

NEWS OF THE COUNTY

STONE.

The last week has been the hottest week that we have had in Clackamas county for a long time. Aunt Emily Hattan does not improve with her disease. The doctors do not agree as to her disease, having changed doctors. The Hattans, Mumpowers, Watts and Carr expect to have their threshing done as soon as the threshers come. The Clear Creek Creamery board has commenced to grade and level the ground, preparatory to graveling the ground around the creamery. They have started to paint the dwelling house. Suppose we will have another family soon in our burr. The school building in school district No. 30, is nearing completion, and we expect to have a graded school in the future. It may come to pass yet that Clackamas County may furnish a president for Uncle Sam. Grant Mumpower and wife, John Holcomb and wife came home from Squaw lake, having gathered twenty gallons of huckleberries for each family. Here in Clackamas County we have what we call the ever-bearing blackberry, and wherever these berry vines get started and get to bearing berries, they have berries on every year. The tree grows in stony ground where the stone is very large and the berries are large and luscious. One don't have to cultivate these ever-bearing blackberry trees and don't need to go to Squaw lake to pick these berries. Walter Shepard has commenced to paint the church house. As far as he is looked it puts on a different view. Looks quite new and clean. Walter has a sister and her husband to visit him here from Chicago. Mrs. Dock Carr has word from Kansas of friends expecting to come to Oregon. The part of Kansas where Mrs. Carr's friends live has failed in crops this year. Well, Kansas has had several crop failures in the last 35 years. The Illinois people used to feed Kansas. Well, we have never known a failure here of crops in Western Oregon, especially in Clackamas County, and Clackamas County people extend a welcome invitation to homeseekers to come over on the sunny side and settle in the Oregon country, especially in Clackamas County. How would it suit some people living in this burg to have an electric railroad come in here via Chicago, and strike this burg, going clear through to Portland, Oregon?

MULINO.

It has been somewhat warm on the streets of Mulino for the past three days, and a good shower would be acceptable. Everybody and his wife that can get away to go, have gone to the huckleberry patch and the rest of the residents of Mulino would like to go. The boys are expected home from the fishing grounds next week and some of them will be glad to get home. The young ladies of Mulino have organized a club. They call themselves the B. B. Club. Lewis Churchill made a trip to Oregon City Wednesday. Mrs. J. J. Mallatt has been quite ill, but is better at the present writing. A report is current that there will be a creamery a Mulino in the near future. What has become of our electric railroad? Johnny Ericson has got able to get around on both feet again. Mr. Smith is improving his property that he bought from Mr. Wood-sides. Mr. Snodgrass has gone to the mountains on a hunting trip.

LOGAN.

Mrs. M. Frakes has returned from the hot springs in Washington, much improved in health. Peter Wilson is at home now and is much improved though he has not entirely regained his health. Albert Zimmerman is here from Missouri visiting relatives. Miss Anna Moore has been visiting at W. P. Kirchem's. Miss Moore was in San Francisco during the great disaster, but is in Portland now. Threshing is about over and grain has turned out fairly well generally, and some very good yields are reported. Tellefson's threshed 24 bushels of asiske seed for J. D. Nicolai. Some Portland potato buyers are around and offer \$1.25 per hundred. They are buying for Alaska. Do not forget our fair October 6 and 7.

She Likes Good Things.

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of West Franklin, Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it. These painless purifiers sold at Jones' Drug store. 25c."

CLACKAMAS.

The pleasant change from extreme heat to cool, showery weather is well appreciated. The face of old Mother Nature is clean and shining from its bath. The Sunday School of the two churches held a union picnic Wednesday, August 12. As there were several social events on that date the attendance was not large, but those present report a very enjoyable time. The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church gave a public reception on the afternoon of the above date, at the parsonage. The rooms were very prettily decorated. Devotional exercises were led by Mrs. M. Williams, president of the society. All joined in singing a few familiar hymns. Mrs. Williams read the ninety-first Psalm. The pastor, Rev. W. B. Moore, followed with prayer. Mrs. Williams, Mrs. W. B. Moore, hostess, and the pastor, in a few appropriate words welcomed the guests. Mrs. R. M. Kelly, retiring vice-president of the Ladies' Aid of the other church, responded. All then adjourned to the lawn, where the remainder of the afternoon was spent socially and in partaking of delicate refreshments. Thirty-nine ladies were present, and the pastor, who was evidently in the minority, but quite equal to the occasion. The Portland Colts met the Clackamas baseball team on the home grounds last Sunday. The score was 17 to 5 in favor of the Clackamas boys. Mrs. M. C. Hayward, chairman of the finance committee of Clackamas grange 298, went to Oregon City last Thursday, to pay interest and part of the first payment on the hall debt. The John Robinson place west of town, recently owned by Mr. Rudder, has been purchased by Mr. Hankins, of Oregon City, who will soon take possession. Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Mills were visiting friends in Clackamas over Sunday. Miss Isabelle Mather started last Friday to join some Portland friends on a trip east and south. They will spend two months in Kansas, and return home by way of Los Angeles. Mrs. Lena Strite was entertaining friends from out of town last week. Prospects for hop picking seem rather dull, tho' several families have expressed their intention of going some what later than usual. The old neighbors and friends of Mrs. Irving Wilson are very glad to welcome her safe return. The sad experiences she has undergone, and the long trying journey home left their impress, but her brave sweet spirit of submission has its lesson for all. Mrs. Wilson is in Portland looking for a desirable place to locate. Thornton Strite bought three horses last week. A. O. Hayward has part interest in one. Miss Pickel, principal of the Douglas City, Alaska, high school, has been visiting friends in this vicinity. The sister and sister-in-law of Rev. W. B. Moore, visited himself and family last week. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kelly left for their new home near Oak Grove last Monday morning.

CLARKES.

We had a shower of rain Monday and it delayed threshing for half a day. Sam Elmer is threshing for Fred Marshall. Sam Elmer threshed his own grain the other day and he got 3700 bushels. William Mueller had 2800 bushels of grain. Mr. Bottemiller has moved in to his new house, and seems to enjoy it. John Lichtweiss's daughter Margaret has the whooping cough. W. H. Wettiamer is digging his potatoes this week. Mr. Maddy help Mr. Bottemiller stack grain last week. Dave Miller is helping Fred Marshall thresh. Mrs. Lena Keller and two daughters, from Milwaukie, made a visit to Clarkes, to her brother, W. H. Bottemiller and family. Mr. Robinson threshed 90 sacks of oats. Mr. Rutherford helped Ben Marshall stack his grain last week. Elda Marquardt is working out in Oregon City for Mrs. Stover. William Marshall has purchased a new surry and they were out last Sunday on the street with it. Mr. Weisman has moved on his farm in Clarkes. The Bittner family went huckleberrying the other week and they got 18 gallons. Miss Minnie Glick is home again from The Dalles. Mrs. Stoud came to Clarkes from the coast to visit her son. Mr. and Mrs. Hartman were in Clarkes to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scherrubie, a week ago. Mr. Fister, of Canby, was in Clarkes selling medicine. Dix Brothers are threshing for F. Scherrubie. Mrs. Putz is helping Mrs. Scherrubie cook for the threshers. Fred Scherrubie, wife and two of

TEAZEL CREEK.

George Dart, of Portland, who has been taking a vacation here among friends and relatives, has returned to his work in Portland. Mrs. William Melton has been on the sick list this week, as a result of the recent hot weather and over work. An occasional shower serves two purposes; first to cool the air and make things more comfortable; second, to dampen up the clover so the clover hullers may have a rest. Mrs. J. H. Quinn, who has been quite sick the past week, is now getting better. Mr. Quinn will take her to the coast as soon as she is able to make the trip. Uncle William Miller is reported quite poorly this week. He has been sick for about two years. Frank Melton and wife went to Oregon City last Tuesday. C. E. Dart accompanied them. Grandma Dart is still very feeble, not being able to be out of bed at all. She has been confined to her bed for the last ten days, suffering from the effects of a fall.

MOUNTAIN VIEW.

Improvements still go on here. Ed Gotberg is still working at his house. Mr. Gerber is building on a porch and the mason is building the chimney. Rev. Molloy put down a new side walk at his house last week. He is now busy splitting his wood and putting it in the woodshed for winter. They have eight cords sawed. Mrs. Thacker is still confined to her bed. Her mother is taking care of her. Mrs. Buckley, of Gladstone, was the guest of Mrs. Nickels last Wednesday. Dr. Carrioco and wife, of Portland, were in this burg last week. They drove out to the Superior mill and spent a few days with Tom Carrioco and wife. Mrs. Hall went to the Oaks Wednesday of last week and took Frankie, Adaline and Lisle Curran to see the wonders. The carpenters are busily at work on the Eastham school house and are boarding with Mrs. B. F. Linn. Mrs. McCoy has a daughter and two grandchildren from California visiting with her. They will stay about two months. Mrs. May Dolan, and Mrs. Annie McGrath, of California, were calling on friends here last week. Mr. and Mrs. Heckart were in this burg last week. Mrs. Frank Albright made a business trip to Portland Saturday. Mrs. Minnie Faust, lately from Baker City, was visiting with her sister, Mrs. Wiley W. May, Saturday. Miss Pearl Francis went to Tualatin, Washington County, Saturday, to visit among friends. Walter Waldorf, our genial blacksmith, was on the sick list two days last week. Jack Skinner, of Milwaukie, was calling on friends here Sunday. Mrs. May Fairclough was visiting her sister, Mrs. Cromer at Springwater last week. Everhart & Hall are doing a rushing business in the shingle trade this week. Miss Winnie Jackson is on the sick list this week. Johnny White, of Canby, was in this burg Sunday and Monday. Curtis Selby is limping around with a sore foot this week. Mrs. Lon Baker's baby is still on the sick list. W. W. May and family are moving into their new house on Duane street this week. J. M. Gillett and company returned from the huckleberry patch Tuesday afternoon, reporting a pleasant time.

GEORGE.

Corn is growing rapidly these warm days and it is commencing to tassel out. Most all the grain has been cut and stacked. The weather has been fine for harvesting. Some threshing has been done. Wheat is of good quality and yields well, but the Spring oats are rather light, owing to the hot weather just before it ripened. Potatoes are of a fine quality, but are not very large. George Judd and family, of Eagle Creek, were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt last Sunday. Mrs. C. Whitney, of Hubbard, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Schmidt. Mrs. Robert Miller made a flying trip to Portland last Thursday afternoon. C. Miller, of Viola, is visiting his brother Bob this week. Leo Rath, of Kelso, is spending his vacation with his brother, Peter. Hans Paulsen and son Julius are out here looking after their farm. Nick Scheel has commenced to run his threshing machine. As Nick is quite a independent man he has his own machine. Miss Irene Paulsen, from the city, is visiting her parents. George Eller, of Portland, has returned home, after spending part of his vacation with his friend, Mr. Weiderhold, of Blissell. Picnic is Given by Jennings Lodge People. A picnic was given on Thursday of last week by a number of Jennings Lodge people. The party went in boats across the river from the old Jennings homestead, and the day was pleasantly spent. At noon a basket dinner was enjoyed. Present were Mrs. Painten and three children, Mrs. Roberts and three children, Mrs. Emmons, Mrs. Fred Terry, Sybil Olson, Veri Olson, Annie Gardner, Allan Brown, Thelma Gilman. If you take Kodol in the beginning the bad attacks of Dyspepsia will be avoided, but if you allow these little attacks to go unheeded it will take Kodol a longer time to put your stomach in good condition again. Get a bottle of Kodol today. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

ONLY FIVE FAILURES FROM 78 APPLICANTS

TEACHERS GIVEN CERTIFICATES TO INSTRUCT YOUNG IDEA HOW TO SHOOT.

County Superintendent of Schools, T. J. Gary has announced the list of successful candidates for county papers, and reports only five failures out of a total of 78 applicants. There were 25 teachers who will receive first grade certificates, and this number is in excess of any previous examination in Clackamas County, probably due to the fact that the teaching profession is gradually becoming more desirable and better paid, so that young men and women remain in harness longer than before. The semi-annual county examinations lasted four days. Twenty-one second grade certificates were issued and 27 third grade. The successful applicants follow: First grade—Edna Gard, Emille Shaw, Francis M. Gill, Estella Nile, M. A. Critser, Ellen Brobst, Emmi Bluhm, Lou Albee, Emily K. McElroy, Ossie H. Endicott, Mae A. Egge, M. Flora Bertram, Cora Parr, Elsie Morris, Mary Strange, Pearl G. Carlidge, J. P. Ritter, O. E. Ramsey, T. J. Gill, Emily Spulak, Blanche E. Miller, Josephine Moe, Margaret Watenpaugh, Bronte Jennings, Martha Koerner. Second Grade—Pearl Sloyers, W. L. Snidow, Nellie L. Miller, Fredberg Hult, Mary A. Scott, Arvilla Anderson, Susie Gribble, Ethel Strong, Florence O. McElroy, Theo Eulalia Snyder, Even Applegate, Eva Applegate, Ora Little, Clara Lau, Erma Shibley, Edith Hargreaves, Alma O. Husely, Elizabeth Bradbury, Elsie Hatz, Avis Buchanan, Lena Kester. Third grade—Rosa Moehneke, Elva Watts, Emery French, Nellie Johnson, Margaret MacDonald, Lucy Mitts, Nellie Richardson, Lulu Miller, Elsie Ramsey, Myrtle May Park, James F. Dibley, Flossie W. Churchill, Cora Yocum, Anna Solite, Mabel Hodges, Leal Stevenson, Mabelle Mills, Roy Ross, Myrtle Purcell, Jake Mitts, Anna MacDonald, Mabel Seward, Pearl E. Miller, Mary Sunderland, Winnie F. Jackson, Mabel F. Francis, Clarice Zumwalt. MT. PLEASANT GIVES SOCIAL. Mt. Pleasant Civic Improvement Club Social a Success. The lawn social given by the Mount Pleasant Civic Improvement Club on Wednesday evening of last week was a complete success. The affair was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Warnock. The lawn was brilliantly lighted with colored Japanese lanterns and during the evening the Oregon City Band furnished music. A musical and literary programme was well rendered, which was the following: Dialogue, "Only One more But-

ton." Nelta Dixon and Margaret Sweeks; recitation, "Politeness," Leona Kellogg; vocal duet, Miss Ova Marrs and Miss Wilmah Myers; instrumental solo, Mrs. E. H. Peace; tableau, "Patriotism," Leona Kellogg, Merl and Lyle Yexley. Graphophone music was one of the features of the evening's entertainment. The ladies in charge of the affair were Miss M. L. Holmes, Mrs. A. C. Warner, Mrs. J. M. Warnock, Mrs. Hyatt and Mrs. Warham.

EDUCATORS AT INSTITUTE. Prominent Pedagogues Will be Heard at Oregon City November 4-6.

The Clackamas County Teachers annual institute in this city Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, November 4, 5, and 6, will be marked by the presence of lecturers and instructors who have not been heard in Oregon City. One of these is Lewis R. Alderman, who was city superintendent of the agency public schools last year, and now a member of the faculty of the

University of Oregon. Miss Cornelia Marvin, secretary of the state library commission, has been assigned the topic of geography. Other educators that County Superintendent of Schools Gary hopes to secure are L. R. Traver, head of the teachers' training department of the Oregon State Normal School at Monmouth, President W. J. Kerr, of the Oregon Agricultural College, J. H. Ackerman, state superintendent of public instruction, and Miss Greer, head of the domestic science department of the Corvallis College.

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