

# The Herald

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Monmouth, Oregon.

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## SELECT YOUR OFFICERS

The annual city election is approaching and the selection of other members to fill the new board is now in place. The members whose time closes with the year are Mayor Powell, Councilmen A. B. Morlan and W. R. Graham, the city recorder and the marshal. Messrs. White and Lorence were elected last December and will hold over.

Mayor Powell declines another term as does also Mr. Morlan, each one having made the statement that they will not be a candidate, neither will they serve. Having been associated with these men for the past two years in city work we know that they have worked earnestly to secure the welfare and serve the best interests of the city and gave their time when their own business demanded their attention and the city owes them at least a good measure of gratefulness.

There are certain qualifications a councilman or mayor must have and there are certain others that he ought to possess. Among these qualifications are real estate and patience. The mayor or councilman must be a freeholder or else he or she can not qualify, and they need a measure of patience, heaped up and running over, and to these good judgment and executive ability.

So choose and make a wise choice and see that those selected are progressive and conservative. The welfare of the city, its health, convenience and progress should be considered.

## The Growth In Prohibition

An astounding fact is the growth of the prohibition movement in the state and country. We do not refer to the organized movement but to that great unorganized movement body on the outside which represents so large and so respectable an element of public opinion and which hitherto has not been identified with the principles of prohibition either in practice or profession. Even now many of them are not identified with the practice of prohibition and that is the most significant fact in connection with the movement.

A few years ago it was not considered quite respectable to favor the prohibition cause. Men who did so were regarded either as harmless cranks or, if they were very active in the propaganda, they were considered a menace to society. In the light of present-day opinion the public judgement then is almost incomprehensible. But the question itself is being faced just as are many other questions. If it cannot justify its existence it must fall. There has been in progress throughout the world for ten years or more a move-

ment toward a wider, more active if not actually controlling democracy. That movement is turning its searchlight in every direction. The institution or profession that cannot stand against it must fall and most of those that endure must modify and liberalize their plan if they hope to maintain an existence. The present generation is likely to see the most marvelous advance along moral and ethical lines that has ever been noted in any similar period of all human history.—Telegram.

## The Man Who Reads His Home Paper

The man of the community who reads his home paper is usually the man who can talk intelligently to his fellow citizens on the happenings of his community and in the problems of his home county. He knows what is going on about him. In other words he is not a dead one. Many men believe that they are very much alive and big cogs of wisdom in the world's wheel of thought. You will find them in all communities—wise old owls, who will tell you when you ask them about some trivial matter, that their minds don't bother with little local happenings.

But the man who is the most loyal and most progressive citizen to his locality is he who keeps in touch on these matters of local interest, no matter how much knowledge he may seek along broader lines.—Ex.

## Fell Off Bridge

George H. Poershel, a traveling representative for the Fisher Flouring Mills Company, of Seattle, while coming up from the boat landing last evening and crossing the new concrete bridge, lost his footings and was precipitated fifteen feet down the embankment, sustaining slight injuries. This makes the second person to fall off the bridge this week, as there are no electric lights to enable a person to locate their way while crossing. Mr. Poershel informed us that he would institute suit against the city and county for damages.—Independence Enterprise.

## Church Directory.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH	
W. A. GUEFFROY, Pastor.	
Morning service at	11:00 o'clock
Evening service at	7:30 o'clock
Sunday School at	10:00 a. m.
Y. P. A. Meeting at	6:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting	Wednesday evening.
CHRISTIAN CHURCH.	
H. F. JONES, Pastor.	
Morning Service at	11:00 a. m.
Evening Service at	7:30 p. m.
Sunday School	10:00 a. m.
Y. P. S. C. E.	6:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting	Wednesday 8:00 p. m.
BAPTIST CHURCH.	
G. A. POLLARD, PASTOR	
Sunday School at	10:00 a. m.
Morning worship,	11:00 a. m.
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320 acres, 3 miles from Centerville, prairie land, 225 acres under plow, part of land is second swale, part of uncultivated land can be plowed, the balance is pasture land; hog-tight fences, mostly new; well, springs, windmill and tank, house, new barn and other buildings. Owner does not need cash and has farm machinery to sell on reasonable terms.

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