

Spring Work

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CONDENSED NEWS NOTES

Job printing—phone 821.
Arthur Reeher and his mother were in Portland Tuesday.
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Miss Eunice Bernard left yesterday for a visit in Portland.
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L. M. Sparks has 45 hens, and during the month of March got 1012 eggs.
Mr. and Mrs. John Heisler, Sr., of Gales City were shopping in this city Tuesday.
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Mrs. Lou Laughlin is sick with heart trouble at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lota Hocking.
The Portland Oregonian six days a week and the Forest Grove Express once a week for only \$6.00 a year.

Lee Covert visited his wife in this city Sunday.

Smallpox has broken out in the Mountainside schools near Scholls. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williams spent Sunday in Portland with Mrs. Williams' mother.

Mrs. Laura Griebler of Gaston, visited at the home of her mother Mrs. LeFrene last week.

The Rose Show committee is planning to hold a picnic on the P. U. campus in the near future.

The 12-year-old son of Herman Bernard near this city, dislocated a finger while playing ball recently.

Miss Joan Pierce visited Sunday and Monday at the home of Mrs. Chris Peterson near Hillsboro.

New arrivals in fancy blouses, waists and neckwear at Mrs. Richards', two doors west of post-office.

The first train over the Willamette-Pacific between Marshfield and Eugene made its trip yesterday.

Carpenters have just completed a good job of bracing, levelling and repairing the floor of the King & Co. store.

This morning's Oregonian carries a dispatch from Oyster Bay, N. Y., stating that Roosevelt will be a candidate for president.

Mrs. Will Sparks, Mrs. E. A. Haana, and Mrs. W. A. Billenger visited at the home of W. H. Irwin, in Hillsboro, Saturday.

Miss Joy Aydelott, Ogden Asily and Sadie McCoy attended the county C. E. Convention, Saturday and Sunday held at Beaverton.

"The American Restaurant" as Decius & Dixon call their new place, opened Monday and is already enjoying a good patronage. They advertise it as "a white place for white people."

Rev. Hilton, former pastor of the Christian Church here, preached a sermon Sunday for the first time in four months. Rev. Hilton weighs 112 pounds now and when he was here he weighed over 200 pounds. He and his family are in Healdsburg, Calif.

Miss Joan Pierce was given a genuine surprise last evening when a number of her friends assembled at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. Wright on south Fourth street, and spent the evening with her. After the excitement of greetings, games were played until a late hour when dainty refreshments were served and the evening was delightfully spent. Those there were Mrs. Wright, Misses Joan Pierce, Margaret Curtis, Christine Mackrodt, Mary Corl, Clara and Alma Sage, Jeanie Baxter, Theresa Beahen and Vesta Greer and Master Wayne Wright.

Well-Known Citizen Called by Death

T. J. O. Thacher, a well-known and highly-respected citizen of Forest Grove, passed to his reward at the home of his son, W. F. G. Thacher, at Eugene, last Saturday, aged 71 years, apoplexy being the cause of his death.

Deceased was born at Hornell, New York, November 15th, 1844, and came to Forest Grove in 1910, having lived for some time at Concord, Mich., after leaving the state of his birth. When he first came to Forest Grove he engaged in the flour and feed business and handled real estate as a side line. He was an alumnus of Union College, Schenectady, N. Y., was well educated and was of a very amiable disposition, which fact won for him many friends during his brief residence in this section. Early last December, accompanied by Mrs. Thacher, he went to Eugene for a visit with his son, hoping the change would benefit his failing health, but he never recovered sufficiently to justify him in attempting to return to his home in this city, and the end came on the first day of the month.

Deceased is survived by his widow and son, both of whom were at the bedside when the end came.

The body was brought to this city Monday, accompanied by the widow and son and wife and at 10:30 Tuesday morning funeral services were held at the family residence, 304 Fourth Avenue South, Rev. O. H. Holmes officiating, deceased having been a member of the First Congregational church.

A large number of the local friends of the family followed the remains to Forest View cemetery, where they were laid to rest. The pallbearers were Herbert Glasyer, Captain Peters, J. E. Bailey, E. F. Burlingham, L. M. Graham and C. V. B. Russell.

The widow is arranging to move to Eugene, to make her home with her son and family.

Moore Resigns and Hoar Is Treasurer

Enoch Moore, who was appointed city treasurer and light and water collector March 28th by Mayor Paterson and whose appointment was confirmed the same evening by the city council, last Thursday notified Mayor Paterson that he had decided not to qualify for the office and that evening the mayor called a special meeting of the city council and appointed Councilman Hoar to the place refused by Mr. Moore. The appointment was confirmed by the council and a successor to Mr. Hoar on the council will probably be elected at the next council meeting.

Orators Are Coming
A week from tomorrow night—April 14th—representatives of Pacific College, McMinnville College, Eugene Bible University, Willamette University and Pacific University will meet in debate in oratorical contest in Marsh Hall, in this city. The contest is under the auspices of the Inter-Collegiate Prohibition associations of the colleges mentioned. The public is invited. Admission 25c.

A Big Class
The 1916 graduation class of the Forest Grove High will likely be the largest ever graduated by this school, numbering between twenty-eight and thirty-five. The graduation address will be delivered at the Congregational church May 26th by Judge Stevenson of Portland and on Sunday, May 28th, Rev. J. F. Ashley will preach the baccalaureate sermon at the Christian church.

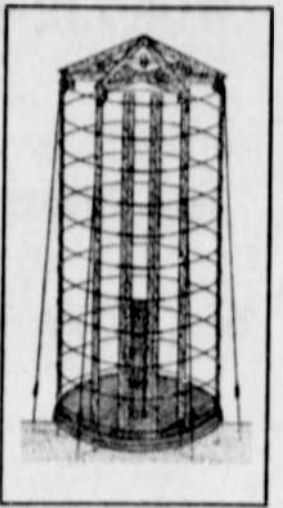
Grangers in Session
At a meeting of Gales Grange last Saturday two very instructive talks were made by experts in their respective lines. C. W. Creel, chief of the Forest Grove Entomological station, talked on "Clover Pests" and G. W. Pomeroy of Scappoose told the farmers a few things about potato pests. There was also a good musical program, several initiations and a good dinner at noon.

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Sunday School Convention

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the Washington County Sunday School association, held at Sherwood last Friday and Saturday, was one of the best conventions ever held.

Though the attendance from the north and west parts of the county was quite small, the enthusiasm and interests of districts six and seven, centering at Sherwood and Scholls, made the attendance and interest good and filled the churches at the various sessions.

Among the speakers were Rev. C. A. Phipps, Rev. J. V. Milligan and Rev. E. R. Martin, all from Portland, and all general Sunday School workers of the state or wider fields. Rev. Wayne Phelps of Hillsboro gave a very stirring address at the opening session. Miss Olive Clark of Portland, a state worker in elementary lines, gave some excellent suggestions and helpful hints during the program.

A new feature of the program was four papers by High School pupils on "The kind of man or woman I admire and the kind of Sunday school I like."

The central address of the convention was by Rev. C. A. Phipps on "The Sunday School as a World Power." A packed church heard this practical setting forth of the greatness of Sunday school work and every one went away more than pleased.

A feature of the entertainment was that two dinners and one supper were given to the convention in a body and the amount of provision supplied as well as that consumed was wonderful.

The president of the association had finished four years of service and felt justified in resigning and the secretary who had taken the work temporarily felt she could not give the time to continue in the office.

The new president is an old pioneer in service, Mr. E. X. Harding of Gaston. The secretary and treasurer elected is Rev. H. L. Bates of Forest Grove. Rev. J. F. Ashley and Professor F. C. Taylor were also asked to take minor offices.

The convention had the most

pleasant weather and was in all ways interesting and successful.
ONE WHO WAS THERE.

An Appreciation
To the Commercial Club, Ladies' Civic Club and Citizens of Forest Grove:

In behalf of the Grand Army of the Republic, The Woman's Relief Corps and the Ladies of the G. A. R., I thank you for your kind invitation to bring the Department Encampment of Oregon here in June, 1917.

W. J. R. BEACH,
Past Dept. Commander, Dept. of Oregon G. A. R.

Catholic Announcements

The Catholic churches of both Forest Grove and Cornelius are making preparations for special services for Easter. High Mass will be sung in both churches. In Forest Grove at 8:30, and in Cornelius at 10:30. Easter night there will be a sacred concert in Cornelius at 7:30. A complete program will be published later. This is free and the public is most cordially invited to attend.

On April 30th a large class of children will receive their First Holy Communion in St. Anthony's church of Forest Grove at 9:00. On that morning Mass will be in Cornelius at 7:00. There will be Mass in Gaston next Sunday morning, April 9th, at 8:00 o'clock.

J. R. BUCK.
Washington County Veteran Association will assemble in Grand Army Hall, at Hillsboro, Oregon, on the 4th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. sharp. Memorial services and business meeting in the forenoon. Dinner at 12 o'clock.

The afternoon will be devoted to program.

We have ordered a crowd for this occasion; better come early and avoid the crush.

J. T. Butler, Pres.
W. J. R. Beach, Sec'y.

J. W. Ethington, late cashier at the First National Bank, has sold his stock to A. T. and Earle O. Buxton and will soon retire from the bank to engage in other business. Earle Buxton has been elected cashier in Mr. Ethington's stead.

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