

### Independence.

Mrs. Charley Williams visited in Salem Monday.

Verd Hill and his mother have returned from Newport.

George Jones is hauling hay from the Luckiamute with a four horse team.

Miss Clara Purvine is in Portland, where she is working in the wholesale house.

Mr. and Mr. Mott left Monday for Slab Creek, where they will spend two weeks.

J. W. Richardson Jr. came down from Corvallis Saturday, to spend Sunday at home.

Mrs. A. J. Byers is spending the week with her daughter Mrs. T. W. Brunk near Eola.

Mr. Newton was hauling hay with three teams Monday, loading a car of hay to ship to Portland.

Miss Topsy Madison has returned from Brownsville where she has been visiting for some time.

Tom Heart finished threshing Friday and moved his outfit home. Mr. Heart has had a short season this year.

Mrs. Bullard and daughter Daisy, left Monday for South Dakota, where Mrs. Bullard will visit her sister.

R. H. Knox, Frank Whiteaker and two sisters returned from Belknap springs Sunday and report a fine time.

Cleve Robinson came up from Portland Saturday evening and spent Sunday at home, returning to Portland Monday.

Mrs. O. A. Kramer and two daughters have returned from Portland and Vancouver, where they have been visiting for two weeks.

Mrs. M. W. Wallace is having new plate glass windows put in her store, and other improvements which will add to the looks of the building.

Mrs. M. W. Wallace and Miss Bertha Bohannon left Tuesday for Portland, where they will work in the wholesale house until opening day.

Material is now on the ground for a steel bridge between here and Monmouth. We understand that the new bridge is not to be as wide as the present one.

Mrs. Dr. Calloway came over from Salem Sunday evening, and was the guest of Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Calloway left Monday for Roseburg, her present home.

Mr. Mix returned last week from Harney county, where he filed on three hundred and twenty acres. He says there are over sixteen hundred acres already filed on.

Ed. Graves and family passed through town Friday, moving from Black Rock to Corvallis, where they will make their home. Mr. Graves is to work at the carpenter trade.

Will Kurre returned Sunday from Harney Co. where he went to look over the desert land that is being taken up. Mr. Kurre decided that he did not want any of the sage brush land.

Miss Mabel Ellis returned from Dallas Saturday evening, where she has been taking the teachers examinations. Her many friends will be glad to hear of her securing a certificate and will teach this year.

Miss Lora Skank came up from Portland Saturday to spend Sunday with her sister Mrs. Hooper. Miss Shank left Monday for Portland, and from there she will go to Idaho where she has accepted a position.

Among those who left last week

for Harney County to look over the desert land, that is being filed on, were: W. W. Percival, James Hanna, Sam Irvin, Claude Hubbard, Pearl Alexander, C. L. Fishare, J. M. Jones, and Clint Moore. The party will return the fore part of the week.

Hop lice are a little too numerous in some hop yards, and spraying is still going on. Some have sprayed as high as four times. It is said that hop picking will begin the last of this month, and 50 cents a box will be paid for picking, but the hops must be picked clean, and the boxes well filled.

Abe Nelson is to sell his fine herd of Jersey cows and quit the dairy business. Mr. Nelson intends to plant his farm to orchard, and has already ordered sixteen hundred apple trees, which will arrive this fall to be grafted. Sixteen hundred more trees will arrive next February grafted ready to plant, most of which will be apples. Mr. Nelson has always had the name of raising the best apples in this community, and no doubt will continue to do the same with his large orchard.

### Falls City

Mrs. Kate Muscott visited friends here Sunday.

Park Calkins left Wednesday for his claim on the Siletz.

J. R. Moyer and wife have returned from their visit in Salem.

Miss Hallie Morrison, of Dallas, visited friends in this city Tuesday.

Mrs. Murton Ellis entertained a few of her friends Friday at dinner.

Miss Bessie Hayes, of Portland, is visiting friends in Falls City this week.

Jerry Morris has moved into the house recently occupied by Mr. Palmer.

Bert Dennis and wife and Chas. Dill, left Tuesday for their homes in Lake county.

Miss Sadie VanDoren, of Ionia, Mich., visited over Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. G. White.

Mrs. Heacock and son, of Iola, Kansas, are visiting her father, J. Rockbarger, of this city.

Mrs. Sarah Davis, of Monmouth, came Monday for a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. E. A. LaDow.

Mrs. Bryant's sister and brother, from Washington, visited her last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Murton Ellis.

G. L. Jennings and Mr. White, who were here a few days last week on professional business, left for their respective homes Saturday.

Miss Jessie Hill, who has been visiting her cousin, Murton Ellis, left Thursday for Portland and from there will go to Seattle to take in the fair and from there home in Kansas.

Sheriff Grant visited in our city Monday. As he did not state his business I did not ask him for I am always a little shy of the Sheriff, though he is not always on professional business.

J. R. Jones, of Bethany, Missouri and his brother, A. D. Jones of Eugene, have purchased the 280 acre farm of Fred Noe for \$7000 and will turn their attention to fruit raising. They are much pleased with Falls City and surrounding country.

Mrs. Elsie Lovett, who has been visiting for some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frink, left Monday for Portland where she joined Mrs. Palmer, from whence they started Tuesday for their future home in Minnesota.

Mrs. Charles Frink entertained the members of the Christian Church at her home Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Charles Palmer, who left Friday for Minnesota. The evening was spent very pleasantly, with music and conversation, after which ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. Palmer and little daughter left with best wishes from all their friends.

### Court House Notes.

#### PROBATE

Estate of W. C. Brown, deceased—petition to make certain improvements at tomb of deceased granted.

Estate of Oliver R. Pickens, deceased—final account approved and administrator discharged.

Estate of Nancy W. Harris, deceased—E. M. Smith appointed guardian ad litem for Emma Rianna, A. J. Harris and Ann F. Harris; petition to sell real estate granted.

Estate of Elizabeth Bedwell, deceased—ordered that time for rendering account be extended to August 16.

#### REAL ESTATE

C A Frantz to J H James, one-half acre, T 9 S, R 4 W, \$10.

J H Wilson and W J Morford to J W Brown, 36 acres, T 9 and 10 S, R 6 W, \$2800.

Oregon Indiana Land Company to W D MIXTER, 720 acres, T 9 S, R 8 W, \$5000.

Elizabeth Wright, by administrator, to W B MCKOWN, lot in Falls City \$100.

J N Hulet et al to B T Hnizda, 641 acres, T 6 S, R 7 W, \$10,000.

P E Chase et ux to H S Chase, lot in Monmouth, \$500.

United States to Harry J Barker, 100 acres, T 9 S, S 8 W, patent.

H J Barker to W D MIXTER, 100 acres, T 9 S, R 8 W, \$1000.

William Neale et ux to Henry Heine, 19 acres, T 6 S, R 8 W, \$500.

Henrietta Heine to Henry Heine 120 acres, T 6 S, R 8 W, \$500.

E W Strong et ux to H A Hindman, 30 acres, Strong's Fruit farm, \$010.

### Additional Local.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Vincent and daughter, of Gervais, took dinner at the home of U. G. Heffney, Tuesday. They were on their way to their farm near Kings Valley, where Mrs. Vincent and daughter expect to spend a month's outing and keeping house for a son who is taking care of the farm.

Mrs. L. G. Reeves and son Willard, Mrs. Charlie Kurre and little daughter Evaline and Mrs. W. J. Bullock and two children, of Independence, also Mrs. Bullock and daughter Hulda, of Colorado, and Horace Reeves, of Missouri, spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kurre, of Talmage.

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byers, of Talmage, in honor of their daughter, Miss Gladys's sixteenth birthday. Games were played out on the lawn by the light of Japanese lanterns. Then they were entertained in the house by fortune telling until lunch was served consisting of little heart shaped cakes and cherries; then each was given a large dish of ice cream and a piece of the birthday cake. Another game was played on the porch which was beautifully lighted up and decorated with ferns and flowers. At a late hour the guests returned to their homes wishing her many other happy birthdays. She received many beautiful presents from her host of young friends.

## Summer Rates East

During the Season 1909

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Southern Pacific Co.

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## Monmouth

To OMAHA and Return - - - \$62.10

To KANSAS CITY and return - \$62.10

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Routing on the return trip through California may be had at a slight advance over the rates quoted.

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### Jersey Cow for Sale.

Full blood Jersey cow; tests 6 per cent; about three years old. Inquire of V. D. Butler.

### Cow for Sale

Choice milk cow for sale. Inquire at Herald office.

### Jersey Cow for Sale

Good Jersey cow for sale cheap if taken soon. Inquire at Monmouth Real Estate Office.

### For Sale

A new \$55 steel range at a bargain. L. R. Traver, Monmouth, Ore.

### Church Directory.

#### EVANGELICAL CHURCH

L. C. HOOVER, Pastor

Morning service at 11:00 o'clock  
Evening service at 7:00 o'clock  
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.  
Y. P. A. Meeting at 6:30 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening.

#### CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

W. A. WOOD, Pastor.

Morning Service at 11. a. m.  
Evening Service at 7:00 p. m.  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

#### BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Preaching 2:30 p. m.

W. C. T. U.

Local Union meets every second and fourth Friday in the Evangelical church at 2:30 p. m.

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