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## REGULAR PORTLAND LETTER

Portland, Or., Jan. 23—A permanent state organization that will have considerable influence on Oregon affairs is promised through the formation of the Oregon Irrigation Congress, which has been called for February 19, 20 and 21 in the convention hall of the Portland Commercial Club. All interested in irrigation are urged to attend and suggestions will be welcomed. The purpose of the congress is to have an effective organization to deal with irrigation questions and to secure the rights Oregon feels itself entitled to from the Federal Government.

Indications are that there will be a big attendance from all parts of the state. Government officials and irrigation experts from all parts of the state will be invited and the proposed organization promises to make itself very useful to Oregon in the work of future development.

A conference held at the Oregon Agricultural College on Monday of this week between the different interests that are working for agricultural education in the state schools resulted in partially outlining the course of study. Livestock interests of Portland have arranged to send out an expert hog raiser over the state to interest boys in raising hogs. This will be a part of the agricultural work of the schools and contests will be arranged, the winners in the various classes meeting in a county contest and the winners of these, in turn, will exhibit at the State Fair.

An Oregon hop farm has been sold for \$130,000. This was the well known Krebs farm near Independence, consisting of 400 acres of excellent hop land, together with all necessary equipment. The buyers, an English company, will continue raising hops on the tract.

La Grande business men have been getting better acquainted with their state by participating in a special excursion that took them all over the main railway lines of Western and Southern Oregon. The excursionists chartered a special car and traveled in comfort, being entertained at the principal points along their journey.

What is probably the largest mobilization of troops ever undertaken in this country in time of peace will be that in the Klamath Basin the coming Summer. United States regulars and state militia forces are to be gathered for maneuvers. The ground selected for the big camp is about 50 miles North of Klamath Falls, near the Klamath Indian Reservation and convenient to the Crater Lake National Park and the Cascade Forest Reserve.

Wenatchee will send a committee of fruit growers to Portland to confer with representatives of other districts of Oregon and Washington to formulate a better selling plan for the combined products of the leading fruit growing sections. It is hoped by consolidation of interests to per-

## New Store to Open Tuesday, January 30

We are pleased to announce the opening of our new store

Tuesday Morning, Jan. 30, at 9 o'clock A. M. Don't miss the Opening Day as we have some extra good things in store for you.

Remember we have come to stay; our bargains have come to stay, and our store will be nothing but bargains. Our prices will be Rock Bottom and our goods will speak for themselves. One price to all.

We especially invite you to make our store your stopping place when in town. Come right in and make yourself at home and invite your friends to meet you at our place.

Remember our Jewelry Department and let us do your watch and clock repairing. We have had ten years experience. All work guaranteed.

Watch our special bargain counters—we shall always have something new.

The Normal Variety Store,  
P. E. CHASE, Mgr.,  
The Peoples' Popular Trading Place.

## IN MEMORIAM.

Again are we called to mourn; again do we realize how uncertain is life. Full of promise and hope, surrounded by loving friends, blessed with a devoted husband and a young loving daughter, Zero Mulkey Clark had every assurance of a life full of happiness. With a kindly disposition, a spotless character, she was loved by all who knew her. Her life was one of devotion to her family and her friends. Possessed with a sweet, well trained voice, it was always a delight to her to sing for others when she could give them comfort or pleasure. In no small degree did she join in the social life of the community, willing at all times to do her part cheerfully and by kindly suggestion and helpful hands she ministered to all. Reared from childhood in her home here her life was an open book and an inspiration.

Her bereaved husband and family have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.

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fect a selling agency that shall bring about a better system of distribution than has been in use heretofore.

A new perennial clover, of the alsike species, is reported from Tillamook County where it was first discovered. Experiments are being made with it and it was claimed it yields enormous tonnage to the acre, while it grows the year around. The clover has no seed, bloom or sex and is propagated by cutting up the plant and sowing the pieces. The department of agriculture will make an investigation of the new plant.

LOST—A gold watch fob with charm bearing the monogram "E. L." Finder leave same at Winegar & Lorence Hardware Store and receive \$1.00 reward.

## EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS.



G. W. PLUMMER

Evangelistic meetings at the Evangelical Church beginning with next Sunday, Jan. 28, and continuing two weeks.

Rev. G. W. Plummer, of Salem, and Conference Evangelistic Missionary will have charge of the services.

He is a strong man in the pulpit, eloquent in his addresses, and a good gospel preacher. If you want to hear the old-time gospel preached with ye old-time up-to-date Holy Ghost power then come and hear him. Now is your chance to get what you have been looking for.

Let every body come for all are invited.

W. A. GUEFFROY,  
Pastor.

## More Basket Ball

Manager Craven has arranged for another entertainment. Saturday evening, which promises to be the best, so far, for the season.

The first game will be called at 7:45 o'clock and will be played by the Normal team and Independence Club team.

The second game will be the Monmouth High School team pitted against the Baraca Club Class team of the Willamett University at Salem.

This team comes strongly recommendation, having defeated the Silverton Athletic Club team, and although it is a team considered in a class above the high school class, the Monmouth boys will go up against them with a confidence that will most likely leave them victors of the situation.

Don't fail to see this game, nor to cheer for the home players.

Professor Williams, leader of the Jubilee Singers, through his songs and sayings, would lead his audience to think that he has the chicken mania instilled in him to a very large degree, and it is suggested that he join the Monmouth Henroost Club, at least, as an honorary member.

The score in the game last Saturday night with the Corvallis High School team was 31 to 10 in favor of the Monmouth team.

The city of Omaha brags of a hog-dentist. Just by the practice of his profession this man "assures perfect health to all hogs." It is said that he does an enormous business, and he certainly ought if he can make goog.—Telegram.

## Announcement

We wish to announce to the people of Monmouth and vicinity that we have purchased the stock of books, stationery, confectionery, groceries and cigars of Frank Clark, corner of Main Street and Monmouth Avenue, and we have added an up-to-date soda fountain and are prepared to cater to the tastes of patrons.

Hot and cold lunches a specialty.

When desiring anything in the above line call and see us.

MORLAN & SON.

## NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES

The citizens of Monmouth and students of the Normal enjoyed a treat Tuesday evening in hearing the Williams Jubilee Singers. This is the first of the entertainment course which has been secured by the Commercial Club and the Normal, and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all, as was shown in the hearty applause with which each number was received. Having been in Monmouth several times before the excellence of their program was known, and hence the large assembly hall of the Normal was filled to its capacity, and all felt that the program excelled any heretofore given.

There has been a good program arranged covering commencement week. The Baccalaureate Address will be given by Dr. H. Charles Dunsmore, Sunday, February 4th, and the program covers Monday and Tuesday the 5th and 6th also.

The last of the Seniors to appear in assembly was Miss Queen Lynn, who gave an interesting and instructive talk Thursday morning on "Dickens' Characters." She handled her subject in a very able manner and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The training school is coming on in good shape. The first half year is almost completed and teachers are much pleased with the work and behavior of the pupils. The school, from the primary through the high school has yet the first serious case of unmanly or unwomanly conduct to record. All requests from teachers have been met in fine spirit by the pupils and patrons. It is hoped that the fathers and mothers will come in and visit the classes. Those in charge of the school urge visitation as one of the best means to help the children. The school has one urgent request of parents. It is that children be sent to school on time. The session begins at 8:50 in the morning and at 1:10 in the afternoon. The records are spoiled every day by tardy marks.

President Ackerman has been invited to deliver a lecture at Silverton on Friday evening, which invitation has been accepted.

## TAKE NOTICE.

All persons having poultry running at large, in the corporate limits of the city of Monmouth, must put up same by February 1, 1912, or I will enforce the law against such fowls running at large.

C. P. CORNWELL, Marshal.

## MONMOUTH FORGING AHEAD

Change, but not Decay gives Promise of Future Growth.

There were bargains made last Friday for three business changes in the city of Monmouth one of which, at least means progress while we believe the other two will make good.

The most notable of these changes and the one that will make most for better conditions is the hotel property owned by E. H. Hosner, of Portland, a former resident of this place. This property has been bargained for by J. Frank Miller and two sons, from Bellingham, Washington, and if the trade goes through as scheduled, Mr. Miller and sons contemplate building on to the present structure until there will be sufficient accommodations for the care of the public, and in case the trade should fall through, it is their intention, so we are informed, to purchase a lot and build a hotel, so in either case Monmouth is in the way of more hotel accommodation, a thing which she has needed for some time past.

Mr. Miller is thinking of sojourning in California and his sons will have charge of the hotel business.

Another change which will take place February 1, is the transfer of the Monmouth Bakery business, Orvil White having disposed of his business to C. V. and W. A. McNeill, two brothers from Eastern Oregon.

The McNeill Brothers are not unknown here as they attended school at this place in the past and one of them worked under C. C. Mulkey, formerly baker at this place.

Mr. White was building up a good business and gave promise of success in his trade, but unfortunately the business did not agree with him as to his health and he found it necessary to dispose of it.

## CAFE CHANGED HANDS

The other change was that of the Frank Clark cafe, confectionery and book store, A. B. Morlan being the purchaser. The transfer was made and Messrs. Morlan & Son donned their aprons and went to work Saturday catering to the wants of their patrons.

These changes speak in two ways; the first two coming from outside purchasers show that those who are watching Monmouth from an outside standpoint have faith in her future and are willing to invest their money here, believing that they will reap future profit. In the second instance the purchaser being a resident and business man for years past shows that he retains faith in Monmouth's future.

## CARD OF THANKS.

To our many friends who were so kind to us in our late bereavement, we extend our sincere thanks. Their ministrations were given in so kindly a spirit we shall always cherish them.

ALLEN T. CLARK,  
W. J. MULKEY  
AND FAMILY.