

NEWS OF THE COUNTY

WILLAMETTE.

Supt. I. J. Sary is giving considerable attention to our county fair to be held at Canby the first three days of October.

Quite a number of people alight from the trolley cars here each Sunday and either witness a ball game or picnic in the grove by our wonderful springs.

Charles Kanny, after a third attempt to bore for water, broke a piece of pipe off at the bottom of a 75-foot hole and has concluded to dig with pick and shovel. J. M. Rivers has charge of the machinery.

Several new dwellings are going up at this place, among them, Albert Adanson has a foundation of stone laid for one on his lot near the school house.

Our shoe factory is running in fine shape again.

A telegram was received here from E. Mass in the east announcing the death of his mother on the 8th inst.

The water tank of this place has been repaired temporarily. A new one is being completed to take its place.

A number of new residences are talked of.

Mrs. J. Edmunds and Mrs. E. McCloud of this place were shopping in Oregon City on Thursday of this week.

F. T. Gray has a crew constructing a new telephone line south over Peets mountain.

NEEDY.

Haying is the chief occupation at present.

Lewis Spaglia bought several tons of excellent hay from Ruby Zimmerman.

Mrs. William Hot, of Sumpter, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mohr, spent a few days with Mrs. Chas. Molson.

Mrs. Zoo Fish-Elliott did some sewing for her mother during the past week.

Quite a few from here attended the Chautauqua at Gladstone, Sunday.

Miss Laura Koehler visited friends here last week.

Grove McGonagal and family visited at Butteville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stuart of Woodburn, visited Needy Friday and Saturday.

Miss Clara Kropf is home again after a stay in Aurora.

Glen McGonagal spent the past week with relatives on French Prairie.

Rudy Ritter is helping Dave Yoder in the hay field.

Miss Mabel Aokerson is staying at Aurora.

Mrs. Molson made a business trip to Portland during the past week.

Peter Price helped Sam Miller haul hay for a few days.

MARKS PRAIRIE.

There is a large amount of hay out in the fields here and our farmers are doing their best to get it in the stack, as it looks like rain.

Geo. Rieck lost one of his fine big work horses Sunday night. It fell into one of his wells and was dead when he found it. He had refused two hundred dollars for it several times this spring.

Geo. Oglesby and sons will start for the coast the first of next week. They will go with a team to Nostucca and will be gone about two weeks.

The long fight over the Oglesby road is over and the road is granted. Some of the petitioners will give a big salute when the old dilapidated gates are taken out of this road.

Some of our fishermen went to Molalla Sunday and report poor luck. They say there is not a trout to be had in the river.

Charley and Frank Oglesby, have the swiftest buggy on the line and make some of our common buggies look like thirty cents in a poker game.

The social party at John Mordhauser's Saturday evening was a big success. Good music was furnished by Oglesby Bros. All had a fine time. A delicious lunch was served at midnight and dancing was kept up till a late hour. There were present about thirty invited guests.

Ralph Gribble is expected home this week. He was taken sick at Chelonia, Wash., where he has been employed in the electric power plant. It is feared he has the typhoid fever.

We are pleased to note that Sam Gribble is about well again.

CANBY.

Harrison Blair of Canby has torn down his old washhouse and has several men engaged at present building a new one which will be much larger.

Mr. Fisher is very poorly at present. He has been sick for several days, but is reported as being some better at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Jones of Eldorado were visiting John Burns and wife one day last week.

Joy Fellows treated his friends to ice cream on the Fourth.

Jake Smith and family, Warren Kendle and family, Mr. Southern and family spent the Fourth on the Molalla river. They took their lunch with them and stayed all day and had a good time.

Mrs. Wheeler's sister, who lives in Portland, is visiting Mrs. Wheeler.

Mr. Meeks has the largest tomato patch in this section.

Mr. Hurst of Aurora has been surveying here lately for the flume for his electric plant.

Frank Kendle has gone to the mountains for a few days.

Warren Kendle is doing some painting for Ed Bradle.

STAFFORD.

We have eaten the strawberries and now enjoy raspberries, raspberries, cherries and other small fruits.

Mr. Harris is building an addition to his barn to accommodate his cows.

The clover crop was immense, and the second growth is coming on fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed White and young son and Mrs. J. Q. Gage and four children are visiting at Mr. Gage's.

Mrs. Bea Gage and Mrs. Powell drove to Oregon City last week for the day.

Henry Todemeyer lost one of his horses on Tuesday, and that night some low-minded person stole all the steak he had prepared for the next day's delivery, as he is delivering meat every Wednesday.

CLARKES.

There was quite an excitement at the ball game last week, when the grand stand was partly pulled down upon two young ladies that were seated underneath. Someone had tied his horse to one of the upright posts or supports, and the animal becoming frightened at the crackers got away

will locate in that section. Land seems to be changing hands and newcomers are showing their dislike for cyclones and are flocking to the land of plenty.

One of all kinds are later than usual and the farmer will take his medicine in hot weather to handle them.

CLARKES

A large crowd gathered on Children's Day, Sunday, at the M. E. church. Their attention was drawn to good singing and speaking, after which a dinner was served.

W. H. KienSmith and Alex Scherubla have laid off working at Mr. Bothmiller's during harvesting, while after harvest the building will be finished.

Dr. Somer of Oregon City was called to B. Sullivan's home Tuesday, the Sullivan children being down with scarlet fever.

The new M. E. church is newly papered. The work was done by the members of the church.

Haying is in full blast, with a heavy crop of hay where ever you go in this part of the county, and also the wheat and oats crops look fine so far.

Elmer Lee has finished planting potatoes. He is expecting to get a big yield.

HIGHLAND

Mrs. G. Fellows raised 500 pounds of strawberries this year. She looks for a better crop next year. Some of the strawberries measured nine inches around.

John Sulran and Dan Fellows were out in the mountains to see if blackberries were ripe. They were green and will not be ripe for some time. But they brought some fish back with them.

Lots of cherries this year—fine crop.

TEAZEL CREEK.

A nice little rain has visited this section, cooled the air and made it much more pleasant.

The camp meeting was well attended last Sunday. The presiding elder of the M. E. church preached two very interesting sermons morning and evening.

Rev. J. H. Quinn was thrown from a wagon while hauling hay, sustaining considerable injury and is able to work but little.

It seems the gospel is meat and drink for some people, while others prefer soda water, and instead of going where the gospel is preached they visit the Willott Springs. They might easily do both.

Arthur Carter visited Willie Quinn last Monday, it being the latter's birthday.

Mrs. Boswell, of Molalla, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Melton, in a week.

Frank Melton and wife left for east Oregon a few days ago on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Mile Fox.

NEW ERA.

Remember the Spiritualist camp-meeting is still in session and some of the best lecturers and mediums to be had are on the grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bremer of Portland are visiting at the Bremer farm.

One of our promising young ladies has been preparing rags for a carpet. But we are not going to give her away.

Geo. McArthur of Condon, Ore., is visiting relatives here.

Oliver Ferguson is suffering with an abscess in his ear.

Joe Lovick and F. C. Wirft left Tuesday for the mountains to live on venison and trout.

Nattie Bargoyno is enjoying a siege of the mumps.

Alfred L. Teru, general manager of the Home Telephone Co., of Portland, was a guest of Elmer Veteto last Thursday.

Bora, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert McArthur of Alberta, Idaho, a son on the 9th inst., making Grandpa McArthur's twentieth grandchild, six of them within the last year.

Don't forget the dance Saturday night with fine pieces of music.

Arthur Stanton of Canby was a New Era visitor Monday.

Mr. Antimony was doing business in Oregon City Tuesday.

LOGAN.

Chiffenden and Pouts have sold the farm they purchased from H. E. Cross to F. Anderson and L. Osburg.

Land buyers seem to be plentiful in the Oregon country.

Ruprecht brothers have taken homesteads in Lincoln county, near the coast and are well pleased with their claims. They spent the Fourth in Logan.

This cool cloudy weather isn't what we ordered for hay making. It seems to the writer that such weather was unknown when he was a "spring chicken."

The Clear Creek Lumber Company has shut down their sawmill and will handle logs until fall.

Peter Wilson has gone to a Portland hospital.

The Lobsters defeated the Scheubel team last Sunday, the score being 11 to 5.

LIBERAL.

Farmers are busy with their hay, as this is the middle of the hay harvest in this section.

Fall grain is turning fast and the binders will start next week to reap a fair crop.

Levi Stehman and wife are looking for a place in Salem and probably

Pen I Miller and her sister Blanche are going to school in Oregon City at present.

Some friends from Viola visited Mrs. Voho Sunday.

Haying is in full blast and the people are busy cutting and hauling.

Mrs. Martin is improving slowly from typhoid fever.

Mr. Sulphen is full with scarlet fever.

Pearl McShery and Bert Maltoon were married last Sunday.

SMYRNA.

Mowers, rakes and hay wagons are more in evidence here than all other kinds of implements or vehicles combined.

J. B. Yoder and Miss Dagmar Rasmussen attended Chautauqua last Saturday and Sunday.

Last Tuesday the logging train was delivering logs to the mill here—four 16-foot logs at a load, the smallest measuring 36 inches in diameter.

Everybody and his neighbor attended the camp meeting at Glad Tidings last Sunday. The grove there is an ideal place for such a gathering, and the services are excellent.

Harvest was begun in this section last Monday. Albert Eyeman was cutting a field of winter barley for L. D. Yoder. He was trying a new Deering binder bought of Robbins Bros., Molalla, Ore.

At 11:45 a. m. Monday we had a regular eastern thunder storm, the rain lasting twenty minutes, being enough to lay the dust and dampen the hay.

J. S. and A. L. Yoder shipped dressed logs to Portland last Tuesday. Elmer Wornshil raised the frame of a new barn last Friday.

COLTON.

The weather has been in favor of the farmers, which they are making good use of in making hay.

Mr. Erickson, who had been improving his place for some time, left for Portland last week, where he intends to go work in the Rolling mills.

John Countryman took a trip to Oregon City Saturday and returned Sunday.

U. S. Dix was quite busy cutting hay around the neighborhood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Randle, who have been at Highland for some time, left for their ranch in the mountains last week.

Miss Edna Clark, who had been at Oregon City, came home to spend the Fourth and visit her parents for a while.

The first automobile traveled the Colton "streets" with ten passengers last week.

Alfred Wall took a pleasure trip to the coast week before last. He enjoyed it immensely.

Mr. Anderson has purchased a new Walter A. Woods binder and mower.

Mr. Lundell and family have gone to eastern Oregon to begin harvesting, as they own property there. They will return to Colton again after harvesting is over.

A. B. Countryman hauled a load of shingles to the prairie last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beck were visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Countryman, last Sunday.

Misses Minnie and Effie Grace left for Chautauqua last week.

Mrs. J. A. Stronggreen was visiting at Mrs. Tagg's last Sunday.

WOODBURN.

Woodburn has been visited by a small rain which did some good.

Logan berry picking is the general

WILSONVILLE.

The Willamette ball team was defeated on gut diamond Sunday by a score of 5 to 10.

Sherwood White Sox defeated the Union Meat Co. team 3 to 4 on the Sherwood diamond Sunday.

W. F. Gramam and Ward Alden were guests in our midst three days this week.

Joe Thornton's new residence is nearly completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flynn have moved to their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stroop are camped here for the summer. Mr. Stroop is working on the gravel train.

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational church of Hood View are to have a church fair at their grove at Hood View on the afternoon and evening of August 12. All are invited to attend, as well as to contribute to the stock for sale. Anything useful or ornamental is acceptable.

Very few in our midst are attending the Chautauqua this season, owing to the late hay and cherry crop.

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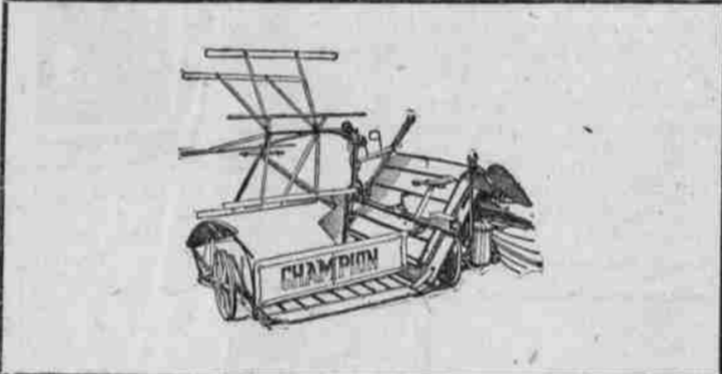
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