

Social and Personal.

Elias Ferguson is in Portland this week.

Mrs. J. S. Cooper and son Ted were in the Capital City yesterday.

Will McCready is in Portland this week.

Carl Percival returned to Portland Wednesday after a week's visit at home.

D. W. Sears, W. W. Percival, G. A. Hurley and Roy Hawkins attended Legislature Wednesday.

Get ready for the masquerade.

Regular show—the masquerade Tuesday night of next week.

Miss Vena Goff arrived home from Montana this week, having resigned her position she held as teacher.

Mrs. I. F. Holt has purchased property in the vicinity of the public school.

The G. A. R. will hold their Lincoln Memorial service at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. D. Foster returned today after an extended visit with her daughter at Vancouver.

Mrs. Rottie Rose and son of Philomath visited with Mrs. Rose's sister Mrs. Thos. Fennell this week.

At the New Years meeting of Cascade Lodge, K. of P. at Falls City which was attended by Homer lodge of Independence, committees were appointed from both lodges to visit Dallas and report upon advisability of establishing a lodge at the county seat. Over twenty names have been secured and the prospects are Dallas will soon have a strong organization of the K. P. order.

J. G. Cleland of Portland was in Independence this week.

Dan Howell was in Portland this week.

Fred Oberer was a passenger to the Metropolis Tuesday.

Dick Mattison was over from Dallas yesterday.

W. R. Craven was a business visitor to Portland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ireland returned to Corvallis Wednesday.

Judge Hewitt of Albany passed through Independence Tuesday evening, returning from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clodfelter are now living in the Dr. Ketchum cottage on Monmouth street.

Mark, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hanna has been seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia but is now slowly improving.

General Passenger Agent O'Neal of the Northern Pacific was in Independence the first of the week.

Mrs. Violet Ross and little daughter of Portland were guests at the home of Mrs. M. A. Tethrow the past week.

J. W. McAllister and family from California are guests at the home of Mrs. McAllister's sister Mrs. C. C. Hale of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walker of Corvallis were the guests of the Walker Bros. a few days this week, returning home Wednesday.

Mrs. John Johnson returned to Corvallis Wednesday after attending the commencement exercises at Monmouth. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Velma Ground.

Riley Cooper returned this week from an extended visit in the East. Mr. Cooper visited in Missouri, Kansas and Arkansas, and was in Los Angeles, Cal., a week before returning to Oregon. He reports a very pleasant trip.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS CLOSE TO-NIGHT

The Evangelistic meetings conducted by Evangelist Rev. J. E. Snyder and the singer Rev. A. D. Soper at the Presbyterian church close this evening. The meetings have been largely attended and deep interest manifested by many. Quite a number have experienced a desire to become Christians. The preaching of Rev. Snyder has been plain, pointed and practical and has reached the hearts of many. The singing by Rev. Soper has captured everyone. All are delighted with the singer and his songs. The meetings have been productive of great good and a rich blessing to Independence. All the churches of the city united in the services and the best of feeling prevailed throughout the entire term. Rev. Snyder goes to Dallas on Saturday to begin meetings there and Rev. Soper returned to Portland where he has charge of the Peoples Institute in that city. They will be very kindly remembered by all who met them and enjoyed the meetings they conducted.

Funeral of Mrs. Sailor.

The funeral of Mrs. Marie Sailor who was drowned New Year's eve at Skamockawa, Wash., was held at Dallas Wednesday. The services were conducted at the North M.E. church. Her husband and two sisters accompanied the body from Portland. Her mother who resides in Dallas was unable to attend the funeral. She has been prostrated since the disappearance of her daughter, and for a time her life was despaired of and she is yet in a critical condition.

Meeting of City Council

The city council held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening. The resignation of D. B. Taylor as a member of the council was presented and accepted. Mr. Taylor's reasons for asking to be relieved from the duties of a councilman were that having interest in Benton county demanding his attention, it would no longer be convenient to attend council meetings nor give the city's affairs the attention required of a member of the council.

The bond of G. A. Hurley in the sum of \$2000 as city treasurer, and the bond of J. R. Cooper for the Imperial saloon were approved. But little new business was discussed in the council, the members preferring to wait until the new charter became a living entity.

Call And Settle.

Having taken a partner into the harness business, all indebted to me prior to this date are requested to call and settle back accounts. All accounts coming to me personally must be settled by the 15 of this month. C. A. Kurre.

Walnut Trees For Sale.

For English walnut trees write to Brooks & Sons, Carlton, Ore., Walnut Nursery.

For the Sanitarium Habit there is no cure save poverty.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDEN, KINSMAN & MARVIN Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Grim Tragedy

is daily enacted in thousands of homes as Death claims, in each one, another victim of Consumption or Pneumonia. But when Coughs and Colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley, of Oaklandon, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, and three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which cured her, and today she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and \$1.00 by A. S. Locke, druggist. Trial bottle free.

Harness! Harness!

Just Received a Fine Assortment of harness and other harness store goods.

We Are Here to Stay

We have the goods and our prices are right. We will meet Salem or any other city in prices.

One Weeks Sale

In order to make more room for Spring Stock we will sell, for One Week Only,

Regardless of Cost

The following articles at the reduced prices named.

ROBES		HORSE BRUSHES	
\$6.00 robe	\$4.95	25c brush	15c
7.00 "	5.25		
3.00 Wool Robes	2.25	AXEL GREASE	
2.50 robes	1.95	10c can	7c
		15c "	12c
		25c "	19c
		5c "	3c
HORSE BLANKET			
\$2.50 lined blanket	\$2.00		

Call and examine for yourself.

Kurre & Dunham

Independence Oregon

Masquerade Ball

INDEPENDENCE AUDITORIUM

St Valentines Day, Feb. 14.

SUPPER AT LITTLE PALACE HOTEL.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Fennell have moved into their new residence on 5th street.

R. Gibson of Eugene is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Cecile Wilcox visited her grandparents at Rickreall Wednesday and Thursday.

J. M. Stark is putting in tile and draining the property which he recently purchased, on railroad street. The house is undergoing repairs in general and when finished will be an attractive piece of property.

Colonel J. B. Eddy, ex-railroad commissioner, former speaker of the Third House, who came within a few votes of being nominee for Congress and who is now an official for the Harriman Lines was in Independence and Monmouth this week, having attended the Commencement exercises at the Normal. Colonel Eddy's daughter, Miss Gertrude, was a graduate of the February class.

The Post Office at Lewisville Oregon will be discontinued after February 28. And all mail going to the people at Lewisville should be addressed to Monmouth R. F. D. Number 1. This route has had a mail carrier on for the past three years. Fred Huber of Monmouth is now the carrier.

M. B. Grant, a champion chicken fancier of Polk county, this week invested \$15 in a Barred Plymouth Rock rooster, an unusually fine bird. It was purchased from J. C. Murry of Portland.

The big smoke stack to the new mill has been hoisted and with no mishap. Sawing for the mill's own use will begin the latter part of next week. D. H. Simpson, the Airlie merchant will come down to run the mill.

Rev. A. J. Hunsaker of McMinnville will preach at the Baptist church Sunday both morning and evening.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Craven is seriously ill.

There will be a service for the children at the Methodist church Sunday morning. Special music will be provided. The front seats will be reserved for the children. There will be a musical treat at night. Beside singing by the large choir a solo will be rendered by Mrs. Paddock and a duet by Mrs. Dorris and Prof. Aylesworth. A "red hot" gospel sermon will be delivered by the pastor. All are invited.

Regular services at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath conducted by the pastor. Interesting topics both morning and evening. A very kind welcome to all.

The comic opera, "Trial by Jury" will be given at the opera house on the evening of February 17, instead of the 7th as was stated in last issue.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Moore's Hair Invigorator and Newbro's Herpicide for dandruff and falling hair or diseased scalp sold in bulk, 50c 8 oz., or applied if necessary by Moore & Taylor's, the barbers on C street.

If it is neat, up-to-date job printing you are looking for, stop at this office.

J. M. McCandless, the new proprietor of the Independence Tile factory, has for sale a large quantity of 3 and 4 inch tiling.

Give Mr. McCandless a call and your orders will be promptly filled.

The Original
Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Sold by A. S. Locke.

Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D.
Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." Sold by A. S. Locke.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong
He neglected to take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first signs of Kidney trouble, hoping it would wear away, and he was soon a victim of Bright's disease. There is danger in delay, but if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at once the symptoms will disappear, the kidneys are strengthened and you are soon sound and well. A. H. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night, and had a severe backache and pains in the kidneys and was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by A. S. Locke.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Mother's Favorite
The soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children, for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief, and as it contains no opium or other harmful drug, it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by P. M. Kirkland.

Winter Rates to Yaquina Bay
In order to accommodate the many people who wish to make a winter trip to Yaquina Bay, the Southern Pacific company will sell on Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week, until March 31, 1905, round trip tickets, at low rates, to Yaquina and return, limited to sixty days from date of sale. Those who desire to take advantage of this rate should apply to nearest Southern Pacific agent for tickets. Agts: Oregon City, Harrisburg, Aurora, Hillsboro, Woodburn, Newberg, Salem, Sheridan, Jefferson, Forest Grove, Springfield, McMinnville, Brownsville, Independence, Eugene, Lebanon.

Startling but True
People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 3,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have warded it off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when threatened with pneumonia." W. D. Wilcox, Logan, New York. Sold by P. M. Kirkland, the druggist.

It will pay you to keep Chamberlain's colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in your home. It costs only a quarter. Sold by P. M. Kirkland the druggist.

Even an intellectual feast depends largely on the mental digestion.

Sickening Shivering Fits
of Ague and Malaria can be relieved and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure, tonic medicine; of especial benefit in malaria, for it exerts a true curative influence on the disease, driving it entirely out of the system. It is much to be preferred to Quinine, having none of this drug's bad after-effects. E. S. Munday, of Henrietta, Tex., writes: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice, till he took Electric Bitters, which saved his life. At A. S. Locke's drug store; price 50c, guaranteed.

A Menace to Health
Kidney trouble is an insidious danger and many people are victims of a serious malady before the symptoms are recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure corrects irregularities and strengthens and builds up the kidneys, and it should be taken at the first indication of kidney trouble, as it is impossible to have good health if the kidneys are deranged. Sold by A. S. Locke.

Pirating Foley's Honey and Tar.
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Itch—Ringworm
E. T. Lucas, Wingo, Ky., writes, April 25, 1902: "For 10 to 12 years I had been afflicted with a malady known as the 'itch.' The itching was most unbearable. I had tried for years to find relief, having tried all remedies I could hear of, besides a number of doctors. I wish to state that one single application of Ballard's Snow Lintiment cured me completely and permanently. Since then I have used the liment on two separate occasions for ring worm and it cured completely, 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by A. S. Locke.