

# CLACKAMAS COUNTY

## THE ENTERPRISE CORRESPONDENTS SWEEP THE FIELD.

### Gold Discovered at Sandy and a 300 Foot Tunnel Run into the Hill to Develop the Mine.

SANDY, Aug. 10.—Those hot days of last week have ripened the grain very rapidly and the farmers are busy harvesting. The crop outlook is very good and threshing will begin next week. Fruit of all kinds is plentiful and garden truck looks well. In fact, the farmers consider this the best year they have ever had.

Sandy may soon have a Clonkyke of its own. Mr. Fosberg has discovered what he thinks will be a paying gold mine on Deep Creek. He has been working on it since January and has dug a tunnel 300 feet into the mountain.

Sirans & Johnson have moved their saw mill into our midst and will saw lumber for the Ballrun bridge.

The baptism at Deep Creek last Sunday was well attended. Mrs. Vancouver and Reaney Dean were baptised by Rev. G. P. Rich.

The Y. P. C. A. is proving very successful, it being well attended. At each meeting some of our local talent make it quite interesting by lectures pertaining to the general elevation of humanity. The following officers were elected: Ed F. Bruns, president; Geo. Epperson, vice-president; Wm. Boshan, secretary.

The M. E. Sunday school has secured the vacant P. O. building of F. A. Meinig and hereafter Sunday school will be held every Sunday at 11 a. m.

Miss Annie Munpower of Clackamas was visiting Miss Martha Glinn during the week.

Miss Alma Spaulding of Portland is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Younger who has been staying with Mr. Cook's folks has returned to her home in Portland.

John Maroney was in Portland Saturday on business.

#### Marmot Items.

MARMOT, August 6.—Have made a trip to Mt. Hood last Tuesday, and had three others along, two of whom were ladies, sisters of J. S. Robinson who have been visiting him from South Bend, Ind. So I will give you a description of the trip. Among the many beautiful spots we noticed during our travel through Oregon Mt. Hood attracted our special attention and we decided to ascend it at the first opportunity.

It was on the morning of August 2nd that the party composed of six left Marmot for the beautiful Mt. Hood, which seemed so near, but in reality was about 24 miles distant. A true lover of nature could not help being charmed, when on every side the tall stately fir trees towered far above us and near the roadside ran beautiful clear streams rippling over their rocky beds. At six p. m. the party composed of Adolf Aschoff (one of the best mountain climbers in the state) as guide, Messrs. Em. A. Stern, J. S. Robinson, Misses. Laura and Bertha Robinson of South Bend, Ind. and Maggie K. Roof of Mt. Tabor, arrived at government camp after a nine hours very pleasant ride. Arrangements were soon made with Mr. Yocum for equipments and we continued our journey to the snow line on foot, a distance of 4 1/2 miles, where we camped for the night. All partook of a hearty supper and spreading our blankets we retired with the camp fire before us and nature's blue coverlet above us.

The next morning before daybreak we arose with the full determination to scale the mountain which lay before us in all its splendor. On the way we were joined by N. N. Robbins, O. D. Robbins, and L. H. Kirshem of Logan. As we reached a point below Crater Rock (at 10:30) Messrs. N. N. Robbins and J. S. Robinson could not stand the rare atmosphere and had to return. The Hog's Back was in the best condition ever known and we crossed it with great speed. The crevasse was also easily crossed and then came our last and most difficult climb. We reached the summit at 1:15 p. m. and after registering and beholding the most magnificent scenes that lay before us, we began our descent. Messrs. O. D. Robbins and L. H. Kirshem came to our assistance very bravely. When midway between the top and the crevasse, Miss Laura Robinson missed her footing and slipped, but thanks to the above gentleman and the rope held by Messrs. Aschoff and Stern, she was saved from a fall down the mountain side. On reaching the crevasse we found that it had fallen in for quite a distance further, and we were compelled to seek a new path. Once at Crater Rock the rest of the descent was easy, in fact it was more of a coasting party. We returned to Marmot the next day delighted with the trip, the remembrance of which will ever be pleasant to us, and as we return in a few days to our home in the east, we cannot leave this state without making some remarks as to its delightful climate and beautiful scenery.

The Messrs. Robinson and Roof leave in the morning for Portland to spend a few days with relatives before returning to their home, and cannot speak enough about Oregon and its beautiful spots.

There are great preparations going on here for the baptism of four people in this neighborhood, that is going to take place Sunday the 5th inst. Rev. Embree will officiate. Prayers have begun this (Friday) afternoon, and will continue until baptizing time.

Miss Failing left for Portland to spend a month at home until the fall term of school opens, September 8th. Her present term of teaching was one of the most successful Marmot has ever had, and she has endeared herself to all, old as well as young, by her candid and charming manners.

Dave Caplan, of Portland, Miss. Hammel and Mrs. Mark Kelly and two children will be among the next week visitors at the Aschoff home for a few weeks stay.

The Marmot school closed last Thursday, the following is the program carried out: Song, "Our Greeting." School; recitation, Sadie Flowers. Mary Hamill; recitation Nothing to do, Geo. Ten Eyck; recitation by

Ellen Odell; recitation, Whittling. Harry Von Helm; recitation, A Lesson in Harmony, Julia Hamill; recitation, Geo. Odell; recitation, A Heart's Charity, Ronella Sievers; dialogue, Ernest Leaf and Nancy McAdams; recitation, A Happy Clover, Gratha Aschoff; recitation, A Railroad Crossing, Chas. Sievers; recitation, Always Be True, Fred Sievers; recitation, A Good Long Life, Eda Von Helm; recitation, A Bicycle Ride, Ernest Leaf; recitation, Etta Odell; recitation, by request, Nancy McAdams; recitation, Whims, Pearl Sievers; Maxims, by School; recitation, Carl Aschoff; recitation, An Auction Extraordinary, Emma Aschoff; song, Vacation, by School. There was a good attendance at the exercises and the pupils did their parts nicely. Among the volunteers who took part was Miss Nancy McAdams. There were also present several ladies from Portland who are spending their vacation at Mr. Aschoff's. They were: Mesdames Matz, TenEyck, Sievers, Leaf, Taborden, Figsels, Helm and Hamill, and the Misses Emille Aschoff, Alice McGulgin, Rose Leaf, Inez Figsels, Nancy McAdams, Emma Stemme, Ella Hoffman, Bertha Oberts, Mabel and Minnie Sievers.

The smoke is filling the atmosphere quite thickly and unless rain makes its appearance soon, the fires will cause some damage to property.

#### Mulino Notes.

MULINO, August 8.—The farmers of this vicinity are all busy harvesting. None of them have threshed yet, but they are all busy cutting grain.

Mr. C. F. Howard, the proprietor of the Mulino flour mill, will run his mill by steam hereafter, taking the engine out of Carlisle Bros. shingle mill for that purpose.

Mrs. S. E. Bunche and family, of The Dalles, who have been visiting at the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Mulvey, returned home last Thursday.

Mr. Fred Woodrife is working for Adkin Bros.

The picnic at Wright's Springs last Sunday was not a grand success, as nearly every one attended camp meeting at New Era, it being the last Sunday.

Mr. M. Mulvey is hauling lumber from Trullinger's mill to Bolton, for Mr. James Nelson, who is building a new hop house.

Miss Mamie Flanagan, of Oregon City, was the guest of Miss Maggie Mulvey a couple of days last week.

Mr. J. E. Carlisle was fishing in the Molalla river Sunday, but he wouldn't tell us how many fish he caught.

John Smith, who has been working for Carlisle Bros., went home last week.

Ed. Bowman, who was thrown from a horse last Sunday evening and quite severely hurt, is getting better.

Mrs. Dorrer and daughter Nannie, were visiting Mrs. Morris of Maxburg, Sunday.

#### Damasens Notes.

DAMASCUS, Aug. 10.—The people here are busy with their harvest work. Hay was a light crop, wheat and oats will be good; potatoes are looking exceedingly well.

Those who are cutting out with their binders are charging one dollar an acre. Griffin Bros. have a new binder out and are busy cutting.

Road work is all done and several miles of road have been graded, about half the labor being donated. In a few years this neighborhood will have good roads the year round.

The Rock Creek Union Sunday school is progressing nicely with good attendance. The last social netted \$6.55.

Douglass, Seifer & Kee are moving their saw mill to near Latourell falls and find it quite an undertaking owing to the distance.

Miss Derry of Portland is making an extended visit at Albert Derry's.

Mrs. Monger is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Barton.

Wm. Boenan is home from Portland to stay.

Harris Deardorf will start for Eastern Oregon soon.

George Day has taken a four horse load of people to the mountains.

Frank Day and family have moved to Idaho to live for awhile at least.

Many teams are passing daily on their way to the mountains.

#### Twin City Notes.

PARKPLACE-GLADSTONE, August 11.—R. L. Russell returned Friday from a few days visit to Cathlamet, where he had been transacting business.

Miss Julia Jake went to The Dalles Monday of last week, where she will spend several weeks visiting friends.

Al Richardson returned Tuesday of last week from the vicinity of Rooster Rock, he having been working in that country for the last few months.

D. K. Bill, George Tucker, Lonie Himler and Harry Sauer left on Monday for the upper Clackamas hatchery. They will stay a week in that country and investigate the huckleberry crop.

R. O. Holmes returned Friday from a two weeks stay at Ocean Park. He reports a pleasant trip.

H. Jewell returned Monday of last week from Seattle, where he spent the past week with friends. He left Monday for Wilhoit to join his family.

Mrs. Gileman Parker, Mrs. O. S. Olson and children and Miss Florence Patty, who have been spending the past week visiting friends at Molalla, returned to Gladstone Monday.

Rev. Gilman Parker and son Fred, accompanied by Arthur Rugg, left Wednesday of last week for a week's outing on Clear creek. They expect to totally annihilate the big game in that region.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitlock and daughter, Miss Grace, of Oregon City, and Miss Sadie Seaver, of Gladstone, left on Friday for the cool shades of Mt. Jefferson, where they will enjoy the beauties of nature for a month or six weeks.

Jack Matheson, Joe Brunner and Frank Prieshoff left for the north fork of the Clackamas Tuesday, for a two weeks outing.

Frank, Amel and Gus Oldenburg and Henry Laubinschire left Sunday for a weeks hunt on Roaring river.

W. H. Smith and sons Fred and Charles

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