

INDEPENDENCE SOCIAL BRIEFLETS

E. E. Paddock was in Portland this week.

Miss Mary Clodfelter is visiting in Portland.

Chas. Bilyeu was over from Dallas Monday.

Dr. Allen was in Portland a few days this week.

Trevas McDevitt came down from Corvallis Sunday.

Miss Pearl Squire was a passenger to Portland Sunday.

Miss Mabel Bateman returned to Broadmeads Monday.

Ex-County Judge Burch of Rickreall was in town Monday.

Mrs. R. J. Taylor went to Wells Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. Carter.

Miss Retta Campbell of Dallas spent Sunday in Independence with friends.

Miss Goldie Irvine went to Portland Monday for a few days visit with her mother.

John Vaughn and family of Rickreall were visiting Mrs. J. W. Kirkland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Locke of Salem, were guests at the home of L. Damon over Sunday.

Orin Byers came down Friday from Airlie, where he is teaching, to spend Easter at home.

Alta Geisy, an insurance man has been here this week adjusting the Saver warehouse loss.

Henry Clodfelter of Mills City, arrived in Independence Sunday to spend a few days with relatives.

Henry Wilks, after visiting relatives here for several days, went to Portland Sunday to attend school.

J. E. Hubbard and I. L. Smith were disinterested spectators in Dallas on the day of the city election at that place.

Mrs. Carrie Munsell of Portland was a guest at the home of E. E. Paddock over Sunday. Mrs. Munsell is Mrs. Paddock's cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morrison and son visited over Sunday at the home of Mr. Morrison's sister, Mrs. H. Martin on the Luckiamute.

Homer Davenport, the famous cartoonist is in Oregon and is billed to lecture in Salem, Albany, Silverton and a few other places.

Services of special interest at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning and evening. Most excellent music. A very kind welcome to all.

W. W. Newton and family arrived from the East the past week and will locate in this vicinity. Mr. Newton is a brother of G. N. and A. S. Newton.

H. C. Miller, manufacturer of shakes in the Pedee country came in from his homestead this week. During the summer he will conduct a bicycle repair shop in Independence.

The Presbytery of Willamette will meet in Albany college next Tuesday evening, the 12th. Mr. William Riddle and Dr. Thompson are delegates from the Presbyterian church of this city.

Oregon has made a wonderful growth in the past 53 years. In 1851, the population of Oregon was 13,323 all told. Her total vote on June 2, of the same year was only 2,337. The popular vote in November 1900 was 80,000. There will be over 100,000 votes polled in Oregon next November.

Henry Williams of Dallas was in town Sunday.

Miss Reese returned from McMinnville Monday.

Mrs. Ed Clodfelter visited in Independence the past week.

Miss Carrie Danneman of Corvallis attended the Tuesday night dance.

Joseph Torbit returned to Albany Monday after a short visit with friends here.

Miss Mabel Cooper has returned to Eugene after spending the Easter vacation in Independence.

Earl Babcock of McMinnville was a guest at the home of John Dickinsen the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Fennell and Miss Katherine Gentry returned home Monday after spending a few days in Portland.

Miss Ella Shafer returned to her home south of Independence Monday. Miss Shafer has been in Portland the past year.

J. S. Cooper went to Portland Friday and was taken suddenly ill. He was unable to leave his room until Monday morning, when he took the train for home. Mr. Cooper was accompanied by his daughter Miss Pearl.

The Misses Howard of Heppner, are here visiting with their cousin, Mrs. Claud Skinner. The Howard family were living in Heppner at the time of the flood, and five members of the family, the parents and three daughters were swept away. The two sisters happened to be visiting in the country at that time.

Lee Short, foster son of Mrs. M. A. Tethrow, died at his home in Independence Friday, April 1st, after a lingering illness. Deceased was 24 years of age and was a member of the M. E. church. Funeral services were held from the home, Rev. Edmondson officiating. The remains were buried in the Buena Vista cemetery.

Dr. Thompson went to Salem on Sabbath afternoon to preach the sermon at the Knight Templars' Easter service. Several hundred people were in attendance upon this service and the Sir Knights in their attractive uniforms made an imposing and impressive appearance. A choir of the finest singers in Salem gave some choice and charming selections of music.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lucas of Rickreall, while engaged in playing with some other children one day last week, was in some unfortunate way, struck in the eye with a stick of wood. He was taken to Dr. Gillis at Salem, where it was found he had lost the sight of the injured member. Grave fears are also entertained for saving the sight of the other eye. Mr.

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and Mrs. Lucas have the sympathy of the community.

The federal grand jury at Portland, during its session which closed last week returned six indictments in relation to land frauds. Cunningham, the sheep king of Umatilla county, and who gave testimony upon which others were indicted by a previous grand jury, was one of those indicted this time. Emma Watson has been arrested for alleged implication in land swindles in this state.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Voters, register with G. A. Hurley.

Beef scraps and chick food at Frazer & Rice's.

If in need of stationery see us. Craven & Moore's.

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Sythes and lawn mowers for sale at R. M. Wade & Co.'s.

Remember that "Eli" the tinner and plumber is now with Frazer & Rice.

Read the White House announcement by Zed Rosendorf in this issue.

The White House! The White House! New spring goods have arrived. Call and see.

Take your grain to the Independence mill on Wednesdays and Saturdays—chopping.

I want hogs and all other kinds of livestock and will pay you the top price.—W. W. Percival.

Frazer & Rice's warehouse is packed to overflowing with new buggies and there are more to follow.

Mrs. Chas. A. Rice, of Monmouth, announces she will give lessons in oil, water color and China painting.

Johnson, the clothier, at Salem, is the popular place for Polk county people to trade. Finest display in the valley.

Frazer & Rice now have their 1904 stock of bicycles in and would be pleased to show them to those who are interested.

W. W. Percival, of Independence, Oregon, is in the Market for fat stock of all kinds. He pays the highest Market price.

An outfit of tinner's tools have been received and "Eli" the tinner is ready to do any work you may need in his line, at Frazer & Rice's.

It will pay you to call and examine our stock of Schloss Bros. & Co.'s line of spring clothing. The Schloss Bros. make is acknowledged the leader in fit and style and we promise to please you as to price. Johnson & Son, Salem.

Miss Margaret Owen announces in this issue that she has just opened a new millinery store in Monmouth and every body is invited to call and look over her stock and get prices. Goods, good as the best, prices low as the lowest is the motto at Miss Owen's millinery parlors.

G. W. Johnson & Son of Salem have received their spring stock of clothing direct from Schloss Bros. & Co. of New York and Baltimore. All up-to-date dressers know of Schloss Bros. & Co., and the quickest way to get one of these swagger suits is to call on Johnson & Son.

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