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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1915

The sneak thieves are not all in the pen, it seems, and Newberg has her full quota just at present.

It is the finest of autumn weather we are having, but the farmers are wanting to see a good soaking rain to put the ground in order for plowing.

If you want to hear something really worth while we think you will make no mistake in going to hear "The University of Hard Knocks," by Parlette, at Wood-Mar Hall Friday night.

Some people raise a great howl about the leaves falling from the shade trees, but pity the poor shriveled soul who gets no pleasure on bright afternoons at this season of the year in taking a stroll and kicking up the yellow autumn leaves.

With ten of the European nations already at war and with others pulling their coats, it is evident that there is to be some relief to the congested condition of the population before this man-killing fray is over. Verily, Africa is not the only "Dark Continent" on the world atlas of today.

As will be seen from a letter published elsewhere in the Graphic, Congressman Hawley, of this district, will be in Newberg all day Friday for the purpose of meeting the people. This will make it convenient for anyone who may desire to meet and talk with him on any subject—save and except postoffice appointments, for which the moon is not right at present.

The Telephone-Register came very nearly having one of its spells last week—not an old-time "sinking spell," but just an ordinary spell, with which that excellent sheet is seized whenever road improvement is mentioned for this section of the county. This latest spell was occasioned from a severe nervous shock it received on account of a delegation of Newberg men who appeared before the county court to ask for improvement of the Rex hill. The T. R. did its best to defeat the building of the bridge over the Willamette at Newberg, and while it may have "forgiven," it has not yet reached a state of grace which will enable it to "forget." Some time ago it wanted to know what course the Graphic would take regarding the improvement of the road in the farthest corner of the county through the Indian country, and we answered promptly that we heartily approved of the expenditure by the county. It is a road that is much traveled by the people from all over the valley when on the way to the various Tillamook beaches, and should be made good. The same may be said for the Rex hill. It is on the main traveled road on the west side of the Willamette, and those who go to Portland by auto or wagon pass over it. Newberg has never made an objection to any of the many heavy expenditures for road improvements about the county seat or in other sections of the county, and we hardly think

it occasion for nightmare when representatives from Newberg, at the invitation of the county court, call on that body to tell of the needs for road improvement in this section.

Our Carlton neighbors have many men of many minds. A large delegation went in a body to call on the county court recently to ask for road improvement in that section, and so nearly every man made a plea for some particular road he was specially interested in, that the court told them to go home with their troubles and get together and decide for themselves what particular road they wanted money spent on. While all the roads are to be given attention, it is the policy of the court to make the heavy expenditures on the main line highways that are traveled most.

SPECIALISTS IN AGRICULTURE

In all lines of industry the specialist has his place, and although the dawning of the day when the specialist in agriculture was to be given recognition was a long time in coming, it is here, though he has yet to make his worth felt in some sections of the country before his services will be given due credit. The Graphic has long maintained that there are few if any sections of the country where the soil will respond more readily to high class, intelligent cultivation than will the soils of the Willamette valley. And again haphazard skimming over fields in a half-hearted way will show about as unsatisfactory results here as anywhere. Consequently here is a field where a real expert in agriculture may make himself felt if his backers will give him time to show results. The trouble is in many instances farmers expect the expert to show more in the way of results in a single season than they have brought about in a lifetime.

From the following clipping from the Aurora Observer it appears that the county court of our neighboring county across the Willamette needs a little boosting up along this line:

If a parsimonious county court should be the cause of the loss of a county agriculturalist to Marion county, one more count should be added to the indictment against the official mossbackism that is retarding the progress of this county. The present county agriculturalist, through his "corn campaign" has opened up a new field for the farmers of this whole valley that will add immensely to the wealth and opportunities of this county. He has introduced clover in the red hills; he has promoted the movement for the drainage and improvement of wide areas; he has made agricultural progress an actuality in Marion county, and he should be retained. Every interested resident of the county should let the county court know how they feel in this matter. Write the county court telling them you want a county agriculturalist again next year and every year—and L. J. Chapin in particular, next year.

"The University of Hard Knocks" will be the subject of the lecture Friday night, and, after having neglected his own business for several days in trying to pull the lyceum course through, the writer feels able to give Parlette, the speaker, some valuable pointers for his subject. We have never had much unity with the card-of-thanks-after-the-funeral custom, but there are a number of people in and about Newberg who are still very much alive, to whom we feel grateful for the support they have given the lyceum by purchasing season tickets for the course this season, when money is none too plentiful with any. The single admission tickets all help during the run of the course,

but it is those who are willing, if need be, to make some sacrifices in order to purchase season tickets that make a lyceum course possible, for without a good sale in advance no lyceum course can be made to pay out. This season it has been an unusually hard pull, owing to the shortage of the needful in the hands of the people, and we are not over the hill yet, but with a little further rallying of those who may want to help sustain a course of wholesome entertainment for Newberg, we will win out without financial loss to anyone.

WEST CHEHALEM

M. W. Patton and brother, Weslie Patton, made a trip to Forest Grove Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Anderson took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Amoth Sunday.

Mr. E. G. Fendall went on a road-viewing trip to Grand Island Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Crocker and Mrs. Tilla Hesgard motored to Forest Grove Sunday.

The Misses Clara Calkins, Rosie Hesgard and Leona Anderson, and Ralph and Harold Baker were Sunday guests of Lois and Kenneth Fendall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Anderson and family took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Yergen and family.

Laurance Boyd and George Morris went to Portland last Saturday, returning the first of the week.

A new house is in the course of erection on the M. W. Patton farm. The house when completed is to be occupied by Mr. Barnes and family of Gaston. Mr. Barnes and Mr. Patton are dairying jointly, Mr. Patton furnishing the feed and shelter and Mr. Barnes the cows and work connected with the business.

Mrs. S. M. Calkins, Florence and Clifford Calkins were afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Yergen and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Fendall, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Gardner and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hoskins were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Fendall Sunday afternoon.

SPRINGBROOK

Visitors at the Lewis home this week include Mr. and Mrs. Paul Campbell, of Georgetown, Illinois; Miss Nell Reuter, Idaho, and Miss Honck, from Kansas City, Missouri.

Mrs. Frank Carlisle went to Portland Thursday and on Friday morning was operated on in the Emanuel Hospital.

Mrs. Marion George spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Matilda Hoskins.

J. A. Jones returned the latter part of the week from Southern Oregon.

Mr. S. R. Cogan and daughter, Miss Grace, were out from Portland Monday.

At the meeting of the Parents' Teachers' Club the following committee was appointed to work in conjunction with the Literary Society in securing a piano: Mr. Wm. Kincaid, Mrs. Clara David, Mrs. Grant Heater.

Friday evening a reception was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mills' 35th wedding anniversary and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wallen's 25th wedding anniversary. The honor guests were very surprised and when the ceremony was performed, were quite as abashed as if they had had no experience in that line. Mrs. Elizabeth Palmer officiating. Many beautiful gifts were received by both couples and after congratulations had been offered a bountiful supper was served by the ladies of the neighborhood. About 100 people were present and all wish the bridal couples happiness for the remainder of their wedded days.

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CASH PAID FOR EGGS

E. C. BAIRD

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Wm Rudolf and wf to Roger Mahoney et al undiv 1/2 163.73 Thos M Wright and Wm D Stillwater die's \$4995.

Wm M Shuck and wf to Ed Shuck 106.57 ac (n-1/2) Andrew Shuck die t 5 s r 3 w 1.

John D Shearer, Martha C Huckabay lots 1 to 8 blk 25 Hurley & Larges addition and 1/2 ac on West \$100.

Wm J Vestal and wf to Joseph F Stephens and wf 12 ac in David Ramsey die t 3 s r 3 w \$10.

Amos Wood to W T Vinton undiv 1/2 int in sec 4 of nw 1/4 sec 27 t 2 s r 3 w \$10.

G H Baldwin and wf to Wm J Bullis et al 98.73 ac Phillip Thompson die in t 2 s r 3 w \$10.

M E Butterfield (by sher) to Sheridan State Bank lots 1 and 2 Chapmans add to Sheridan \$300.

Elmer A Buchler and wf to W C Stabler 50'x120' Newberg \$650.

Margaret Casey to John Casey 32.56 ac Jacob Wickser die secs 1 and 12 t 5 s r 6 w and lot 13 sec 1 and c/2 lots 1 and 12 and sec 4 of ne 1/4 of sec 1 t 5 s r 6 w \$10.

Margaret Casey to Jos E Casey 117.44 ac Jacob Wickser die in secs 1 and a12 ad lot 2 sec 12 and w 1/2 lots 1 and 12 and sec 4 of ne 1/4 sec 1 t 5 s r 6 w \$10.

James Cruickshank and wf to A Mabel Simkins part blk "K" Saylors add to McMinnville \$2000.

H Grebe and wf to W E Lowell 388.7 ac Harrison Foster die and lots 3 and 4 sec 13 t 5 s r 7 w \$10.

J. K. Guttery and wf to A H West and wf 5 ac John Watt die t 5 s r 4 w \$1125.

W S Houck and wf to Andrew J Crafton and wf 30 ac John White die t 4 s r 4 w \$2700.

Hedwig D Pfeiffer to D A Burgess 3.74 ac Solomon Bades die t 5 s r 6 w \$2500.

Prudential Loan Company to

John J MacInerney tract 4 Chehalis Mountain Orchards \$2000.

Edwin V Potter to James C Bunch and wf 42 1/2 ac in Jos Heas and Jno Williamson die in t 3 s r 3 w \$10.

Rea Bros Sheep Co et al by sheriff to C M Bair tracts in Grand Ronde Reservation t 5 s r 7-8 w \$85,525.33.

Bruce O Rowan and wf to Western Bond & Mtg Co nw 1/4 of ne 1/4 sec 20 t 4 s r 5 w \$10.

L J Shippy and wf to Ross Watson and wf part tracts 219-220 Dayton \$625.

I D Smith to J M Dickey 72'x 315' Sheridan \$10.

Frank Smith to R M Sanders lots 7 and 8 blk 11 Central add Newberg \$10.

H D Thomas and wf to Laura A and Alma I Craig 10 ac in Joseph Hess die in t 3 s r 3 w \$100.

W E Thomas and wf to Christ Schunter tract 21 North-west Newberg subdiv \$10.

Western Bond & Mtg Co to W D and Tracy H Moore tracts 12, 14, 19, 21 and 44 Bola Walnut Groves \$10.

Mrs A Mabel Simkins and hub to James Cruickshank 65.14 ac in Darling Smit die in t 4 s r 4 w \$6000.

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