

SUCCESSFUL GRANGE FAIR

First Annual Effort of Maple Lane Patrons.

LONG LIST OF AWARDS

Well Rendered Programme Follows Toothsome Banquet Served By Ladies.

MAPLE LANE, Oct. 7.—(Special Correspondence of the Courier).—Maple Lane Grange No. 296 met in regular session on Saturday, October 7, and also held its first annual fair. I say first advisedly, for be it known to all that Maple Lane Grange purposes to hold another next season, and the good natured, honest rivalry between the exhibitors will, I predict, produce an agricultural exhibit, that will be second to none in Clackamas county. A few of the faithful met at the hall as per agreement and arranged the exhibits on Friday.

Saturday being our regular meeting day, Grange was called to order by W. M. Hobbie at 10:30 a. m., all the officers and a goodly number of members being present.

The usual routine business was transacted, including the election to membership of one applicant, after which Grange closed in ample form.

By common consent of all Grange exhibitors the following parties were chosen as judges: S. T. Roman, Charles Forbes, Mrs. Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. Calavan. It was also agreed that the decision of the judges should be final. A list of the awards, following will give some slight idea of the exhibits. First and second prizes were awarded in the order named.

Grapes—C. W. Swallow, A. Mautz. Nuts—C. W. Swallow, Myrtle Darling.

Squashes and pumpkins—A. J. Lewis, W. B. Stafford.

Potatoes—A. J. Lewis, C. O. Allen. Apples—A. J. Hobbie, C. W. Swallow.

Quinces—C. O. Allen, A. J. Lewis. Pears—C. W. Swallow, A. Mautz.

Popcorn—A. Mautz, C. W. Swallow. Grain, general exhibit—C. O. Allen, Wm. Beard.

Sweet Corn—C. O. Allen, A. S. Bailey.

Channed fruits—Mrs. R. Mautz, Mrs. A. J. Lewis.

Butter—Mrs. R. Mautz, Mrs. Louise Beard.

Bread—Mrs. Louise Beard, Mrs. R. Mautz.

Cake—Mrs. A. M. Allen, Mrs. Louise Beard.

Mangel wartsel—W. B. Stafford, A. J. Lewis.

Parasols—A. J. Lewis, W. B. Stafford.

Carrots—W. B. Stafford, A. J. Lewis.

Crookneck squash—A. J. Lewis, W. B. Stafford.

Rotabags—A. J. Lewis, W. B. Stafford.

Beans—A. J. Lewis, Wm. Beard.

Chickens, general—C. W. Swallow, A. J. Lewis.

Bantams—Shirley Swallow, Roscoe Clark.

General collection—sweepstakes—A. J. Lewis.

Ditto, jelly—Myrtle Darling.

Ditto, potatoes—W. B. Stafford.

Ditto, fruit—C. W. Swallow.

Ditto, turkeys, A. J. Lewis.

Sofa pillows—Mrs. Shelly, Mrs. Splinter.

Quilts—Sarah Davies, Mrs. A. E. Seeley.

Slumber robes—Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Shelly.

It was very gratifying to the committee in charge to note the universal satisfaction at the awards of the judges, and the judges are certainly entitled to the thanks of all concerned in our first annual fair.

The ladies as usual were very busy and their display of fancy and toilet articles was fine, their booth tastefully arranged in one corner, trimmed with holly and English ivy, draped with lace curtains adorned with natural and artificial flowers, was the center of attraction, and the smiling faces who presided over all this are certainly deserving of praise.

Several visitors at previous Maple Lane dinners have pronounced them "banquets." The dinner upon this occasion was certainly entitled to that distinction. After dinner, Mrs. C. O. Allen, as chairman of the entertainment committee, gave a short preliminary address, then followed a well rendered program supplemented by some very appropriate remarks by A. J. Lewis.

Mr. Lewis is the man who first proposed a county Grange fair in connection with Clackamas County District Pomona Grange, and he still believes in the feasibility and practicability of the plan, and is certainly in earnest, as evidenced by his heroic efforts to interest his neighbors in a purely agricultural fair for Clackamas county.

C. O. Allen is a good wheel-horse and it will be neck and neck between him and C. W. Swallow as to which will carry off the sweepstakes at our next annual. In my humble estimation, this Grange fair will be worth ten or twenty times its cost to those participating in it. Time, of course, will demonstrate the right or wrong of that opinion.

W. B.

Gensen Admits Guilt.

Frank Gensen was arraigned Tuesday in the Justice Court, charged with larceny from a dwelling. He admitted his guilt and waived examination, and was held to answer to the Circuit Court and in default of bail was committed to the county jail. Gensen is 19 years of age, and plaudered a number of Oregon City residences, getting away with articles of clothing. He returned only a few weeks ago from the gold fields of Alaska with \$2000, which he at once squandered in various dissipation.

CANBY.

Questions of today: How many did you kill? How many did you buy?

Adam Knight was one of the Fair visitors during the week.

A new meat market is in town.

Andy Kocher, the implement man, spent Sunday in Portland.

Miss Emma Evem Burgoyne left for her new home in Boise, Idaho, Friday evening.

Rev. Dunlap and wife spent Sunday in Canby.

Interior of the M. E. church has been treated to a new coat of paint and paper and it has made quite an improvement in the appearance of the church. Prof. Charles Bater did the master work.

School opened on the second, with Prof. Mathew and wife and Miss Batdorf, of Oregon City, as teachers.

Kirk Rebeckah Lodge initiated two new members into the mysteries of the degree on Tuesday night. A chicken dinner was served and a general good time enjoyed by the immense crowd.

E. Slesie, representing Eastern capital, was in this city on the 6th, looking up a location for a bank. Mr. Slesie was very favorably impressed with Canby as a business center and expects to return in a few weeks to make arrangements to locate here. Canby needs a bank and the people should give the new enterprise their hearty support.

CURRINSVILLE.

School commenced last Monday with Miss Blechinger and Miss Anderson as teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wade, of Olex, Or., are visiting friends and relatives here.

Messrs. Harkenrider, Wade and Steinman gave the schoolhouse a new coat of paint last week, which adds much to its appearance.

Mrs. Theodore Shankland, of Portland, is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. N. C. Shankland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hogins, of near Walla Walla, Wash., were visiting relatives here last week. Some of them Mrs. Hogins had not seen before for about 40 years.

Mrs. Will Laufman, of Maple Falls, Wash., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Kitching, this week.

Mrs. Kitching's sister and family, of Illinois, are also visiting her, but we have not as yet learned their names.

Roscoe Gard, of Madras, passed through our burg Monday on his way to Clarkes.

NEEDY.

Clarence Reames, who has been very low with typhoid fever, is getting along very nicely at present.

Rudy Ritter spent several days of this week in Portland, visiting the Fair.

School opened Monday with Miss Stella Criswell as teacher.

Clarence Carothers and family from Butteville, moved on their farm here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Molson and Miss Martha Reames spent Sunday in Portland.

Mrs. Mand Johnson and Miss Myrtle Smith spent Monday visiting Joe Johnson and family.

Grove McGonegal spent this week at Aurora, securing hop samples.

A number of the Needyites attended the Grange Fair at Molalla Saturday and all reported a very nice time.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher*

WILHOIT.

Webfoot rain still falls. Farmers can polw now if they can catch time between showers.

We hear the mining machinery came to a halt about Redrock for want of more teams and bad weather was in their way.

Question: What are the people to do? Hunting license law runs out in December and no more license until 1906. Wolves have killed about 40 sheep and goats within a few miles around this country and the people are wanting to get Uncle Billy Vaughn and his Kentucky fox hounds to chase them. Seems that our honorable lawmakers should have made mention of this.

J. Marts and O. S. Boyles are expected home in a few days from the mines, where they have been at work for about a month.

The last of our hop pickers came home about a week ago, having done fairly well. Frank Scott and family cleared a hundred dollars. Many others from this county also made honest dollars, but the Portland Fair caught much of their hard earnings.

John Nillengale lost a fine cow a few weeks ago, from having a spoiled bag.

Roads are getting bad, as much rain has fallen lately and travel is upon them all the time.

Our school commenced last Monday, being taught by an Oregon City lady.

Rev. L. D. C. Boyles, of Sislaw, was a visitor in our country last week.

Scott Carter has lost seven goats lately by wolves. What are you going to do, Scott?

LIBERAL.

Farmers are busy after the rain. Potato digging is the order of the day. Late potatoes are in full bloom and will be ready for spring digging very soon. Little fall grain sown. Grass is extra fine this fall. Good mutton sheep are scarce and demand good prices. No sale for beef cattle. They seem to be a drug on the market. Fat hogs are scarce and very few will be fed for market.

The farmers cannot complain about the ground not being wet enough.

Our school is progressing nicely with R. H. Trullinger as teacher.

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.

The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work.

Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases, and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle

Home of Swamp-Root, by mail free, also a pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Mrs. Etra L. Hannagen has not sold out yet. There is a bargain for someone who wishes to go into the merchandise business.

The China pheasants are striking for fall timber now—what few that are left. Last Sunday seemed like a battle was going on. Many a dove was shot through the air and no bird.

Wild geese are flying South. One young fellow tried his new gun and brought down seven at two shots.

All reports are that the Molalla Fair was a grand success.

NEEDY.

Lewis Spagle put his hop baler in the dry, Tuesday, having finished baling for this season.

Mrs. Frank Fish spent last week in Portland.

Mrs. James Dozier is on the sick list.

Miss Edith Jackson went to Oregon City Thursday.

Mr. Carothers and family have moved onto their farm in Needy.

Clarence Reames is slightly improved at the present writing.

James Wyland and friend from Eastern Oregon were the guests at C. Noblitt's Monday.

R. L. Stewart is the possessor of a new buggy.

Messrs. Flora Spagle and Beatrice Ritter visited Laura Reames Tuesday.

Charles Wolfer, visited friends in Hubbard, Sunday.

Letter List.

The following letters remained uncalled for at the postoffice at Oregon City, Or., for the week ending Oct. 12, 1905:

WOMEN'S LIST.

Dooley, Miss Margaret; Fleming, Miss Nettie; Graves, Mrs. Ed; Miller, Mrs. Mary; Miller, Miss Lulu; Roberts, Gladys M.; Smith, Mrs. Sadie; Sutherland, Mrs. Josie; Waldren, Mrs. S.; Yoder, Miss Eva.

MEN'S LIST.

Bates, Geo. W.; Blacketer, C.; Buckberry, Jas.; Hago, Fred; Herbert, Jas.; Kern, Will; Kinney, E. V.; Lamm, Jno.; Smith, J. D.; Sheffer, Jno.; Schwartz, Chris. T. P. RANDALL, P. M.

NEW TO-DAY

WANTED—CLEAN RAGS AT THE Courier office.

MY WIFE, MRS. ELLA J. LONGCOY, has left my bed and board, and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her. H. J. Longcoy, Milwaukie, Or., Box 85, R. F. D. No. 1.

HOUSES FOR RENT—APPLY JOHN A. Moehnk, Enterprise Building.

MORTGAGE LOANS NEGOTIATED at lowest rates. Latourer's office. Commercial Bank Building, Oregon City.

FRUIT TREES AND BERRY plants. Apply to C. W. Swallow, Oregon City, Oregon. R. F. D. No. 3.

FOR RENT—DESIRABLE PLACE at Gladstone; 6-room house, 3 lots, barn, chicken house, 3 blocks from our line. Inquire at postoffice.

WANTED—APPRENTICE IN PHOTOGRAPHIC studio. No one using tobacco or profane language need apply. Lymp's Photo Studio.

FOR SALE OR RENT, WITH FURNITURE if desired, fine residence and outbuildings, with six acres, situated at Parkplace. Enquire at this office.

NEW UPHOLSTERY SHOP JUST opened in building occupied by A. B. Buckles, corner Main and Eleventh streets. All work guaranteed and given prompt attention. J. R. Docherly.

R. F. CAUFIELD, WATCHMAKER and Jeweler, opposite Huntley Bros., Main street. Watches that others have failed to make run properly, especially solicited. All work guaranteed.

FRANK BUSCH

FURNITURE AND
HARDWARE



1000 ROLLS X X X X Phoenix Paper Lining



WE received a consignment of 1000 rolls of this lining and will sell 50 square yards or one full roll for

\$1.25

This paper if properly pasted or tacked to the wall or ceiling, will give to the occupants of the house the same protection as a coat of plaster.

For Stables, Cellars or Chicken houses this paper is indispensable.

FRANK BUSCH

FURNITURE AND HARDWARE

8th and Main Streets

Oregon City, Oregon

Mohawk Bldg.
Third and
Morrison Sts.

ROBERTS BROS.
GIVERS OF THE BEST VALUES

Portland's
Fastest
Growing Store

Tomorrow's Selling in the Suit Section

Will be simply enormous, as the values offered below are sure to crowd this most popular section from early morning until closing time.

Women's New Fall and Winter Ready-to-Wear Garments

Are shown here in wondrous assortments, and our prices are beyond a doubt cheaper than elsewhere—read on and judge for yourself.

New Fall Suits, Coats, Waists, and Skirts At Money-Saving Prices Most Extraordinary

Women's Tailor-Made Suits—New models, heavy all-wool cheviots and Venetian cloths, in hip and 42-inch length, tight fitting styles, collarless, with tailor stitched, strapped, seam front and back, satin lined, new plaited skirt. Specially priced at **\$12.50**

New Long Coat Suits—45 and 50-inch length Coat suits, made of fine broadcloths, cheviots, worsteds and fancy Scotch mixtures, in the new greens, plum, claret, blues, black and gray shades, handsomely tailored. Specially priced at **\$7.50, \$10.50 Up to \$19.50**

Women's Tourist Coats—50 inches long Tourist Coats, in gray mixtures, all wool coverts, made full box style, satin lined yoke; also 58 inch long Cravenette coats, in olive, tan and Oxford. Specially priced at **\$8.50, \$10.50 Up to \$19.50**

Women's Waists—New arrivals in Taffeta Silk Waists. Colors are black, blue, green, brown, Nile and plaid. All are newest ideas, with plain full tucked fronts, tucked backs and leg o'mutton sleeves, with long cuffs. All sizes. Perfect fitting garments. On sale tomorrow at **\$4.50, \$5 and \$5.50**

Children's Coats—Children's Long Coats, for winter wear; made of newest materials, in all colors and sizes. Every garment strictly man tailored and fashioned after the most charming and dainty patterns. Special prices for tomorrow **\$4.50, \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50**

Walking Skirts—A new lot of tailor made Skirts. Very latest ideas. Materials are Panama, cheviot, broadcloth and covert. Correct pleated effects, with a style and finish that no home tailoring can produce. Prices for tomorrow **\$6.50 \$7.50** and

Cravenette Coats—Made in the latest fall styles, strictly man tailored throughout, guaranteed all wool worsteds, in Oxfords, tans and olives. Unusual values at **\$10.50**