

# Something Good To Eat

It is our aim to find out the demands of the local trade and to supply these demands at the lowest possible spot cash price. Having had 18 years' experience in buying groceries, paying cash at all times, securing all the discounts I can get and by keeping the expenses down as low as possible I am able to sell cheaper and at the same time make a small profit for myself.

You are cordially invited to come in and look at our goods whether you wish to buy or not. We will be pleased at all times to give prices on Groceries, Hay, Grain and all kinds of Feed. You will find us on the corner north of the Independence National Bank.

## THE STAR GROCERY,

F. S. WILSON, Prop., Independence.

Our Motto is: The Best Goods for the Money.

### Monmouth Correspondents.

Dell Mark's little girl is improving.

Miss Nash visited Eugene Saturday.

Preaching in all the churches Sunday evening.

Wm. Robinson, of Lewisville, was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Haggey, of Dundee, Oregon, visited in town last week.

Jason Byers has moved to R. D. Cooper's place, near Independence.

Ed Plaster and family, of Dallas, were the guests of Mr. Zook's family Sunday.

H. A. Wilson and family, of South Dakota, have rented the D. M. Hewitt place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Pool were passengers to Portland Tuesday, to witness the "Ben Hur" performances.

S. A. Smith, of Ohio, is in town visiting his brother, J. M. Smith, whom he had not seen for 24 years. He likes Oregon much better than the East.

Fred Huber, the accommodating clerk in the grocery store, has resigned his position and is re-engaging in the butchering business. He is working for Mr. Johnson.

Recently we visited Buena Vista, and found that place thriving. The recent wind storm did much

damage there, but they are rapidly clearing away the debris and adding improvements.

Clarence Bruce, of Seattle, and Mrs. Dora A. Hiatt, of Monmouth, were married in Portland the 23rd inst. They visited in Monmouth until after Tuesday, leaving then for Seattle.

Much interest is being manifested in raffia work. Aside from the teaching in the lower grades of the Training school, we understand that instruction is to be given in the eighth and ninth grades. A local raffia club has been formed, meeting each Friday evening at Mrs. Mary Campbell's, having for members, Mr. and Mrs. Rice, Miss Stump, Miss Buckham, Miss Smith and Mrs. Campbell.

Don Lewis came up from Portland Wednesday, to spend Thanksgiving here.

Squire Whitman has a school at Aurora.

Dan Howell is visiting his parents here.

Sam Evenden spent Thanksgiving with friends here.

W. J. Mulkey is visiting his son at Pleasant Hill.

A. G. Adkins came down from Lewisville to eat turkey with his family Thursday.

Alva Craven is assisting in the grocery store.

Tom Boothby has commenced work on his new house.

Fred Holman, of Falls City, spent Sunday with friends here.

Fred Ireland spent Thanksgiving with his brother, Dr. O. D. Ireland, of Portland.

A. J. Haley was doing some carpenter work for Keller & Nehrbas last week.

Mrs. Keller and Miss Leta, of Luckiamute, leave this week for a visit with friends in California.

V. O. Boots went to Portland to see "Ben Hur" played.

Charles Murphy spent part of last week hunting on the Pedee and brought home some fine venison.

Lee Russell, who has been visiting relatives in Linn county, returned home Saturday.

#### A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c, at A. S. Locke's Drug Store.

#### Take Notice.

The Candy Kitchen is situated opposite the Hampton hotel.

We keep constantly on hand all kinds of candies of our own manufacture, Christmas candies a specialty. Call and see us before ordering your Xmas candies, and get our prices, for we will not be undersold.

Mrs. H. MOORE, Proprietor.

#### BUENA VISTA.

G. Davidson shipped seventy bales of hay to H. Squires in Portland last Tuesday.

E. N. Hall was a passenger to Salem on the boat Monday.

A. M. McLaughlin and wife left Friday for an extended visit to relatives in Eastern Oregon.

W. J. Steele was a business visitor to Independence Wednesday.

Joe Pelly and wife spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Nash and family.

Harley Prather and mother were Independence visitors Saturday.

Mrs. W. J. Steele was a business visitor to Albany Friday.

W. S. McClain has built a new sidewalk along the east front of his property here. If everyone who owns property here would follow Mr. McClain's lead, we would be able to go about town without having to walk in the mud.

John Wells met with quite an accident November 24, while working with G. A. McLaughlin's wood saw. He got his right hand in the way of the saw with the result of having the ends of three of his fingers cut off.

On Tuesday, November 24th, a trap-shooting was held at the old school house, near Wells, given by the Riders brothers. Several of the Buena boys went and most of them were successful, bringing home one or more turkeys.

Mrs. A. J. Richardson went to Corvallis Monday, where she will spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Rev. S. M. Woods, of Corvallis, will preach in the Evangelical church of this place next Sunday morning, at eleven o'clock. Everybody invited to come out and hear him.

Melvin Baldwin and family now occupy their house here.

Miss M. J. Lee is preparing to set out five acres of strawberries on her piece of land in the north-west part of town.

A. J. Richardson was a passenger on the boat to Salem Monday morning.

Mrs. Melvin Baldwin has been quite sick for the past few days.

#### PARKER.

James Helmick made a business trip to Albany Saturday.

Prince and Frances Lacey visit-

### A RARE OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE

# Photographs Cheap!

The past season we made several hundred photographs for Art Calendars, and now any person who wishes a duplicate photograph from any of the old plates can secure them at a greatly reduced figure. This offer is only open for the next sixty days, and it will pay you to come at once before the Christmas rush.

## Pickel's Negatives

Remember, I have in stock all of the negatives taken by E. Pickel at his gallery in this city. If you wish photographs from any of the old plates it will be to your interest to call at once, as I shall probably not keep them in stock any great length of time.

## Enlarging Pictures

I am prepared to enlarge any photograph and furnish frame for same at a very reasonable figure. I stand back of the guarantee that no pictures will be lost and that satisfaction is guaranteed in each and every instance. Call and inspect my work.

## J. M. McCaleb,

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## Independence, :- Oregon

ed with relatives at Buena Vista Sunday.

Fred Hooper, of Independence, is shipping baled hay to H. Squires, Portland.

Helmick & Bush are shipping oats to Sacramento this week.

Geo. L. Washburn, of Salem, visited Sunday with his sister, Mrs. R. W. Swink.

Mrs. A. J. Richardson, of Buena Vista, was a passenger to Corvallis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Myers, of Olympia, are visiting his sister, Mrs. James Helmick, of Parker.

Forest-ranger A. B. Lacey left Friday for Detroit, on official business.

Mrs. Cordelia Wilson, from Sumpter, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. O. Davidson, of Parker.

Joseph Anderson and P. J. Dickinson and family attended the Dickinson-Goff wedding at Independence Wednesday.

A few of our people attended the entertainment at Buena Vista Thanksgiving and report an enjoyable time.

D. H. Dickinson, of Lone Oak Farm, left Sunday for a month's visit at Monroe, South Dakota. His sister, Belle, of Independence, accompanied him.

Mrs. Frye, who was injured by a fall about two months ago, is greatly improving. On Thanksgiving day she ate dinner at the table for the first time since her illness.

We are pleased to announce that Rev. Thompson, of Buena Vista, will hold religious meetings at this place. Services will be held at the school house at 3 o'clock.

B. H. Pillar was a pleasant caller at Parker Monday. We are indebted to Mr. Pillar for the renewal of his subscription to the ENTERPRISE, and we are indeed very grateful to him for his kindness.

#### Notice of Administrator's Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an order duly made and entered of record by the County court of Polk county, Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Adella Michell, deceased, I, the undersigned administrator, will on and after the 2nd day of January, A. D., 1904 offer for sale and sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described premises subject to the approval of said court, to wit:

Lot 35, except therefrom 25 x 50 feet in the north west corner thereof; and also lots 36, 37 & 38 all the above in block "K," and also lots 7, 8 & 9, in block "D," all in the town of Falls City, in Polk county, Oregon. Bids for same will be received at the law office of Butler & Coad in Dallas, Polk county, Oregon.

J. S. MICHELL,  
Administrator of the estate of Adella Michell, deceased.

#### Death of Mrs. Ohms.

Special from Antioch.

Albertha B. Ohms, after a lingering illness of six weeks, died at her home here, aged 51 years, 1 month and 12 days.

The deceased was born in Germany, October 17, 1852. She came to this country in 1868, settling in Illinois in 1873. She was married to August Ohms before coming to Oregon in 1875. The last twenty-three years of her life has been spent at this place. Her husband, two sons and two daughters have preceded her to the other world. Two daughters, one son, a brother and many friends remain to mourn her loss. She died Sunday, November 29, 1903. The funeral services were held at her home December 1, by Rev. Seiwert, and the remains were laid to rest in the K. of P. cemetery, south of Monmouth.

### HOW YOU STAND.

Each week we will announce in this column your points. No article is credited until after it appears in the paper, although subscriptions and points secured in other ways will be announced as they come in. We want to keep everything fair and straight and if you think an error has occurred in your points write us within the week following and we will make thorough investigation.

Parker	1414
Mrs. Hall	1037
Antioch	943
Suver	815
Buena Vista	343
Rickreall, C.	306
Little Luckiamute	265
Monmouth, H.	259
Maple Grove	209
Airlie, S.	193
Monmouth A.	150
Highlands, D.	133
Monmouth, B.	124
Pedee	85
Falls City	65
Sunny Slope	40