

# CLACKAMAS COUNTY

## THE ENTERPRISE CORRESPONDENTS SWEEP THE FIELD.

### A Young Man's Narrow Escape—Pleasant Surprise Party—Some Political Pointers.

Oswego, Oct. 20.—David Nelson met with what might have proven a very serious accident yesterday. He was sitting atop of a load of wood he was hauling when the wheel of the wagon ran over a good sized stone, throwing Mr. Nelson off the wagon and directly under the wheels. One wheel passed over his right arm and upon his body when the horses stopped, thus letting one wheel rest directly upon his chest. The young man that was with Mr. Nelson tacked the wagon off him as soon as possible. He was severely bruised, but fortunately no bones were broken and he will be all right again in a few days.

On last evening a number of young people met at the residence of John Kiser, and from there proceeded to the residence of James Conn in South Oswego. There was no sinister motive in view—no contemplated raid on the chicken house—but the sole purpose was to give Miss Minnie a pleasant surprise. They succeeded admirably in their intentions, and a very pleasant evening was spent by all concerned.

Henry Yates and Alonzo Waldorf have moved from South Oswego to the old town.

On last Sunday afternoon a cute little girl baby arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bussard in the old town—weight 9½ pounds.

The Oswego Iron Worker and the Industrial Herald are rather premature in their remarks concerning the next republican county convention. Possess your souls in patience, gentlemen. The day is at hand, even now at the door, when ring rule shall have ceased in free, enlightened

AMERICA.

### MINK MITES.

#### Forest Fires Doing Great Damage—Many Social Parties Held—Successful School.

MINK, Oct. 21.—We are having a great deal of fire lately. Mike Moehne lost his dry house, Tom Davis lost his granary and about half of his orchard, and others were in danger of losing everything, but by hard work the fire was subdued.

Miss Hettie Ginter spent Friday evening with her friend, Miss Ada Gard, at Hazel-dale.

Parties are all the go now, the average being three a week.

School is progressing nicely under the able management of A. C. Strange and Ada Gard.

Robert Ginter, of Logan, spent Saturday with his parents.

A very pleasant surprise party was given to Miss Louise Landek last Wednesday evening by a large number of her young friends. A very pleasant time is reported by all present.

Charley Riemen went to Elyville Sunday to visit his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorena Hornschuch, Misses Mary Hornschuch and Kattie Guyer and Will Hornschuch, of Carus, were visiting with the family of E. W. Hornschuch Sunday.

Rev. J. R. Ehret preached an interesting sermon last Sunday to a large audience in the Evangelical church.

Water is quite scarce around here and several of our farmers are digging new wells.

Mr. Stinson the horse trader of Highland had better not meddle with another man's horse on the road any more or the owner of the horse might use some of his tricks to make him kick or doubleup.

### TELEPHONE.

MINK, Oct. 30.—There was a spelling match at the Mink school house last night with a large crowd in attendance. After the spelling a literary and debating society was organized with Prof. A. C. Strange as president, Prof. F. Buzbee as vice president, and Miss Ada Gard as secretary. We would warn those who did not know how to behave themselves last night to be careful in future if they do not to come in contact with the law.

Miss Ada Gard, of Hazel-dale, was the guest of Miss Hettie Ginter Tuesday evening.

Miss Bertha Ginter, of Oregon City, spent a few days with her parents last week.

Miss Calla Meyers, of Clarkes, was the guest of Misses Hettie and Bertha Ginter last Sunday.

Mr. Hettman's horses took a little run the other day but did no harm.

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### HARMONY NOTES.

#### Fruit Dryer Burned—Good Work of Road Supervisor.

HARMONY, Oct. 29.—Last Wednesday evening a woodshed belonging to Marion Phillips was burned to the ground. The flames shot skyward for several feet and lit up the country around for a mile or more. A large crowd gathered in a very short time and it was only by the hard work of many willing hands that Mr. Phillips' home was not also burned, as the shed stood within six or eight feet of it. The flames were kept from the house by throwing water obtained from a well near by. The fire was first seen about 7 o'clock. It was subdued in about twenty minutes. It is supposed to have originated in a fruit dryer which was in the shed. The loss is small as there was nothing in the shed but the dryer and a few small tools.

Fires have been quite numerous in this vicinity during the past month, burning in the clearings, slashings, timber, etc., causing a great deal of fear that property would be destroyed. So far we have got off with having a few fences burned.

Potato digging is in progress. The yield in some fields is up to the general average, while in others it is not so good.

Mr. Dannels is building an addition to his house.

John Luther and his mother and sister, Mrs. J. Davis, have returned after a week's visit with relatives near Greenville, Wash-

ington county. Mr. Luther intends to return and remain during the winter.

Wm. H. Karr, of Sunnyside, visited his parents here Sunday evening and led the Endeavor meeting. Asa McLaughlin led on the preceding Sunday evening and read an able and interesting paper on Christian Patriotism. Five of the active members of the society attended the convention at Oregon City, Saturday and Sunday.

The Sunnyside correspondent for the Courier reports by request that one of our bridges is in a dangerous condition.

Mr. Karr has harvested a small second crop of Bartlett pears.

Superintendent Gibson was visiting our school one afternoon last week.

Wm. Millard, who is at work on the Columbia slough, was at home last Sunday.

Rev. E. Maurer filled his appointment at the church Sunday afternoon.

John Bennett left Saturday for La Center, Washington, near which place he is thinking of locating a homestead.

N. Fisher, who recently moved here from Lents, has left by team for California. Two other families, however, have recently moved into our neighborhood, one of them being Mr. Biddle's, from Eastern Oregon.

Some of our people attended the dance given last Saturday night at George Johnson's place at Rock Creek.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Otty, a girl.

Mr. Battner's fruit dryer took fire last week, but was extinguished with a force pump before it made a clean job of it.

Mr. Counsell is now putting gravel on the grade at M. Kane's, which will no doubt be much appreciated by the teamsters during the winter.

Rain—Two showers here yesterday morning.

### Carus Callings.

CARUS, Oct. 23.—The lovely weather still continues; but we, unsatisfied mortals, desire rain. The present condition is seemingly unhealthful.

Master Willie Guyer has lately experienced a severe attack of rheumatism.

Andrey Hunter has been suffering from malaria with symptoms of typhoid some two weeks. She has been unable to attend school.

Father Worsham and grandson paid a short visit to W. W. May and family last week.

Captain Thomson and wife, formerly of the Salvationists, occupied the pulpit at the Graham church last Sabbath, and will hold meetings each evening till Thursday night, when Elder Shuchnet of the Evangelical church will preach and deliver the sacrament.

Saturday evening, November 2, the Misses Jones, of Oswego, assisted by other able talent, will give a concert in the Graham church. Lovers of good music will enjoy a rich treat. Admission 10 cents.

Mr. Hayhurst, of Woodburn, was in this vicinity last week, looking up land. We are informed that he finally purchased Father Whitlock's farm.

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A. Mather is building an addition to his dwelling. It will be completed in a few days and will be a great improvement to the town.

The Misses Evans of this place are moving to Portland for the winter. They will be missed by their many friends here.

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There will be a dance in the Farmers' Alliance hall Friday, November 1st. A pleasant time is expected.

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### Logan Locals.

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Mr. Reed is very sick with Brights disease.

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Miss Minnie Shumway who has been at work in Portland is at home for a two week's visit.

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Work is progressing rapidly on Mr. Clark's new house.

A. M. Kirchen is at home again.

There is to be a dance at Shumways on Saturday night. Basket supper. RUBY.

### Logan Mills.

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How's this? Good flour, 70c; Dietz lantern, 35c; 19 pounds dry granulated sugar, \$1, at the Red Front Trading Co's. Lots of new goods, millinery, umbrellas, underwear, shoes, etc., at Eastern prices.

### SPRINGWATER SPRAY.

A Prosperous Orange—A. F. A. Organize—Y. P. S. O. E. Elected

SPRINGWATER, Oct. 21.—The grange held a very interesting session Saturday. A. M. Shibley and others addressed the order.

The A. F. A. organized at Lewellen's hall two weeks ago with a dozen or more members. They held their meeting on the evening of October 19, but were disappointed by their speaker, who was expected from Portland, not coming.

Fire destroyed some fencing for A. Lacey and W. M. Warnock on the 18th inst.

Grandma Finley and Mrs. L. A. Lacey are on the sick list.

Miss Alice Cunningham is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cunningham.

Miss Annie Dubois is out from Portland visiting her brother James.

S. G. West will leave this week to make his home in Oregon City.

Bob Markwood went to Oregon City last week on business.

C. F. Clark from Clackamas and W. M. Warnock were in the mountains a few days ago hunting. They killed a fine buck. Mr. Warnock reports thirty-two hunters in the mountains at the time he was there.

Holden Hargreaves and wife are visiting his brother Richard and wife.

Delegates were appointed by the Y. P. S. O. E. of this place Sunday to attend the convention to be held at Oregon City on the 28th and 29th.

Born, to the wife of James Marra, on the 21st inst., a girl.

Wm. Hughes, formerly of this place, but now a resident of Palouse, paid his sister, Mrs. W. M. Warnock, a brief visit last week.

### Sandy Sayings.

SANDY, Oct. 21.—The past two weeks have been very dry and warm, damaging and checking to some extent the growth of the tall grain already sown.

While the strong east wind was blowing it kindled many fires which did considerable damage in many places, burning fences and coming near burning buildings which were only saved by heroic work.

Mr. Maroney met with an accident which nearly cost him his life while out endeavoring to save his fence which was on fire. A piece of burning tree, weighing about 50 pounds, fell down, striking him on the shoulder and knocking him to the ground in an almost helpless condition. A doctor was summoned and the sufferer was somewhat relieved of his pain, and is now thought to be on the road to recovery.

Bishop Gross was out to Sandy and preached at the Catholic church.

Mr. L. Yerkey is visiting his uncle. He will soon leave and probably go out again with a sealing schooner.

Billy Welch, of Salmon river, was in Sandy today.

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#### Eagle Creek News.

EAGLE CREEK, Oct. 30.—Grandpa Sorg died Thursday, October 20th, at his daughter's, Mrs. Charles W. Cassidy, with whom he had lived the last ten years. He had suffered about two years with a cancer on his hip. He was seventy-six years of age and leaves many friends to mourn his death.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Welch died the evening of the 27th inst. Its death was very sudden, it being sick only a few minutes. The funeral took place on the 27th, Rev. Geo. Urdell conducting the funeral services. A large crowd was present all of whom were in sympathy with the bereaved parents.

The schools in districts Nos. 50 and 17 are progressing nicely with Maggie Williams and Minnie Shelby as the teachers.

We have two Sunday schools, one at district No. 50 at 10 o'clock A. M., and one at district No. 17 at 2 o'clock P. M. While there are so many children that do not attend either school, parents should send their children to the Sunday school that they may be instructed in the way that leads to goodness of life.

The question for discussion at the debate next Saturday night is, Resolved, That the United States should have free coinage of silver. James Simpson and James Bell leading disputants.

Walter Douglass spent last week in Portland.

Gus Burnett is making his barn larger by adding sheds to it.

Several of the boys killed a large bear near the Eagle Creek falls last Saturday.

Dr. C. B. Smith was called to Mr. Rimmer's at George, whose little boy was hurt at school and is lying very low at present.

J. D. Stevens, our popular friend at Canby, is visiting friends at Eagle Creek. We are glad to see his pleasant face once more. Goods are at a bargain at Wilber's store. Dr. Smith and Devine are busy early and late.

G. W. Stafford and family will move to Oregon City next week. We regret to see them go.

### DON'T BUY ANY MILLINERY...

Without first inspecting Mrs. Sladen's stock. Quality and low prices are combined with style. Trimmed hats from \$1 upwards. Every effort made to give entire satisfaction.

Next door South Methodist Church,  
Main Street, Oregon City.

#### Sent to the Asylum.

J. M. Matheson was brought before Judge Hayes last Friday on a charge of insanity. After a careful hearing of the case and on examination by a physician, it was decided that he be sent to the asylum for treatment. His insanity is of a mild type and is merely a weakening of his brain and general system. It is expected that in a short time he will fully recover his reason.

Mr. Matheson has lived in Park Place for the past five years and ran a sawmill for some time. He afterward met with financial reverses and lost all his property and about the same time his wife died. Since that time he has been dachling with his sons, he having three boys; the youngest being 14 years of age. It is thought that his grief and trouble are the causes for his loss of reason.

Thursday night of this week is the time when the various pranks which are supposed to be funny, are played on the unwary individual who neglects to take his own gate off its hinges or tear signs down and lock them up for protection. The old fashioned Hallow'een was all right in its day, but the new kind which is practiced of later years in cities and towns consists mainly in destroying everything in sight. This old custom will soon be a thing of the past with well lighted streets and a police force with a sharp eye out.

It seems an utter impossibility for J. A. Lousignont to keep out of the toils of the law. He is now at Chehalis, Washington, but is wanted here on a charge of stealing cord wood. Sheriff Maddock armed with a requisition from the governor started for Chehalis yesterday, and if Mr. Lousignont is still at that place when the sheriff arrives, he will again be a prominent figure at the coming term of the circuit court.

#### Money to Loan.

Parties intending to borrow money on their farms this fall will find it to their interest to call and see me at an early day. Plenty of money on easy terms and low rates of interest.

W. H. BERGHART.

#### The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Cailouette, Druggist, Beaverville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with LaGrippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial bottle at Charman & Co's Drug Store, Charman Bros. block.

#### Evangelical Conference.

Commencing with Saturday evening and lasting over Sunday the German Evangelical conference will be held in their church in this city. At the close of the sermon Saturday evening the communion will be administered. Sunday at 11 a. m. the presiding elder, Rev. H. Schuknecht, of Portland, will preach. He is a very able orator and his sermon will be a treat. In the evening Rev. J. Ehret, of Canby, will conduct the services. The public is invited to attend these meetings.

Samuel and Edward Saunders, sons of Judge Saunders, of Union county, arrived in the city last Friday and were guests over Sunday at the home of S. W. Holmes, they being brothers of Mrs. Holmes. The boys entered Portland university Monday as students. They were accompanied on their trip from Union by Josie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, who had spent the summer with her grand parents in Union.

#### Notice.

Application will be made at the next regular meeting of the city council for a renewal of license to sell spirituous liquors in Oregon City at my present location, corner Eight and Main streets for a period of six months.

E. MATHIES.

Oregon City, Oct. 25, 1895.

That 10 acre tract on West Side can be now for \$500. Owner wants money. C. O. T. Williams.

#### Wanted.

A fresh milch cow. Must be number one.

PARKER & HOWARD,  
Second Hand Store.