

MINING ACTIVE ON FOOTS CREEK, CHANNEL LEASED

FOOTS CREEK, Oct. 23.—F. A. Moss, the well known mining man from Placer county, California, where he has been operating for the past 18 years, and the founder of the Gold Dollar Mining company, a corporation—and still interested in several properties, W. H. Corbiere, who operated in the state of Nevada a number of years and recently from Redding, California, have taken a bond and lease on the Black Channel mine from the Latimer Dexter Horton National bank of Seattle.

This property is located on the left hand fork of Foote creek. They are now busy preparing for the winter. Mr. Moss has been here the past summer looking for dredging ground for a well known San Francisco company. Looking over a number of properties, he decided the Black Channel property had merits. There are good properties on both forks of Foote creek.

There is a day coming when the rancher will realize more from their property through mining than they will from farming—providing they give the investor a chance.

There are now some very good looking quartz properties on both forks. There are now some Seattle people installing a mill on a property formerly owned by Dr. Ray. They expect to start milling this week.

Mrs. Bertha Poyer and Mrs. Lester Hoing and children of Birdsye Creek spent several days with Mrs. Beate Anderson last week.

Mrs. Angie Wilcox and daughters, Mrs. Claris Holstead and Mrs. Eva McGeary of Marshfield, called on Mrs. Marion Lance last Saturday.

Harry J. Vienux has moved his family into the new house on the Short property which has just been made vacant by F. A. Moss, who has moved to the Black Channel mine.

John Short killed a coyote Monday. It was chasing his turkeys at the time. On the same day he delivered a dressed hog to Ed Woodcock at Rogue River, receiving 175 a pound. It weighed 125 pounds. A bunch of hogs would be worth a gold mine now, but nobody seems to have any. Perhaps supply and demand has a bigger effect on the market than speculation after all.

William M. Carlo was peddling a small beef at Gold Hill the middle of the week.

A letter received by Fred Draham from Mr. Carr says that Leslie is in the hospital at Myrtle Point with both legs and a good fighting chance for his life. As he had been carried for several miles without the flow of blood being checked it was the loss of blood which made his case so serious. The prospect is for several weeks in the hospital, but that is much better than was feared.

Mrs. Robertson of the Trail fish hatchery and Mrs. Van Scoyoc of Medford called on Mrs. Harry Vienux last Friday.

The Lance brothers are driving hard to get their wood delivered before the wet weather sets in.

Glen Birdsye put in a hard day Saturday gathering corn. There is some good corn in this section this year.

Mrs. George Lance is at Gold Hill attending on Mrs. Alva Cook who gave birth to a girl Sunday. Mother and child are doing well.

Rev. Wilson expects to be at Foote Creek school house next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Remember that he must get away promptly at 10.15.

FALL GRAIN IS BEING PLANTED AT TABLE ROCK

TABLE ROCK, Oct. 23.—With the completion of the apple picking and hay harvest farmers are turning their attention to the seeding of fall grain.

hauling wood and making repairs for winter.

The budget for the next school year in district 44 as made out by the board of directors at a meeting Oct. 15 is slightly reduced from what it was last year.

Jess Kinney of Sams Valley is building a hay barn on the Miller place.

Quite a number of our young people have become regular attendants at Sunday school and church in Central Point.

Gus Newbuty, the well known Medford attorney was a business visitor in this section last Monday.

Many comments are heard on the wonderful weather we are having, which is ideal for farm work.

E. C. Fable, the Central Point merchant has a truck hauling hay from the Nealon ranch to his home at Butte Falls.

E. C. Hamilton, superintendent of the Table Rock ditch has a crew of men and teams doing repair work on the ditch.

Mrs. Teembert of Denver, Colo., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Seabrook for the past month expects to leave in the near future to visit another daughter at Lancaster, Cal.

E. B. Day of Sams Valley was in this district Wednesday looking for pasture for his beef cattle.

Mr. Frazer who has leased the S. C. Collins farm for a number of years arrived last week with his family and

are now residents of our community. Henry Brown, the Agate carpenter has finished building a modern chicken house for A. L. Seabrook.

Jonathan apples grown by E. W. Carlton on the Redskin orchard recently topped the New York market where they were in competition with Hood River and Washington apples.

A ten pound boy was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Ames Smith at Jefferson, Ore. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Myrtle Byrum of this district. The school children are preparing a program for Halloween.

Mrs. J. C. Pendleton has been ill the past week but at this writing is somewhat improved.

Miss Eva Nealon came home from Eugene where she is attending the

university, for a brief visit last Saturday.

S. McVittie, Carl Quackenbush and Vern Pendleton returned Wednesday from a week's hunting trip in the hills. They enjoyed the outing very much but did not bring home any meat.

During the hunting season several of our "best shots" have taken trips to where the big bucks were said to be plentiful but as far as we know only two deer have been brought in and one of them was killed on lower Table Rock.

Friends of Ed Vincent, our rural carrier are pleased to see him again on the route after more than a month's absence owing to illness.

Several hundred fat lambs that

have been on pasture here were gathered up Thursday and drove to Central Point and loaded on the cars for shipment.

Wm. Mynatt and family have moved from the John Duggan ranch to their own place in the Reese creek section.

There are several visitors being entertained at the present time by Table Rock residents but your correspondent has not been able to get the names in time for this writing.

If those having news of this kind would send it in or phone to the correspondent the small effort would be very much appreciated and it would help to keep the "Tablets" going.

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ANTELOPE ITEMS

Apple picking has finished at the Stephenson orchard. They had a very fine crop there this year.

Mr. Day and sons have finished plowing their place.

The dance which was held in the packing house on the Antelope orchard was reported to be a great success.

The Antelope school is going to put on a program in the form of a basket social on October 30th. The money derived from the sale of the baskets is to go to buy a phonograph for school purposes.

John Owens is hauling gravel from Antelope creek to the siphon on the high line ditch.

Miss Allen and Mrs. Riley of Mt. Vernon, Washington, are visiting at the home of Mrs. C. B. Allen.

Fall seeding is about finished in this district.

Mrs. Kingery and Mrs. Seymour visited Central Point Thursday morning.

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