

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Dr. Allin, Dentist, Cooper Bldg
Genuine Butter Nut bread at
Irvine's grocery.

Portland bread fresh every day
at Irvine's grocery.

Dr. Duganne, dentist, over Inde-
pendence National Bank.

Good work horses for sale John
Robbins. 3-31f

Phonographs easy payments. Craven & Moore. 3-17

Vetch seed for sale by J. H. Col-
line, Independence. 3 20

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

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

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

Lou Edwards, the merchant of
Pee Dee, was among the visitors to
Independence yesterday.

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

Full-sized coffins, trimmed, with
outside box \$15 up. Childrens, as
above, \$5. Jasperson, undertaker. 1f

Edwin Wallace who is attending
the O. A. C. at Corvallis, was here
the last of the week, returning Sunday.

A souvenir will be given to
everyone who eats with the ladies
of the Methodist church March 17.

We now have a complete catalogue
of Edison Gold Mold Records over
1500 titles to select from. Craven &
Moore. 3-17

John Pra her, one of the promi-
nent farmers of Buena Vista coun-
try, was a visitor to Independence
yesterday.

Frank Laughary, one of the
prominent Monmouth farmers, was
doing business with Independence
merchants yesterday.

Ladies Massaging and sham
pooing done at Cleve Robinson's
barber shop, with electric vibra-
tion. Hours 7 to 8 p. m.

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

One of their famous dinners will
be served by the ladies of the Meth-
odist church on March 17th. 25c
the plate is the price. Hurley
building.

Geo. W. Shew, who is proprietor
of the brick and tile factory, will
move his plant about the first of
April to the Fugate place, about a
mile north of town.

Calvary Presbyterian church, Rev.
J. A. P. McGaw acting pastor. Sun-
day school at 10 a. m. Subject of ser-
mon, "Living Worthily of the Gospel."
Christian endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Even-
ing service 7:30. Subject of sermon,
"Ruth's Choice."

The roads leading into Indepen-
dence are getting in fine condition,
owing to the ideal weather which
prevailed during the last few days.
Yesterday marked the advent of
most of the autos from their
winter's hibernation.

John M. Murney, formerly of
Beverly, Mass., is now stationed at
Independence to take charge of the
Pacific States Telephone and Tele-
graph Co., as manager. Mr. Mur-
ney, who is a young man, will be
welcomed by the young people of
this city.

Among the new advertisers in
this issue of the Enterprise are In-
dependence Billiard Parlor, Tay-
lor's Livery Barn, Mrs. E. M.
Stroud, Milliner, City Restaurant,
Craven & Moore, and others. Look
up their ads, if you please, and
give them your trade.

Lieut. F. A. Williams, who is
now doing duty with the 2d Ilocos,
in the Philippines, is expected to
arrive in Independence in about
three weeks to spend a furlough of
three months or more. Mr. Will-
iams will be remembered as having
gained considerable fame as sprint-
er and foot ball player during his
schooling at Corvallis. He now
holds the three-quarter mile record
for the North west.

A company of Independence
young people, consisting of Carl
Perceval, Neville and Kersey El-
dridge, John Taylor, Frans Kirk-
land, Harvey Baker, Maurice But-
ler, and Robert Baker, attended the
Monmouth skating rink Tuesday
evening and report an enjoyable
evening's entertainment. A nota-
ble incident of the evening was the
fact that there was not a single
skater on the floor excepting those
from Independence. Can it be
that the Monmouth skaters saw
them coming?

The Independence orchestra is to
give a St. Patrick's ball, the adver-
tisement of which will be seen in the
last columns of the editorial page.
This dance promises to be one of the
finest of the season. The Indepen-
dence orchestra has the reputation of
being one unequaled and it goes
without saying that the dance will
be attended by dancers from far and
wide. See their window cards in the
stores of this city.

The little reader, which was put
in the Enterprise by G. W. Shew,
advertising dry sixteen inch wood
resulted in selling all the wood he
had. Mr. Shew came to the office
yesterday asking the Enterprise
man to stop the ad, that he had
sold out all his wood in less than
two days after the paper with the
ad came out. It pays to advertise
in the Enterprise.

J. H. Hewley & Sons of McCoy
have just received a car load of breed-
ing ewes. The sheep were shipped
from Ontario, Canada, and are the
third shipment made by Rogers
Brothers of fine sheep to this locality.
The car contained one hundred head
of ewes and one buck. This shipment
will make a valuable addition to the
already fine stock of Polk county.

C. G. Long bought 10 head of
fine fatted steers from John Prather
Wednesday. Mr Long says the
Independence people will be able
to get some fine steaks from this
fine bunch when they come to the
Palace Meat market, next door to
the First State Bank.

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 & Walk-
er's.

Stray—White horse about five
years, weighs 900, branded on right
shoulder, shod all round. Owner
call and get him and settle bill for
keep and this adv. Jones' feed
barn. 2-5

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

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

The ladies of the Methodist
church are going to give a dinner
from 5 to 7 o'clock on St. Patrick's
day, in the Hurley building. The
price will be 25 cents.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the
home of Mrs. John Richardson at
3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. All
W. C. T. U. women are requested
to be present.

Men's all wool Oregon cashmere
suits only \$10, new spring goods,
at Messner, Conkey & Walker's.

Don't forget to eat with the lad-
ies of the Methodist church St.
Patrick's day. Hurley building.

The orchestra will give a dance on
St. Patrick's Day in the evening and a
general good time is predicted.

A good farm team, wagon and har-
ness for sale by A. R. Scroggs, one
mile north of Independence. 3-17

Don't send away for anything in the
harness line when you can beat city
prices at Geo. Dunham's.

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

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

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

For Sale—Seed oats. C. N. Tharp.

Decorated crepe paper. Craven &
Moore. 3-17

Dr. O. D. Butler was a Salem visitor
Monday.

Wilson & Holcomb wood
wood-sawing. 3-20

Kodaks, films, printing paper.
Craven & Moore. 3-17

For Sale or Trade for Cash. Call
—A 240 egg incubator and turkey.
Call on J. W. Bullard. 2-5

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

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

Buy the best in patterns, the Pic-
torial Review at Messner, Conkey
& Walker's

Mrs. O. M. Johnson of Salem visited
with friends and relatives of this city
Monday.

Go to Geo. Dunham for single
harness. The man who makes the
goods that wear.

Don't forget to eat with the lad-
ies of the Methodist church St.
Patrick's day. Hurley building.

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

J. L. Stockton, accompanied by his
daughter, Mrs. Anna Culberson, vis-
ited in this city Saturday from his
home in Salem.

Mrs. Emma Lee, the wife of Dr. Lee,
who formerly resided at this place,
visited here over Sunday with friends.
Mrs. Lee's home is now in Seattle.

Mrs. M. W. Wallace has now on
display her Spring Sailor, Street and
Tailored hats. The trimmed hats
will be shown in the near future. Call
at any time.

Miss Frankie Dougherty who has
been visiting in the city with Mrs. P.
M. Kirkland for some time past re-
turned Saturday afternoon to her
home in Portland.

Little Lucile Craven entertained a
number of her friends Saturday after-
noon, the occasion being the eleventh
birthday of Lucile. Games and re-
freshments were enjoyed.

Miss Grace Damon, who visited this
week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
L. Damon of this city, returned Mon-
day morning to her home in Salem,
where she is employed in the telephone
service of that city.

For Sale—Dry goods store
doing good business. Present stock
about \$10,000 but will reduce
stock to suit purchaser. Cash or
terms inquire of A. Gross
Independence, Oregon.

The Social Whist Club was enter-
tained Monday evening at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper. Progres-
sive whist was the order of the evening.
Prizes were awarded. Refreshments
were served after the games.

A. F. Robinson, a jeweler from Port-
land, has accepted a place with the
firm of O. A. Kramer of this city. Mr.
Kramer has found his business so
thriving that the addition of more
help becomes a necessity. Welcome
Mr. Robinson, to Independence.

Chas. Hornback, recently from
Albany has bought the Phillips &
Boyce restaurant. Mr. Hornback took
charge Tuesday. He is an experienced
cook and will have charge of the
kitchen. Those who patronize him
are assured of good service.

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."
GLENN HOLMAN,
Bridgeport Precinct.

Farm for Rent.
Apply to J. J. Leveck, near Lewis-
ville. Post office address, Monmouth,
Oregon, R. F. D. 3-31

CUT DISEASED TREES BACK.
It is the opinion of the fruit in-
spector of Yamhill county, that ac-
cording to his interpretation of the
instructions of the state board of hor-
ticulture all old moss grown apple or-
chards affected with anthracnose, or
dead spot, whether they have scale on
them or not, must be cut back to the
trunks, anyway. In his judgement it
is usually better to cut them down to
where the head should start, say
24 to 30 inch from the ground, unless
they branch close to the height.
If all persons having such orchards
will do this without being personally
notified, it will save much unnecessary
expense and perhaps some orchards,
as the time is getting short when they
are apt to sprout when cut off.

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To protect yourself against alum,
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**Say plainly—
ROYAL BAKING
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Royal is the only Baking Powder made
from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar. It
adds to the digestibility and wholesome-
ness of the food.

Idea About Hay.

Writing from Marin county, Cal., a
correspondent says in Hoard's Dairy-
man: One sees great quantities of oat
hay in this part of the county and
little alfalfa. In conversation with a
valley farmer living a considerable dis-
tance from the coast he stated that in
his locality the soil does not seem to
be adapted for it, as it failed to thrive.
During the long wet season from No-
vember to May water stands on the
bottom lands much of the time, and
the alfalfa is killed out; otherwise it
might do well.

But the oat hay seems well adapted
for the purpose of provender, and it
proves an exceedingly good crop. It is
cut with an ordinary mowing machine
when in the soft dough stage and is
cured the same as hay. To an east-
erner it looks like straw, and the man
who, upon being asked to help himself
to hay for his horse, replied later that
he couldn't find any hay, but fed the
animal some straw, might easily have
been pardoned for the mistake.

Some idea of the money value of the
crop may be gained when a man can
grow, as one rancher here has done, the
present year, \$3,000 worth of it from
a 100 acre farm. Prices are high this
year, ranging from \$17 to \$20 per ton,
and the yield is good. Butter is high
also, selling for 35 cents per pound
brick at the present time. But it is
good quality.

Bank Makes Good Showing

Notwithstanding the panic through-
out which the country has just passed it
is remarkable that the Independence
National Bank has just declared eight
per cent dividends on its stock at the
semi-annual meeting which took place
in this city on the 5th inst. That
institution has on hand at the present
time \$10,000 surplus and about
\$8000 undivided profits. It has paid
over \$60,000 in dividends to its stock-
holders since its organization in 1889,
and this on a capitalization of only
\$50,000.

NOTICE.

To all owners of fruit trees in Polk
county:

This is the time of year to spray all
fruit trees for San Jose scale, and in
order that the fruit industry of the
country may be protected everybody
having trees infected with San Jose
scale should spray their trees with
lime and sulphur spray.

ROSS NELSON,
3-16 County Fruit Inspector.

Wanted—lady is pesetter to work
on this paper

The czarowitz and future autocrat of
all the Russias has passed his first
year and is a robust, healthy infant,
having cut some fine teeth among other
things. He may need to show those
teeth when he comes to be czar.

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