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MOUNT SCOTT

Dr. J. W. Ott and Miss Chressie Ott, of Gresham spent Sunday with friends at Lents.

The infant daughter of Bert Lowe died Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mr. Lininger has been quite ill at his home the past week.

Clyde Sager is building a new cottage near Mr. Thurston's on East Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson have sold their property at Grays Crossing and will make their home in Gresham with a married daughter. The two girls, Ida and Gertrude will take rooms in town.

Floyd Rowland of Corvallis and Miss Nellie Tate were guests of Miss Clauda Anderson last week.

Mr. J. E. Hiller and Miss Joanna Boesel were married on Monday evening at the home of Postmaster Spring. They go to their home in British Columbia where Mr. Hiller has business interests.

Mount Scott W. C. T. U. met at the Friends church last Friday. Arrangements were made to hold a medal contest in the Evangelical church, Friday, December 11th. The next meeting will be held at the Friends church, Friday, December 11th, at 2 p. m. All are cordially invited.

The union service of Sunday Schools was held at the Evangelical church on November 29th, which was Universal Temperance Sunday. Rev. Heacock presided, Rev. Goode led devotional services and Rev. C. A. Phipps, field secretary of the State Sunday School Association, made the address of the meeting, which was a stirring, uplifting talk. Rev. Goode followed with a talk on "Why we should take a total abstinance pledge." Good music was rendered by singers from each church. A motion prevailed that such union services be arranged for each month.

The first county W. C. T. U. Institute of the season will be held December 8th and 9th at the United Brethren church, 15th and East Morrison streets. A program of varied interest has been planned Tuesday evening Mrs. Additon will give her lecture on "The March of the Century, or Word Pictures from the Great Centennial." Those who have heard this lecture pronounce it of intense interest and full of instruction, as it is historical as well as of timely interest.

Fred Peterson's family are entertaining his brother's family, who came up from Los Angeles, Cal., to make their home in Lents.

Mrs. Jeffery is improving her house on Fifth ave.

Mr. Thomas of Marie street is confined to his home on Marie street, suffering from a bad sprain.

Two dainty little volumns from the Vir Publishing Co., Philadephia, have been received, one addressed to Christian mothers, and entitled "Before Marriage" and the other entitled "The Social Duties of Our Daughters." Both are chaste and contain messages most helpful to mothers of growing girls, on the dignity and privilege of wifehood and womanhood. They are beautiful little books and are written by Mrs. Adolphe Hoffman, who is prominent in European reform work. They are only 35 cents and should be found in every mother's library.

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Constitutional Amendment Needed

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from each." The old requirement of "uniform and equal rate of assessment and taxation" of all property as experience has universally proven absolutely defeats itself.

In removing the restrictions upon the law-making powers it is by some urged that the old restrictions should be swept away and none substituted. But a change in our State Constitution similar to those proposed, or already effected in Minnesota, California, Ohio, Missouri and Washington, that are all wrestling with the same problem, would seem advisable for Oregon. The situation is that about every state, excepting Oregon, having constitutional restrictions upon tax legislation like Oregon's, has abandoned all efforts of tax reform under such restrictions as futile.

Oregon's tax commission of 1885 deprecated the existence of this constitutional provision and confessed inability to suggest relief from the evils of unjust taxation without the removal of such restriction. The commission of 1905 likewise recommended as the first step in the revision of our system the adoption of an amendment similar to those now being ratified in neighboring states.

Our constitutional provision controlling the form of tax legislation, as it now stands, makes it impossible to get rid of the crying evil in our system of an undue burden of taxation resting upon the individual owner of tangible forms of property. This clause in our constitution, too, is universally identified as the primary cause of the virtual confiscation of the intangible forms of property of the scrupulously honest taxpayer and the widow and orphan. Rid this restriction, the way is open for a separation of the sources of state from those of local revenues and for the systematic readjustment that modern business development corporate organization calls for.

Should the decision of the Circuit Court in the Yamhill county case be sustained by the Supreme court, the need of the proposed amendment would only become greater. Oregon's unique system of apportionment of State taxes among the counties has been obviating, since its enactment, one reason for an amendment. But, even if the validity of our present law of apportionment is upheld, the main conditions calling for the removal of the present constitutional restrictions would still remain. With an amended constitution the ground would be clear for devising and enacting of a state system of taxation that would be really uniform and, therefore, just.—F. G. Young in The Pacific Grange Bulletin for December.

MONTAVILLA NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. G. Emery will soon return to Ohio to live.

Without contentment we shall find it almost as difficult to please others as ourselves.

Mr. Wheeler's residence in Mansfield addition was destroyed by fire on Saturday night.

D. H. Perkins has been down with rheumatism the past week.

Our School was closed last week on account of Teachers Institute.

The Commandry Club held a business meeting on Tuesday evening. The gymnasium was discussed and plans made for the formal opening of the building.

The boys in the club originated the gymnasium plan and subscribed several hundred dollars as a starter for the fund. We can see a great future for this club of young men.

W. L. Bartlett in his untiring efforts to aid the young men in all that they are doing, certainly deserves great credit. Let each resident of our beautiful suburb take an interest in this club, as it is something of which we should all be proud.

Chas. Hyle, proprietor of the broom factory, has sailed for Europe in search of health. We wish him a pleasant voyage and a speedy return.

John Brown is quite ill at his home on Pearl street.

The Home Training Society will meet at the school house on Friday afternoon. All interested in homes are invited to be present. The topic is "Music."

The Old District School was well attended and netted about fifty dollars for the gymnasium fund.

Axes To Grind.

Everybody's Magazine has the following to say to Christmas shoppers, which we reprint with slight changes.

Christmas is likely to be made a trying time by some folks. Some attempt to do too much, others are not forehanded like the little miss with her knitting. We give here a few hints which may help to make Christmas of 1908 a little easier for you. When you come to the last hint, please imagine that we are looking at you steadily with the right eye, while the left eye is closed. That is our little joker; but if our hints have not helped you, don't turn our grindstone.

1—Let the children, and MAKE father help. Your children will know what your brother's children want.

2—Make a list of all the folks to be remembered. Do it now. Divide the list among the members of the family, and let the ones whose judgment you doubt, report plans before making purchases.

3—If you have a tree, make the decorating a lark instead of labor. Let all the adults help, and neighbors who have no children.

4—A gift is supposed to represent your wealth of affection, not your bank balance.

5—You will give more pleasure with a thoughtful gift than with a costly one.

6—Getting a big show for the money may do for some wedding but never for any Christmas.

7—If the panic ar any other upset has made it impossible for you to give as usual, write letters instead. Your friends will like you all the better, sure.

8—Don't leave letters and cards till the last moment. Write them at your convenience and hold them until the proper time.

9—Mail everything to reach your friends before Christmas, and mark the packages "Open Christmas." Late guests and late Christmas packages are of a class.

10—Do your shopping early; you thus avoid the crowd; you help the merchant and salespeople, and you get a larger selection.

11—Wrap your gifts carefully and daintily. They give so much more pleasure than a sloppy package, evidently rushed as if you begrudged the time.

12—If you send cigars, discover his brand and don't send worse.

13—Remember the people who have served you.

14—Any poor near you?

15—And here is the joker: Remember that a year's subscription to The Herald makes a splendid Christmas remembrance. May we send a neatly printed card, inscribed as below, to a list of your friends? Send the names early enough to give us time to get the cards addressed and mailed.

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FOR SALE — 10 to 100 good breeding ewes. T. R. Howitt & Co., Gresham. -

LOST — Centerpiece pattern and five skiens of floss, on street near church. Finder please leave at tinshop. (49

FOR SALE — Pigs and Shoats, Sow and Boar. All registered Poland China. J. G. Chido, R. 3, Gresham. [53

LOST—Thursday in Gresham, black hand satchell. Contains some change lodge receipt, stamps. Please leave at Herald office.

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