

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Vote for W. I. Reynolds.
Patronize our advertisers.
Dr. Allen, Dentist, Cooper Bldg.—14
Old papers at this office. 25c a hundred.

Good work horses for sale. John Robbins. 113-3

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

Artichokes for sale by the Butler Produce Company.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Lehman returned from Portland Saturday.

Cleve Robinson spent Sunday afternoon in McMinnville.

Dr. Dugaine, dentist, over Independence National Bank.

Before you buy, see those new dress gingham at F. S. Wilson's.

Pictorial review patterns in stock at Messner, Conkey & Walker's.

Miss Boss Butler has been quite ill for several days but is now improving.

On and after the first of May I will deliver milk at 6c a quart. F. Mosman.

Miss Pansy Maurer, eighth grade teacher, left Saturday for her home in Eugene.

You will find an all new stock of summer underwear and hosiery at F. S. Wilson's.

Born—On Friday, May 22, 1908, at Independence, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bullock, a daughter.

Carl Percival and Neville Eldridge have returned from Seattle where they had been to see the fleet.

Mrs. Charles McLaughlin returned Sunday from Corvallis where she had been visiting her sister a few days.

Mrs. Cromwell of the teaching staff of the Independence public school, left Saturday for her home in Salem.

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

Wood for Sale—Second growth at \$3.50, old growth \$4.00 per cord delivered. S. Cox, Independence. Phone 143. 114-2

Mrs. Sarah Young of Portland visited over Sunday in Independence the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Claggett.

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

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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

Frank Patterson of Seattle has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Patterson of this place the past few days. Mr. Patterson was on his way to California.

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.

Craven & Moore have just received a large up-to-date soda fountain and are having it installed. Craven & Moore are running an up-to-date stationery store and desire the patronage of the citizens of this city.

When the baby is cross and has you worried and worn out you will find out that a little Caseasweet, the well-known remedy for babies and children will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed plainly on the bottle. Contains no opiates. Sold by Dove & Williams.

John Hildebrand had a very painful accident Saturday while driving home from the picnic at Falls City. His team became frightened at the fire works and ran away. Mr. Hildebrand was thrown out and badly cut about the face and head. The others in the party were not hurt.

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. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by Dove & Williams.

Independence won over Greenwood by a score of 64-17 to 3. The Greenwood team put up a very poor showing and it is very little to the local fans' credit to have won from them. We have very good stock here but they need weeding out and practice. Captain Collins thinks that he has very good material and can work out a very creditable team.

Vote for W. I. Reynolds.
Phonographs on credit. Craven & Moore.

Wilson & Holcomb, wood and wood-sawing. 320

Portland bread fresh every day at Irvine's grocery. 114-2

Edison Phonographs on easy payments. Craven & Moore.

All kinds of field and yard seeds at the Butler Produce Company.

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

Dr. Otis Butler returned yesterday from a few days visit in Portland.

Geo. Rose of Salem has been visiting in the city the past few days.

Geo. Dunham has just received a fine line of summer and plush robes. 114-2

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper are spending a few days at Tacoma viewing the fleet.

Vote for Ed F. Coad, republican candidate for county judge. Mark X on ballot opposite 34.

If you wish to buy shoes that have stood the test of wear get the Five Stars at F. S. Wilson's. 114-2

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are small, safe, sure and gentle little pills. Sold by Dove & Williams.

Mrs. Sherman Hays returned Monday from Salem where she had been visiting with friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Belt of McMinnville are visiting here at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Belt.

Miss Iva Cooper has been very ill for the past two weeks at her home in this city. We are pleased to report that she is improving.

Cord wood for sale. Fir and maple, \$1.50 per cord on the ground. G. N. Newton, known as the Hanna place, four miles south of Independence. 5-21

The many weddings among the Baptist young people is perhaps due to the fine sample of their cooking on sale every Saturday at Wilson's. Try it.

The farmers will give their second annual picnic at Shady Lane, two and one-half miles north of Lewisville, on the Lewisville and Dallas road, on June 6th, 1908. 5-28

We are now ready to deliver ice. Delivery to private houses will be made once a day—in the morning. Be sure and get your order in early. Butler Produce Co.

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. 112-5

The pupils of the ninth, tenth and eleventh grades gave a reception to Prof. Murdock and the teachers of the public school on Friday evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Huston.

Clover Leaf Rebekah Lodge No. 56 of this city has been signally honored in the election of one of its members to the vice-presidency of the Oregon Rebekah Assembly. Mrs. J. E. Hubbard is the member on whom the honor has been so deservingly placed.

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. 114-16

A great many people imagine they have heart trouble when the fact is that the whole trouble lies in the stomach. The pains in the side around the region of the heart are not necessarily heart trouble. We suggest that you start with the stomach and whenever you feel a depression after eating or whenever your food seems to nauseate take Kodol. It will not be very long until all these "heart-pains" will disappear. Take Kodol now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt about what it will do and you will find the truth of this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks. It is sold here by Dove & Williams.

The work on the new bridge is progressing very favorably. The cut that is being made back of Jones' feed stable is nearly completed; a very substantial bridge is being put up over the slough. As soon as the new road is finished the work of pulling down the old bridge will commence. Although welcoming the new steel bridge and grade, quite a number will feel a twinge of regret when they pull down the old bridge. It has stood for a long time against the floods and high water and made a connecting link for the citizens of old town with Independence. Soon it will be but a memory and the citizens will point with pride to our new steel bridge and graded road.

Vote for W. I. Reynolds.
Kodaks \$2 to \$20 at Craven & Moore.

Genuine Butter Nut bread at Irvine's grocery. 114-2

Your Credit is good for a photograph at Craven & Moore.

Bee supplies and stock food at the Butler Produce Company.

Vote for Ed F. Coad, republican candidate for county judge. Mark X on ballot opposite 34.

If you need a good pair of gloves go to Geo. Dunham's and get a pair of Osborne's gloves. They are the best. 5-21 1/2

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. 114-16

At the regular meeting of the Women of Woodcraft last Friday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Ella Irvine, G. N.; Olivia Fluke, Advisor; Etta Dornaise, Magician; Nettie Bohannon, Captain of the Guards; Nellie Smith, Attendant; Nettie Hooper, Inside Sentinel, Melissa Govro, Clara Purvine, Musicians.

When you think of indigestion think of Kodol, for it is without doubt the only preparation that completely digests all classes of food. And that is what you need when you have indigestion or stomach trouble—something that will act promptly but thoroughly, something that will get right at the trouble and do the very work itself for the stomach by digesting the food that you eat and that is Kodol. It is pleasant to take. It is sold by Dove & Williams.

H. C. Seymour, Republican candidate for county school superintendent, was in town yesterday. As this is the first time that Mr. Seymour has been able to get out among the voters he wants them to understand that it is not lack of interest but lack of time that has kept him from visiting them. Mr. Seymour is a young man of ability and sterling worth and is perfectly capable of filling the office for which he is a candidate.

The Most Common Cause of Suffering.
Rheumatism causes more pain and suffering than any other disease, for the reason that it is the most common of all ills, and it is certainly gratifying to sufferers to know that Chamberlain's Pain Balm will afford relief, and make rest and sleep possible. In many cases the relief from pain, which is at first temporary, has become permanent, while in old people subject to chronic rheumatism, often brought on by dampness or change in the weather, a permanent cure cannot be expected; the relief from pain which this liniment affords is alone worth many times its cost. 25 and 50 cent size for sale by P. M. Kirkland.

Mrs. Jack Phoebus and son of Portland are visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hartman. Mrs. Phoebus expects to remain here throughout the summer months.

An Insidious Danger.
One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. D. G. Doy's.

Vote for W. I. Reynolds.

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BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
The only baking powder made with Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
No Alum, No Lime Phosphate

Whooping Cough.
"In February our daughter had the whooping cough. Mr. Lane of Hartland, recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and said it gave his customers the best of satisfaction. We found it as he said, and can recommend it to anyone having children troubled with whooping cough," says Mrs. A. Goss, of Durand, Mich. For sale by P. M. Kirkland.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Peck*

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... BY THE ...
BUTLER PRODUCE CO.

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Light, Power & Water at Very Reasonable Rates

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.

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.

OFFICE AT WATERWORKS PHONE MAIN 41

Independence Billiard Parlor
W. J. Kirkland, Proprietor
Confectionery and Smokers' Supplies
Soft Drinks
The Place to Spend a Pleasant Hour
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H. Hirschberg, Pres. A. Nelson, Vice Pres. C. W. Irvine, Cash.

The Independence National Bank
Incorporated 1889
Transacts a General Banking Business
Interest Paid on Time Deposits
Directors: H. Hirschberg, A. Nelson, D. W. Sears, B. F. Smith and J. E. Rhodes.

What About Salmon Protection?

That the food fish of our State needs better protection than is now afforded is agreed. You have already or doubtless will receive considerable literature on the subject, but no matter how attractive the argument, stop and consider how much it may be colored by self-interest. The United States Bureau of Fisheries are the greatest expert authorities on the subject and have no ax to grind. Read what they say:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Hon. Charles W. Fulton, United States Senator, Washington, D. C.

Sir: The Department realizes the importance of the various questions affecting the salmon fishery in the Columbia River brought up in your letter of the 15th ultimo, and has taken this opportunity to make a thorough investigation of the matter. There can be no question that the status of the fishery is unsatisfactory, and that under existing conditions the trend may be expected to be steadily downward, with the result that in a comparatively few years the run of salmon in that stream will be reduced to such a degree that thousands of fishermen may be thrown out of employment and much capital rendered idle. The Federal Government is without any jurisdiction, whatever in the premises, and the duty of conserving the salmon supply in the Columbia devolves on the States of Oregon, Washington and Idaho; but this Department has been charged by Congress with important fish-cultural operations in the Columbia basin, and has felt impelled from time to time to direct attention to the necessity for giving adequate protection to the various species of salmon frequenting that stream. The Department is convinced that the run of salmon in the Columbia can be amply maintained for an indefinite period if artificial propagation is supplemented by rational protection; but artificial propagation alone cannot cope with the situation, and, as a matter of fact, the recent experience of the Department has shown that its beneficent labors are rendered almost futile by the failure of the States to appreciate this fact.

The Department sees no reason for advocating the elimination of fish wheels from the river, as there is no evidence to show that this form of apparatus is particularly destructive to salmon. A condition that is specially favorable for the passage of salmon—namely, very high water—renders the wheels unserviceable and, on the other hand, periods of very low water, when the fish are much restricted in their movements, are also unfavorable for the wheels. During the past two or three seasons the catch of salmon by wheels has been comparatively small; but even if it were very large it would be a fact of no special significance in the present connection.

The Columbia River is, however, made to yield a quantity of salmon far greater than regard for the future supply permits, and the drain is yearly becoming more serious. No one familiar with the situation can fail to appreciate the menace to the perpetuity of the industry that is furnished by the concentration of a tremendous amount of fixed and floating apparatus of capture in and near the mouth of the river. This apparatus comprises about 400 pound nets or traps, over 80 long-sweep seines, and more than 95 per cent of the fish taken in Oregon and Washington waters of the river, the figures for 1904 being nearly 34,000,000 pounds, or 98.7 per cent of the total yield. Under such conditions, it is self-evident that but comparatively few fish are permitted to reach the upper waters where the spawning grounds are located.

The details of the measures necessary to place the salmon industry of the Columbia River on a permanent basis can not be elaborated by the Department at this time, but in general it may be said that there should be (1) a restriction on the amount of apparatus employed in a given section; (2) an adequate weekly close season covering possibly two days at first, but reduced later if the circumstances warrant it; (3) an annual close season, preferably at the beginning of the salmon run, and (4) joint arrangements between the States, so that protective measures may be harmonious.

Respectfully yours,
(Signed) OSCAR S. STRAUS, Secretary.

Bill No. 318 embodies Government recommendations and should pass. It is a square deal for all.

VOTE 318—X—YES

Bill No. 333 was framed to foster the selfish interest of a single locality. It is against the Government recommendations, and will mean a heavy tax on the state to carry out its provisions. It favors monopoly and is unfair. It should not pass.

VOTE 333—X—NO

INDEPENDENCE AND MONMOUTH RAILWAY
TIME TABLE

FROM INDEPENDENCE
FOR DALLAS
Train No 61 leaves Independence daily 6:00 a. m.; leaves Monmouth 6:15 a. m.; arrives Dallas 6:30 a. m.
Train No 68 leaves Independence daily 10:50 a. m.; leaves Monmouth 11:05 a. m.; arrives Dallas 11:20 a. m.
Train No 70 leaves Independence daily 6:25 p. m.; leaves Monmouth 6:30 p. m.; arrives Dallas 6:35 p. m.

FOR AIRLIE
Train No 67 leaves Independence daily 7:20 a. m.; leaves Monmouth 7:40 a. m.; arrives Airlie 8:15 a. m.
Train No 73 leaves Independence daily 4:30 p. m.; leaves Monmouth 4:50 p. m.; arrives Airlie 4:55 p. m.

FOR MONMOUTH ONLY
Leaves Independence daily 2:30 p. m.

FROM DALLAS
FOR INDEPENDENCE
Train No 65 leaves Dallas daily except Sunday 8:30 a. m.; leaves Monmouth 8:55 a. m.; arrives Independence 9:15 a. m.
Train No 101 leaves Dallas SUNDAY ONLY 8:55 a. m.; arrives Monmouth 7:20 a. m.; arrives Independence 7:30 p. m. (This train connects at Monmouth for Airlie)
Train No 71 leaves Dallas daily 7:55 p. m.; leaves Monmouth 8 p. m.; arrives Independence 8:15 p. m.

FROM AIRLIE
Train No 66 leaves Airlie daily 9 a. m.; leaves Monmouth 9:15 a. m.; arrives Independence 9:30 a. m. (This train connects at Monmouth for Dallas)
Train No 72 leaves Airlie daily 5:35 p. m.; leaves Monmouth 5:40 p. m.; arrives Independence 5:55 p. m.
Train No 100 leaves Airlie 4:45 p. m. SUNDAY ONLY arrives Monmouth 6:30 p. m. arrives Independence 6:30 p. m.

FROM MONMOUTH ONLY
Leaves Monmouth for Independence daily at 2:30 p. m.