

CONFERENCE YEAR CLOSES

Next Sunday closes the conference year for the Methodist Episcopal church. Nearly two hundred ministers in the western part of the state will preach the farewell sermons. The Methodist ministers will meet at Hillsboro next Tuesday, September 20, to hold one week of conference. It is expected that many changes in the pulpits will be made; so much so that District Superintendent Dr. W. B. Hollingshead of Portland has said that a minister is indeed fortunate who will not have to move this fall. At least two of the very important pulpits of Portland will be vacant and it is rumored that the First Methodist church, Salem, will have a change. In order to adjust matters so that each of these larger pulpits as well as many of the other higher salaried pulpits may receive the proper men, it will require much shifting on the part of the members of the conference. While Independence may not be affected, still there is no absolute certainty of Rev. Weber's return.

The Methodist church of this city has made an excellent record for the past year. Besides more than doubling their church membership, they have built a very commodious and beautiful building. At least \$5000 has been expended during the past year and while not all of this has been subscribed, there is in sight sufficient support to make the pastor and trustees quite optimistic that all bills will be met.

The first Sunday of the new conference year will be October 2.

MONMOUTH NEWS

J. H. Hawley was a business visitor to Portland Wednesday.

Town is quiet this week as so many of our industrious people are away picking hops.

Mrs. E. Bogert went to Portland on business Tuesday.

J. H. Hawley had the roof of his house painted this week. O. C. Zook did the work.

Mr. Strickler was a Portland visitor Wednesday.

Mr. Bogert went to Salem Tuesday to look after his interests there.

Miss Grace Hawley of Amity is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hawley.

Allen Clark has purchased the Reta Powell property where he lives.

Mrs. Eva Butler went to Newberg Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. John Hale.

Mr. Bogert traded his residence property here to John Fuller taking Mr. Fuller's five-acre farm west of town in the deal.

Mrs. Hartzog of Corvallis is visiting at the home of T. Cartmell this week.

Misses Ovia and Loretta Smith went to Newport Monday. The latter will teach the primary grade in the school there this winter.

Fred Arant went to Nehalem Wednesday to begin his school there. Mr. Arant taught there last winter. His wife and son will remain here a few weeks longer and finish their visit.

F. Y. Mulkey was recently married in Portland to Mrs. Green, formerly of this place. They are thinking of locating in Monmouth. Their many friends are glad to welcome them to our midst and wish them happiness and success in their new life.

Mr. Beckley of Yoncalla is in town looking at property with a view of buying. He says he feels confident that Monmouth will have a normal school and he wants to secure a home here for school purposes.

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 Present residence address, 477 Summer Street, Salem, Oregon. 15-17

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