

CANBY AND SOUTHERN CLACKAMAS

CANBY.

During the three days' session of the Clackamas County Fair Canby has been besieged with visitors, many who have come for miles to enjoy a day or three days' viewing the fine lot of exhibits and the horse races. By Monday afternoon most of the exhibits had been removed from the building and taken either home or given away by the exhibitors. The Oak Grove Improvement Club, having one of the finest exhibits in the building, gave most of their vegetables and fruit to some of the people of Canby.

A. D. Paddock went to Portland on Monday, and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Paddock on his way home.

Mrs. Grant White left for Salem on Tuesday, where she visited for a few days with friends.

Mrs. C. H. Fear, of Corvallis, arrived in Canby on Saturday and spent Sunday with her husband, who came here to establish a quarry for the Corvallis Creamery Company.

Mrs. W. R. Porter and Mrs. M. G. Brewer, of Hood River, left on Monday afternoon's train for Portland, and from that city they will go to Hood River, where they are delegates to the W. C. T. U. convention, which convened at that city Tuesday. The session will last three days.

Miss Helen Daulton, of Oregon City, who has been visiting with Miss Ivah Gordon, has returned home.

M. J. Lee went to Oregon City on Tuesday afternoon on a business trip. Mrs. J. C. Paddock, has returned to her home, after a visit with her son, J. C. Paddock, and wife, and was among the county fair visitors.

Mrs. Jennie Eccles spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in this city, returning to Portland on Sunday evening's train.

Mrs. William Dann, of Gladstone, was among the Canby visitors during the fair time, and while here was the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Cantwell.

Mrs. S. Lindsey, who recently returned from Seattle, Wash., where she spent the summer, left on Sunday evening for Salem, where she will visit her mother for a few days. Mrs. Lindsey and her husband have come to Canby to spend the winter. Mr. Lindsey is to have charge of several race horses on the county fair track.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson and two children and Miss Harriet Cochran came up from Portland on Sunday by auto and attended the county fair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cheney, Miss Ethel Cheney, Miss Edith Cheney, Miss Bease Daulton and Miss Helen Daulton formed an automobile party that came from Oregon City to attend the county fair on Saturday.

William Cantwell, who has been ill for the past three weeks with stomach trouble, is able to be at his post of duty in his real estate office.

Mrs. Emma Burgoine, who was called to this city by the serious illness of her father, Captain James Evans, has returned to her home in Portland.

W. W. Jesse, of Barlow, was in Canby on Monday, having come here to get his farm produce that was among the Barlow exhibit at the county fair.

S. Lindsey went to Molalla on a business trip Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers and daughter, Miss Nellie, and son, Milton, have arrived in Canby, and after a few days spent at the Cottage Hotel, have moved to their farm, which they recently purchased. At present they are enjoying camp life, but will soon erect a handsome bungalow.

Mrs. L. D. Ewing, of Lyle, Wash., who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lee, returned to her home on Sunday evening. James Jasper and son, of Kelso, Wash., are visiting with relatives in this city.

C. W. Damm went to Salem on a business trip on Sunday evening, returned to Canby Tuesday. Mr. Damm recently sold his farm at Macksburg, the buyer being J. W. Eby, of Nebraska. Mr. Damm and Mr. Stewart have purchased a traction engine and have installed it in the sawmill on the Heinz place. The engine is of the latest improvement and already these men have contracts on for the cutting of timber. Mr. Damm will dispose of his photo gallery at this place, where he has built up a large trade. In connection with the gallery he has one of the finest collections of postal cards in the city and a printing outfit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray, of St. Paul, who have been in Canby during the county fair, have returned to their home. Mr. and Mrs. Ray will make their home in Canby the coming winter, the former having several head of horses he intends wintering on the race track of the county fair grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Shire, of Marquam, have been in Canby the past week. Mrs. Shire on Monday morning left for Silverton, where she will visit with her mother, while her husband is at The Dalles with his race horses.

Miss Lilla Lucke, of Portland, who has been visiting with her brother, William and Carl Lucke, of this city, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Alice Higginbotham and daughter, of Anvora, were among the Canby visitors last week. What's in this city they were the guests of Mrs. Cassie Evans.

Mrs. B. Lee Paget and Mr. Gertzen,

of Oak Grove, were in Canby on Monday, having come here to take back the exhibits of the Oak Grove Improvement Club.

Mrs. Henry Sessel, Miss Ethel Sessel and Mr. Richardson, of Portland, spent Sunday in this city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lee.

Lionel Gordon, of Oregon City, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Gordon. Miss Grace Clemens and Miss Kate Newbury, of Portland, spent Sunday in this city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kocher. Oren Cheney, of Oregon City, was also a guest at the Kocher home on Saturday.

A coroner's inquest was held in this city on Saturday morning over the remains of M. C. McGregor, who committed suicide in the office of the Canby Canal Company on Thursday afternoon. The verdict of the jury was that death was caused by a gunshot wound by his own hand. The death of Mr. McGregor in this city, caused a deep sorrow, as the man was well known and liked by a large circle of friends he made during his brief residence here. He was always of a jovial disposition, and his death was a great shock to all. Mr. McGregor was troubled with nervousness recently, and had just returned the night previously from a trip to British Columbia, where he had gone for the benefit of his health. On Thursday afternoon McGregor visited the county fair, and one hour afterwards he shot himself, lingering for 10 hours after the deed was committed. Mr. McGregor had recently published for the company "The Call of the Soil," a neat booklet on the advantages of the soil of Canby and vicinity. The remains of the deceased have been taken to Oregon City by Coroner Holman, who is holding it in the morgue until his brother arrives from Canada.

W. S. Coe and W. T. Coe, accompanied by their wives, of Minneapolis, Minn., who have been visiting with their brother, R. S. Coe, in this city, have returned to their home, and were much impressed with Oregon. W. S. Coe is interested in a 1000 acre orchard, at White Salmon. Twenty thousand apple trees will be planted this fall, and Mr. Coe expects to return West in the Spring to make his home.

Mrs. Sarah McTimmons, of Lebanon, accompanied by her three children, who are visiting with the former's brother, Sherman Barney, at Lin's Mill, attended the fair, and was accompanied by her nephew, Carl Barney.

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SUICIDE OF CANBY MAN.

Geo. N. McGregor Takes His Own Life by Revolver Route.

George N. McGregor, a Canby real estate man, who has been acting as advertising representative of the Canby Canal Company, committed suicide at Canby Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock by shooting himself through the head with a 25-calibre revolver. He had been in poor health and only recently returned to Canby from a sanatorium. McGregor came to Canby six months ago from Spokane, Wash. He was a native of London, Ont., Canada and it is understood he had no relatives on this coast. He was well liked at Canby.

MOUNTAIN ROAD.

Straw baling is about over and the next work on hand is plowing and potato digging, which will start in full blast now in a short time.

Julius Strassburg, of Dead Man's Valley, has been hauling straw from this berg to his barn the last week. Otto Magnusen, who has been working near Salem for the past month, has returned home. Mr. Magnusen lives on the farm belonging to Mr. Stowe, of Portland.

Louis Koellmeier and Gus Gebhardt went to Portland to attend to business matters Wednesday.

John Kaiser and wife left Wednesday for Seattle to attend the A. Y. P. exposition and from there will make an extended tour through California and will most likely be gone the greater part of the winter.

Quite a large crowd from Mountain Road attended the auction sale at Mr. Leisman's place Tuesday.

Miss Cora L. Eddy, of Portland, is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Cora Hodge.

Fred Baker, formerly of this place, who has been working at Monmouth during the summer, has returned home to attend high school in Oregon City.

Miss Anna Hodge went to Portland Saturday to visit relatives for a short time.

John DeNeul is digging potatoes this week. A merry crowd of young folks of this place attended the county fair at Canby Friday, reporting a splendid time.

Mrs. A. J. Hodge and niece, Miss Cora Eddy, were the guests of Mrs. Louis Koellmeier Thursday afternoon.

J. H. Elsie and wife and daughter, Miss Alice, were Oregon City visitors Wednesday.

John Wadley spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Louise Christensen.

Mrs. L. Koellmeier spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. B. F. Baker, of Willamette.

Horace Allen, of Portland, was visiting relatives of this place Sunday. Miss Elsie Elsie spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elsie.

John Ehlers passed through here Sunday on his way to Oregon City. Mr. Ehlers had the misfortune to fall from a ladder 15 feet high Monday morning, but besides a bad shaking up he was otherwise unharmed.

Mrs. Emma Boberg, of Willamette, is visiting her friend Emilie Toedtermeier for a few days.

Mrs. Hutton Axtell had some canned fruit on exhibition at the fair and she won first prize on her exhibits last year and we all wish her the same good luck this time.

Miss Mabel Hodge, who has been working in Willamette, returned home Thursday. Miss Laura Ellington will take a few days with her mother and sister. John Babsie was visiting Gus Koellmeier on Wednesday.

Mrs. Guy Cross went to Oregon City Saturday to do some shopping. Mr. and Mrs. William Kaiser went to Willamette to visit her aunt, Mrs. Rider, on Sunday.

Say, Julius, things begin to look auspicious, you buying new couches and things. Well, be sure and let us know in time to get our tin cans ready and we'll be there.

Charles Baker, who has been working in Washington, returned home today a few days with his mother and will then go to Monmouth to remain a couple of months, where he will assist his brother, Frank, in his warehouse.

GLADSTONE.

Born, to the wife of William Hammond, Tuesday morning, October 5, a son, Dr. W. E. Carl attending.

P. S. Baker returned Tuesday morning from Seattle where he has been spending a few days at the A. Y. P. exposition.

Gladstone feels very proud of its success at the county fair. This is the first time that Gladstone has been represented at the fair, but it will not be the last.

W. E. Johnson was taken to the North Pacific Sanatorium last week, and operated upon for appendicitis. At last reports he was doing favorably, and will soon be well again. Building is still going on in Gladstone the same as in the summer. George Dunmire's bungalow will soon be ready for occupancy. P. G. Wells is building a fine residence. A Jones has just finished a handsome dwelling up near the park. Mr. Mitchell is also building a new house. Guy LaSalle is soon to commence work on his bungalow, the foundation of which has been finished for some time.

At the Christian church in Gladstone the services on Sunday, October 10, will be as follows, morning services, 11 A. M., subject, "The Extent of the Provisions of the Gospel." Evening services, 7:45 P. M., subject, "The Extent of the Publication of the Gospel." Rev. A. H. Mulkey, pastor. There was a reception at the home of Mrs. A. F. Parker, on Tuesday, the event being her father, John J. Burgess' ninetieth birthday. Mr. Burgess is highly respected and loved by all with whom he comes in contact. The reception was held from three to five in the afternoon and from seven to nine in the evening, during which time there was about one hundred who came to wish Mr. Burgess a happy birthday. Many gifts were presented.

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The establishment of a factory for the manufacture of safes and vaults is contemplated in Oregon City by the Davis Safe and Lock Company of Portland and a preliminary meeting was held last week in the Commercial Club rooms, where a number of representatives business men met with C. B. Mitchell and J. E. Davis, president and vice president, respectively, of the company, which holds the Portland agency for the Diebold Safe & Lock Co., of Canton, O., and the Syracuse, N. Y. It is the intention of this company to build a factory in the Northwest and manufacture safes and it is stated the profit in this business is heavy, as there is an immense saving in freights which are now paid on safes coming from the East. The rate to Portland from Canton is \$1.75 per hundred pounds and on some freight is nearly as much as the cost of the safe. F. O. B. Canton.

The Davis Safe & Lock Co. has a site in Portland for its proposed factory but this site can be sold at a profit, and the company would prefer operating in a smaller city, where the labor problem would be simplified.

It is stated that a town of the size of Oregon City many of the employees would buy homes and would therefore be more likely to remain in the service of the concern.

The officials of the company presented figures and gave interesting demonstrations at the Commercial Club last night. The company has found immense deposits of a composition that will take the place of cement in the manufacture of safes and the fire proof qualities of this material are the subject for the demonstrations.

The company is capitalized at about \$250,000 and \$90,000 of this amount is paid up. The Oregon City people will have to subscribe about \$50,000 for stock to insure the company building a factory here. The factory will provide employment for 125 men. It is understood that the city of Vancouver, Wash., has an offer of a site and a bonus of \$1500 to have the institution located there. The proposition is yet in a tentative stage but an effort will be made to secure the amount desired.

The members of Company G are anticipating an enjoyable and profitable winter's routine, being well supplied with indoor target apparatus and other military paraphernalia.

LAND PRICES GO UPWARD. Values Advance Rapidly in Eastern Clackamas County.

D. W. Douglas, who was in the city Monday from Cherryville, reports a lively movement in property in the Eastern section of Clackamas County. Forty acres that cost \$550 seven years ago were sold last week for \$2350, and 75 acres brought \$2500.

Little of this land is cleared. Mr. Truman, who paid \$500 for 20 acres four years ago, is to receive \$1500 for the tract and only about one acre has been cleared. Mr. Douglas has 50 acres that he secured eight years ago for \$10 an acre and he has been offered \$5000 for his property.

Several Hood River men are buying land in the Cherryville district and they say the soil and climate conditions are very admirably adapted for fruit growing. One of these men recently purchased 120 acres and he will clear up 40 acres at once and set it out to orchard. The Mount Hood Railroad Company is putting in a big dam across the Sandy River and all of that territory is experiencing a wonderful boom.

ELMER DIXON A BUSY MAN.

Officiate as Judge of Eleven Poultry Shows This Winter.

Elmer Dixon has no less than 11 dates to fill at the various poultry shows throughout the Northwest this winter and he will be kept busy until the latter part of January. Mr. Dixon was in Seilo, Or., and Centralia, Wash., last month and was also judge of the poultry exhibit at the third annual Clackamas County fair at Canby. His other engagements follow: Dallas, Or., Nov. 30-Dec. 3; Clarkston, Wash., Dec. 17-19; North Yakima, Wash., Dec. 13-15; Portland, Or., Dec. 20-25; Bellingham, Wash., Dec. 28-Jan. 2; Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 4-8; Wenatchee, Wash., Jan. 10-15; Victoria, B. C., Jan. 17-24.

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