

COUNTY NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

DEPOPULATED TOWN

Railroad Building While the People of Monmouth are in the Hop Fields.

NOTICE—The agency and repair work of the West Side Express for Monmouth is in the hands of Frank Lyons, with headquarters in the postoffice building corner of Independence and Railroad streets. News items, subscriptions, or other business or complaints will be received by Mr. Lyons.

MONMOUTH.

Jesse Gross is quite ill.

Hoppicking is on in the Craven yard.

C. A. Whale of Portland was in Monmouth this week.

Prof. and Mrs. Buchham returned from Long Beach Tuesday.

Prof. Resler attended the teachers' institute at Roseburg this week.

Mrs. G. O. Graves and children, of Portland, visited old friends here this week.

Miss Daisy Huntington, critic and training teacher at the Normal, has arrived from Illinois.

A new addition to Monmouth's population is the family of L. J. Corl. They have moved down from Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson of Spokane, Wn., are visiting Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ground.

Prof. and Mrs. Robinson have returned from their eastern trip and are now ready for school work. They visited in Virginia and Ohio.

Quietness reigns supreme in depopulated Monmouth this week with the exception of railroad building. For the past three days, a crew of fifteen men has been employed changing the switches in town.

H. S. Williams lost one of his fingers by allowing a piece of timber to fall on it. It was cut off as smoothly as if done with a cleaver. Mr. Williams is recently from Lakeview.

SUVER.

Dry and dusty, everybody picking hops.

Hop Maxfield is hauling gravel on the roads.

Andy Perry is putting a new roof on W. McLane's barn.

A. E. Mills and J. W. McCreedy made a trip to Corvallis Tuesday.

J. H. James has returned from Bothel, Wn., to reside at Suver.

Ridder Bros. and Gus Fredrickson finished threshing Monday.

DeArmond Bros. sold fifty-four hogs last week to a Portland man.

Ed. Johnson of Plainview visited Alda and Roy Frum Sunday.

J. A. Moelink will move to Oregon City this fall.

Henry Cockle moved to McMinnville Tuesday. He will reside on a farm.

A. H. Collins and family moved from Dallas to their farm near Suver.

John Clark is visiting old friends here. Mr. Clark left Suver for California eight years ago.

MAPLE GROVE.

Percy Lewis is improving from an attack of fever.

Grain threshing is over. Hoppicking is the order of the day.

Wesley Morrison and wife of Salt Creek came up Sunday to work in the Tartar hop yard. Mr. Morrison is employed as hop dryer.

Saturday evening, Sept. 10th is the date set for the ice cream social at this place. Those having the affair in charge promise the best cream the market affords. In case of rain or cool night, the social will be held indoors.

Hoppicking began in most of the yards in this locality September 5th. Besides the people of this community having employment, each yard has hands from various parts of this and Benton county.

Mrs. Reuben Hasting, reported last week as being quite ill, was removed to the Salem Hospital last Wednesday. At last account she was much improved and likely to return home in a few days.

BALLSTON.

Tons Nance is at the Moulson hop yard.

Miss Wolfe of Perrydale is clerking in the Peter Cook store.

George McFargans and family are home from the coast.

There is a good opening for some one with small capital to open a hotel or boarding house here.

Hop yards in this vicinity are over run with pickers. Hops are turning out better than for several years past and are of fine quality.

NEW HOP PICKER.

A Genuine American Comes to Swell the Already Large Number of Hop Pickers.

Sunday morning at the 8th hour, Sept. 4, at McLaughlin's hop yard the newest and latest hop picker arrived, an Indian baby boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Butler Fairchild, whose home is on the Siletz Indian reservation. In order that the name of the head of the family might be perpetuated the new arrival was promptly given his father's name in full.

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Council Meeting.

At the regular meeting of the council Tuesday evening, the treasurer was directed to take up \$1000 in city bonds. The saloon bonds of T. J. Gulpin for the Club saloon and Sullivan & Tallon for the Little Palace saloon, were approved.

Bills were allowed as follows:
Water and Light Co. . . . \$106 00
J. W. Ball, marshal 41 50
W. G. Sharman, recorder . . . 5 15
The street committee was authorized to purchase a car load of lumber for cross walks.

Miss Lola Stark came down from Falls City yesterday and returned today.

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DEPART FOR	TIME SCHEDULE FROM PORTLAND	ARRIVE FROM
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Chicago	Salt Lake, Denver, Portland, Ft. Worth, Omaha, Special Kansas City, St. 4:30 p. m.	8:15 a. m. via Louis, Chicago and Hunting-East.
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Atlantic	Salt Lake, Denver, Express Ft. Worth, Omaha, 8:15 p. m. via Kansas City, St. 10:30 a. m.	Hunting-Louis, Chicago and East.
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St. Paul	Walla Walla, Lewis-Fast Mail ton, Spokane, Walla 6 a. m. via	lace, Pullman, 7:35 a. m. Spokane.
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OCEAN AND RIVER SCHEDULE.

For San Francisco—Every five days at 8:00 p. m. For Astoria, way points and North Beach—Daily, except Sunday, at 8:00 p. m.; Saturday at 10:00 p. m. Daily service, water permitting, on Willamette and Yamhill rivers.

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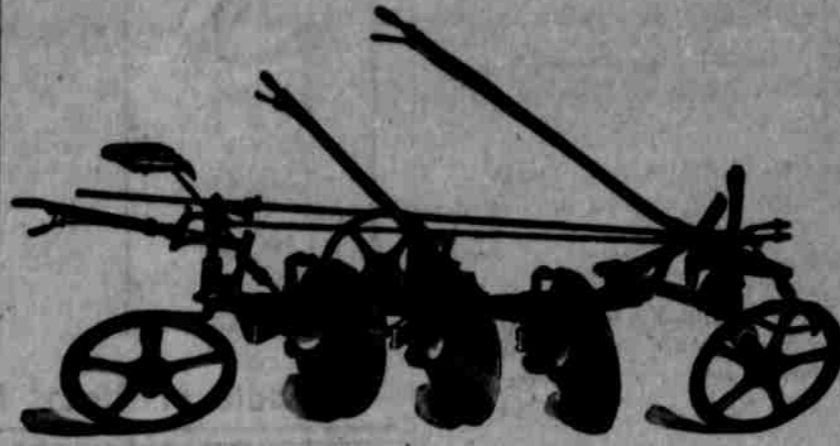
No. 2 For Yaquina:
Leaves Albany 12:45 P. M.
" Corvallis 1:45 P. M.
Arrives Yaquina 5:40 P. M.
No. 1 Returning:
Leaves Yaquina 7:15 A. M.
Leaves Corvallis 11:30 A. M.
Arrives Albany 12:15 P. M.

No. 3 For Detroit:
Leaves Albany 1:00 A. M.
Arrives Detroit 6:00 P. M.
No. 4 from Detroit:
Leaves Detroit 6:30 P. M.
Arrives Albany 11:15 P. M.

Train No. 1 arrives in Albany in time to connect with the S. P. south bound train, as well as giving two or three hours in Albany before departure of S. P. North bound train.
Train No. 2 connects with the S. P. trains at Corvallis and Albany giving direct service to Newport and adjacent beaches.
Train 3 for Detroit, Breitenbush and other mountain resorts leaves Albany at 1:00 a. m., reaching Detroit about 6:00 p. m.

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INDEPENDENCE - - - OREGON

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given; that the final account of the administrator of the estate of Bertha Ohms, deceased, has been rendered and filed, in the County Court of the state of Oregon, for Polk County, and that Saturday, the seventeenth day of September, 1904, at one o'clock P. M. has been duly appointed by said court for the settlement thereof. At which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions, in writing, to said account.
Emma A. Ohms,
Administrator of said estate

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that H. H. Jasperson, administrator of the estate of Sarah Jasperson, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, his final account as administrator, and that Saturday, the 24th day of September, 1904, at the hour of one o'clock, p. m., of said day, has been appointed by the Judge of said Court as the time for the hearing of objections to the said final account and the settlement thereof. All persons are therefore required to appear at said time and show cause, if any exist, why the said account should not be approved and the said administrator discharged.
Dated this 25th day of August, 1904,
H. H. JASPERSON,
Administrator of the estate of Sarah Jasperson, deceased,
Oscar Hayter, Attorney.

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