

NEWS OF THE COUNTY

MACKSBURG.

One of the most happy and entertaining sequels of the day was the party at the residence of William Heinz. A very large crowd was present, and Billy is to be congratulated for drawing such a large crowd of ladies. Among those present from a distance were Mrs. A. H. Reynolds and Julia Kaborek, of Portland; P. M. Graves and daughter, Iva, of Oregon City; Charles Thomas, Charles and Stella Tackelson, of Canby; Ida Grimm, of Aurora, and Ella Kigler, of lower metropolis, besides all the neighbors turned out en masse. Coffee and lunch was served at midnight, while all enjoyed a pleasant time, when at a late hour all departed for home and rest.

Mr. Editor, we would like to ask Brother Myers a few questions: Why is it that the Democratic party was all right when he was one of its members, and is all wrong now while the party advocated the same principles then that it advocates at present. Is it because he was on the ticket for sheriff, or have we all turned out to be rascals. We are of the opinion that FIE has a good deal of influence in the matter. We are all happy to say the more we study Socialism the further we drift away from it. We have no foes to fear nor friends to please, but strike down wrong wherever it exists.

Scramlin and Bowman are improving the looks of their farms by putting up adjoining line fences.

The Farmers' Mutual telephone is making some good improvements on their line, such as putting up more wires and post-arms.

Ed Boman is killing a fine lot of hogs this week.

When you come to Oregon City go George Bro.'s restaurant for your meals. First-class service at lowest prices. You will not be disappointed; it's the best place to eat.

REDLAND.

Death has again visited this place, taking from our midst Grandma Strohafer who died January 9, and was laid to rest by the side of her husband and son in Redland cemetery. Services were held in M. E. church, conducted by Rev. J. J. Patton.

Presiding Elder Dr. Koland, of Portland, preached to an appreciative congregation December 31.

George Heimbacher was out from Portland. He intends to leave for Iles, Or., soon.

Mr. Fairbrother and son-in-law are preparing to set out five acres of hops on their place.

The young folks of this place tripped the light fantastic Saturday night at W. H. Brown's, it being his and his brother's, F. Brown, birthday.

Your correspondent is of the opinion that if Willamette University had the one of Redland's "fair kickers" they would make a better showing on the gridiron.

J. S. Fullam, Louis Kirchman and Louis Funk each took several head of beavers to town last week.

William Gaskill was a visitor at Canby last week.

A. M. Kerchem is doing a job of survey work at Aurora this week.

Mr. Ripley is feeding up his horses, preparatory to putting them on the market. He has some very fine teams.

Mr. Editor, your article about government lands is very interesting, as it shows the system that has been in vogue for obtaining government land, but the biggest fraud of all is the system of giving lion land.

J. Hughes' cream took a drop a short time ago, causing the cream wagon to take a spin down Viola hill. Mr. Stuart is now running the wagon.

J. J. Bargfield took a spin to Portland to visit with his children.

Arthur Barrett has emigrated to Parkplace.

J. Hughes is getting out material for a barn next summer.

Mr. Ripley is overhauling his barn, putting in new timbers.

Mrs. W. H. Bonney visited with Mrs. L. Funk Monday.

Plowing is about finished on this ridge.

How to Prevent Billious Attacks.

One who is subject to billious attacks will notice that for a day or more before the attack he is not hungry at meal times and feels dull after eating. A dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when these first symptoms appear will ward off the attack. For sale by Huntley Bros. Co., Oregon City and Molalla.

RUSSELVILLE.

John Trullinger has about completed his new barn and also a smoke-house.

Charles Devorgan, of Santiam, is trapping in this country. He has caught some good furs.

Mr. Ramsey came from Portland a few days ago with a two-seated fringe-top rig that shows some are prospering.

There are some stray cattle in this country. Some of them are getting poor. The owners of them would confer a favor on the cattle by coming and caring for them. The cattle may be found near Mr. Wingfield's place at Wilhoit.

Mr. Hungate was in this country surveying for Mr. Wingfield and James Marts.

George Kenton, of San Francisco, is visiting his father, who lives in this country.

B. F. Boyles and O. S. Boyles are fencing for T. O. Nightengale, who is in the employment of Mr. Mordison, of Marquam. Many are the sounds that can be heard in this country from the sound of the mail to the running of hounds.

There will be an entertainment and basket social at the Russellville schoolhouse January 30.

NEW ERA.

Merrel Davis, of Tillamook, visited friends here a few days last week.

W. G. Randall received the appointment of road supervisor in our district. Success and good will to you, Will.

Charles Bradt and Arthur Blanchard were Portland visitors Sunday.

Henry Smith leaves this week for his home in Burlington, Va. Mr. Smith has been stopping at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McArthur for a couple of months. Mr. Smith contemplates returning to Oregon as soon as he can dispose of his belongings in the Green Mountain State.

Mrs. J. Burgoyne spent Sunday with Mrs. James Evans, of Canby.

Work on the Brown schoolhouse telephone line is being pushed under the supervision of Mr. Hurias and will be completed in a few days.

Barney Friedrich has pruned his 10-acre apple orchard with the grubbing hoe, making a clean sweep.

Mrs. Frank McArthur was sick a few days last week, but is much improved at this writing.

Joe Sevcik spent Sunday with his brother, Antone, of Beaver Creek.

Mr. Wink lost a fat 200-pound hog last Sunday. No inquest was held.

The Courier typesetter must have turned over a new leaf or a big bottle by the way last week's items were jumbled up. I wish to state that some of our young ladies are fairly good-sized, but none that are a mile square. Sure enough we don't know what they will be 21 years from now. That's one on The Courier—I'll take a soda pop.

The W. O. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. D. McArthur's last Wednesday.

Earl Wink has a contract of cutting 50 cords of wood for Alex White, of Mt. Pleasant.

It invigorates, strengthens and builds up. It keeps you in condition physically, mentally and morally. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Huntley Bros. Co.

MARQUAM.

Mrs. Quinn and family were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Miller last Sunday.

Miss Bertha Gray and Pearl Labadie visited the Marquam school-room last Thursday.

J. W. Newton, who went to the mountains last week, will not return for a week or more.

Mr. Harmon has been suffering for a long time from a boil on his hand, but is now getting better.

Why are bankers very unwise? The answer will be in next week's paper.

BEAVER CREEK.

Mrs. W. Eggis, who was visiting with her parents for a week, returned to her home at Walla Walla last Friday.

Mr. Kuntz went to Liberal last Sunday to call on Mr. Austin.

Dr. James, who is very low, and under the doctor's care, is not much improved. His brother recently came from New York. He had not seen him for a great number of years.

Miss Laura Pay is working for Mrs. C. A. Moehnk.

James O'Connor, of Logan, spent a week with friends in Beaver Creek.

Frank Engle, of New Era, called on his sister, Mrs. N. E. Young, Sunday.

The telephone meeting at the Beaver Creek hall last Monday afternoon was well attended. Henry Hughes was elected president; Frank Kamrath, vice-president; William Grisenthwaite, secretary; James Shannon, treasurer.

John Bohlander's horse, which took sick suddenly last Monday is somewhat better again. There are a number of sick horses around here.

Mrs. Emma Bohlander went to Portland to stay with her sister, Mrs. Machen.

Mrs. Grim, of Mt. Pleasant, called on Mr. and Mrs. Schrieber last Sunday.

Fred Steiner is busy chopping grain with his steam engine for the farmers this winter.

Mrs. Emil Staab, formerly of this place, went to Portland Thursday to undergo an operation for a severe cancer.

Gunnywlyn Thomas, who has been up in Eastern Oregon for some time past, returned home last week.

Mrs. Dora Shelly nee Dora Henriel, of Hunker Hill, Dawson, writes if she was back in Oregon again she would know how to appreciate it.

BARTON.

Henry and Lillie Deshazer were visiting Mrs. Ward last week.

They received their new seats in the schoolhouse last week.

Henry Deshazer and family and Mrs. Wade's family went up to Cazadero last Tuesday to visit H. L. Ward.

Mrs. J. Greenville went to Portland to visit her daughter, Mrs. Gantenbein.

C. O. Davis's little boy, Clarence, is quite sick.

A cattle buyer was in our burg last week.

Warner Grange installs.

The retiring worthy master, Fred J. Meindl, of Warner Grange No. 117, Patrons of Husbandry, Saturday installed the following newly elected officers of the Grange: Mrs. Fred J. Meindl, master; George Lazelle, overseer; Mrs. George Randall, lecturer; Fred Chinn, steward; David Pancher, assistant steward; Katie Frederick, secretary; D. McArthur, treasurer; George Randall, chaplain; Mrs. Blanchard, Pomona; Mrs. Dundas, Cerew; Mrs. Frederick, Flora; Lillie Wink, lady assistant steward.

MAPLE LANE GRANGE.

Maple Lane Grange met in regular session January 6. Two candidates were given the benefit of the third and fourth degrees, after which Past Master Wm. Beard exemplified the unwritten work of the order. After a good hearty dinner the following program was rendered under the supervision of our most excellent Worthy Lecturer, Mrs. Anna M. Allen.

Song, "Bud and Bloom," by the grange; song, "Bright Beautiful Home" Sarah Gillett; recitation, "A Woman in the Case," Anna J. Lewis; Reading, "A Fashionable School Girl," C. O. Allen; Reading, "A Society Member," Rosina Mautz; Historical questions by Lecturer; addresses by members.

By the way, our lecture hours, which comes immediately after dinner, is open to the public and one and all are cordially invited to visit us at that time.

After the foregoing program was rendered, the installations of officers followed. This ceremony was also open to the public. Past Master William Beard as installing officer, with Anna J. Lewis, as assistant, then installed the following officers:

Master, S. T. Roman; overseer, Mary Shelly; lecturer, Anna M. Allen; steward, Louise Beard; assistant steward, Lyman Derrick; chaplain, Rosina Mautz; treasurer, A. J. Lewis; gatekeeper, Sarah Gillett; Cress, Alvina Splinter; Flora, Bessie Crawford; Pomona, Myrtle Darling; lady assistant steward, Blanch Mautz. William

cellent officers and the fraternal sympathy, good will and assistance of the entire Grange, it is expected that much good will be accomplished during 1906.

H. S. Anderson, Fred Gerber and O. D. Robbins were elected as members of the executive committee.

The short literary program consisted of an essay on Thanksgiving by Mahala Gill and a select reading on the same subject by Mrs. H. A. Anderson. Dr. E. W. Barnes was introduced and spoke very earnestly of the good work the Grange is doing and may do in the future.

A basket social will be given at the hall on the evening of January 26 for the benefit of the degree team.

MACKSBURG.

Ed Graves has sold 60 acres of his farm to F. Wehner. The part he sold includes all the buildings. Mr. Graves intends to build a new house and barn this winter, as Mr. Wehner takes possession of his place the first of April.

There was a party given at Will Heinze's residence last Saturday night. Most all of the young people of this community attended it. The time was spent in dancing.

Born, to the wife of Jacob Rueck, January 8 a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowman made a trip to Oregon City Saturday.

Miss Julia Kaborek and Mrs. Reynolds, of Leuts, Or., have been visiting friends and relatives at Jefferson

LOGAN.

Rev. E. W. Barnes, M. D., has opened an office in the postoffice building at Brown's. Dr. Barnes is from North Powder, Eastern Oregon, and may conclude to locate here permanently. The doctor came to Oregon, when a boy, with the McCabbin family.

Willard W. Austin, a former resident of Logan and well known in Clackamas county as a successful teacher, has recently sold his general merchandise business at Hamilton, Grant county, and is now practicing law. He expects to move soon, with his wife and young son to Lewiston, Idaho.

J. C. Sprague is about again since his recent illness.

J. C. Young is better but has not entirely recovered.

Eva Newkirk and Howard Gill were home from Corvallis for the holidays.

Ben Sivalas reports that some one shot seven sheep for him. We can hardly believe there is anyone in Logan so filled with wanton destructiveness and must therefore lay it to some straggling degenerate.

Dr. E. W. Barnes preached at the Baptist church last Sunday evening.

For any diseases of the skin there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Salve. It relieves the itching and burning sensation instantly and soon effects a cure. Sold by Huntley Bros. Co., Oregon City and Molalla.

BEUNA VISTA.

Ike Percival will soon remove his household effects to LaCanas, where he has secured a position as jigger boss in the paper mill recently secured by the Crown Manufacturing Co. of this city.

Mr. Cummins has found it necessary to sever his connection with the second-hand store. He can make easier money at home, judging by the way the buildings are going up on his place it keeps him constantly on the move, nailing, sawing and shingling.

A number of our citizens attended the Artisan social last week and all report having had a good time.

Mrs. Del Hart will shortly leave for Stockton, Cal., to visit her husband, who is employed as card-room boss in the woolen mill there.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Charles will soon occupy their new house recently built for them on their property here.

CLACKAMAS.

Stanford Moore, son of Rev. Moore, has entered a Portland college, where he will take a course in business training.

Charles Davis has removed with his family to Boring, where he will take charge of a sawmill in that vicinity.

S. Garrison, an ex-resident of Clackamas, and now proprietor of a hop-pole plant in the bustling city of Boring, was visiting Clackamas friends Sunday.

Hello! Madras! Well, this is Clackamas. Say, can't you give us a write-up of your town through The Courier? Your items are O. K., but we would like to know something of your town's history, location, size and the character and resource of the country roundabout.

E. P. Dedman, acting for Lodge Deputy F. C. Chapman, went to Estacada last Saturday evening where he installed the newly elected officers of the I. O. O. F. at that place. He and those who accompanied him report a royal good time after the ceremonies were completed.

Clubs may come and clubs may go, but the Mothers' Club of Clackamas goes on forever, doing good deeds for the community—deeds that might be overlooked were they left for unorganized eyes to seek. The latest decision of this club is to purchase an organ for the public school. With their customary enterprise they have already secured through an entertainment and the liberality of the school directors almost enough money to buy a first-class instrument, which will soon be installed.

Walter L. is indulging in the luxury of day-dreaming that every day will be Toozeday after the elections, but Clackamas will in a negative way try to turn his dream into a nightmare of the stock that comes under the wire just a few seconds late. No one doubts his right to be a candidate for congress but many question his fitness. Of oratory he has his share; of fierce partisanship he has a goodly portion; but of the kind of statesmanship that Oregon particularly needs just now, he has a very limited amount.

Mr. Street is adding another room to his plant, which is already one of the largest in the state. His specialty is violets.

MARKS PRAIRIE.

Farmwork is almost at a standstill on our prairie.

The many friends of John Gahler gave him a serenade one evening last week.

Our mail carriers have our sympathies, as it is fearful driving in the mud, especially east of Needy.

Several lots of hops have been sold in our vicinity the past week.

Our school is progressing with a fair attendance.

R. W. Zimmerman is anxiously awaiting to see who will be our next road boss.

John Mark has built an addition to his residence.

Cattle here all in good condition and farmers have fed very little as yet.

There are several large lots of baled hay for sale on our prairie.

Ed Graves will erect a new residence and a new barn in the near future.

Needy has a genuine grafter. Ask the Needy boys who tried to graft a part of the serenade cash last Sunday.

Cutting hop wood is the next thing in for our hop growers.

We are sorry to say that several subscribers to the Aurora Borealis are about to quit the paper, as we do not want a Sunday school paper in our area.

Oglesby Bros. had a phone put in their residence last week.

Coleman Mark was butchering Monday.

CLACKAMAS GRANGE.

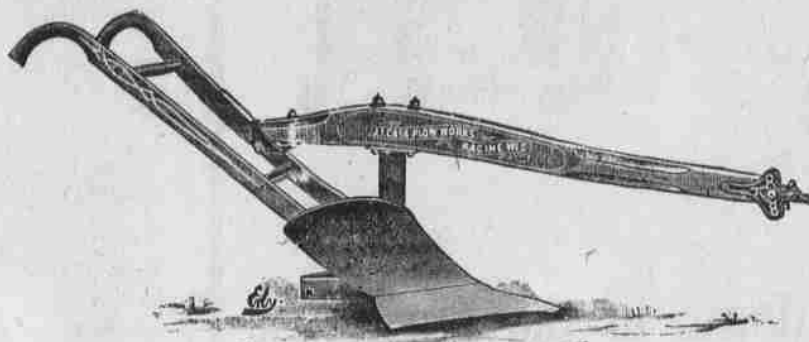
No. 298, Patrons of Husbandry held a regular all-day meeting on Saturday, January 6. As it was the date for the installation of new officers, there was a good attendance of Grange members. Mrs. Roberts, of the Milwaukie Grange, was present to act as installing officer. Mr. and Mrs. Brayton, of Abernethy Grange, were visitors. A fine dinner was served at noon, and a social hour greatly enjoyed. The lecture hour was occupied by a program given by the contestant under the leadership of Miss Bessie Capps; 1260 points were scored for that side.

Mrs. J. S. Stephenson, who has been under treatment at the Good Samaritan hospital for about five weeks, returned home Sunday evening. Though not able to get about yet, Mrs. Stephenson is considered in a fair way to recover her normal condition of health.

Mrs. R. H. Holcomb, who was operated on at the St. Vincent hospital a week ago last Sunday night, is improving rapidly, and expects to return home before long.

Tom Deakins has returned from the Portland sanitarium much improved in health. He will try to carry out the same system of living and diet at home which proved of such benefit while away.

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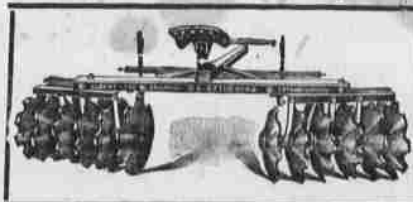


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Beard was then installed as secretary by state deputy J. S. Casto, who closed the installation ceremonies, making a few brief remarks on the general prosperity of Maple Lane Grange as evidenced, not only by our continued growth in membership, but also by our hall and its furnishings and general environments.

After a few brief remarks by the newly installed officers, the grange was then closed in F. H. and C. with F. by Worthy Master S. T. Roman.

HARDING GRANGE.

The new year began very auspiciously with a rousing meeting last Saturday, the attendance being 72. Two were given the first and second degrees and the routine work took up most of the time as it always does on installation day. L. H. Kirchman, the resident deputy, assisted by C. F. M. Brown, installed the officers. C. F. M. Brown has completed the well and a fine job it is. It is curbed with brick and a tastefully finished well-house with door and everything complete adds much to the appearance of the grounds.

There will be a special meeting for conferring degrees and for degree and choir practice on the evening of January 20, and perhaps regularly two weeks after each regular meeting.

H. S. Anderson made an earnest address on giving up the gavel and George Kohl received it with a few well-chosen words. Mr. Kohl is an earnest and faithful Grange worker and being supported by the other ex-

Square for the last week.

O. G. Morris a few days ago made a trip to Canby and purchased a new buggy.

Mr. and Mrs. August Blasky are the proud possessors of a little daughter.

Mr. Klebe, of Highland, was a visitor in our burg one day last week.

Macksburg Mutual Telephone Company held its annual meeting January 8 and elected its officers for the ensuing year: J. W. Smith, president; D. Harms, vice-president; J. E. Wells, secretary; O. G. Morris, treasurer; S. E. Bowers, trustee for three years. Macksburg and New Era system will put in a new \$150 switch board at Canby inside of a week. The Macksburg Mutual hereafter will rent phones by the month to non-subscribers who wish them.

NEEDY.

B. F. Smith spent Sunday at J. D. Ritter's.

R. L. Stewart drove to Oregon City Tuesday.

Joe Myers and family visited at John Gahler's Sunday.

Miss Alice Ritter, principal of the Logan school, who has been home for a two weeks' vacation, returned to her school Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Zeigler, of Laurel, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Hoffman, of this place at present.

Don't forget the calico ball in Thompson's hall January 30.

Chris Zweifel, of Portland, visited friends here this week.

SPRINGBROOK.

School opened Monday with the regular number enrolled. The attendance this year has been larger than it has been for years before. Possibly the new schoolhouse is a drawing card.

Surveyors are busy surveying land near Springbrook for a railroad, which will be a branch from the main line to Beaverton.

Henry Platt is busy clearing his land near the school.

Mr. Steigler and family have been sick with lagrippe, but are now convalescent.

George Kruse is busy pruning his apple orchard. His crop of apples this year is very fine.

Charles and Theodore Worthington, from Milwaukie, Or., were guests of Mr. William Worthington during the holidays.

Carl Steigler, who has been employed by Mr. Kruse, moved with his family to Tualatin, where he will engage in farming.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Meyers are guests of R. B. Wilmot.

Miss Carlenette Haley has returned to her school work after a two weeks' vacation spent with her parents in Portland.

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