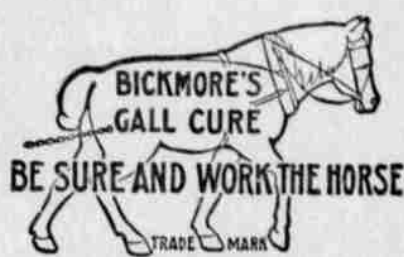


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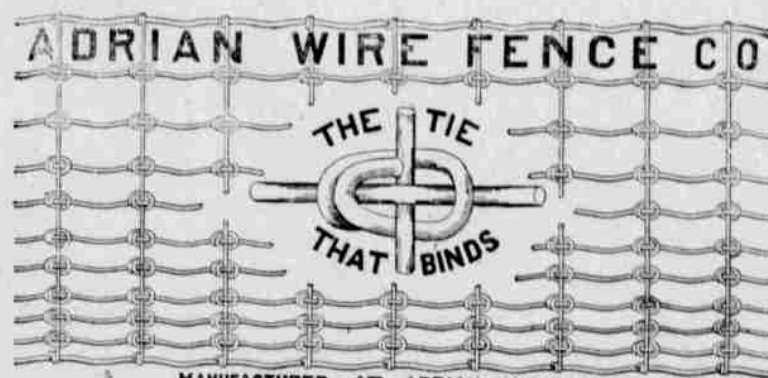
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Mrs. C. C. Yeater, of Monmouth Heights, was trading in town Tuesday.

Ernest Zielesch, of Parker, was a visitor in Monmouth Tuesday.

The firm name of Lindsay & Company has been changed to Strickler & Murdock.

Abstracts promptly furnished at reasonable rates, by L. D. Brown, Dallas, Oregon.

Miss Suver, of Suver, was doing business in Monmouth the fore part of the week.

Single Comb White Leghorn eggs for sale at 75 cents a setting. W. A. Wood, Monmouth.

Miss Lulu Peterson who has been stopping with her grandparents here for the last month returned home Wednesday.

Charles F. Nichols, of Portland, representing the American Type Founders Company was doing business in town Tuesday.

Mrs. M. Kitchen, who has been stopping in California during the winter, stopped with her daughter, Mrs F. R. Bowersox, for a few days and then proceeded to her home at Stayton.

Rev. W. W. Davis was called to Corvallis, Wednesday to officiate at the funeral of Rev. Taylor, a Baptist minister and an old resident of Benton county, with whom he has been acquainted for a long time.

Mrs. Alice Starr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Peterson, came Tuesday, from her home above Corvallis, and intends to stay with her parents until they start for California. Mr. Starr drove down in a wagon and returned home the following day.

Result of The Polk County High School Debates Held Friday, March 24, 1911.

The results of the recent series of debates held in the Polk County High School Debating league are as follows: The subject for debate at the series was, "Resolved that free text books should be furnished to the schools of Oregon by the state."

Each school had two teams in the league and had each side of the question. At Monmouth, Monmouth was defeated by Independence by a two to one decision; At Falls City, Falls City was defeated by Monmouth by a three to nothing decision, and at Bethel, Bethel was defeated by a two to one decision by Falls City. Perrydale withdrew and gave their points to Dallas and Independence the two teams they were to meet.

The judges were all men who understood debating work and were all parties who were not interested in either school or team. The judges are as follows: Dallas—Supt. W. W. Wiley, Prof. Wm. Pettys, Newberg and Hon. Ira C. Powell, Monmouth; Falls City—Rev. Dunsmore, Independence, Rev. L. L. Myer, Dallas and Chas. H. Jones, Salem; Monmouth—E. F. Carlton, Salem, Supt. W. R. Rutherford, Prof. W. B. Wilson, McMinnville and at Bethel—Prof. W. A. Weist, Prof. Zophar Tharp, Prof. A. I. O'Reilly all of Salem.

The results of the series of debates in the league are as follows: Dallas, 13 points; Independence, 10 points; Monmouth, 9 points; Falls City, 7 points; Bethel, 5 points; Perrydale, 4 points.

The Seymour cup which was won last year by the Falls City school, and which remains the property of the league until won two years in succession by some school, will this year go to the Dallas High School.

SPELLING CONTEST

Report of Spelling Contests for schools of two or more rooms, held Feb. 24, 1911.

Fourth Grade.

First place: Bethel 100 per cent.

Second place: Aarlle 98 per cent.

Third place: Dallas 97 1-11 per cent.

Fifth Grade.

First place: Rickreall 99 1-2 per cent.

Second place: Bethel, Buell, 98 per cent.

Third place: Falls City 96 1-2 per cent.

Sixth Grade.

First place: Buell 100 per cent.

Second place: Bethel, North Dallas, Falls City, 99 per cent.

Third place: Monmouth, Rickreall 98 per cent.

Seventh Grade.

First place: Falls City 98 per cent.

Second place: Rickreall 96 1-2 per cent.

Third place: Dallas, Monmouth 93 per cent.

Eighth Grade.

First place: Buell 98 per cent.

Second place: Monmouth, Independence, 89 per cent.

Third place: Rickreall 88 per cent.

The following schools have been granted certificates for having made 95 per cent or more in the contest:

Fourth Grade; Dallas, Airlie, Monmouth, Bethel.

Fifth Grade; Bethel, Rickreall, Buell, Falls City.

Sixth Grade; Monmouth, Rickreall, Bethel, Buena Vista, Buell, North Dallas, Falls City.

Seventh Grade; Falls City, Rickreall.

Eighth Grade; Buell.

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