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Monmouth Meditations

No one can read the records of the highway commission's handling of Polk county [work] without realizing that the commission has earnestly sought to appease all factions and in order to make an amicable disposal of the various claims, has been willing to appropriate something like a quarter of a million dollars more to the county than it was entitled to. At every stage of the game, concessions have been offered. Especially concessions to Dallas. Now that the issue has been raised in an apparent effort to secure for Dallas not only the road to Salem but to pull the main highway there also, it is perfectly proper that the work on the Salem road be suspended until the rights of all are determined. Here we wish to point out that with the Huber contract annulled Independence will lack only four miles of having a paved road to Salem while Dallas will lack eight miles. It emphasizes the fact that Dallas is quite a distance away from the beaten track of travel in the valley and gives an understanding of underlying reasons for its actions in the highway matter. The limitations of location however, are hard to overcome.

They are still explaining and advancing reasons for the gasoline shortage but it is an assured fact that somewhere near the bottom of the thing is the prospect of a profit for someone.

The Southern Pacific is offering a prize to its agents in a contest starting August 1, and continuing three months. \$50 first prize and \$25 second, will be given to stations in the Pacific system showing the heaviest loading of each of 17 different commodities. Five credits are allowed for each car given a heavier load than the average for the corresponding period for 1918.

It is not vengeance that calls for rigid punishment of the murderers of the Umatilla county sheriff when caught. The hanging of the criminal would not restore the valiant sheriff to life nor help his dependents but it would serve as a warning for criminals of like bent when a similar situation confronts them.

By the time this paper reaches its readers the international yacht race will be decided. Whichever side wins there will be a race next summer for Mr. Lipton has announced that he will seek the trophy again if he loses and surely the Americans if they lose this year, will not rest content until it is won back. Lipton has tried two or three times previously and each time comes closer to winning. It is all grist to him for the advertising his teas got is worth all the expense of maintaining the challenge. While his present Shamrock is under the English flag and is English built, it is in a sense an American boat, being constructed of Port Orford cedar, cut from the forests of Coos and Curry counties in Oregon.

Monmouth Heights

Mrs. Letta Johnson and sons Earl and Raymond of Elkins spent Tuesday afternoon with her sister, Miss Ina Fishback.

Misses Julia and Verda Hamar were guests of Mrs. Robert Fishback north of Monmouth last Wednesday.

Albert Sacre of Monmouth was a caller at Lloyd Cody's on business Thursday evening.

Roy Smith of Monmouth was out to his place here one day last week.

Roy Clark of Independence, Mrs. Belle Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rake of Monmouth and Mrs. Millie Hall of Mt. Solo, Washington, were on the Heights Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mack and Mrs. Robinson and daughter Beatrice of Monmouth spent a very pleasant evening with Mrs. V. A. Fishback and family Thursday.

Miss Golda Eggleston left Saturday for Wiona, Washington, on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Eggleston.

Mrs. Pember and son Jack of Monmouth and Miss Maud Beckley of Carleton were on the Heights Thursday evening.

Ed Rogers was in Independence on business Saturday.

Will and Clem Fishback of Salem were Sunday guests of their brothers and sister at the Fishback place.

J. P. Hamar of Toledo returned home Monday after spending a few days visiting with his son Dow and family.

Mrs. Bertha Welch visited friends in Dallas Monday and Tuesday.

L. D. Hamar and family were visitors in Salem the first of the week.

D. B. Stump of Monmouth was in our midst Monday.

West Salem

John Brophy's hops are looking fine and he will harvest a good crop this fall.

Geo. Douglas and wife of Parson, Kansas, visited at the home of his nephew Gilbert M. Douglas, Monday and Tuesday of last week. This was their first meeting in over thirty one years.

Harold S. Smith of Portland was a business caller in West Salem Thursday.

The Sand and Gravel Company are installing machinery in their new plant and they will have the wheels turning in a short time.

Clem Fishback and John Morgan built a handsome garage for Mr. Spitzbart up at Fair View last week.

West Salem needs a cannery and evaporating plant to take care of the enormous amount of fruit and raised on the Polk county side of the river. This product should be handled here instead of hauling it over to the Capital City.

Mr. Wooley's newly remodeled six room residence will be quite an attractive bungalow along the highway when completed.

Chas. Ruge's cherry crop has been all picked and taken to the Salem cannery in fine shape. Mrs. Wooley, who is one of his pickers, is the champion picker of West Salem, she making as high as thirteen dollars a day.

P. L. Fishback of Monmouth Heights was a caller at this place Thursday.

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