

NEWS FROM THE COUNTRY

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM ALL PARTS OF CLACKAMAS COUNTY

MACKSBURG.

The fine weather, bright and favorable for ripening the fruit and the late grain, continues. The threshers are still going their busy round. The Wash-Hoppler machine finished at the ranches of Frank Hilton, Will Roth and Chris Nofsinger early in the week, and went next to the Luebber ranch. The output of grain is so much larger than ever before it will be several weeks before all is finished. The hop picking is about over and a good harvest is reported. The few rainy days that intervened proved a benefit, at least to the pickers, besides giving an interval of relaxation they afforded the opportunity of putting the homes in their usual order. While this was going on the hops were growing ripe, greatly facilitating their removal from the vines, thus making the work far quicker and easier than it had been before. The threshers, too, improved the rainy time in overhauling and repairing their machines, so that the work was recommenced with added facility when again the sun shone out. The whistle of the locomotive on the Willamette Valley Railroad comes plainly to our ears in these still days. One of the chief topics of interest, at present, is the railroad celebration to be held at Molalla the last of the week. Almost the entire community are promising themselves the pleasure of witnessing the arrival of the first passenger train to enter within our border. The continued warmth is putting the finishing touches to the corn, which is promising as fine a yield as the other grain. A. A. Bald, who owns some corn which seems likely to convince the O. W. B. & N. Co. that their made no mistake in their efforts to promote corn-growing in West Oregon.

Safest Laxative for Women. Nearly every woman needs a good laxative. Dr. King's New Life Pills are good because they are prompt, safe, and do not cause pain. Mrs. M. C. Dunlap, of Leadville, Tenn., says: "Dr. King's New Life Pills helped her troubles greatly." Price 50c. Recommended by Huntley Bros. Co., Oregon City, Hubbard and Canby.

MULINO.

The heavy rain last week stopped threshing machines for a few days, but they finished in this neighborhood just as the rain began. Grandma Wright died last Wednesday evening, and was buried at the Sanders Cemetery on Friday. She was followed to the grave by a large crowd of friends and relatives. Mr. Crook died Sunday night at 11 o'clock, and was buried Tuesday at Oregon City. Mrs. Capler, a sister of Mrs. Crook, has been staying with her for a few days and left for her home at Clatskanie Thursday. Mr. Mallatt returned from Eastern Oregon Thursday, where he has been visiting his son, George.

Despondency.

Is often caused by indigestion and constipation, and quickly disappear when Chamberlain's Tablets are taken. For sale by all dealers.

STAFFORD.

The weather for hops still continues perfect and practically all the crop is secured in fine shape in this section of the country, and a lot of well earned money distributed among the willing workers, some families carrying home nearly a hundred dollars. Miss Bettie Nemeec entered school at Oregon City on Monday, the 15th, her sister Anna having graduated in June, and will stay with her mother, who has not recovered from the accident of a broken leg about two months ago. Helen Rabbie and Mr. Varna went to Oregon City, accompanied by her mother and sister last Wednesday and were quietly married in the office of Justice Slevers, and started for Wisconsin on a wedding trip. She is followed by the good wishes of all who knew her. She will be missed by a large circle of friends, besides her immediate family. School opened Monday with Mr. Thompson, of Willamette as principal and Miss Hunt, of West Oregon City, as primary teacher. The latter found board with Mrs. Ellesen, and Mr. Thompson takes a constitutional every morning by walking from Willamette.

There is a great cry for wood in the nearby towns and men are hauling every day while the good weather lasts, and have no trouble to dispose of all they can haul at a good price. Miss Julia Weddle will resume her duties at the Hazella school on Monday the 22nd. Mrs. Christina Lay has been staying with her mother, Mrs. Schatz, and spending her outing in picking hops as Mrs. Nemeec's.

Mrs. Holton and daughters, Lucile and Eva, spent the week at Mr. Gage's and picked hops at Mrs. Gebhardt's. Mrs. Toomey of East Portland, visited at Mr. Gage's a couple of days. She was the first teacher in Stafford, having taught here when a very young girl. She had a school of seventeen pupils, all but four of whom were boys; in the school house built the summer before by volunteer labor. It was 20 feet square, with a fire place in one end. This was in the years of 1873 and 1874. She was quite a progressive teacher and had spelling matches at stated intervals also a literary society, to which people flocked from far and near, filling the little building to overflowing every time. Gordon Hayes and other lesser lights attended her school and we are sure profited by her instruction. John Gage, of St. Helens, came Tuesday to shingle his father's granary, and get a load of apples from the old orchard.

DON'T LET BABY SUFFER WITH ECZEMA AND SKIN ERUPTIONS Babies need a perfect skin-covering. Skin eruptions cause them not only intense suffering, but hinder their growth. Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment can be relied on for relief and permanent cure of sufferer. Babies whose skin eruptions have made their life miserable. "Our baby was afflicted with breaking out of the skin all over the face and scalp. Doctors and skin specialists failed to help. We tried Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment and were overjoyed to see baby completely cured before one box was used," writes Mrs. Strubler, Dubuque, Iowa. Huntley Bros. Co., Oregon City, Hubbard and Canby. **Pfeiffer Chemical Company, St. Louis Mo. Philadelphia, Pa.**

ESTACADA.

C. R. Reets left Monday for Eugene to attend the University. Matcomb Woodie has gone to Aurora, Ill., to resume his studies with a view of entering the ministry. The freight on this line has changed time. It now goes to Portland in the afternoon and starts from there in the morning instead of staying in Estacada all night. E. D. Allen has moved into the Lichthorn residence, which makes him much nearer to his office. Mrs. A. K. Morton went down to Cedar Brook yesterday to eat lunch with friends. The Civic Improvement club have taken the lecture course proposition and will boost it. The course consists of five entertainments and season tickets are being sold for \$2.50. Quite a number have procured tickets and the ladies of the Civic club hope to sell many more before the first entertainment, which will take place about the first of October. The Family Theatre is advertising an entertainment which the management will conduct soon, in which girls under 12 years of age will take part in a singing contest. This will quite likely be very interesting. The Rod and Gun Club of Estacada received 140,000 small fish last week to be distributed in the different rivers and creeks in this vicinity. L. E. Bellis visited Portland over the Sabbath. The A. E. Sparks residence is undergoing some improvements in the way of a large new window on the west side. R. M. Standish left for Helena, Mont., this week where he will probably take a position and locate. The first dance of the season will be given in the pavilion Saturday night. The O. E. S. chapter had a regular meeting Tuesday night and spent a short time in social enjoyment after the regular order of exercises. The social part of the program was complimentary to Rev. Browne and wife who expect to leave Estacada in a short time. Mr. Browne has been a faithful and valued member, as also has his wife been a great help to the order. Refreshments were served and a few games were played. Mrs. B. O. Boswell, of Estacada, is a valued member of the Civic Improvement club and the other members planned and carried out a surprise on her Tuesday afternoon. The ladies went to the Boswell home en masse and so great was Mrs. Boswell's surprise that she was almost overcome with emotion. The afternoon was spent in lounging around under the trees, drinking cider and eating the good things prepared for the occasion. All report a very enjoyable afternoon. E. B. Byers is now assisting in the Marchbank restaurant. George Dodge, typist in the Progress office, viewed the sites of Portland last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Locke of Sellwood and Mr. and Mrs. N. Wilson, of Portland visited at the Elmer Shankland home last Sunday. George Hicks left for Raymond, Wash., Friday where his mother resides. His sister, Miss Tressie, accompanied him as far as Portland. Dogs in the vicinity of the Little Sandy have been causing considerable trouble by chasing deer through the woods until they kill them. Estacada's village marshal went up there one day last week to look into the matter, by the request of the game warden, and secured the names of dog owners and notified them to take care of their animals or there would be a general "killing time" in that vicinity. Miss Roberta Reid has gone to Portland to attend college. The J. W. Stubbs family have moved to Fairaday, where Mr. Stubbs was transferred to a position in the power house. He takes the place of J. S. Murphy who has gone to Tacoma, Wash. James Freeman, of Portland, visited relatives in Estacada over the Sabbath. T. J. Reagan, who has been employed in the hop yards near Wilsonville, returned home Monday. Ed. Allen transacted business in Portland Monday. A large number of Estacada people are attending the Multnomah fair at Gresham this week. Station agent, Givens, accompanied by his wife, visited friends at Gladstone Sunday evening. R. H. Finch, successor to the McCurdy Hardware Co., is now comfortably located in a little home in the east part of town. J. S. Murphy and family visited a few days with Estacada friends before leaving for their new home at Tacoma, Wash. The "Jolly Hikers" went on a trip to Springwater Friday and expect to go to the vicinity of Kernsville on their next trip. Mrs. B. F. Ford, who has been visiting her parents in Portland for some time, returned home last Thursday. The case of Andy Weinberger for running an alleged gambling wheel at a picnic here in Estacada a few days ago, was continued for a week on request of counsel for the defense, and is supposed to be tried at this place Friday. W. D. Hethorn and family and others of the party who were in the vicinity of Wilsonville, Or., picking hops have returned. School opened Monday with a large attendance and the prospects for a successful school year are very good. Friday evening there will be a reception for teachers, held at the school house. A short program has been arranged and a general good time is expected. Mrs. A. K. Morton is learning the "Hello" business at the local telephone office, preparatory to taking a position the first of the month. Miss Tressie Hicks, who has been the efficient operator for a number of months, has resigned her position and will join her mother at Raymond, Wash., the first of October. Patrons of the office regret Miss Hicks' departure. Mrs. Thos. Yocum visited her daughter in Portland over the Sabbath. H. M. James attended the Gresham fair Wednesday, accompanied by his little daughter and Victor Adix. Mrs. Dora Eschelman and family returned Tuesday from an outing in the hop fields. Quite a number of Estacada people attended a card party at the C. C. Saling home Monday evening.

HAZELIA.

Everyone has finished threshing at Hazelia. Caught a Bad Cold. "Last winter my son caught a very bad cold and the way he coughed was something dreadful," writes Mrs. Sarah E. Duncan, of Tipton, Iowa. "We thought sure he was going into consumption. We bought just one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and that one bottle stopped his cough and cured his cold completely." For sale by all dealers.

ALSPAUGH.

Mr. Chas. Schoid, of Bell Station, was visiting with John Gibbons, Sunday. Some friends from Chehalis, Washington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Still. Mr. Jake Moss has been hauling oats to Estacada this week. Mr. Willie Still and Miss Hendricks called on Misses Echo and Hazel Gibbons Sunday. Jake Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sparks, John Gibbons and Echo and Hazel Gibbons went to the mountains last Tuesday, returning Friday. They gathered forty gallons of huckleberries. Dr. Edgar Helpe returned from his mountain trip last Thursday. He had an abundant supply of huckleberries. Adolph and Willie Still are engaged in hauling gravel for their new cellar. Chas. Sparks is employed in digging his abundant crop of potatoes. A number of persons of this vicinity are planning on attending the fair at Gresham this week. A dance will be given at Eagle Creek September 27. Mother of Eighteen Children. "I am the mother of eighteen children and have the praise of doing more work than any young woman in my town," writes Mrs. C. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va. "I suffered for five years with stomach trouble and could not eat as much as a biscuit without suffering. I have taken three bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and am now a well woman and weigh 168 pounds. I can eat anything I want to, and as much as I want and feel better than I have at any time in ten years. I refer to any one in Boone Mill or vicinity and they will vouch for what I say." Chamberlain's Tablets are for sale by all dealers.

FOR SALE

GASOLINE DRAG SAW AND EQUIPMENTS. A. PETERSON, Barlow, Oregon.

ASCENSION IS THOUGHT STALE

FAIR COMMITTEE DECIDES THAT BALLOONS WILL NOT MAKE FLIGHTS THIS YEAR

SAW AERO PERFORMANCES AS A BOY

Every County Show Has Had Them Until They Have Become an Old Joke—Stock Exhibits to be Better Than Ever

The seventh annual Clackamas County fair will be unique in many ways, but perhaps most noticeable of all will be the fact that there will be no "grand balloon ascension." Judge Grant B. Dimick, president of the executive board, believes that balloon ascensions are stale and has put his foot down upon this sort of thing, even though a number of noted aeronauts have applied for a concession to go aloft in a smoke-filled bag. "The first county fair that I ever saw had a balloon ascension," said Judge Dimick, "and every fair I have seen since my boyhood had one. I guess we can do without this old chestnut this year, and I think people will find it a relief, too." There will be no dearth of attractions to amuse the visitors at the big display on September 24, 25, 26 and 27, however. Many modern amusement enterprises will be shown, but the chief stress at the fair will be laid upon legitimate exhibits of the resources of the county. If the visitors see all the regular exhibits, and realize the perfection of the stock shown, they will not have time for balloon ascensions.

MOLALLA PLACES ITS RESOURCES ON MAP

Reports from Molalla all bring out the fact that that town is progressing at a rate never before equaled in its history. New buildings are being reared to completion, roads are being built into the surrounding country, residences are being started every day or two, but most important of all, the people on the streets of that city

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RAG DANCES ARE BARRED AT PARK

CONSTABLE BREAKS UP FROLIC WHEN CROWD DOES NOT REGARD LIMITS

SEVERAL HUNDRED ARE SENT HOME TO FOLLOW STATE SHOW AT SALEM

Night Cars Swell Gathering Until Grounds are Well Filled—Men From Company Inspect Fun All Day

Under the instructions of the officers of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, Constable Jack Frost broke up the dance at Canemah Park Sunday night, and ordered the visitors back to Portland after the officers discovered that some of the crowd was intent upon performing the various rag dances that are barred in their own city. During the afternoon, the officers were on the lookout for violations of the ragging regulations and had to instruct the dancers to keep within the limits several times. In the evening, however, the crowd began to swell from the addition of late arrivals on the night cars and the ragging began again. Officers of the company who were on the watch then instructed the constable to stop the dancing and to send the crowd home. When the dance was broken up, the constable was secured from the company for the day. The representation was made that the affair was to be for the Holt-Makers' and Ship Builders' unions. According to the officials, it later developed that the affair did not belong to either one of the organizations and that they were not officially represented at the park. Several hundred persons were in attendance, most of them from Portland, and more were arriving on the evening cars when the constable broke up the dance.

HOP YARDS HAVE AN EFFECT ON SCHOOLS

Gladstone schools opened Tuesday, and despite the great number of students still in the hop fields, the enrollment is around 130 students. The school has five regular teachers and two specials, who teach music and drawing. Professor Drumm, principal of the Gladstone school, was in Oregon City Tuesday and said that he expected that the number of students would be greater than last year when the pupils all returned from the hop yards.

DO YOU FEAR CONSUMPTION? No matter how chronic your cough or how severe your throat or lung ailment is, Dr. King's New Discovery will surely help you; it may save your life. Stillman Green, of Malheur, Col. writes: "Two doctors said I had consumption and could not live two years. I used Dr. King's New Discovery and am alive and well." Your money refunded if it fails to benefit you. The best home remedy for coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by Huntley Bros., Co., Oregon City, Hubbard and Canby.

JUVENILE FAIR IS POSTPONED

TOO MANY EXHIBITS FORCE OFFICERS TO DELAY THE SCHOOL DISPLAYS

DATE HAS NOT YET BEEN FIXED BUT WILL PROBABLY BE SET FOR THE SECOND WEEK IN OCTOBER

GAINS ATTENTION

In several of the towns of the county, there are fairs of various kinds this month. The one at Molalla and Milwaukie have attracted considerable attention from Oregon City people and a large number of them plan to visit those places during the time. The juvenile fair of the district, which had been planned to open September 19, will not open until after all of the exhibits have been held at Salem and the other county fairs are over.

BIG SAFE DROPS; MARSHAL IS KILLED

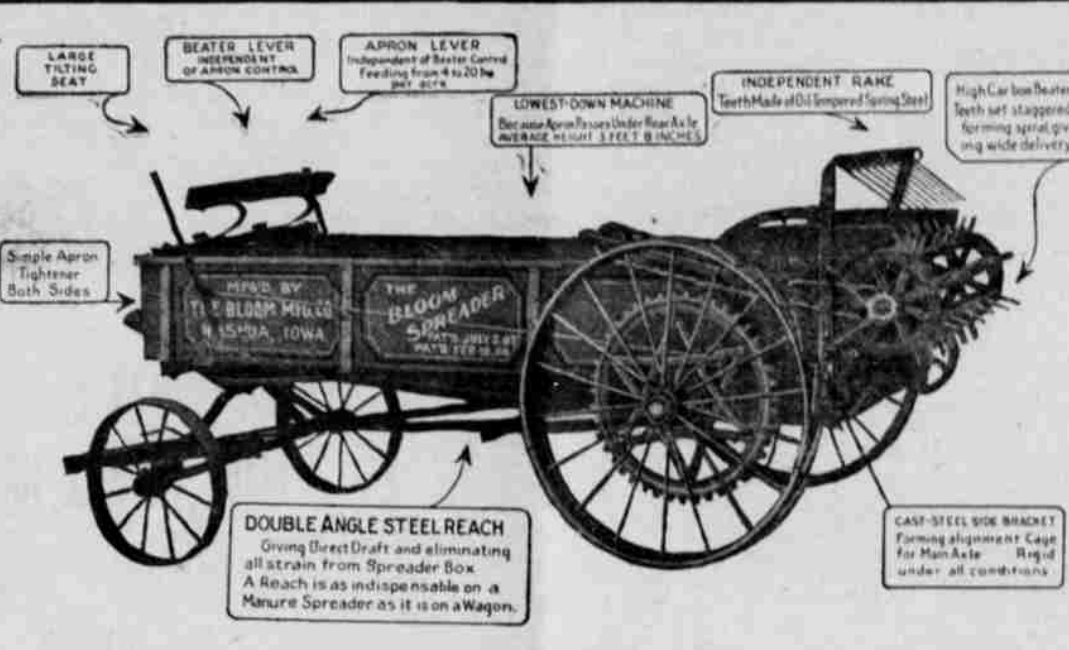
Henry Gullikson, city marshal of Gresham, was buried in that city Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock. The services were held in the Methodist church, Dr. A. Thompson and Rev. M. T. Wire officiating. Mr. Gullikson was almost instantly killed while moving a safe from his wagon to the telephone office. He had arranged a trestle of two planks from the bed of his wagon to the doorway when, by some mishap, the safe fell against the planked sidewalk and crushed him to the sidewalk.

DIARRHOEA QUICKLY CURED. "I was taken with diarrhoea (Dr. King's New Discovery) and was persuaded to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After taking one dose of it I was cured. It also cured others that I gave it to," writes M. E. Gebhart, Ocala, Fla. That is not at all unusual. An ordinary attack of diarrhoea can almost invariably be cured by one or two doses of this remedy. For sale by all dealers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitten and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Waniser, were guests of Ed Waniser's Sunday. Mr. Helms and family and Mrs. Ed Waniser were among the Hazellites seen in Portland Saturday. Mr. Stuart, who has been away threshing, was at home Sunday. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Hane from Portland, were guests of Mrs. Helms last Thursday. Mrs. Childs was a luncheon guest at the Boutz home Sunday. Ray and Miss Anna Duncan left Saturday for the coast, where they will spend a couple of weeks. Mr. Dickison's called on Mrs. Davidson Sunday. Donald and Wilber Lehman have been feeling bad with severe colds, but are much better. Saturday night will be the last time Mr. Brimer will preach in this conference year at Hazella. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Fred Lehman lost a valuable milk cow. She apparently died from poison. Miss Harriet Duncan left Monday for Eugene, where she will attend the university. Mr. A. Worthington has rented the Peterson ranch, therefore it will be run under new management for a year.

can hear the deep blast of the locomotive, can almost see the ralls of the track itself, as great gangs of men are working to complete the trail of steel. The progressive citizens of the town are organized into a Commercial club that could give pointers to larger towns as they plan improvement after improvement—and not only plan but carry out their plans. Lying as it does, in the center of one of the richest sections of the state, Molalla is growing and expanding until it will be one of the richest and most beautiful spots on the entire coast.

"We will have the finest stock display ever shown," says Judge Dimick, "and it will be a feature of the fair that cannot be slighted. Aside from this it will be instructive and entertaining, and will show the farm economy of only utilizing the best stock to be had, and of keeping the strain pure. Visitors will be so interested in what we will have to show them that they won't want to see a man make a monkey of himself under a balloon." **PERFECT CONFIDENCE.** Oregon City People Have Good Reason For Complete Reliance. Do you know how— To find relief from backache; To correct distressing urinary ills; To assist weak kidneys? Your neighbors know the way—Have used Doan's Kidney Pills; Have proved their worth in many tests. Here's Oregon City testimony. Mrs. E. A. Wilkinson, 1207 Main St., Oregon City, Oregon, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills for backache and kidney trouble and have had relief. I believe they are a fine kidney medicine and I don't hesitate to recommend them." Mrs. Wilkinson is only one of many Oregon City people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Wilkinson had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name."

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