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Gresham to Have New Station.

One of the best pieces of news recently heard is that the O. W. P. will begin extensive improvements soon after Christmas on the station building at Gresham. It is planned to enlarge the waitingroom and offer a good many conveniences heretofore impossible. The idea of the company is to make the Gresham station one of the best and most convenient on the line and though they have had the improvement under consideration for some time it has not been convenient, with all the other improvements that are being made, to get at the Gresham station sooner. The new station at Linnemann is about done. The improvement there will be commended by everyone and these things are all in line with improvements necessary to the public health and comfort as pointed out by The Herald over a year and a half ago, both through its columns and in personal talks with the road officials. At that time it was not seen just how these improvements could be brought about, but the influences set to bear have brought results and will continue to do great things for our locality.

Entertainment a Success.

The entertainment given at the Lynch school on the evening of Dec. 17th, was a decided success in every respect. The program was a literary and musical treat from start to finish, every number being well given and well received by the large audience present. It is surprising in the extreme what bright and energetic pupils in a school can do when properly instructed and drilled and we feel these pupils deserve special mention for the able manner in which they executed each part of the program. The orchestra music given by the talented Goetz family was excellent and Masters Carl and Kenneth Goetz in their violin and cornet duet proved themselves quite efficient and were heartily enjoyed.

A snogasm was realized which will be put to good use in the purchasing of library books for the school.

Death of Calvin R. Thornton.

Word has been received at The Herald office of the sudden death a few days ago of Calvin R. Thornton, an architect of La Grande. He died at Enterprise where he was engaged in constructing a large building. He fell from a ladder, receiving injuries which proved fatal. He leaves a widow and two children; one of them, Perry E. Thornton, is the fiancé of Violet Gould. The wedding was to have occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gould last Wednesday. This death called young Mr. Thornton to La Grande and a quiet wedding will take place there at the home of Miss Gould's sister, Mrs. Leighton. Mr. and Mrs. Thornton have the sympathy and best wishes of a host of friends in this locality. Their home will be at North Powder, Oregon.

CHERRYVILLE

Mrs. Alva Wheeler and children of Luciaspur, Wash., have arrived at the home of her father, Colby Marston, to make an extended visit. Her brother, Steve Marston, is expected home this week also.

J. T. Friel, Sr., and wife have gone to Portland for a few days visit with their daughter, Mrs. B. F. Hart.

Glenn Corey has recently come to Oregon from Kansas and will reside with his parents near here.

Vincent Friel has returned from Puget Sound and is now employed by the Firwood Lumber Company.

E. G. Adams and a party of landseekers of Portland were visitors in this vicinity on Tuesday.

Settlers in the Cascade Forest Reserve are rejoicing over the third decision in their favor by the Secretary of the Interior as against the Railroad Company which claimed the old sections.

Rev. Abbott, Sunday School Missionary of Oregon Conference, occupied the pulpit Sunday morning and gave a very inspiring address to the Sunday school workers.

For Eczema, Tetter and Salt Rheum.
The intense itching characteristic of these ailments is almost instantly allayed by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by it. For sale by Gresham Drug Co.

Good Meeting of Club.

Twenty-seven members of the Sandy Commercial Club were present at the regular weekly meeting held at Junker hall on Tuesday evening, Dec. 21. New members taken in this meeting are: Paul R. Meining, J. T. McIntyre, Albon O. Meinig and L. E. Hoffman.

Besides the regular business a great many interesting subjects were discussed by members of the club. Among these were a Sandy Commercial Club band which is a surety with J. B. Towney as chairman of the committee to organize it.

On motion of Geo. Bornstedt a committee was appointed to call a meeting of the taxpayers of Sandy to discuss the incorporation of the town.

The report of the committee on advertising material to be used by the club showed a wonderful line of argument backed up by facts that would convince any fair-minded emigrant that he should settle in the Sandy country.

The secretary was instructed to send invitations to President Wenme of the Portland Automobile Club, Robert T. Linney, of the Mt. Hood Railway, and T. Richardson of the Portland Commercial Club to attend the next regular meeting which will be Monday evening, Dec. 27, at 8 p. m. in Junker hall.

Vice-President Davis occupied the chair in absence of President McGugin.

ORIENT.

People of this vicinity have been digging potatoes the past week. There doesn't seem to be very many frozen ones so far.

Mr. and Mrs. Tod Merwin of Portland are visiting with Mrs. Merwin's brother, C. H. Jackson and family of this place.

Louis Hale is suffering with a broken hand, from getting it crushed at Straus lumber mill last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg are spending a few weeks in Portland where Mr. Kellogg will have treatment for his leg with which he has been suffering for several years.

There is going to be Xmas exercises at the Chapel on Christmas night and everybody is invited.

Mrs. Miles of Salem and her two daughters, Carrie and Lois, expect to take Xmas dinner with her sister, Mrs. A. F. Chase.

Mrs. S. F. Cline is spending a few days at Bull Run.

Lizzie Hunter is quite sick in Seattle. Her mother, Mrs. S. Cannon, expects her home soon.

Miss Alma Maybee will spend her Christmas vacation with her parents, J. H. L. Maybee and wife of Sandy.

Bargains in our clubbing list.

Sandy Grange Elects Officers.

Sandy Grange met as usual on the second Saturday at the Odd Fellows hall and was attended by a large number of members and visitors. At 10 a. m. F. E. McGugin, overseer, took the chair and the following officers were elected: Master, A. C. Thomas; Overseer, F. E. McGugin; Lecturer, E. F. Burns; Secretary, A. G. Bell; Treasurer, V. S. Fosberg; Chaplain, Mrs. V. S. Fosberg; Steward, James DeShazer; Assistant Steward, Mrs. A. C. Thomas; Lodge Steward, M. V. Thomas; Gatekeeper, Joe Albel; Trustees, B. Jonrud, Wm. Bell and B. Nelson.

After election a splendid dinner was served by the ladies and everyone heartily partook of the many delicacies for which the ladies have a widespread reputation. Lecturer E. F. Burns had charge of the program which was well rendered. The topic for discussion, "Our Natural Resources," was ably discussed, and Henry McGugin one of Oregon's oldest pioneers, delivered an excellent oration on the "Preservation of Our Natural Resources."

Special attractions and a good dinner are planned for Saturday, Jan. 8, 1910, at 10 a. m., to which everybody is invited.

WELCHES

Geo. Sleret and Mr. Maulenhauff returned to Gresham after 10 days out on Sleret's Island.

Ed Roberts killed a large wild cat near the mouth of Shena creek. The cat was eating on a salmon that it had caught.

Mr. Faubion killed a large wild cat near the mouth of Still creek and within 50 yards of the public road. Cats are rather numerous in this vicinity this winter, and a cougar has been heard screaming back of Mrs. Rockwood's place on several different occasions by as many as four different persons. The animal seems to be in the foothills just across Zizzag river. Mr. Maulding got sight of a cougar above his place on the Salmon river last Saturday.

We are having pleasant but cold weather, the thermometer ranging around 32 degrees.

Special School Meeting.

A special school meeting of Gresham District No. 4 is called to meet at the schoolhouse next Monday afternoon, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m. The purpose of the meeting is to vote a special tax. (32)

Keep posted on the news of the day. The Herald offers good bargains through its clubbing list.

The Herald prints the local news.

Crop Rotation.

By crop rotation we mean the alternating of crops on the same piece of ground for succeeding years. That is a system whereby the same crop is grown on different parcels or pieces of the farm for successive seasons. A rotation is completed when every crop included in said system has been grown upon the land. The object is to grow a larger amount of produce in aggregate than would be possible under continuous cropping of one article of farm produce.

It was thought at one time that roots of various plants excreted substances harmful to the crop and that these gradually poisoned the soil for that particular variety.

Different crops demand different substances from the soil and thus a rotation prevents complete exhaustion of one element and allowing a rest and chance for recuperation. It is very evident if we produce a crop using large amounts of nitrogen, it would be better to follow it with some crop demanding but a small amount of that element. Also one crop may make, and in some cases does make, plant food more available for some other crop. Again the root systems of various plants differ widely and it is plainly evident that double the amount of plant food may be made available by including deep rooted plants in a crop rotation. We also have a class of plants which are capable of taking nitrogen from the air.

This power is very valuable as it restores that element to an impoverished soil and at the same time produces a crop as well. To apply nitrogen mechanically through the use of fertilizers is a very costly and also a very unsatisfactory way. While by the use of legumes, such as clover, peas or vetch, it may be both profitably and economically accomplished.

To every observer of farm crops and their growth is brought home the fact that all economic plants have their enemies in the shape of rusts, smuts, mildews or insects and thus another advantage is gained by rotation. Perhaps the most potent reason is the greater ease of eradicating weeds that have become fixed in a field.

After growing grain and grasses for a number of years it is very profitable to grow some of the hoed or cultivated crops and thus destroy those plants that are undesirable.

Having shown the reason and use of crop rotation we must now consider what crops to include in such a rotation. In deciding this we must take into account the demands of the market, character of soil and cost of production. On a dairy farm it would naturally be desirable to grow large quantities of forage and green feed for home consumption while on a general farm market conditions and demands would naturally govern the method followed. Finally, soil, market and adaptability of tillage must necessarily govern any system followed.

J. G. KELLY, of Evening Star Grange.

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GREETING!

This Bank wishes to all its patrons and friends a MERRY CHRISTMAS and as HAPPY A NEW YEAR as it is possible for anyone to have.

Times are good. The 1910 outlook is bright. To everyone with a cheerful and optimistic spirit, who is looking for chances to better himself, the coming year is going to offer abundant opportunities.

Here's hoping that everyone of our readers finds himself or herself much farther along on the road to fortune and independence at the end of 1910 than now at the beginning.

We are very sure that our bank will be a help, in this respect, to everyone that uses it, and we ask your patronage with the assurance that it will be of great benefit to you as well as to us. In the coming year, as in all previous years, this bank will be found to be loyal to the best interests of all its customers and to the welfare of the community.

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