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## First Use of example of how an evening's en-

week for many members of the Story-telling. Under the charm P. M. The following program Faculty of the Oregon Normal of Miss Parrott's supervision the will be rendered by the pupils of School. Miss Green taught in classroom work received its re- the High and Training Schools: the Hood River Institute; Mr. quired bit of polish and lo,-the Butler in the McMinnville Insti- results were even more delighttute; Miss Hoham in the Salem ful than had been anticipated. Institute; Mr. Pittman in Mc Minnville, Salem, Albany and gram was a vocal solo by Mr. Fin-Eugene; President Ackerman at ley which was thoroly enjoyed. Albany and Salem. All report enthusiastic meetings and that, tle" was splendidly interpreted perhaps, the most enthusiastic by Mrs. G.out. members were ex-students of the County Superintendents report and 6th grades gave "The Sleepthat practically every one is mak- ing Beauty" and "King Alfred" ing good, which speaks well for charmingly and some- excellent after which will be a general acthe work of the Normal.

Heywood Brothers and Wakefield Company, of Portland, who are furnishing the extra opera chairs for the new chapel are installing them this week, and it is hoped that the first assembly after the Thanksgiving Holidays will be held in the new chapel, and every one will be more than pleased to get into permanent quarters.

for an excursion train which left are urged to attend these per-Monmouth at 6:15 P. M. Wednes- formances since the proceeds go day, November 28th, and which only for Red Cross-one half to will return, leaving Portland at the national organization and one 2nd. grateful to the Company for Plan to give your support and enmaking it possible to have these trains.

The faculty representative for Wednesday's chapel was Miss Mamie Radabaugh whose enthusiastic outiining of qualities necessary for a successful teacher was very well done indeed. Subject matter, method, enthusiasm and the dominant personality of the fine teacher were telling points of the well worked out talk which was of interest to all. Miss Radabaugh's audience was with her from the beginning to the end. The first student body party of the season was a delightful event of Saturday evening. Especially agreeable was it to have the first affair held in the recently completed Normal Auditorium which is a spacious room with generous balcony, fine lighting and large stage, admirably adapted to hold the throng of happy guests who came in response to the invitation. Besides faculty and students a number of towns people enjoyed the evening's pleasure. Special features of the entertainment were clever imitations of the quarter's special chapel exercises, delightful interpretive dancing, music characteristic of our Allies, Russian and Irish folk dancing and a variety of informal games which brought various groups into friendly rivalry. The decorations were largely patriotic in character, varied with the flags and national colors of England, France and our other Al-Groups of students and lies. members of the faculty received the guests who were charmed with the new auditorium and the gracious hospitality of the first gathering held there.

tire program was rendered by School Auditorium, This was practically Institute the classes in Dramatization and evening. December 4th, at 7:30 The first number on the pro-The old folk tale "Chicken Lit-

November 16 was an excellent

The Story Telling and Dramati-Oregon Normal School. zation classes of the 1st, 2nd, 5th music completed the program.

Effective costuming and stage body welcome. settings added much to the different scenes.

#### Theatrical Red Cross Day

The Lecture Course Committee of the Normal School is planning in line with the nation wide movement for Red Cross benefit theatrical performances on December 7, to have some interesting

films both for grown ups and The S. P. Co. kindly arranged children. Everywhere people The students are very is a cause that demands support, urday, Sunday. joy a good film at the same time. cleaned up the library shelves,

> made about prices of tickets and which greatly improved the apfilms. These films will be shown pearance of the room. in the new Normal School Auditorium where there will be room for everyone. Remember that this is a movement in which managers, players, film producers and public all over the United States are cooperating for the Red Cross which needs funds for ts splendid work. Elkins Rural Center period.

pertine and Delphian societies on P. T. A. Program New Chapel tertainment may be based upon the Parent-Teacher Association regular school work as the en- will be held in the Training Tuesday Singing by members. Led by Miss Hoham

> **High School Chorus Business Session**

Trio-Girls from High School

Dramatization-First and Sec ond Grades

Musical Number-Fifth and Sixth Grades

Through the kindness of several lady members of the Association light refreshments will be served following the program; quaintance meeting. Every

### **High School**

The basket ball game between the high school and the alumni was well attended. The score was 16 to 8 in favor of the school. In a game between the sophomores and the rest of the school the 2nd year men won 11 to 3. Splendid spirit was shown by all crop.

present, yell leader Fisher being out in force. The gate receipts pleted his well drilling for the netted eight dollars.

The M. H. S. is going to have four days Thanksgiving vacation 6:10 Sunday evening, December half to the local chapters. This this year; Thursday, Friday, Sat-

The libarary committee has Later announcements will be removing all of the old magazines.

> Thus far Lowell Kaup, Eric Swenson and Henry Larson have escaped ducking.

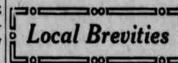
Francis Arant, Willie Harvey, Delbert Skeen and Maxwell Bowersox are going to the Older Boys Conference at Eugene next

Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Good Tax Recor	d
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the county treasurer, \$455,439,93 The total amount of the pres ent tax roll (1916) as turned over to the sheriff for collection-\$400,638.51, there has been collected to date \$391.420.52, plus \$874.52 interest, leaving a delinquency of \$9,217.99, the smallest delinquency in the history of the county, being only 2.3 per cent.



R. U. Steelquist of the Oregon Power Co. was a business visitor in Monmouth Monday afternoon.

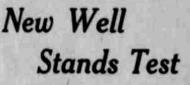
Speaking of the returns of agriculture H. Portwood says that he planted 30cts worth of turnip seed late in the summer and has to date marketed over \$60 worth of turnips from the resulting

Now that A. Maybee has comcity he is expecting to go to the Luckiamute country to do similar of the Red Cross in the Norm work for G. G. Hewitt.

Mrs. S. R. Smith adds her testimony this week to the efficiency of Herald want ads. Her lost package of silk advertised last week was promptly returned to her.

Boys with sling shots have taken to breaking windows and Corps at Independence Monday have already done considerable damage and more will be done unless their elders take the matter in hand and abolish this latest of nuisances

A letter from James Hinkle states that there now are 280 English III has been changed men in the company of which he from the first to the nineth is a member. An additional 125 men from the newly drafted recruits were added recently. As corporal Hinkle has charge of seven men, all strangers to him. G. T. Boothby who spent several days this week in Corvallis, was in Monmouth Wednesday. He reports that his son-in-law W. T. McCready who has been seriously sick, is somewhat better. Mrs. Boothby has been in the O. A. C. town for a week helping minister to the sick and Mr. Boothby returned there Wednesday afternoon, planning to stay until Mr. McCready is able to be about once more. Moore & Walker of Independence have the contract for furnishing the fine new house recently built by Mr. Kutch of that city.



Having reached a depth of 150 feet in the new city well the pump and pipe were placed in position Saturday and Monday morning a test was made. The pump was worked for six hours, throwing at the rate of twenty five gallons of water a minute, and the supply was apparently as good at the end of the test as at the beginning.

An informal gathering of the city fathers Monday night decided that the well answered all present demands and it was determined to take immediate steps to get the well housed, the power installed and connections made so as to get the use of the additional water as soon as possible. The quality of the water is good.

Walter Scott was given the job of putting up the pump house for the new well, at the Council meeting Tuesday night. Pipe and equipment has been ordered to get the well into use as soon as possible. Beyond the regular monthly payment of bills no other business was transacted by the council.

There will be a special meeting theater Tuesday night. Important matters will be taken up and it is urgently requested that there be as large an attendance as possible.

D. M. Hampton and Mrs. Mary Stine represented Monmouth at a meeting of the Woman's Relief morning. The occasion was the inspection of the Corps by Mrs. Higgins of Eugene. A part of the program was an unusually good dinner.

Talking about Dentistry. Maurice J. Butler is located over the post office. Will do work evenings by appointment. Miss Elizabeth Read expects to go to Portland Thursday afternoon to attend the State Music Teachers' Convention in session She will return in that city. Monday evening. Varnish's Friend, O-Cedar Polish for cleaning and polishing Hard wood floors, Furniture, Pianos, Automobiles Etc. 25ct., 50ct. and \$1.00 cans, Phone your order and we will mail it to you. postage free. Moore & Walker, Complete Home Furnishers, Ind.

The joint meeting of the Ves- Thanksgiving at their house.

Hanby Harman sold 1100 lbs of beans Tuedsay at 8 1-2c. Miss Elithe Loughary is spending her Thanksgiving vacation at home.

Miss Elise La Roche of Portland and Miss Gussie Bradberg of Baker are the new teachers this week from the Normal.

The children of the Elkins school gave a short Thanksgiving program last Friday afternoon at which time a short meeting of the Red Cross was also held.

Lee Williams went to Salem Tuesday for an examination for the army.

I. H. Loughary who has been at the Officers Training Camp at the Presidio of San Francisco has returned for Thanksgiving.

He has been comissioned 2nd Leut. in Non-flying aviation corps.

H. K. Sickafoose will spend Thanksgiving with his son in Portland.

The many friends of Mrs. Gentle are pleased to hear that she is home from her sojourn in the hospital and very much improved in health. The men folks

## Monmouth Heights

Miss Mary Lee of Falls City was a guest of her sister Miss Gladys Lee the past week.

B. F. Felger of Dallas was in this vicinity on business, Friday. James Goodman and W. L. Phillips of Monmouth put in a galvanized iron culvert in the road near J. P. Walker's place last Friday.

A number from here attended the O. M. Liehman public sale near Oak Point Thursday.

Ed. Wunder and family of Independence spent Sunday with the former's parents.

Miss Ella Syron attended a teachers' institute in Falls City Saturday.

August Ohms of Portland was a guest of his sister Mrs. Emma Heck and family Saturday and Insurance Company of Philadel-Sunday.

Portland and P. L. and Ina Fishback motored to Salem Monday where they did some shopping.

Poor old tired mother, make her happy with a nice easy chair.

We have a good line to select feel that they will have a real from, Moore & Walker Complete Pennsylvania Fire Insurance lo-Home Furnishers.

#### **Fire Insurance**

I have been appointed local agent of the Pennsylvania Fire phia. This company is a big, old Clem Fishback and family of line fire insurance company, established in 1825. There I can now write your fire insurance in any amount you may require. If you need protection on your property, phone or call on me at Perkins Pharmacy.

WALTER G. BROWN cal agent, Monmouth, Oregon. sion by the social committee. J. P.

Junior C. E. Bulletin

'Self Control'' will be the subject of the discussion at the meeting next Sunday evening, Dec. 2. The attendance is steadily growing all of the time and several more from the high school would be welcome. Make it' a point to come. The meeting begins at 6:30, p. m.

There will be a business meeting and social next Saturday evening in the Endeavor room of the church. All members are urged to be present for the business meeting. A personal invitation is extended to all high school students and those outside. the high school, between the ages of 14 and 18 to come at 8, p. m. and enjoy a splendid social especially prepared for the occa-