CORRESPONDENCE

Milwaukie.

MILWAUKIE, Aug. 7.—J. W. James, of Clackamas, had the misfortune to have his wagon wheel badly damaged by a careless driver colliding with his wagon.

Mr. and Mrs. Workman are at the coast for a few days.

The Union Sunday-school picnic was a decided success.

Eagle Creek.

EAGLE CREEK, Aug 6.—The weather this morning looks a little rainy which is not very good for harvesting.

The grain crop is very light throughout this section, especially the wheat crop which is a complete failure in many places on the best of summer fallow.

Everybody seems to be busy cutting or stacking grain.

Rolly and Burt Douglass went to Portland last week on a business trip and to bring out a new mower.

There was a birthday picnic at Mr. Freeman's Saturday in honor of Beulah Freeman, there were 14 in attendance, excepting the old people and all seemed to enjoy themselves.

Mr. Cahill is hauling oak wood to Jacknife to our postmaster and merchant, Mr. Wilbern.

The meeting yesterday at Cavenaugh chapel was well attended, the house being well filled.

Maple Lane.

MAPLE LANE, Aug. 6.— Mrs. W. O. Dickerson and daughters spent Saturday with friends at Carus.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davies have gone to Molalla for a few weeks' stay.

L. Mautz had the misfortune to be hurt by falling from a wood wagon last Thursday, the wagon passing over his right leg below the knee.

Miss Hazel Anderson, of Portland, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Charles Swallow.

The dance given at the home of Fred Henrici recently in honor of Otis Shelly was a very pleasant affair.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hughes and daughter, Miss Edythe, visited over Sunday at the home of their uncle, Thomas Davies.

Molalla

MOLALLA, Aug. 6.—Weather cooler and the dog fennel does not sweat so badly.

The clover army-cut worms have about all surrendered and gone on a "bust."

Harvesting is well along and threshing begins in earnest today. Hermann Bros. have their new blower completed and will try it this afternoon on J. W. Thomas' crop.

Shaver, Harless & Co. will start up their threshing outfit this week. They are not going to raise the price from last year—straight 2 cents all around.

Last Saturday J. R. Shaver was crossing a dead furrow with a binder, when the tongue slashed the horses, one kicked over it, the team ran, breaking the tongue short off, the stub running into the horses' hips and legs several inches, making frightful wounds, which had to be sewed up.

O. D. Eby and Wayne Robbins have returned from the mountains, much improved in health. They brought out lots of trout and report a catch of 400 for one day. We are rather inclined to believe the boys, as they both look chubby.

Shubel.

SHUBEL, Aug. 5.—Mrs J J Gard, of Clarkes, spent today with Mrs E F Guenther.

Martin Hill has returned after a two-weeks visit up the valley.

Jacob Grossmiller went to Portland last Monday on business.

Jake Bohlender is home for a few days. He has been working down near Chinook.

Berry Buckner, of Carus, spent today among friends in our neighborhood.

A large number of our young people were invited to spend the evening at the home of Mr. Stuedeman on last Saturday evening. Very many were present, and as usual, we all had a very pleasant time until nearly midnight, when we were treated to candies, nuts cakes, pies, lemonade, etc. We hope with grateful feelings, that Mr. Stuedeman will soon extend another invitation.

Rev. Mrs. Luce, of California, preached to a crowded house in the Evangelical church here this afternoon, in the English language. She did not weary her audience with a lengthy discourse but for about 25 minutes she imparted to her listeners some of the loftiest sentiments the human soul is able to conceive. Her reverent thoughts were clothed with a sublime dignity that can spring only from the soul of a sincere christian woman. The christian church is dying for the lack of more such women.

Mr and Mrs E F Guenther had a family reunion today. Their children, now nearly all grown, came home for the occasion, from Portland, Walla Walla and Oregon City. The fatted goose was killed and a sumptuous repast formed the cheerful conclusion of a most happy event.

Miss Lena Grossmiller has gone to Portland to work.

Albert Woelfle and sister, of Stafford, spent today with their friend Miss Louisa Steiner.

Last Thursday night about 60 boys and men charivaried John Wolf. Our captain, Adam Hermann, in a courteous speech secured for us all an introduction to the bride, after which we were respectfully invited to come inside, where John had several kegs of beer in waiting. It is needless to say what was done to the beer, but suffice it to say that every one felt that John had treated them well. Long may he live.

Albert Moehnke is home for a few weeks.

The program given in the German Congregational church tonight was a very successful affair.

Mrs Cooper, of Portland, is spending a few days with her parents Mr and Mrs Wolf.

Cherryville.

CHERRYVILLE, Aug. 2.—Haying is over in this place, and, as there is scarcely any grain to cut, the farmers can say the busy season is over.

Miss A. Ware was the guest of Clara Frasier last Sunday night.

Mrs. Baty was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Shank, Sunday.

Mrs. Frasier and son, Sidney, were visiting Mrs. Flinn a few days ago.

G. E. Baty is working in a sawmill near Pleasant Home.

Mr. Revenue, of Sandy, has been working on his place for the past few days.

Cherryville is losing its popularity. We are now soon to be without a post-office, as our postmistress, Mrs. Osborn, is going to leave for Eastern Oregon with her husband and family in a few weeks.

Master Clarence Struchen was visiting Harry Shank last Sunday.

Charles Shank has gone to work for Coal & Coming, who own a sawmill near Sandy.

Marmot Items.

MARMOT, Aug. 1.—As summer has returned, many peeple from the metropolis go to the mountains to spend their vacation.

One of the prettiest places in the state to spend one's vacation is at Marmot.

The weather has been very warm for the past week, but yesterday it rained.

The people of the community seem to be well pleased with the improvements made on the roads the past week.

All the early apples and peach plums are now ripe and fit for market.

Among the new arrivals at Marmot are Miss Stemme, Mrs. Waite, Mrs. Jackson and two children, all of Portland.

Mr. Aschoff, while on a tour to Mount Jefferson, was taken seriously ill, but is slowly recovering.

Mrs. McIntyre, of Salmon, was at Marmot Monday.

Mrs. Binsuager, of Portland, accompanied by her two children and sister, Miss Upinheimer, are guests at the Marmot hotel.

Ernest Aschoff has gone to Aims to work in the sawmill.

Mr. Wood, accompanied by his family, has gone to Eagle Creek to spend the summer.

Many bicyclists from Portland who have been fishing in the Little Sandy report fish plentiful.

Charles Kyler, one of Marmot's most prominent citizens, had a barn raising last week.

Mrs. Mensinger, accompanied by her daughter, Emma, and Miss Smith, are spending the summer at their country home on the Sandy.

Borings.

BORINGS, Aug. 7.—Hurrah for McKinley and Roosevelt!

Once more clouds have covered the heavens and made some farmers shake in their boots for fear of rain.

Harvest is in full blast. The busy hum of the binders as they cut the fields of ripened grain are heard in all directions.

Lewis Lipsith made a trip to Portland on his wheel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Derby, of Gresham, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boring last Wednesday.

Borings is a thrifty place, with its abundant resources for farming. Of late there has been a new colony settling in Borings, as well as other places, known as the "cu worms." They came in from the south, sweeping the fields clean as they go, taking everything which is green. They have climbed hazel bushes and eaten the shell from the nuts, leaving the nuts on the bush, also pealed barberry up from two to three feet in some places. One man had some nice tobacco growing in his garden and the worms stripped it of its leaves, and word has been received that they are rolling and smoking cigarettes now.

Some of the people from here attended the reunion at Pleasant Home last week

W. H Boring is going with William Derby's new steam thresher.

Stone & Co.'s sawmill is running with a full crew of hands. They are cutting railroad ties.

Borings can boast of having three sawmills running full blast, on railroad ties This shows that prosperity reigns.

Eperson Bros'. threshing machine started today.

Thomas Welch has been doing some slashing on his place.

Redland

REDLAND, Aug 6.—Harvesting is going on nicely, the worms doing most of the work, especially of the potatoes and gardens.

Some improvements in town in the way of fences the last week. We only made them because we could not get it done any other way.

When certain parties are in the wrong to the extent of refusing to pay their honest debts enumerated to them, it looks as if they would stop trying to ride over helpless widows and women who have no one to take their part. "Do unto others as you would that others should do unto you."

Ernest Linn has joined the Parkplace brass band.

Will and Charles Hicinbothem, with Bert Hart, spent Saturday evening and Sunday in Portland. Henry Mosher also spent Saturday and Sunday in the metropolis visiting friends and relatives.

Professor Austin commenced a two and a half months' term of school at Evergreen schoolhouse to-day.

Our teachers will go to the following places: Miss Hattie Wilcox, Macksburg; Miss Annie Hicinbothem will teach the home school; Miss Maude Stone, Dover; Harry Mosher, White schoolhouse, Stafford.

Lycurgus Mosher, who is employed in a Sandy logging camp, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

L. H. Hickman has been doing some business as traveling agent for a Chicago medicine company.

Mrs. Mosher and family spent Sunday visiting her daughter, Mrs. Newkirk, in Logan.

Mrs. Nettie Collins, of Portland, is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. A. Sprague.

Mrs. Milda Shumway, of Portland, is out visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Linn.

Needy News.

NEEDY, Aug. 6.—The only excuse we can offer for our long absence is that the writer has been very busy in the harvest field.

The young folks gave a farewell dance for the Misses Weigand and Knight Saturday evening at Mr. Weigand's hop-house. A large crowd was present and the evening passed very pleasantly and altogether too swiftly.

The worms have made their appearance in the potato and cabbage fields in this vicinity, but no serious damage has been done thus far.

The hum of the thresher is heard, but the returns are very poor, some not getting their seed back.

Ed Mitts is slowly recovering from a long illness of typhoid fever.

Quite a number of our people have been visiting Soda Springs lately.

Misses Amy Weigand and Edna Knight, of Salem, visited these parts last week.

Miss Alice Ritter has been quite sick with malarial fever.

Born—To the wife of our worthy blacksmith, Charles Hoffman, on Sunday, July 29, a daughter.

Miss Mae Kinzer has returned from Hubbard, where she has been since the first of May.

Mrs. William Ransdell and son, of Portland, visited Mrs G. A. Kinzer the last week, and they visited Soda Springs Sunday.

There will be a dance at Needy Saturday evening.

Medallions are all the rage now, and every fellow gets his girl one for sweet remembrance sake.

Walter Watson wheeled to Salem last Sunday.

Miss Mattie Noe spent ten days with her parents.

Benjamin Homsley is on the sick list.

Mrs Jake Hoffman has gone to the coast for her health.

Miss Gertie Noblitt and Lee Fish were enjoying the dust last Sunday on their bikes.

H. Cornshack's family and Misses Kate and Flora Spangla spent last Sunday in Aurora.

William Ransdell passed through here last Sunday.

Miss Ines Hilton has been trying her new bike on the fine roads.

A new photographer in town.

Warning—Boys, when you visit Soda Springs don't take anything but soda-water straight.

Miss Ethel Rich, of Portland, is visiting here.

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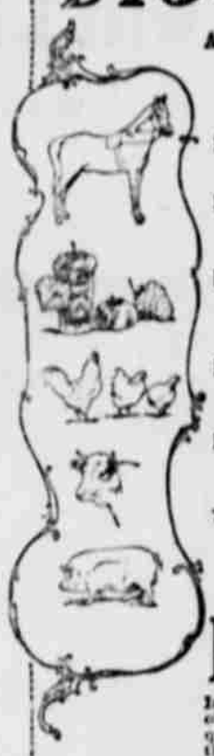

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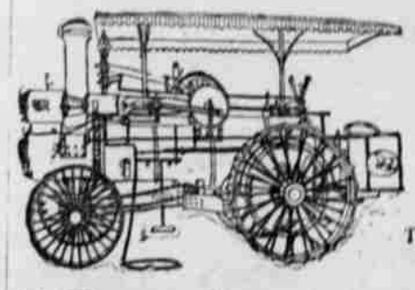

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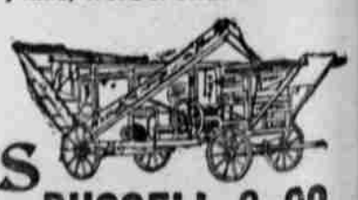

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