

HOP NEWS AND GOSSIP

Local, State and World Wide News in the Realm of Hops Of Interest To Growers and Dealers.

Twenty bales of hops raised by F. W. Buell and now in the warehouse of the Silverton Hop Growers' association are the principal item of contention in a suit brought by T. A. Livesley & company, against Buell and the Oregon Hopgrowers' association. Livesley alleges that he has bought the hops, and asks possession of them and costs of the suit, or the value of the hops and cost. The Oregon Hop Growers' association in its answer alleges that it had a contract with Buell, who is a member of the association, for 11,000 pounds at the prices of 11, 10, 9 and 8 cents for choice, prime, medium and common grades, that the association went on Buell's note for \$75 at the People's bank of Silverton, for which Buell has a chattel mortgage on the hops and the association asks for \$50 damages because Buell's note for the hops and \$600 for the delivery of the hops.

Wm. Brown again bought hops in this section at the top price or near it. Thursday last he purchased the C. H. Lorenz lot of 28 bales and the Ed Graves lot of 65 bales at 11 1/4 cents. Both lots were prime to choice hops, it is reported. Another sale to Brown was the J. K. Gribble lot of 79 bales at 11 cents.

McCammon, of the Hop Growers' Association office at Salem was here Friday in the interests of the Association. Like manager Clark of the Association, the employees are not doing so much talking as they did last year. Experience is a stern teacher.

The John Nordhausen and the Dick Nordhausen crops of hops were sold this week to Felix Isaacson at 11 cents, for the Wolf Hop company. The same firm also purchased 36 bales at 10 cents at Silverton.

Felix Isaacson bought two small lots of hops yesterday for the Wolf Hop Company—the C. J. Raymond lot of 9 bales at St. Paul at 8 1/2 cents, and another lot at 10c. Seavey bought the H. W. Watkins lot of 12 bales here at 10c.



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The potato harvest is the chief industry at present, the weather being most favorable for the work.

The tubers are of excellent quality larger in size and more numerous in the hills than in past season and are in the clean and dry condition so rare in this climate where, so often it has been impossible to get them into market otherwise than encrusted with sand.

Many carloads have already been sent away and all expedition is being used on the ranches to get them under cover before the rain.

With sorrowful regret we record the death of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rothenberg, whose serious illness was mentioned in last week's Observer. The little one had been ailing for over a fortnight, but was thought to be better last week, when a turn for the worse was perceptible on Saturday and a few hours later death came to her relief.

Though only fourteen months of age, the little girl had evinced a degree of promise that was unusual, and her parents have the deepest sympathy of the entire community in their irreparable loss.

The burial was at the Bear Creek cemetery on Sunday afternoon and was largely attended, Rev. Lucas of the Lutheran church being in charge.

The annual Mission at the Lutheran church was an event of the deepest interest. The morning service, led by Rev. Lucas was largely attended. At the close dinner was served in the parish house. Rev. Kraxberger preached in English to a large and attentive congregation in the afternoon.

The Mennonite congregation held their Mission on Saturday, October 14th. The Bethel chapel was crowded to its utmost capacity at all three services. Lunch was served at noon the nearby members kindly opening their houses to those who came from far away.

A very pleasing program consisting of children's exercises preceded the sermon in the afternoon.

The Mothers' Club held a very busy and interesting session at the home of Mrs. Simon Miller on Thursday afternoon. The visitors were: Mrs. Holdeman, Mrs. Moshberger, Mrs. Bixel and Mrs. Shields. After the completion of the afternoon's tempting repast was served. The club invited the ladies to come home for the next session. The club adjourned until



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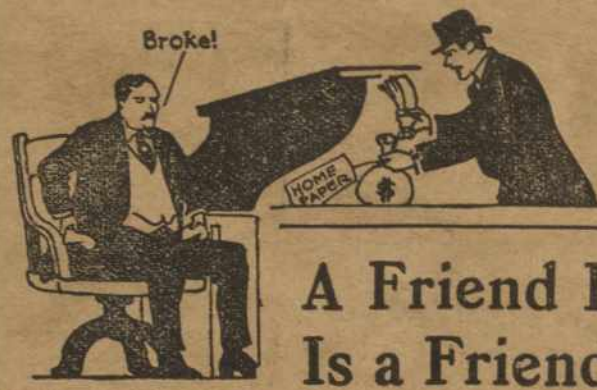
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PETER IRMEN,
Administrator of the Estate of Mary Irmen, Deceased.

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FARGO NEWS

Kister and D. W. Sanders returned to Portland on business on Thursday.

G. K. Fargo of Portland spent Thursday at the ranch.

John Schwabauer left Wednesday for Pasco with the Fargo Caterpillar and Maxwell, which were purchased with a lot of other machinery by G. A. Lane, to be used in working his extensive wheat ranch of 640 acres.

Rev. Giddings of Portland formerly pastor at Tillamook, Oregon, who has been assigned to Fargo, occupied the pulpit Sunday. Everybody is cordially invited to hear him next Sunday at 3 o'clock. We want at least 150 to 200 to come out and help us swell the crowd. Sunday school, -15.

An event of much importance to this and surrounding neighborhoods will occur at the church on the eve of October 21st, Saturday. Miss Mary Anna Brobst, formerly instructor on piano at Pacific University, assisted by Miss Emma Craft, violinist, will appear in concert. Miss Brobst has taken the class of Mrs. Helen Anderson Eberman.

The Ladies' Aid met at the church Thursday afternoon to elect officers to fill the places of those who have removed from this neighborhood. Officers elected were Mrs. J. D. Owens, secretary and Mrs. Fred Bents, treasurer.

John Pugh and Fred Bents are loading a car of the finest potatoes ever shipped from this vicinity.

Mrs. Dan Rogers and Mrs. Green were Portland visitors during the week.

Mrs. Henry L. Tauffest was at Woodburn Saturday on a shipping tour.

The Ben Hur entertainment for the benefit of the Butteville school was a grand success. The pictures were fine and the music furnished was first class in every respect.

Miss Esther Nelson and Miss Ogley deserve a great deal of credit for securing such a high class entertainment. We hope there shall be many more in the future.

Rev. Giddings, pastor was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Fargo, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brink.

Peter Kister was a visitor here over Sunday. Mr. Prink and family spent Sunday with friends at Macksburg.

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hill, State Superintendent of Public
that the voters of the State will assist in
standard of our schools by establishing a
ormal School at Pendleton."
L. Campbell, President of the University of
regon:
at least one additional Normal School is urgently
eeded in Oregon."
By W. J. Kerr, President of the Oregon Agricultural
College:
"Since the people of Pendleton are initiating a measure
for the establishment of a Normal School at that place,
it will give me pleasure to support this measure."
By J. H. Ackerman, President Oregon Normal School,
at Monmouth:
"A careful analysis of the situation will convince any
one that Oregon needs a Normal School in Eastern Oregon
and Pendleton fills all the government requirements."
By the County School Superintendents of Oregon:
"Resolved, that it is the sense of the County School
Superintendents of the State of Oregon, in convention
assembled, that the best interests of the schools of the
State demand increased facilities for the training of
teachers, and that we, therefore, endorse the initiative
measure to establish a Normal School at Pendleton."
By Mrs. Charles H. Castrner, President of the Oregon
Federation of Women's Clubs:
"I most heartily endorse the location of said Normal
School at Pendleton."
Prof. Robert C. French, Former President of the
Normal School Located at Weston:
"An immediate establishment of such a school at some
central point such as Pendleton would prove a great asset
to the State of Oregon."
B. F. Mulkey, Ex-President Southern Oregon Normal
School:
"I shall support the location of an Eastern Oregon
Normal School at Pendleton."

State Board of Regents of Oregon Normal School declares that "the necessity for additional Normal school facilities in Oregon is apparent."

Portland Chamber of Commerce endorses measure 30S and say Pendleton most logical location for Normal school in Eastern Oregon.

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(Paid Adv.) By J. H. Gwinn, Secy., Pendleton, Ore.

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