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# Grocery News

Sugar has advanced but we are still selling 17 pounds for \$1.00  
Fine new Walnuts per lb. .20c  
New crop white beans per lb. .5c  
Pure N. Y. Buckwheat Flour, sack 45c  
Fat juicy Prunes, per lb. .5c  
Fine sweet country Butter per roll 65c  
Imported Herring per keg \$1.10

# Harris Grocery

## MODEL ORCHARD S TE PLEASES MOLALLA

### GROWERS IN SOUTH CLACKAMAS NEED TO BE SHOWN AS ELSEWHERE.

Arthur Kayler's farm in South Molalla has been selected for one of the county model orchards, and there will be a practical showing how to do things in the connection of raising apples, and indeed, this location needs to be "showed" as much as any other in the county, judging from the fruit on sale. This particular location is a good one and a fair average for the whole section of South Clackamas county, and Mr. Kayler is as good a man as could have been selected to have charge of such an orchard. He will take an interest in the carrying out to completion the routine work of cultivation. And Molalla should congratulate herself that she has secured this practical demonstration on Big Red Apple growing.

Another blow visited this locality Monday night, accompanied with some

rain. Tuesday morning was the calm after the storm.

Toasel Creek had quite a pleasant time on account of a basket social Friday night at the school house. Although it rained very hard the house was well filled. Baskets sold well bringing a snug sum to the credit of the school.

Judge G. B. Dimick gave our town a call Saturday on his return from "Over the River."

The good folk of Diekey Prairie District came into assembly Saturday and voted a five mill road tax and now they justly want the Robbins hill graded on this side of the river.

Have you paid your assessment yet to the Bounty club? If you have, you are still ahead of the hounds, as there have been something like a dozen wolves killed.

Some of Vaughan's dogs have the distemper. One will probably die. John Vaughan has bought him a race horse in order to be able to keep in hearing of the Kentucky hounds in a chase.

Ogle Creek Mining company had the misfortune to lose their cabin by fire recently. J. V. Harless was sailing about Monday morning to start in supplies for the men at the camp.

F. C. Perry is building new walks about the premises. T. A. McFaddin is assisting on the job.

## OFFICERS ELECTED BY FIRE FIGHTERS

### CATARACT HOSE COMPANY BOYS CHOOSE LEADERS—JUSTICE STIPP BORN LUCKY.

The fire boys of Cataract Hose company No. 2, held their annual business meeting Tuesday evening in their hall. President W. A. Dimick called the meeting to order and Howard Latourette was appointed secretary protem.

The regular routine of business was gone through and following officers were elected: H. Stratton, president; E. Bailey, vice-president; Sam Stowe, secretary; Chas. Hannerford, treasurer; E. A. Leighton, foreman, C. E. Ramsby, 1st assistant; D. E. Frost, 2d assistant.

Justice Livy Stipp, who had been elected to become one of the members of the Cataract at a previous meeting, was present. The boys thought best to be lenient with him and the initiating degree was not given. "Pat" Finucane, who had been dropped from the roll of the company some time ago, was denied the right of coming before the members of the company to show cause of his actions towards rules of same.

A number of the boys of Fountain Hose No. 1 were present and Cox, Cannon and Williams responded in a pleasing manner when called upon for a few words. The rest of the evening was devoted to refreshments.

## NUMBER OF FARM CHANGES AT SHUBEL

Shubel, Dec. 11.—Godfred Moehcke lost one of his best horses last week. Otto Moehcke has been operating his shingle mill again.

Miss Elnora Ginter was home on a visit Thanksgiving day.

Annie Grossmiller has returned home after a pleasant visit with her sister in Portland.

Henry Hettman lost one of his colts Friday while trying to break it to ride. It took a somersault, struck on its head breaking its neck.

I am informed that one our good churchmen here hung a dog a short time ago. That is not only sinful, but a very brutal way of killing a dumb brute.

Martin Dosecher has rented Michael Moehcke's farm. Daniel Guenther is building a house on his place.

James Beeson has gone to Eastern Oregon to look after his property there.

Charley Kirk has moved into Chris Moehcke's house near Fred Moehcke's old mill.

Mr. Vollman has moved on his farm, known as the old Martin place.

David Moehcke and wife visited Christ Moehcke and family, Sunday. G. A. Schubel made a business trip to Oregon City one day last week.

Robert Ginter has purchased an Edison phonograph.

## 7 WALNUT TREES NET OWNERS \$105

### New Era Woman Proves Handsome Income Possible From Few Bearers.

To those who watch and take interest in the market, the crop of walnuts which has recently been sold by Mrs. Herman Ankeney of near New Era will show that there is money in planting walnut trees.

Samples of the crop were brought to Barlow's and were indeed fine specimens.

Mrs. Ankeney collected the crop of seven trees which netted her \$15 per tree. However she could at present have sold at a better price as walnuts have lately advanced 3c per pound and are now selling at 18c.

Mr. Swallow of Mt. Pleasant is also another extensive grower of walnuts in this vicinity.

## CEMETERY SIDEWALK IN BAD CONDITION

### BROKEN BOARDS AND PROTRUDING NAILS ENDANGER PEDESTRIANS—VIEW NEWS.

Mountain View, Dec. 13.—A good many of our beautiful evergreens have been taken from the forest here to make the children happy in Cali-

fornia, where they will be used as Christmas trees.

The Union Sunday school at this place will have their Christmas tree at the church here on Saturday evening, December 22.

The prospect of having Duane street provided with a respectable sidewalk is welcomed. A sidewalk is something very much needed. The walk to the cemetery is in a demoralized condition and the fence along the street has a dilapidated appearance and keeps one dodging nails and broken boards. This sidewalk is used a great deal and needs to be wider and better. A walk on the north side of the street and the mud hole at the scale house filled in and crushed rock for the distance of a couple of blocks would make the cemetery road much better.

Mrs. Gotberg, who has been in feeble health for the past two years is still quite poorly.

Joe Gerber is improving fast from the broken arm.

Mrs. Fred Currins and Mrs. Will Hall were in Portland Tuesday.

Mrs. Roehl gave a splendid dinner to several ladies who spent the day and quitted for her Wednesday.

Mr. Niles was brought to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Burley, Monday, where he can have their attention as he is quite ill with rheumatism. Dr. Stuart is attending him.

John Gerber has returned home where he will probably stay the remainder of the winter and will not work with the railroad carpenters on bridges.

Elmer Dixon is absent, attending poultry shows as judge of the prize winning birds.

Mrs. Lloyd Swan and Mrs. Roder of Portland, visited Mrs. Matchett, Sunday.

The dramatic club is drilling for an entertainment in May's hall in the near future.

Born, to the wife of J. D. Lock, on Wednesday morning, a ten pound boy.

## SAYS HER HUSBAND BOASTS OF LIASONS

### ADA M. MANSHIP ASKS FOR DIVORCE AND ALLEGES INHUMAN TREATMENT.

Ada M. Manship has instituted suit for divorce from Albert A. Manship. The allegations are inhuman treatment rendering her life burdensome. The two were married at Walla Walla, Wash., in August, 1901. She says her husband boasted to her of consorting with another woman whom he declared he found brighter and more cheerful than his wife. The latter says she has reached the limit of endurance and wishes to obtain a divorce.

The husband is now in the state of Oregon but is a resident of Celebra, Panama. The plaintiff asks for the custody of the son, C. Stephen Manship, aged 3 years.

Enjoins Building of Barn.

Charlotte Templeton has applied to the Clackamas circuit court for injunction against the Williams Bros. Transfer Co. Complaint is instituted to stop the building of a barn for the transfer company in the residence district.

Democratic senators will oppose the confirmation of Moody as associate justice of the supreme court, because he voted aye on the bill to reduce Southern representation 15 or 20 years ago. That's what they say is the reason.

## FIRST COLLECTION OF MAIL AT 7:30 A. M.

### TIME SLIP SENT BY POSTMASTER RANDALL TO DEPARTMENT FOR APPROVAL.

The local postoffice officials are doing all within their power to perfect the collection and delivery of mails. Postmaster Randall has sent the time slips to the department at Washington to be approved, and upon their return same will be placed on the boxes.

The slips will have printed on them the time for the different collections that are to be made through the days of the week and on Sundays. There will be three collections daily and two deliveries. The first collection will be at 7:30, while the remaining two collections are to be done when the deliveries are given.

The local office has been greatly handicapped since the delivering of the mails to the houses has been started. "Until the numbers of the houses correspond with the numbers on the plat made by the postoffice department and which is being used by the carriers, we cannot deliver the mails correctly," says Postmaster Randall. It seems that a great per cent of the mails is now being dropped into boxes bearing certain numbers while the person to whom the letter is addressed may live in a house numbered differently.

"The lack of sidewalks of this city is perhaps delaying the carriers more than any other problem that we have come in contact with," says the postmaster upon being further questioned. "The carriers often have to retrace their steps for blocks to deliver at a number across the street or cross the muddy roads." Many districts of the city where the mails are delivered are badly in need of sidewalks and the citizens would aid the local office in delivering the mails in better time, if walks are built.

## WEST OREGON CITY SCHOOLS REPORT

Report of West Oregon City schools for the month ending, December 7: First Primary—Enrollment for the month, 28; days absent, 45, times tardy, 0; pupils neither absent nor tardy, 9. Grace Robinsen, teacher. Second Primary—Enrollment, 25; days absent, 28, times tardy, 3; pupils neither absent nor tardy, 15. Albina Thibert, teacher. Intermediate—Enrollment, 18; days absent, 35; times tardy, 0; pupils nearly absent nor tardy, 6. Jessie Blanck, teacher. Bolton—Enrollment, 32; days absent 35; times tardy, 1; pupils neither absent nor tardy, 12. Clara Koerner, teacher. Advanced—Enrollment, 19; days absent, 27; times tardy, 0; pupils neither absent nor tardy, 3. T. B. KENDALL, Prin.

## LOWERS INTEREST ON SCHOOL BONDS

Oregon City school district bonds amounting to \$6000 have been ordered transferred from the east to the Bank of Oregon City by the school board. The transfer will reduce the interest from 6 to 5 per cent. The purchase of an annunciator system for the Barclay school has been authorized. It is to be used in connection with the new heating and ventilating system. New thermometers will be provided for the Barclay building.

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WHITE AND FANCY WAISTCOATS of wash materials and smartly patterned flannels at \$1.25 to 5.00  
BATH ROBES Blanket and Terry cloth in plain and fancy effects at \$4.00 to \$8.00  
SMOKING JACKETS beautiful material, handsomely trimmed at \$4.00 to \$8.00  
Christmas Cravats, Silk Suspenders in Gift Boxes, Lincen Handkerchiefs, Silk Handkerchiefs, Kid Gloves, Silk Mufflers, Suggestible Gifts for Men.  
**Price Bros.**  
THE FALLS CITY CLOTHIERS

## MYSTERY OF THE MISSING SUITCASE

Found by the Police but Name of Owner is Forgotten.

Upon the report of a missing suitcase from an unknown person, the police department had been doing some investigation during the last week. Tuesday afternoon, Chief of Police Burns was notified of a suitcase found on the hill between this city and Canemah.

When found it was in a bad condition; evidence showing that it had been broken open and no doubt several articles taken out. The case was probably taken away from some room or from the station and carried to the secluded spot where it was left after being looted. The rains of the past week, at least, had made their showing and the articles left within as well as the case itself were so drenched and damaged that they are now nearly useless.

The few articles of clothing which are now in possession of the police department can be claimed by the owner.

The name of the person who reported the loss sometime ago has been forgotten and there is no clue as to the owner. The theft was reported about the same time that a suit of clothes disappeared from a room in the Electric Hotel.

## STATE VS NASH AND GATES PRELIMINARY

### TRANSFERRED TO CIRCUIT COURT AND WILL BE HEARD NEXT APRIL.

The case of C. E. Nash and Charles Gates was brought up Wednesday morning in Justice Stipp's court. The young men had pleaded not guilty to the charge of selling teal and other game duck. Brownell and Eastman appeared for the defendadnts while Deputy District Attorney Schubel represented the state.

The case was ordered to appear before the circuit court, next April. The defendadnts were not placed under bonds.

The case created a good deal of excitement on the streets all day among the sporting fraternity and the boys had a large number of followers.

## PROBATE RECORD AND PROCEEDINGS

Letters of administration were issued to J. W. Taggart on the David Shannon estate valued at \$500.  
Estate of Thomas F. Johnson: Anna M. Johnston appointed administratrix. Valuation \$35.

## HOLIDAY VACATION FIXED BY BOARD

The board of education has fixed the Christmas vacation to continue from Friday evening, December 21, until Wednesday morning, January 2.

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