

WANT COLUMN

Wanted, For Sale, Lost, Found, Etc.

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STRAYED—Red yearling heifer from place in Pleasant Valley. Finder call or phone John Thomas and secure reward. [32]

JERSEY BULL—Year and one-half old, Melrose, Chas. Witter, phone 374, Gresham, Oregon.

EASTERN OREGON HORSES for sale. See Smith & Wheeler, Gresham, Oregon.

FOUND—Stray milk cow, black and white spotted, with coarse sounding bell around her neck. Owner can have same by proving property and paying costs. E. A. Yunker, Gresham, Or.

ESTRAYS—Three head of horses, two greys, one chestnut sorrel, came to my place. Owner can have same by paying costs. Elsie Malar, Sandy, Or.

FOR SALE—Bay horse 1350; Sorrell horse, 1330; both good, and true. Also small new wagon and new harness. Apply to Dr. A. Thompson, Gresham [31]

WANTED—Fresh milk cows. T. R. Howitt, Gresham, Or.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—On ranch, to cook and keep house for two men. A widow preferred, not more than one child. No milking to do, only housework. Wages, \$15 per month. Address M. Pezolo & Co., R. F. D. No. 2, Barton, Oregon.

PASTURE FOR RENT—Good grass, running water, shade. Enquire Gresham drug store.

If you have any fat stock to sell, write or see T. R. Howitt at Gresham, Or., who will come and examine them at your ranch.

GILES BROTHERS, at Montavilla, for choicest meats. That's all.

MEN WANTED—For steady work at Columbia Brick Works, Hogan station near Gresham.

FOR SALE—One-half lot in business part of Gresham. Inquire at post-office.

FOR SALE—Eight dairy cows, singly or in a bunch, some fresh, all good milkers, must reduce herd. Apply at once to J. W. Townsend, Troutdale, Oregon. Phone, Farmers' 288.

FOR SALE—A car of draft and driving horses, all well broken, gentle. Call at farm eight miles east of Portland on Section line road. Phone Scott 44. Wm. Nagel.

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CAMPING PRIVILEGES, with wood and water, at Seaside, Ore., \$5 month. Address Mrs. Mary Leslie, Seaside, [33] Ore.

STRAYED—From my place in Powell valley, light red heifer about 18 months old. Finder call or phone C. R. Keller.

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Additional Gresham Locals

(Continued from First page.)

subscriptions, and one cash-in-advance renewal beside a goodly order for job printing. This is certainly substantial evidence of their appreciation of their home paper and causes the editor to feel that he has not labored in vain.

Born to the wife of Chas. Lewis, a girl.

The ladies of the Gresham Baptist church gave an ice cream social on the church lawn Tuesday evening and cleared nearly eight dollars. The people were well entertained through the evening with music by Gresham's fine big band and the Young People's orchestra. By the way, these young folks are certainly doing splendid work and it is hoped we will hear them again soon.

Ed Smith returned from a visit to his wife who is at Collins hot springs, Tuesday.

The Herald acknowledges a pleasant visit from Wm. Tassel, the new proprietor of the Cottrell store.

The Mt. Hood Railway Light and Power company have bought block 13 in the town of Fairview from A. L. Stone and will use it for depot grounds when their proposed line is in operation. They are buying the right of way along the lines of their new survey at very reasonable prices.

A Catch Crop. Sorghum is receiving favorable notice as a crop for late planting in the middle and northern states. There is frequent need for a crop which can be sown in midsummer after an early grain or hay crop or after other crops have been destroyed by hail, flood or insects. Early maturing varieties like Amber and Folger are well adapted for this purpose if sufficient moisture is present to insure germination. Deep planting may be necessary to reach such moisture. Sorghum grows well in summer weather.

One Way to Destroy To destroy the red ant, which is in summer months a great trouble to the gardener, place fresh meat bones where ants are found. They will soon collect in vast numbers on the bones and may be easily destroyed by dipping the bones in hot water, suggests R. H. in American Agriculture. Repeating the operation a few times will entirely do away with the pest.

Utility of Cultivation. In farming by irrigation thorough and frequent cultivation is of first importance. It not only prevents the escape of large quantities of soil moisture into the air in the form of vapor, but it greatly improves the condition of the soil.

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MONTAVILLA

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

C. E. Happersett and family of La Grande have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Happersett.

Mrs. Spencer of Corvallis, who has been visiting with Mrs. John Hoffman, returned to her home this week.

Miss Ruth Orburn is with friends at Seaview and will remain during month of August.

Rev. Mark Noble of Camas, Wash., visited Mr. and Mrs. Happersett this week.

Mr. Blackburn and daughter Lena went to Long Beach Monday for a few days' outing.

The members of the Junior Missionary class of the Baptist church went to the City Park for a picnic on July 31st.

The Methodist church last Friday night was well attended and very successful.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cobleigh have a young son.

The Methodist Sunday school will go on a picnic to Columbia Park on August 10th.

Mrs. E. F. Conner and son from Seattle are visiting at the home of Mrs. Hooker.

C. F. Weibusch's new houses on Yamhill street are ready for the plasterers.

Mrs. Villas took her Sunday school to Council Crest last Wednesday for an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wingert are expected home from Germany soon.

Mrs. Young's sister, Mrs. Smith, returned home from Seaside Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins and family have gone to Long Beach.

On Monday, August 15th, the ladies of the Degree of Honor spent a very pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hooker, 325 Misner street, the occasion being a surprise party in honor of Mrs. Gray's and Miss Cora Hooker's birthday. Each was remembered with a present from the lodge. Miss Sadie Gorfinkle rendered some very fine musical selections, as did also Lloyd and Miss Cora Frack. An elaborate lunch was served followed by singing by Mrs. Frack and Miss Cora Frack. All joined in a parting song and wished those in whose honor they met many happy returns of the day.

The little daughter of C. Bryson fell last Saturday receiving a severe sprain of the wrist.

Mrs. Leggie is building a new house on Grove street.

Rev. Gilman Parker and family, who were away camping on Gordon creek, were called home on account of the severe illness of Mr. Parker's father. The father is now better.

Fred W. Parker and family of Seattle, manager of the Crossett Hardware company, are visiting his father, Rev. Gilman Parker.

Rev. E. A. Smith of Arleta preached in the Baptist church Sunday evening in exchange with the pastor, Gilman Parker, who delivered an address at Arleta on the recent Baptist Young Peoples convention held in Spokane.

During the past six weeks there have been twelve accessions to the Baptist church.

C. H. Welch and wife have gone to Newport for a few week's outing.

F. J. Ryder and family have gone to Ocean Park for a vacation.

Gilman Parker's residence on Grove street is nearly finished.

Henry Handrup and family have moved to Molalla on a farm.

Alexander Scott of Portland has purchased two and a half acres of Mr. Stuman and has begun the erection of a \$4000 house.

At the Baptist church next Sunday morning Rev. Gilman Parker will speak on Faith. In the evening his subject will be, The Divine Origin of the Scriptures.

F. L. Newell is putting up a building for the manufacture of cement blocks and building materials.

Mrs. Hanson is building a barn on her lot at corner Base Line and Broad street and later will erect a house.

Alex Schwabauer, Geo. Newell, Floyd Perkins and Earl Perkins have gone for a two week's vacation to Ocean Park.

J. J. Herman and sons Vernal and Lloyd and Cecil, and Frank Barringer, will start Saturday in their launch for a fishing trip up Lewis river.

Theo. Roy has bought through Geo. F. Barringer a lot on Ebay street where he will build.

G. K. Howitt sold to Mr. Faber his residence lots last week which Mr. Faber will occupy at once. Mr. Howitt has bought two lots on Misner street where he is starting a house.

The grading on Misner street is finished and is ready for the cement sidewalks which will be put in by G. K. Howitt.

Dr. T. C. Mackey, a former resident of the villa, called on Dr. Warren this week.

M. Smyth has bought a lot on Ebay street and will build at once.

Aylsworth & Epton sold a tract at Rockwood Park on Tuesday to J. K. Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolls entertained on Tuesday evening Rev. and Mrs. H. Oberg.

Rev. J. A. Arnett of Oklahoma supplied the pulpit at the Methodist church

Sunday night. He has been visiting H. C. Miller.

Rev. H. Oberg has been suffering from a very severe cold this week.

Russellville Doings

Mrs. R. T. Marshall is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. J. Patterson, at Hillsboro.

Earl Brown, Walter Dee and Clayton Lewis are fishing and hunting over in Tillamook county.

R. T. Marshall entertained the Russellville dramatic club at his home on Wednesday night.

Mr. Gray, Mrs. Leander Lewis' father, is very ill at the home of his daughter.

Miss May Shumway of Pleasant Home is visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. Starr.

Grandma Lewis has returned from Long Beach where she has been spending a short vacation.

The Russellville grange will meet on next Saturday night.

Mrs. H. A. Lewis has been quite sick for the past week but is now improving.

Miss Laberta Brown, teacher of Latin in Whitman college, is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Lewis.

Board Wants Houses Renumbered

The meeting of the Montavilla Improvement Board was held last Monday night, W. C. Aylsworth acting as chairman in absence of the president.

The committee having in charge the opening of Pearl street reported that it now only waited the recommendation of the viewers. The same was reported in regard to the widening of Villa avenue from Meridian street to West avenue. It was decided to ask the city council to take up the matter of renumbering the houses in the villa in conformity with the usual city system.

The next meeting will be held August 19th.

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the hay is increased. The hay salted with 1 per cent salt is eaten by cattle and horses with pleasure, which is explained by the fact that animals which are fed a ration rich in potash have a natural craving for salt in order to keep their blood provided with the needed chlorine and soda which otherwise are lost by the assimilation of potash. "And as all grass and hay are relatively rich in potash, it seems natural to add the salt. When the salt is provided in shape of saltpetre, they are given a chance to indulge to excess in it, therefore it is better to give it to them by mixing it with the hay according to their requirements, which furthermore is a cheaper way. "If 1 per cent salt is used, the cattle will get 50 grains salt for every ten pounds of hay eaten, and that is the quantity required by cattle of average size. This may be increased by half when the feed is hard to digest.

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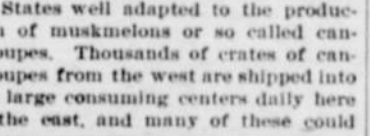
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