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Grand View grange of Hunterdon
county, N. J., has a grange store on the
lower floor of its hall building. Its
sales for the past year amounted to
\$8,517.42. The grange has 178 mem-
bers. Riverside grange, with 118 mem-
bers, has made co-operative purchases
of farm supplies to the amount of
\$1,050, and Spring Mills grange, in
Hunterdon county, has made like pur-
chases to the amount of \$1,200.

Montavilla and Vicinity

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MELROSE.

Mrs. M. C. Kirk and granddaughter, Marie Boronghs, who have been visiting Mrs. John Bramhall, have returned to their home at Canby.

Mrs. A. L. Baker has returned from a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Smith, at Seattle.

Song service will be held next Sunday evening at the Christian Endeavor meeting.

Mrs. Richardson and little daughters, Harriette and Audrey, are visiting at the Stafford home this week.

Miss Kellar from Eastern Oregon was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Parsons.

Melrose is the proud possessor of a fine new school bell.

Miss Laura Menzies, of Troutdale, recently visited her sister, Mrs. Dan. Strebin.

CORBETT.

Reverend Natley was in the vicinity of Corbett the first of the week.

James Randolph, of Seattle, Wash., is visiting relatives at Corbett.

F. W. Reed was in Portland Wednesday having some repairs made for his gasoline engine.

A party of young people were entertained at the home of Alfred Mershon Thursday evening.

Miss Bertha Henry, of Portland, was at Corbett Wednesday.

Miss May Walker, who has been employed in the telephone office at Corbett, is spending her vacation at her home at Rooster Rock.

Robt. Wilkie, of Portland, spent Sunday at this place visiting his sister, Mrs. Ketchum.

Miss Myrtle Dunn returned to Portland Sunday, having spent a few weeks' vacation in the vicinity of Corbett.

Mrs. W. S. Brockman, who has been staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Masterson, will soon return to her home in Malheur county.

Edwin and Elmer Leader are engaged in salmon fishing at Corbett.

Jos. Leader recently sold a four-year-old colt to Frank Jarvis for \$100.

Misses Bertha and Martha Leader left last week for Berkeley, Cal., where they will attend college.

Miss Mary Leader is home on a visit from Wyoming where she is employed as teacher.

LUSTEDS.

Miss Maud Manary is home for a vacation.

Max Davies was a caller at E. D. Hamilton's on Sunday.

Joseph Manary started last Saturday for Clifton, Ore., where he will join his wife.

The Ladies Home Mission will meet with Mrs. Eckler on the pipe line road next Wednesday, Aug. 29.

Rudolph Millsted is suffering with a very bad hand.

Ed Hamilton and wife made a trip to St. Johns on Tuesday for a visit with his parents.

Mrs. Hale entertained the Ladies Home Mission on Wednesday. Many were present, refreshments were served and an enjoyable time was had.

SECTION LINE.

J. Shaddock, of Michigan, was a guest at Buckley Grove on Monday.

A. Vail's grocery at South Mt. Tabor has been moved to the west side nearer the school.

Miss Mary Corbin, teacher-elect of No. 28, was out last week looking up school matters.

Wm. Cummings and wife enjoyed a visit from all their children and grandchildren on Saturday.

J. C. Buckley was the highest bidder on an et-ay heifer which was sold at auction on Monday by F. A. Bowen, of Mt. Tabor, representing Justice Shreve. All the intricate legal process was duly carried out.

Potatoes are being dug here for shipment to Alaska.

The surveyors of the Mt. Hood electric line are working near the Villa at present, and intend making an entire new survey through our center.

Board of Trade Holds Good Meeting

The Board of Trade held another enthusiastic and well-attended meeting at the broom factory last Tuesday night. A strong delegation from Central addition was present and urged the Board to take some action with them in an effort to abate the nuisance created by the slaughter house being operated in that district.

The committee on street improvements reported considerable advance in the proposed improvement to Villa avenue, and the securing of an 80-foot boulevard from the Willamette river to Troutdale. All the property owners along the road express themselves as being in favor of the improvement hence great hopes are entertained of its early accomplishment.

The committee on school matters reported progress, but requested more time, which was granted.

Doctor Devery, who occupied the chair, announced that very important business would come up for transaction at the meeting to be held September 4th, and requested all members and citizens who can be present. The office at the broom factory where these meetings are held is quite spacious, comfortable and have accommodations for all. Don't forget this and attend when possible.

New York Grange Boom.

New York state organized sixteen new granges last year and thought it was doing well. It has already organized about twenty thus far this year. One of the largest of these was in Columbia county, at Germantown, which had seventy-one charter members, followed at the next meeting with forty-five more applications. State Master Fuller is after 100 new granges in 1906, and he will come close to getting them at the present pace.

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

Improvement League Has Visitors from Center Addition.

The Improvement League had a very interesting and largely attended meeting last Monday evening, quite a delegation from Center addition being present. Several topics of importance were discussed, but the one upon which the general interest settled was that of the widening of Villa avenue. Mr. S. Groat led the delegation from Center and announced that he did not look with favor upon the proposition of an 80-foot thoroughfare. Mr. Bartholomew voiced his sentiments along the same lines, and advanced the idea that, with only one or two exceptions, the people of his district who resided on their property were all of the same mind. Their objections were met and answered by several, H. E. Dickinson making an especially strong talk in favor of the wider street. He said that while he did not believe that there could be any damages allowed for land taken that resultant damages in the way of moving houses and fences back, loss of fruit and ornamental trees, etc., would be fully met. He did not, personally, consider that there could be any question seriously raised as to the increase in value of abutting property with a wide street. That the history of any city was that property on a wide street would always command a higher price than property similar in every other particular, but facing on a narrow roadway. He quoted the values placed on property on the Peninsula when lots on the 100-foot boulevards are held at \$450 while lots one street back, on fifty or sixty-foot streets, only bring \$350. He also said that he felt that personality should not be allowed to sway one's decision, but that the general good to result must be taken into consideration.

President Burden also took a strong stand in favor of the wider Villa avenue, and brought out several new thoughts as to its desirability.

In answer to a question Mr. Groat said that he did not think there would be such strong opposition to a 70-foot street, and that on that basis he would go with the majority. Mr. Willard and several others spoke in favor of the 80-foot proposition.

Mr. Carter, of the committee on improvement of Hibbard street, reported that the petition asking for the same had been granted by the city council, and was now in the hands of the city engineer.

A number of farmers residing along Villa avenue extended had signified their intention of being present, but for some reason failed to appear, but Mr. Aylsworth, who had been appointed a committee to interview them on the subject of asking the county commissioners to open up Villa avenue from the city eastward at an 80-foot width, reported that all those whom he had seen were heartily in favor of it.

The meeting, throughout, was characterized by a general good feeling, and will doubtless result in bringing about a closer relationship between Center addition and Montavilla.

While the League stands committed to an 80-foot width it only desires to meet the wishes of the majority of those interested, and seeks and fair discussion of the measure before final action is taken.

Russellville Doings

Nearly a mile east of Montavilla on the Base Line Road is situated the growing village of Russellville. It doesn't matter so much from whence it derived its name as it does that Russellville is becoming known far and wide as a community of pretty homes, contented and happy people. With the advent of the proposed Mt. Hood Electric Railroad, this district is bound to assume large proportions, already it has one of the finest eighth grade schools in the state, a fine modern building costing in the neighborhood of \$6000, a fine grange consisting of nearly eighty members, with a new hall in prospect, one of the largest and best equipped nurseries in the state, a fine general merchandise store and other minor industries. As a berry and truck country Russellville has no superior. The Japanese who have come to this community in large numbers have revolutionized farming in this particular, and land a few years ago selling for \$10 to \$25 per acre is now selling for \$100 and up. Russellville has a good many dwellers who toil by day in the metropolis but spend their spare moments on the acre or more of ground at or near Russellville where they enjoy nature to the utmost.

William Gates has just finished a house on his farm near the Base Line Road.

W. E. and R. T. Marshall, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marshall, old time settlers in this part of Multnomah County, are the personnel of the young but enterprising, firm of Marshall Bros. whose ad. appears elsewhere in these columns.

Dr. Littlefield had a recurrence of his old trouble last Monday night. The Dr. was hurt in the Elks R. R. wreck several years ago and has suffered more or less ever since.

Prof. Burnham and Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin have returned from a vacation spent at Mt. Hood.

George Lewis and family are at Seaside for a few days.

Misses Littlefield and Starr have returned from Estacada.

Mrs. R. T. Marshall has been visiting her sister at Hillsboro.

John Wellus is working in Portland.

Mr. Miller and family have moved to Mt. Tabor.

Messrs. Larson, Steer, Brown, Wirt, R. E. Marshall and others made an excuse to go to the circus last Monday. The girls in tights were especially attractive.

Mr. Blazier and family, of Mansfield Addition has moved into the cottage recently vacated by the Millers.

Mr. H. Lewis, proprietor of the Russellville Nurseries, will soon have his new price-list ready for delivery.

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A burly policeman on our streets last Friday meant business. He was looking after our enterprising citizen who persists in driving on our sidewalks.

Mr. Hill and family, of Oregon City, have purchased, renovated and beautified the house on Hart avenue, recently owned by John Osburn, and will move into same this week.

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