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Local Brevities

News has been received here this week that the lady formerly known in Monmouth as Mrs. Edith Riggs, a property owner here, is now Mrs. Edith Nocker of Fern Hill, Oregon.

John Denney who has disposed of the hotel property to a Minnesota land company has moved his family into the Lucas house on Monmouth Ave., recently occupied by Mrs. W. J. Evans. Mr. Denney plans to go to Lexington to look after his new property but his family will remain here for the winter.

Delbert Skeen is back on the job with the livery wagon, having been released from school at Corvallis.

Carl Pollan who is acting as substitute mail carrier has moved into the Stitt cottage. Mr. Townsend, late carrier, when he found that even a Ford could not negotiate the Monmouth Heights and Cooper Hollow hills in the winter time, resigned his job in disgust.

Rev. Conklin has been on the sick list for a week with gastric fever, and E. A. Sayre officiated in his place at the Evangelical church Sunday morning handling the task like a veteran.

Mrs. Nora L. Bingley, of Portland moved into Mrs. Boche's house this week. Mrs. Bingley formerly lived here while sending children to school and now thinks seriously of locating in our midst.

Miss Grace McClain of Tekoa, Wash., is spending the holidays with

her sister, Mrs. H. C. Cstien.

Sam Morrison hitched his Ford to a post in Independence last Saturday evening and went in to call on his best girl. He stayed so long that when he returned the Ford had grown restive, and after chewing at the tie strap for some time had gnawed through it and broken away. At any rate it was decidedly missing and the latest report indicates that it has not yet been found.

Mrs. Grace Swope has resigned as clerk of the Independence school district and a special election has been called for December 27 to fill the vacancy.

Lee C. Bell, oldest son of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Bell of Corvallis died of influenza, December 7. He was 49 years of age and is survived by a wife and two children.

Mrs. P. J. Mulkey arrived this week from Condon, Oregon, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Force. Mr. Mulkey will come later.

Mrs. L. W. Waller returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Eugene.

A. N. Halleck has a picture this week of his nephew, Major W. A. Lyndon who went with the first Canadian soldiers to France. His first company was entirely wiped out and in the second company out of 38 officers he was one of 3 to survive. He was badly wounded and in the hospital for some time, since which he has been assigned to a safer job.

Rice Hastings, a former resident of Polk county, died in Ashland last week and his body was brought to Monmouth for burial. Mrs. Sophia Hastings of this city was his mother and Reuten Hastings of Pe-dee, a brother.

Notice

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the First National Bank of Monmouth, Oregon will be held at their banking house in Monmouth, on January 14, 1919 at 1:30 o'clock P. M. Said meeting is for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting.

Ira C. Powell, President.

An Explanation

"The continued large number of influenza cases are due to the recent damp days which are conducive to colds," explained a city health officer the other day in an interview with a reporter from the paper. PUROLA Influenza Tablets have been found by experience of many to be a good preventative of complications if taken when a cold first starts. They can do you absolutely no harm and are a wise precaution in any household. 50 cents for a box of 30 tablets—complete treatment—at your druggists. adv.

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Monmouth and Independence Auto-Bus Schedule

Leaves Monmouth	Leaves Independence
6.50 a. m. North Bound	7.30 a. m.
1.50 p. m. " "	2.25 p. m.
5.15 " " "	5.48 " "
10.00 a. m. South Bound	10.34 a. m.
3.15 p. m. " "	3.51 p. m.
6.30 " " "	7.12 " "

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Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administrator of the estate of L. C. Gwin, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, and that Saturday the 4th day of January, 1919, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the court room of said County Court in the City of Dallas, Oregon, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections to the said final account and the settlement thereof.

C. H. Gwin,
Administrator of the estate of L. C. Gwin, deceased.
Swope & Swope, Attorneys.
Dated and first published December 6th, 1918.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the estate of Phebe Jane Leonard, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, and that Saturday the 28th day of December, 1918, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the county court room in the county court house in the city of Dallas, Oregon, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections to the said final account and the settlement thereof.

Charles William Leonard,
Executor of the estate of Phebe Jane Leonard, deceased.
Swope & Swope, Attorneys.
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