

LOCAL AND STATE NEWS

J. F. Smith was doing business in town Saturday.

Buy your split and sawed cedar posts from the Monmouth Lumber yard. 20 tf

Abstracts promptly made by Brown & Sibley, attorneys and abstractors.

W. W. Newman is improving his property by building an addition to his house.

David S. North and Elmer Stultz had business which took them to Salem Wednesday.

Mrs. Coleman left for Newport Wednesday in company with Mr. A. N. Halleck and wife.

Monmouth Lumber yard will furnish you all kinds of building material at prices that are right.

Dr. J. B. Grider left last Friday to join his wife and spend a month visiting relatives in California.

Mayor Ira C. Powell and Mrs. L. A. Boone drove to Falls City Sunday returning home in the evening.

A goodly number of Monmouthites were in attendance at the moving picture show at Independence Tuesday night.

C. H. Newman and wife and father visited Albany and several other valley towns Sunday having taken a long run in their touring car.

Miss Mary Murdock came to Monmouth the latter part of last week and is helping F. E. Murdock with his books at the creamery this week.

M. K. Boatman and wife are in town this week and were given a serenade Monday night by the band, at the hotel. They will reside in Corvallis.

Miss Ruth Davis, of Alsea, spent last week visiting Marie Morlan and other friends. She left Saturday for Albany to visit relatives on her way home.

Mrs. A. B. Morlan and daughter, Marie, and aunt, Mrs. Phoebe Wade, of Brownsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cross, of Independence, Wednesday.

A big hop deal is reported from near Independence in which F. Matomi has disposed of his crop at 20 cents a pound, the contract calling for 100,000 pounds.

Miss Loraine Johnson accompanied Miss Elda McDaniel to her home in Portland Sunday for a short visit, after which she will visit her brother and his wife at Moro.

Hop-growers are looking out for pickers to harvest their crops. The yield is reported exceptionally good on the up land and harvesting will commence about September 1st.

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Fifty four persons were granted life certificates as teachers, at Salem, last Monday. Two of that number belong to Polk County. They are Edna H. Russell, of Dallas, and Alice Rasmussen, of Monmouth.

H. G. Seeley and family, who went to California "to live" about three weeks ago, have returned to God's country to reside. When asked how California was, they said it was alright, but not for them. They didn't know what kind of a country we had here until they got away. —Independence Enterprise.

C. S. Marks was doing business in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Rogers was shopping in Monmouth yesterday.

There is a trade pending for the Hotel Monmouth again.

Read the card of W. F. Scott found elsewhere in this issue.

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James E. Godfray, of Salem, is aspiring to be State Printer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sturkin gave Salem a visit last Saturday.

W. J. Mulkey and D. M. Hampton drove to Dallas yesterday.

Mrs. W. O. Meador was over from Salem, yesterday, on business.

Rev. J. M. Orrick made a business trip into Washington state last Monday.

A large shipment of screen doors just in. Buy them at the Monmouth Lumber Yard.

J. H. Moran and Ed Griffa took a fishing trip to Humbug Lake near Independence Sunday.

Superintendent Sturkin and helpers were at work water-proofing the city reservoir yesterday.

Misses Cora Green and Loette Shore spent Sunday picnicing across the river from Independence.

Miss Blanche Stitt, of the HERALD force, was the guest of Miss Tena Brown, of Independence, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Hamilton, of Independence, has been canvassing the town for the past three days, taking orders for books.

Arthur Miller and Mr. Light, of this city, were in attendance at the Moose Lodge, at Independence, Wednesday night.

Miss Gertrude Vernon, of Lakeview, is here visiting friends. Miss Vernon graduated from the Monmouth Normal School in 1904.

Misses Ruby Fream, Elta and Dorothy Portwood, Loette Shore, Mable Johnson and Cora Green attended the show at Independence, Wednesday evening.

M. M. Jones was in town yesterday and says that this week will finish the cutting of the fall sown grain in his section, and that threshing will commence next week.

John Palmer was in from the Luckiamute country, yesterday, and reports harvesting as advancing and that threshing has already begun on the Ireland place. C. S. Marks and brother are operating their machine and will start on Mrs. Palmer's grain Monday.

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