

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Mr. Robert J. Wilson is very ill. Dr. Allen, Dentist, Co per Bidg. A beautiful line of dress shirts at Kramer's. Kodaks & supplies. Craven & Moore. 3-17. Miss Lois Osborne visited in Salem last Tuesday. Genuine Butter Nut bread at Irvine's grocery. See the advertisement of Hanna & Irvine on first page. Portland bread fresh every day at Irvine's grocery. Dr. Dugan, dentist, over Independence National Bank. Eph Young and Jim Jones went to their mountain ranches Tuesday. Good work horses for sale John Robbins. 3-31. Phonographs easy payments. Craven & Moore. 3-17. Veitch seed for sale by J. H. Collins, Independence. 3-20. A good pair of Reading glasses \$1.00 at Kramer's. Mrs. James Robinson went to Portland last week for medical treatment. Mrs. N. F. Gillispie visited friends in Amity last week returning home Sunday. E. O. Frazier of Vancouver, arrived in this city Monday, returning the same day. Rev. Wigmore passed through Independence Saturday on his way to Monmouth. Rev. Wigmore, of Eugene, filled the pulpit at the Christian church in this city Sunday. Stewarts horse clippers and sheep shearing machines are for sale at R. M. Wade & Co's. The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet at Mrs. W. A. Messner's Thursday at 2 p. m. A man who prides himself upon being contrary is best left in solitary contemplation of his own grandeur. Full-sized coffins, trimmed, with outside box \$15 up. Childrens, as above, \$5. Jasperson, undertaker. If Mr. and Mrs. Osterer returned to Portland Sunday afternoon, after a visit of a few days with friends in this city. We now have a complete catalogue of Edison Gold Mold Records over 1500 titles to select from. Craven & Moore. 3-17. As a rule, a woman don't care a rap how much her husband stays out nights just so he stays at home with her all the time. Herman Lehman, who clerks for Messner, Conkey & Walker, is at the bedside of his sister, who is very low with heart trouble. Marion Butler, the little son of Word Butler, met with the painful accident of losing part of his thumb while chopping wood. Ladies Massaging and sham poing done at Cleve Robinson's barber shop, with electric vibration. Hours 7 to 8 p. m. Rev. E. C. Wigmore will preach in the Christian church in this city, next Sunday, at 3 o'clock p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Millinery opening at Mrs. M. W. Wallace's Friday and Saturday, March 20 and 21. A fine line of pattern hats on display. Everyone cordially invited. 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. Mrs. Ellen Houston of Monmouth was a visitor in town Monday. Mrs. Houston advertises three head of horses in this issue for sale. Step up and take them. A series of meetings under the auspices of the Oregon Development League were held last week in Ashland, Medford, Roseburg, Grants Pass, Albany and Stayton. Ione held an enthusiastic meeting last week that lasted until 2 o'clock in the morning. Seventy new members were taken into the commercial club there. J. T. Huntley, who resides out north of town, was in Independence Saturday with a load of hay which he sold to Asa Taylor. Mr. Huntley says he has sold all the hay he has for sale and believes he could sell fifty tons more if he had it. He has sold forty tons to Independence people in the last three weeks.

The dance given here Tuesday night by the Independence orchestra was a successful affair and was largely attended. The floor seemed in good condition and the dancers apparently enjoyed the evening. The music was up to the usual standard of excellence. The green ribbons were in evidence among those in attendance to a marked degree. The orchestra can depend on the dancers turning out for any of their functions. The Royal Neighbors of America and Modern Woodmen lodges of Suver will unite in giving an entertainment, fair, and supper on Saturday, March 21st. The entertainment will consist of a drama put on by Suver local talent. The supper will be charged at 25 cents a plate and the entertainment will be free. Everybody welcome. We are now nearly ready to show our new spring suits for men. Lo snappy up-to-date garments three beat anything yet shown in Independence call and inspect them at Messner, Conkey & Walker's. Stray—White horse about five years, weighs 900 lbs, doted on right shoulder, shed all round. Owner can and get him and settle bill for keep, and this adv. Jones' feed barn 25. The first time you are in the store call for our \$1.10 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 National Bank where those who wish may call and pay the same. J. F. Smith, a farmer of the Monmouth country, was a visitor in Independence Wednesday. He came in to have some grain chopped and to attend other matters. A. Wing, a farmer of Monmouth, was a pleasant caller at this office yesterday. He was here to receive a young horse which was shipped to him from Portland. New costumes and mechanical scenic effects go to make the "Gypsy Queen" a play different from the ordinary kind. Opera house, Saturday, March 21st. B. F. Jones will have a competitor for the nomination of representative for Polk and Lincoln counties in the person of C. A. Gardner, of Toledo—Itemizer. The old wagon bridge which spans the slough on the road leading into the old town is to be replaced in a short time by a new steel structure. Reserved seats now on sale for the "Gypsy Queen" as produced by local talent, opera house, Saturday, March 21st. Mrs. August Spierling is visiting her daughter, Rowena, who is attending the Mt. Angel Academy at Mt. Angel. Men's all wool Oregon cashmere suits only \$10, new spring goods, at Messner, Conkey & Walker's. Miss Frances Patterson of Portland is visiting this week at the home of Mrs. Lottie Dorris, in this city. A good farm team, wagon and harness for sale by A. B. Seroggs, 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. Willie Ford returned to his work Monday at the Star Grocery after a month's vacation. Arch Sloper has been very ill for two weeks past with blood poisoning. He is convalescing. Every lady will have a chance to bid at the "Father Knickerbocker" Dutch Auction. Miss Caddie Sloper, who attends the Sacred Heart Academy at Salem, is home on a visit. Look out for the "Father Knickerbocker" Dutch Auction. It's coming to town. Mrs. Willard Ireland of Corvallis is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. J. Taylor. Over 1500 Edison Records to pick from. Craven & Moore. 3-17. Found—Two keys. One stamped P115. Call and get them. Grover Mattison was a Salem visitor Saturday. Miss Opal Hart was a Salem visitor Tuesday. For Sale—Seed oats. C. N. Tharp.

The love of evil is very often the root of the money. Nina Bennett, from Portland is visiting friends in this city. Mrs. Ida French is visiting this week with friends at Woodburn. Go to Geo. Dunham for single harness. The man who makes the goods that wear. Get DeWitt's Carbolic Witch Hazel Salve—It is good for piles. Sold by D. G. Dove. For Sale—Fine registered 3-year-old Durham bull, A. Wing, Lewisville, Oregon. Route 1, Box 39. 3-19. Some beautiful things in new spring dress goods just in at Messner, Conkey & Walker's. For Sale—One good work horse and one good work mare and six month's colt. Mrs. Ellen Houston, Monmouth, Oregon. 4-2. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently yet promptly on the bowels and allays inflammation at the same time. It is pleasant to take. Sold by D. G. Dove. Will Buffin's little son had the misfortune to fall from a tree Sunday and broke one of his legs, says the Dallas Itemizer. He is reported as getting along nicely. Kodol is today the best known remedy for all disorders of the stomach, such as dyspepsia, heart-burn, sour stomach and belching of gas. Sold by D. G. Dove. Roy DeArmond, who is employed in the Independence National bank, was taken ill Saturday. He is reported by the doctor as suffering a light attack of measles. Just a little Cas acetate is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Casacetate contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Sold by D. G. Dove. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lawton, of Dallas, are visiting in this city at the home of John Belt. It is reported that they are thinking of locating in this city. Welcome. B. F. Jones was a passenger on the morning train Monday for Newport. His trip over there is understood to be for the purpose of beautifying his Newport property. Foley's Orino Laxative is sold under a positive guarantee to cure consumption, sick headache, stomach trouble, or any form of indigestion. If it fails, the manufacturer refund your money. What more can one do. D. G. Dove. Mrs. J. S. Cooper spent a few days the last of the week visiting relatives at Eugene, returning yesterday. Mr. John Riba, of Vining, Ia., says "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year, and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by D. G. Dove. The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company have taken a lease for a term of years of the room in the rear of the Independence National bank on Monmouth street, and the work of removing the switch board will begin in a few days. Wayne D. Henry, candidate for the nomination on the democratic ticket for representative in the state legislature, was a visitor in Independence Tuesday. Mr. Henry's announcement is in this issue of the Enterprise. Mr. Henry is a native Polk county man and is in touch with the needs of the county. Lewis Wiprut, who has spent the winter in California, returned Friday and is visiting here with friends. He was employed here sometime ago in the Independence National bank and is well known to the people of Independence. He went to Portland the last of the week to visit his parents who reside in that city. The dinner given by the ladies' aid society of the Methodist church was a financial success as well as a social event. The ladies report that they served something like seventy-five plates. The room was tastefully decorated, the prevailing color being green, in honor of the day. Everyone received a souvenir at the door on exit: a green ribbon bow which was pinned on each guest by an attendant. Mrs. Louise Rounds, state evangelist and county president of the W. C. T. U., will lecture in the M. E. church in this city Friday evening, at 7:30. She especially wishes to meet the voters at this time. All are cordially invited to this meeting. She will also hold a parlor meeting at the home of Mrs. Lucinda Baldwin, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day. All are cordially invited to attend this meeting also.

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. BOSS NELSON, 3-16 County Fruit Inspector. 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. E. C. Spangler of Portland arrived in this city Saturday where he will remain for some time. He is here to take treatment from Dr. J. L. Callaway, the osteopath. His treatment with the doctor will probably extend over three months. Rev. Rollin E. Blackman, of Seattle, Wash., will supply the pulpit of Calvary Presbyterian church, March 29th, and April 5th. Complete lace ladies muslin underwear in exceptionally good values at Messner, Conkey & Walker's. Ely Fluke, who is employed in the electric light plant at Corvallis, visited over Sunday with relatives in this city. For Sale or Trade for Fresh Cow—A 240 egg incubator and brooder. Call on J. W. Bullard. 25. Mr. F. Catterland, who works at the U. S. National Bank, of Portland, was guest of I. L. Burton Sunday. Drop-head sewing machines, warranted, \$13.75. Jasperson, practical sewing machine man. Buy the best in patterns, the Pictorial Review at Messner, Conkey & Walker's. New Summer wash goods already for showing at Messner, Conkey & Walker's. Mrs. Stroud had her millinery spring opening Friday and Saturday. Dr. and Mrs. Butler spent Sunday with friends at Corvallis. If you want quality and style go to Kramer's for shoes. Kodaks, films, printing paper, Craven & Moore. 3-17. Mr. Will Mattison was a Dallas visitor Sunday. Decorated crepe paper. Craven & Moore. 3-17. Prof. Howell, of Havana, Cuba, recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. "As long ago as I can remember my mother was a faithful user and friend of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, but never in my life have I realized its true value until now" writes Prof. H. A. Howell, of Howell's American School, Havana, Cuba. "On the night of February 3rd our baby was taken sick with a very severe cold, the next day was worse and the following night his condition was desperate. He could not lie down and it was necessary to have him in the arms every moment. Even then his breathing was difficult. I did not think he would live until morning. At last I thought of my mother's remedy, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which we gave, and it afforded prompt relief, and now, three days later, he has fully recovered. Under the circumstances I would not hesitate a moment in saying that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and that only, saved the life of our dear little boy." For sale by P. M. Kirkland. DeWitt's Little Early Risers, small, safe, sure little liver pills. Sold by D. G. Dove. Full line muslin underwear, new arrivals at Messner, Conkey & Walker's. Thousands Perish. Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption and pneumonia. It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. D. G. Dove. A Life at Stake. Your life may be at stake when you notice any sign of kidney or bladder trouble as Bright's disease and diabetes could be quickly cured by Foley's Kidney remedy. Commence taking it at the first sign of danger. D. G. Dove. A Narrow Escape. Many people have a narrow escape from pneumonia and consumption as a result of a cold that hangs on. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds no matter how deep seated and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Refuse substitutes. D. G. Dove. The Lucky Quarter. Is the one you pay out for a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They bring you the health that's more precious than jewels. Try them for headache, biliousness, constipation and malaria. If they disappoint you the price will be cheerfully refunded at all drug-ists.

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