

## LOCAL AND STATE NEWS

Harvest time is here.

Harold Herren went to Newport, Thursday.

A. E. Tethrow was doing business in town, Monday.

Miss Williams of Independence was in town yesterday.

E. H. Craven of Grand Ronde was in town this week.

How nice those vegetables look at Muscott's. Try them.

William C. Mitzar of Gresham was in Monmouth this week.

J. O. Walker was doing business in town Thursday.

Black Brothers have purchased a new thrasher and separator.

Mrs. C. H. Cummings visited her sister at Carlton last week.

B. C. Kroegen of Portland was looking around this section this week.

Z. L. Eastman of Forest Grove registered at Hotel Hampton this week.

L. D. Brown, Attorney-at-law, Notary Public, Abstractor, Dallas, Oregon.

John Dorcas, the tombstone man, of Portland was in town yesterday.

Burton Arant is home for a short visit with relatives and friends.

A. G. Sacre is home from attending school at Cheney, Washington.

G. W. Wilson of Salem was in Monmouth the latter part of last week.

C. G. Griffa visited Jefferson and Alsea this week. He will return Saturday.

P. O. Powell and family are camping for the week on his ranch north of Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith of Portland were doing business in this section this week.

J. C. Fuller of Portland has been taking a look around this section during the week.

W. E. Smith, assistant cashier, at the Polk County Bank is off to Newport for a couple of week's vacation.

Miss Sidney Chaney of Pendleton a niece of Mrs. D. M. Hampton is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Ina Fishback of Monmouth Heights was shopping in Monmouth, Tuesday.

Mrs. George Remington of Teat's Station visited Mrs. John Remington Wednesday.

George A. Muscott and step-daughter, Miss Kathryn Hughes, gave Portland a visit last Saturday remaining till Monday evening.

A. L. Chute and wife and son, John, returned home this week from a visit to the sea-shore whither they went last week for an outing.

The city of McMinnville will have her streets oiled at a cost of 12 cents a front foot, the property owners and the city bearing the expense.

Agustus Peterson of Reno, Nevada arrived here last Thursday evening to visit his brother, S. H. Peterson, and will remain for some time.

Miss Agnes Hafe and Mr. Byers, and Miss Leota Wolverton and Mr. McDonald drove over to Dallas last Saturday evening on a pleasure trip.

J. W. Wright has a friend visiting from California this week but we have lost the name. Earl Wright will probably accompany the gentleman on his return to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Morrison of Bridgeport visited H. W. Lucas and family Sunday.

D. C. Ecker gave Corvallis a business visit yesterday returning in the evening.

Miss Mary and Lucy Rogers of Corvallis are the guests of their cousin Miss Elva Alice Lucas.

Miss Edith Wolverton went to Dallas the latter part of last week to visit relatives and friends for several days.

W. L. Arant went to Portland and brought his sister home Tuesday evening. Miss Arant is getting along nicely.

The seashore hath charms and is a drawing card at present. There are a good many families who have past through town coastward this week.

A. M. Arant and son, W. L. took a trip through Benton and Linn counties, visiting Sodaville, Waterloo and Lebanon.

J. M. Bennett has returned to Monmouth from Alberta and Saskatchewan, and Minnesota. He was in the train that ran over Miss Mahr, the actress.

Chancey Harris and James E. Hunk of Gilliam and L. H. Jones of Hoquiam, have been looking around here for locations, this week.

Mrs. Savage of the Savage Real Estate firm of Salem was over yesterday with a man to buy the Lampitt place on the Luckiamute. The place was sold some time ago.

H. W. and Walter J. Domes and Misses Gladys McKee and Jane and Daphne Richards gave Monmouth a call Sunday, having driven over from McCoy and Perrydale on a pleasure jaunt.

A gentleman from Corvallis, Bolden, by name, has purchased P. H. Johnson's property, and will move here this fall. He has contracted with James A. Peterson and his nephew, J. W. Peterson to have a small barn built on the place. The sale was made through the Peterson real estate firm.

D. M. Hewitt has been sporting a black eye for the past week, that has cost him considerable quizzing. However he came by it accidentally. In entering a stall to get a horse which he was working, the animal threw its head around from some cause and struck him, one of its teeth cutting a gash near the eye.

### Saw Mill Burns at Independence

Shortly before noon, July 24, the saw mill at Independence, belonging to the Spaulding Lumber Co., burned to the ground.

The fire had gained much headway by the time it was discovered and some lumber and the office building was all that was saved. D. A. Hodge, the manager, was in Portland at the time of the fire.

A light wind was blowing but it was favorable, had it been in the opposite direction it would have been very disastrous to the business section of the city.

The amount of the loss or the insurance is not known at present, but it is presumed that it was covered by insurance. It is not known how the fire originated.

This makes the third saw mill that has been destroyed by fire at this site in Independence. The first some time in the '70's when it was owned by Mr. Hedges. The second time about the year 1894, when it was owned by Prescott and Veness. About the year 1890 Prescott and Veness sustained the loss of a saw mill from the same place, it being washed away in a flood.

Miss Doris Zook is visiting relatives in the Rickreall country.

Jess Zook went to Dallas, Tuesday, and will work at that place for awhile.

Miss Blanche Stitt and Mrs. Agnes Daily gave Portland a visit last Saturday having gone there to visit relatives and friends. Mrs. Daily returned home, Monday evening, while Miss Stitt will remain in the city for a couple of weeks.

### CHURCH SERVICE



REV. G. HEINMILLER

Rev G. Heinmiller, D. D., of Cleveland, Ohio, president of the Young People's Alliance and editor of one of the leading periodicals of the Evangelical church, will speak at the Evangelical church, Sunday morning, July 31st.

Dr. Heinmiller is a speaker of rare qualities, and is making a tour of the Western conferences of his church, lecturing and preaching at the various conventions and campmeetings.

He was in attendance at the Young People's Alliance convention, Sunday School League, and Campmeeting of the Oregon conference, held at Jennings Lodge, Oregon, July 19th to 29th and will speak at Monmouth on the 31st, at 11 o'clock, a. m.

### Professional Cards

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