

Want Column

Wanted, For Sale, Lost, Found, Etc.

All local advertisements are run under this head at the rate of ONE CENT A WORD EACH WEEK. No ad. published for less than 10 cents. Cash in advance except to regular advertisers. If you have anything to sell, or wish to buy anything, or have lost anything, TRY A "WANT AD." in this column. The results will surprise you. Cash or postage stamps.

WANTED—Will buy fat hogs for cash or trade feed or groceries at Portland prices. R. Tassell, Cottrell and Boring.

PAGE WOVEN WIRE FENCE, Guaranteed. Chas. Cleveland, agent, Gresham, Ore.

LOST—Two sows, one weighs about 165 or 170 lbs. and other about 65 lbs. Black. Phone or write Emil Olson, Troutdale road.

WANTED—Fresh milk cows and beef cattle. T. K. Howitt, Gresham, Ore.

FOR SALE—Four-horse power mill, all complete. John A. Richey, Barton, Ore.

THE ELITE ICE CREAM PARLORS at Montavilla has been bought and is being run under new management by Joe Holder. Give him a call.

FOR SALE—Corner lot in Regner's Addition, \$200. Terms. Enquire of Edgar Colvin, Hogan.

FOR SALE—Fresh cow. Mrs. Ida Hamilton, Gresham, Route 3.

FOR SALE—Full-blood Jersey Bulls, Poland China Boar Pigs, and Plymouth Rock Cockerels. B. C. Altman, Gresham.

FOR SALE—Three mattresses and three sets of springs as good as new. Enquire of Mrs. Chas. Johnson, Gresham.

FOR SALE—Good paying business in this territory, or will trade for farm or city property. Apply at Herald office.

FOUND—Pair of spectacles by N. Mewhitter. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this ad. Enquire at Herald office.

WANTED—500 families in Gresham and vicinity to try Cupid Flour. Ask your grocer for it.

Auctioneer

40 Years' Experience
Satisfaction Guaranteed
Terms Very Reasonable
Call at my place on Base Line Road.
Phone or Write, Phone Farmers 301.

A. Watson

Route 1, GRESHAM, ORE.

THEO. ROY
340 Hubbard Street
Would like to figure on your
PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING

Everybody Enjoys Home Cooking
The place to find it is at
Montavilla's New Hotel
Meals and rooms by day, week or month. A. E. HERMAN, Prop.
End of car line, Hubbard St., Montavilla

UPPER LATOURELL

W. Deaver was in Portland on business one day this week.

Victor Ellis became a full-fledged member of Columbia grange Saturday.

A masquerade is the next thing that is to be held at Columbia grange hall, the directors having charge of the affair.

Rev. G. Houghton held services at the Mountain schoolhouse last Sunday.

Mrs. Lottie Benfield and son Lewis spent Sunday evening at the Anderson home.

Eva Reed, who has long been ill, is progressing slowly but surely.

Stella Anderson entertained a few friends on her 17th birthday.

Several people in this vicinity have been afflicted with the grip but we hope to see them around again soon.

Miss Cecelia Woodward of Portland is home for a visit.

Columbia grange spent a pleasant day last Saturday. Considerable business was transacted and the lecture hour was enjoyed by all present. Delegates for the county were allotted as follows: Mrs. C. J. Littlepage, F. Benfield and Mrs. P. Anderson. The grange will give a Leap Year social for the members and their immediate families next Saturday evening after the initiation of a few members.

O. Bodeen made a trip to Troutdale on business recently.

O. Westlund worked at the church grounds last Monday and J. C. Wilson hauled the silos for the church.

J. Johnson has gone to Sweden to live. O. Bodeen took him to Portland last Thursday.

C. Salzman is plowing for A. Gaultitz.

F. Etling's children are sick with the grip.

Wm. Wash has two men slashing brush along his fences.

EGYPT

E. Crosby's father came home last Thursday.

L. Westlund delivered a load of potatoes to A. Paulsen at Montavilla last week.

A. Bulay gave a dance at his home Saturday evening.

MONTAVILLA

Dan McMillan sold out his restaurant on the Base Line road on January 28th to Jos. Holder of Portland. Mr. Holder formerly kept a road house near Elliott's store in Powell Valley.

Yager Brothers, our enterprising bakers, have installed a new graphophone and play to a full house every evening.

A. Cleveland recently purchased four acres on West and Villa avenues, and will take possession in about a month. He is now living on the place he bought of Geo. Barringer.

Mrs. Geo. Sloan is suffering with a very severe cold.

A man who lost some chickens recently had the good luck to buy some more of the same breed a day or two later and after an investigation it was found that he had bought his own fowls back.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Green and daughter Mamie attended church in north Portland last Sunday and then they attended a surprise party in Woodlawn at the residence of C. Oberg. About 35 people were present. Mr. Oberg received a morris chair, a gold watch chain and fob and book stand. All had an enjoyable time.

Geo. Howitt has taken the contract of grading Ebey street from the Base Line road to Villa avenue and has several men and teams at work.

Several parties in this place have been losing chickens recently and they have the guilty party spotted.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McMillan went on a pleasure trip to Council Crest last Sunday.

Fred Green has moved his harness shop into the Lewis building.

Mrs. Frank Hallock is at Newberg, where she was called last week on account of the severe illness of her father.

The public library moved into new quarters on February 1st. They are now in Warren's hall and on the evening of February 1st gave an entertainment. Refreshments were served and all had a good time.

Raymond Daniels has been quite sick with the grip.

Mrs. Hooker and her daughters, Mrs. Frack and Mrs. Yeigh, spent Wednesday of last week with Mrs. Wingert.

Rev. W. B. Hollingshead preached at the Methodist church last Sunday.

Captain Larkin, who dropped dead at the wheel of the steamer Larline while taking the steamer through the draw of Borside bridge last week, was a brother of Mrs. Moulter, who is well known in the Villa. Mrs. Moulter has the sympathy of a host of friends.

Mrs. Miller and daughter Maud, who expect to move to Clackamas soon, have been visiting Mrs. Hooker.

Mr. Farrier's son, who has been in the hospital for two weeks, has returned home much improved.

Chas. Cleveland has put in a line of his Page woven wire fence on Division street and a new wire fence ornaments his front yard. Recent changes have been made by which his lane has been moved about 20 feet west and the rose garden is now included in the front yard.

Ed. Littlepage, David Manary, Chas. Littlepage, John Brown, Fred Merrill, Dr. W. C. Belt, Alex. Barr, F. H. Rix and Timothy Brownhill, were among the attendees at the last meeting of the Portland Union Republican Club.

Mrs. Yost and daughter of University Park were guests of Mrs. T. Meade on Saturday.

Mrs. A. Thompson, who has been visiting her son, Dr. Fred Thompson and his wife, at Woodland, Washington, returned this week and reported that Dr. Fred Thompson had recently passed the Washington State Board of Medical examinations at Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Meade were Portland visitors on Monday.

G. W. Alder, of Troutdale, made us a very pleasant call on Tuesday.

Gust Carlson has rented his place near Pleasant Home, and will have an auction sale of farm implements, stock etc., on Feb. 18. He will spend some time in Iowa and then return to Oregon again.

The report of Gresham reading room for the month of January, 1908, is as follows: total circulation, 828; attendance, 1661; registration, 49.

Mrs. J. C. Allen has been quite ill the past week with the grip.

The Misses Lizzie and Marguerite Johnston of Portland spent Wednesday evening with Miss Floy Johnson.

W. H. Holder of Estacada in ordering his local advertisement out says, "Results come from advertising in the Beaver State Herald." That's the usual testimony.

Mrs. Jone McCall has received the appointment of postmaster here.

Mrs. Chas. Johnson, secretary of the Gresham Artisan lodge, announces nine candidates from the Gresham assembly for initiation at the district meeting to be held at Cleone, Saturday night, Feb. 8.

A. B. Craft, a wealthy farmer of Rutledge, Sherman county has traded farms with F. A. Bauman of Pleasant Valley. Both parties will take possession of their new properties this month. We regret to lose friend Bauman, but we are getting a No. 1 man in friend Craft, whom the editor has known for a good many years.

Mrs. B. W. Emery has been visiting friends in Portland the past week.

Grangers should take The Herald.

Surprise Party at Eagle Creek.
A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Robertson at their home in Eagle Creek, Saturday evening, February 1. The evening was spent in dancing, singing, and games. At midnight all enjoyed a most beautiful repast.

Guests were present from Gresham, Portland and Eagle Creek.

The party did not break up until the wee small hours of the morning. All enjoyed a very pleasant time.

COLUMBIA VIEW

Mrs. Lewis Harlow of Troutdale was a visitor at the Reynolds ranch Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Powell has his new house completed and will move in soon.

A. McCall is clearing up his place and intends to set part of it to a cherry orchard.

Raleigh Watson has entirely recovered from the mumps and is now attending school again.

Mrs. Sam Wood, who has been quite ill, is now on the road to recovery.

R. C. Lovelace shot a fine lot of duck Thursday on the Reynolds duck lakes.

Chas. Wood visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wood, Sunday.

A. Ledbury finished his shipment of 500 sacks of potatoes last week.

Rural Route Patrons, Attention!

Postmasters Harlow of Troutdale, McColl of Gresham and Martindale of Cleone desire to call attention to the practice of some patrons of rural delivery of placing loose coins in their boxes each time they desire to dispatch letters instead of supplying themselves with postage in advance of their needs.

This practice imposes undue hardship on rural carriers in removing loose coins from boxes and delays them on the service of their routes.

The postmasters, therefore, urgently request that patrons of rural delivery provide themselves and keep on hand a supply of stamps consistent with and in advance of their needs. It is also very desirable that rural patrons place in their mail boxes small detachable cups of wood or tin in which to place coins, when necessary in purchasing supplies of stamps.

FREE LIBRARY HELPS MANY.

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to draft constitution and by-laws. On November 13th a constitution and by-laws were adopted and a committee appointed to nominate a Board of Directors of nine persons and report at a subsequent meeting. This committee reported on Jan. 6, 1908. The report was adopted and the following persons were elected directors: Rev. C. A. Nutley, Mrs. J. W. Shattuck, Mrs. A. Meyers, Mrs. Hattie Westell, Miss Lucy Gedamke, Dr. A. Thompson, Dr. J. M. Short, Mrs. M. Clannahan and D. J. Culy.

The first officers of the association were, president, Dr. J. M. Short, vice-president, Mrs. M. Clannahan; treasurer, D. J. Culy; secretary, H. L. St. Clair. An additional 100 books were soon secured from the Portland library, making a total of 150. Besides these several valuable books were donated to the Gresham Library association. In September, 1906, H. L. St. Clair resigned as custodian. The association authorized the opening of the reading room on Wednesday evening and Saturday afternoon and evening, and the securing of a custodian at \$1 a week. Up to this time many persons had given care to the reading room gratis. Miss A. B. Culy was secured as custodian, which position she held until March, 1907.

In December, 1906, the directors rented the back part of the room in the Metzger building where the library now is, cleaned it and fitted it up for a reading room. An "at-home" was given there December 15th which was attended by 30 or 40 persons.

In January, 1907, new officers were chosen as follows: president, Rev. C. A. Nutley; vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Shattuck; treasurer, Mrs. Hattie Westell; secretary, Mrs. Hattie Brownhill; J. W. Shattuck, R. R. Carlson and Mrs. Lena St. Clair were elected directors for three years in the place of Mrs. Westell, Mrs. Shattuck and Dr. A. Thompson, whose terms had expired. At this meeting resolutions were received from the Odd Fellows lodge and from the Gresham Development league assuring the library association of the hearty co-operation of these organizations. A number of men proved their sincerity by paying the initiation fee and a year's dues and becoming members of the association. Soon after this the city council passed an ordinance granting to the library association the sum of \$5 a month to be used toward the maintenance of a reading room. Next came the offer on the part of the Portland Library association to pay for the services of a librarian every afternoon and evening of the week and to give her special training, provided the books could be placed in a suitable room. After much discussion the directors decided to rent the lower part of the building one door east of the city hall. One dozen new chairs were purchased, two large reading tables were donated by E. C. Lindsey, the reading room was neatly furnished and on the evening of April 3d the formal opening was attended by a large and enthusiastic crowd. A piano had been secured by C. A. Nutley and B. W. Emery for the occasion and the Gresham orchestra furnished music. Mrs. Hattie Westell was appointed the first custodian under the new regime. In July, 1907, on account of the removal of Rev. C. A. Nutley the association was left without a president. At a meeting of directors Mrs. Westell was elected director and Mrs. Lena St. Clair president in his place.

The location of the reading room did not prove satisfactory because of the probability of the building being sold at any time, and when in August it was learned that the present reading room could be rented, the directors immediately secured it. It was remodeled and painted and new bookcases built at a cost of about \$40. The reading room was reopened in its present quarters September 1, 1907. Mrs. Westell resigned as custodian and on November 4th Miss A. B. Culy was appointed in her place.

During the year the sum of \$32 was received from the Fourth of July committee and the proffer was made by Dr. Short of a lot near the First State Bank for the erection of a library building.

During the present month the bequest of \$25 from the estate of Mrs. M. K. Howitt has been paid.

The library association owes very much to all those who by their interest and unselfish efforts have helped to place the library where it is today. The good that has been done to the people of this vicinity cannot be measured. Especially is it indebted to Miss Isom, the Portland librarian, and to Miss Fox, the County librarian, who have labored earnestly for the upbuilding of this branch, and whose unflinching enthusiasm have encouraged when the prospects were darkest.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. LENA ST. CLAIR, Pres.

Subscribe for The Herald.

Musicals.

A very fine Musicals will be given at the Gresham Methodist church, Friday night, Feb. 14th at 8 p. m., consisting of solos, duets, ladies' quartet, male quartet from Taylor street church, Miss Wiseman, violinist, and Miss Henderson, reader, of Portland. Benefit Methodist church. Admission 25c, reserved seats 35c, children 15c. Tickets at Drug store.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the district school board of School District No. 107, Clackamas county, Oregon, until March 15, 1908, for the contract to build a schoolhouse, said building to be completed by August 1, 1908. Plans and specifications can be seen at the residence of the undersigned at Cottrell on and after February 15th. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Directors,
J. R. HALL, Dist. Clerk.
Orient, Ore., Route 1.

Ding! Dong! "Forms closed!"—Here you get busy and plane down these forms." Chuck, puff, from the engine, r-r-rump, from the press, and the Herald is ready for mailing.

Pleasant Valley Grange's Prize Baby

Pleasant Valley grange has the unique distinction of having a fine prize-winning baby boy named by it. When Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Kesterson took their four-week's old baby to grange for the first time the question as to what he should be named arose. The grange decided to name him. The vote between the names of its father and that of Willard U. Moore, the popular storekeeper, resulted in a tie. The question was finally decided by another vote being cast which resulted in the boy being named Willard Loren Kesterson. Soon after this Master Willard was entered in the baby show at the grange fair at Gresham where he won first prize in his class. The grange is very proud of its baby and naturally takes a great interest in telling visitors all about him. Master Willard is the only baby in the United States to be so honored.



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Register Now

You cannot vote on last year's registration

E. E. Ericson

of the Ericson Undertaking Co.
N. P. Bldg., 409 11 Alder Street

Republican Candidate for the nomination of

County Coroner

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WELCH THE AMERICAN CLOTHIER

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H. A. LEWIS, Proprietor

Montavilla Station, - PORTLAND, OREGON

Offers a good variety of fruit trees, ornamental shrubs and berry plants.

Write for particulars and price list.

AUCTION SALE

AT

The John Conley Farm

On the Base line Road, 1-4 Mile East of 12-Mile House

Friday, Feb. 14, at 11 a.m.

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| 1 Th'bred Berkshire Boar, 1 yr. | 3 Grade Milch cows |
| 2 " " Sows, 1 yr. | 3 " coming 2-yr. old heifers |
| 5 Grade Poland China Sows | Lot Cotswold Sheep |
| 7 Th'bred Young Jersey Milch Cows | 1 Registered Cotswold buck, 2 yr. |
| 1 " " " bull | 1 SPAN WORK HORSES, wt. 2500 |
| 5 " " " heifer calves | 1 ALTAMONT BROOD MARE 10 yr. |
| 2 " 2-yr. old heifers | |

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| 1 Farm Wagon, 3 1-2 axle and hayrack. | 1 Set Double Work Harness. | 1 Single Buggy Harness. |
| 1 Top Buggy. | 1 Saddle. | 1 Cider Mill. |
| 1 Wheelbarrow. | | |
| Miscellaneous Farm Tools. | Household Furnishings. | Hay, Grain and Farming Implements. |

Sale by Instructions of E. A. Sissions, Owner. TERMS, Cash. Lunch Served.

Reached by Estacada cars, on O. W. P. Wagon will Meet 10:30 Car at Gresham.

J. T. WILSON, Auctioneer.

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