

LOCAL AND STATE NEWS

Zook the Painter, will hang your paper for you.

The Grange will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Guy Scheible has been helping in the HERALD office this week.

Misses Cora Green and Blanche Stitt gave Independence a visit Sunday afternoon.

The basket ball game Saturday night promises to be a hummer. Don't fail to see it.

Jersey bull for service, \$1.50 cash. J. M. MacDonald, Monmouth. Bell phone 55.

FOR SALE—Some full-blood Ancona pullets and a few cockerels. Mrs. J. L. Murdock, Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Olden of the Luckiamute are thinking of moving to Monmouth in the near future.

E. C. Cole has recently invented a musical lace winder which is now in operation at the V. F. Daniel store.

It is reported that chicken meat is beginning to taste bitter to the palate of some the Monmouth Hen-roost Club members.

Miss Hazel Lorence has returned from her visit to Eugene and has taken her place at the desk in the hardware store again.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bockes, of Amity, visited their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. Matthis and wife, of this place, Friday and Saturday.

Grover Pitzer was a visitor at the HERALD office Wednesday and was initiated into the mysteries of the print-shop by the office devil. Come again Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Force returned home, Monday, from their visit in Eastern, Oregon. Mr. Force says that the snow got too deep for him and that Monmouth is good enough.

Morlan & Son have purchased the fine soda fountain which was installed in Perkins Pharmacy, and moved it into their new place of business on the corner of Main Street and Monmouth Avenue.

W. E. Strong and wife are contemplating a trip to Houston, Texas, and will start on their journey the latter part of this month or the first of next. Miss Ida may go along as far as Los Angeles to visit friends.

The city hall has been on the move for some two weeks past but finally was anchored upon the back part of the city lot facing the hotel on the west, that is the lot does, but the hall is obscured by the engine house which stands in front of it.

George Carmichael, wife and baby were thrown from the delivery wagon this week but suffered little inconvenience. The harness broke leaving the wagon tongue down and the team parted and was unmanageable. The wagon was drawn against a telephone pole spilling the occupants out.

Mr. Thompson, a gentleman from Vancouver, Washington, was here this week on a trade for the Strickler & Murdock store, and Mr. Strickler left today for Idaho to look at some property which the gentleman wishes to put in on the trade. If the property shows up alright the trade will be made.

DR. L. W. HORN,
Veterinary Surgeon
Crowley Bros. Livery Barn,
Independence, Oregon.

Reminiscent of the Entertainment.

No Ray of light from stars shown down,
As homeward all strolled on,
But, still, one mind did often turn,
To strains of Negro song;
Said he, "If I were born again,
"Twould be a joyful boon
To have selection of my lot,
I'd like to be a 'Coon.' "

D. C. McNeil was laid off work Wednesday, suffering from cold.

Oak Posts for sale at 12 1-2 cents each. Allen Johnson, Monmouth.

Our old townsman, D. C. Eck-er, of Philomath, was here looking around yesterday.

Rev. Howd, of McMinnville, will preach again in the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours.

Miss Minnie Houser, of McMinnville, an old friend of Mrs. J. O. Matthis, is here and will help Mrs. Matthis with her house work for a while.

The Independence High School basket ball team played the Dallas High school team, at Dallas, Wednesday night and were defeated in a score of 39 to 2.

A. H. Craven received a letter a few days ago from his sister, Lora, at Los Angeles, in which she remarked that they are enjoying most excellent weather in that locality.

Mr. Dell Harrington and wife arrived here from Albany Tuesday of last week returning home the following day accompanied by Mrs. Harrington's mother, Mrs. A. Bookey.

Archie and Marvin McNeill arrived here Wednesday from Eastern Oregon. Marvin came to take charge of the bakery for the McNeill Brothers, while Archie has gone to Dallas where he will work with C. C. Mulkey for a while.

Star Theater Improved.

Prime and Murdock have had the Star Theater building provided with a stage, stage scenery and drop curtain, and now have it ready for theatricals and other entertainments.

This improvement is something that has been needed for some time and will be a convenience, especially when our home people wish to get up an entertainment.

Messrs L. Anderson and N. G. Hayes, of Corvallis, did the work.

Notice to Settle.

Having disposed of the Monmouth Bakery business, possession to be given February 1st, 1912, it is expedient that I wind up my business by January 31, therefore persons indebted to me will, please, come forward and settle by that date.

ORVIL WHITE.

Twain and the Printer.

Mark Twain once had a trying experience with a compositor, one of those conscientious compositors who not only know, but know that they know. Mr. Clemens had received from his publishers the proofs of a story which he considered as funny as anything he had ever written, but on reading the proofs he dimly discovered that the fun had been carefully eliminated. Mr. Clemens returned the proofs, congratulating the compositor upon having consumed "only one week in making sense of a story which he himself required two weeks to make nonsense of!"

No Sale Was Made.

A dealer in pet birds was visited by a customer who stuttered and wanted to buy a parrot which took his fancy. The salesman was an Irishman who had just been employed by the dealer. The customer said, "Du—du—does that parrot ta—ta—talk good?"

"Well," replied the Irish salesman, "if he did not talk better than you I would wring his neck off!"

Take Care of the Pennies

Do you often consider the value of a penny?

One penny saved each day and placed at interest will in five years amount to \$17.14 or in twenty years to \$95.

Many do not appreciate the value of a penny because most stores ignore the penny in purchasing their merchandise.

Yet why should you pay ten cents for an article that cannot be profitably sold for five cents, but can be sold for six or seven cents? Or why should you pay more than thirteen cents for an article that is sold two for a quarter?

If your purchasing is done at this store we will save you pennies every day.

AND THE DOLLARS WILL CARE FOR THEMSELVES.

V. F. DANIEL

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