

Social and Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. Eph Young are visiting in Portland.

Attorney H. Denlinger returned to Portland Wednesday.

Mrs. Clarence Ireland came down from Corvallis Wednesday.

Sam Damon returned to Corvallis Wednesday.

W. W. Percival is in Portland on business.

Attorney G. A. Hurley was a business visitor to Salem Wednesday.

The Presbyterian Ladies are earnestly at work for their bazaar to be given Dec. 9.

George Atkins and family have changed their residence from Monmouth to Salem.

There will be a dance given by the Independence orchestra, at the Auditorium Saturday evening.

For a visit with Corvallis friends Dr. O. D. Butler of Independence, was in Corvallis over Sunday.—Corvallis Times.

Mayor J. S. Cooper, of Independence, was in the city yesterday for a short business visit.—Albany Herald.

The Albany college and Willamette University football teams will fight for honors at Albany Thanksgiving.

D. B. Taylor was a passenger Wednesday on the south bound train. Mr. Taylor had his dogs and gun with him.

Mrs. Jas. Hillard and daughter arrived in Independence from Washington yesterday and will make an extended visit at the home of Ed Hillard.

K. C. Eldridge, the creamery man has ordered for some of his dairy patrons 20 tons of dairy oil meal. This meal costs \$30 per ton. Dairy men find it profitable in producing richer milk.

Gladys Wilson entertained a few friends Tuesday afternoon, in honor of her twelfth birthday. An old fashion taffy pulling and games were indulged in for several hours, after which the guests took their departure, wishing Miss Gladys many happy returns of the day.

The ground has been staked off for another residence in Independence. It will be built right away by J. M. Mitchell on his property opposite the auditorium. It will be a 7 room cottage arranged according to plan suggested by J. L. McCandless who is given an option in advance on the property.

The Lewis & Clark club met at the home of Mrs. J. S. Cooper Wednesday afternoon. After an interesting session and the discussion of various possibilities, the club elected the following officers: Mrs. J. S. Cooper President, Mrs. O. D. Butler, Mrs. J. E. Hubbard and Mrs. W. G. Cressy 1st 2nd and 3d Vice President; Mrs. W. R. Allin Secretary, Mrs. S. E. Owen treasurer.

The only democrat elected in Illinois was Martin D. Foster of the twenty third Congressional district according to latest reports. The Illinois congressman-elect is a son of B. Foster of this city and a brother of Miss Leotta Foster a teacher in the Independence public school and also a brother of Mrs. Parker. Mr. B. Foster now 78 years of age is naturally much gratified over the success achieved by his son which is no small honor.

Mrs. Ada Wallace Unruh W. C. T. U. lecturer will address the people of Independence at the Methodist church on "Purity" Sunday evening. A mothers meeting will be held 2:30 to 4 P. M. on Sunday. Everybody cordially invited to both services. On Monday evening Mrs. Unruh will lecture at the Christian church in Monmouth and hold a mothers meeting in the afternoon of the same day at that place. She will lecture Tuesday evening at Buena Vista, the lecture there also to be preceded by a mothers meeting.

Carl Percival is in Portland for the purpose of making arrangements to enter business college.

I. O. O. F. G. M. of Oregon J. A. Mills, will meet with Valley Lodge on Tuesday evening, Nov. 17. All Odd Fellows are invited to attend.

Services at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath as usual. Sabbath school at 10 A. M. preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Special services in the evening and a topic of special interest to all. Song service and excellent music by the choir. A very kind welcome to all and especially to strangers in the city.

Brown Bros. are driving a flock of 1,140 sheep through from Corvallis to Portland this week. They passed through Monmouth Tuesday. Most of this flock were bought up in Benton county. Other stockmen in this part of the valley ship their hogs and sheep by rail but the Brown Bros. are trying the early day custom of driving. Whether or not it is cheaper than paying the freight rates will be of interest to shippers. The annual Chrysanthemum Fair will be given by the ladies of the M. E. church of Independence next week. A list of premiums will be found in another column. An interesting program will be rendered from the stage each evening. The ladies getting up the exhibit and the parties in charge of the evening program are a guarantee that the Fair and entertainments will well be worth attending.

Chrysanthemum Fair

The ladies of the M. E. church will give their annual Chrysanthemum Fair on the evenings of the 17 and 18 of November, at the opera house. Admission at the door, ten cents.

LIST OF PREMIUMS

1st specimen of white	50c
2nd " white	25c
1st " pink	50c
2nd " pink	25c
1st " yellow	50c
2nd " yellow	25c
1st collection of 10	\$2.00
2nd " 10	1.00
1st " 5	1.00
2nd " 5	50c

All chrysanthemums to be entered should be brought before four o'clock, Thursday afternoon, November 17.

Visitors Entertained

Homer Lodge No. 45, K. of P. entertained a visiting delegation from Cascade Lodge No. 92, Falls City, Wednesday night. At the lodge room, the visitors witnessed exemplification of work in the different degrees and at 11 o'clock, were banquetted at the Little Palace hotel. The visitors present were: G. L. McMurphy, J. V. Dennis, S. S. O'Brien, J. Chamberlain, H. Fugit, F. Harris, N. Hamilton, A. J. Muckle, F. Lanway, F. F. Robinson, W. B. McKown. The Falls City knights came by team, driving home in the early hours of the morning. Homer lodge is in a flourishing condition, new members being received every week.

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