

MONMOUTH NEXT

Ready For Election of City Officers at The Educational Center

Hard Fought Basket Ball Game between Juniors and Seniors

City election will be held here on Dec. 19. Very little interest is being shown, but it is probable that the contest will be placed in the field next week. In former years the question was sufficient to cause the wily politicians of the various wards to get busy many moons before the election. For a number of years Monmouth has been anti-boss and no longer doth "bossie" and prince among politicians. Since her departure from the political arena it has been very hard to secure good men who are willing to accept the city offices. Such a spirit is not the spirit of true citizenship as it the duty of he who is called to assume the duties as becometh the interests of his community. Oregon is on the eve of great commercial development and a council of progressive, wide-awake men is what every town in Oregon should have. The day of longbackism has passed and it is time to show the people of the outside world that we are very much alive to the business opportunities of the hour.

Probably the hardest fought basket ball game that has ever been pulled off at the Normal Gymnasium was played Friday night. The contesting teams were from the Senior and Junior classes and meant great humiliation to the class that must take that end of the score. Class spirit ran high, in fact so high that one of the classes called its colors to the ceiling during the entire game. They were only the colors of the "baby class," however, and probably had little effect on the result of the game. Before the game was called class and college yells varying from tuneful to terrible were given with a spirit that left little doubt of the lung power of the average Normal student.

Round one of the game opened with a rush and was a continuation of rushes which were productive of very few points, owing to the excellent guarding on both sides. The score at the close of this half was 5 to 4 in favor of the Juniors. The second half raised the score 11 to 7 in favor of the same team. Some very fine individual work was done but team work was not much in evidence owing to the first team being divided. A preliminary game between the first and second ladies teams was played. While the first team showed marked superiority over their opponents it is no discredit to the second team for Prof. Greene has developed a surprisingly strong first team and they will represent the school in the usual creditable manner.

The line up of the class teams:

JUNIORS	SENIORS
Slone F	Coffee
Force F	Cooper
Boche C	Crowley
F. Butler G	D. Butler
Clarke G	W. Butler
Hloan umpire, E. Smith referee	

Grant Wade a well known stockman of Gilliam Co. spent Sunday here. Special Missionary services were held at the Christian church Sunday night. Special music was rendered which was highly creditable to the local vocalists.

E. S. Evenden, a member of the Presby '03 class and now teaching at Hillsboro, spent Sunday here. Travis McDavitt of Corvallis spent Sunday here. Miss Bess Cornelius of Salem is visiting at the home of Rev. S. A. Bennett. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bruce, of Seattle, are visiting relatives here. D. L. Keyt, of Perrydale, was a business visitor here Monday. All night service was put in operation by the Telephone Co. Nov. 1st. Now give free switching between Dallas, Independence and Monmouth, and the shadow of an independent system will not loom up so large.

W. R. Neal, of Brookfield, Wash., has bought an interest in the Lindsay grocery. As soon as a suitable location can be secured they will carry a line of general merchandise.

Alva Craven is putting 20 acres in hops on his place south of town. He will run the old yard of 13 acres that is on his father's place.

PARKER
The S. P. company has completed the graveling around the depot.

Farmers are still plowing and sowing grain.

Mr. Fuqua shipped a few boxes of apples to Newport last week.

Prof. Ruggles and Cook's performance at the school house Saturday evening was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Steele were visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Swink, former residents of Parker, are located at Derry at present. Mr. Swink is acting as agent there.

Mrs. J. T. James visited her daughter, Mrs. Boone, Thursday.

Mrs. Helmick and Mrs. Hawk were passengers to Portland Friday.

Mrs. Joe James was a visitor here this week.

Miss Catharine Gentry of Independence was a visitor here this week.

Mrs. B. H. Pillar is making an extended visit with relatives in Wisconsin.

C. Boone and Chas. Allen were visitors at the county seat Sunday.

Remember the basket social, December 10, and come. All are invited.

MOTOR LINE TIME TABLE. INDEPENDENCE & MONMOUTH RAILWAY CO.	
Leaves Independence for Monmouth and Airline 7:30 a. m. 2:30 p. m.	Leaves Airline for Monmouth and Independence. 8:00 a. m. 3:05 p. m.
Leaves Independence for Monmouth and Dallas 11:00 a. m. 4:15 p. m.	Leaves Dallas for Monmouth and Independence. 1:00 p. m. 7:30 "
Leaves Monmouth for Airline 7:50 a. m. 3:50 p. m.	Leaves Monmouth for Independence 9:40 a. m. 1:30 p. m. 2:40 "
Leaves Monmouth for Dallas 11:2 a. m. 4:30 p. m.	Leaves Independence for Mon. 2:45 p. m.

Corvallis & Eastern Railroad TIME CARD NO. 28	
No. 2 For Yaquina:	
Leaves Albany.....	12:45 p. m.
" Corvallis.....	1:48 p. m.
Arrives Yaquina....	6:20 p. m.
No. 1 Returning:	
Leaves Yaquina.....	6:45 a. m.
Leaves Corvallis....	11:30 a. m.
Arrives Albany.....	12:15 p. m.
No. 3 For Albany-Detroit:	
Leaves Corvallis.....	6:00 a. m.
Arrives Albany.....	6:40 a. m.
Lv. Albany for Detroit	7:30 a. m.
Arrives Detroit....	12:02 p. m.
No. 4 from Detroit:	
Leaves Detroit.....	12:35 p. m.
Arrives Albany.....	5:15 p. m.
Lv. Albany for Corvallis	7:15 p. m.
Arrives Corvallis....	7:55 p. m.

Train No. 1 arrives in Albany in time to connect with the S. P. south bound train, as well as 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 No. 3 for Detroit via Albany, leaves Corvallis at 6:00 a. m. and connects with the S. P. Albany-Portland local train leaving Albany at 7:00 a. m. Train No. 3 leaves Albany for Detroit at 7:30 a. m., arriving there at noon, giving ample time to reach the Breitenbush hot springs the same day.

Train No. 4 connects at Albany with the Portland-Albany local, which arrives here at 7:10, and runs to Corvallis leaving Albany at 7:15 and arriving in Corvallis at 7:55 p. m.

For further information apply to EDWIN STONE, Manager. T. COCKRELL, Agent, Albany. H. H. CRONISE, Agent, Corvallis.

BIG REDUCTION ON DRESS GOODS and CLOTHING

Saturday Morning Dec. 3, at 8 o'clock sharp

We will begin the greatest cut price sale on Dress Goods, Fancy Waistings, Silks and Trimmings, Ladies' ready-to-wear Dress Skirts, Jackets, Rain Coats and Clothing, we have ever offered the people of Monmouth and vicinity.

Come now while the sale is on and lay in your supply for CHRISTMAS. Any of the above articles will make a desirable and substantial Christmas present. 10 per cent reduction on all our plain silks and patterns. 20 per cent reduction on all our Fancy Silks, Silk Waist patterns and all other Fancy Waistings and Single Suit Patterns in Dress Goods.

LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS, JACKETS, RAIN COATS AND BOLT DRESS GOODS AT THE FOLLOWING BIG REDUCTIONS

Bolt Dress Goods		Ladies' Jackets	
\$2.00 per yard Crepons for	\$1.50	\$15.00 Jackets for	\$10.50
1.75 Rain Cloth "	1.45	11.50 " "	7.50
1.75 Dress Goods "	1.40	8.00 & 9.00 " "	6.00
1.50 " "	1.25	6.00 & 6.50 " "	4.50
1.50 Heavy Skirting "	1.15	8.00 & 9.00 Dress Skirts for	7.00
1.25 Dress Goods "	.90	6.50 & 7.50 " "	5.50
1.00 " "	.75	5.50 & 6.00 " "	4.50
.75 " "	.59	5.00 " "	4.00
.65 " "	.50	4.00 " "	3.00
.50 " "	.39	Rain Coats	
.40 " "	.30	\$12.50 Rain Coats for	\$9.
.35 " "	.25	10. " " "	7.50
.25 " "	.19	6. " " "	4.50



Our Clothing Sale Will Continue Until December 15. We have had big sales on clothing the past 15 days and have plenty left for 15 days more.

\$15.00 SUITS TO GO FOR	\$10.75	\$9.00 SUITS TO GO FOR	\$6.85
13.50 " " "	9.75	7.50 " " "	5.75
12.50 " " "	8.75	6.50 " " "	4.75
11.50 " " "	7.95	5.00 " " "	3.75
10.00 " " "	7.50	3.50 " " "	2.50

A REGULAR PICK NIC FOR EKONOMIKAL BUYERS

Monmouth S. M. DANIEL Monmouth

Annual Meeting of Pilot Knob Gold Milling And Mining Co.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Pilot Knob Gold Milling and Mining Co., will be held at the Woodman hall, in Monmouth, Polk County, Oregon, on Tuesday at 1 o'clock P. M. December the 15th, 1904 for the purpose of electing five Directors, also for revising the by-laws and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. By order of J. W. Howell Secretary, this first day of Nov., 1904.

Coughing Spell Caused Death
"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician but before he could arrive, another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation."

St. Louis Globe Democrat, Dec. 1st, 1901.
Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by A. S. Locke.

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Absolutely Pure
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Prices most reasonable.

DR. NEHRBAS, Monmouth, Over Postoffice. Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Notice To Public
Owing to the fact that I am in urgent need of the money and have not got the time to devote to collecting same myself, I have authorized Hurley & Taylor to do all collecting for me, until further notice in both Independence and Monmouth. D. CALBREATH

What is Life?
In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjusts this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at A. S. Locke's drug store.