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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Mr. Peary is again about to start for the North pole. We don't blame him. If someone would pay our way to find a nice cool place we would go too. Tying the flag to the North pole just now would not be such a disagreeable task.

The Oregon State Fair Association wins our commendation from the first this year, by putting out a very attractive catalogue. Secure one and see if you are not in line to take some of the handsome premiums.

So the Drain Normal school is recommended for discontinuance. That is a step in the right direction. The board should take one or two more, however.

The Washington Editorial Association meets at Vancouver July 16, 17, 18 and the Oregon brethren are invited to join in the festivities. A fine program is outlined and no doubt it will be filled beyond expectations. Let us lay aside the scissors, paste pot and pencil and extend the hand of fellowship to the brothers across the line.

While we are reading a lot about the dangerous tendencies of the Fourth, let us not forget to congratulate ourselves that we have not heard of a single accident resulting from our celebration. Ours was a safe, sane, satisfying celebration without an equal within our memory for 25 years. The day was made to suit us and we went home in happy contentment. The men who managed it have their efforts duly recognized. To them, second only to the unsurpassable weather, is due the entire success of the undertaking. But they are modest men and we forbear to mention their names. The band especially should be commended for their appearance, genteel bearing and excellent music.

And the "stockholders" or creditors of the Title Guarantee are to get a dividend. Is that all? We supposed they would prefer the cash. But then what right do you or I have to express our desires who have so little knowledge about the handling of money.

By the way, what has become of the Oregon Trust? We trust its creditors are complacently waiting the pleasure of Mr. Devlin or to pay them a dividend. Since the first little spurt of distribution was so noisily proclaimed there has been "nothing doing." In behalf of a waiting multitude we recently ventured to make inquiries about the probabilities of early liquidation but the man with the glassy eye coolly informed us, as we examined the pattern of the mahogany cage in which he is safely inclosed, that the probabilities were unfavorable, indefinite and unsatisfactory to everyone except the banker.

We suggest Judge Cameron might use a little persuasive influence here very profitably to a large number of people. Besides, it would be a clever stroke on his part to stir up a renewed activity in discharging the obligation the German American Bank assumed.

The town council of Gresham is continuing to prove itself to be of the right sort. The movement introduced at the meeting of Tuesday evening with the object of securing a public pleasure ground should have the commendation of everyone. In all our observations of village and city administration one of the most notable causes of dissatisfaction has been the lack of foresight in providing a place or places of sufficient size and convenience for public pleasure grounds or gatherings. One of the most expensive outlays cities have to meet is that which goes to secure desirable ground for parks or public amusements. The chief difficulty lies in the fact that the authorities did not provide for these things.

The city of Portland has held its plans for park extension held up because of the conservative stand some of the citizens have taken. Had this park system been forseen 20 years ago, yes 10 years ago, the expense to the city would have been far less and the question would be settled now. Kansas City had the same trouble some years ago and after an expensive fight in the courts at last presents one of the finest park systems in the country. We might speak of other cities but we are chiefly interested in smaller towns. Many eastern villages and small cities have a public square which answers the purposes of a park and is so conveniently placed as to be a daily comfort to hundreds of citizens or to those who are detained within the town for a few hours, or country people who come for trading purposes.

This is what Gresham needs now and will need more as time goes on. Soil is as cheap as it ever will be. Let us get it while we can and go to work to beautify and arrange it for such public purposes as may probably arise. The market day project is a first consideration; a country fair is a second, and the future need of an amusement ground is a third. Let us stand with our council in this enterprise, give them all the encouragement we can and get this most important matter properly and successfully carried through.

Prospects are now bright for the fair. The Herald has been agitating this matter for some time and it is with extreme satisfaction that we are ready to announce that a reasonable and attractive plan has been evolved by which eastern Multnomah and Sandy Valley may have a successful fair. We are too modest to assume that we were entirely influential in creating the interest that has resulted in this determination, but we hope we have done something to bring about this good conclusion. Now what all should do is to get busy and make this an entirely successful exhibit. Let us get in line to show the finest grain, fruit, vegetables, stock and other home products that may be seen in the state. Let this not be an impromptu affair like that of last year but an exhibition of forethought and good taste. We won a lot of commendation for that; we may make ourselves famous in this and those of the future. Let us begin by suggesting the nature of the exhibits as soon as the committees can plan them, and stimulate an interest that shall not fail till the last hour.

Russellville Doings

Miss Blumenthal and Miss Jackson of Terrace park visited at Mrs. Zeeger's last week.

Mrs. W. W. Howitt was quite sick a few days last week.

Mrs. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Howitt, S. F. Pitts and two boys of Gresham, M. Boss of Portland, Sam Beaman of Seattle and Johnnie Anderson of Montavilla spent their Fourth at the home of T. H. Pitts.

The Russellville Social club met at the home of Mrs. T. E. Lewis of Rose Cottage last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Howitt and little Leonard called to see their parents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lewis spent the evening of the Fourth with Mrs. Howitt.

Mrs. Stanton and daughter, Mrs. F. Lubert, of New York visited with the former's son Irving, a popular young electrician of The Dalles, during the past week.

Our burg was well represented at Rockwood and Gresham on the Fourth. Mrs. T. E. Lewis entertained a number of grange sisters at her home, "Rose Cottage," on the Russellville road last Wednesday. All enjoyed the generous hospitality of the charming hostess and will remember it as a most enjoyable event.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnsperger were guests of their brother, M. Arnsperger, of Portland on Sunday.

John Sorenson, a promising young man in our midst, has developed an excellent ability along photography lines. A number of fine pictures attest his skill, schools and other groups. His latest effort is a fine picture of the Buckley boys.

Mr. Morter of Oakland, Cal., has opened up Palmer's shop and has plenty of blacksmithing.

We now have three stage lines running from here, E. F. Donahue the mail stage, McIntyres, who run to Salmon, and Todd & DeKainings, who run through to Welch and Holden's camping ground. A person getting off the cars here on the main train in the morning would think he was just getting off the train at the Union depot from the rustling of the stage drivers trying to see who can get the most passengers.

Mrs. Wm. Morand and Mrs. Foster are spending a few weeks in Portland.

A party of Boring people spent several days, including the Fourth, at Salmon river, fishing and having a general good time. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Landy, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McClung, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roseboom, Mrs. J. C. True, Will Palmer, J. C. Manning and Wm. Goebel. They report having a good time catching a large amount of fish.

Boring was dead on the Fourth, everyone going to Gresham to their big celebration, or to Estacada, The Oaks and Sandy.

Palmer's mill has been closed several days on account of the Fourth.

T. A. Roots and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roots.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Allison are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Della Gains, at Seio, Oregon.

Vetch Brothers of the creamery are shipping about 40 boxes of butter every day. They receive cream from the towns up the valley and over in Washington.

Says Gresham Must Take the Lead

PORTLAND, July 6, 1908.—To the Editor Beaver State Herald:—Expositions, or fairs as usually designated, are exponents of a people's progress. Where people are at a standstill one fair, I presume would be sufficient, for succeeding ones would only be repetitions.

Recently my attention was called to the effort now being made for the permanent establishing of an annual fair at your growing city of Gresham.

There is really but one question it seems to me to be determined and that is whether it is the proper locality. There can be no question as to the progressiveness of the people of your city and of the surrounding country, nor that there should be an exhibit of the products and resources of eastern Multnomah county.

It has been demonstrated that a successful fair can be maintained at Gresham and the possibilities of its improving each successive year are not questioned.

Of the galaxy of growing towns to the eastward of the metropolis, I have seen no mention in the public press of any proposing the permanent exhibit of agricultural, horticultural, dairy, poultry, and livestock products. It seems to be conceded that Gresham is the best place. Why then should there be any spathy in the matter?

Unquestionably Gresham must take the lead, vigorously and enthusiastically. This will encourage friendly effort in other localities. Gresham cannot afford to be indifferent, relying upon the fitness of her location. Many a town has lost its opportunity by inaction resulting from over-confidence.

This notice is published by order of D. S. Johnson, Justice of the Peace of the above-named court, made and entered on the 3d day of July, 1908.

O. M. HICKEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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MONTAVILLA NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hallock were called to Newberg last Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hallock's stepfather. They returned on Monday.

Mrs. Young's brother, Mr. Gleason, is visiting her.

Mrs. Smith went to Woodburn last Tuesday for a week's visit with her mother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Bosier went to Hillsboro to spend the Fourth with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Livingston spent the Fourth at Reedville.

Mrs. Saly of Sellwood spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Bosier.

Professor Bowlin and wife and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. White and Mrs. Slingback left Monday morning for Gladstone park to attend Chautauqua.

Mr. Shuler has opened his store in the Woodhall hall on the corner of Olney and Broad street. He has a very nice stock of goods.

Mrs. Hattie Johnson from McMinnville is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. E. Johnson.

Mrs. Vilas was the chaperone for the club of young ladies from the Baptist church. They went to Canemah park to spend the Fourth and all report a good time.

Mrs. James Miller went to Gladstone park on Monday to attend the Chautauqua.

Mrs. G. E. Johnson spent the Fourth at Carlton with old friends and relatives.

Mrs. Young and children spent the Fourth at Woodburn.

About 100 people went from here to Courtney on the Fourth, mostly members of the Methodist church. All report a very good time.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother on Smith street when Miss Minnie Butler and Mr. Atworth were married. The ceremony was performed on the lawn and the wedding dinner was also served on the lawn. Rev. H. Oberg officiated.

Contest Notice

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office.

Portland, Ore., July 1, 1908.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Lora B. Brindley, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 13138, made October 10, 1891, for SW 1/4, Section 17, Township 1 N., Range 6 E., by Florence Viether, contestee, in which it is alleged that she is well acquainted with the tract and embraced in the homestead entry, and knows the present condition of the same; also that said entrywoman has abandoned the same, and especially for the last six months; that she has never resided on or cultivated said land in any manner, and that there are no improvements thereon, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to her employment in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman, or marine, during the war with Spain, or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on September 24, 1908, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Portland, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 29, 1908, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER,
Register and Receiver.

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Summons

In the Justice Court for Multnomah District, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon.

Geo. Keller, Plaintiff, vs. John Walsh, Defendant, Summons:

To John Walsh, defendant above named.

In the Name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed against you in the above-entitled court and cause on or before the 14th day of August, 1908, which is six weeks after the 10th day of July, 1908, the date ordered for the first publication of this notice, and if you fail to so appear and answer the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of one hundred (100) dollars and for costs and disbursements herein incurred.

This notice is published by order of D. S. Johnson, Justice of the Peace of the above-named court, made and entered on the 3d day of July, 1908.

JOHN W. HUFF,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Summons

In the Justice Court for Multnomah District, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon.

National Credit Association, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. John Walsh, Defendant, Summons:

To John Walsh, the above-named defendant:

In the Name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above-entitled court and cause on or before the 14th day of August, 1908, which is six weeks after the 10th day of July, 1908, the date ordered for the first publication of this notice, and if you fail to so appear and answer the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of fifteen (15) dollars, and for costs and disbursements herein incurred.

This notice is published by order of D. S. Johnson, Justice of the Peace of the above-named court, made and entered on the 3d day of July, 1908.

O. M. HICKEY,
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GRANGE DIRECTORY

Oregon State Grange Officers.

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

MULTNOMAH GRANGE, NO. 12.—Meets the fourth Saturday in every month at 10:30 a. m. in Campbell's hall, Orient.

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

PLEASANT VALLEY GRANGE NO. 408.—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 Wednesday at 10:30 a. m. (third Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m., each month).

RUSSELLVILLE GRANGE, NO. 335.—Meets in Russellville schoolhouse on the second and fourth Saturday nights in each month.

EVINGEN STAR GRANGE.—Meets in their hall at South Mountain on the first Saturday of each month at 10:30 a. m. All visitors are welcome.

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

DAMASCUS GRANGE, NO. 206.—Meets first Saturday each month.

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

CLACKAMAS GRANGE, NO. 208.—Meets the first Saturday in the month at 10:30 a. m. and the third Saturday at 7:30 p. m. every month.

COLUMBIA GRANGE NO. 382.—Meets in all day session first Saturday in each month in grange hall near Corbett.

News pertaining to the local granges is inserted here free of charge. But all local or announcements pertaining to entertainments for which a charge is made, will be treated as advertisements and pay for insertion will be expected and appreciated.

To avoid misunderstandings the above insertion was made. The Herald has undertaken to favor the granges by throwing up these columns to their uses free of charge for all purely news items, the idea being that the mention of your individual granges is to their advantage just as any public notice is. It makes your grange more prominent and tends to create an interest in grange work. If you are alive it will do you good; if you are dead you will not care to bother with it.

Inasmuch as we extend this opportunity to you we would appreciate any favor you can show us in advertising or printing, though we wish you to feel at liberty to go where you please for such things. However, The Herald is here to do all kinds of printing and we feel that we can meet you with prices that will be equally as good as you can get elsewhere. Read the statement as to advertising at the head of the editorial columns and give us a trial. Hereafter we will try to send copies of the paper containing the copy to correspondents.

Fairview grange will hold an open meeting on its next regular night, Tuesday, July 21. A free program will be given and home-made ice cream served at 10 cents. Everybody invited.

POWELL VALLEY

Gospel services will be held at A. G. Anderson's grove near the Swedish Lutheran church as follows: In the English language, Friday at 8 p. m. Children's meeting, Saturday at 3 p. m. In the Swedish language, Sunday at 3 and 8 p. m. Come and we will do you good. Rev. A. G. Sandholm, missionary Swedish Baptist conference.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lindgren gave a dinner party on the Fourth in honor of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers of Portland. A number of Powell Valley friends were also invited.

A number of friends, 27 in all, gathered at the home of A. C. Sward recently, the occasion being Mrs. Sward's 40th birthday. Dainty refreshments were served and a fine time had by all present.

The Young Peoples society of the Lutheran church had a very enthusiastic meeting last Sunday night and was largely attended. New officers were elected and a good program was rendered.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Bert Homer lost his thumb while splitting wood J. Wing's mill.

Paul Bliss has built the largest barn in Pleasant Valley.

The grange people had a cake contest Saturday. The winners were Gladys Richey, 1st; Mrs. Frost, 2nd; Mary Baxter, 3rd.

W. J. Frost is at home on the sick list.

E. J. Taylor entertained friends from Portland the Fourth and over Sunday.

Miss Ida Reihms is visiting at Mark Baxter's.

J. H. Robinson was home from The Dalles to spend the Fourth.

Men and team are at work at Sycamore preparing the ground for taking out gravel. Roads are to be in proved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robinson last week entertained their friend, Frank Raveri, recently of San Francisco, but now of The Dalles.

A most delightful picnic in the woods, ending with a bon fire party in the evening, was given by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robinson Saturday, July 4th. Among those who participated were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Frost, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Portland, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robinson, Frank Raveri, Will Frost, George Hamilton, Miss Anna Gerhardt, Miss Etta Vollum, Miss Eva Vollum and Master Harold Hamilton.

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General Passenger Agent, W.M. McMURRAY Portland, Ore.