchard Co add to West Salem, \$600.

Mary E Gwin to Gilbert, Patterson & Brophy, 10 acres, t 7 s, r 4 w, \$1.

Mary E Gwin, administratrix, to Gilbert, Patterson & Brophy, 10 acres, t 7 s, r 4 w, \$150.

Charles Hazleton et ux to D D Gorsline, lots 7 and 8, block 10, McCoy, \$10.

W J Stow et ux to J W Morrison, 159 acres, t 7 s, r 6 w, \$500.

Mary J Wolverton et al to H A Newman et ux, lots 1, 2 and 12, block 3; lot 1, block 4, Bentley's add to Monmouth, \$350.

Peter Reddekopp et ux to Mike McNulty, 10 acres, t 7 s, r 5 w; \$400.

P Todd to C M Young et ux, 30 acres, t 8 s, r 6 w, \$980.

A B Brown et ux to Bryan-Lucas Lumber Co, n w 1/4 sec 2, t 9 s, r 7 w, \$6100.

I Vanduyne et ux to P M Kirkland, part block 2, Hill's Independence, \$1.

Henry Fawk et ux to P B S Miller et ux, 58.04 acres near Oak Grove, \$1200.

J T Ford, sheriff, to Jessie B Read, lots in Eola, tax deed, \$1.67.

State Land Board to E C and M J Rogers, 80 acres, t 8 s, r 8 w, \$100.

Frank Butler to H S Montgomery, lot in Falls City cemetery, \$10

H S Montgomery to Esther Montgomery, block F, south side, Falls City, \$600.

Sol King et ux to Mrs. Margaret McLain, lot in Buena Vista, \$25.

Mrs N C Doty to John Hensen, lots 7, 8, 15 and 16, Murphy's add to Monmouth, \$1000.

W F Matlock et ux to P M Kirkland, tract in Hill's Independence, \$1000.

Highland.

The wild flowers have commenced blooming.

Joe Bolder and wife spent Sunday with relatives in Independence.

Miss Winnie Osborne, of Independence, attended Sunday school Sunday.

W. N. Alexander and family were at Wells among relatives last Sunday.

John Compton and wife were visiting relatives in Linn county, last week.

Rev. W. R. Briscoe, of Independence, preached at the school house last Sunday.

Edith Alexander, spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Willard Cauthorn, of Wells.

Chris Peterson is doing some farming for Joe Hirschburg on his farm near Monmouth.

We are glad to note the improvement in the last several copies of the ENTERPRISE.

Mary Quick came out from Mon-

Notes of the Independence Improvement League.

Independence, March 2, 1903.

Meeting of Independence Improvement League called to order by Calbreath, president, in the presence of G. A. Hurley as secretary. Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved.

Announcements were read from Coman, of the S. P. R. R., Mears, secretary Transportation Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade Portland, B. Koehler to M. A. and from the mayor of New-

regarding the proposed in rail service. It was consensus of opinion that work still be continued and after the plan of Mr. Butler, Monmouth, and others with the secretary and president consulted, was adopted, viz:—

a committee of one from Independence, one from Monmouth J. H. Hawley or J. B. V. being suggested, one from Ellis, one from Amity and one McMinnville meet with a committee from the Chamber of

Commerce, Board of Trade and others Protective Association, Independence, for the purpose of presenting the matter more clearly to officials of the Southern Pacific Independence. Further the president and secretary were instructed to a committee and secure men from Independence to Corvallis and such other towns as it be necessary to co-operate in securing the proposed ser-

vice and committee on rural free mail delivery reported and the committee was discharged.

President Calbreath was given more time to report regarding a write up in the Oregonian.

Sash and door factory committee given more time and it was stated much was done during the last week.

Matter of a saw mill discussed and it was explained that parties could be secured to put in a first class mill if the co-operation of the citizens of Independence could be secured. Matter was taken under advisement for another week.

Following bills read and ordered paid, ENTERPRISE \$11.10; G. A. Hurley for paper and stamps \$1.50.

The amendment that dues be reduced taken up and by unanimous vote they were made \$1 per quarter in advance. This was to date from the 1st meeting call held February 1st 1903.

The president stated that a special endeavor should be made to secure the membership of every citizen and business man in Independence, as it was considered better to have a large organization and less dues.

Dr. O. D. Butler, W. F. Campbell and O. A. Kramer appointed as a committee to make arrangements for and to secure an exhibit to be placed at Portland in the union depot with Mr. Drake, who has charge of the county exhibits for the Immigration Bureau.

Motion made that secretary write road master of S. P. or some official in authority regarding granite for a walk from the Stark residence to the granite already placed in

front of the depot. So ordered.

Matter of allowing U. P. to run a small announcement on the circulars to be distributed discussed and left with printing committee, the opinion being that it would be to our interests to do so since these circulars were to be distributed through their office.

No other matter coming before the association, the meeting adjourned until its next regular meeting Monday, March 9th, at 7:30.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins, of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound, and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for coughs, colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed by Kirkland Drug Co. Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

County Court News.

Observer.

PROBATE.

Estate of Christian Pehrson, deceased—final account set for hearing March 21, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Estate of Elizabeth J. Bell, deceased—inventory and appraisal filed and approved; administrator licensed to sell personal property at private sale.

Estate of Hanford Fowle, deceased—real estate turned over to devisee under will.

Estate of Wm. W. Johnson, deceased—George E Johnson appointed ancillary administrator; bond