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### Death of Mrs. Thomas

The sympathy of neighbors and friend is tendered to Mrs. Mary Schaffer and family in the recent loss of their daughter, Mrs. Maude Thomas, of Vancouver. A husband and two children share the sad loss. For the fifth time death has shadowed the home of the Shaffers since their coming here from Iowa about eight years ago. Mrs. Thomas was sick with pneumonia but a short time and her death came as a sudden shock to her family and friends. She was laid to rest in Vancouver, Wash.

### SANDY

Sandy, Oregon, May 31.—The school entertainment given in Junker's hall by Miss Canning was well attended. Supt. Rigler gave an address after a good program had been rendered. Mr. Rigler presented diplomas to the two boys who finished the eighth grade.

Geo. Bornstedt has moved onto his property where he is erecting a new residence.

Mrs. Crow and Mrs. Harrington spent Memorial day in Portland.

Max Davis and family have moved into their new house which is nearing completion. The house vacated by them is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Dahlgren.

Miss Irene Douglass spent several days with her mother this week.

Mrs. C. R. Meyers of Coos Bay is making her home in Sandy.

Miss Jonsrud of Portland spent a few days with her parents.

Mr. Karres has moved his family into the new cottage.

The German society held Memorial services in Junker's hall, Sunday afternoon.

Maxwell Schneider a Sandy visitor Sunday. He intends to start a photograph gallery here soon.

Mrs. Bruns is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Howard Lake of Anderson.

Two of Mr. Meyers nephews, recently from Switzerland, spent a few days with him.

### Lents Wins Again

Lents has won every game this season and last Sunday added new laurels to the team's excellent playing. The first five innings witnessed many errors for each side and the score stood 5 to 4, but as usual the Lents team steadied down and allowed only one run in the sixth, shutting out their opponents after that, and running up their own tally from five to thirteen in the last four innings. The feature of the game was the pitching of G. Arnsperger for Lents. In the last four innings he got ten strike outs.

Next Sunday the Lents boys will play the Willamette Iron Works and a good game is expected.

### Rockwood Grange Dance, June 11

Another one of those popular dances at Rockwood Grange hall will be given Saturday evening, June 11. Popular prices, Richards' orchestra and the usual Grange supper will attract the customary big attendance. Everybody invited.

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### Postal Rates.

I am so often asked for the rates of postage on merchandise and whether the rate is greater in Europe than in this country, that I thought the following table one which should be filed for reference would better answer the question and be of general interest:

MERCHANDISE OF ANY KIND.				
Pounds	U. S.	Germa-ny	Switz-erland	Eng-land
1	.16	.03	.03	.06
2	.32	.06	.06	.12
3	.48	.09	.09	.18
4	.64	.12	.12	.24
11	.....	.06	.08	.25
22	.....	.12	.17	.....
33	.....	.18	.23	.....
44	.....	.24	.33	.....
100	.....	.....	.60	.....
110	.....	.60	.....	.....

### SEALED LETTERS.

Germany, distances up to 46 miles, 8 oz. for 1c.  
Switzerland, distances up to 6 miles, 8 oz. for 1c.  
To whole nation, 8 oz. for 2c.  
U. S. rural delivery, up to 15 miles, 1 oz. 2c; 8 oz. 10c.

Americans have been kept ignorant of our own property and its possibilities. The reason we have not the same advantages as European countries is that we do not take any interest in our own affairs. We elect the politicians and never give any further attention to the matter. They can get good pay for serving the express companies that make a hundred millions a year out of us and are willing to pay to prevent the establishing of parcels post. If you will write and ask your congressmen and senators what about this, and show them you are onto the game, you will get something, but so long as they know you are ignorant, they will do nothing for you. If each member of congress were to get a hundred letters from his constituents about the parcels post, the congress would remedy the evil.

Notice that the United States does not carry any parcel over 4 pounds in weight. This is where the express companies get in their graft, \$13.00 per hundred from Pullman, Wash., to New York City, unless it can be broken up into four pound parcels or less, then the rate is \$8.00 per hundred. What a splendid graft, only five cents per pound or \$5.00 per hundred, just because it cannot be broken up into parcels of mailable size. Oh, what a beautiful system (for the other fellow)!—C. B. Kogley, in The Pacific Grange Bulletin.

Self-Binders, Twine, Mowers, Rakes, Tedders, just as cheap as Portland at Hessel's Implement Store, Gresham.

Gresham Chop Mill will be shut down for repairs until about June 25th. Carl Shattuck. 22

An Entertainment and Ice Cream Social will be held at Cottrell school Saturday evening, May 28. Everybody come. 21

Lots for sale in Cedarville, on easy terms. H. W. Snashall, Pleasant View Avenue; Gresham, Route 3. 23

The Gresham Meat company will take your farm produce at latest market prices.

### PLEASANT VALLEY

Henry Melby and wife visited Sunday with C. F. Kesterson's.

Earl Crawford and Edd Pillster have gone to Hood River to help harvest the strawberry crop.

Miss Edna Morse left Thursday for her home in Prineville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Moore spent Sunday with A. B. Crafts at Stewarts.

G. N. Sager has returned from the Sixprong country.

A. W. Robertson entertained friends from the city one day this week.

Andy Olson was in Portland on business last Tuesday.

Chas. Hunter has got the first coat of paint on his new bungalow.

Adolph Kasper has got the concrete foundation in for his new house.

O. J. Forsgren has added a commodious porch to his house recently, which adds materially to its appearance.

The hum of the mowing machine reminds us that hay harvest is here once more.

John Forsgren is putting the finishing touches to his new barn.

The Donley boys are building on and repairing their barn in preparation for the new crop.

One of the most successful and satisfactory school years ever taught in Pleasant Valley was brought to a pleasant close last Friday afternoon with a good old-fashioned basket picnic, which was thoroughly enjoyed by the youngsters, teachers and visitors present. Quite a number of mothers honored the occasion by their presence and many expressed their satisfaction on the progress made by their children in their school work.

This is the third year for Miss Edna Morse as principal and the second for Miss Lillian Borquest as assistant in this school. The teachers surely have reason to be proud of the results achieved through their uniring efforts to promote the welfare and progress of their pupils and certainly deserve the commendation and gratitude of the patrons of the school.

It is understood that Miss Borquest will be a candidate for re-election. Miss Morse decided to accept another position which is open to her in her home city.

### ROCKWOOD

The Sunday school picnic held last Saturday in Bliss grove was well attended and enjoyed by all. A fine dinner was served after which all partook of ice cream.

W. Crockett and family will leave next week for their new home near Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillett expect their daughter to arrive from Chicago soon for a short visit.

The Ladies Aid met this week with Mrs. H. Linstad. There was quite a number present. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

A. H. Bell and family were out from Portland Sunday calling on friends in this vicinity.

Floyd Lovelace was out from Portland and spent Sunday with the home folks. Miss Florence Gould has the position as primary teacher in the Rockwood school. Miss Ellen Taylor who has filled the position for the past three finds a rest necessity for her.

On Wednesday afternoon, the 25th, Mrs. G. W. Crockett entertained about 20 of the ladies of the Maccabees at her home. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with visiting and music. Mr. and Mrs. Crockett have sold their home here and will soon go to a farm which they have bought near Albany.

### CORBETT

Mr. and Mrs. Willet of Mt. Pleasant, Wash., were Corbet visitors Sunday.

Victor Nutley was in Portland Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Emmons of Bridal Veil visited the Emmons families here Sunday.

Albert Fox and wife were week-end visitors in Portland.

Peter Anderson was in the city on business Tuesday.

Miss Abbie Stites, our popular teacher, closed a very successful school year Saturday night. Miss Stites has taught here two years and it is hoped by all that she will accept the position next year. The children and friends of the school enjoyed a picnic in the school yard. An enjoyable feature to the children was a ride in George Dressell's new Ford auto.

### Buckley Avenue, Name of Road

The county board granted a petition to name the road running north and south and east of "Kilgaver," Buckley Avenue, the same from the Sandy road to the Foster road, a distance of about six miles. The decision was handed down on January 14, 1910, and the notification was made to the petitioner, Mrs. M. E. Buckley, by Judge L. R. Webster. During the week classy sign boards in blue ground and white lettering will be placed on each alternate corner for the entire distance and at the head of each road crossed by Buckley avenue.

### LUSTEDS

Mr. and Mrs. George Sleret of Gresham visited with his brother John and wife several days last week.

The County Judge and Commissioner Lightener of Portland were out last Wednesday viewing the road running north and west of this place.

Mathew Rauw who has been attending high school in Gresham, is home for the vacation.

Mr. Kellogg has been entertaining his mother for about a week. She recently underwent an operation for cancer and is in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linderman of Portland were guests for several days recently of Mr. and Mrs. George Moulton.

Irvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ickler, who has been very low for the past two weeks, is improving but is still very weak.

Mrs. Ed Hamilton spent last week with friends and relatives in St. Johns and Portland.

Many from this vicinity attended the graduating exercises at Cottrell last Saturday evening.

Alfred Hamilton took Wallace Davies and son Lyman to the mountains up near Mt. Hood last Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Goff, of Portland, visited Mrs. Goff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lusted, a few days last week.

### POWELL VALLEY

Mrs. A. B. Elliott has returned from a week's vacation spent with her daughter Ruby at Corvallis and Newport.

Miss Edna Morse and Wm. P. Brooks were recent visitors at the home of Richard Beadle.

Mrs. Emily Johnson, who recently moved to East Portland, returned for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Wood.

S. V. Camp No. 40 meets at Lents on 2d and 4th Fridays, Hamilton's hall, Ninth ave. Initiation fee \$1. W. M. McDowell, Com.

### WEST SECTION LINE

The closing exercises of the Buckley school, held last Thursday evening, were very successful and reflected much credit on the teacher, Miss Frances Lees, whose efforts to please both patrons and pupils was most gratifying. The schoolroom was festooned with vines and roses and presented a beautiful appearance. A number of our residents attended and much pleasing comment was heard from the visitors.

S. McCartney has had the well drillers at his farm during the past week and reports 33 feet of water at present.

A number of persons from here attended Decoration day services in various cemeteries.

Owing to illness in the east side of District 28, the teacher, Mrs. Rhoda Wallace, and her pupils were unable to attend the Buckley school exercises as was planned, greatly to the disappointment of both schools.

Miss Lees gave a pleasant treat to her pupils last Friday, spending the day with them at the City Park.

### COTTRELL

P. T. Dunn has sold a fine horse to George Kenney of Gresham.

It is reported that Stillman Andrews has sold part of his place to the railroad company.

A. Bissett of Cleveland, Ohio is visiting his brother-in-law Paul Dunn. Mrs. Bissett and three children will be here soon and they may reside in Portland.

Miss Hedin and Rutherford closed a term of school Friday, the 27th, and Saturday night the graduating exercises were held in the schoolhouse. The graduates are, Anna Radford, Myrtle Radford, Chauncey Clark and Daniel Jones. Refreshments were served after the program.

Miss Hannah Hedin of Portland visited her parents Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Golay has been spending a few days at Bull Run, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Moore.

### PLEASANT HOME

S. W. Bladesdel, a capitalist of Portland, bought 20 acres of A. W. Anderson at the station. Mr. Bladesdel has already lumber on the ground for a handsome residence and will engage in the poultry business.

Max Anderson and Cecil Jack were out from the city Sunday.

The Pleasant Home baseball boys were not as hilarious as usual after their last game. Wonder why?

The temperance lecture at the church was well attended and appreciated. B. C. Altman gave some timely advice.

Ed. Thun, the blacksmith, moved his outfit to Sunnyside, Portland. Pleasant Home would appreciate a good blacksmith who would stay.

### WELCHES

Dr. Short and Mr. Seaton were guests of Wm. Welch Saturday and Sunday.

The roads above the toll gate are being re-opened and repaired for the summer's travel. A new bridge is being built across Zig Zag at Rhodendrom tavern.

Abbe Maulding is the guest of his brother, J. W. Maulding.

Mr. Hill visited Welches while making his rounds of inspection in the forestry service.

Another band of horses came across the mountains from the Deschutes country. They stopped here and gave an exhibition of riding and on their return in about two weeks when they expect to come through with another band of horses they promise another treat in the way of broncho busting and roping contests.

The residents here had a fine view of both the comet and the eclipse of the moon Monday night. Both showed up fine.

### CHERRYVILLE

Miss Constance Ewing has gone to Portland to remain several months.

Mrs. L. J. Rooney has returned home.

Chauncey Coffman returned from his homestead last week and has gone on a trip to Seattle.

Leo McCabe is now in the employ of the Firwood Mill company.

Miss Mildred Rugh is visiting her sister in Portland.

Misses Myrtle and Ruth Friel are visiting in Portland.

Rev. Runyon preached at the Methodist church Sunday.

Messrs. Morrison and Harrison were up in 36 cruising timber last week.

A. C. Mowrey of the Portland Lumber company and Mr. Jones of Portland were up in 36 last week.

The Oklahoman tells the following: as tending to show the farmers' part of our great national prosperity of which we hear so much from the press and platform: A farmer killed two hogs and the butcher agreed to buy them, the price being satisfactory. The farmer said he'd like to have the hams and shoulders, and again the butcher agreed. After the farmer put the hams and shoulders on his wagon, he remarked: "Well, what's the balance coming to me?" The butcher figured a moment and replied: "There's nothing coming to you; you owe me \$285." And the farmer was obliged to pay it. The butcher's figures were correct—the farmer's were correct. The butcher bought the entire hogs at a wholesale price and the farmer was charged at retail prices for the hams and shoulders—although that was not understood when he made the bargain.

## BANK WITH A GROWING INSTITUTION

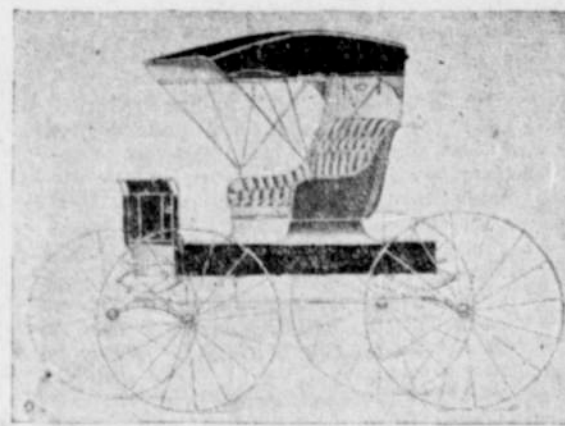
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Deposits	
May 21, 1906	\$ 24,676.03
" " 1907	54,846.87
" " 1908	71,133.26
" " 1909	101,280.55
" " 1910	156,189.46

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