

WEST SIDE ENTERPRISE

ELEVENTH YEAR.

INDEPENDENCE, POLK COUNTY, OREGON, JULY 14, 1904.

NUMBER 33

POLK COUNTY BANK.

Incorporated.

MONMOUTH, OREGON

J. H. HAWLEY, President.
P. L. CAMPBELL, Vice President.
IRA C. POWELL, Cashier.

Paid Capital, \$50,000

DIRECTORS—J. H. Hawley, P. L. Campbell, I. M. Simpson, J. B. V. Butler, John B. Stump, J. A. Withrow, F. S. Powell.

Transacts General Banking and Exchange business. Drafts sold available throughout the United States and Canada.

THE INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL BANK

CAPITAL STOCK, \$50,000.00.

H. HIRSHBERG, President. ABRAHAM NELSON, Vice President.
C. W. IRVINE, Cashier.

DIRECTORS—H. Hirschberg, D. W. Searns, B. F. Smith, J. P. Rhodes and A. Nelson.

A general banking and exchange business transacted. Loans made. Bills discounted. Commercial credits granted. Deposits received on current account subject to check.

DAVIDSON & HEDGES

Headquarters For

Fine Cigars, Tobaccos, Candies

Pipes in endless variety from cob. Soda fountain for the hot days.
to briar-root and finest Meerschaum. You are always welcome.

DAVIDSON & HEDGES

C STREET INDEPENDENCE, OREGON

LIVERY, FEED AND BOARDING STABLE

I. W. DICKINSON, Prop.

Good Rigs for Commercial Men a Specialty.
Good accommodations. Horses well fed. Fine
rigs. Horses boarded by day, week or month.

Telephone No. 293

Independence, Oregon

Oregon State Normal School

Monmouth, Oregon



This school begins its 23rd year September 20, 1904, terms in each school year affording equal opportunities for beginning a course in September, November, February and April. The best training for teachers is the normal course with its assurance of good positions at good wages. Write for new catalogue containing full information concerning courses of study, training in actual teaching in town and country schools and full details about the advanced course of study with the additional advantages attached. Address
Secretary J. B. U. Butler, or
President E. D. Rossler,
MONMOUTH, ORE.

Plumbing Done

On Short Notice

Plows and all kinds of
Edged Tools
Ground While You Wait

Independence and Monmouth
WATER and LIGHT CO.

People You Know Scattered Abroad

Formerly Citizens of These
Parts, Now in Different Parts
of the Wide Wide World.

None in the Penitentiary and
all Engaged in Professional
and Industrial Life.

Independence has been the home of a large number of well known people now scattered throughout the land particularly on the Pacific coast. A reunion of former Independenceites if called now, while the city is already crowded for living accommodations, would necessitate resort to tents.

J. H. Townsend P. H. D. is pastor of the Presbyterian church at Roseburg and at present is making a visit to his mother in Ireland.

Rev. W. S. Smith is a Sunday School Missionary in Southern Oregon, with his home in Oakland.

Rev. G. H. Williams resides in Osiri, Cal.

Prof. P. A. Hayes is principal of the public schools in Albany.

W. E. Yates is practicing law at Corvallis.

O. A. Thornton is a physician in Portland.

Wright Smith deals in dry goods at Waiteburg, Wash.

Ed Hirschberg is in Salem.

George Henkle is in the dry goods business at Corvallis.

Sam DeCamp and W. A. Baker are in the Soldiers Home at Roseburg.

F. Demming and brother B. Demming are in Lane county farming.

J. G. Stoll, formerly a baker and restaurateur here is now cooking for the New Grimes hotel at Seaside.

Charles and George O'Brien live in Salem. Frank is conducting a hotel in Albany.

George Claggett is a resident of Portland.

Roswell Shelly is selling goods at Hood River.

W. W. Allingham, principal of the public school here two years ago, is salesman for a candy house in Portland.

Miss Cora Snell is starring as leading lady with the Palmer Stock Company.

Miss Ann Mann is teaching in Alaska.

Frank Buckley is in a hardware store at Snohomish, Wash.

George Stapleton is a prominent attorney of Portland.

M. O. Potter is engaged in the glove manufacturing business in Portland.

Miss Essie Robinson is a stenographer in Portland.

Mrs. Ella Irvine and daughter Goldie, are living in Portland.

George Steele is traveling salesman for a threshing firm.

Warren Cressy is engaged in mercantile business in South Bend, Wash.

Will Kirkland is at Condon, Gilliam county.

Miss Grace Damon is central telephone girl at Salem.

Miss Josie Deaton is editing the Post at Ione, More county.

CA McLaughlin, Ralph Richards, Wm Mackey and Oliver Smith are digging gold in Alaska.

Harry and Clarence Wagoner are engaged in the manufacture of candy in Portland.

Miss Louise Hopper is a telephone girl at Salem.

Dr. A. B. Gillis is practicing medicine in Salem.

Mrs. Rosendorf resides in Corvallis.

Dr. W. C. Brown is practicing medicine at Burns, Harney county.

Brown and Bailey, formerly known here, are running the Brownsville Times at Brownsville.

J. B. Moran is manager of the Standard Biscuit Company in Portland.

John Hale, formerly of the firm of Graves & Hale is employed in a grocery store at Baker City.

C. E. Pentland who was once editor of the West Side is now managing editor of the Humboldt Times at Crescent City, California.

Miss Sophia Wolfe is teaching elocution in Kansas City.

Ed Somerville is a stockman of Eastern Oregon.

Frank Burch is county auditor at Pomeroy, Wash.

W. T. Hoffman a well known mill man here is managing the Pilot Knob Gold Mining Company in Nevada.

John T. Ford is serving his second term as sheriff at Dallas.

E. V. Dalton, the last county treasurer resides in Dallas.

Harry Smith is engaged in the hardware business in Vale, Malheur county.

F. A. Dooty, who still has interests here, makes his headquarters in Portland.

Mel Baldwin is agent for the O. C. T. Co., at Salem.

"Billy" Patterson lives in Yakima, Wash.

J. L. Stockton is conducting a mercantile business in Salem.

Oliver Locke is in the dry goods business at Salem.

Al Herren is living in Salem.

Dr. O. P. Lowe has a large practice in Arlington, Or.

P. Murphy is engaged in his old occupation as shoe maker in Grass Valley, Eastern Oregon.

L. W. Robertson is a citizen of Portland.

J. M. Meeker, a well known hop grower is residing at Puyallup, Wash.

Homer Hawley is in the grocery business at Pendleton.

Robt. Wilcox is in Pendleton dealing in agricultural implements.

J. A. Wheeler predecessor of the present postmaster is at Long Beach, California.

Harry Denlinger is practicing law in Portland.

Hon. I. L. Patterson is collector of customs, for the Port of Portland.

Dave Collins is traveling for a leading cereal company of Seattle, Wash.

J. A. Veness owns and operates extensive lumber mills at Winlock, Wash.

W. H. Wheeler is in business at Everett, Wash.

A. J. Goodman is of the firm of Goodman, Thompson & Co., Pendleton, Oregon.

King Tethrow is at Spokane, Wash.

Sol Stump and sons when last heard from were in Alaska.

Prof. A. Sanders is principal of the high school at Roseburg.

W. P. Connaway formerly cashier of the First National Bank here is now cashier of the Vancouver National Bank, Wash.

Ed Masterson cashier of the First National Bank here is book keeper for the Astoria Savings Bank.

Fred Chambers is in the hardware and furnishing business at Eugene.

John Alexander is deputy clerk of Anaconda county, Wash.

Charles Collins is running a drug store of his own in Seattle.

Judge M. L. Pupos who taught his first term of school and edited his first paper here, is senior partner of one of the leading law firms of Portland.

Rev. S. A. George is in Tacoma, Wash.

Rev. E. Mergatroid has lived at New Vernon, N. J. since leaving Independence a number of years ago.

HOUSE BURNS.

The house occupied by the family of Clarence Clodfelter, one block south of Motor street caught fire on the roof Saturday morning shortly after ten o'clock. The fire company promptly responded to the alarm and succeeded in saving almost the entire contents of the house. The roof was burned through but did not fall in. The outside walls were damaged very little, but the smoke and water proved disastrous to the inside furnishings. The house was owned by J. A. Vaness of Winlock, Wash., and was fully insured.

Special Services.

Hear the sermon on "Heaven" in the Auditorium. The morning service will be held in the churches. Rev. Garmon will sing "The Holy City." Meetings continue next week.

The special meetings now in progress at the Christian church are increasing in interest. Six have been added to the church by letter and statement. The music is of high order, consisting of new 20th Century songs and the teachings of the new testament as presented by the Pastor E. C. Wigmore are plainly and earnestly given each evening. Sunday services will be held in the Auditorium.

The horse hitched to the Star grocery delivery wagon became frightened by a steam engine on the Monmouth street bridge Saturday morning and backing off of the west end of the bridge, taking boys, wagon, groceries and all down in a heap, the boys underneath and the horse on top. The distance they fell was ten feet. No bones were broken and aside from a few bruises no one was hurt. The wagon was badly wrecked.

Miss Rebecca Clifton is visiting in Portland.

COUNTY COURT

Mr. Trent, Formerly of Tennessee Appointed Court House Janitor.

Court Gives Attention to Consideration of Bills, and Views Roads and Bridges.

County court was in session again Monday, clearing up the bills and other accumulated business. A number of road petitions have been presented to the new court. All bills presented are not allowed. On Tuesday Commissioners Riddell and Riggs started out on an inspecting tour of the roads and bridges that have been brought to the court's attention. The Rider bill on the Independence road, recently completed by Mr. Royal of Salem and the bridge across Soap creek at Ridders Grove, especially were visited.

After considering the recommendations and merits of different applicants for court house janitor, Mr. Trent has been appointed by the court. Mr. Trent is a new comer from Tennessee. He was highly recommended.

The matter of loss sustained by reason of the fire started in the court-house on the Fourth of July was brought to the attention of the insurance companies through the local agents. The companies have not yet answered as to whether or not they will make good the loss. The total amount of insurance was \$16000.

REAL ESTATE.

U. S. to E. L. Ketchum, patent 160 acres in tp 7 s, of r 7 w.

Pierce Tragle et ux to P. E. and A. J. Tragle, deed undivided interest in section 13, tp 7 s, of r 7 w, \$5000.

W. R. Craven et ux to E. N. Hall, deed, lot in Dallas \$395.

S. C. L. Moore to Mrs. M. A. Simpson, deed, 5 acres in section 24, tp 8 s, of r 5 w, \$800.

Wm. Steel et ux to A. G. Porter, deed, lot in Buena Vista \$150.

Coast Land & Live Stock Company, to J. McI. Wood, Agent deed, (Quitclaim) land in Benton, Polk and Lincoln counties \$100.

P. H. Johnson to C. H. Ebbe lot in Monmouth, \$600.

H. Hill to Mabel Cressy lot in Independence \$200.

J. T. Cooper to W. G. and Josephine Stanton, lots in West Salem \$12000.

U. S. to George W. Hagood patent, one half of section 8 in tp 7 s, of r 7 w.

R. W. Craven to Emma Dun, lot Dallas \$75.

John A. Williams to W. P. McCabe, 75 acres in section 12, tp 10 s, of r 6 w.

At the M. E. Church next Sabbath morning there will be a specially interesting service. The subject will be "The Lost Cord of Present Day Christianity." During the service Mrs. E. E. Paddock will sing the beautiful song "The Lost Cord." This will be a special treat. There will be no services in the evening.

E. T. Chase and B. H. Jenkins of Portland passed through Independence Sunday horseback on their way to the Siuslaw. Messrs Chase and Jenkins are members the Portland Hunt Club and take a long horse back ride every summer.

J. S. McCready, of the firm of McCready & Earhart, has recently purchased the cottage in which he lives, of Henry Hill, located at the south end of Main street.