

NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY

Correspondence From All Over the County Telling of Improvements and Local Happenings During The Past Week—Your Subscription Will Receive Prompt Attention.

LOGAN GRANGE BUSY COLLECTING EXHIBITS TO DISPLAY AT FAIR

LOGAN, Aug. 27.—Thrashing around here is now a thing of the past. Oats generally averaged better than wheat.

E. C. Gerber has gone to Oak Grove with his thrashing outfit.

Mrs. Straub and daughter arrived here from their ranch home in Wheeler County to remain for the winter and be here for the latter to attend school, while the former will look after the store.

Speaking of school reminds us there are a number of pupils who passed the eighth grade and wish to attend high school if they could find places to assist with work for board. People who are willing to board girls or boys could in some way let the fact be known before school begins.

Mrs. F. Moser Sr. fell from a ladder and broke her arm last week. She also was quite badly bruised up.

J. C. Kitchin is building a small house on his land near the church. It seems wedding bells rang so quietly across the Creek ever so long ago and the cow bells never got a chance to jingle.

Mrs. Jennie McMurray, of Gresham visited her mother, Mrs. Cora Sprague and family this week.

Frank Hutchins and family motored to Eastern Oregon via the highway this week to visit their son's family at Deschutes.

Miss Lizzie Ronch will teach the Lower Logan school this winter.

Floyd Kitchin who has been at Klamath Falls all summer is at home for awhile. He had the tonsillitis before coming home and last week had an operation on his throat removing tonsils and adenoids.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sprague are managing a committee to collect exhibits for the grange at the County Fair. It is not an easy task to get a first prize exhibit together. Everybody put their shoulder to the wheel and push a little; it takes push to make anything a success.

Mr. F. Gerber who has been ill several weeks is able to sit up part of the time and walk around some for exercise.

Carl Gerber has the finest potatoes in Logan on land rented from O. D. Robbins. However this is a good year for tubers.

Thrashing and Baling Finished at Redlands

REDLAND, Sept. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. D. Wagner of Sunnyside, Wash., are visiting Mrs. Wagner's uncle the Allen Brothers.

Mildred Harding has returned to her school work at Oakland, Calif. Her mother, Mrs. Harding will remain with Mrs. A. L. Allen a few weeks longer until Miss Harding has found a suitable home.

Miller and Parker were in Redland Friday demonstrating the Wiley Electric light plant which they are lighting up inside with electric lights was a pretty sight.

Thrashing was done here and some baling before the rain.

Minnie Fisher spent a few days at home, to help her mother cook for thrashers.

Miss Irvie Martin of Newberg is visiting Lulu Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Speese and Joe Hinkle and wife went huckleberrying on Wildcat mountain Saturday.

Meadowbrook School Begins September 13

MEADOWBROOK, Sept. 1.—Martha Nordling of Colton spent Friday at the Milton Chindgren home.

Rufus Holman and family who have been spending the summer on their farm in Meadowbrook, returned to their home in Portland Sunday.

Leslie Coover is visiting his sister Mrs. Mabel Harper of Scotts Mills.

Brenda Samuelson of Gladstone spent Thursday with Ruth Chindgren.

Mrs. John Boffo, Eino and Edwin Boffo, are spending the week visiting friends at Winlock, Washington.

The Meadowbrook school will begin Monday, September 13th, with Miss Myrtle Henderson of Oregon City as teacher.

Myrtle and Pearl Baker of The Dalles, Hazel Larkins of Oak Grove and Guy Craven of Oregon City spent Sunday at the A. L. Larkins home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Hult, Melvin and Esther Hult of Colton, Mrs. A. O. Monson and Mrs. L. Cornay of Seattle, Washington were entertained at the P. O. Chindgren home Thursday evening.

William Miettner was elected school director Monday evening to fill the vacancy caused by R. W. Davidson moving away.

Myrtle Larkins left for the hoppyard near Marquam Tuesday.

Elma Erkila of Washington who has been spending the last two weeks with Elnora Matson left for her home Friday.

Most everyone is through thrashing and report the grain as yielding very good.

Lad Hill to Hold Big Community Fair

LADD HILL, Sept. 1.—Mrs. Bertha McCully is visiting her mother, Mrs. Raider in Newberg.

The Misses Gladys and Alice St. Clair are home again, after a short vacation at Pacific City.

Ethel Webb spent the week visiting at the home of Mrs. A. C. Allen.

Miss Martha Struve spent Sunday with Miss Ola Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen are back from Eastern Oregon where they have been visiting their son.

Lad Hill will hold a Community Fair September 11. The Lad Hill Pig Club and Sewing Club will exhibit their work. Everyone is welcome. Basket glined at noon. County Club leader, Miss Senecker will be here. Bring any thing you have to exhibit, such as fruits, fancy work, chickens, vegetables, grain. Oh! yes bring your baby, as there will be a eucenic test also which will be conducted by Miss Bailey of Portland, and Dr. E. H. Uter of Newberg.

Walter Anderson is in Portland having his hand thrust again the cancer that was taken out some time ago is reappearing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Walls and son Ed. spent Sunday afternoon at home of their daughter Mrs. C. A. Allen.

Mrs. S. S. Parrott is in Newberg keeping house for her brothers and sisters while her sister Ruth and Mrs. Geo. Smith are in Portland caring for their mother Mrs. H. N. Baker, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon of Portland who were visiting Mrs. Roy Hacker, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith took Sunday dinner at the home of Gus Kramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sutton spent week end with I. J. Tauffeet and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith spent Sunday at the home of their daughters Mrs. T. H. Parrish in Fernwood.

Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Kiser took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. P. Graham.

The thrashing is nearly completed in this community, the rain did very little damage, other than breaking the corn down, but lots of good to late spuds.

The grain turned out fairly well some oats went 50 bushels to acre, some wheat 20 and some only 12 bushels. There wasn't as large a yield as was expected early in the spring.

Road to Wilsonville In Bad Condition

WILSONVILLE, Sept. 1.—Mrs. Inza Wood, and daughter, Audrey, returned on Wednesday from a trip to the beach at Rockaway, where they spent two weeks.

Mrs. M. C. Young and Mrs. Howard are contemplating a trip to the east states in the near future.

M. D. Say rendered a vocal solo at the M. E. church on Sunday evening.

Miss Pearl Bailey has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reed Graham for ten days.

Miss Robbins accompanied Miss Claire Say on her return from summer school at Oregon City, and has been visiting other friends in Corral Creek district, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham and family are spending ten days at the coast at Pacific City.

The Wilsonville public school will open on Monday, September 13th, with Mrs. Inza Wood, as principal, and Miss Menga Batalgia in the primary grades.

Miss Marvel Bliss, of Gooding, Idaho, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. D. Aden.

Several new members were initiated into the I. O. O. F. lodge, on Saturday evening.

Norris Young sold another Case tractor, last week.

Evergreen blackberries are being handled at Aden's store for the canneries, at the best prevailing prices.

While new roads are being talked of why not fix up some of the ones we are now using so they are at least passable? The approach to the Corral Creek bridge near Batalgia's is in a dangerous condition, and the road from the corner into Wilsonville is one succession of bumps.

Clarkes Locals

CLARKES, Aug. 31.—Wm. Moehnke and family came back from the coast last week.

Miss Jennie Lee from Eastern Oregon visited her brother Clarence Lee and family for a short time.

Miss Myrtle Mural from Portland visited her uncle David Moehnke and family last Sunday.

Mrs. O. Oswald and sons Norman and Loraine visited her sister Mrs. David Moehnke and family last Sunday.

Marshall Bros. threshed for Sam Elmer last week.

Mr. Barger and family are visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Clarke and family for a short time.

Wm. Moehnke and family were in Oregon City last Saturday.

A. F. Buche from Portland came home last week.

Mackburg Crop to Excel Former Years

MACKSBURG, Sept. 1.—The melancholy days, the saddest of the year seem unlikely to come to us in the autumn of 1920. The copious rain beginning on Friday and lasting with intervals of sunshine till Saturday night has infused with apparently dying vegetation a renewed life freed the trees from dust and put the roads into ideal shape so that travel is a pleasure once more. The pasture, too, has even in these few days taken a new lease of life presenting almost as bright a green as it did in summer's early days.

The potato fields have exchanged their dusty, withered look for one that promises a fine abundant yield.

The near approach to frost, in the nights of this time being of a nature invigorating and also conducive to sleep has the added effect of sending a great wave of grateful joy through the heart upon waking to find that the threatening foe has been kept at bay and our flowers and vegetables are flourishing still.

The bright sunny Monday has been occupied in spreading out the grain that was in the shock when the rain came.

The high south wind and clear sky make an ideal day for drying and but little damage is likely to ensue from the damp.

Corn which has not only withstood the heat but has "kept on the even tenor of its way" through all the drought has received a new impetus from the welcome moisture. The ears having advanced in size to a surprising extent show every indication of an excellent crop.

Of the fruit only the late apples are falling us. Pears and plums are abundant and of superior quality while that staunch, staple the evergreen blackberry is in its usual prosperous state.

Many of the bushes grow along the roadside, and before the rain were gray with dust. Now they are bright as in the early summer while the fruit just changing from crimson to jet black is in as great abundance as it has ever been heretofore.

Mrs. Bessie Spencer who with her little daughter Virginia, has been spending the summer in the South and East is on her way back to take charge of the home of G. W. Scramlin.

The young nephew of Mr. Scramlin who, with his wife, has been visiting his home through the summer, has gone to Portland.

The Mothers' Club had a very busy and pleasant session at the home of Mrs. Abe Hepler on Thursday last and is to meet next with its secretary, Mrs. G. M. Baldwin.

Clackamas Younger Folks Enjoy Party

CLACKAMAS, Sept. 2.—School commences Monday, September 13. Don't forget the Labor Day picnic in I. O. O. F. Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Reynolds of Loup, Nebraska, have returned to make Oregon their home.

Among the vacationists who have returned from the beaches are Misses Gertrude Hargreaves, Marie Piper, Flossie Piece, Marie Leuenberger, Madames J. Green, M. Leuenberger and Mr. and Mrs. Pierce.

Miss M. Hughes of Seattle was a dinner guest of Miss Margaret Lemly at Hotel Clackamas on Monday. Miss Lemly is with the Clackamas Fish Hatchery, as bookkeeper.

Mrs. Raymond Piper and Miss Marie Piper entertained informally at dinner Thursday evening for members of the Clackamas Younger set. Covers were laid for fifteen.

The guests included Misses Florence Sarchet, Hazel Brower, Mildred Poulson, Wilma Kneeland, Vida Card, Margaret Baker, Lera Cavender, Grace Herbert, Ruth Sarchet and Arthur Jones, Murray Miller, Arthur Mather, Harold avender, Cary Peterson, Elmer Brower. The evening was spent in games and dancing.

Mrs. Dora Herrington entertained the members of Shamrock Rebekeh Lodge at her home with a birthday party in honor of Mrs. Hattie Robinson.

Music, toasts and delicious refreshments occupied the evening.

East Clackamas District is installing a furnace in their school building.

Damascus News

DAMASCUS, Aug. 31.—Earl Lingle, who has been ill for the past week is reported as improving.

G. W. Lingle left Tuesday morning for Wildcat mountain, where he will spend a few days in the huckleberry patch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moar were Oregon City visitors Saturday.

Mrs. R. E. Ball was in Oregon City Saturday receiving medical treatment. Clarence Polling, who has been at the coast for the past week, returned to his home here Saturday evening.

Mrs. Joseph Clark transacted business in Portland Saturday.

DAMASCUS, Sept. 2.—Mr. Ball and mother, Mrs. E. Ball, and Mrs. Wm. Strubbe motored to Oregon City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Thebor and Mr. and Mrs. John Olson were the guests of John Moar and family one day last week.

Edith and Elsie Clark are visiting at the home of Ed Ball this week.

Herman Gerhardt is staying at the home of his sister, Mrs. Henry Bock, for a few days.

Rev. Purcell and wife made a trip to Salem last week.

Regular services at the M. E. church every Sunday morning and evening, Sabbath School at 10 o'clock.

Some of our Damascus folks left for

GLADSTONE

GLADSTONE, Aug. 30.—R. Freytag has purchased the grocery store of Henderson Bros., who have been in business here since the first of the year. Mr. Freytag formerly owned the grocery business and has been taking a much needed rest visiting the various beaches and camping at Trout Lake with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Legier returned from Salem Sunday evening, where they were the guest of her sister, Dr. Mrs. W. B. Mott, for the week end.

Word has been received from Miss Amy Peckover saying she arrived safely in Akron, Ohio. At present she and her brother, Frank Peckover, and wife, whose guest she is, are enjoying camp life on Lake Erie, and had visited many places of interest, including Chicago, Cleveland, Columbus and Niagara.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Wells, of Newberg, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Taylor, were guests of the latter's brother, Edw. W. Eby, and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oron Weddle have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Smith of Oregon City, formerly of Washougal, Wa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kent spent the week end at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Fred Steiner, of Forest Grove, making the trip by automobile, to bring home grain from the thrasher for their winter chicken feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Fowler are busy people preparing for the winter, putting in their wood during Mr. Fowler's vacation. He is employed by the Woolen Mills of Oregon City and says he enjoys outdoor work very much for a change.

THE BLACKSMITHS PICNIC

The Blacksmiths of the Willamette Valley held a picnic at Silver Creek falls Sunday. J. C. Moore of Donald, is secretary of the association. When first organized this body embraced only a part of Marion and Clackamas counties, but now covers the entire Valley.

The picnic was both a profitable and enjoyable one with its exchange of ideas.

PARDEY-TESSA

Henry Parley, Jr. of Hubbard and Miss Olga Tessa of Sherwood were married Wednesday at the Lutheran church here. The groom is an enterprising young farmer who, with his brother George, runs the Parley farm in the White District. The bride is a popular woman, much admired and respected in her home community.

BUSINESS MEN ATTEND CLUB MEETING AT SALEM

Henry L. Bents, J. W. Sadler, A. W. Kraus, G. R. Watt and Zeno Schwab drove to Salem Thursday night in the latter's car to attend a meeting of the Marion County Federation of Community Clubs.

The proposed constitutional amendment fixing the legal rate of interest at 4 per cent was discussed and it was generally agreed that such a provision would paralyze Oregon industries and agriculture.

The matter of employing a county agent was approved and several bankers present believed it would be a good plan for the banks to assist until the farmers of the county are convinced that a good agent so employed would be invaluable to the county.

Plans were made for a picnic of all federation members, at Spon's Landing, September 19.—Among the delegates present were: C. J. Esby, and J. L. Groff of Donald, and E. T. Pierce of Aumsville.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Robinson and daughter, Frances, Mrs. Frances Green and Dr. Angel, of Stanford University drove to Portland to hear Franklin Roosevelt expound Democratic doctrines.

Among those on business or otherwise recently were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Nelson of Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lettenmeier of Oregon City, Fred Sobn, of Union, the Ott Brothers of Hubbard, and Harry Muesel of Washougal, Wash.

State Senator LaFollette of Salem is visiting his former home in Indiana to attend a reunion of the LaFollette family. He will visit his cousin Senator Robert M. LaFollette at Madison, Wisconsin on his way home about September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns of Spokane have been here the past few days visiting relatives at the home of Henry L. Bents, of this city, A. J. Smith of White District and Marcus G. Smith of Needy. They have returned to Spokane, but may come to Portland to reside later.

Henry Messig was here the past week from Washougal, Wash., where he recently purchased an 80 acre farm.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sandberg and family and Mr. Garland and family were here Sunday to enjoy a plunge at the "ole swimmin' hole" at the Pudding river.

Miss Frances Grazer has completed her summer school course at Monmouth Normal, and will leave soon for Beaver, 12 miles from Tillamook where she will teach the coming year.

Kenneth B. Grimm of this city has been awarded the contract to furnish gravel to the city of Donald to improve Page Avenue which connects with the Aurora-Donald market road.

George Fry, Elias Kell and Louis Weber, appraisers of the Helen C. Hurst estate, have returned an inventory and appraisement report as follows: holding real estate

ADJUDGED INSANE

S. E. Saulberry, of Willamette, was examined Tuesday and committed to the state asylum at Salem after being adjudged insane.

Saulsbury was examined on August 15, but at that time was found to be sane.

STUDY COURSE FOR GRADES IS REVISED

SALEM, Or., Aug. 30.—The state course of study for the elementary grades has been revised and is being sent to all county superintendents from the office of the state superintendent of public instruction.

The courses in civil government, geography and language have been rewritten, while the courses in all other essential subjects have been revised. Civics has been definitely outlined by grades. Beginning with instruction regarding the home in the first grade, the course advances by easy gradation in the other grades through the student's relations to the neighborhood, city, state and nation.

DISABLED WORKMEN TO ATTEND SCHOOL

SALEM, Or., Aug. 31.—Members of the public service commission estimate that by September at least forty men who have been disabled by Oregon industries, will be in school under the rehabilitation act. The number is constantly increasing, and the man taking advantage of the opportunity offered are being trained to support themselves, although the injuries they have received make it impossible for them ever again to engage in the kind of labor at which they formerly were proficient.

BREEZY BRIEFS FROM MOLALLA Interesting News Items Taken From The Pioneer

MRS. E. T. B. THOMAS IS DEAD.

Mrs. E. T. B. Thomas died at a hospital in Portland on Wednesday night. She has been ailing for some time. On Wednesday she was taken to the hospital but died a few hours after arriving there. She was lovingly known as "Aunt Betty" and her husband was one of the pioneers of the Molalla country.

BOY'S WAGON AND AUTO COLLIDES

On Wednesday night, as Ora Coover was going out of town in his auto, while in front of the Pioneer building he saw a small wagon coming toward him, propelled by two boys. He put on his breaks, skidding his car, but the boys made a front end collision with the car.

Everett Courtier, who was steering got off with a small cut on one leg and the loss of a patch of skin off his head.

Kennedy, Shoemaker, who was riding behind struck his head on the radiator and an ugly cut was made in his face, probably by the broken glass of the milk bottle, which were in the wagon.

It was a narrow escape for the boys and no blame can be attached to the auto driver. Dr. Hume sewed up the cut in young Shoemaker's face.

MOLALLA WATER DECLARED UNSAFE.

The State Board of Health have declared that the water from the spring, which is now being used in the municipal water system is unsafe to use for drinking purposes or with uncooked food. They stated it should be all boiled.

SURPRISE PARTY

On Monday evening a large number of the friends of A. T. Shoemaker met at his home, it being a surprise party in honor of his birthday. The evening was spent playing games and refreshments were served before departing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hibbard and family left last Tuesday for their new home at Terrebonne, Eastern Oregon. On Monday evening a number of the friends of the Hibbard family met at the Methodist parsonage and gave them a farewell party. The evening was spent playing games and at a late hour refreshments were served. The Hibbard family have many friends who regret to have them leave this community.

Mrs. I. N. Farr who has been ill for the past week is much improved.

Mrs. L. W. Robbins and two daughters Naomi and Vianne were Portland visitors last Tuesday.

Mrs. Eastham and son of Hood River are visiting with Mrs. Will Ellis.

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GREAT JOLLIFICATION BLOW-OUT

In Meinig's Grove at

Sandy---Labor Day

SEPT. 6th

To Celebrate the Location of the

Mt. Hood Loop Highway

Gresham, Oregon City, Boring, Estacada, Pleasant Home, Kelso, Sandy Ridge, Firwood, Dover, Damascus, George, Cottrell, Powell Valley, Eagle Creek, Spring Water, Barton, Bull Run, Marmot, Cherryville, Zig Zag, Welches, Government Camp and all others of Clackamas and Multnomah counties going in one great family reunion.

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