

THANKS-GIVING

Don't be a pessimist. Breathe the spirit of the Season. We are sure you all have lots to be thankful for. We ourselves are, first and foremost, thankful for the patronage we have received in the past year. Then there are lots of other things to be thankful for. For instance, aren't you thankful that the city water-system is filling up? Of course you are.

Thanksgiving Day is usually celebrated by eating too much. If you are going to eat, why not eat off a nice, new, linen table cloth. Next to the Turkey, that helps the most towards making the meal enjoyable.

Special for This Week

\$1.25 Table Linen, going until Thanksgiving at, per yard : : : : : : : 98c

We can also supply your wants in all the other seasonable delicacies.

Cranberries, Celery, Sweet Potatoes and everything good to eat.

THE LIBERAL

T. M. FRENCH, Proprietor.

Monmouth,

Oregon

Local and Personal

S. R. Walker is still improving. Luther Ground is quite ill this week.

W. E. Towns was doing business in the city yesterday.

Rev. W. A. Wood and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Haley.

The Misses Maggie and Allie Butler were Independence visitors Tuesday.

R. M. Bosley is suffering from the cut he received near his knee, last week.

See our ad. BIG CUT IN EDISON WAX RECORDS. At Craven & Moore, Independence, Ore.

Sloper Bros. have the city well drilled to depth of 180 feet. It will require several days yet to finish the work.

The Mother's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Allen Johnson, next Friday, November 29, at the usual hour.

S. McGee and family moved into Monmouth Monday. Mr. McGee came here from Ohio about a year ago and has been employed on the C. L. McKenna place.

Mrs. Sarah Davis brought in a very gnarly carrot this week, for inspection. There was but one top but the root showed that it had doubled and trebled until some fifteen different formations appeared.

Mrs. C. V. Clodfelter came over Wednesday from Jefferson and returned yesterday taking her son with her. Master Clodfelter had been with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Griffla, for a week.

Ninetieth Birthday.

Mr. T. O. Waller celebrated the anniversary of his ninetieth

birthday Wednesday, Nov. 20. During the day many of his friends dropped in to see him and many were the gifts left in token of the esteem of their aged friend and relative.

Then in the evening the band paid their respects to Mr. Waller by appearing in his yard and rendering several selections of music in honor of the occasion.

Thanksgiving Program.

To be given at the Evangelical church next Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

Musical prelude; Hymn, By the congregation; Song, By the choir; Scripture reading and prayer; Song, By the choir; Presidents Proclamation; Addresses—"What I have to be thankful for as a City," Pres. Ackerman; "What I have to be thankful for as a State," Rev. W. A. Wood; Song, Duet; "What I have to be thankful for as a Nation," Rev. W. A. Gueffroy; "What I have to be thankful for as the World," Prof. Livingston; Announcement and Thank-offering; Song. All are invited.

Fancy Cattle From Lynn's Ranch Shipped to Winlock.

Frank Lynn, a Perrydale stockman, left yesterday for Winlock, Washington, with two head of fancy Jersey cattle of his own breeding which will be used to improve one of the herds near that place. Mr. Lynn is not what is termed a mere farmer, but is gradually improving upon farm methods until he is considered a genuine stockman. His two head of the famous milking breed will total nearly \$400. —Dallas Observer.

High School Notes

The school is sorry to learn that the educational leader of the

state, Supt. L. R. Alderman, is still confined to his bed on account of the severe bruising of his leg in the recent accident in Eastern Oregon. We trust that he may soon be able to renew his regular work in the state department and also in the institute field.

The windows in the basement of the high school building are attracting the eyes of many persons as they pass.

The Intermediate Room is artistically decorated and up-to-date. Miss Todd has added some beautiful pictures to the walls.

We are sorry to miss meeting our next door neighbor, Mr. Grounds, but we all hope that we may see him out again soon, wholly recovered from his illness.

Two members of the school board have visited us. Such interest in the work of the school is greatly appreciated by both the students and the teachers.

The number of students enrolled in the high school has been gradually increased since the opening of school two months ago.

"A Sound Mind in a Sound Body" is the slogan suggested for high school students by Principal Livingston.

The Monmouth High School has won its place on Polk county's roll of honor for having made an

attendance average of 95 per cent for the preceding month.

Many high school students heard with interest the illustrated lecture given by A. H. Chamberlain on "The Yosemite National Park" in the chapel of the Oregon Normal school last Friday evening.

The senior class of the high school spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Miss Marie Smith, Monday, in honor of her 17th birthday. The evening was spent in dancing, music and games. At a late hour a very appropriate lunch was served and the surprisers departed to their homes, feeling that the evening was well spent.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the Common Council of the city of Monmouth, Polk County, Oregon, has appointed W. R. Coulter, G. T. Boothby and L. C. Fisk to view out and assess damages and benefits to property owners effected by the creation of a street, thirty feet wide, from the county road, near the Monmouth Creamery plant, West across the property of the Monmouth Creamery company, and the right of way of the Southern Pacific company, to the west side thereof, to-wit: A strip 30 feet wide through said properties as marked on the plat made by Surveyor L. Ground and on file in the City Recorder's office, and that said viewers will meet at the city hall, in the city of Monmouth, December 21, 1912, at 9 o'clock a. m., and proceed to view out and assess such damages as by law provided.

All persons having claim for damages by reason of the widening of said part of Jackson street are hereby notified to file said claims with the city recorder before the time so appointed for the meeting of the viewers.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1912.

D. E. STITT, City Recorder.

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 6th 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 26th 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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