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A FEW MINUTES WITH THE EDITOR

TAKES BULL BY THE HORNS Timothy Brownhill of the Beaver State Herald failed to get a meeting of the citizens of Gresham to consider a proposition to celebrate Independence Day, and in his desperation he took the bull by the horns, so to speak, by ringing the town fire bell, which brought out the populace instanter. Timothy acknowledged to an irate member of the town council that he was the party that laid himself liable to a fine by sounding the tocsin, but invited the city dads along with others to meet in the hall immediately, which they did, and the consequence was they had a rousing meeting, followed by the largest and most enthusiastic celebration ever held in that part of the country. A short time ago Mr. Brownhill conceived an idea that it would be a splendid thing to hold a fair at Gresham this fall, and since the people have learned that he means business in anything he undertakes, they are falling in line and whooping 'er up for the fair without a call from the fire bell. They will have a successful fair too, and they will be so well pleased with it that they will want to hold one next year, when there will be more big pumpkins and pretty babies to show. Sure thing.—Newberg Graphic.

PROGRESSIVE NEWBERG Newberg, says the Graphic, is to have a cannery. The main building is already under way and is a big one, being 100x321 feet. The engine house is to be built away from the main building and will be 40x40 feet. Newberg is doubtless one of the foremost towns of the state. It has quite a number of manufacturing industries, all of which are there because the citizens of the town were not afraid to give time and money toward securing them. Newberg also has a college, high school, and other educational interests, a fine city water works, elegant church buildings, etc., that are second to none in the state, and this, mind you, in face of the fact that they have no saloons. A large factor in the upbuilding of Newberg is the Newberg Graphic, which has been published in that city for nearly 20 years and whose editor, E. H. Woodward, has always worked for a temperance town, an educational town, a manufacturing town and a progressive town. Such a paper as Mr. Woodward is publishing is a blessing to any town.

A Clackamas county paper is publishing a petition for a saloon license and in the list of petitioners we notice the names of Kenfrut, Noach, Blaske, Heinz, Yo-han, Joast, Fenski, Goebel, Koebel, Geipner, Manske, etc. Did we hear somebody assert that the saloon is an American institution?—Newberg Graphic.

It is not too early to begin to plan for your best exhibit at the coming County Fair. It doesn't matter what your business is.

TROUTDALE

S. S. Logan has lumber on the ground with which to erect a store building. The structure will be 28x50 feet and will be built by Troutdale carpenters. Mr. and Mrs. Logan are now keeping store in a tent and are doing a good business. Weinhardts expect to begin work on their three-story brick first of September. This will be built where Henry Latourel's saloon formerly stood. Mrs. A. T. Tiller expects to build a 30x50 foot building where the Helming hotel stood. Most of the buildings that were blackened by the fire have been repainted and the town is gradually recovering from the fire and is taking on a neat appearance. Miss Florence Stafford of Gresham, accompanied by Miss Mary Faucett of Seattle, Wash., were guests of relatives and friends here Sunday. Miss Edith Reynolds of Portland spent Sunday with her parents, G. N. Reynolds and wife. The Union Meat company received a shipment of 14 car loads of stock last Tuesday. Chas. Hoyt, formerly of Fairview, Minn., is very ill with appendicitis in the North Pacific Sanatorium and may not recover. His brother, Bert Hoyt, and wife of this place have been in town with him. His brother William of Maconash is also with him. He stopped off here on his way to Portland and gave his many friends a welcome surprise, as most of them had not seen him for ten years, when he left here, a boy. He is now married and has four children. Mrs. Alice Corter of Latourel is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Larson. Miss Grace Mickley has returned from a few days' visit with friends at Dayton, Or. S. J. Mickley and wife of Portland visited their son, Daniel Mickley on Sunday. A ball game between the woolpullers and the butchers, employees of the Union Meat Co., resulted in a victory for the butchers. A ballgame between Eagle Creek and Corbett was also played here Sunday. Mrs. James Pelton and children of Portland are guests of her parents, William Johnson and wife. Mrs. William Hursell will entertain the Ladies Aid society next Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 21. Mrs. Albert Kraus and children returned to her home at La Grande, Ore., after several weeks' visit with her parents, G. J. Funk and wife. Frank Porter is quite ill. Mrs. Clutterham, who has been spending a few weeks with her son, Fred Clutterham, started for her home in Chicago the first of the week. Her son accompanied her to Seattle. Mrs. Clutterham will visit in Seattle, Manitoba and Canada before returning home. Mrs. D. C. Allard and children of Dallas, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Frances Allard. G. Helming and wife of Marshfield are guests of Mr. Helming's brother, L. Helming. Mr. Stillson and wife have gone to Washington to spend the remainder of the summer on their farm. Mr. and Mrs. Butler of Forest Grove are guests of Henry Surber and wife. Miss Grace Mickley has been entertaining her friend, Miss Viola Gray of Dayton, Ore. Miss Pearl Coleman of Portland was a guest of her brother, E. Coleman, last week. William Johnson and wife have been entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Bessie Estes of Kalama. Misses Ella and Laura Bartrom of Albion have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Emma Scharf. H. A. Richardson and family were in Piedmont Wednesday night to attend the 20th wedding anniversary of Mr.

Richardson's brother, Angelo Richardson, and wife. James Latham has been sick for several days (not lovesick), but is now able to be at the shop again, directing the efforts of his increased force of up-to-date smiths. L. A. Harlow has returned from Long Beach, Washington, where he spent a very enjoyable vacation. Mrs. Harlow and the children will not return until the close of the beach season. Miss Margery Hampshire has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Flagel of Sunnyside, Wash.

FAIRVIEW

W. T. Sherwood has sold his property consisting of two lots and a cottage, situated on Main street, to H. S. Stone. Miss Grace Wilcox, of Hood River has rented the place for the winter. Miss Wilcox will have charge of the school here. Mr. Sherwood has purchased a house and two acres on the Base line road one mile east of Terry, a part of the original Bramhall farm. The Sherwoods will move to their new home soon. The Mason Construction company are preparing to erect a large warehouse on the property recently purchased by the Mt. Hood R. R. Co. from A. L. Stone. The building will be located near where the Mt. Hood spur joins the O. R. & N. track. The Mason Company have a complete line of groceries in the Axtell building and have opened up for business. The office of the Mason company is also in the building. Miss Nellie McConnell of Sellwood was a guest of Miss Clara Quinn the fore part of last week. Miss Eva Little of McMinnville college is spending a few days in Fairview, a guest of her uncle C. L. Smith. Mrs. Julia Snower and son Oral were in Fairview last week. Mrs. Snower has moved the remainder of her furniture she had stored here to Portland and will make her permanent home there. F. Sewald and family of Hampton, Minn., are guests of G. O. Dolph and family. The Sewalds and Dolphs are old acquaintances. They expect to remain in Oregon. Ralph Scott returned last week from a ten months' stay in California. Ralph has been employed in a Tulare bank. He expects to return to California to attend Occidental college this winter. His many friends here were pleased to see him again. H. B. Taylor of Iola, Wis., surprised his old friends and neighbors, E. Smith and wife, by dropping in on them very unexpectedly, bringing with him a Wisconsin breeze very welcome to the Smiths. Dr. A. O. Vincent wife and daughter of Portland were guests of relatives here on Sunday. Miss Susie Hall is very ill with pneumonia. Miss Daisy Wilcox spent a few days at LaFayette, returning home last Tuesday. Miss Alta Wilcox is working in the Journal contest and bids fair to win the scholarship in Oregon Conservatory of Music. Her many friends here are assisting her all they can. Mrs. James Lakay and baby of Stephens, Wash., made a short visit with her father, Frank Axtell, and her grandmother, Mrs. E. Smith. Her brother, Loyd Axtell, returned home with him Sunday to remain some time. G. R. Flanders and wife, of Gilliam county made a short visit with relatives here returning Monday morning. They attended the wedding of Lewis Flanders and Susie Ledbury. George and Lewis are brothers. Mrs. H. W. Wilson of Portland was looking for a vacant house here Sunday, but did not succeed in finding one. Grant Shaw and family have gone to southern Oregon on a trip to be absent some time. Mrs. H. Donley and children who have been spending several weeks with her mother, returned to their home in Walla Walla last week. Mr. Donley came down to accompany them home. A Zimmerman of Goldendale, Wash. visited his family here, Sunday. H. W. Wells of The Dalles, who is manager of the Sun dial ranch here, was a guest Sunday of C. L. Smith. Wayne Lewis of Woodard-Clarke's, Portland, was a Sunday guest of Earl Smith. Don't forget the concert to be given on Friday evening in the Presbyterian church under the direction of Mrs. A. L. Stone. Don't fail to give former address as well as new one in asking to have you Herald sent to new postoffice. Your wants supplied on page 8.

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Happy Family Reunion A happy family reunion was held at the home of Calvin Shepard last Saturday. The household of two members was swelled to thirteen. D. P. Shepard, wife and baby came out last Saturday to spend a few days with his parents. Dr. J. M. Valkinar, wife and daughter came down from Idaho to visit Mrs. Valkinar's parents. They will probably locate in St. Johns. C. G. Fancher, wife and three children of Fairview were present for the reunion.

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