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CANBY AND SOUTHERN CLACKAMAS

CANBY.

Miss Hattie Mayer, of Portland, has come home for a two weeks' vacation. Miss Mayer is working for the Wonder Millinery Company.

Roy Knight went to Newberg on Saturday.

M. Hosford is reported to be very ill.

Mrs. O. R. Mack was brought back from the St. Vincent's Hospital, where she has been for two weeks. She is improving rapidly.

Roy Ross, who is teaching school in District No. 10, near Molalla, is visiting schools in Canby Monday. Roy's friends are pleased to hear of his success as a teacher.

Mr. Baldwin, principal of Mackburg schools was a Canby visitor Saturday.

Mr. Carlton, of Portland, was in Canby on business Tuesday.

Quite a number of Canby's young folks attended the dance at Aurora Saturday night and reported a good time.

Mrs. Ivy Gordon visited friends in Oregon City Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Hanna is quite ill at her home in Canby.

Jos. Sutherland is having quite a lot of piling cut at Aurora.

The Canby Band is giving a dance at the City Hall next Saturday night February 26. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mrs. Ada Mulhollen, of Salem, is a guest of Mrs. Grant White this week.

M. S. Schrock, Deputy Food and Dairy Inspector, is in Canby this week inspecting the local dairies. He reports them, with a few exceptions, in very good condition.

Herman Colby and Ralph May, who have been working for the A. & C. R. R. Co. at Astoria, are home for a vacation.

M. J. Lee made a business trip to Portland Tuesday.

The Canby Canal Co. is surveying the canal for irrigating the district near Prunehills this week. Fred Roth is doing the engineering.

Lute Lindsey was a Portland visitor Tuesday.

The Canby Realty Co. has moved into the building recently vacated by Wm. Cantwell & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Coleman, of Carson, Washington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Balm this week. Miss Pearl Hampton went to Marquam to attend the funeral of the late Marion White.

J. Lee Eckerson was an Oregon City visitor on Tuesday.

The ladies of Canby gave a supper for the benefit of the Canby Band in the City Hall Tuesday evening. In

spite of the inclement weather a large crowd was present and every one reported an enjoyable time. Supper was from 5 to 8 P. M. The Canby Band gave a concert during the evening and ice cream and cake was served. Clarence Fellows and H. H. Eccles spent Sunday in Portland.

Clarence Haines spent Sunday with his parents in Oswego.

Avon Jesse was a Canby visitor Tuesday.

Jos. Adkins shipped two cars of lumber to California this week.

Dr. H. A. Dedman was a Clackamas visitor Saturday.

Canby's new store belonging to Messrs. Cobb & Co. has installed its goods and will have a grand opening next Friday evening. This firm has a large and complete stock of goods of all kinds. They have purchased their own property and are worthy of Canby's patronage.

The 500 club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bair Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. Lee Eckerson was a Portland visitor last week.

Cal Koehler, the poultry fancier, has imported a fine thoroughbred B. L. Cockerel from the yards of George Speight, of Hubbard, Ore.

L. D. Yoder, of Smyrna, was transacting business in town Tuesday.

Sam Casto, the horse trainer, of Salem, was a caller in Canby on Tuesday.

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Death of Adam Bany.

Adam Bany died at the home of Mrs. John Bany February 18, at the age of 84 years. Mr. Bany came to Oregon from the East in 1892 and settled at Sublimity. After living there a short time he moved to Canby with Mr. John Bany and family where he has lived ever since. Mr. Bany has lived with his son and family for over twenty years.

He leaves the following to mourn his loss: Mrs. John Bany and family, of Canby; Mrs. Jake Wourms; Mrs. Joe Sushauer, of Sublimity; Mrs. John Henry, Ohio, and Sebastian Bany, of Beaverton.

Council Meets.

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home of Albert Berg on Valentine night. About 20 were present and all report a good time.

Our primary teacher, Miss Dunn, is sick and school is closed in that room for two weeks. We hope Miss Dunn will be able to return to her school in that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, Evan-gelists, are holding meetings here. A room in the old hotel has been fixed up, seats and a stove have been put in and there will be services at 3:30 and 7 o'clock every Sunday with Sunday school at 2 P. M.

Hattie Irwin is sewing for Mrs. Wm. Beyer for a couple of weeks.

The following members of the 20th Century Grange were elected as delegates to the County Grange Convention to be held in Oregon City the second Tuesday in March: W. S. Tall, W. W. Jesse, Beattie Sheppard, alternates, Liddle L. Irwin, H. T. Melvin, Ada Andrus.

Miss Withey closed school Tuesday in honor of Washington's Birthday.

TWILIGHT.

Everyone delighted and happy over the change of the moon as good weather is expected.

Mr. Wallace J. McCard, one of Twilight's prominent young men who is employed by the Telephone company, was hurt quite badly a few days ago by falling onto a barbed-wire fence.

We will soon have new neighbors. Mr. Hoops has rented the Frank place and will move his family to this neighborhood in a few days. Mr. Hoops is a relative of C. E. Swick.

Miss Alice Boylan is making an extended visit with her Uncle, John Boylan, of Kelso, Wash.

Miss Lenette Snooks and Curtis Dodd made a business trip to Portland last week and purchased an organ for Twilight Hall.

Mr. Storms has been visiting with his nephew, Henry Scheer, of this place.

D. L. Boylan and M. J. Lazelle went to Oregon City last Monday to get the new organ. The same is in the hall and is pronounced by experts to be a fine instrument.

W. R. Snooks is quite an automobile expert. He has pulled several machines out of the mud in front of his place of late.

We all look forward to a good time at Literary tomorrow night.

D. L. Boylan is chairman of the programme committee and Miss Lenette Snooks will edit the paper. The debaters will argue the advisability of capital punishment. All are welcome to these meetings.

A good many of our people will attend the Grange at New Era tomorrow. The meeting will be open to all in the afternoon. President Lewis, of the Clackamas county Horticultural Society will deliver an address and also will State Dairy Inspector, M. S. Shrock. The meeting will merit the attendance of all.

Mr. Harvey, who recently purchased the Ed Graves' place has moved into the same.

Show your spirit and attend the "Literary" tomorrow night.

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Mrs. G. M. Howe visited her daughter in Portland last week.

Mrs. D. B. Flag, of Vancouver, visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hart over Sunday.

R. F. Hart and family, of Portland, came out in their auto Saturday evening to attend the F. P. A. Maces Ethel and Ruth Hart took an active part in the programme, which was appreciated by all.

EAGLE CREEK.

We are having some more wintry weather again.

After a two weeks vacation school again reopened Monday, February 21. Miss Muriel Crouch, the former teacher, having given up the school, Miss Grace Mann, of Hillsboro, has taken charge.

Miss Muriel Crouch was the guest of Mrs. Gibson last Friday.

Will Douglas was an Estacada visitor one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tidell were calling at the home of James Gibson Sunday.

Roy Douglas and Dick Gibson made a trip to Barton on Monday.

Mrs. Victor Berg was the guest of Gresham friends the first of the week.

Farm and Garden

IDEAS ABOUT HAY.

Increase in Yield and How to Improve Crops.

The average yield of hay in the United States from 1865 to 1870 was 1.28 tons per acre. This yield was exceeded but three times during the forty years from 1865 to 1905. The average yield for the third five year period, ending with 1880, was 1.29 tons; that of the seventh five year period was 1.35 tons, and that for the last five years was 1.47 tons per acre.

The average yield for the last period shows an increase of 0.19 ton over that for the first period and an increase of 0.21 ton over the average yield for forty years, which is 1.28 tons per acre.

The average yield per acre in the ten leading timothy hay producing states for forty years varies little from that for the entire United States. There is a slight difference during the first

twenty-five years, when the yield was above that for the United States. The yield during the last fifteen years was nearly the same for both.

The feeding value of hay is often lowered when it is stacked out in the open. Considerable hay is often entirely spoiled so that it is unfit for feeding. The amount of spoiled and damaged hay depends upon the time the stack stands and upon the method of stacking. In Virginia a six to eight ton stack of timothy hay, after it has gone through the sweat, or in three or four weeks, will have from 500 to 600 pounds of damaged hay. Most of this will be on the top and only a small portion on the sides and the bottom.

The market value of hay is frequently lowered because this staled hay is worked into the bales. It may happen that the spoiled hay will be no more than a couple of handfuls, which amount is really insignificant, but the inspector cannot tell how much the bale contains, so he is forced to grade it one or two grades lower. This causes quite a loss to those who sell hay. In Iowa and surrounding states considerable hay is stacked in the field, and the loss due to stacking is not thought to be enough to warrant the building of a barn for hay only.

The most important thing in determining the value of hay is palatability, for if it is not relished much enough to be eaten to furnish much nourishment to the animal. When hay is exposed in the field too long in the hot sun or is subject to rain its palatability will be lessened, which in turn lowers its market and feeding value. Lower grade hay is not as palatable nor does it contain as much nourishment as the better grades.

In general there is little if any profit in growing and selling low grade hay, especially that made from the grasses, for the loss of fertilizing value or crop producing power of the land amounts

to more than the net profit after the cost of curing, baling, etc., is deducted.

The price of hay land is steadily rising in the same hay section, and in order to make a fair profit on the value of the land it will be necessary for the grower to practice the best methods of culture, curing, baling and selling. Before there can be any material change in the quality of hay sent to the market it will be necessary for farmers to learn the grades of hay, for it is impossible to grow choice hay if the producer does not know what constitutes this grade.

Much of the heavy work in loading hay can be saved by using a hay loader. Take pains to stack well. Note the difference between the stacks in the illustration.

LOADING HAY BY HAND.

Aurora and Northern Marion

AURORA.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Gribble from Gribble Prairie were in town on Friday.

Ed Smith, who has been attending business college in Portland, had to return home, having an attack of rheumatism.

Everett Cooze was over from Butterville Friday.

Era Hurst was in town one day last week.

Glenn Carothers and A. S. Thompson were passengers on train No. 14 for Oregon City Friday.

Miss Mamie Hall took the evening train for Gervais Friday.

Frank Schwader was appointed rural carrier; L. G. Reiland substituted on route 3 at Aurora today. Frank is the happiest boy in town.

Herman Smith was in town Wednesday.

Ray Fish was over from Needy one day last week.

Ed Yoder, on mail route No. 2, sold out to A. Thompson of Needy. Mr. Yoder was on that route about four years and gave good satisfaction.

J. Piusus, the hop buyer from Salem was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Will were passengers for Portland Thursday.

S. A. Miller made a business trip to Portland Thursday.

Mrs. Alice Roth, who was visiting with her mother for a day or so, returned to her home at Canby, Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Reed made a visit to Canby Thursday.

H. J. Miller returned from a visit in Portland Saturday.

Glenn Hurst made a business trip to Canby Saturday morning.

John Kraus came down on the late train Friday evening to spend Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kraus.

Christ Zimmerman sold his farm to Otto Quas and Olga Mettch consisting of 100 acres for \$8000. A. F. Will the real estate man, making the deal.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Eckerson, of Canby, attended the dance at Aurora Saturday evening.

Allie Miller, who is attending High school at Portland, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller.

Sam Miller bought a horseless carriage the other day. Now for your spins.

John B. Hurst, the electrician, made a business trip to Canby Friday.

Harry Garrett and Cal Wolfer returned Friday evening from the logging camps of Washington.

Charley Noblett was over from Needy Saturday.

Chris Giesy was in town on Saturday.

G. Muesel, the hop merchant, came up from Portland Saturday to visit with his sons over Sunday.

Geo. Ehlen and Chas. Lembeke were down from Hubbard Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Sadler made a visit to Portland Saturday.

Mrs. Henry L. Bent's son, Henry, went to Portland Saturday.

R. Wootworth and Wm. Purdy were over from Butterville to attend Masonic Lodge Saturday evening.

John Stanfer was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Beris and daughter were in town Saturday.

Wm. Munter the butcher, drove a few sheep through town Saturday. They decided to make a visit up to Musher and Gribble Hill Office. The hop market being quiet they went on.

Una Temple, No. 26, Pythian Sisters, initiated two candidates, about 20 members being present. After initiation an oyster supper was served.

Julius Snyder was in town Monday.

Peter Haines, of Portland, formerly of Butterville, took in the dance Saturday night.

A few of the Aurora girls took the afternoon train for Oregon City, and returned on the late train Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Brett of Portland, visited at the home of Chris Giesy over Sunday.

R. J. Welton and W. R. Hurst, of Hubbard, attended the dance at Aurora Saturday.