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Property Boom on Section Line.

Quite a wave of prosperity has struck the neighborhood of Section Line and Russellville Cross Roads. E. A. Smith, father of Saylor Smith, purchased five acres of land adjoining the former's place some two years ago. He sold out the farm in Indiana and moved his family to Oregon in November. The cold weather this winter has delayed him some but he now has a barn enclosed and the farm built for the basement of a fine residence which he hopes to have ready for occupancy by May first. His

daughter Clara is a student at the Washington high school and expects to graduate in June.

The gentleman who purchased part of the T. R. Howitt place, has made arrangements to have the house repaired and it is reported will use the same for the family residence.

The five acre tract east of the T. R. Howitt place, belonging to the Ladd estate, has been sold and a modern house will take the place of the old shack which has been an eyesore to the neighborhood for years.

Some Figures on Fairs

People of this locality should be interested in the report of the Canby fair, recently published in the Journal. The association reports rather a bad condition of affairs. The books show an indebtedness of over \$1300. The unpaid premiums amounting to from \$400 to \$700. One of the important matters taken up was the question of holding open on Sunday, which they did last year but decided not to do so again. The next day after this report was made public the country club got into print. It appears that the president of the Livestock association, W. H. Wehrung, has brought suit to recover \$2500 salary for conducting a show that was anything but satisfactory to the members of the association and their patrons. So much so that Mr. Wehrung has not been requested to conduct the business of the association another year. The other business of the association is not mentioned but it is evident they have had their troubles. When we compare the results of the Grange fair with those figures the local association has nothing to feel bad about. They started in this year with an indebtedness of \$750 and \$53 interest. They sold \$2122.50 in stock, got \$500 from the state, receipts from other sources \$2985.00. Total about \$5642. The disbursements and unpaid accounts ran to \$5525.

To understand the actual progress of the association the necessary expenses exclusive of improvements must be considered. These were \$2817. Taking this from the total receipts we have \$2708 as the actual gain in improvements and covering the indebtedness.

By conditions of the sale of considerable of the stock a portion of the value was to be held in reserve to be used in the purchase of the grounds. Hence some few accounts are unsettled but enough cash is in reserve to meet these. But this means that most of the superintendents and all of the directors took their pay and expense money in stock. Of course the Grange fair is not as large an institution as either of these others but its cause for congratulations are none the less worthy.

Death of J. B. Bradfield

James B. Bradfield was born near Charleston, Ill., Sept. 16, 1860, and died Tuesday morning, February 8, 1910 at Gresham. He married Susan R. Phillips at Parsons, Kansas, March 2, 1879. There were born them four children, three of whom are now living, Ira Bradfield of Parsons, Kan., Mrs. Nora Risher and Miss Ethel Bradfield of Gresham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradfield have spent the greater part of the last two years in Gresham, coming here for his health. Mr. Bradfield became known as a faithful industrious man. He was a member of the Methodist church and of the Modern Woodmen lodge.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. church Thursday forenoon and the burial at Gresham. The sermon was by the pastor, Rev. M. B. Paroungian. The service was well attended and the many friends and neighbors extend their sympathy to the bereaved wife and children.

Revival Meetings Draw Crowds.

The revival meetings in the Methodist church have steadily increased in attendance and interest during the week. The church is well filled each night and Evangelist Van Marter's sermons are clear-cut and searching. His sermon on spite and its effect created deep feeling. Sunday promises to be a day of intense interest. Mr. Van Marter will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. The singing is especially fine at each service.

Lincoln's Birthday.

Rockwood Grange will celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of Lincoln's birthday, which comes on Saturday, Feb. 12, by giving another one of those popular dances. Richard's orchestra will be there to furnish the latest music and the usual excellent Grange supper will be provided.

G. B. G. I. S. U. E.

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Ranchers and farmers. Put these letters in correct sentence and call with same at indicated business and receive a fine souvenir.

Girl Is Dashed to Death

Troutdale, Feb. 9.—The tragic death of Sadie Utting here last Saturday morning was a great shock to the entire town. The girl with her little sister Bernice, had started to deliver milk to their customers on the north side of the O. R. & N. tracks. The track was reached just as the fast mail train approached at a high rate of speed and Sadie in a spirit of bravado, threw off the hand of her sister who attempted to stop her, rushed upon the track, was struck by the pilot of the locomotive and hurled a distance of about 30 feet. The body was dashed against the depot platform with such force that death was caused instantly. The body was badly bruised about the head and one leg was broken below the knee. The body was taken into the depot and held until the arrival of the coroner. The mother, who is a widow, had accompanied the children to town from their home about one mile south and had gone to the Harlow home, where she was engaged in doing the family washing when the news was brought to her. On learning of the terrible fate of her child, Mrs. Utting fell to the floor in a faint and it was some time before she recovered. There are four other children in the family, the oldest a boy 16, a girl 14 and two younger than Sadie, who was 13. The funeral services were held from the home Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. H. Wood officiating. Interment was made in Douglas cemetery.

Fine Program at Evening Star

The Evening Star Grange met at their hall as usual Feb. 5. There were eleven candidates for the first and second degree.

The lecture hour after dinner was enjoyed by a large number, many being visitors from other granges, especially from Clatsop and Washington counties. Mrs. H. L. Vail was in charge and made quite an interesting talk on the position of the grange as regards politics or partisan topics. She said that the grange was accused of indulging in partisan politics and she was almost afraid that it was so. She thought that the grange should be allowed to discuss different political topics, but they should not pass resolutions favoring or not, such topics. One can discuss such subjects and enlighten themselves and others in grange, but it is not necessary to pass resolutions or vote on the subject and thus commit the grange to some political issue.

PROGRAM.

Instrumental Music—Misses Niblin and Smith.
Recitation—Gladys Johnson.
Reading of the Declaration of the Principles of the Grange—B. Lee Payet.
Essay—"Conservation of the Soil," by Ray Gill.
Duet—The Mrs. Windle.
Reading—"The Unlucky Friday," by Miss Mary Snider.
Talk on "Conservation of the Home"—Eugene Palmer.
Recitation—J. D. Lee.
Song by the Grange.
Recitation—Mrs. Nelson.
Remarks—Mr. and Mrs. Denny, Beaver-ton Grange; T. J. Kruder, of Lehto; Mr. Snashall, of Pleasant Valley Grange and Mrs. Palmer.
Committees were appointed by Master Johnson to work with other committees of the different granges of this county in the coming institute.

POWELL VALLEY

Rev. Storm, of British Columbia, gave a lecture at the Swedish Mission church several nights last week which were well attended. Mr. Storm is an able speaker.

The Young Ladies Dorcas society will meet at the home of Mrs. John Lovgren Saturday, Feb. 12. Everyone invited. The school here has been closed this week on account of the teachers' institute.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Thoveen entertained C. P. Johnson and family and A. C. Sward and family for dinner Sunday.

Miss Clara Carlson, of Emery, Wis., is visiting here, a guest at the W. Bottleson home.

It is reported that W. Danielson has sold his farm near Pleasant home and contemplates going to South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. John Corley, of Gresham, visited Sunday at the home of Wm. Beadle.

Regular meeting of the Baptist Ladies Aid society was held Tuesday with Mrs. Joe Wilcox. Refreshments were served and the event was highly enjoyed.

May Select Sandy for Central Station

Sandy, Oregon, Feb. 8, 1910. Sandy Commercial Club held its regular bi-monthly meeting in Fosberg's harness shop, President F. E. McGurin presiding.

Roll call found some members absent, but enough were present to make the meeting lively. L. E. Palmer of Salmon, a prominent member, was present for the first time. He paid his dues and gave a cheerful talk.

Delegates from Dover and Firwood were present in the interest of their rural telephone lines, which they desire to run into Sandy. They stated that if Sandy would furnish poles to Firwood they would make Sandy the central of their system. They were assured that, if after investigation, the club approved of the proposed telephone line, it would do its part toward making Sandy the central station.

A vote of the club was taken on the proposed annexation to Multnomah county. The result showed the club to be unanimously in favor of the change.

Meeting adjourned to Monday, February 21, at 8 p. m.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the friends who were so faithful in assisting and sympathizing with us during the sickness and death of our loving husband and father.

Mrs. R. S. Bradfield,
I. A. Bradfield,
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Risher,
Miss Ethel Bradfield.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation for the kindness shown by our many friends during the illness and at the funeral of our beloved child, Anna Brunner. Especially do we wish to thank the minister, those who assisted in the music and those who gave the floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Brunner.

Boring People Become Interested

Great interest is manifested in this part of the county regarding annexation to Multnomah county. At the meeting held at Oak Grove twenty delegates were sent to Portland to arrange the proposed boundary lines. At that meeting one delegate from Estacada, backed by a few others undertook to create a new county sentiment, with Estacada for county seat, but when the matter was put to a vote it was unanimous for annexation. The committee established the proposed line to commence at the mouth of the Clackamas river and go up the stream to Cazadero, thence east to the Clackamas county line. A meeting of the committee will be held next Monday night at the Commercial club rooms and some minor changes in the proposed county line may be made.

E. W. Goodner, a member of the committee called a meeting for Saturday night in order to obtain the wishes of the people regarding the location of the proposed line.

An Artisan lodge was installed in Boring Tuesday night with about thirty members. Tuesday night a large crowd of Portland Artisans will visit the Boring lodge and initiate a class of thirty new members.

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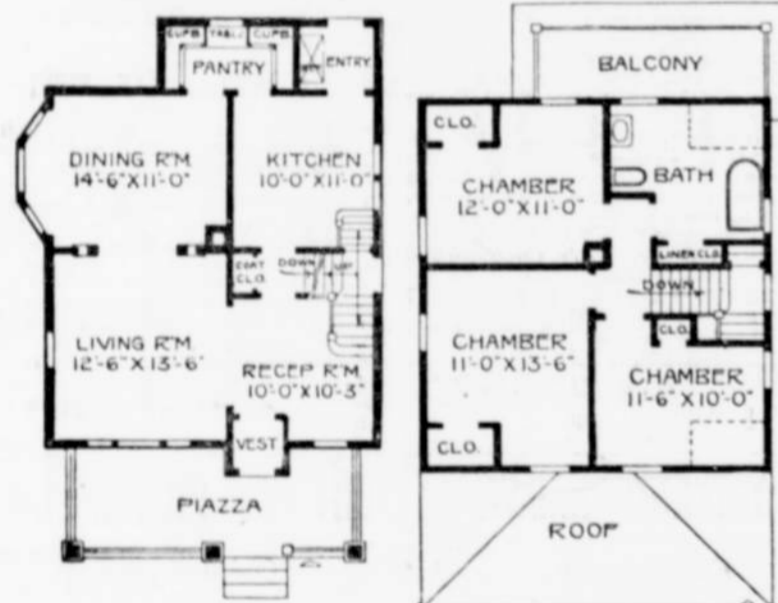
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First story nine feet and second story eight feet. Birch floors throughout. Washington fir or birch finish throughout first story and pine to paint in second story. Cost to build, exclusive of plumbing and heating, \$2,175. Size, 24 by 26. If one desires the cottage could be built 26 by 28 feet, keeping the rooms in the same proportions, for about \$350 additional.

By special arrangement with me the editor of this paper will furnish one complete set of plans and specifications of design No. 821 for \$15.

GLENN L. SAXTON.

Report of the Condition of the FIRST STATE BANK OF GRESHAM in the State of Oregon, at the close of business Jan. 31, 1910.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$ 81,862.27
Bonds, securities, etc.	4,900.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	8,894.31
Due from approved reserve banks	13,965.82
Cash on hand	7,327.54
TOTAL	\$116,979.94
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 15,000.00
Surplus fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	845.28
Individual deposits subject to check	74,486.17
Demand certificates of deposit	10,147.65
Time certificates of deposit	14,500.84
TOTAL	\$116,979.94

STATE OF OREGON,)
County of Multnomah,) ss.

I, EMIL G. KARDELL, Cashier of the above mentioned bank, do solemnly swear that the above report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EMIL G. KARDELL, Cashier

CORRECT—Attest:

A. MEYERS

THEODORE BRUGGER

EMIL G. KARDELL

Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Feb., 1910.

A. MEYERS,
Notary Public.

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