

Monmouth Heights

Allen Towns sold 40 goats recently.

Miss Mabel Riddell was trading in Monmouth Saturday.

Silas Clinton made a business trip to Independence Saturday.

Mrs. Bertha Layson was shopping in Independence Saturday.

Richard Osborne was the guest of relatives at Rickreall the past week.

Mrs. W. H. Mack, of Monmouth, visited Mrs. Allen Towns Saturday.

Clarence Marks and family, of the Luckiamute, have moved to the Mumma place here.

A traveling agent, in the interest of the Home Comfort Range, was on the Heights Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Shipley were in attendance at the Grange meeting in Monmouth Saturday.

Clay Guthridge and family visited with friends in Falls City from Friday until Sunday afternoon.

Dick Ogle and family have moved to the McCarthy hop yard, near Independence, where he is assisting with the work.

The World's Christian Citizenship Conference

One hundred among the ablest speakers of the world—one from each of the principal countries of the world and more than one from some countries, notably China, Japan, France, England, Canada and the United States—have been definitely secured to deliver addresses at the World's Christian Citizenship Conference, Portland, Oregon, June 29 to July 6, 1913. President-elect Woodrow Wilson heads the list in America, Editor James A. Macdonald that in Canada and Professor Richard Lodge that in the British Isles; Professors Ibuta and Motoda from Japan, Ng Poon Chew and Dr. Isaac T. Headland from China, Dr. Armenag Haigazian from Turkey and Charles-Merle d'Aubigne from France. Men in public life, ministers, missionaries, educators, philanthropists, sociologists, moral reformers—all recognized as eminent statesmen—constitute the list.

Fully ten thousand delegates representing communities, moral reform organizations, mission boards and various Christian and patriotic bodies in this and other countries have already been appointed to attend this world assembly and others are being appointed at the rate of from one to two thousand a month. This world gathering is not to be a convention whose action is to be binding upon all who attend and participate, but a conference for the comparison of views and the mutual exchange of practical ideas of leaders of Christian thought and action the wide world over.

Simultaneous Sectional conferences are to be held on Peace, Immigration, Prison Reform, Social Purity, Socialism, Capital and Labor, Mormonism, Marriage and Divorce, the Weekly Rest Day, Public Education, Personal Evangelism and Social Service, Christian Government, etc., with Governors Osborn, of Michigan, Stubbs, of Kansas, West, of Oregon, Lieutenant-Governor Wallace, of California, Ex. United States Commissioner of Immigration the Hon. Robert F. Watchorn, and others of their type in charge.

It is discussion such as is planned for this world assembly at Portland, of public issues by leading men of the times that

has hitherto revolutionized the world. Nor can the proposed discussion by the array of talent secured for the approaching World's Christian Citizenship Conference well fail to create a mighty influence for good or evil upon public sentiment the world over.

Railway companies generally are now promising, we are informed, unusual concessions in fare and other accommodations to all attending this Conference. The general director is Dr. James S. Martin, 603-604 Publication Bldg., Pittsburg, Pa., who will answer all inquiries and furnish self-explanatory literature relating to the Conference.

With the Churches

Christian Church.

By J. M. ORRICK

Good reports from the Home department of our Bible school shows that interest in Bible study is growing. The young people's class which meets at the theatre building had 29 present last Sunday. Interest is excellent. Sunday school attendance rose to 145. "Keep at it."

At a call meeting of the men of the church last Sunday morning it was unanimously voted to meet to consider organizing a local "Brotherhood." This meeting has been called for this evening (Friday) at 7:30. It is believed this promises to be one of the best movements possible.

The morning subject for next Sunday will be "The Work of the Holy Spirit in the Christian Life." Evening subject: "Jesus Enters Jerusalem in Triumph."

Baptist Church.

By J. K. P. CARSON

Sunday was a very busy day at the Baptist church. At 10 A. M. the funeral services of Mrs. Westfall; Elder Wood preaching the sermon from Luke X: 42. A very practical discourse; full of suggestion to all, and of comfort to the believer in Christ. We all greatly sympathize with Mr. Westfall and the sorrowing friends and relatives, and would tenderly commend them to Jesus who offers them the "One Thing Needful" as a panacea for all the troubles and sorrows of life.

At 11 o'clock Rev. Pollard preached from John VI: 68, subject, A Substitute for Christianity. Constituted as we are, we must and will worship something. We feel that we need help, but sin in us suggests any and every thing but Christ, so we seek for something earthly to supply the deep wants of the soul, forgetting or failing to consider the fact that Jesus is Divine and that He has the resources of the Universe at his command and is able and more than willing to come to our rescue if we will receive him. In the solution of the social problems of life we will utterly fail if we leave the Bible and the Christ of the Bible out of the question. Good laws may be enacted but it takes an enlightened public conscience to make them effective. Take away Christianity and what will you give as a substitute? In our life of warfare what can we have to give us the help we so much need if we reject the "Great Helper" "Christ Jesus," but the power of the Christ is being more and more recognized in the solution of great earthly problems. If not why is England, upon whose flag the sun never sets, seeking to arbitrate differences with the United States. The old fiend, who is the enemy of all progress,

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is taking a back seat and the Son of God is coming into his own. When the soul is sick where will you go? Jesus Christ has the words of eternal life. "Behold what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God." A good service Sunday night with an appreciative audience. Music by the choir, led by Miss Davis, was exceedingly good. Preaching services and Sunday school next Sunday as usual.

Evangelical Church.

By W. A. GUEFFROY

Last Sunday morning our Sunday school had the largest attendance since our coming to Monmouth, and we very much regretted the absence of Hope MacDonald, who, on account of sickness, could not attend. Cheer up, Hope, and recover speedily, for we cannot afford the absence of our best scholars.

We welcome the return of one of our faithful members and Sunday school workers, Miss Bessie Wade, who, with her parents, have arrived from Clem, Ore., and expect to make their future home here.

There will be regular services in this church next Sunday. Sunday school at 10 o'clock; preaching services at 11 and 7:30; Y. P. A. at 6:30. All are welcome.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12. — A congress of university students, representing 46 different nations from all quarters of the globe, will be held at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco in 1915. Papers will be read by leading members of the world universities on topics of social, economic, political, educational and religious interest. The congress, which will last several days, will be attended by men and women and will be non-sectarian, broad and liberal in its outlook and treatment.

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Walter G. Brown

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,	11:20 A. M.
No. 69.	Dallas to Independence and Portland,	1:25 P. M.
No. 66.	Independence to Dallas,	2:15 P. M.
No. 125.	Independence to Monmouth and return to Independence and Salem,	3:55 P. M.
No. 73.	Dallas to Airlie,	3:45 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.