



## FIFTH ANNUAL COUNTY FAIR

The gates of the Grange Fair swung open at 8 o'clock yesterday morning and the crowd of spectators which is being entertained each day is being entertained with a grand display of products in every department. Nearly 75 boxes and over 100 plates of beautiful red cheeked apples, juicy pears and delicious peaches, 29 crates of luscious purple and yellow plums greet the eye as the visitor enters the main pavilion. Back of this giant corn, mammoth yellow pumpkins, cabbage, celery, beets, turnips, in fact, nearly every vegetable found in the vegetable kingdom are arranged in an alluring display.

Evening Star and Russellville Granges are closely contesting for first prize in the Grange displays. John Brown has a cozy little corner down in the west end of the room where Mrs. Brown is distributing literature pertaining to insurances.

The Empire Cream Separator people have a Swiss dairy maid in charge of their display. Mrs. Myrtle Ball is impersonating the character in a very pleasing way.

The Columbia Supply Company with the DeLaval Separators, the Pacific Stove and Range Company displaying Crescent Ranges and the Hazelwood Company with the Simplex Separators are occupying the northeast corner of the building.

Specimens of art exhibited at the Gresham Fair bear witness to the fact that there are many accomplished in needlecraft in our vicinity. In the Domestic Science department, of which Mrs. J. W. Shattuck is the superintendent, many beautiful pieces have been entered. Practically every line of needle work is represented including center pieces of which some are very exquisite, waists, childrens dresses, bed and table linens and fancy quilts and spreads.

Mrs. E. L. Therpe is superintendent of the art department and has a very attractive display. Many of the pictures have been loaned by friends of the fair. Besides painting there is crayon and water color work. Some burnt wood pieces and a china display are also to be seen.

The Juvenile department, though containing few exhibits is good. Exhibits of cookery, candy making, mechanics and vegetables are to be found. Mrs. Robert Lansdowne is in charge.

A very good collection of mounted birds and of skins is on exhibition on the second floor of the main building also. Some pretty potted plants are also to be seen there.

Last, but not least, is the very beautiful floral display of Gill Bros. The display consists of about 250 varieties of dahlias, a collection of asters and of gladiolas and is certainly striking and beautiful. These flowers are raised by Gill Brothers on their place about a mile north of the Russellville store, where they conduct a floral and vegetable seed business. They make a specialty of dahlias and roses, having at present about two acres in dahlias.

The Live Stock exhibit is increasing every hour until nearly every available space is filled. Many fine horses and colts are on exhibition. Cattle are not behind. E. Sweedler, D. McKeown and H. G. Mullenhoff, each have a herd of that famous milking breed, the Holsteins, while B. C. Altman of Pleasant Home is looming up with ten head of Jerseys.

A fine display of Italian prunes packed in crates is attracting much attention.

## LECTURES AND MUSIC

The Gresham Commercial club at its meeting Wednesday night decided to put on a lecture and entertainment course for the city of Gresham during the fall and winter. With this in view a contract will be closed with the Meneley Lyceum Bureau of Chicago for five first class entertainments, consisting of the Meneley Quartette and Ramond McCord, impersonator and reader, Miss Belle Kenney, the most eloquent woman on the American platform, James R. Barkley, cartoonist, chalk talker, crayon and and clay modeler, Col. John Sabieske, Polish-American lecturer, orator, soldier and statesman and the Ricketts Concert Company including Chester L. Ricketts, impersonator and reader.

The Commercial club is advertising this course at the fair and offering season tickets for sale for the entire course. This is a good move on the part of the Commercial club and should be supported strongly by everyone in this vicinity who is interested in bringing a high class of clean entertainments to our city. If those who should take hold of this matter promptly the Commercial club will be able to meet the entire expense by the sale of tickets. Such entertainments as these cost money and it is seldom that a local order can make any money by financing them.

## FUNERAL OF JAMES MENZIES IS HELD HERE

The funeral of James A. Menzies was held from the Methodist church here on Thursday, Rev. F. M. Burtch officiating. Mr. Menzies has made his home on a ranch near Troutdale for a number of years but about a year ago he moved to Portland at which place he died.

Mr. Menzies was born on Savoy's Island, August 25, 1859. In 1871 he was married and lived near Portland later moving to Troutdale. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Edella Hoyt, Mrs. Lulu Streib, and Mrs. Laura Bretschner and two sons, Charles Menzies and Arthur Menzies. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World, which order conducted the funeral at the cemetery. The remarks made by Rev. Burtch were very helpful.

Many beautiful floral tributes expressed the high esteem in which Mr. Menzies was held by his friends.

**On the Lookout.**  
The Outlook is on the lookout for subscriptions, advertising and print-Phone 701.

The best showing of live stock has been made in the poultry division where the crowing of roosters and the quacking of ducks and the gobble of the turkey is almost distracting.

"Are those Hood River apples?" is the question in the negative by H. A. Lewis, superintendent of Horticulture, many times a day.

How many when they look around and see the blue and red ribbons will say, "I could have shown something better than that."

## FINEST FEATURES COMING

Everything Favorable to Make Saturday Crowning Days of Multnomah's Biggest and Best Fair.

### Saturday

Portland Day. Greeting of Portland Visitors 10:00 A. M.  
Band Concert. Grand Stand 11:00 A. M.

### RACES

Free for all Trot 2:00 P. M.  
Free for all Pace 2:00 P. M.  
Running Race 2:45 P. M.  
Broncho Busting 3:00 P. M.  
Orchestra in Grand Stand all afternoon  
Dancing in pavilion afternoon and evening.

### Sunday

Girls Band of Oak Grove, Ore., arrives 10:45 A. M., furnishes music during the day.

Baby Show 1:00 P. M.

Gov. West speaks in Auditorium 2:00 P. M. Subject "Prison Reform."  
Mrs. Robbins speaks at Auditorium 3:00 P. M. Subject, "Life in Manila."

## WANT ADS.

A Department for Everybody. The Busy Man's Exchange

ITALIAN PRUNES—Wanted at Metzger's dryer, 50th street and Powell Valley road. 59

CORD WOOD -- Delivered anywhere within reasonable hauling distance. Phone 314. John Larson, Gresham, R. 4. 102

LOTS FOR SALE at Cedarville.—Easy terms. H. W. Snashall. Phone Gresham 74. 11

E. E. Marshall, agent for Mitchell Lewis & Staver implements, can be found at The Congdon, phone 571, Gresham. 11

FOR SALE—Span of horses, 2800 pounds; 9 and 12 years old. See G. B. Hamilton, Gresham, R. D. 3. 61

FOR SALE—2,000 Cedar posts on ground. One mile east of Gresham at Tia Juana. Mrs. J. A. Stephens, Route 2, Box 86. 11

**Kow Kicker.**  
Smith's anti-cow kicker is guaranteed to do the work. A boy can put on and take off and no man's cow can kick while on. This we guarantee and two buckets of milk kicked over during this the fly season will more than pay for one. We will demonstrate this by calling on T. A. O. Stensland, Rockwood or address R. D. box 27, Clatsop, Oregon. 11

Mrs. S. T. Crow will have charge of the restaurant at the Fair and will serve a first-class meal at any hour.

WANTED TO RENT—Small Farm of 20 to 50 acres. Enquire of E. Crowben, Gresham, R. 3, box 155. 11

FOR RENT—For six months, new cottage at Tia Juana, \$7.00 per month. Apply, Outlook office for particulars. 11

HORSES FOR SALE—Eight head first-class work horses. Aaron Knight, Gresham. 58

GOOD PASTURE for rent at Anderson station. Ed. Osburn, phone 691. 11

\$1,000 Wanted  
Wanted to borrow \$1,000 for two years. First mortgage as security. Apply at Outlook office. 11

Please Settle.  
As the Gresham Feed Mill has changed hands we urge all our patrons to settle accounts with the former firm as soon as possible. 57  
RAMSBY & OSWALD.

**O. W. R. & N. TIME TABLE**  
EASTBOUND  
Leave Portland 7:50 a. m.—Arrive Fairview 8:25 a. m.; Troutdale, 8:30 a. m.;  
Lv. Portland 4:00 p. m.—Ar. Fairview 4:34 p. m.; Troutdale, 4:39 p. m.; Portland 8:00 p. m.—Ar. Troutdale 8:45 p. m.  
WESTBOUND  
Lv. Troutdale 9:28 a. m.; leave Fairview 9:33 a. m.—Ar. Portland 10:15 a. m.;  
Lv. Troutdale 4:55 p. m.; leave Fairview 5:00 p. m.—Ar. Portland 5:45 p. m.

## WEDDING BELLS RING

One of our most promising young men, Roy Shoemaker, residing just east of town, surprised his friends in Gresham this week, by quietly making a journey to his old home, Dayton, Washington, and there taking to himself a wife.

The bride was formerly Miss Katherine Heter, and lately was visiting at the Shoemaker home. The happy young couple have been neighbors, playmates, and schoolmates and the wedding is the outcome of a courtship beginning almost in childhood days. Immediately after the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker took the train for a brief honeymoon at the coast, after which they will make their home at Gresham.

A quiet wedding ceremony was performed at the parsonage of Rev. Benjamin Black, a Baptist minister of Portland, uniting in marriage Mr. Emil Oswald and Miss Jennie Metzger. The couple were accompanied by their parents and after the ceremony left for Salem, Independence and other valley towns where they spent a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald are both well known in this community and the Outlook with a host of friends extend their heartfelt wishes. They will erect a neat bungalow south of Dan Metzger's residence, very soon.

## PROCLAMTION OF THE Mayor of the Town of Gresham

I, Lewis Shattuck, Mayor of the Town of Gresham, hereby certify that a certain act entitled "An act to amend paragraph 22 of section 12 of chapter 5 of the charter of the Town of Gresham entitled an act to incorporate the Town of Gresham in the County of Multnomah, Oregon, and to provide a charter therefor, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict therewith filed in the office of the Secretary of State February 11th, 1905", and having the following ballot title to-wit: "\$20,000.00 Water Bonds to be authorized for constructing pipe lines, pumping stations and reservoirs, and to acquire real and personal property, and to do all other things necessary and convenient for the construction of a general water system and water works for the Town of Gresham by an amendment of paragraph 22 of section 12 of chapter 5 of the charter of the Town of Gresham", which was submitted to the legal voters of said town of Gresham at the special election therein held on the 18th day of September, 1911, for their adoption or rejection, received the affirmative majority of the total number of votes cast thereon at said election, to-wit: Ninety-two votes for said act, to six votes against said act, and I accordingly hereby make proclamation of the adoption of said amendment to the charter of the Town of Gresham in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance Number 43.

Done at the Town of Gresham, this 19th day of September, 1911.  
LEWIS SHATTUCK,  
Mayor.

## JUDGING NOW IN PROGRESS

The judging has been going on all day and blue and red ribbons are being pinned on exhibits which are considered worthy. Already the various displays are well decorated with prize colors.

The Live Stock parade was postponed today until after dinner at 1:30 p. m. The horses and cattle were brought out and made a fine showing.

The principal features for this afternoon will be the drills by Fraternal societies, a number of teams are expected to take part in competitive drills for a good sized purse. The races every afternoon are a special feature and the bronco busting exhibition will be pulled off this afternoon will be full of excitement.

Tomorrow will be Portland Day and Sunday will be devoted to speaking and exercises appropriate to the day. A complete program for these two days appears elsewhere in this issue.

The attendance while not so large as was wished, yesterday, is very satisfactory and at this writing the crowds are pouring into the grounds by the hundreds. A banner day is looked for tomorrow in the way of attendances. The weather has been fine and if it continues as good tomorrow the management will have no cause to complain.

## LET 'EM BUCK--THAT'S WHAT WE LIKE TO SEE

Bronco busting equaling that at the Pendleton roundup is holding vast audiences almost spell bound with the daring feats of a score of cow boys from eastern Oregon.

C. W. Flander's "Cantatrice" lowered the track record to 1:11 1/2 in a half mile race in yesterday's trotting contest.

Harry Squares "Toylace" brought the pacing record down to 2:21 1/2. J. S. Crane's "Bally C.", driven by Harry Squares, was second at 1:13 1/2 in the trotting race. George Howitt's "Hunky Dory" came third at 1:14 1/2.

C. W. Todd's "Paul W.", with Tom Gorman driver, came fourth. "George Rose", driven by O. J. Brown, came second at 2:30 1/4 in the pacing race, with Ben Wing's "Rockey", driven by A. H. Smith, as third at 2:32 1/2.

D. C. Anderson's "Chico", driven by Ed. Anderson, came fourth.

C. W. Flander's "Gyrlight" was fifth and C. W. Todd's "Clambake", driven by Tom Gorman, was sixth. The pony race was won by P. T. Schellie's pony ridden by Frank McCormick. Jockey McCormick out-generated all other jockeys worthy of a position in a bigger race. The conduct of the McCormick boys was highly praised by the horsemen.

"From Portland to the mountains look out for the Outlook."

### Pomona Postponed.

The regular meeting of Pomona Grange, scheduled to assemble with Columbia Grange, at Corbett, has been postponed from next Wednesday, to the following Wednesday, September 27.

This is a good time to send in your name for a live, twice-a-week newspaper. Splendid combination offers of you want a city daily or weekly. The Outlook.