

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS**

Dr. Allin, Dentist, Co per Bidg Good work horses for sale John Robbins. 3-31f

Portland bread fresh every day at Irvine's grocery

Genuine butter Nut bread at Irvine's grocery

Vetch seed for sale by J. H. Collins Independence. 3-20

Williams' Jubilee singers at the opera house March 4

A good pair of Reading glasses \$1.00 at Kreamer's.

At the opera house March 4, hear Williams' Jubilee Singers.

County Assessor Graves was a pleasant caller at this office Friday.

R. R. Wallace of Lebanon, was registered at the Palace Hotel, Saturday

Full line muslin underwear, new arrivals at Messner, Conkey & Walker's.

Leif S. Finseth, of Dallas, was visiting friends in the city over Sunday.

New Summer wash goods already for showing at Messner, Conkey & Walker's.

Chamberlain and Long took charge of their meat market this week.

Buy the best in patterns, the Pictorial Review at Messner, Conkey & Walker's.

The Polk county tax list is at the First State Bank where taxes may be paid.

No more waiting for patterns Messner, Conkey & Walker carry a complete stock.

See the Arabian Nights at the opera house Saturday night. It is good and funny.

I. M. Simpson, of Simpson's Station, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

16 inch oak and fir wood for sale perfectly dry. G. W. Shew at the factory. Phone 346. 3-6

Forget your sorrows. There is a hearty laugh for you at the opera house Saturday night.

For Sale or Trade for Fresh Cow - A 240 egg incubator and brooder. Call on J. W. Bullard. 2-5

Some beautiful things in new spring dress goods just in at Messner, Conkey & Walker's.

Mrs. J. Hedgepeth has gone to Corvallis to be at the bedside of her cousin Mrs. J. W. Simpson.

Complete line ladies muslin underwear in exceptionally good values at Messner, Conkey & Walker's.

320 egg Petaluma Incubator for sale. Good running order. Inquire at Hanna & Irvine's hardware store. 3-3.

Jasperson, the undertaker, keeps a full and complete stock of funeral goods, prices for full size coffins as low as \$17.00

The Misses Pearl and Cora Smith have taken up their residence with Mrs. Hedgepeth for the remainder of the school term.

Wm. DeHaven was in the city from McMinnville yesterday and reports a condenser soon to be built at that place.

John B. Polk an experienced organ man will be in Monmouth this week doing some fine work on organs. Call at Hampton's hotel.

Drop head sewing machines, up to date for \$13.75 can be had from Jasperson who has nearly forty years experience with sewing machines.

The regular list of taxes for the county of Polk is now in the hands of the Independence National Bank where those who wish may call and pay the same.

Ross Nelson informs the Enterprise man that it is the intention of his father and himself to plow up their hop yard and plant the land to corn, from which they will manufacture ensilage and feed cows, turning the raw material eventually into butter. A good idea and others might profit by it. It is what ought to be done.

Geo. E. Waggoner, of the Home Telephone Co., was up from Portland Friday trying to get an organization started for the installing of an independent telephone system here to connect with the Home company. He had a meeting at the opera house in the evening, with a number of those interested, but nothing definite was done.

P. H. Murphy and wife, of Grass Valley, are here on an extended visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Dugan. Mr. Murphy was engaged in the shoemaker business here about 12 years ago, but has been making his home in Grass Valley for several years. They will remain here until about April 1.

V. H. Staats, of Bend, was a pleasant caller at this office Friday. He was on his way home from California. This section of the state is his boyhood home and nearly everybody knows "Billy" Staats. His father, Hon. Stephen Staats, was one of the sturdy pioneers that did heroic service for the state in the days of its infancy.

Prof. I. C. Lewis of the Agricultural college has been asked to be present at the cannery meeting Saturday and also two practical cannermen, who will address the meeting on the lines of what to raise for the most profit and also on handling products for the cannery.

At the O. S. N. S. tonight will occur the first inter-collegiate debate and it promises to be very interesting. McMinnville college will cross sabers, as it were with the State Normal on the question "resolved that the strikes on the whole have been beneficial."

The committee on soliciting subscriptions and products for the cannery held a meeting yesterday morning and have gone to work with a will and it is fair to presume that they will bring in a good report next Saturday.

We are now nearly ready to show our new spring suits for men. In snappy up-to-date garments these beat anything yet shown in Independence call and inspect them at Messner, Conkey & Walker's.

The first time you are in the store call for our \$1.50 lawn waists and let us show you something far better than anything shown in the town before. Messner, Conkey & Walker's

Now is the time to spray your trees with lime and sulphur solution for the first spraying. This you can get at R. M. Wade & Co's.

Ladies Massaging and shampooing done at Cleve Robinson's barber shop, with electric vibration. Hours 7 to 8 p. m.

Rev. J. W. McDougal, of Portland will preach in the Methodist church, morning and evening next Sunday.

J. F. Smith, one of the prosperous farmers in the Luckiamute district, was a pleasant caller at this office Monday.

H. E. Herren, the Salem nurseryman, was looking after business matters in this city last Friday.

First showing of new spring waists Friday and Saturday at Messner, Conkey & Walker's.

D. H. Simpson, the Airie merchant, was a business visitor in Independence Friday.

Stewart's horse clippers and sheep shearing machines are for sale at R. M. Wade & Co's.

J. S. Wilson is making some radical changes in the interior of his store.

Bean Spray pumps and spray material for sale by R. M. Wade & Co.

Dr. Dugaune, dentist, over Independence National Bank.

**HIGHLAND.**

R. P. Simons offers a reward of 10c to anybody saying he won't marry if he gets a chance.

Anybody finding a leg of mutton with a wire wound around it will please return the same to S. M. Mc-

Blindery. F. Vallier takes the cake. He is smoking corn cob tobacco at 15 cents a pound.

If you want a swift ride on a tongueless buggy call on F. E. Haman, so says Gen. Shafer.

S. L. Compton has set out a few cabbage plants and he said if they won't come to a head he will call on F. Vallier.

Mrs. Shafer is going into the hog business. She is nursing one little pig with a bourbon bottle. See?

Mrs. Joe Berry was laid to her eternal rest last Saturday at two o'clock and Highland has lost a highly esteemed friend.

Arch Sloper is down at his sister-in-laws with a poisoned finger. Too bad.

Mr. P. Shafer is quite sick. He is bed fast.

S. L. Compton says that he has hay to sell to those wishing to feed their horses for the big horse show.

Happy is a busy man. He keeps the streets of Highland warm. He will soon be in need of a new pair of shoes.

**To Hunt With The Long Bow.**

The Forest Grove News says that Capt. Barnes has received a box of hunting arrows preparatory to taking a trip into British Columbia this fall. The Captain has been contemplating this trip for several years. He will be accompanied by Will H. Thompson, of Seattle, Dr. Henry Jones, of Portland, Editor Frenz, of the Youths Companion, J. M. Challie and Z. E. Jackson, prominent attorneys of Atchinson, Kansas. They will be gone a month or more and do all their hunting with the old fashioned English long bow, manufactured out of Oregon yew by Capt. Barnes in his workshop at Forest Grove.

Perhaps but few of the readers of this paper know that Oregon has the only bow maker in the United States and that his product is sought for all over the world. He has shipped his bows to every civilized country and this state has received more widespread notice among the wealthy people of other lands, through the work of Captain Barnes than through all other channels combined. The Oregon yew is acknowledged as the best material from which the Long bow can be made. The Captain is the head of the Maurice Thompson Archery Club at Forest Grove. This club was named in honor of the late Maurice Thompson, a brother of Will H. Thompson and the author of Alice of Old Vincennes. No arms will be allowed on this trip excepting bows and arrows and those contemplating taking the trip are enthusiastic as to the big game they will kill.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

To the Hon. Frank W. Benson, Secretary of State, Salem, Oregon, and to the members of the Republican party and to the electors of the Counties of Polk and Lincoln, in the state of Oregon, I Benjamin F. Jones, reside at Independence, Polk County, Oregon, I am a duly registered member of the Republican party, in South Independence Precinct, Polk County, Oregon, If I am nominated for the office of Joint Representative for Polk and Lincoln counties, at the Primary election to be held, on the 17th day of April 1908. I will accept the nomination and will not withdraw, and if I am elected I will qualify as such officer.

The direct Primary law having passed by a vote of 56,850, against 16,354 and believing in the doctrine that the people know what they want, I further state to the people of Oregon, as well as to the people of my legislative district, that during my term of office I will always vote for the candidate for United States Senator in Congress who shall have received the highest number of the peoples votes for that position at the general election next preceding the election of a Senator in Congress without regard to my individual preference.

If nominated and elected I will during my term of office stand for the just regulation of all transportation, equitable assessment and taxation of all property, State or National ownership of the Locks at Oregon City, and the improvement of all navigable waters in Oregon A most liberal policy for all Public Schools. The right of suffrage to women.

B. F. Jones.

**For Sale.**

Logan and Mammoth Blackberry sets 1 cent apiece. C. P. WELLS, Buena Vista 3-3

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**Notice to Creditors.**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Theron Albin Ireland, deceased, by the County Court of the state of Oregon, for Polk County, and has qualified. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at his residence near Monmouth, in said county, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated and first published February 21, 1908. WILLIAM H. THOMPSON, Administrator of the estate of Theron Albin Ireland, deceased. Oscar Hayer, Attorney.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator with will annexed of the estate of John Loy, deceased, by the County Court of the state of Oregon, for Polk County, and has qualified.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified, together with the proper vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at his residence near Buena Vista in said county, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated and first published February 20, 1908. JOHN B. LOY, Administrator with annexed of the estate of John Loy, deceased. Oscar Hayer, Attorney. 3-21

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination for County Judge of Polk County. My platform in brief is "good roads." OLEN O. HOLMANN, BrIDGEPORT Precinct.

**Notice to Breeders.**

Having purchased the Clyde Stallion, King Oscar, from Ivan Wood, and also the book accounts for 1907. I have left the same with H. Ingram for collection. Those whose accounts are due please call on Mr. Ingram and settle. H. E. CONGER. 3-6

**A Call to Action.**

By urgent request I hereby call a mass convention of the socialists of Polk county to meet at the court house in Dallas at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, March 7 1908.

JAMES F. SEARES, Chairman of County Committee.

**Notice to the Public**

Independence, Oregon, Feb. 8, 1908 -Notice is hereby given that my wife Minnie Whiteaker, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, and all parties are hereby warned, that I will not be responsible for any debts that she may contract on my account. G. L. Whiteaker.

Wilson & Holcomb, wood and wood-sawing. 3-20

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