

## WILL ERECT A MONUMENT

### Schools of Polk County Will Hold Picnic on the Rickreall.

On May 16th will occur one of the most memorable gatherings in the history of Polk county when the schools of the county meet at Rickreall for picnic. The picnic will be attended by school children and teachers, of the first school ever held in this county together with prominent men from all parts of the state and the public generally, and will be in honor of the first school, held in 1803 within a half mile of the picnic grounds at Rickreall. On that day a monument will be erected by the school children over the site of the old school house. The monument will be unveiled by Mrs. Josephine Boyle one of the eighteen pupils of that school. In the forenoon there will be a short program by the school children. Among people of note who are expected to be present and deliver addresses at the picnic are: J. H. Ackerman, state superintendent of schools and George H. Himes, president of the Oregon Historical Society. Arthur L. Vessey, a grand-son of J. E. Lyle, the first teacher of that school, is also expected to be present.

Following are the names of the eighteen pupils of the memorable school: Josephine Ford, who is now Mrs. Boyle and who resides near Rickreall; Caroline Ford, deceased; Sarah Ford, deceased; Miller Ford, deceased; Pauline Goff, deceased; Marion Goff, deceased; Milton Tharp, deceased; Theodore Tharp, deceased; Amanda Tharp, deceased; Elmos Wood, deceased; William Davis, deceased; Gertrude Applegate, deceased; T. V. B. Embree, of Dallas; Mary Z. Embree, now Mrs. T. S. Hayter, of Dallas; Marcus A. Embree, of Dallas, John Howard, of Harney county and Anna Howard, of Crook county.

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Mix the following by shaking well in a bottle, and take in teaspoonful doses after meals and at bedtime:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. A local druggist is the authority that these simple, harmless ingredients can be obtained at nominal cost from our home druggist.

The fluid is said to cleanse and strengthen the clogged and inactive kidneys, overcoming Backache, Bladder weaknesses and Urinary Troubles of all kinds, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease.

Those who have tried this say it positively overcomes pain in the back, clears the urine of sediment and regulates urination, especially at night, curing even the worst forms of bladder weakness.

Every man or woman here who feels that the kidneys are not strong or acting in a healthy manner should mix this prescription at home and give it a trial, as it is said to do wonders for many persons.

The Seranton (Pa) Times was first to print this remarkable prescription, in October, of 1906, since when all the leading newspapers of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and other cities have made many announcements of it to other readers. -3

#### A Californian's Luck.

"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Buckley's Arnica Salve," writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, California. "Two 25c boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee at all druggists.

#### Old-timer Revisits City.

Alonzo Gesner, one of the prominent men of Salem and Marion county, has been spending the week in Independence doing surveying for the city. Mr. Gesner says that we have one of the prettiest towns he has visited in some time. "You have the cleanest town I have visited lately. It is the best cared for. It is I presume due to the neatness of the citizens and the council both. I have been through every alley in the city and every street

and you see I have seen more of your town than a good many of your residents. I find the streets and alleys in good condition. The streets show that they have been worked and kept up. You know I like Independence pretty well any way and am pleased to find the old town looking so nice. I once lived in Independence, in 1868 and have always had a warm spot in my heart for the city."

Mr. Gesner will probably return to Salem tomorrow where he will finish his labors from the notes which he has made during the week.

#### Had Attack of Dysentery Cured.

"An honored citizen of this town was suffering from a severe attack of dysentery. He told a friend if he could obtain a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, he felt confident of being cured, he having used this remedy in the west. He was told that I kept it in stock and lost no time in obtaining it, and was promptly cured," says "M. J. Leach, druggist, of Wolcott, Vt. For sale by P. M. Kirkland.

#### BUENA VISTA.

Our school will close Friday with appropriate exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Cester of Suver were the guests of W. H. Murphy Sunday.

J. R. Loy and family spent Sunday with Mr. Loy's brother Fred, at Suver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson and Mrs. Gobat were Tuckapaw visitors Tuesday.

Grandpa Kreutz spent a few days with his son, M. J. Kreutz, at Suver last week.

Mrs. Ed Prather was called to Washington last week to be at the bedside of her sister who is quite sick.

Ora Arnold will lecture on local option next Sunday morning at the Evangelical church at 11 o'clock. Come everybody, especially the voters.

G. A. Wells, our road supervisor, has a number of teams hauling gravel down in the bottom on the road that leads to Sidney, and M. N. Prather and others are at work on the new road.

The district Sunday school convention, held here last Saturday, was a decided success. Rev. Phipps of Portland made some very interesting remarks along the line of organized Sunday school work and Mr. Mathews of Dallas, county organizer of adult Bible work, talked along that line of work. Others made remarks in regard to the general work. Quite a delegation attended from Monmouth. Mr. Jones of that place was elected president.

#### Whooping Cough.

"In February our daughter had the whooping cough. Mr. Lane of Hartland, recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and said it gave his customers the best of satisfaction. We found it as he said, and can recommend it to anyone having children troubled with whooping cough," says Mrs. A. Goss, of Durand, Mich. For sale by P. M. Kirkland

#### Was Formerly of Independence.

Mrs. Arlena Lines-Wells, who resided in this city some years past and who was born in Independence, died in Portland on the 2d inst. The funeral took place in Lone Fir cemetery in East Portland, from Holman's undertaking parlors. The family of H. M. Lines will be remembered by the people of Independence as the party who first had charge of the telephone system, and the girls were the obliging operators whom everybody liked.

#### Valued Same as Gold.

B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, it afflicted with consumption, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at all druggists. 25c.

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#### Growing Sentiment in Linn.

There is a growing sentiment against the present local option law of Linn county, says Albany Herald. Blind pigs and neighborhood rows are the results of the law so far. Drinking has not diminished, but revenues to the different cities of the county have diminished. Boys get whiskey now who never got it before. The law is a failure and always will be. If there is not a change in the law the taxpayers have only seen the beginning of excess taxes to be imposed.

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You may well fear serious results from a cough or cold, as pneumonia or consumption starts with a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate coughs or colds and prevents serious results. Refuse substitutes. Dove & Williams.



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5-7 W. A. MESSNER, Secretary.

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## Happenings in City of Monmouth

E. M. Smith of Dallas visited here Sunday.

Lige Mason was over from Dallas this week.

H. D. Whitman returned to Portland Sunday.

Harold Bogart was an over Sunday visitor in Falls City.

F. Y. Mulkey has returned from a week's visit at Newport.

C. C. Lewis has been in from his homestead for a few days.

Mrs. Christie Long of Corvallis is visiting her mother, Mrs. Burkhead.

Ralph Lucas has returned to Weston where he is attending the normal.

Will Briedwell came down from Corvallis and spent Sunday with his family.

Mrs. L. M. Hall and daughter have returned from an extended visit with relatives in Idaho.

S. W. Doughty has returned from a few weeks' stay in Portland, where he was engaged as singing evangelist.

D. M. Hampton and wife departed Sunday for an extended visit with friends and relatives in Pendleton and other Eastern Oregon towns.

At a meeting of the board of the Normal School, held in the office of C. L. Starr, secretary of the board, the following staff were selected for the summer session of the school: E. D. Ressler, president; E. K. Barnes, May Bowden Babbitt, Florence Bowden, H. B. Buckham, R. W. Kirk, P.

O. Powell, A. C. Strang, L. R. Traver, F. B. Cooper and J. B. V. Butler.

#### Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hawley celebrated their golden wedding at their home in Monmouth Wednesday, May 6, 1908.

Mr. Hawley is a genuine pioneer. He crossed the plains in 1844 with his father, C. B. Hawley. The company was led by Captain Gilliam, of pioneer fame. The Hawleys settled on Dayton Prairie, in Yamhill county.

Mrs. Hawley's name was Eliza Mulkey. Her father, Luke Mulkey, came to Oregon in 1847, under the leadership of Captain Claypool. They settled near the present site of Corvallis, in Benton county. Mr. and Mrs. Hawley were married in Monmouth May 6, 1858. Elder Glen O. Barnett officiating. Mr. Hawley and wife lived at Bethel, Polk county, thirty-four years, where there was born to them seven children who grew to manhood and womanhood. Those now living are W. H. Hawley and L. M. Hawley, of Billings, Montana; C. L. Hawley, of McCoy (Bethel), Oregon; Cozstance H. Hawley, of Jacksonville, Oregon; and Maude, an unmarried daughter, who resides with her parents at Monmouth. Horace, the eldest son, was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun in August, 1888. May, the eldest daughter, who died in 1885, was the only graduate of the first year's senior class of the State Normal School at Monmouth 1888.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawley are growing old gracefully and peacefully and their home is noted for its generous hospitality. Their lives are rich in quiet and unostentatious usefulness.

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