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GRESHAM, OREGON

GRESHAM'S CITY DADS HAVE TOWN AFFAIRS WELL IN HAND

Three Councilmen and Marshal Elected—Good Number of Votes Cast.

At the Gresham municipal election held last Tuesday afternoon, Lewis Shattuck, F. B. Stuart and Chas. Littlepage were elected councilmen, and Henry Gulickson, marshal. The vote follows: For marshal, Henry Gulickson, 67; For Councilman, Lewis Shattuck, 41; F. B. Stuart, 43; Chas. Littlepage, 41; J. W. Lawrence, 40; J. N. Bramhall, 30; G. W. Kenney, 27; Gust Larson, 5; Frank Esquillar, 1.

Council Has Under Consideration Ordinances to Improve the Town.

Council met Tuesday night and adjourned till Wednesday night. At the adjourned meeting little was done save canvass the vote of the previous day, pass on bills due and talk over the light and power ordinance and as to whether any more saloon licenses would be issued.

CITY FATHERS ELECTED IN GROWING TROUTDALE

Mayor Aaron Fox Re-Elected—J. H. Hoyt, Recorder and Bowen Marshal.

TROUTDALE, ORE., Dec. 4, 1907.—The town of Troutdale has just held its first municipal election with a full ticket in the field. The former election being contingent on the court granting the incorporation, all who were elected at that time will go out of office on Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1908, and those just elected will then take office.

WILL DEMONSTRATE FRUIT POSSIBILITIES

Well Known Orchardist Will Make East Multnomah Famous for Fruit.

A deal of considerable importance to the whole of eastern Multnomah county was consummated the first of the week by which E. P. Smith of the Eastwood nurseries of Rockwood takes full charge of the planting and caring of twenty acres of commercial orchard for Mrs. Marie Curtis of Portland, who is the owner of a lovely farm at Curtis station on the O. W. P. Troutdale extension.

In buying CHRISTMAS PRESENTS something useful is apt to appeal to people of good judgement. We have various lines of up-to-date goods that make
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Full Line of Dependable Groceries, Confectionery, Etc.
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The Mount Hood Railway suspended operations but
The Home Bakery
is still doing business at the old stand.
Old-Fashioned Baked Pork and Beans to order Saturdays
All Goods Fresh H. P. HATCH, Proprietor, Powell St., Gresham, Ore.

Take Notice I have just installed Horseshoeing Stocks, and am now prepared to shoe the most vicious as well as the gentle horse. I have also a modern forge, tire setting machine and other up-to-date tools and machines which, with additional help, places us in a position to do good blacksmithing on short notice. Vehicles painted.
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A GOOD MAGAZINE
SUBSCRIPTIONS TAKEN FOR ALL MAGAZINES AND PERIODICALS
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Footpads Ply Their Trade at Night.

John M. Levell, employed at Camp 4, was held up and shot Saturday night about 7 o'clock, by a fellow laborer, who seems to have recently turned foot pad, as his methods were not of the approved type prevalent in this country.

School Census Shows Gain.

The school census for District No. 4 is now complete and ready to be submitted to the district board. The new law requires that the census be taken with reference to November 25th and the facts secured on or as near that date as possible.

Gresham Grange Will Elect.

The election of officers at Gresham grange will take place December 14th. Several candidates will be initiated, and all members are requested to be on time at 10:30 a. m., and to participate in the contest, or the grange will not win a premium.

GRESHAM LIBRARY FILLING GREAT NEED
Is Well Patronized—Children Listen to Interesting Talks by Children's Librarian.

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When in Gresham Patronize the
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For Sale, 346 Acres
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J. H. Chalker
GRESHAM, OREGON

The injured man is recovering from a flesh wound in the leg. The shooting occurred near O. L. Neal's house on the Stanley cross road. Mr. Neal brought the injured man to town where he was given medical attention, after which he was taken to the Good Samaritan hospital.

The clerk notices a growing desire to get into the Gresham district. This, with the increased enrollment, is a hopeful sign.

at the residence of D. W. MacKay Melrose Y. P. S. C. E. Invites you all to come and see Our "Shoe Social" with lots of fun; We'll gladly welcome everyone.

Miss Harriet Hassler lectured to the school children on Tuesday afternoon at the reading room. She told the younger children a fairy tale, while the older ones were entertained with "King Arthur's Court." Both stories were very highly appreciated by the pupils and the results were much better than the last time, when all listened to the same story.

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Gresham Barber Shop
Complete work of all kinds neatly and quickly done. Barbers honed and put in order. Next door to Gresham Hotel.
Robert H. Childers, Prop.
GRESHAM, OREGON

After scouring his booty the footpad fled into the woods. Sheriff Stevens was notified and immediately sent word to the sheriffs of the surrounding counties to be on the lookout for him.

Rockwood Grange will give another of its unique socials on New Year's eve. It will be a hard time affair until midnight, at which hour the management will be turned over to the women in recognition of their leap year prerogatives.

Friday, the 13th is the date, Merriment promptly starts at eight. We'll simply measure the length of your shoe And a penny an inch we will charge to you.

This was Miss Hassler's last lecture as she intends going to New York soon, where she will fill a much better position than she now occupies. The children were very much disappointed to learn that this was Miss Hassler's last lecture.

Choice 20-Acre Tract NEAR GRESHAM. FOR SALE
If you want a Snap here's your chance
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GRESHAM, OREGON

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Undertakers and Embalmers
Complete stock of coffins and furnishings. Home furnished if desired. Calls promptly attended. Gresham, Or.

Lloyd Tegart, son of Richard Tegart, of Rockwood, was held up on Monday night at about 6:30 on the Base Line road a mile above Rockwood. The robber, who was unmasked, secured some change, amounting to almost a dollar, and a pocket knife.

Amusements there will be galore. And all that you can eat, and more; Bring your friends that you may choose; And do not come without your shoes!

Another One
On the 14th of December there will be at Metzger's hall another one of those good times to be had at a dance. Helty's orchestra of Portland will furnish the music. So don't fail to come and enjoy yourself. Ed Metzger, Mgr

Miss Rockwood, reference librarian of the Portland library, spent part of Wednesday afternoon at the reading room. She also met Professor Baker and the Debating society, and brought them reference books for the coming debate.

DR. MRS. RAMSEY
Osteopathic Physician
Mondays and Fridays at Mrs. F. B. Stuart's GRESHAM.

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Long Distance Phone Gresham, Ore.

It was so dark at the time that the boy could not see well enough to give a description of the robber, who has not been heard from since.

The patient, kindly smile will be seen no more and the children, for whom the utmost sympathy is felt, will not realize their great loss until years have brought them yearning for the touch of the vanished mother hands.

G. W. Wilcox, of Clonoe, was a Gresham visitor on Tuesday. Mr. Wilcox recently came to Oregon from Iowa.

Following is the monthly report of the Gresham library for the month of November, 1907:
Attendance, 981. Circulation of Portland books: Fiction, 190; Non-fiction, 125. Circulation of Gresham books: Fiction, 4; Non-fiction, 2; Total circulation, 321. New members, 44.

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All kinds repairing quality done.
GUST LARSON, Prop., Gresham

Last Tuesday night about 12 o'clock, Mrs. L. Barnes, living on Hood avenue, was awakened by a noise made by some prowler. Thinking that it might be her son she called to him but received no answer. She immediately concluded that it was some one bent on mischief, and with her niece fled through the front door to the neighbors. The burglar effected an entrance but was evidently frightened away as no trace of him was found.

The interment took place November 29 at the Montavilla cemetery. The young child is being carried for by Mr. Johnson's mother.

Master Guy Jones shouldered his gun the other day and started out to kill some birds. He returned home in a very short time with a 15 pound coon on his back.

young folks were masked. The prizes were awarded as follows: Gent's prize, for best represented costume, Charles Merrill; Ladies' prize, for best represented costume, Miss Floy Johnson.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
GRESHAM, OREGON
Sunday School at 10 a. m. H. L. St. Clair, superintendent. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursdays evenings, at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody invited.
Dr. A. Thompson, Pastor.

Services at Gresham Baptist Church
Sunday School, every Sunday, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. R. V. P. L. Cottage Tractor meeting, Thursday night. All cordially invited to attend any or all of these services.
REV. T. B. ANTHONY, Pastor

Passes to the Great Beyond
August J. Teitz, an aged resident of Sandy ridge, died Wednesday morning from injuries sustained Tuesday by falling on a hot stove. His death was a sad one. After being sick and helpless for some time, it is supposed that he had been sitting by the stove and attempted to get up and in so doing fell on the stove. Deceased was a member of the Masons, who conducted the funeral services from Sandy Furniture Company's Undertaking parlors. Judge Ryan and Professor Gary, county school superintendent, officiated.

United in Marriage.
Mrs. Jessie Bramhall and Elmer Phelps were married at Troutdale last Friday. Mrs. Bramhall formerly lived at Ains. Mr. Phelps is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Phelps of Bull Run. They have the best wishes of their many friends.

GRESHAM LOCALS
G. W. Wilcox, of Clonoe, was a Gresham visitor on Tuesday. Mr. Wilcox recently came to Oregon from Iowa.

Clarence Cathey has his new potato house completed and well filled, having over 2200 bushels.

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Camps on the railway line will curtail expenses by cutting down the force as work cannot be carried on to advantage, in this country, during the winter.

At an special council meeting held last Monday night Messrs. J. W. Shattuck, W. H. Bond and Orland Thomas were appointed judges and David Culy and Seth Barnes, clerks of the election held in Gresham last Tuesday.

An east wind and a small blaze on the roof of the old Methodist church last Monday morning were the cause of more than usual excitement among the citizens of Gresham. A liberal dose of fluid from the chemical engine in the hands of the

Mr. and Mrs. Hevel spent last Saturday with her sister, Mrs. O. Zeek, of Pleasant Home.

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A GOOD CITIZEN
DANIEL WEBSTER recognized the value of banks in a community and could he address the people he would doubtless address them much as he did when he described that act of Jackson's administration which took the government's money out of the United States banks and locked it up in sub-treasuries. He said:
"It abandons all the sentiments of civilized mankind on the subject of credit and confidence, and carries us back to the dark ages. The first that we hear is of safes and vaults and cells and cloisters. From the intellectual it goes back to the physical age. From commerce and credit returns to hoarding and hiding, from confidence and trust it retreats to bolts and bars, to locks with double keys and to pains and penalties for touching the hidden treasure. It is a measure fit for the times when there is no security in law, no value in commerce, no active industry among mankind. Here it is altogether out of time and place"

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