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A FEW MINUTES WITH THE EDITOR

The man who does most for others—and the least for himself is the modest little quill pusher usually found behind the local weekly.

While all the grangers of the county of Multnomah have done nobly, Evening Star has certainly not fallen behind.

Of course some mistakes have occurred in the work of getting the big Fair on its feet.

At the last meeting of the Oregon Press association, it was decided to hold the next meeting in January at Portland.

Think of the showing made from one farm—milk, cream, butter, cheese, poultry, eggs, honey, chestnuts, walnuts, alfalfa, corn, oats, timothy, rye, clover, wheat, potatoes, celery, every kind of vegetable and fruit known to northern climate.

Those who are so set upon changing the names of Bullrun and Portland may do worse than read and abide by the sentiment contained in the twenty-fifth verse of the twenty-second chapter of Proverbs: "Remove not the ancient landmark, which thy fathers have set."

"I told you so." "It was bound to be a success, exceeded my fondest expectations," etc. etc., is heard on every hand.

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The fair association certainly owes a vote of thanks to the county press and especially to the dailies for their liberal donation of space to the exploiting of our first attempt along exhibition lines.

That was a fine looking couple who stood up before Justice Johnson, and the biggest and best natured crowd that ever gathered at one time in Gresham, last Saturday night.

It's a nice thing to get together once in a while over a well prepared meal and discuss things of interest to the community at large.

"Our Awakening." That's what Dr. Short calls the splendid showing recently made by our folks.

"Where no wood is, there the fire goeth out; so where there is no talebearer, the strife ceaseth."

"The rich and poor [should] meet together. The Lord is maker of them all."

No rest for the wicked. The Fair is over, but there is the cleaning up to do.

"A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in pictures of silver."

"If thou faint in the day of adversity, thy strength is small."

WHAT A FEW EXCHANGES SAY

something for shipment. For the small farmer of limited means perhaps the best feature of the matter is the comparatively small cost of the land.

This office is in receipt of a copy of the Daily Beaver State Herald, which is being published by Editor Brownhill during the time of the Gresham fair.

Portland, in company with all Multnomah County, has to take its collective hat off to Gresham, where is now in progress the Multnomah County Fair.

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has been in progress since Wednesday at Gresham more than surpassed the expectations of the management.

"It is fairly certain that we shall have another fair next year," said J. Johnson, president of the fair committee, last night.

"As far as can be determined at this time also fair has been a financial success and otherwise more successful than we expected.

Oldtimers who were out through the Powell's Valley region 20, 30 or 40 years ago, but not since, will find it interesting to go out to the fair at Gresham and see what a change has been wrought in these years.

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MULTNOMAH FAIR GRAND SUCCESS

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Horses. Standard bred mare with foal—1st, R. Wilson. 2nd, Chas. Cleveland. 3rd, J. Brown.

Standard bred colts, 2 yr. old—1st, J. S. Hall. 2nd, Mr. Kinney. (W. P.) 3rd, J. Brown.

Standard bred colts, 1 yr. old—1st, Paul Bliss. 2nd, C. A. Johnson. 3rd, J. Brown.

Standard bred mares, 3 yrs. and over—1st, R. Wilson. 2nd, Chas. Cleveland. 3rd, J. Brown.

Standard bred colts, 3 yrs. and over—1st, Gresham P. H. Association. 2nd, Wm. Brown. 3rd, J. Brown.

Standard bred colts, 2 yr. old—1st, B. C. Aultman. 2nd, B. C. Aultman. 3rd, J. Brown.

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Special Farm Display. H. E. Davis, Gresham, 1st; Gill Bros, Russellville, 2nd; Jno. Townsend, Clatsop, 3rd.

Barred Plymouth Rock. Cock—B. F. Keeney, Eugene, 1st, 2nd; L. D. Elliott, 3rd.

White Plymouth Rock. Cock—Windle Bros, Lents, 1st; E. H. Wehling, Gresham, 2nd; Take Bros, 3rd.

Buff Rocks. Cock—Windle Bros, Lents, 1st; S. E. Smith, Montavilla, 2d, 3d.

Partridge Wyandotte. Cock—S. E. Smith, Montavilla, 1st, 2d, 3d.

R. C. R. I. Reds. Cock—Jas. Rait, Oregon City, 1st, 2d, 3d.

S. C. Rhode Island Reds. Cock—E. M. Calkins, Lents, 1st; F. Alberta Poultry Yards, Arleta, 2d, 3d.

Blue Andalusian. Cock—E. E. Chipman, Gresham, 1st; Pullet—E. E. Chipman, Gresham, 1st, 2d, 3d.

S. L. Wyandotte. Cock—T. A. Ball, Portland, 1st, 2d, 3d.

Black Leghorns. Cock—E. E. Chipman, Gresham, 1st; Pullet—E. E. Chipman, Gresham, 1st, 2d, 3d.

American Dominique. Cock—Take Bros, 1st. Hen—Take Bros, 1st.

Gray Gull Ducks. Young—H. Rinchome, two lots, 1st. White Orpington. Cock—Windle Bros, Lents, 1st, 2d, 3d.

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R. C. Buff Leghorns. Cock—W. Cleveland, Gresham, 1st; Hen—E. H. Bauer, Portland, 1st.

Figeons. H. C. Shelhouse, Portland. Old Pouters—1st cock; 1st hen, E. H. Bauer, Portland.

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