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On the first of July the salary of the Newberg postmaster will be increased to \$1800, along with Dallas, Forest Grove, Hillsboro, and Myrtle Point, owing to the increase in the receipts of the office during the past year.

The fancy price of ten cents per pound for dressed pork in the Portland markets is responsible for the shipment of so many porkers on the morning train to the city, that it begins to look like a hog car may be needed to be added to the train soon.

An attempt is to be made to break the will of the late C. E. Hoskins, the provisions of which place the estate at the disposal of the State Horticultural Society, at the death of the widow. As it stands it is claimed she can't use anything but the proceeds of the estate. It occurs to us that it is a very lame and unjust law that will allow a husband to make entire disposition of the family property by will, leaving nothing but the proceeds for his wife, and especially so in a case of this kind where it can be clearly shown that Mrs. Hoskins did her full share in the accumulation of the property.

**A MONMOUTH GROWL.**

The little Polk county hamlet, Monmouth, has a mouthpiece called "The Herald" which is thirty-nine weeks old "and a goin on." The editor is W. T. Fogle and we quote one of his bright sayings:

"We want to go on record as being diametrically opposed to allowing graduates of sectarian schools to teach in the public schools of this state. In the first place they are, as a rule, prejudiced in favor of their particular religious denomination and narrow in their ideas, in the second place they are not trained teachers, but are educated with the end in view of proselyting for the denomination that has graduated them. But above and beyond all is the danger of uniting church and state if a large number of any particular denomination should be allowed to hold positions in the public schools. True it would take time and the hold gained would be scarcely perceptible, yet by degrees it would be felt and in time laws would be enacted inimical to the interests of other denominations and it would be but a question of time until they would be rooted out. Let the denominational schools educate their own teachers, but keep them out of the public schools. A law should be enacted prohibiting the issuance of a certificate to any graduate of any denominational school and let the state educate its teachers in purely non-sectarian Normal schools and provide that teachers should serve a term of years after graduating them."

"Narrow in their ideas" so says our friend, Fogle. Well we must say that what he says in the above is cut from about the narrowest piece of cloth we have seen for many a day. A much broader view would dictate the policy of the employment of teachers from the standpoint of fitness alone, regardless of where they may have been educated, and the fact that this is the prevailing custom with school boards, is no doubt the cause of it appears that he looks upon it as his special duty to make the public swallow the Monmouth Normal whether they like the dose or not.

We happen to know that a school board in employing a principal for a school situated

almost within the shadow of Fogle's pet Normal, is paying a graduate of a denominational college a higher salary than applicants, who are graduates of Monmouth have offered to take the place for. And the board is not doing it because it loves the denominational college more, or the Normal less, but simply because the denominational college man is found to be specially well fitted for the work the board wants done, and it is willing to strain a point in the matter of salary to hold him.

So far as we know denominational colleges are not asking places for their graduates in the public schools, unless they are as well or better fitted to fill them than others, and where they are fitted for the places they seek they are certainly entitled to fair consideration at the hands of school boards, and we have no doubt they will receive it in the future as they have in the past, regardless of this senseless twaddle about the grave danger of the union of church and state, which no one with average intelligence gives any consideration.

The friends of the Monmouth school will do well to give this man Fogle a little free advice if it is friends for the school they desire to make. A man's fool friends are sometimes his worst enemies.

**Decoration Day.**

This honored day has passed, and we have laid our flowers of loving tributes down upon the graves of our honored heroes, and our dead, not only the soldier, but our dear ones, from our homes all over this land of ours. On this occasion we do not forget the living, but offer our tributes of praise in song and speech, giving words of encouragement for the better life beyond from loving hearts. The program for May 31 was one long to be remembered in Newberg, and our thanks are due to the citizens, college, high school and the different grades for their united effort in making this day a grand success. They all did nobly, all of which helped in this patriotic effort. Captain Shaw from Oregon City, for the G. A. R. gave very ably his experiences in the war which was instructive and interesting. Mrs. W. H. Whitten, for the Womens Relief Corps, gave a grand, inspiring and loving tribute to the heroes of the past and our living comrades. All parts were an uplift, and an intellectual feast of good things.

R. B. WEBBER,  
Press Cor. W. R. C.

**Dundee School Closes.**

The tenth grade of the Dundee school held their graduating exercises in the church last Friday evening. In spite of the bad weather, the church was well filled, and an interesting program was rendered as follows:

- Invocation.....Mr. Alford
- Quartet.....Miss Thun, Mrs. Shannahan, and Messrs. Shannahan and Swink
- Presentation of Class.....Prin. A. C. Stanbrough
- Oration, Some Great Improvements Made By The Government.....Dale Haskin
- Oration, Advancement of Education in the United States.....Lefa Egli
- Oration, Foreign Immigration.....Frank Haskin
- Vocal Solo.....Mr. Crosby
- Presentation of Diplomas, Mr. Allan
- Address to the Class, Mr. Alford
- Quartet.....Miss Thun, Mrs. Shannahan, Messrs. Shannahan and Swink.
- Benediction.....Mr. Alford

Lefa Egli was announced as the winner of the Pacific College scholarship, and was generously applauded for her effort. Aleck Allan, who has completed the seventh grade, has been neither absent nor tardy during the six years he has attended school. Considering the fact that he has 1 1/2 miles to walk, this is believed to be a record for the county.

**Dundee Items.**

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Hatch have recovered from a siege of la grippe.

H. B. Powell and daughter made a trip to McMinnville the last of the week.

H. B. Miller, consul general to Yokohama, and family were viewing the Dundee orchards one day last week.

Mrs. Wheeler, of Portland, a niece of Mrs. Fred A. Crawford, and Mrs. Hetty, nee Jennie Crawford, spent Memorial Day at the Crawford home.

Mrs. E. S. Greer entertained the ladies of the neighborhood at dinner Thursday. An interesting feature of the day was a novel soap-bubble game.

Some of the small children of the Red Hills have been suffering lately with that dread disease, cholera infantum. They are all reported out of danger and the hearts of the anxious parents are again light.

The Dundee district is justly proud of its good roads. Henry Hagey, our efficient road supervisor has recently been out with the scraper smoothing out the ruts made by the winter's travel. The road through the Greer place is being prepared for a much needed coat of gravel.

Memorial Day was not publicly celebrated in Dundee, but those who had loved ones at rest on the hill observed the day by taking their offerings of flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warner entertained Saturday evening in honor of the graduates of the High School and Eighth grade. About twenty young folks spent a delightful evening playing games, after which they all did justice to the delicious refreshments prepared for the occasion.

**West Chealem.**

Services will be held at the new church next Sunday in place of the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard left for their homestead at Scappoose between Washington and Columbia counties last Thursday, expecting to remain two weeks, but returned Monday on account

of the rain.

The ladies aid society met at the home of Mrs. S. M. Calkins to decide on the carpeting and furnishing of the new church. The ladies aid is also having a cement floor put in the basement, the work being donated by E. R. Prosser and Frank Rowland.

**High School Items.**

(By the Zeta Alpha Prom Committee.)

Mr. Kletzer went to Portland Monday evening, returning Tuesday morning.

The Baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class will be delivered next Sunday evening at the Friends church by Rev. W. S. Gilbert of Astoria.

The senior annual will be off the press soon. Every one will want one of these as they give a complete record of the High School work of the year.

This is the last week when the pupils will all attend school, as some will be exempt from the examinations for the semester, which will be given next week.

Last Saturday the boys of N. H. S. defeated the North Yamhill H. S. in baseball by a score of 13 to 11. This is the second time our team has defeated them.

On Memorial Day our baseball team went to Dayton and defeated the H. S. boys by a score of 11 to 9. This was an excellent game, and after the second inning Dayton did not get a score.

The Junior class will give their class play "The Rivals" next Tuesday evening at Duncan's hall. The cast of characters is as follows: Sir Anthony Absolute, Howard Burgess; Capt. Absolute, U. T. Motschenbacher; Faulkland, Carl Jones; Acres, Sylvan Strait; Sir Lucius O'Trigger, Earl Conrad; Fag, Arlie Evans; David, Donald Stretch; Thomas, Erwin Pease; Mrs. Malaprop, Ruth Gilbert; Lydia Languish, Vera Stannard; Julia, Minnie Bancroft; Lucy, Eula Colcord. Watch for the posters which will appear soon. Don't fail to miss this play as it will be exceptionally good.

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