

THE OLD RELIABLE

ROYAL



BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure
THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Social and Personal.

May Day Ball.
See Messner's add this week.
Thos. Zeiber has returned from Eugene.
Dr. W. R. Allin was in Salem Thursday.
Pearl Locke was over to Salem last week.
A nice base ball for 5 cents, at Wagoner's.
Oranges, lemons and bananas, at Wagoner's.
Take your Mohair to S. M. Daniel, Monmouth.
Mrs. A. J. Goodman was a Salem visitor Thursday.
Fresh milch cows for sale. Enquire of Henry Hill.
Crepe tissue paper in the roll or bunch at Wagoner's.
G. A. Hurley was a Dallas business visitor Monday.
Take your butter, eggs and poultry to Messner.
Cooper & Hurley for law, collections and insurance.
Mrs. A. J. Goodman was a capital city visitor last week.
Our soda fountain is now in good working order. Wagoner's.
Mr. Gessner, a Salem musician, drove over Sunday afternoon.
Monte Briggs, of Portland, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Lots of new pretty spring and summer goods at S. M. Daniel's. Seven Geo. W. Childs' for 25 cents, to close out, at Wagoner's

Miss Jessie Wann, of Salem, visited Miss Lela Herren over Sunday.

A good gentle family pony for sale or trade. Enquire at this office

Mrs. J. A. Mills attended the meeting of Rebekahs Tuesday evening.

Miss Mabel Wells, of Portland, visited over Sunday in Independence.

W. G. Cressy is having an addition added to the east side of his house.

J. E. Hubbard left last week to put in shape his hop yard near Albany.

When in town call at Messner's for the new summer dress goods solesette.

W. A. Messner is having a large sign painted on the south side of his store.

Miss Helen Calbreath, of Salem, is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. M. Hurley.

House cleaning time is now at hand. Crepe paper for shelves, at Wagoner's.

Mrs. I. Claggett is slowly recovering from her recent severe stroke of paralysis.

Old Oregonians for house cleaning in bunches of 50 for 15 cents, at Wagoner's.

Miss Bertha Osborne is extremely ill at the home of her parents south of town.

Mrs. Geo. Conkey was a sufferer this week of the universal complaint, lagrippe.

County Treasurer Dalton has issued a call for all warrants prior to August 15, 1901.

When in Salem visit Strong's Restaurant. It is headquarters for Independence people.

F. A. Douty and A. J. Goodman returned Sunday from a business visit to various points.

Hon. John H. Mitchell sent us a mail pouch of seed, which we have distributed to people desiring the same.

JEWELRY DIAMONDS

WATCHES

and a complete line of the **GENUINE**



"1847 Rogers Bros."
Knives, Forks, Spoons, etc.

Eyes carefully examined and properly fitted to the best grade of glasses.
Fine Repairing.

Kramer & Co.,
INDEPENDENCE, ORE

Try our soda water drinks, at Wagoner's.

John Johnson, of Eugene, after a short visit with relatives here, returned home Monday.

Miss Bessie Butler was a Dallas visitor Thursday. She has organized a music class there.

I have 75 bushels of good Defiance seed wheat for sale. Mrs. J. O. Davidson Parker, Ore.

The Polk County Sunday School Convention is being held at the Presbyterian church today.

Rev. E. C. Wigmore, of Monmouth, was an incoming passenger on Friday afternoon's train.

Ralph Davidson, who is attending school in Corvallis, visited over Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Harry Clodfelter, of Corvallis, was an incoming passenger Friday for a visit with relatives.

A gentleman has written us that he has several good timber land claims that can be located on, at a very reasonable figure. Any one wishing information can inquire at this office.

Mrs. Delcie Young, mother of John and E. M. Young, is expected here from Missouri in August to spend several months. With her will come a sister and brother-in-law of the Young brothers.

E. C. Wigmore, of the Monmouth Christian church, has accepted the chair of Hebrew in the divinity school at Eugene. The university wins one of the ablest men in the ministry in the state by securing Mr. Wigmore.

Cooper & Hurley have a monthly real estate bulletin with their property described on it—not all but some of it. Send for it, or if you have friends in the East send us their names and we will send them our bulletin.

Good chance for the right man to make some money half or whole interest in a tile factory doing a good business. Can sell all you make. Ship by both river and rail. Owner has other business and cannot attend both. Address Newberg Tile Factory, Newberg, Oregon.

Once again the ladies of the W. R. C. wish to draw attention to their May day ball at the auditorium. The Independence orchestra is to furnish music, and the ladies wish to say the floor will be in the best shape it has ever been in. Dancing tickets, 75c. Spectators 25c. All ladies free. Supper will be served by the ladies.

Campbell Brothers.

Another large shipment of wall paper has arrived consisting of the latest designs and colorings. House cleaning is near at hand and now is the time to select your

CARPETS

While we have a complete stock. We have just received a large shipment of new and pleasing patterns. You are cordially invited to call in and examine our stock. For bedrooms there is nothing nicer than new clean matting in this line. We have a large stock from which you can select.

Campbell Brothers.

Wanted—To purchase a second-hand anvil, weighing about 100 pounds. Enquire at this office at once.

A. N. Halleck's Peerless Hair Tonic will be sold by A. S. Locke, of Independence, or A. N. Halleck, of Monmouth.

Mrs. Galloway is here today at 3 P. M. to meet with the ladies of Independence in the endeavor to organize a Lewis & Clark club.

Cooper & Hurley offer an 80-acre tract—60 acres cleared, 30 acres in cultivation—good opportunity and good property for the money. \$25 per acre.

R. E. Bryan & Son, a large Dallas firm, have decided to retire from that field and devote their energies to business interests at Falls City.

Clover Leaf, Rebekah Lodge, of this city, has elected Mrs. G. L. Hawkins, Mrs. J. E. Hubbard and Mrs. J. A. Mills delegates to the grand lodge which convenes in Portland May 21. Mrs. E. T. Henkle was recommended as district deputy.

Moore's Hair Invigorator and Herpicide are the world's greatest scalp cleansers and hair invigorators. Both are for sale at J. S. Moore's barber shop. Call and have Mr. Moore give an application of either remedy and you will never be without one or the other.

Several young men drove to Salem last Thursday evening to see Chas. B. Sanford, the Shakespearean scholar, produce "Much Ado About Nothing." The performance was an excellent one, but the attendance was poorer than shows have which come through this place.

The Arcade,
Davidson & Hedges, Props.

CIGARS, CIGARETTES, TOBACCOS and Confectionery.

FIRST CLASS SODA FOUNTAIN IN CONNECTION.

Cooper & Hurley have a tract of 720 acres of good land, well located, improvements, well fenced, only \$32.50 per acre.

Cooper & Hurley offer 53 acres, good house, two hen houses, big barn, good wells, 10 acres in fruit, all cleared. Price, \$70 per acre.

John Lane and wife, old-time friends of the family of Wm. Hiff in Illinois, arrived Monday from the East. They are prospective residents of this vicinity.

Administrator's sale, at the P. H. McCabe farm, one mile north of Independence on Saturday, April 25, at 1 p. m. Will sell two cows and calf, yearling heifer, one horse, household goods, farming utensils, etc. Thos. Pomeroy, administrator.

We want a representative in every city and town in this state to present our business. Our proposition is an exceptional one and offers to a good, reliable, honest party, with references, not less than \$100 per month. No canvassing or appointing of agents—a bona fide legitimate business. Address with stamp, C. G. Pulsifer & Co., Lumber Exchange, Seattle.

Grip Remedies in Great Demand

When colds and grip are prevalent the quickest and surest remedies are in great demand. Mr. Joseph D. Williams, of McDuff, Va., says that he was cured of a very deep and lasting attack of la grippe by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy after trying several other preparations with no effect. For sale by Kirkland Drug Co.

No preparation on the market equals

Formaldehyde

as a smut eradicator. It is a preparation used and recommended by the Oregon Agricultural College. Farmers will do well to give this formula a thorough test.

Directions: One ounce to three gallons of water. This solution is sprinkled on 10 bushels of wheat, and then thoroughly mix in order to moisten each grain.

A. S. Locke,

The Independence Druggist.

Germ Killers Soap and Water

This is supposed to be quite a good preventative for all germs of disease, of whatsoever kind. But of what service is the preventative when not applied. All know that when different objects are hidden from our view that they are the very things that are neglected in every instance. The same rule applies in the soda water business. In the old style fountain, where the tilting jars are used to hold the syrups, they are filled time after time without being washed. In our new sanitary fountain we are simply compelled to keep everything clean, for everything is right in sight, and you know as a general rule people do things because they have to. Our syrups are all kept in bottles, which is the results of later improvements. These syrup bottles have to be filled every morning and there is where the soap and good hot water gets in its work. Our soda fountains has been kept going all through the winter and is now in fine condition to take care of the trade.

A number of new drinks just received.

Harry E. Wagoner,

Main Street,

INDEPENDENCE,

OREGON.