

**HOP PICKING WILL START NEXT WEEK**

**Washington County Raises Best Product in Willamette Valley**

ALTITUDE SAID TO BE THE BEST

Thousands of Dollars Will be Circulated in Next Few Weeks

Washington County's magnificent hop crop will start harvest in various localities next week. Notices are out announcing date of harvest from various owners, and by mid-week hundreds will be picking the crop that is making the county famous. Buyers allege that the hop grown in the Tualatin Valley is a better product than elsewhere, and they attribute it to the altitude, which is neither too high nor too low for the very best results.

Hop picking furnishes recreation for hundreds, who like an annual vacation of camping, and who do not have the time or inclination to take a holiday where there is nothing but "loading." Then, again, many go to the hop fields for the money that comes in, and many a family earns enough to supply the winter clothing, as well as a portion of the larder. There is a greater acreage of hops this year in Washington County than for many seasons.

**SCHOOLS NURSERY**

The Schools Nursery can furnish everything in the fruit-tree line this year. Also Loganberry plants, blackcap raspberries, Clark seedling strawberry plants; two-year old Golden Ortolys, and Yellow Newtowns, large trees, well headed, for 124 cents per tree. Yearling apple trees four to six feet, 10 cents each. — I. C. Nealeigh, Schools Nursery, Sherwood, Ore., Route 4.

**MRS. SARAH S. SHANNON**

Mrs. Sarah S. Shannon, widow of Robert Shannon, died at her home in Anoka, Minn., Monday, August 12, 1912. Death took place at the home of her son, Rev. W. A. Shannon. She was aged 88 years, and she and her husband moved to Blue Earth Co., Minn., in 1856, having many narrow escapes from the Indians, who were then very troublesome in the Northern Mississippi Valley states. The Shannon home was noted as a stopping place for the Methodist circuit riders, which was then the way ministers made their pulpits. The family removed to Hamline, Minn., in 1882. Eight children survive: Dr. E. A. Shannon and C. N. Shannon, Bemidji; A. S. Shannon, Billings, Mont.; John W. Shannon, Stevensville, Mont.; C. E. Shannon, Muskogee, Okla.; Rev. D. M. Shannon, Emmet, Idaho; Rev. W. A. Shannon, Anoka, Minn.; and Mrs. E. O. Crandall, wife of Judge R. Crandall, of Hillsboro.

Mrs. Shannon visited in Hillsboro for several years, and has a wide acquaintance in the city. She was an active Methodist for many years.

**Opening Dance, Hillsboro Hall**

Opening Harvest dance at Hillsboro Hall, Saturday evening, August 24. Do not overlook it.

**L. Lindsey and wife, of South Tualatin, were in the city this morning.**

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pautmeier, of near Farmington, were in town yesterday afternoon.

Wendell Davis and wife have again taken up their residence on their property in East Hillsboro.

Thos. Williams, W. H. Taylor and T. M. Kerr and their families have returned from the Tillamook beaches.

The Bison 101 pictures at the Peoples' Theatre are drawing large crowds, as they deserve. There will be another 2-reel Bison 101 there Monday and Tuesday evenings of next week.

For Sale—Registered Cotswold buck, sheared 21 lbs. Will sell reasonable; also Berkshire boar, full-blood, but not registered; and a good brood sow soon to litter. Phone 25 Line 9, or address L. C. Brown, Cornelius, Route 2.

Complaint is being made to the district attorney's office that some young fellows have been making a good deal of trouble up in the Firdale country. Last Sunday some of them entered the Firdale school house and did some damage, and from there they went to a vacant house and threw fruit at the glass door, after shaking the fruit from the trees. Unless there is a stop to such actions there will probably be arrests in the near future. Fun is fun, but boys should be careful not to go too far with their idea of merriment.

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Wanted: Girl for general house work. Phone City 55.—J. B. Wilke.

**FIRST PAVING LAID YESTERDAY MORNING**

**Warren Construction Started Laying on Washington Street LAID TO CAVE LINE—THEN JUMP**

Expect to Have Thoroughfare Completed in Short Time

The first paving for the season of 1912 was laid in Hillsboro, yesterday morning, the Warren Construction Company having started at Third and Washington, on Washington, working eastward. They proceeded to the Cave property line, and then withdrew the crew to Fourth Street. This was done so as to not get into conflict with the court, which has allowed an injunction in the suit of Miss Rose Cave against the city and contracting firm.

The Warrens expect to complete Washington Street, except the strip along the Cave property, in a few days.

The Cooks will soon be through with their grading, and laying of Rockalite will soon start. This firm has many blocks to put down, and unless a hustle is made it will be late before the streets will be in shape for travel. Contractor Foster will soon have all the curb laid, and will be out of the way of the paving crew inside of a week or ten days.

**SEALED PROPOSALS**

Sealed bids will be received by the County Clerk of Washington County, up to noon, Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1912, for the following: Delivery of 27,000 feet of lumber, 3x12, 9 feet long, on the deck of the Jackson bridge, south of the condenser, at Hillsboro, Oregon. Three thousand feet of 3x12, sixteen feet long, at same place.

The court will open said bids on Sept. 4, in the afternoon, and reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order County Board of Commissioners. Hillsboro, Aug. 22, 1912.

Sealed proposals will be received by the County Clerk, up to noon, Sept. 4, 1912, and then opened by the Commissioners' Court, and contracts awarded in the afternoon of said day, for the following: For opening and grading, and completing ready for travel a piece of road in Dist. 35, said roadway being over one mile in length, with a 12-foot roadbed. Plans may be seen by consulting with the county judge.

The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and successful contractor must put up a sufficient bond to guarantee the completion of the work at contract price.

R. O. Stevenson, Co. Judge. By order Commissioners' Court. Hillsboro, Aug. 22, 1912.

Sealed proposals will be received by the County Clerk of Washington County, up to noon, Sept. 4, 1912, for the completion of a fill at the Hollenbeck Bridge, above Mountindale, in Dist. No. 28, and the county commissioners will award contract on the afternoon of said day. Plans may be seen at office of the undersigned.

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T. W. Sain, of above Gaston, was in the city Saturday.

There will be a dance at the New Helvetia Hall, Saturday evening, August 31. Everybody welcome, and a good time every time.

The expectations of the Bachelor Girls' were surpassed last Saturday evening on the occasion of their social function held at Helvetia Hall. Over two hundred people were present, and the financial result of the undertaking nearly robbed the fair entertainers of what breath they had left after their efforts in feeding the throng, and helping everyone to get acquainted and have a good time. To say that the girls are exuberant over the result would be stating it tamely. They are "up in the air so high," they never will come down till they return from that pleasure trip which they have been dopping out, the expenses of which will be defrayed by the proceeds of the dance just given. The girls ask the Argus to express their thanks for the financial support given their entertainment.—Contributed.

Do not forget the big sale which begins at North Plains, Saturday of this week. For an idea of the way things are to be sold read their full-page adv. in this issue.

**Hugh Rogers made a business trip to Timber, yesterday.**

T. M. Kerr and family have returned from the Tillamook coast.

Thos. Meacham, above Mountindale, was in town the first of the week.

Something new in drinks? What? Orange Juleps—where? Den of Sweets.

J. W. White, of above Crawford, was down to the city Tuesday, on circuit court business.

Attorney Milton W. Smith, of Portland, was in the city Tuesday, on probate affairs.

J. J. Schlicht, of above Mountindale, was in the county seat yesterday.

Pineapple ice will be our special 4 Saturday and Sunday.—Den of Sweets.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wirtz, of Forest Grove, were in the city Tuesday, on probate business.

The undersigned will lay cement sidewalks at 11 cents per square foot.—Wm. Foster. 23-5

Baldwin Bros. started putting the brick front for the Linklater building, this morning.

Frank Sonngisen, of Hood River, visited with his father, of the Independent composing rooms, Sunday.

Herman Collier, of Scholls, was up yesterday, making the trip in the machine. Onion harvest will soon occupy his attention.

Mrs. W. F. Frentzel, of Oakland, Ore., and daughter, Kathryn, are in the city on an extended visit.

J. I. Northrup and wife have moved from Hillsboro to Sellwood, to make their permanent home.

Richard Wiley, Clifford Long and Henry Danniell are spending a week in the Nehalem, on a camping trip.

Hop picking will begin in the W. J. Gragg yard, at Leisyville, Tuesday, August 27, 1912.—W. J. Gragg.

Mrs. D. O. Jacobs accompanied the Dr. Elmer Smith party, which started for Aisa, the first of the week.

For sale—Three heavy wagons, 34, in good shape, one new; will trade for milk cows or hay.—Wm. Musgrove, near Orenco. tf

The county court has three advertisements for proposals for county work in this week's issue. Contractors are notified to look them up if interested.

Mrs. E. I. Karr and children, of Portland, are guests of Mrs. Wm. Brogden, of Brogden Acres, east of town, this week.

Yesterday was one of the warm ones, and electric fans were in evidence. The farmer, however, hailed the heat with much satisfaction.

Mrs. Spencer, wife of Capt. Geo. Spencer, of Ashland, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Palmater.

Editor Scott, of the News-Times, was in the city yesterday, and called on the Argus. He contemplates an Eastern trip in a few weeks.

For real satisfactory footwear, for both ladies and gentlemen, go to W. W. Boscow's store, Main Street, opposite the big livery.

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