

NEWS OF THE COUNTY

Maple Lane.

Hop picking seems to be the general gossip of the Lane.

John Darling will dry Dickerson's hops this season.

The Maple Lane Sunday school is holding its own very nicely with Mr. Parker as superintendent.

The M. L. Sunday School's ice cream social was largely attended, singing and speaking and reading being the order of the evening.

Wm. Beard and his son Lambert brought 43 gallons of huckleberries from Bald mountains. Three days picking but were gone 12 days.

The Coopenbender boys are working in the city carpentering for the last two weeks past.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beard drove down to Sellwood Saturday to visit relatives.

Some of our neighbors are going to have telephones put in their houses, most of the poles are already on the ground.

John Gaffney and his father are clearing land.

John Darling Jr. and his two sisters and Frank Beard took a very pleasant drive up to Canby last Sunday. They ate dinner on the banks of a small stream and after giving several toasts and giving the place a name drove to Mr. Comings, a college chum of Mr. Darling's, and certainly did justice to his water melon patch.

Fred Sharnble gave a free exhibition of hypnotism at a small gathering at Mr. Jackson's last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Bland, of St. Paul, is visiting relatives in Oregon and California and was out to the Beard ranch Tuesday. Mrs. Bland is a sister to Wm. Beard, and will leave for the east Saturday.

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CLARKES.

We have not been heard from for some time so I take my pencil to drop a few items.

The air is filled with smoke. Fires are getting to be quite numerous.

Threshing will soon be over as it is going real fast this year; being the grain is very dry this year and the crops are turning out very short.

We are sorry to say that Mr. C. Klinsmith is very sick. Cancer of stomach seems to be the ailment.

Mr. Bob Ringo leaves for Eastern Oregon this week for the benefit of his health.

Mr. Tallman's house caught fire last Friday and but for the timely aid of H. Kleinsmith, the house would have been devoured by flames.

Mr. F. Fisher has sold his lease on the McGeorge place to Mr. Tallman who recently purchased the place. Fisher and family leave for the city soon.

We are sorry that W. Moore and family leave for Eastern Oregon soon, as their smiling faces will be very much missed.

Miss Norma White is a visitor at the Cummings' family.

Mrs. Cummings is still at the coast having gone there to attend her daughter's wedding.

Hop picking will soon be the order of the day. The Fisher Bros. intend to start picking the first of September. Their hops are exceedingly good. They intend to pay 45 cents for picking. Mrs. Leo does not intend to start till the 10th or later of next month. The picking price unknown.

Quite a number of young folks went to Wilhoit Springs Sunday and others went to the Mineral Springs on Cedar Creek near I. L. Clarkes place.

What is the matter with the bachelors. They are not as slow as they might be.

MOLALLA.

It still remains dry and dusty in this part of the county.

It is reported that there is quite a forest fire raging in the vicinity of Wilhoit but so far have heard of no one being seriously damaged by it.

To the huckleberry patches is now the order of the day in this part of the country. Those that have been after berries have brought in fine lots and of fine quality. There are only a few places but what there is a fine crop of fruit.

Geo. Ogle and Joe Harless started to the Santiam mines today. Joe is going to do some assessment work on some claims in that section. They went in on the Red Rock trail.

There has been an unusual number of outfits passed through here the last few days going to the mountains on hunting expeditions. The game country must be full of hunters, but there have been

so far only a few deer reported killed. John Bagby and Jesse Ofield killed two large bucks one day last week. The deer were together and were shot down within a few feet of each other.

D. C. Boyles who is working in the Ogle Creek mines killed a bear recently. The first one for him.

Our blacksmith, P. M. Boyles, was kicked on his head by a horse that he was shoeing. He was not seriously injured but has not been able to do much work since then. He is expecting a blacksmith from Portland to work for him. He is going to take a vacation for a while and will go to the mountains to get berries and take a hunt. Will also go hop picking when picking time arrives.

J. V. Harless has about finished his new house and has moved in. He has built quite a nice house which makes things look better at that end of town.

Several Molalla people are preparing to go to the hop yards.

W. A. Shaver is busy engaged in running his threshing outfit. The run will be very short this season. The grain crop is the shortest in this section that has been known in years though some fields of fall grain average very well but there was on a small acreage of fall grain sown last fall, owing to the late dry weather farmers could not plow and prepare the ground for seeding.

O. I. Gipson is building quite a house for H. S. Ramsby.

Orren Cutting, John Dungan and others will start for the mountains in a few days for berries.

Dee Wright swears vengeance against the boys the next time they run his wagon into deep water. He came near not getting the wagon at all and lost a barrel that was on the wagon. He put the wagon in the water in order to tighten the tires. Some boys came along—the kind that are usually looking for mischief. They pushed the wagon on into deep water. Dee visited Deputy Schubel and the boys may yet have to answer for their fun.

The war at Wilhoit seems to have abated as there has been no warrants of arrest issued so far as known.

New Era.

Harvest is about over and everybody is preparing to go hop picking.

Hobert Eastman has enlisted as a farm hand for the winter on the R. J. Brown ranch.

Father Beck returned last week from an eight months tour through southern California and Mexico for his health. His health is greatly improved.

Katie Newbury is camping with her uncle and aunt up in the mountains east of Silverton.

Mr. Burgoyne returned last Wednesday from White Salmon, Wash., where he was nursing his daughter who was very sick.

Mrs. Hoffman and party returned last week from their summer outing on the beach.

A posse of men surveyed a route for an electric car line from Oregon City to the southern part of the county last week passing about one half mile east of New Era.

Anna Shefchick, of Portland, is visiting her father and brothers of this place.

Frank and Robert McArthur spent Sunday with their brother Elmer in Vancouver.

Earnest Criteser is the proud owner of a horse.

Mrs. Bradt and son Edward camped at the Wilhoit Springs last week.

Wm. Heurt had a barn raising Monday.

Will Newbury, John Tompson and "Bob" McArthur took in the dance at Maple Lane Friday night.

Russellville.

Dudley Boyles killed a fine bear a few days ago.

John Morris, of Oregon City, passed through this country yesterday.

Mr. Wingfield is making cedar posts. Scott Carter has taken some fine honey this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Wingfield and daughter, Maud, made a flying trip to Oregon City last Wednesday, and they report the road very dusty.

It is reported that the corn crop is very poor, although some of it looks well.

The stockraisers want to set up a meat market in Oregon City.

leading to Rich's mill. J. Marts was hauling lumber on that road yesterday, passing over the road four times but no fire was seen, and in the evening fire was burning about a mile and a half north of Soda Springs, also west of that place. Some of the people are badly frightened. Four men were guarding the fire on the road to Rich's mill today, and some guarding was done west of Soda Springs.

Mountain View.

Mrs. M. J. Currin, who sold her property to Mr. Dixon, has moved to Seattle.

Theodore Weed and wife have gone to Seattle.

Mr. Wm. Edgcomb is quite sick. Dr. Strickland is in attendance.

Mr. Stafford has gone to Mount Hood for huckleberries.

F. A. Ely and wife and grandson, Harlas, are camping at Nye Creek, near Newport.

J. M. Gillett and son, Millard, have gone to the huckleberry patch again.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

In the county court of the State of Oregon for Clackamas County.

In the matter of The Guardianship of Edward A. Miller, William O. Miller, George H. Miller and Lillie A. Miller, minors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned guardian by order of the court duly made and entered will sell at public auction at the Court House door at Oregon City, Oregon, at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 17th day of September D. 1904, the following described premises:

The undivided three-sevenths interest in the east half of the northwest quarter of sec. 24, T. 4, S. R. 1 E., W. M. containing 80 acres.

Dated August 19, 1904. Anna K. Enger, Guardian of above named minors. First publication August 19, 1904. Last Sept. 16, 1904.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the county court of the state of Oregon, for the county Clackamas.

In the matter of the estate of Marcell Koerner, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator, by order of the court, duly made and entered will sell at public auction at the Court House door at Oregon City, Oregon, at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 17th day of September A. D. 1904, the following described premises: The southeast quarter of sec. 10, T. 4 S., R. 5 E., W. N. containing 160 acres, Clackamas County, Oregon.

Dated August 1, 1904. C. A. Naah, Administrator of said Estate. First publication August 19, 1904. Last Sept. 16, 1904.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court for Clackamas county, Oregon.

Joseph Fitzsimmons, Plaintiff, vs. Eldora Fitzsimmons, defendant.

To Eldora Fitzsimmons, the above named defendant:

In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and suit on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication made herein, to-wit: 24th day of September, 1904, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in his complaint on file, viz: That the marriage contract existing between plaintiff and defendant be forever dissolved.

This summons is served upon you by order of the Hon. Thomas A. McBride, Judge of the above entitled Court, made August 1st, 1904, and the date of the publication of this summons is August 5, 1904, and the date of the last publication thereof is September 16, 1904, and the time within which the defendant is required to answer the complaint is September 24, 1904.

Edward Mondenhall and A. R. Mondenhall, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas.

W. C. Ingalls, Plaintiff, vs. M. Ingalls, Defendant. Summons.

To M. Ingalls, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, in the above entitled Court, on or before Friday the 9th day of September, A. D. 1904, that being six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint, to-wit: that the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the plaintiff be dissolved and held for naught.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Thos. F. Ryan, County Judge of Clackamas County, Oregon, in the Oregon City Courier, a newspaper, published weekly, and published, printed and in general circulation in said Clackamas County, Oregon, for six successive and consecutive weeks, and the first publication thereof being on July 26th, A. D. 1904 and the last publication thereof being on September 9th, A. D. 1904.

G. B. DIMICK, Attorney for the Plaintiff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas.

In the matter of the Estate of James Anderson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Administrator of the above entitled estate, will sell at private sale on the premises, on Saturday the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1904, or on any day thereafter, the following described premises, to-wit: The South East 1/4 of the North West 1/4 of Section 28, T. 1 S. R. 3 E., of the Willamette Meridian, containing forty acres. Located near Damascus, Oregon. Terms of sale, cash in hand or approved security.

Dated this July 26th, 1904. G. B. DIMICK, Administrator of the estate of James Anderson, deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Esther R. Williams, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the estate of Esther R. Williams, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clackamas, his final account as such executor and the said court has set Monday, the 8th day of August, 1904, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day at the court room of said County Court as the time and place for hearing objections thereto.

First publication July 8, 1904. LLOYD E. WILLIAMS, Executor of the estate of Esther R. Williams, deceased. Hedges & Griffith, Attorneys for Executor.

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They brought home about 30 gallons last week. Jones Brothers dug a well last week on their lot for Grandma Jones. It is 40 feet deep. Charles Ely is on the sick list. Evan Williams and wife are living in the Ely house while Mr. Ely is at the coast. Mr. Bullard and son have gone to Table Rock. The hop pickers intend to leave here the latter part of the week for the various hop yards. Mrs. Avery and sister have moved into their new house, lately erected by Dickey & Locke. Mrs. P. D. Curran's woodshed is completed. Charlie Ely and family are staying in the Moran house during Mrs. Moran's absence at the coast. Oscar May was in this burg Sunday. SALINA.

Ice Cream Social at Shubel. (From Shubel Correspondence) The progressive citizens of Shubel show more than a passing interest in educational matters. In too many districts, the public school is seldom thought of when in session, and never during vacation. But such is not the case in his district. On Saturday, August 27, an ice cream social will be given for the benefit of the school library. Everybody is invited to attend. A good time is assured.

Private Money to Loan. Six and seven per cent. Amounts on land \$100 to \$3000. Also some on chattel and personal security. For sale: The Russel Homestead six miles SE of Molalla at \$6 an acre; the Philip Marquam Homestead eight miles E of Marquam at \$5 an acre. Plenty of fine water and good soil on both tracts. Also blo k 119 Oregon City, eight full lots 66x105 feet. Slightly building place all for \$1000. JOHN W. LOBER, Att'y. at Law. Stevens' building, Oregon City, Ore.

Schoolhouse For George. Superintendent Zinser returned this week from a trip to George where he went to investigate a petition for a division of the district. After talking the matter over it was decided not to divide the district, but to build a new school house one-quarter mile east of the present building and to construct a new road to the new structure. For the best building blocks in Hubbard write the Courier office.

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