

# CLACKAMAS COUNTY NEWS

### Sandy.

The old weather clerk has given us a few days of fair weather and farmers didn't do a thing but finish up their spring work.

Work is progressing very rapidly on the road clearing and grading under the supervision of John Revenue, road master.

The dance at Junkers was well attended and a rousing good time was had by all present.

The great amount of snow in the mountains will blockade the toll road for some time yet.

The high price of spuds has put quite a few dollars in circulation here.

Sandy will celebrate the Fourth of July.

The young people's society of C. E. is lying in the shell. Isn't there enough Christian spirit to resurrect it?

Charley Chase has been on the sick list but is improving.

Geo. Beebe has been sick but is on his legs again.

Most everyone is complaining of cold or lovesickness.

John Straus and family have moved to Orient.

Alice McGugin has returned home.

Miss Nancy McAdams has gone to Portland for a few days.

T. James was over from Bullrun. He is talking of starting a creamery on this side of Kelso. E. F. B.

### Union Hall.

The Adkins Bros., have got their saw-mill running again.

John Thomas is doing some fine volunteer work on the road.

John Ames was visiting Mr. Craters, of New Era, last Sunday.

Barney Freidreich has purchased a new organ.

Calvin Parker and wife were in Oregon City one day last week.

Mrs. Levi Riggs was visiting friends in Portland lately.

I have in my possession the oldest newspaper that I know of. It is the New York Herald of April 15, 1865. It tells of the death of Lincoln and the surrender of Lee to Grant, also of Sherman's famous march. The reading of such papers carry me back to the days when I was young. If there is any one who has an older paper I would be pleased to hear from them.

Our enterprising road supervisor, Mr. Dimick, is helping the looks of the roads lately.

J. D. Wilkerson is doing some slashing on his ranch.

John Crader has got to be quite an expert on his wheel. June 13. B.

### Liberal.

Our road boss, J. R. Shaver, has a crew of men at Liberal finishing up the gravel road from Silas Wright's to the Spring branch which will be a great improvement. Mr. Shaver is the right man in the right place. Come on boys with your bikes, as we have made you a path.

P. M. Graves and family were visiting Lydia Wright Saturday.

Mrs. Etta Hannagan arrived home Thursday from Southern Oregon, where she has been spending a week's vacation with friends.

Pierce Wright has a nice watch presented by his uncle, Calvin Jones, June 9th, it being Pierce's birthday.

Harry Hibbard, of Glad Tidings, was a pleasant caller at Liberal Sunday.

The walking match Monday evening was good. A couple walked three hundred yards in eight hours if he did have straw on his back.

Who was it knocked down the barberry bark; was it the big Dutchman?

Wm. Husband will finish seeding this week.

Grain looks well at present, both spring and fall.

Our school closes Friday; success go with the teacher.

Rev. M. Dick, of Hubbard, preached at Liberal Sunday.

Miss Dolly Ridings, of Glad Tidings, is visiting her aunt, Lydia Wright.

Miss Blanch Dyer leaves Saturday for her home at Oswego, after closing a successful term of school.

Wm. Skein received news of his father being sick and went Monday evening to his residence.

June 12. K.

### Shubel.

The glorious Fourth of July will be celebrated by the Lutheran congregation, at Mink, in an appropriate way.

Especially children will have a good time, as Children's Day is to be connected with the patriotic celebration of the memorial of the Declaration of Independence. A picnic ground will be prepared in the neighborhood of Mink's church. In the forenoon as well as in the afternoon musical and declamatory exercises, speeches, entertainments and games of different kinds will take place.

Our ladies will serve lemonade, ice cream, cake, candy, etc., at a moderate price. Dinner will be taken in company and every one is asked to add his share to the common table. A large attendance is expected.

June 14. X.

A full line of Spalding's "official" baseball supplies in stock at Huntley's book store at Eastern Office.

### Oak Grove.

A few more days of this weather and hay harvest will be at hand.

O. G. Morris was out from Canby Sunday.

E. Dodge, of Oregon City, is visiting his brother-in-law, D. W. Graves.

The dance given at Liberal Saturday night was a decided success, 36 numbers being sold, and every one had a good time.

Remember boys and bring your girls the 24th of June.

Charles Morris was severely hurt last week. While putting timber into the loft of his wood shed the joist broke and the timber struck him on the head. He was unconscious for several hours.

Quite a number of our young people attended the picnic given at Macksburg Sunday by the children of the Sunday school. All report a good time.

Miss Ivy Graves was calling on her friend, Miss Eva Armstrong, Sunday.

Our supervisor, J. H. Barth, was viewing our roads last week, so we have some hopes of good roads in the near future.

Wm. White, George Moore, J. H. Barth and D. Bruner were the guests of P. M. Graves Sunday evening.

Joseph Sperl and children, Anna and Otto, were visiting Mr. Grimm and family Sunday.

George Harms was out this way on his bike to day.

June 11. SCHOOL GIRL.

### Oswego.

The greatest discovery of the age. The grand electrical grinding machine discovered in the tombs of Egypt by Prof. Yankankuffenup, who will appear with his wonderful machine at the Oswego grange hall, on the evening of June 23, at 7 p. m. sharp, where, at the earnest solicitation of a few friends of science, he will be prepared to grind over all old tissue and give practical illustrations of his scientific discoveries. Come one, come all, and be made over new. Admission free.

After all are made young again there will be an auction of beautiful lunch baskets containing plenty for two. Come everyone and take lunch with the prettiest girls this land of pretty girls can boast of. The services of that droilest of auctioneers, Major Tanyarak, who last week auctioned off the birthday present of the queen of the Cannibal Islands to repay her husband's whiskey bills, have been secured for the occasion. All are sure to be pleased. Come early and avoid the rush. Ice cream and cake will be served in the dining room.

### Notice.

To the people of Damascus and vicinity: The report that A. E. Welch is a correspondent for the OREGON-HERALD is wrong; for he is not, and the articles he has given credit for writing were from the pens of OTHERS.—Editor.

### Molalla.

Once again sunshine has visited us, and all are busy finishing gardening. Some few are not done seeding but the majority are.

The Molalla people have been attending a series of entertainments for the past week which have been free, except last Saturday night, when a small admission fee was charged. The proprietor, Dr. Styner, of Portland, gave lectures, sold medicines, diagnosed diseases and gave treatment through electricity in connection with drugs. Whether or not it will amount to anything remains to be seen. He proposes to return here in September, and claims to be a graduate and has (so he says) a diploma from the Rush medical college, of Chicago, also a diploma from a Therapeutic electric institution. There is one thing about him; he can talk as though he had a mainspring like an old style Waterbury watch and was wound up for all time. He bills himself, "The Little Doctor." They go from here to Marquam. Some think that he knows it all while others brand him a humbug and a fake.

Molalla is improving some. Frank Adams has commenced building himself a house in town; Mrs. Clifford is having a new porch erected in front of the postoffice.

Mr. Whittington, our new blacksmith, and wife have moved into Mrs. Clifford's residence.

Mrs. King is preparing to move to Portland.

It is reported that the owners of the Red Rock mines have bonded them to a company who will thoroughly prospect them this summer, and should they prove to be as good as they are supposed to be, machinery to properly operate them will be placed on the property this fall, and the company will try to work them this winter notwithstanding the heavy fall of snow that usually comes there in the winter.

Holt & Wheeler who have spent the winter at their mines on the Santiam, are here on a visit. Mr. Holt received quite a severe injury by the premature explosion of a blast this winter. They are about to sell their claims on Gold creek to a New York company. It is going to be very late this season before miners can get late to the mountains, on account of snow.

Ray Austen, from Sauvie Island is visiting friends in this vicinity. He reports that the Columbia is steadily raising, and the farmers on the island are making calculation on having to move all their stock off the island on account of high water.

Wm. Loveridge has about finished the dwelling on his farm, and his tenant, Mr. Schamel, will soon move his family into the new house.

The Germans are about ready to commence work on their new church building north of town. Mr. Loveridge donated them one-half acre to set their building on.

It is reported that John Johnson, of Teale Creek, is very near the dividing line between time and eternity. His disease was pronounced incurable from the start and he has slowly wasted away.

June 13. X. Y. Z.

### Logan.

Miss Hattie Newkirk, who has been at Salem for some time, is visiting with her parents here.

Emery Cromer brought out his new wheel Friday. Now, girls, look out.

Pat O'Connor has left Mr. Trullinger's to seek labor in new fields.

D. A. Covr went to Portland Monday, on his way to Yamhill county.

Mrs. Cromer, Sr., had quite a severe attack of sickness Saturday, necessitating the calling of a doctor.

Fred Lutz and family have moved to their new farm here, and is giving the house a coat of paint.

Guy White, of Damascus, and his brother, Clyde, of Whitman county, Washington, were taking a spin through our neighborhood Saturday.

The members of the German church here are busy hauling lumber for a new parsonage.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. F. W. King, on June 9th, a daughter.

Winfield Montgomery has gone to Portland to look for work.

Mrs. J. Trullinger went to Oregon City Friday.

Mr. Mosher is building a new barn. G. H. Kirchem is doing the work.

While out hunting in the mountains last week, J. C. Kirchem captured a live fawn, which he brought home with him.

Peter Tellifson came home this week, after a two weeks' stay in Portland.

H. Mattoon was seen on our streets this week. There seems to be quite an attraction here for him lately.

Mumps are becoming epidemic in this vicinity.

Misses May Spencer and May Sutherland go to Portland today.

June 12.

Sewing machines from \$25 up. Sold on easy payments—Burmeister & Anderson.

This space is reserved for PRICE BROS., dealers in Dry Goods, Clothing, Gents' and Ladies Furnishings, Hats and Caps, Trunks and Valises, Boots and Shoes, Etc. Main Street, corner 6th, Masonic Building, Oregon City, Or

### Glad Tidings.

Socrates has come to life once more and Glad Tidings, the long dead city, has been excavated from its grave of despondency. Once more the voice of the Philosopher is heard within her walls, saying, "Oh! glorious sunshine, how we do enjoy thee after thing absence of many, many weeks." We have actually had three days sunshine, and a passing along the streets or public road will notice the old mossbacks hung upon the fence rails or street corners to dry. But among the many wonders discovered in the long lost city was some gigantic bones supposed to be those of Sinbad of whom Jasper once wrote.

The Rev. Mr. Shulse must have sighted from the wrong end of the compass needle when he stated in his notice that Glad Tidings was situated 3 miles south of Marquam. The Glad Tidings camp grounds are situated about 3 miles almost due northeast of Marquam. Perchance he was like the fellow who was going to shoot with the muzzle of his gun toward him. When asked why he did this he said he had tried it at the other end and it came near kicking his head off.

Old Socrates has been completely nonplussed since awakening from his long sleep; he cannot understand what has become of his noble friends, Jasper and Pat.

Campmeeting begins here June 23. They have a large church and one of the shadiest and best camp grounds in the county and fine spring water. Come, everybody.

The farmers of this vicinity are almost done seeding; potato planting will be next in order.

Hop men are considerable behind in their work but will pull through alright if the good weather continues.

The Rev. Mr. Shulse, of Marquam, who is to conduct the campmeeting at this place, is an interesting gentleman to listen to.

Both hops and grain look well considering the long, wet spring.

It looks as if we were going to be compelled to live on vegetables this year as fruit is almost a failure.

June 12. SOCRATES.

### Redland.

Redland is forging ahead. It is either getting to be a summer resort or some other kind of a resort.

Children's day is first on the list at the M. E. church on the 11th inst. Then comes quarterly meeting on the 20th, with a Sunday-school picnic on Little Clear creek on the 21st, followed by the Teachers' Association at Redland school house on the 23d.

Children's day exercises at Bethel on the 18th.

H. A. Allen's cousin has arrived from the East. She comes highly recommended as a high-grade teacher.

August Funk has a sick horse on the list.

The roads are getting dusty out here except in the mudholes, which mean but little dusty road.

There has been a little over \$100 subscribed for the Redland cemetery fence. Work on it is progressing slowly.

D. C. Richardson is delivering paper and papering houses in this community.

Miss Ollie Mosher has gone to Oregon City to work.

George Murdock is over from Dover, where he is teaching school, and is visiting Bert Hart. George has the talent for a successful teacher.

Bethel has been supplied with a new minister, Rev. A. D. Soper. Preaching at 4 p. m. every Sunday.

The program at children's day exercises at the M. E. church was well rendered and the church was beautifully decorated.

Some of our people are down with the mumps.

Mr. Hicinbotham has received a letter from his son, Will. He expects to be home soon, and requests that no more mail be forwarded to him. Report has

it that a Pennsylvania regiment has laid down its arms and refused to fight any longer.

There was a meeting of the school board Saturday night at the school house. Mrs. Anna Hicinbotham was elected to wield the rod. We are sorry that Mr. Rutherford could not be induced to teach again.

Claude Stone has returned from his uncle's in Eastern Washington, where he has been at work for some time past.

June 12. W. S.

### Stone.

The sun has been shining considerably the past few days and farmers have made good use of the time, planting potatoes, garden, etc.

James Hatton was able to be out riding last Sunday.

Elder G. P. Rich preached at the Holcomb school house last Sunday.

The county road question is up again in this part of the county. We have had a good deal of talk and little work thus far, but may be we will get the wind work done after a while and do the road work.

J. W. Watts is complaining of a severe cold of late.

W. F. Hubbard is getting out poles for a fish rack across the Clackamas river. Some nice salmon have been caught with hook here lately.

June 14. SSKP.

### Stafford.

Married—Sunday noon, at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Anna Weisenborn to Mr. Charles Polivka, both of this neighborhood. Judge Ryan tied the knot. The groom would not be outdone or gotten ahead of by the judge in the kissing portion of the ceremony, he turning to his bride and giving her a rousing smack when the knot was but loosely drawn. But few guests were present outside of the family circle. A sumptuous repast had been prepared, in the center of which, of course, was the bride's cake, a beautiful golden cake with heavy frosting, two hands clasped and a beautiful bunch of flowers in its center. A few drops of rain fell as the knot was tied. "Knots tied with tongues that cannot be untied with teeth" sometimes cause the angels to weep. Anvils were discharged to greet the happy couple on their way. During the afternoon they walked arm in arm to the home of his parents, where they will reside. The boys gave them a call in the evening and were sent away feeling joyful.

John Sweek, of Burns, Harney county, was the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. J. P. Gage, Sunday. Mr. Sweek was on his way home from Forest Grove, where he has been attending school.

C. M. Gage was up from Portland last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walters and family, of Glencoe, were present at the nuptials of Miss Weisenborn and Mr. Polivka.

Widow Cline and the mail carrier went to Portland Monday to attend the circus.

Hank Schatz has become the proud possessor of a "she" pup.

B. F. Weddle and Richard Oldenstadt have each been doing some breaking.

The neighborhood is talking picnic in Gage's park on independence day.

Gages have put a board on the backs of some turkeys to keep them from flying over fences, and it appears to work. People troubled with roaming turkeys would do well to do likewise.

Mrs. Schiewe has moved her store into her summer kitchen.

John Moser is burning the logs off his clearing in front of his house.

Road Boss Aden is having some rails put in on the Oswego road.

Don't say rain, but June weather.

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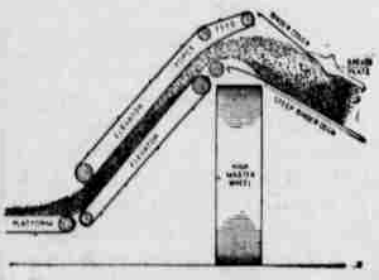
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