

MRS. JOHN B. MCNEW BURNED TO DEATH

Aged Woman's Clothes Caught Fire From Stove While Lighting

DIED WITHIN A FEW MINUTES

Husband Severely Burns Hands While Attempting to Rescue Wife

Mrs. John B. McNew died last Thursday evening, August 23, from burns received while lighting a fire in the basement of their home at Hazeldale, where the McNews conduct a general store. Mrs. McNew used some gasoline and the oil ignited, catching her clothes, which were soon all ablaze. She secured a quilt and attempted to smother the flames, but to no avail. Her husband rushed to assist her and his hands were severely burned. The entire room was ablaze, and Mrs. McNew was so badly burned that she expired within a few minutes.

The McNews were well known in the Banks-Roy country, where they lived for many years. They celebrated their golden wedding last year. She was a daughter of the late Chester Busby, and a sister of W. H. Busby, now of Idaho.

The husband and two sons, John R. McNew, of Buxton, and Logan McNew, at home, survive. Mrs. McNew was well known to the pioneer women of Greenville, where they resided many years prior to moving to Hazeldale, where for several years they owned a small home. Later they embarked in the store business.

She was a woman of great hospitality and kindness of heart, and her loss is a severe one to the husband and family, as well as to a large circle of friends.

CATHOLIC CHURCH
Third and Fir Streets, City 992

(Summer Schedule)

Sunday Masses, 8:00 and 10:00 a. m.
Baptism, 2:00 o'clock p. m.
Benediction, 7:30 p. m.
Week-day Mass, 8:20 a. m.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at the old Casper Jasper farm, 4 miles north of Forest Grove, on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, beginning at 10:00 a. m., the following described property—6 milk cows, Holstein-Jersey grade, one coming fresh about date of sale, others fresh this fall and winter; 3 two-year-old heifers, one fresh about date of sale, two in October; 2 heifers, about 1 1/2 years old, unbred; 3 yearling heifers; 10 shoats, from 60 to 125 lbs; brood sow and 7 pigs; Champion binder, mower and rake; 10-inch walking plow; 17-tooth harrow; 75-tooth drag harrow; top buggy; milk cooler; milk cans; cultivator, almost new; iron wood rack; grape bed; some forks and hay rope; other articles too numerous to mention.

Free lunch at noon.
Terms of Sale—All sums under \$10, cash; on all sums over that amount 12 months' time will be given, with 8 per cent interest and approved security. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

John J. VanLoe, Owner.
J. W. Hughes, Auctioneer.
Geo. Naylor, Clerk.

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Marion Black returned the last of the week from a month's stay in the Inland Empire, making Walla Walla, Dayton and Pendleton. He says that the wheat crop is more than spotted up that way this year. Some sections yield 40 bushels to the acre, while others threshed but eight or ten. The grain producers have had a hard time to keep them, the dust and heat being more oppressive this season than for years.

Will trade 30 or 40 acres above Mountindale for 10-acre tract, near some valley town. Tract must be clear, and must assume \$500 mortgage on 40 acres. This 40 has some fine timber. Has some partially cleared. Timber alone is worth while, and place will make a nice farm for right party. Good water. Must have tract in trade that has water.—Address, sealed envelope, K, care Argus, Hillsboro. 24-6z

Dr. C. W. Lowe, under date of Aug. 18, writes from Skagway, Alaska, and while there made a trip over to Lake Bennett. When he returns, which will be in a few days, he will have all kinds of yarns to spin to West Boscow about the entrance to the Klondike trail.

For Sale—Ten acres; three acres partly cleared; good cedar on balance; three minutes walk from county road; near Hollenbeck place, above Mountindale; spring close by; water can be struck in 15 or 20 feet; fine timber; best of soil—\$500 takes it; \$300 down; balance in two years; or can work to pay same.—Address in sealed envelope, T, care Argus. 24-?

Walter Galloway and wife, of Corvallis, were here Friday, over night, returning Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Galloway returned with them, and all go on a camping trip Benton County.

Wanted—To register immediately, about 200 hop pickers, at the Banks Hop Company and J. F. Carstensen's yards, at Banks. Will pay \$1.00 per hundred.

Philip Kalsch, of Gales Creek, where he has the foundation of a fine dairy farm, was down to the county seat Saturday.

For Sale, or trade for good milk cow—Moline wagon, 34, almost new.—Tom Johnson, Hillsboro, Ore., R. 3; telephone 16F22 North Plains. 24-6

Fred L. Beach and wife and Judge Reasner and wife went to Independence for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Meade, of Orenco, were guests of Hillsboro relatives and friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Betz departed yesterday for an outing at Seaside.

F. F. Knight, of Forest Grove, was a city visitor Saturday.

Try the Argus for one year.

FRED SCHOMBURG AND WIFE GO EAST ON VISIT

First to Recognize Value of Condenser in Washington County

LEFT IMPRESS ON COUNTY PROGRESS

After Eastern Visit Will Locate up in Idaho in Dairy Section

Fred Schomburg and wife departed Sunday for a visit in the East. They will go to Iowa, via Seattle, and from the state of Alfred Cummings will go to Chicago, where they will visit a brother of Mr. Schomburg, and other relatives. They expect to remain several weeks, and will then return to Nampa, Idaho, and remain in that section. Nampa will also be an object point on their Eastern trip.

Fred Schomburg's departure recalls the many things he has done for Washington County. In the old days the dairymen here worked without possibility of future. There was nothing but the Portland market for their product. Schomburg realized the possibilities in dairying here, and was the first to start the ball rolling for a condenser. He built the first one started here, at North Plains, and by intense effort started one in Hillsboro. It was not long until the dairymen had a payroll, and his check came every month. After putting the condenser on its feet it was sold to the present owners. Today, as a monument of M. Schomburg's spirit, Hillsboro boasts a quarter million dollar condenser, and Ecrest Grove has a plant that turns out a big output.

Schomburg has sold his home here, but he still retains his Mountindale farm on which his son, Chas., runs a dairy. He leaves his impression on the county-at-large and the big wad of pay checks going each month to milk producers is a monument to his arrival in the Tualatin basin. Fred is the soul of integrity, has executive ability, and the Argus predicts that he is not yet too old to do big things in his new location. Here's to you, Schomburg, and we will wager you will furnish the "pep" for the ragout wherever you go.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at the old Joe Mann place, 4 1/2 miles south of Hillsboro, at 10 a. m., SATURDAY, SEPT. 15,

20 head dairy cattle, grade Jerseys, of which 11 cows are in milk, heavy flow, fresh now, or soon; 5 yearling heifers, 2 bulls, yearlings; 2 calves; mare, 12 yrs old, 1150; horse, 10 yrs, 1150, 2 sets work harness, heavy 34 wagon, 4-inch tire, light Winona wagon, 21; set single buggy harness; democat buggy, new; 12-inch plow, 14-inch plow, 12-hoe Gaudlach drill, grass seed attachment; 10-inch feed cutter, power or hand; 7-shovel cultivator, 14-tooth cultivator, 50-tooth harrow, 14-reed milk cooler, Palouze dairy scale, 4-bottle Babcock tester, 50-ft rubber hose, 4 barrels, 4 bl vinegar, 75 Black Minorca hens, good layers; 50 pullets, 50 small chickens, 6 geese; 200 feet mesh wire fence; 220-egg incubator, new; 2000 ft 2x12, 16 ft length, lumber; potatoes and beans in ground; farm tools, washing machine; South Bend range, heater, copper boiler, folding cot, 2 sanitary couches, dining table and chairs, 4 rockers, Singer sewing machine, lap robe, wringer, milk cans and numerous other articles.

Lunch at noon.
Terms of Sale—Under \$20, cash; over, 6 months' time, approved note, 8 per cent; settlement before purchase is removed.

J. D. Ellis, Owner.
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John Vanderwal, Clerk.

Unclaimed Letters

List of unclaimed letters for the week ending Aug. 25, 1917—Miss Hazel Bagley, Thorald Bagley, W. R. Bailey, R. W. Myers, Frank McKay.

Cards—John J. Burke, Mrs. M. Kenworthy, Mrs. W. M. Robins, Miss Melinda Schatz.

J. C. Lamkin, Postmaster.

Piano Lessons—Miss Hazel Bryant, piano teacher; studio at 848 Seventh St. Will give lessons at home of pupil if desired. Best of reference. Phone City 476.

Chas. G. Koeber, of Scholls, was in the city the last of the week.

Tony Sinay, of above Blooming, was a Hillsboro caller Saturday.

John Lippert, of Banks, came down to the hub Saturday, and spent the day greeting friends.

T. E. Stinson and family, of Orenco, left Wednesday to spend the winter in Portland.

Wanted—About 15 good hop pickers.—Apply to the Quick & Russell Livery, Main St., Hillsboro. 22-4

Mike Sturm Sr., Fred Goetze and Mike Sturm Jr., of Blooming, were city visitors the last of the week.

Wanted—Hogs of all kinds, sheep, beef, poultry of all kinds.—C. K. Rogers, Beaverton, Rt. 4, Box 20. Phone Beaverton 53, line 3. Will call at any place designated. 37-tf

HILLSBORO SCHOOLS OPEN SEPTEMBER 17

Commercial Course Will be Installed if There is Demand

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Supt. B. W. Barnes will be pleased to meet personally or correspond with students interested in high school work.

Students wishing to work for their board or those wanting to employ students are requested to see B. W. Barnes.

Miss Kate Asbahr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Asbahr, will teach at one of the principal colleges on the Sandwich Islands, this fall and winter. Miss Asbahr is a graduate of O. A. C., and through this connection was favored by selection in the valleys of the moon and sun.

Jitney Dance—Don't fail to attend the Harvest Jitney Dance, at the Moose Hall, Saturday evening, Sept. 1. Floor unequalled. Best music obtainable. You are welcome.

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Did you know that enlisted men can take up homesteads and that the government will allow service time on them? We can locate soldier boys on some fine homesteads in Central Oregon. A few left of 160 acres each.—Wm. B. Delsman, Box 206, Hillsboro, Ore., Telephone City 102. 9tf

Commissioner Henry Hesse, of Scholls, threshed 42 bushels of wheat to the acre last week—pretty good for an off year, and it makes up a little on the poor Spring yield. C. Algesheimer, of the same neighborhood, threshed 33 bushels per acre.

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Roy E. Heater, Consul Com.
J. H. Ray, Clerk. tf

C. C. Voelker, of Evansville, Indiana, arrived here last week, for a short stay in Oregon. He is the father of the late Lowry Voelker, who died near Laurel last winter.

N. C. J. Christensen, of near Laurel, threshed 2000 bushels of Winter wheat last week, averaging 35 per.