INDEPENDENCE AND MONMOUTH RAILWAY

TIME TABLE

FROM INDEPENDENCE

FOR DALLAS

Train No 64 leaves Independence daily 6:00 a. m.; leaves Monmouth 6:15 a. m.; arrives Dallas 6:40 a. m.

Train No 68 leaves Independence daily 10:50 a. m.; leaves Monmouth, 11:05 a. m.; arrives Dallas, 11:30 a. m.

Train No 70 leaves Independence daily 6:15 p. m.; leave Monmouth 6:30 p. m.; arrive Dallas 6:55 p. m.

FOR AIRLIE

Train No 73 leaves Independence daily 2:30 p. m.; leaves Monmouth 2:50 p. m.; arrives Airlie 3:25 p. m.

FROM DALLAS

FOR INDEPENDENCE

Train No 65 leaves Dallas daily 8:30 a. m; leaves Monmouth 8:55 a. m.; arrives Independence 9:15 a. m.

Train No 69 leaves Dallas daily 1:00 p. m.; leaves Monmouth 1:25 p. m.; arrives Independence 1:40 p. m. (This train connects at Monmouth for Airlie)

Train No 71 leaves Dallas daily 7:35 p. m.; leaves Monmouth 8 p. m.; arrives Independence 8:15 p. m.

FROM AIRLIE

Train No 72 leaves Airlie daily 4:05 p. m.; leaves Monmouth 4:40 p. m.; arrives Independence 4:55 p. m

West Side Enterprise

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Subscription, $1.50 Per Year

A "HEART-TO-HEART."

Before you come to town look over the advertising of the West Side Enterprise. So many compliments reach this office regarding the get-up of the paper that there is no question you are all well pleased with it. Confession has been made any number of times that the Enterprise is not only the biggest paper in Polk county but it is the best paper the county ever had. You have assisted largely in making it so by patronizing its advertisers. It is not because they have not been invited that some business firms of Independence have never advertised. They have been persistently importuned for the six months we have edited the Enterprise. All argument is exhausted. We ask you now to patronize our advertisers. They are the people who are contributing to the big paper you are getting. It is not only an act of friendship to this paper that you do this. It should appeal to your personal pride that Polk county is being boosted as the Enterprise is doing. You desire that the county be represented by a good newspaper and if it has one you do not care for the subscription price. What you want is a GREATER POLK COUNTY and we are sure you will gladly throw in the mite of subscription for the agency of that end. Now, the subscription settled the question resolves itself down to the proposition of why does the merchant not advertise. There is possibly one of two reasons: that he does not appreciate his opportunities or that he does not love the editor as himself. The last is unfortunate. The first would indicate that he had missed his calling; that he should have enlisted in the Japanese army. Why? Because his vision of "Value Received" is obscured by a big iron dollar gripped so tightly that the eagle sweats. Do you think you will ever see your dollar again if he ever gets it? Not likely. All merchants who are successful know that advertising in newspapers is the first requisite of success. Meyer & Frank invest only in newspapers. They set aside a certain per cent of their business income for newspaper advertising and invest in no wild cat schemes. All the big department stores do this. Not one but all On every $1000 worth of business they spend $20 in newspaper advertising. They spend that every hour of the day. Some firms don't spend that much in years. They are scared out. They are afraid they will have to build a brick block to take care of their increasing business if they advertise. Yes.

The value of advertising space in the West Side Enterprise is as substantial as the Oregonian and the results obtained from shrewd patronage of its space by one dry goods house alone in Independence will put every other out of business in five years.

When W. A. Messner came to Independence who was doing the business, of the business houses that are here now? Who is doing the business now? Which of them advertised? He advertised and built a business that when he retired from the mercantile field of this city is first in magnitude. That business was not done with us, but back files of this paper show that he used printer's ink in building that business. Now then, what business houses have gone down since Mr. Messner came to Independence? You don't mind if we hold you up to the light, do you? You never contribute to the advertising columns of the paper anyway, because advertising don't pay your business?

Merchants, advertise in the newspapers and do it now. That's all in God's world this paper is for—advertising purposes.

Before the year is out The Enterprise hopes to have 1500 subscribers on the list. Is'nt that fine? We did not dare hope to do anything like that when we came to Independence. Well, it didn't look like it was here. It is, and you will see it done, too. We are "stirred up" and we do things when we get stirred up.

Oil of pepermint or oil of lavender put in an atomizer and sprayed around the rooms is said to drive all flies out of the apartments. It is worth trying when they persist in tormenting one beyond endurance.

HOME ENDORSEMENT.

Hundreds of Independence Citizens Can Tell You All About It.

Home endorsement, the public expression of Independence people, should be evidence beyond dispute for every Independence reader. Surely the experience of friends and neighbors, cheerfully given by them, will carry more weight than the utterance of strangers residing in faraway places. Read the following:

Mrs. Sarah Burright, living in Independence, Oregon, says: We have used Doan's Kidney Pills and have found them an excellent remedy for kidney complaint. My husband was suffering from a lame back and received but little relief from the remedies he tried. My son was also suffering from a weakness of the kidneys and in both instances they cured the trouble. I was also suffering from a bearing down sensation in my hips and a tired and languid feeling. I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at P. M Kirkland's drug store, used them as directed and they cured the trouble. I am glad to have the opportunity of recommending Doan's Kidney Pills."

For Sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, Sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name Doan's and use no other. 27

Shop Breakers In Monmouth.

Thieves broke into the meat market last week and relieved that institution of a lion of beef and a slab of bacon besides borrowing from the till all the ready cash on hand at closing time the night before amounting to two or three dollars. No trace of the robbers has been found. Entrance was made through the back door of the market. It would seem likely that there was more than one man connected with the robbery as there was taken more than one man could get away with. Several cans of lard were also taken.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

ANTIOCH.

O. M. Lehman and wife of Monmouth visited friends here Wednesday.

Mr. Truax of Falls City was here Tuesday looking for business in his line, which is that of well drilling.

Paul Murna of Irving was the guest of Clarence Bruce and family Wednesday.

Madge Thomas of Blodgett visited Mrs. E. Clarke Saturday and Sunday.

Fay Shipley is staying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt of Corvallis.

Nettie and May McNeil of Monmouth visited their aunt, Mrs. Allen Towns, the past week.

Millie Clarke is staying with her sister, Mrs. Belle Sullivan of Falls City while the latter is ill.

Newt Grooms and family of Meridian, Idaho, are visiting Herman Wunder and family this week. They think of locating in this vicinity.

Dr. Butler of Independence was called to attend J. L. Fishback Sunday.

Will Fishback purchased a driving mare from Dan Calbreath Friday.

Harry, Jasper and Nelle Thompson of near Salem visited Herman Wunder last week.

Excellent Health Advice.

Mrs. M. M. Davison, of No. 379 Gifford Ave., San Jose, Cal., says: "The worth of Electric Bitters as a general family remedy, for headache, biliousness and torpor of the liver and bowels is so pronounced that I am prompted to say a word in its favor, for the benefit of those seeking relief from such afflictions. There is more health for the digestive organs in a bottle of Electric Bitters than in any other remedy I know of." Sold under guarantee at all druggists. 50c.

MONMOUTH

Rev. H. A. Goode is in Monmouth this week visiting with friends.

Miss Clara Bently visited with friends in Monmouth last week from her home in Independence.

Mrs. Rodney Coulter is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Eva Butler of this city. Mrs. Coulter is a resident of Baker City.

Wheat is 85 cents a bushel at the Monmouth warehouse. There is a jam of wagons the opening of the season.

Miss Maude Hawley returned Tuesday from a three weeks pleasant stay at Nye Beach.

Prof R. L. Traver went to Newport Friday for a sojourn of a week or two. He is a visitor at the summer normal at that place.

H. D. Mulkey and wife of near Amity are visiting his parents, Munroe Mulkey and family who reside near here.

Mrs. C. H. Morris, wife of a Dallas jewler, visited recently at the home of M. Mulkey and friends in this city.

Mrs. J. Powell, who has been afflicted so long is slowly recovering her health, although her eyesight is seriously impaired.

The commodius cottage of Mrs. Eva Butler, which is in course of construction, is rapidly nearing completion. John Howell is the constructor. It will be up-to-date in modern appliances.

Hartley Mulkey has just finished sinking a well at his barn which will be a fine addition when the pipes are laid and the force pump installed.

The Misses Davidson have sold their millinery business here, to Miss McInness. Misses Davidsons are going to Eugene where they will embark in the same line of merchandise.

Mrs. Lee, wife of Dr. Lee of Corvallis, was here Saturday the guest of friends.

Dr. Crowley returned from Newport a few days ago. After looking around the town for a few days he says that the town is distressingly healthy. The doctor enjoyed his rest. His family will remain until the close of the season.

Russell Quissenberry, who fell out of a cherry tree a month ago sustaining severe injuries, has not recovered sufficiently to return to his duties.

There is a bustle of business in Monmouth these days, notwithstanding a great many are off on vacations. There is not a vacant house in the town at this time. Dwellings will be in great demand with the influx at the beginning of the school year.

P. Springer has a good home, the property recently purchased of R. Simpson. His is a modern farm, something after those of the eastern states with their diversity of products. He has a fine bunch of cows the milk from which is separated and sold to the creamery here. He has twelve acres of corn adjoining his home that is something like the corn grown back in Iowa from where Mr. Springer came.