

Canby and Southern Clackamas

CANBY.

Many people of this section of the county have gone to the hopfields for their annual outing. The hops are in good condition, and the crops are much better than paid last year, this being two inducements for the pickers. The south bound train from Portland on Tuesday morning was filled with people bound for the hop fields. The watermelon season has opened here, and the melons are of delicious flavor. Canby melons, having a far and wide reputation for their delicious flavor, sell rapidly and at a good price. Mr. Cummings and Adam Knight, two of Canby's prominent melon raisers, brought in wagon loads on Tuesday. Peaches are a large crop this year, and some are retailing for 50 cents a bushel. The fruit is of a delicious flavor. Canby can boast of raising the best peaches and melons that are shipped into the markets. The soil is well adapted for the raising of fruit of this kind.

Fred Shafer, of the Shafer Lumber Company, was in Portland Wednesday on business. Mr. Shafer purchased new machinery for his plant, and intends to install a large lumber plant in this city in the very near future, providing that the Canby Canal Company installs a canal so as to float the lumber. The output of the mill will be about 75,000 feet per day.

Services were held in the Christian church on Sunday morning and evening by the Rev. T. A. Wood. The services were well attended. Rev. Wood will again hold services here on the third Sunday of the month. Rev. Wood resides at Parkplace, and recently came to Oregon from Oklahoma.

There will be no services at the M. E. church on Sunday, September 5, owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. J. Weber, who will preach both morning and evening at Caras. Ruby Smith, who has been connected with the Carlton & Rosenkrans store for the past four years, has severed his connection with that firm, and has accepted a position with the V. Harris grocery store in Oregon City. Mr. Smith, who was one of the most congenial clerks of the city, will be missed by his large number of friends in this city.

Mrs. Andrew Knight and father, J. F. Devoy, were in Oregon City on business the latter part of the week.

Miss Hattie Hutchinson, who was one of the successful young ladies in the recent contest of the Oregon City Enterprise, writes that she and the other young ladies who went to Long Beach and who are enjoying an outing at the Hotel Breakers at the expense of the Enterprise, are having a most enjoyable time. The young ladies will return home Sunday evening. William Powers, of Scotts Mills, who formerly lived in this city, and who is at present interested in the coal mines at Scotts Mills, was in Canby the first of the week on business.

Dr. Claud Hampton, of Portland, accompanied by Chester Hodges, have been the guests this week of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hampton. Dr. Hampton will in a few weeks open office rooms at Sunnyside.

Roy Lee, of Lebanon, has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Lee. Mr. Lee formerly resided in this city, and is well known here.

The Adkins Lumber Company shipped four car loads of lumber to Matella, California, this week. The mill is running steadily turning out the big orders that are in.

Joseph Hoff, who recently purchased property at Canby Gardens, has ordered the lumber for the residence he is to erect in the near future.

Mrs. R. Z. Young, of Seattle, Wash., is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Venack, of Silverton, were in Canby last week. Mr. Venack purchased seven acres of the Canby Gardens, and will build an up-to-date residence this fall.

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John Christianson, of Portland, has purchased land in the Canby Gardens tract, and will make his home there in the near future. Mr. Christianson purchased the land through the Canby Canal Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kocher went to Portland Tuesday, and returned to Canby the following day.

M. J. Lee has made several trips to Meadowbrook during the past few days viewing the work of the Canby Canal Company.

Sam Miller, of Aurora, was in Canby on business this week.

Albert Gribble, of Mackburg, was in Canby Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney White, of Marquam, were Canby visitors this week. Misses Maud and Linnie Perry, who recently arrived from Grants Pass, where they have been making their home, and while here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Devoy, left Wednesday morning for West Superior, Wisconsin, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. J. A. Graham and daughter, Helen, Mrs. O. A. Gurley and son, Wayne, left Wednesday for Woodburn, where they will spend several weeks in the Barber hop yard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bates have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Harriet, to Mr. Earl Bowsley, which will take place Thursday evening, September 9, at 8 o'clock, the marriage to be performed at the Bates home.

Clarence Nelson, of Portland, was in Canby on Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Rauch.

Rev. W. J. Weber went to Salem Tuesday, where he went on business.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its meeting at the home of Mrs. Andrew Kocher on Friday afternoon. This being Mrs. Kocher's birthday an enjoyable time is anticipated by the members.

A. D. Padlock, the druggist, was an Oregon City visitor on Tuesday.

G. R. Hampton, of Portland, was in Canby on Tuesday, the guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hampton. Mrs. Hampton, who are chiropractors and ophthalmologists, spine and eye specialists, are located in the Dekum Building, where they are meeting with success. They are now associated with Dr. DeKeyser, who has been with the Woodard-Clarke Drug Company, of Portland for many years.

T. J. Davidson, of Portland, is in Canby this week, accompanied by his wife. Mr. Davidson is here in the interest of a cannery. Many of the residents of Canby and surrounding country are interested in this project, and if such a plant is installed here it will tend to have many of the tracts of land to be sold into smaller ones, and people will raise vegetables and fruit for canning on a large scale. Mr. Davidson has had many years of experience in establishing an enterprise of this kind.

Mrs. Henry Smith and daughter, Mrs. Rosella Lemons, and Miss Hattie Smith, left this week for Jones' hop yard near Brooks, where they will enjoy an outing for several weeks.

Mrs. John Eckerson and Miss Alma Erickson have gone to Eastern Oregon, where they will remain for several weeks visiting with relatives.

Mrs. R. E. Ritchie and daughter, Mrs. Inez Holmes, of the East, have arrived in Canby and are the guests of M. Hosford. Mr. Hosford is an uncle of Mrs. Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Perry and two children, Ora and Harold, who have been visiting in the East and also at the A. Y. P. Exposition at Seattle, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Devoy on Wednesday morning.

V. L. Carothers was a Canby visitor on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Mack and children, and Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Mack and children, who have been enjoying an outing at Long Beach, Wash., returned home Thursday. They report having had a most enjoyable time, and it is probable that they will return to the beach next season, as they were so impressed with that summer resort.

B. C. Davenport, the jeweler, was a Portland visitor on Monday. While in the metropolis he purchased a fine line of jewelry.

Emil Gordon, manager of the Gordon Brothers Company, of this city, spent Sunday at Greenwood Ranch, near Boardman Station.

Dr. C. H. Meissner, one of Oregon City's leading physicians, was a Canby visitor on Monday evening.

Lionel Gordon, of Oregon City, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gordon, of this city.

W. E. Garland, of Republic, Kansas, who has been visiting with his cousin, B. C. Davenport, of this city, left for his home on Monday morning. This was Mr. Garland's first visit to the coast, and was very much impressed with the West.

The Canby band met at the city hall on Monday evening. There was a large attendance of the members at the practice, and much interest is being taken. G. P. Scott, one of Portland's musicians, was present, and assisted in the music. Mr. Scott is arranging to give instruction in this city on band instruments. He is representing the International Conservatory of Music with his headquarters at Portland. Several of the band boys have decided to take up the course.

Mrs. E. Saltmarsh, who has been visiting with her son, W. A. Saltmarsh, returned to her home in this city Tuesday morning.

Mrs. DeLashmott and family, Miss Goldie Hinton, Miss Edna Hutchinson, Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Oathes have gone to the White hop yards at Monier, for a few weeks' outing.

Miss Bates Tended Linen Shower. One of the most enjoyable social affairs of the season was the linen shower tendered Miss Harriet Bates at her home on Wednesday afternoon, the occasion being her approaching marriage to Mr. Earl Bowsley, of Adams, Nebraska. The afternoon was spent in a social manner, and dainty refreshments were served. The affair was in charge of Miss Grace Patch, who spared no pains to make it a success. Miss Bates, who is one of Canby's popular young women, was presented with many useful and handsome linen articles.

The invitation list included: Mrs. William Knight, Mrs. Edward Braddi, Mrs. M. J. Lee, Mrs. George Fleicher, Mrs. J. S. Eckerson, Mrs. J. F. Eckerson, Mrs. Lawrence Bair, Mrs. W. H. Bair, Mrs. Andrew Kocher, Mrs. George Reese, Mrs. Claud Baty, Mrs. W. C. Clark, Mrs. H. N. Brown, Mrs. Charles T. Bates, Mrs. W. J. Weber, Mrs. William Evans, Mrs. James Evans, Mrs. T. L. Batten, Mrs. J. S. Dick, Mrs. Mary Louchan, Mrs. Grant White, Mrs. G. C. Mize, Mrs. A. D. Padlock, Mrs. Cassie Evans, Mrs. A. H. Knight, Mrs. C. Wang, Mrs. T. J. Gary, Mrs. J. F. Devoy, Mrs. A. J. Knight, Mrs. C. N. Wait, Mrs. Mary Kirk, of Portland, Mrs. Fred Hurst, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. George Koehler, Mrs. Carrie Seaton, Mrs. J. S. Patch, Miss Josie Knight, Miss Florence Snell, Miss Florence Wang, Miss Mildred Wang, and Miss Lillian Wang, Miss Grace Patch.

County Fair Near at Hand. M. J. Lee, secretary of the Clackamas County Fair Association is busily engaged in making the premium lists. Howard Eccles has been appointed assistant secretary, and he too is kept busily engaged in arranging for the opening of the fair. The fair grounds will be open to the public on Thursday, September 30. It is probable that Friday will be designated as Oregon City day. The fair will close Saturday night, but the exhibits will be left in the buildings during Sunday, and arrangements will be made to have music by the band both morning and afternoon, but there will be no horse races during this day.

The programme this year is the largest ever offered at any county fair. Herman Fowler, of Portland, who operates several concessionaries at the Oaks and at Council Crest, Portland, has arranged the fair committee to put on about 10 concessionaries, including a steam merry-go-round, moving picture shows, old plantation show, joy wheel, balloon ascension, crazy house, doll racks, cane racks, two old fashioned cidermills and other amusements will be on the grounds that will be among the drawing cards. Canby is on the Willamette racing circuit this year, and some of the fastest horses in the state will be here. Bids are out for bands to furnish the music, and already four bands of the county have been heard from. Any band organization in the county that is desirous of entering is invited to send in their application to the secretary. There will be a baseball game every day. The Maroons of Portland have decided to play during the fair.

There have been \$4000 worth of improvements made on the grounds and buildings this year, since the last fair. The buildings have been painted white, new grandstand constructed, as well as stables for the cattle. The stalls laid out, and all improvements that the Board of Directors have been able to suggest. There are excellent camping facilities in the grove on the fair ground; an ample supply of good water and good places for teams.

The Southern Pacific Company has arranged with the committee to have the south-bound in the morning and the north-bound in the afternoon stop at the fair grounds. A special rate of one and one-third fare has been granted from all points in Oregon. Everyone is invited to come out and boost for Clackamas County.

The culinary department under the supervision of Mrs. C. N. Wait, as seen by the third annual premium list of the Clackamas County fair, offers good premiums. This will be one of the best departments of the fair, and all women having such exhibits should enter them at the Clackamas county fair this year in ample time.

Church is Dedicated. There was a large attendance at the dedication services of the Norwegian Evangelical church on Sunday. The morning service was in the Norwegian language, and were in charge of Prof. Graner, of Chicago, Ill., who spoke both morning and afternoon, and evening in both English and Norwegian languages. Evangelist Sulger was also present and took part in the services as well as Rev. Falsom, of Forest Grove. At noon a dinner was served by the ladies in a tent, which had been erected for this occasion.

A subscription was taken up to defray the expense of erecting the church. Many of the people of this city donated liberally. The lot, which is worth \$120, was donated by Mr. Reese, before the church was built, about one year ago.

Salem Company Contracts for Canby Prunes. The large fruit drier north of Canby, formerly owned by the Willamette Fruit Company, but which has recently been purchased by Mrs. Frances Roth, John Samuelson, S. H. Reese and A. Abrahamson, is being overhauled, and everything put in readiness for the coming drying season.

The prune crop is the largest that has been for years, owing to the favorable season. The prunes are of good size and of excellent quality. The drier will be opened about September 15. The price for the picking of prunes this year will be from 5 to 6 cents per box.

Mr. Jones, of Salem, representing the Tillson & Company, prune buyers of Salem, was in Canby on Tuesday, and attended the meeting held by the Canby Fruit Growers. He contracted with several of the growers for their entire crop of Italian and Petite prunes, which will be about one hundred tons. The price to be paid by the company will be 4 cents for 30-35. The prunes that are bought at this point will be shipped to Europe. Mr. Jones, who has been buyer for the Tillson Company for the past four years is now one of the firm. The company has two large plants, one at Roseburg and the other at Salem.

Market Report. Chickens—old hens 15c, roosters 10c, springs 15c. Eggs 30c, butter 45c. Lard, bulk 17c. Bacon, ranch 8c to 22c. Ham, 17 to 20c. Flour, valley, \$1.50; hard, \$1.50; bluestem \$1.75. Cheese, 20c lb. Oranges, 25c (oz); lemons 25c. Peaches—\$1.25 box. Shorts, \$29 per ton; bran \$20.00; wheat 90c bush. Rolled barley, \$29 ton. Oats, \$19; hay, \$21c. Hops contract, 2c. New potatoes, 75 to 80c cwt. Sugar, (Honolulu) \$5.80 sack. Rice, fancy, 7c. Butter fat—sweet cream 35c; sour 33c. Hogs—best blockers, 11c and 12 1/2c; ordinary 9c and 10c. Veal 9c; mutton 6c to 7 1/2c. Oregon City Enterprise—\$1.50.

LOGAN. We have had strenuous times and Logan is behind again, so we will have to hustle to catch up with the procession. Mrs. Matilda Frakes was over from Wilsonville recently and visited a few days at J. S. Gill's.

Fred P. Walker, formerly of Viola, and his brother are running a butcher business at Dufur, Wasco County, and report that they are doing well as they have a monopoly of the business. Fred has done well in another way, having formed a matrimonial alliance with one of Wasco County's fair damsels.

L. H. Kirchem has returned from Idaho, where he visited several former Logan people, namely: Clem L. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith, John and Fred Bargfeld. He reports them as doing well and having good health except Peter Smith, who is just recovering from a surgical operation. The Bargfeld brothers are both married and are working in the mines.

T. Zimmerman and daughter, from Missouri, are visiting relatives here. They had spent some time in California and had been to the A. Y. P. exposition before coming to Logan. Mrs. Zimmerman, who died some time ago, was a daughter of Mrs. U. Babler.

Mrs. Frank Davey, of Grandview, Wash., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gerber.

At the last meeting of Harding Grange, the subject of naming farms was discussed. Some thought it a good thing, but it did not appeal to others. "Shall we patronize local merchants in preference to mail order houses" was thoroughly discussed and the unanimous opinion seemed to be that we should patronize home industry unless we can do better by sending away which we some time can, but more often cannot. It was explained that farmers have to meet outside competition with their products and merchants must expect to do the same.

Cutting grain and hay, threshing and baling have been going on at the same time, which made things lively, but hard to get hands enough. However it is about over now and most

all is safe under cover. Grain generally yielded well and some of it extra well. Oats made from 50 to 65 bushels and wheat from 25 to 40 bushels. Oats are generally a slim kernel but heavy anghow.

Best Treatment for a Burn. If for no other reason, Chamberlain's Salve should be kept in every household on account of its great value in the treatment of burns. It relieves the pain almost instantly, and prevents the injury of a severe one, heals the parts without leaving a scar. This salve is also unequalled for chapped hands, sore nipples and diseases of the skin. Price 25 cents. For sale by Huntley Bros. Co.

MEADOWBROOK. Threshing is in fashion at the present time and grain is good. The Misses Katie Perl and Margaret Sagar were visiting friends on Main Street Sunday.

The S. P. Railroad has an agent in town this week buying ties. Lee Adkins is moving the planer from the Schafer mill to the Noon Lumber yard, where it will operate for the benefit of the public. Frank Dodge, of Canby, is superintending the work for the Meadowbrook-Canby Canal Company. They expect to complete the grading this week. The water will be taken from the Molalla river and turned into Woodcock Creek, it will then flow of its own accord at a point near Adkins' mill and be flumed on to the Canby Prairie.

B. F. Nover and family were visiting friends in town Sunday. George Robson is rustcating in the huckleberry patch this week. There is some talk of a party operating a line of gasoline launches on the canal when it is completed. A. V. Davis and wife were visiting friends in town Sunday. The price of real estate is advancing very fast since the work on the canal is being pushed through. C. Holman and daughter, Miss Mary Alice are rustcating on the ranch this week.

The Tribe of Insect Fiddlers.

The fiddling insect tribe comprises, besides the cicadas, the katydids, crickets, locusts and grasshoppers, all of those creatures that make sounds with their wings and legs instead of with their mouths. Next time you hear a merry cricket chirp just think that it produces this pleasant, honey sound by rubbing its fore wings together. Insects of the cicada tribe have two pairs of wings, the front pair close to their heads, the back pair behind the others. The fore wing of the cicada tribe is called the elytron (plural, elytra). Crickets and the kind of grasshopper called long horned make musical instruments of their wings in this way. Locusts and short horned grasshoppers produce their sounds in another way, by rubbing their long, strong,



THE GRASSHOPPER. smooth hind legs against the edges of their fore wings. The process is much like that of a violin bow scraping across the stiff fiddle strings, though the sound made is not much like violin music.

Another queer thing about the cicada family is that they seem to have their ears stuck around almost any old place about their bodies. Crickets, katydids and the long horned grasshoppers have their organs of hearing in their fore legs. Locusts and short horned grasshoppers have theirs in their side.

There is one species of locust that has been dreaded by man from Bible times down to our day. It is called



THE MIGRATORY LOCUST.

the migratory locust because it flies through the air from place to place in numbers that cannot be counted, devouring everything except earth, rocks, solid wood and iron as it goes. This locust is not green, like the smart, spick and span grasshopper, but is of a dull, dirty color, its fore wings brown, its hind wings of a lighter shade. It is about an inch and a half in length.

How an Ostrich Eats Oranges. At the Caverton ostrich farm in North Pasadena, Cal., there is a veteran bird called Emperor William. The Emperor makes a daily practice of catching in midair oranges which are thrown to him and gulping them down whole. He has been known to have as many as a dozen of the big round fruit going down his slim neck at once, making the latter look not unlike a string of immense beads. Although he has on several occasions eaten as many as thirty-five or forty oranges in succession, he is in good health at the ripe ostrich age of twenty-three years. The food seems to agree with him.

Nonsense Rhyme. There was an old person of Bree, Who frequented the depths of the sea. She nursed the small fishes And washed all the dishes And swam back again into Bree.

A Bottle Trick. Remark to the assembled company that you can get vinegar out of a bottle if you have no corkeraw and if you do not break the bottle or put a hole in the cork. Solution: Push the cork into the bottle.

Near Death in Big Pond. It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering," she writes, "and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's New Discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years." Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in Coughs and Colds, Sore Throats, Hemorrhages, LaGrippe, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough and all Bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Jones Drug Co.

Poultry at the A. Y. P. Exposition

By Bertha M. Story, Commissioner of Poultry for Oregon.

The time for making entries for the big show has been extended to September 10. This is a boon to the fancier who has a lot of chicks that were not hatched just as early as they should have been. There is nothing more provoking than to send in your entry and leave out two or three beauties that are "too small" and have them suddenly develop into your finest specimens after the entries are closed. I hope to see a fine exhibit from Clackamas County. A good exhibit from Oregon is already assured. We cannot hope to equal Washington in numbers, but wait until the ribbons go up, and see where the big prizes go. The Oregon exhibit will be a "quality" show. Let every poultry man do his duty and the Beaver State will be covered with glory. The Beaver, you know, does not talk a great deal, but when he gets busy the wood piles up pretty fast.

Spratts Co. L. of New Jersey, will coop and feed the birds in Seattle. They have handled the largest shows in Europe and America, and the birds will be well cared for. George D. Holden, Owatonna, Minn., Sharp Butterfield, Winslow, Ontario, Canada; F. H. Shellabarga, West Liberty, Iowa; W. C. Ellison, Minneapolis, Minn.; Henry Berran, San Jose, Cal.; S. T. Campbell, Mansfield, Ohio; Charles V. Keller, Winawa, Indiana are the poultry judges. William Stonehouse, of Vancouver, B. C., will judge pigeons.

We can be sure that the judges really know a Bantam from Barred Rock, without the labels. They are men of national reputation and will judge the birds No. doubt. If there are a thousand exhibitors at Seattle each one had a "special" preference in judges, but every one cannot get just what they want every time.

All the same, we must get in and work for a big show. The regular premiums are certainly well worth going after. The entry fee for single birds is \$1.00, for pens \$4.00. But for single birds the first premium is \$4.00, the second is \$2.50, the third is \$1.00, for pens the first prize is \$10.00, the second is \$6.00, the third is \$3.00.

The Poultry Gazette of Nebraska offers a splendid silver cup for best cock, cockerel, hen, pullet and pen in the show room.

The Bon Marche, Seattle, Wash., offers a \$100 cup for best display in the American Class. The L. L. Moore Co.

Jewelers, offers a \$50 cup for the largest and best exhibit of Asiatics. The Pacific Poultryman, Seattle, offers a \$50 cup for the best display of Mediterranean. E. J. McClanahan, Eugene, Oregon offers a McClanahan Incubator (150 egg size) and brooder for the best display in the English Class. The Seattle Seed Company, Seattle, Wash., offers a 150 egg size Cyprian Incubator for a large and best exhibit of Polish.

The Northwest Poultry Journal, Salem, Oregon, offers a \$50 cup to the exhibitor winning the greatest number of first prizes on all standard varieties of poultry and waterfowl.

The Northwest Poultry Journal, Salem, Oregon, offers a silver cup for the best display of Oregon bred birds.

The Portland Seed Company, Portland, Oregon, offers a Lee Fireten Brooder for the best display of Oregon bred birds.

The Fisher Thorsen Co., Portland, Oregon, offers two gallons Avenarius Carbolinum for second best display and one gallon Avenarius Carbolinum for third best display of Oregon birds.

The Charles H. Lilly Co., Seattle and Portland, offers one sack of Holly Chick Feed for best display, one sack of Holly Scratch Feed for second and one sack of Holly Mash Food for third best display of Oregon bred birds.

The Acme Mills Co., Portland Ore., offers 100 pounds of chick feed for best of Oregon birds in Polish, Asiatic and Game Classes. Also 100 pounds scratch feed for best display of French, Bantam and Turkeys, from Oregon.

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