

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS**

Dr. Allen, Dentist, Cooper Bldg.—11  
Old papers at this office. 25c a hundred.

A beautiful line of dress shirts at Kramer's.

A full stock of legal blanks for sale at this office.

Genuine Butter Nut bread at Irvine's grocery. t14-2

Word Butler visited Portland the first of the week.

If you want quality and style go to Kramer's for shoes.

Dr. Duganne, dentist, over Independence National Bank.

A. W. Vernon, of Rickreall, Ore., will now ride in a "Michigan Buggy."

Do not place your order for a buggy until you see the "Michigan" at R. M. Wade & Co.

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

DeWitt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles. Sold by D. G. Dove.

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

Dr. J. M. Crowley, of Monmouth, Ore., now rides in a "Michigan Buggy" bought of R. M. Wade & Co.

R. H. Kaltz, the piano tuner and repairer of Portland, is in town. Leave orders for work at the Little Palace Hotel.

Sewing machines, needles, oil and extras, repairing a specialty, go to H. H. Jaspersen, who will try his best to please you. t1

The last to do for departed friends, provide them with the best robes and caskets. Jaspersen keeps them at reasonable prices. t1

Mrs. George Wilcox departed yesterday for Morris, Minnesota, to which place she was called through the illness of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Stebbins.

Suver Camp, M. W. of A., will give their eighth annual picnic at the Ridders grove, on the Corvallis and Independence road near Suver, on May 29, 1908. 5-26

W. L. Bice, the genial manager of the Home Telephone Company, is always pleased to talk telephone. Let him explain the operation of the new system to you.

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.

Mrs. M. E. Chase, who has been attending her son, Rev. Mr. Chase, during his illness, returned to her home in Waltham, Mass., yesterday. She was accompanied to Portland by her son.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are prompt and thorough and will in a short time strengthen weakened kidneys and allay troubles arising from inflammation of the bladder. Sold by D. G. Dove.

C. L. Fitchard, who, with his family spent the winter in California, arrived home to Independence Monday, his wife and child coming a day later, having stopped over a day in Salem with friends.

For Rent—Two story building in rear of the post office, good for blacksmith or repair shop; two good rooms in upper story. Would change to suit responsible party on lease. Harry E. Wagoner, Chamber of Commerce, Portland, Oregon. 4-23

Mrs. M. J. Miller arrived in Independence Sunday morning. Mrs. Miller is the mother of Mrs. Chas. E. Hicks, with whom she will make her future home. Mrs. Miller, by the way, is one of the early settlers in Benton county, having resided in an early day in the north end of that county, at Wells station.

Dr. J. R. N. Bell, of Corvallis, who has been in attendance at the Presbytery at Lebanon, stopped over Thursday, while enroute to his home, to attend the Mason's banquet that evening. He also visited his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Richardson. He left for Corvallis Friday morning.

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold in Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27, 1906." Sold by D. G. Dove.

The reader calling attention to home cooking on sale at one of the local stores of Independence deserves this explanation: that the ladies of the Baptist church have subscribed \$50 toward the salary of a minister for that church. It is a worthy cause and the people of Independence should patronize "home cooking" to the full extent of their needs.

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when eating, that your food is of highest wholesomeness—that it has nothing in it that can injure or distress you—makes the repast doubly comfortable and satisfactory. This supreme confidence you have when the food is raised with

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If you failed to get your accustomed paper last week you will understand that it is due to the operation of the new postal law which requires that all subscribers one year or more in arrears must be taken off the mailing list. There is no escaping the postal regulation. Let those in arrears call and settle the amount due, at least.

Mrs. W. R. Allen entertained the whist club Wednesday evening. Progressive whist was played and prizes were awarded as follows: Geo. Conkey and Mrs. Drexler, first prize; W. A. Messner and Mrs. Geo. Conkey, the booby prize. Refreshments were served and a delightful evening throughout was had.

The common battery system being installed by the Home Telephone Company, is the latest development in telephoning. While it is much more expensive to install, it enables the operators to give almost instant connection and makes even a low tone of voice absolutely distinct. t14-16

The system known as selective ringing will be installed on party lines by the Home Telephone Company. This does away with the annoyance of having your bell jingle whenever any subscriber on your line is called.

The Enterprise has a letter from the Franciscan baseball team of Portland asking for a Sunday game with the Independence team. For information address Jos. F. Marias, manager, 122 3d street, Portland.

W. D. DeVarney, accompanied by Mrs. DeVarney were in Independence the last of the week from their home in Portland. They came overland in a touring car. Mr. DeVarney is a contractor of the new Home telephone.

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 t12-5

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts promptly yet gently on the bowels, through which the cold is forced out of the system, and at the same time it allays inflammation. Sold by D. G. Dove.

Jennie Withrow, of this city, is at Tillamook where she is visiting relatives. She will remain there for some time for the benefit of her broken health.

Home cooking on sale by the Baptist Ladies at F. S. Wilson's store Saturday, April 18th.

Miss Iva Cooper returned Friday from her winter's visit with relatives in Washington.

Don't forget the home cooking on sale at F. S. Wilson's Saturday, April 25th.

Portland bread fresh every day at Irvine's grocery. t14-2

Lee Whitcomb is a proud owner of a new "Michigan Buggy."

Good work horses for sale. John Robbins. t13-3

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

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

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

Dove & Williams Leading Druggists.

Good work horse for sale. Enquire of J. r. May or phone 50x7.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by D. G. Dove.

When you want a good work glove remember F. S. Wilson has them all kinds. t14-9

Hop training has begun in some of the hop yards near town.

Good driving horse for sale. Enquire of Jno. Robbins, Independence.

Mrs. J. E. Hubbard was a passenger on the Independence for Salem Monday morning.

Miss Ada Ketchum entertained a few friends at her home in this city Friday evening.

Miss Roberta McCallan, of Dallas, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Conkey over Sunday.

Seven room house, hot and cold water and bath. Central locality. Inquire at this office.

If you wish to buy shoes that have stood the test of wear get the Five Stars at F. S. Wilson's. t14-9

For Sale or Trade for Fresh Cow—A 240 egg incubator and brooder. Call on J. W. Bullard. t12-5

Ted and Frances Cooper came home from Eugene to spend Easter with their parents in this city.

Bring us your prescriptions. You get exactly what your doctor wants you to have. Dove & Williams. 4-30

Miss Mabel Cooper is here from Eugene visiting her parents. Miss Cooper is a teacher in the schools at Eugene.

Clay Freeman was a guest of Dr. Duganne Saturday and Sunday. He is a student of the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis.

Three acres of land in high state of cultivation for sale. Nicely located; in the town of Independence. Enquire of W. W. Percival. t13-26

Mrs. August Sperling departed Monday for St. Charles, Minnesota, in answer to a telegram telling of the serious illness of her mother.

D. H. Simpson, a member of the firm of Simpson Brothers, of Airlie, was attending business matters here the last of the week.

The ladies about Buena Vista and Parker, Ore., will be expecting a ride in Lester Murphy's new "Michigan Buggy" bought of R. M. Wade & Co.

Wood for Sale—Second growth at \$4.00, old growth \$4.50 per cord delivered. S. Cox, Independence. Phone 143 t14-2

The Home Telephone Company has a large force of men at work installing their modern system, which will be completed not later than July 1st. t14-16

The physician, the liveryman, and the farmer, find it necessary to purchase a "Michigan Buggy" in order to get a job of quality, and also one that has the latest styles.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walker in this city last Thursday. This is their first child. They have been married for several years. Congratulations to you, Brother Walker.

Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste make it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Cures consumption.



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F. A. Link, a farmer of the Airlie country, was in town yesterday. Mr. Link has about a thousand cords of maple wood on his farm which he wants someone to handle here in Independence. Anyone who will take it off the land can have it at 20c a cord. Over half of the timber is cut down and the wood is seasoned. The remainder is standing and will have to be cut and the logs left on the ground. Anyone interested will address F. A. Link, Airlie, Oregon.

The annual roll call, regular business and covenant meeting of the Baptist church will be held at the church Saturday, May 2d. On the occasion of these meetings the services hold all day, and dinner is served in the church, or in case of nice weather it is served on the lawn.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Martha Richardson, on Friday afternoon, at 2:30. All members are specially requested to be present, as business of importance will be presented.

There will be no service at the Christian church here Sunday afternoon as usual, owing to the services at the auditorium by the Independent Order Odd Fellows.

A graduate pharmacist always in charge. We use only pure drugs and the greatest care in compounding them. Dove & Williams. 4-30

What's the use of being bilious and constipated? Try our Laxative Cascara Liver Pills. Dove & Williams. 4-30

A new lot of spring style Shoes just received at Moore's Cash Store.

**Lost, Strayed or Stolen.**

From my place, six miles south of Independence, one sorrel horse, weight about 700 pounds, branded LPY joined on the left stifle, split in one ear. Horse is smooth build. A reward will be paid for the return of said animal to owner. Phone, 49x4. O. T. MURPHY.

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**WATER RATES**—(Water by meter applies to residences only.) Residence rate on meter applies to customers only who pay \$2.00 and over at the rate of 20c per 1,000 gallons; minimum \$1.00 per month.

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**ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER RATE**—Residence, 15 cents per K. W. Business houses, 25 cents per drop and 5 cents per K. W. Power, rates on application.

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