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GRESHAM WALLOPS SPANTONS 2 TO 0

Puts Spantons Out of Race for Pennant—Townsend Proves Himself a Wonder.

Confidence, clever playing and strong support aided the Gresham Giants in administering to the crack Spanton team the worst drubbing of the season on the Gladstone diamond Wednesday afternoon. It was indeed a surprise to the fans who had kept close tally of the teams during the tournament, all thinking the Spantons who, previous to this game held the highest per cent, would win. This game raises Gresham from 500 to 667 and puts Spanton out of the race.

At the words "play ball" from the umpire our boys, confident of victory, marched out to the field of battle under the martial strains of "Gresham's thundering rosters." Townsend stepped into the box and fanned the first man up and—well, suffice it to say, the Spantons weren't in it. The first time our boys came up to the bat L. Merrill and C. Merrill succeeded in making two safe hits and scored. The game was now on in earnest and both teams settled down to hard work.

Townsend pitched with such accuracy and telltale results as he never has been known to do before, striking out 12 men and walking only two. Hamlin proved a wonder behind the bat and with his eagle eyes sized up the batter and directed Townsend's delivery accordingly. He surprised more than one Spanton by his lightning throw to second base.

The Spantons fought nobly for the

game and held the Giants down to the two runs. Meyers for the Spantons pitched fine ball. Schultz, Gresham's new man on second, did fine work. Chas. Merrill won the praise of all for his safe plays and Metzger held first base down safely throughout. The outer field did excellent work.

The two features of the game were made by Wirtz, L. Merrill and Larson. With a man on second and third and two down, a Spanton knocked a fly out between left and center field which Wirtz by running sidewise for over 30 yards, nabbed perfectly to the cheers of thousands and dismay of the Spantons. The other was also a hit that seemed a sure three-bagger for the Spantons but Merrill was under it in a second and shot it from the outer right field to C. Merrill on third, reaching there before the runner.

Only three errors were made on the Giants' side. Chas. Merrill made two sacrifice hits. Every man on the team deserves special praise for his playing. Friday they play the Oregon City Aces and with such playing as they did Wednesday and such support they will make a fine showing. Saturday the final game between the two leading teams takes place and Gresham expects to take its place on that day. They need support. Let Gresham turn out en masse. The band will probably go to furnish music. Hurrah for Gresham Giants!

Death of Chris Schumann.

The friends and relatives of Chris Schumann were very much surprised last Friday morning to learn of his sudden death. It is learned that he went to bed Thursday as usual but did not get up as usual next morning. He did not respond when called and investigation found him to be dead. Appearances indicated that he had taken some carbolic acid, most probably through mistake. Apparently he had left the room where he usually slept and was found lying in a peaceful position on another bed. Indications were that death came suddenly and without much distress.

The funeral services were conducted from the home and the burial was at Multnomah cemetery. A large floral piece was presented by the men who were his companions in work and by whom he was held in high esteem.

Mr. Schumann was well known near Lents and eastward as a quiet, industrious young man and his death is mourned and regretted by his relatives and all his friends and acquaintances. His aged mother has the sympathy of everyone in the neighborhood.

Shirt-Waist Party Saturday Night.

Next Saturday Night at Metzger's Hall a big Shirtwaist Dance will take place. Come and listen to big open-air band concert, if you don't dance. Concert at 7:30 p. m. All are invited. Tickets, gent's 75 cents; ladies free. Ed Metzger, manager.

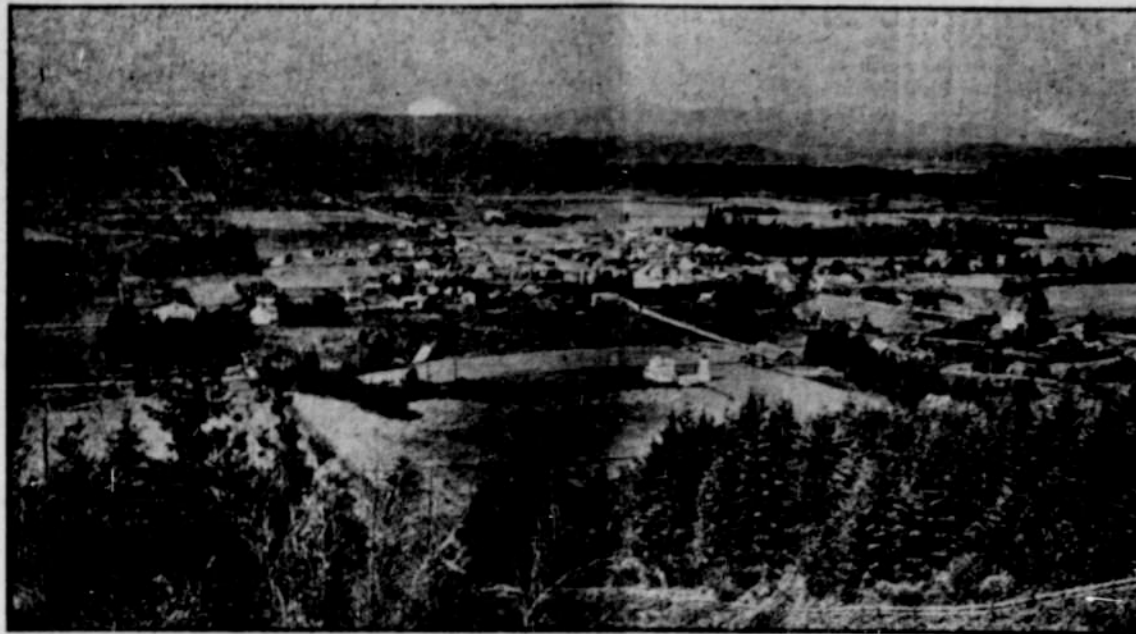
Advertised Letters

Letters to the following persons remain at the Gresham postoffice undelivered. Unless called for in a short time they will be sent to the dead letter office: Mary Noid, Otto Wohlful, L. A. Taylor, Florence Lee, Charley Calvert, Ancil C. Gilman and Robert McCarty.

Will Dress As Mohammedan Priest.

A lecture at M. E. church, Gresham, Tuesday night, July 28, by Rev. Markus B. Paroungian, under auspices of the choir. Usual prices. It will be worth hearing.

WHERE THE MULTNOMAH COUNTY AND GRANGE FAIR WILL BE HELD



BIRDS-EYE VIEW OF CITY OF GRESHAM

Nestled 'neath the hills, in the heart of the famous Powell Valley, in full view of three beautiful snow-capped peaks, Gresham presents a prosperous and inviting appearance that grows upon one with acquaintance.

House Burns With \$1,000 Loss

(Special to The Herald)
BORING, Ore., July 16.—T. M. Allison's house burned last night at midnight. When first discovered by Emmett Doumahe it was all ablaze. Mr. Allison had a fire in the cook stove early in the evening while getting his supper and it is supposed it started from that. It is reported that Mr. Allison went to Portland on the last car in the evening. The house and furniture were entirely destroyed, it being impossible to save a thing. The loss of house and furniture will be about \$1000 including the piano.

Swedish Lutherans in Convention.

The annual convention of the Swedish Mission church in Powell Valley will commence Sunday, July 26, and continue over Monday, July 27. Services will be held all day Sunday in Wm. Peterson's grove, near the Swedish Lutheran church, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 o'clock p. m. Dinner will be served by the ladies of the church. Monday the services will be held in the church, beginning at 2 o'clock and 8 o'clock p. m. All understanding the Swedish language are cordially invited.

Visits Home of W. J. Bryan

Dr. A. Thompson at the Methodist church last Sunday evening gave an interesting account of his visit to the home of William J. Bryan at Lincoln, Nebraska, while on a recent trip East. Dr. Thompson spent an hour at the home of the Democratic nominee and conversed freely with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan. By the kindness of Mr. Bryan Dr. Thompson was privileged to spend a day at the Denver convention hearing several speeches from prominent men of the party.

Death of Mrs. John Fieldhouse.

Mrs. Maria Fieldhouse, wife of John Fieldhouse, died at her home near Gresham on Thursday, July 16, 1908. The funeral was held on Friday with services at the home and burial at Gresham. Mrs. Fieldhouse came a little more than a year ago with her husband, two sons and a daughter, from Montfort, Wis., where three sons now live. Those living here are, Arthur and Fred Fieldhouse, and Mrs. Gullikson.

Report of Celebration Committee.

The Fourth of July Celebration committee publishes herewith its financial report:

RECEIPTS—	
From stands.....	\$ 95.00
From subscriptions.....	290.00
Total.....	\$385.00
DISBURSEMENTS—	
For barbecuing beef.....	\$ 20.00
For race prizes and sports.....	84.25
Ball team.....	25.00
Prizes for parade.....	25.00
For music.....	5.00
To C. L. Crenshaw, drip pan.....	8.00
To L. Shattuck, Mdse.....	7.00
To Carl Shattuck, lumber.....	10.00
To Victor Halter, labor.....	1.25
To Oregon Journal.....	1.25
To J. Simms, labor.....	7.00
To E. A. Yunker, wood.....	8.00
To Beaver State Herald, adv.....	20.00
To Thomas Bros., signs.....	27.50
To M. Widener, labor.....	2.40
To Ed Metzger, hauling.....	3.70
To Band, 10 per cent.....	32.40
Total.....	\$298.85
Balance on hand, to be applied on uniforms of Band.....	\$30.15
Total.....	\$329.00

H. H. OTT, Secretary.

GRESHAM LOCALS

Remember there will be a free open air concert by the band, a shirtwaist dance and a big rally of citizens and grangers interested in the coming county fair Saturday night at Gresham.

A new bicycle belonging to Arthur Dowsett was stolen in broad daylight from the sidewalk in front of his store last Monday. Steps were immediately taken to recover it and by night it was located in a Portland pawnshop. Several very suspicious characters have made their appearance around town the past week on the pretense of looking for work. Some are begging and others loafing around town. Look out for these characters.

J. N. Farris and family spent last week at Gladstone attending Chautauqua.

Over 125 Gresham people were in attendance at Gladstone Wednesday to cheer the Giants on to victory.

Mrs. W. T. Custer has returned from Chicago and is stopping with Mrs. P. A. Daily. She intends attending college this fall.

Robt. and Earnest Simms have purchased the Duly Brothers livery stable. Gus Richey made us a pleasant visit today.

The Gresham Giants will play the Villas at Mountville Sunday.

Felde McColl has accepted a position with the Portland Gas Company.

H. A. Darnall attended the Washington editorial association now in convention at Vancouver Washington on Thursday.

A loyal friend of the Herald, Jos. Gist, made us a pleasant call on Monday and while here renewed his subscription to The Herald.

The Gresham Concert Band has ordered a new bass drum and a big bell-conch bass horn.

Miss Ella Merrill spent the past week with friends at Oregon City.

A. L. Maybee called on the Herald to renew his allegiance on Wednesday.

A number of our people are departing to their summer homes at Seaside. Among those recently going are Mr. and Mrs. John Conley, Mr. and Mrs. John Metzger and family and Mrs. Chas. Cleveland.

Mr. Schleight, who has the contract for moving the old Methodist church, has been detained by sickness in his family. He hopes to get at the work again in about a week.

Lewis Shattuck's window displays have been attracting a good deal of attention here lately.

Carlson & Henderson have received their handsome new funeral car which is made in the latest design with all modern conveniences.

C. C. Root and Miss Edith Root of Topeka, Kans., who are visiting on the coast called at The Herald office Thursday.

Rev. Mr. Smith of Arleta will speak at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon. Mr. Smith will bring a chorus with him.

Mrs. C. Anderson had charge of the library on Wednesday while Miss Culy, the custodian, was absent attending Chautauqua.

Miss May Littlepage was visiting her uncle, Ed Littlepage, and family Sunday.

J. N. Farris left this week for a tour of the eastern states.

On July 23 a bell social will be given at the home of Miss Alida Culy for the benefit of the Methodist church.

The Gresham Rebekah Lodge installed officers at their last meeting as follows: Mrs. Anita Gedka, N. G.; Miss Lena Ginder, V. G.; Mrs. C. M. Kenney, Treasurer. Miss. Cora Combs was initiated.

There is that that is fascinating about the newspaper business, and when Fred Conley called the other day and told us he was the proprietor of a paper at Stanton we were not much surprised. Mr. Conley, wife, and child were visiting with "grandpa and grandma" Conley on Tuesday.

Out two days, shot two deer! That's going some but its a way Gresham citizens have of doing things. In the party were Ed Littlepage, Ford Metzger, H. Gullikson, John Littlepage and Mr. St. John. The deer were shot near Gordon creek.

Geo. Gordon, according to word received here, recently received a very severe burn. He was carrying a boiler of scalding water when he slipped and fell, the water pouring on him. He is recovering though suffering severely.

Mrs. B. W. Emery, Mrs. A. Thompson and Mrs. Jake Metzger went the last of the week to Chautauqua to stay over Sunday. Many others of our citizens have availed themselves of the privileges of this summer assembly. The ball games have been a prime attraction.

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SAYS FAIR IS IN LINE WITH PROGRESS

Thinks East Side Civic Organization May be Depended on to Endorse Fair.

PORTLAND, July 13.—To the editor: Decision on the part of the citizens of Gresham to hold a district fair this fall was in line with progress. After the splendid showing made last year at Gresham, calling forth the admiration of thousands who attended, it would not do to omit a better showing the present or future years.

Gresham is the center of one of the finest agricultural districts in the state. Years ago, before there was an electric car line to Gresham, that piece was the mecca of wheelmen from Portland. I cannot count the number of times I have wheeled to and through Gresham, and no matter how often the trip was made it was filled with something new and interesting. The rolling hills covered with new made hay, or waving fields of grain, the fine view of Mount Hood from the elevated ground west of town are scenes I shall never forget. While I have made the trip on the electric car I shall never forget the thrill I have always felt as I wheeled along the Powell Valley, the old Indian trail of 60 years ago that was threaded by Jackson Powell and Linneman 50 years ago, as I reached the elevation overlooking "the Queen city of Powell Valley."

The people of Portland and the surrounding country, I am sure, will support the efforts of the people of Gresham in establishing a permanent annual exhibition, and there need be no fear that such an exposition will in any way interfere with the Country Club or the State Fair. I think that the East Side Civic Organization may be depended on to endorse the fair at Gresham. One of the most pleasant incidents connected with the life of the East Side Business Men's Club was the visit in a body of the members of that organization in a car chartered for that purpose. Some had never been that far east of Portland, were delighted with the country and impressed with the fine display of articles at the fair. This club will come again, only in larger numbers, if an-

other fair be held. Concrete effort will make the fair go! Outsiders look to Gresham to make the start.

L. H. WELLS

Additional Car for Gresham.

Beginning Tuesday, July 14th, the car leaving Portland at 5:40 p. m., and running as far as Lents Junction, will be continued as far as Gresham, arriving at 6:36 p. m., and departing for Portland at 6:40 p. m.; will arrive at Portland at 7:40 p. m. It will also connect with the Troutdale branch coming out at 6:36 p. m., but will not connect on its return trip to Portland. Sundays excepted. W. P. Mulchay, Traffic Agt.

CHURCH NOTICES.

LINNEMANN MEMORIAL M. E. CHURCH, Gresham—Pastor, Dr. A. Thompson. Services, Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. every Sunday. Prayer meeting, Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. S. G. Roper, pastor. Services, Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. every Sunday. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All welcome.

PLEASANT HOME BAPTIST CHURCH, Cottrell, Ore.—Pastor, Rev. S. C. Sierril. Services, Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Morning service, 11 a. m.; Evening service, 8 p. m. Everybody invited.

PLEASANT HOME BAPTIST CHAPEL, Cottrell, Ore.—Pastor, Rev. S. C. Sierril. Services, Sunday school, 3 p. m.; Preaching, 4 p. m. Everybody invited.

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Checking accounts.....	\$38,155.06	\$55,166.38
Demand Certificates.....	9,674.88	8,881.56
Time Certificates.....	15,959.37	15,858.32
Total Deposits.....	\$63,789.31	\$79,906.26
Loans and Discounts.....	26,168.34	49,670.22

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