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EDITORIAL COMMENT

The Sandy Valley Fruit Growers' association will meet Saturday. Everybody from Gresham to Mount Hood is invited. The association now includes 20 members and others are solicited. The association hopes to show that the fine soil and climate of the Sandy valley can grow just as good fruit as any man's country, if the details of production are mastered. We hope to have more complete reports of their work in the future.

The editor spent two days in eastern Multnomah and northern Clackams counties this week. It is two years since we have been through this territory and the improvement observed compares favorably with other portions of the county. New houses and barns are to be seen along the way and one sure index of a growing population is the improvements on school buildings at Cottrell, Kelso and District 28 to accommodate the new pupils. An unusual amount of clearing has been done the past season and roads are being improved at various points along the way. Everything points to future prosperity. Soil and nature are in our favor. If we have the will to make use of them, no portion of Oregon will ever surpass us for beauty of landscape, productiveness and wealth.

As a means of stimulating an interest in this part of the country and of creating a desire to build nice homes, "The Herald" man will offer to photograph your place, if you will pay for the cut, to run in the paper. Ordinarily such a photo would cost you \$1.50 to \$2. By this offer only material would be charged against the one having the cut made, and you have a very fine opportunity to show people what kind of a place you have.

"GRESHAM MAY BE SKIPPED," ETC.

Under this head our attention is attracted by an article in a recent issue of the Oregonian, regarding the Mt. Hood railway troubles at Gresham. We hope the difficulty is exaggerated. In fact, we think it is, but there is great danger in holding out too long. We know of a very desirable townsite in Washington that failed to develop because ONE short-sighted property owner thought he had a "corner" on the only spot available. The town went elsewhere and lots are now selling cheaper than they did twenty-five years ago. This is a matter of public good, is for the entire community, and one or two persons should not consider their private interests superior to the general welfare. We cannot afford to lose the road. These particular persons cannot afford to lose it, and they should hesitate before carrying their desires to an extremity. We quote from the article in question:

The Mt. Hood Railway and Power company may build around the town of Gresham because of difficulties in getting rights of way along the route already mapped out that would take the line through that city. General Manager Miller would skip Gresham altogether because of trouble over getting rights of way. Five property holders, covering about three-quarters of a mile of the route of the road, having refused to come to terms with the company, and the questions involved must be fought

through the courts if the original survey is followed.

What make it particularly embarrassing to the Mt. Hood company is that the property owners have secured the hearing of these cases for September, making it impossible for the construction forces to grade the line across the disputed tracts during the summer.

Further delay to the building of the railroad, that may postpone its completion for months, is the fact that the early construction of this piece of line is desired in order to haul steel over it to lay the track east of Gresham, where the grade is already built and awaits the laying of rails. Carloads of rails are arriving in the city from the eastern manufacturers, but they cannot be used until they are hauled out to where they are needed.

The property owners who will not agree to the railroad company's price, hope because of these facts to influence the company to come to terms, but General Manager Miller declares he is more likely to build around Gresham and leave these obdurate property owners off the line of the road.

The unusual wager laid by our friends, Mr. St. Clair and Dalles Simonsen, was paid on Monday evening by Mr. St. Clair. It attracted a large crowd which good-naturedly observed the miscellaneous procession. It isn't everyone who would submit to becoming the object of so much fun, but so long as it was good-natured merriment Mr. St. Clair was willing to pay his wager. Never mind, perhaps someone else will pay the wager next time.

GET BUSY.

Don't sit down in silent woe;
Get busy;
Swear you'll get another show;
Get busy;
Luck will stop and smile on you,
If you'll stand a knock or two;
Don't give up and don't get blue;
Get busy.

Start something. Stir something up;
Get busy;
Upset Melancholy's cup;
Get busy;
Fortune loves the busy bee,
Plum chock-full of energy;
Face the rough-house cheerily;
Get busy.

Stagnant waters do not flow;
Get busy;
Microbes in the slow blood grow;
Get busy;
Microbes of the wretched blues,
Where despair discouraged brews;
Shake the moss roots from your shoes;
Get busy.

Here's your creed and here's your tip:
Get busy;
Practice that stiff upper lip;
Get busy;
Here's a prophecy for you:
If you'll only up and DO,
You'll triumphantly go through;
GET BUSY!

—CHAS. M. FISCH, SAN FRANCISCO.

The question as to whether advertising pays is an open one. We have never had much occasion to advertise yet our experience leads us to think it does pay. We were led to make our first, second and third investment in real estate in this country through the offerings of a live advertiser. The singular thing about advertising is that you never can tell just how it is going to help you, nor when. It may bring immediate results and it may be months hence. The following, clipped from the Telegram is a singular evidence of the value of advertising:

Through the casual exchange of newspapers by two sailing vessels in the middle of the Indian Ocean, the sale of a piece of property in New York's suburbs has just been effected. A four-line advertisement had been inserted by the owner of the property in

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(Granges are requested to send to The Herald information so that a brief card can be run under this heading free. Send place, day and hour of meeting.)

MULTNOMAH GRANGE, NO. 71. Meets the fourth Saturday in every month at 10:30 a. m. in Campbell's hall, Orient.

CLACKAMAS GRANGE meets first Saturday at 10:30 a. m., and third Saturday at 7:30 p. m.

PLEASANT VALLEY GRANGE, NO. 348. Meets second Saturday at 7:30 p. m., and fourth Saturday at 10:30 a. m. every month.

ROCKWOOD GRANGE. Meets the first Wednesday of each month at 8 p. m. and third Saturday at 10:30 a. m., third Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, each month.

FAIRVIEW GRANGE. Meets first Wednesday at 10:30 a. m., third Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, each month.

RUSSELLVILLE GRANGE, NO. 330. Meets in Russellville schoolhouse on the second and fourth Saturday nights in each month.

EVENING STAR GRANGE. Meets in their hall at South Mount Taber on the first Saturday of each month at 10 a. m. All visitors are welcome.

GRESHAM GRANGE. Meets second Saturday in each month at 10:30 a. m.

DAMASCUS GRANGE, NO. 200. Meets first Saturday each month.

LENTS GRANGE. Meets second Saturday of each month at 10:30 a. m.

CLACKAMAS GRANGE, NO. 28. Meets the fourth Saturday in the month at 10:30 a. m. and the third Saturday at 7:30 p. m.

COLUMBIA GRANGE, NO. 267. Meets in all day session first Saturday in each month in Grange hall near Corbett.

GRANGE NEWS IN BRIEF

The Multnomah county Masters and Lecturers association, P. of H., met at Lents Saturday, June 13. The several granges were well represented. The by-laws were read by J. J. Johnson and were duly adopted. The next meeting will be held at Rockwood and the members will be notified later as to time of meeting. In behalf of the association we extend a hearty thanks for the courtesy and good will shown us by the members of Lents grange.

Lents grange met Saturday and transacted its routine of business. Two new members were initiated and three were admitted on demerits, swelling the membership to 148. A fair attendance was present, being the busy season for farmers. Discussion of the hall building was taken up and renewed energy developed. About \$350 in cash was turned over to the committee to secure the ground. It is expected that a deed will be secured for the property this week. The committee will then go to work earnestly and hopes are high that ground will be broken within a month. Discussion of the consolidation of our State Grange Bulletin with the Washington Grange paper resulted in favor

Annual School Meeting Held

The annual schoolmeeting and election was held Monday, June 15, in District No. 28 at the schoolhouse when the following officers were elected: Andrew Zenger, director for three years; Mart Kronenberg, clerk for one year. A special tax was voted and levied to build another room as the district has so many new families that it is necessary to enlarge the schoolhouse and employ two teachers so full justice can be done to the children attending in regular session.

GET BUSY.

The school meeting for District No. 4 was held last Monday and was well attended. Reports showed the district in good shape and growing rapidly. The clerk reported over \$4700 received and disbursed during the year. The enrollment has been the largest in the history of the district, including a large number of pupils from outside. The census of November last gives 278 as the number in the district of school age.

The board reported satisfactory progress on the new six-room building. A. Dowsett was elected a director, succeeding B. W. Emery, whose term expired, and D. S. Johnson was elected clerk.

The teachers elected for another year are Miss Parmely, Miss McKenzie, Miss Pierce, Miss Wilke, recently of Wisconsin, for the grades, Miss Beard in the High school and Professor Baker, principal. This leaves one place yet to be filled in the high school. The prospects are for a very large and successful school next year.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS.

Easy to Raise and Profitable if Properly Marketed.

Brussels sprouts may be easily grown in the ordinary home vegetable garden. The plant is a close relative of the cabbage and cauliflower, but instead of producing a single head forms a number of small ones in the axils of the leaves, and these heads are called sprouts and are the edible part of the vegetable. The sprouts average one or two inches in diameter.

The seed should be sown in the open ground as early as the weather permits. When the plants are three inches high they should be transplanted or thinned out into rows twenty-four to thirty inches apart and about two feet apart in the row. The plants must be well watered after they have been moved.

As the small sprouts begin to crowd the leaves should be broken from the stem to give the small heads more room. A few leaves should be left at the top of the stem where the new heads are formed.

In warm climates the plants may be left in the open ground all winter, the heads being removed as desired, but in more northern latitudes plants that are well laden with heads are taken up when frost comes and set close together in a pit or cellar or a "cold frame" or bed covered with glass. With a little soil packed about their roots they may in this way be kept all winter, being used when needed. When boiled or stewed with cream they are delicious.

Valuable Prizes for New Subscribers! See Ad. on last page.

GRADING DIRECTORY

The Masters' and Lecturers' meeting was held and Evening Star was represented by J. J. Johnson and Mrs. Vail. Pleasant Valley, H. W. Shannah and Jennie Kronenberg; Rockwood, Mrs. Ida M. Thorp, Mary E. Crane and Dora Peterson; Russellville, E. C. Huffman; Fairview, Mrs. Carrie Townsend and Mrs. Ashcraft; Woodlawn, J. W. Black and Mrs. Lue Wendle; Lents, A. F. Miller and A. F. Hershner. Eight out of ten granges in the country were represented.

Pomona Grange is Entertained

Multnomah County Pomona grange was entertained by Pleasant Valley grange, No. 348, Patrons of Husbandry, Wednesday, June 17th. It was the first meeting held in their new hall and was a decided success in every way. The hall was decorated in the Pomona color, pink and green. Several very interesting topics were discussed in the afternoon.

Consolidating the Bulletin

The question of consolidating the Bulletin with the Washington Grange paper occupied considerable time. The final vote was favorable to consolidation. A lively discussion of the County Grange fair ensued. The sentiment was strongly in favor of the fair and some criticism was offered that the fair was not being promoted as vigorously as it might have been.

Alfalfa and Water.

To grow alfalfa we must first of all provide a soil which is dry by nature or which is underdrained. If we dig a post hole four feet deep and find water there. There is an old saying which expresses this, "Alfalfa will not grow with wet feet." Though it seeps water in a deeper soil and the roots penetrate very deeply indeed in an old field, we must not expect it to grow where the water rises to within four feet of the surface.

In both young and old alfalfa care should be given the eyes and teeth to prevent them from getting out of condition and causing no end of distress and inconvenience as a result. When a fellow gets to the point where his eyes go back on him or he has to sleep o' nights with a double set of false teeth in his mouth he is in a state of mind to appreciate, if somewhat tardily, the force of the above suggestions.

GROWING RHUBARB.

A Crop That Pays Well For Very Little Outlay and Work.

The best crop, counting expense of growing and amount of land used, is the plant. Procure some roots of the Linnaeus variety that is early, tender and, while growing very large, is less acid than many other kinds.

Prepare the bushes by putting five or six stalks in a bunch, tying it securely at the butts of stalks and again around the leaves just above the stems; then with a sharp knife cut off a portion of the green leaf on the stalk. It will wither quickly with a part of the leaf on them with the whole leaf or where only the stalk has been left.

The rows should be six feet apart and plants four feet in row. The only work expended on it is to cultivate two or three times early in the season and hoe it once. In the fall the rows are covered with a mulch of strawy manure.

Pull it late in the day, tie and trim the leaves, then pick it in sixty quart berry crates. It does not wilt as much if crowded in tightly.

Rhubarb may be made to yield about \$35 to \$40 an acre per month.

Spraying Potato Vines.

The number of sprays it will be necessary to give potatoes depends somewhat upon the season. If rainy weather prevails it will be necessary to spray more frequently than if it be comparatively dry, not only because the rain will wash the spray material off the vines, but also because damp weather is favorable to the development of the disease. A good general rule is to begin spraying when the vines are about six inches high and spray every ten days or two weeks throughout the season.—W. J. Green.

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If the suggestion of certain Wisconsin paper manufacturers materializes and proves practicable, it will not be a great while until some newspapers will be of black paper printed with white ink. It is claimed by those back of this suggestion that old newspapers or any other fibrous stock could be used in the manufacture of such paper and at about one-half the present price of white print paper, which is made almost exclusively from spruce and hemlock.

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DO NOT WAIT but write us a postal today. DO NOT THINK OF BUYING a bicycle or a pair of tires from anyone until you know the new and wonderful offers we are making. It only costs a postal to learn everything. Write it NOW.

J. L. MEAD CYCLE COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL.

Broken crockery may be made to serve a good purpose if instead of being thrown on the ash heap or out behind the wood shed it is broken up into small pieces and put into the hen yard. The poultry will appropriate all that is small enough as grit for grinding their food.

The 1906-7 olive oil production of Italy is rated at 29,411,423 gallons. Were the figures not given on what seems to be good authority one would be tempted to suspect that a good share of this olive oil was made from American cotton seed or linseed.

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