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SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY, NOV. 9th.

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TABLE SYRUP

Special for today, 60c seller, Fancy
Table Syrup

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THE LIBERAL

T. M. FRENCH, Proprietor.

Monmouth,

Oregon

High School Notes

Last Wednesday morning the students of the high school were favored by an excellent address by Prof. E. S. Evenden, of the normal school, on "A Sound Mind in a Sound Body." The clear pointed statements made and the splendid illustrations will be remembered by the students. The students and teachers hope soon to be able to hear another address by Prof. Evenden on a similar subject.

The northeastern room on the basement floor now contains over 120 plants of various kinds, and presents a beautiful appearance. Many citizens have contributed flowers, and several teachers of the training school and high school have spent hours in properly fixing the plants in the room.

The high school students regret to lose Miss Mildred Force who has gone to Eastern Oregon on a visit and to attend school.

Improvements were made Tuesday on the piano and the musical part will not be left out for Friday's program.

A movement for industrial work in the Monmouth high school has been started.

The organization of the student body has been completed by the election of the following officers: President, Ranie Burkhead; Secretary, Dorothy Portwood; Treasurer, Howard Morlan.

The beautiful pictures of the Presidential candidates will remain on the platform of the high school assembly room until the election returns are received. The picture of the candidate elected will be kept on the platform for a week afterward.

The school is considering the

purchase of a fine new flag for the high school building.

There will be no school Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week, on account of the Polk County Teacher's Institute at Dallas. Principal J. W. Livingston, of the high school, and several of the training school teachers will be on the program.

Miss Tingling, of Norfolk, Virginia, delivered an address to the pupils of the training school in the high school assembly room Tuesday morning. Her object was to discourage the smoking of cigarettes and other bad habits in the school.

Bids for call bells for class rooms were received by the Monmouth school board at its regular meeting Monday evening. All drawings and bids received were from students of the high school and the wiring for same will start at once.

Last Friday's program was given over to a general discussion of the different political parties and their Presidential candidates. Much enthusiasm was shown by the students in regard to the candidates for President. Most of the short speeches made were worked on for some time and memorized. The program in detail follows:

Opening Song, School; Wilson—Life, Laura Bell; Character, Ruby Lorence; Platform, Russel Quisenberry and Ranie Burkhead. Roosevelt—Character, Clares Powell; Platform, Dorothy Portwood; Prophecy, Arthur Burkhead; Literature, Stacia Hendron; Roosevelt Song, Chorus. Taft—Character, Byron White; Conversation on platform on Winifred Prophet and Golda Wheeler; Prophecy, Lucien P. Arant; Literature, Neta Waller; Debs—Life and Character, Platform by John Webber; Closing Song, School.

Monmouth Time Table

The following is the schedule time for the arrival and departure of trains at Monmouth.

No. 64.	Independence to Dallas and Portland,	6:35 A. M.
No. 61.	Independence to Airlie,	6:40 A. M.
No. 62.	Airlie to Independence and Salem,	8:00 A. M.
No. 65.	Dallas to Independence and Corvallis,	8:55 A. M.
No. 68.	Independence to Dallas,	11:05 A. M.
No. 69.	Dallas to Independence and Portland,	1:25 P. M.
No. 66.	Independence to Dallas,	2:40 P. M.
No. 125.	Independence to Monmouth and return to Independence and Salem,	3:55 P. M.
No. 73.	Dallas to Airlie,	3:55 P. M.
No. 72.	Airlie to Independence,	5:35 P. M.
No. 70.	Independence to Dallas,	6:40 P. M.
No. 126.	Independence to Monmouth and return to Independence,	7:25 P. M.
No. 71.	Dallas to Independence,	7:45 P. M.

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The City Council Meeting.

The city council met Wednesday evening, all members present except Councilman Murdock.

Claims against the city were examined and ordered paid as per following list:

AGAINST GENERAL FUND.

J. W. White, hauling gravel	\$ 56.70
J. F. McClellan, hauling gravel	6.25
Monmouth Mer. Co., mdse.,	.35
F. M. Suver, surveying	60.00
W. R. Coulter, hauling gravel	1.80
Geo. W. Sullivan, marshal fees	15.00
Total	\$140.10

AGAINST WATER WORKS FUND.

G. W. Sullivan, salary	\$35.00
Oregon Power Co., power	17.00
Standard Oil Co., distillate	5.30
Total	\$57.30

Next, after passing on the claims, the marshal was instructed to move the wooden pipe and well casing to the South well lot. The ordinance preparatory to opening Guin street was read the third time and adopted.

The plans and specifications for the pump-house were taken up and the matter laid over until the well now under way has been sunk deep enough.

Adjournment was then taken. The council will meet again in regular session next Tuesday evening, at 7:30.

NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the common council of the city of Monmouth, Oregon, to be held at the council chambers of said city, on the 26th day of November, 1912, at the hour of 8, P. M. thereof, the said city will sell 10 negotiable coupon bonds of said city of the principal amount of \$5,000.00, in the aggregate, as authorized by ordinance No. 142 of said city, entitled "A Bill for an Ordinance No. 142, An ordinance authorizing the issuance, disposal and sale of bonds of the city of Monmouth, Oregon, for the purpose of raising funds for the construction of water works within and without said city for the benefit and use of said city under and by virtue of the authority vested in said city of Monmouth by an amendment to the charter of said city and known therein as Article II, which said amendment was duly adopted by a majority of the votes cast thereon at a special city election held in said city on the 5th day of June, 1911, for such purpose, and by proclamation of the mayor dated June 7th, 1911, declared to be in full force and effect as an amendment to said city charter as Article II thereof; declaring an immediate emergency to exist and excepting this ordinance from the effect of the referendum," passed by the common council of said city on the 25th day of July, 1911; approved by the mayor of said city on the 25th day of July, 1911.

Said bonds are in denominations of \$500.00 each, payable twenty-five years from the 1st day of September, 1911, (with the privilege optional with the common council of said city, of paying said bonds or any of them at any time after the 1st day of September, 1921), and bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum until paid, payable semi-annually from September 1st, 1911; principal and interest payable at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Oregon, in the City of New York, State of New York, in Gold Coin, without costs, charge or expense to the purchaser or holder of said bonds.

Said bonds will be sold to the highest bidder or bidders therefor, but that said bonds will not be sold for less than their face value. But no proposal will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check of 5 per cent of the amount bid, said check to be drawn upon some solvent bank, subject to forfeiture to the city if said bid be accepted, and the bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of his bid.

The said common council reserves the right to accept bids for any part of said issue less than the whole thereof, if bids for a part only of such bonds are received, and also reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Common Council.
D. E. STITT,
Recorder of the City of Monmouth,
Oregon.
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