

## INSTALLATION AND BANQUET

The joint installation and banquet of Fairview lodge, A. F. & A. M., and Order of Eastern Star, which took place in the hall at Troutdale, Wednesday night, was one of the pleasantest affairs of the kind that could be held. Nothing was wanting in the plans of the evening or the carrying out of the program of installation which could have made the ceremony more effective and impressive. The most generous hospitality was shown and the best of spirit prevailed.

This joint installation is the event of the year with the brothers of the Masonic order and the sisters of the Eastern Star. It is the "open meeting" so to speak when the uninitiated are privileged to approach the threshold of mysteries and receive an inkling of their deep and beautiful significance and history. Impressively solemn are the vows of fidelity which those inducted into office assume.

Special cars brought members and guests from Portland and Gresham.

H. B. Chapman, a former resident of Troutdale, and past master, was the installing officer of the lodge and Chas. Cleveland was conductor. The following are the new officers: Worshipful master, O. J. Brown. Senior warden, G. O. Dolph. Junior warden, D. W. Mickley. Senior Deacon, W. E. Chamberlain.

Junior deacon, Herman Blaser. Stewards, E. E. Marshall and W. E. Craswell.

Tyler, S. S. Logan. Secretary, Wm. Stanley. Treasurer, D. W. McKay.

Following the Masonic installation the sisters took charge and conducted their ceremony with grace and dignity. Mrs. Janet Grant, retiring worthy matron, was installing officer, and Mrs. Anna Cleveland, marshal.

The new officers of the Troutdale Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, are the following:

Worthy matron, Margaret Sales. Worthy patron, C. E. W. Ison. Associate matron, Josephine Stanley.

Secretary, Margaret McKay. Treasurer, Frances Fox. Conductor, Christine Cavanaugh.

Associate conductor, Anna Brown. Chaplain, Ellen Wright. Adah, Sarah Chamberlain.

Ruth, Olive Wilson. Esther, Wilhelmina Logan. Electa, Cora Childers.

Martha, Susie Stanley. Warden, Lillie Mickley. Sentinel, D. W. Mickley.

The presentation of a past matron's pin was made to Mrs. Grant by Mrs. Chas. Cleveland on behalf of the order. Mrs. Grant was especially happy in her well chosen words of response.

A musical program followed the ceremonies in which solos by Mrs. Anna Brown and W. H. Bachmeyer and songs by a quartet were well received. Rev. Thos. Robinson gave a brief appropriate address on some of the principles of Masonry. Following came the banquet.

In the hall on the lower floor a sumptuous feast had been spread, with places for a hundred or more. Soon the tables were filled and the room was musical with the flow of wit and sociability.

A unique idea was carried out in the toasts proposed. The subjects were the names of various popular magazines, including the local paper. Chas. Cleveland presided. W. E. Chamberlain responded to the subject, "The Trestle Board." He outlined the fundamental principles of Free Masonry. Mrs. D. W. McKay spoke on "The Housekeeper." Mrs. Jeanette Grant responded on "The New Idea." She spoke of the new ideas of harmony and helpfulness she had received from the sister order.

To H. B. Chapman was given "Review of Reviews," which subject he treated in a masterful manner, relating many very amusing incidents of earlier days. He told of the change that 25 years has made in the roads in this locality.

Will H. Congdon responded to the Outlook. H. L. St. Clair was also given the same topic.

Mrs. W. H. Bachmeyer told of the helpfulness of the associations of the order.

G. O. Dolph rendered an amusing song. He was very heartily encouraged and responded with a more amusing one.

The installation of 1911 will

## COMMERCIAL CLUB WILL GIVE BANQUET

Preparations are well under way for the Club banquet to be held next Wednesday night. Invitations have been sent out to all members with their ladies with the request that they notify the secretary so that he will know how many plates to provide.

Invitations have been sent to the Sandy Commercial club, the Fairview Improvement club, and the Portland Commercial club, for representatives from each, also the following have been invited: Judge Cleaton, Miss Isom, Mr. Ernberger, Mr. Hunt and A. W. Bennett. A fine program of after dinner speeches has been arranged with Chas. Cleveland as toastmaster. The banquet will be served in the Commercial club's rooms. Musical selections will be given before and during the feast.

The committee is expecting a large attendance. If any persons desire to join before this splendid event their names will be gladly received by Lewis Shattuck or C. S. Smith, of the membership committee or any officers of the club.

## SHORT COURSES BEGIN AT O. A. C.

The Oregon Agricultural College short courses will begin Wednesday, January 3. It is hoped many, especially young people, prospective farmers and business men, will take advantage of the short courses of study.

These courses are very practical. There is no tuition and the expenses for the month at Corvallis need not be heavy. It will make a good outing crammed full of helpful instruction to every young man and woman who can attend.

There are eleven district courses. Attention is called to the full list in the ad. of the O. A. C. in this issue.

Following is a condensed outline of three important courses:

The new \$30,000 dairy building, it is expected, will be ready for the short course work of this winter. The building is 141x54 feet, three stories high. It will be well equipped with modern appliances for the handling of milk and its products. The dairy herd consists of representatives of the leading dairy breeds, thus enabling the student to become familiar with the characteristics of dairy animals, as well as the methods of feeding, testing and keeping the records of the dairy herd. One of the largest commercial creameries in the state is located at Corvallis, an opportunity thus being afforded for the study of manufacturing problems as they exist under every-day creamery conditions. Two courses of instruction will be offered in the dairy department, as follows:

### Dairy Husbandry.

Farm Dairying—Two weeks—A study of milk production, lectures on breeds and breeding, forage crops, feeding, care of milk, farm buildings, use of the Babcock test, cream separators, milk records, etc. Laboratory exercises in the use of the Babcock test and cream separators. This course to be given in co-operation with the Department of Agronomy and Animal Husbandry.

Dairy Manufacturing—Five weeks—A study of problems connected with the manufacturing side of the dairy industry as follows: Milk and cream testing—A study of the Babcock test as applied to milk and cream and other milk products; use of acidity test; fermentation tests; use of the lactometer; composite sampling and testing. Textbook used, Testing Milk and its Products, by Farrington and Woll. Cheese Making—The manufacture of full cream Cheddar cheese will be considered. Attention will be given to the small size known as Young Americas. Some partly skimmed milk cheese will be made to illustrate the effect of the removal of a portion of the cream. The use

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doubtless go down in the records and the memory of those present as one of the best ever held.

## A Happy New Year

As the next issue of the Outlook will be that of January 2, 1912, the editor takes this occasion to wish everybody a Happy, Healthy, Hopeful, Helpful New Year. We wish true peace and prosperity for old and young. May the failures of the past be forgotten by us all in a more earnest endeavor to make the most of the new and larger opportunities brought to us by a Bright New Year. May 1912 be a year long to be remembered for good.

## MANY FAVOR CITY EXTENSION

The petitions for the extension of the city limits has been prepared and are now being signed up. One is for the legal voters residing in the district it is proposed to annex and will require about ten signatures. The one for the voters within the present limits will require about 25 names.

The proposed new lines will include territory on all sides of the town and will add about 200 acres to the 400 or more at present.

The petitions will be presented to the council at its next regular meeting, next Tuesday. There is thought to be no doubt of its adoption and in the near future a special election will be called to vote on the proposition.

### Interesting Services at Pleasant Home and Boring.

Next Sunday Rev. A. B. Calder will preach at Pleasant Home at 11 a. m. and at Hill church at 3 p. m. The watch night service will be held at Boring Sunday evening. Following is the program: Epworth League service at 8 p. m.; preaching at 9 p. m.; recess; song service, 10:15; experience meeting, 10:45; consecration service, 11:30.

Rev. E. F. Zimmerman of Oswego will speak at Pleasant Home Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the M. E. church, on Anti-Saloon League work.

The Sunday schools of Boring and Pleasant Home gave interesting programs on Christmas eve.

## CARNEGIE LIBRARY FOR OREGON CITY

Oregon City has secured promise of a Carnegie library building. The efforts of the citizens and library association have been rewarded by the proffer of \$12,500 for a building, the city to guarantee an annual support of \$1250. The maintenance fund is made up by city taxes and contributions of citizens.

### Central Oregon's Opportunity.

Central Oregon's opportunity is shown in a recent address of President Carl R. Gray, of the Hill lines in this territory, who pointed to that section as the coming granary of the Pacific Northwest. He said five counties in the interior have four times the area of Maryland, with one-thirtieth its population and more than one-half that of Iowa with one-sixtieth its population.

From this great area in future, he believes, will come large quantities of wheat. The United States crop is decreasing and here is the chance for Central Oregon to supply this much needed commodity. Wheat exports have been cut more than half in two years, showing the American surplus to be rapidly diminishing. In President Gray's opinion, central Oregon's future is brightest as a great wheat growing district.

"Our baby cries for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy", writes Mrs. T. B. Kendrick, Rasaca, Ga. "It is the best cough remedy on the market for coughs, colds and croup." For sale by Gresham Drug Company and all Dealers.

Our merchants are enterprising or they would not advertise. Our readers who read and follow up the ads.

## SCHOOL DISTRICT VOTES 5 MILLS

At the special school meeting held Wednesday in Gresham District No. 4, the proposition to buy the 3 1/2 acres north of the present school site for high school purposes was voted down. A five mill tax was voted to raise funds for the present year as against 7 mill last year.

The gymnasium question was brought up and discussed quite enthusiastically for a time and there seemed to be quite a desire on the part of many of those present to vote on the question but inasmuch as the matter was not mentioned in the call for the special meeting, it was decided that a vote would be illegal. The matter will probably come up for a vote at the regular school meeting next June. About twenty-five turned out to this meeting which was more than usual and Chairman Theo. Brugger while thanking the voters for their presence, suggested that a good way to get a crowd at the school meeting in the future would be to advertise for a \$10,000 bond issue.

## NEW WATER SYSTEM IS BEING TESTED

Water has been turned on from the Bull Run pipe and a test is being made of the city water pipes on Roberts avenue and all east of the corner of Roberts avenue and Powell street. The maximum pressure is expected to reach 130 pounds. A test on the other streets will be made soon.

The building formerly occupied by the Gresham Shoe shop is being fitted up for a tool shop and will be in charge of B. W. Emery, who has been appointed water superintendent.

Those milk reports are going fast. They are just the thing for the dairyman. Each sheet will do for 16 cows one month, morning and evening record. Very cheap at Outlook office.

### MT. HOOD RAILWAY & POWER COMPANY

#### EASTWARD

Lv. Montavilla 6:35 a. m., except Sunday—Arrive Gresham 7:30. Mabery 7:30.

9 a. m.—Daily—Arrive Gresham 9:25; Bull Run 10:30, (mixed train).

3 p. m.—Except Sunday—Arrive Gresham 3:25; Bull Run 4:20.

5:55 p. m.—Except Sunday—Arrive Gresham 6:20; Cottrell 6:45.

#### Sunday Only.

Lv. Gresham 7 a. m.; arrive Mabery 7:30.

Lv. Montavilla 1:30 p. m.; arrive Gresham 1:55; Bull Run 2:55.

Lv. Montavilla 4:45 p. m.; arrive Gresham 5:10; Cottrell 5:35.

#### WESTWARD

Lv. Gresham 6 a. m.—Except Sunday—arrive Montavilla 6:25.

Lv. Mabery 7:35 a. m.—Daily—arrive Gresham 8:10; Montavilla 8:35.

Lv. Bull Run 12:01 p. m.—Except Sunday—arrive Gresham 1:20; Montavilla 2. (Mixed train).

Lv. Bull Run 4:25 p. m.—Except Sunday—arrive Gresham 5:25; Montavilla 5:50.

Lv. Cottrell 6:50 p. m.—Except Sunday—arrive Gresham 7:15.

#### Sunday Only.

Lv. Bull Run 11 a. m., arrive Gresham 11:50; arrive Montavilla 12:15.

Lv. Bull Run 3:25 p. m., arrive Gresham 4:15; Montavilla 4:40.

Cottrell 5:38 p. m., arrive Gresham 6:00.

## CHERRYVILLE MAY LOSE SCHOOL MONEY

[Special Correspondence.]

A special meeting of the Cherryville school board was called for Saturday, January 13, 1912, and all taxpayers are requested to be present. The object of the meeting is to devise some way of recovering the school acre which J. T. Friel, Sr., deeded over to Ray Murray and his wife during their life and to go to their children at their death.

J. T. Friel, Sr., chairman of the Cherryville school board failed to show up at the special meeting of the school board last Saturday evening and we are told that he will say little or nothing about the matter, but simply insist that he never deeded the acre over to Ray Murray and wife and their children. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Murray tells the writer that the deed is at their house and that he deeded the whole 40 acres to them and their children including the school acre and two of the school directors tell the writer that they read the deed over and that the school clerk was at Mr. Murray's and read the deed over and that Mr. Friel deeded the whole 40 acres, including the school acre, over to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Murray, and at their death to go to their children.

It is feared that unless this tangle is straightened out and the district gets a deed to the acre that the district will lose their appropriation of school money for school purposes.

One of the school directors tells the writer that some four years ago when Mr. Friel promised the acre he never stipulated that the school acre had to be cleared before he gave the deed and it was not until the school was built, or at least not until it was partly built, that he ever mentioned that the school acre had to be cleared before he would give the deed to the school district. Another school director tells the writer that Chas. Harris, ex-school clerk, told him the same thing.

The people of Cherryville have been trying to get a deed to that school acre for some four years, and the acre is about half cleared and J. T. Friel as chairman of Cherryville school board could have given the word and had the remainder of the acre cleared long ago and given the district a deed long ago. At the time the school house was built we are told the district had one or more offers of donations of land for school purposes and no stipulation that the land should be cleared or any stipulation of any kind.

That the Pacific Northwest need not take second place with any other section of the country in feeding and fattening livestock is shown by the recent killing of a 2100-pound steer at the Portland stock yards that dressed out 72.14 per cent. So far as known this is the best percentage ever shown anywhere. The much boasted corn belt is surpassed. The champion steer at the recent National Livestock show in Chicago dressed 66.2 per cent.

Amateur breeders will be encouraged to enter well bred animals in the animal show of the Northwest Angora Goat association at Dallas, January 3-5. Attractive prizes are offered and the exhibits promise to be the best ever assembled in this state. People of the whole Northwest will be interested.

A deep sea fishing industry may soon be added to Oregon activities. Owners of the estate of the late R. D. Hume are likely to carry forward the plans left by Mr. Hume for placing in service a fleet of fishing craft on the banks of the southern coast for taking halibut and other food fish.

A Russian governor and chief of police have been appointed for the city of Tabriz in Persia. This is only the first step in Russian control. Punishment is to be meted out to those who attacked the Russian troops. The constitutional element will be disarmed and severe measures adopted to bring about a peaceful condition of affairs.

Lame shoulder is nearly always due to rheumatism of the muscles, and quickly yields to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by Gresham Drug Company and all Dealers.

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

GOOD FRESH COW for sale. S. Alexander. 87

## TELEPHONE CO. SHAVES DEBT

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Multnomah and Clackamas county Mutual Telephone company will be held next Wednesday at 2 p. m., probably in the Commercial club hall. It will be necessary to elect two new directors to fill the places of Brugger and Snashall, whose terms expire. The other directors at present are E. S. Joane, C. Cleveland, C. R. Keller, J. Sleret, A. B. Conrad, W. A. Proctor, and A. Dowsett.

H. W. Snashall has been the president during the past year and A. Dowsett, secretary and treasurer. It is stated on good authority that Mr. Dowsett will refuse to take the position of secretary for another year. He has held this position for several years. The local central has been most of the time in or near the Gresham Drug store and the arrangement has been very convenient.

The past year has been a prosperous one in the history of the company, as the report of the secretary will show.

The report recently issued complete to October 31, 1911, and sent to the stockholders gave the assets of the company as \$18,402.05 and liabilities as \$10,167.37. The indebtedness was given as \$2159.77. There had been collected for long distance calls \$2722.17, a little over fifteen hundred dollars of which was paid the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph company. The expense for operations and labor was nearly four thousand dollars. Other items of expense are, rent, \$142; taxes, \$150.58; license, \$15; light, \$5.20; interest on loans, \$150.

Since this report was issued about two months ago, there has been received from rentals over \$1200, and there has been paid on indebtedness, \$500.

While not much extension work has been done during the year considerable addition has been made to the equipment, the service has been greatly improved and the company is in better shape than ever.

## WANT ADS.

BERKSHIRE HOGS for sale. A few bred sows and some young sows barrows. Sweet Briar Farm. Phone 493. tf

LOST—Two yearling heifers, one black and the other brindle, branded J. R. on left hip. Left my premises several months ago. Anyone giving information as to their whereabouts will be suitably rewarded. John A. Richie. 91

LITTLE PIGS for sale by B. C. Altman. tf

OATS Wanted — Gresham Feed Mill. tf

COTTAGE FOR SALE—Near the Fair grounds. Apply to Mrs. S. A. Crawford. tf

WOOD FOR SALE—Dead and live. Will deliver promptly in Gresham and Fairview. Frank Gustafson, Gresham. Phone 289. 119

CORD WOOD — Delivered anywhere within reasonable hauling distance. Phone 324. John Larson, Gresham, R. 4. 102

FOR SALE—Baled hay. Delivered anywhere. S. S. Thompson, phone 61. 61

LIVE WOOD cut three years, \$5 per cord. Dead wood, \$4. Delivered in Gresham. Paul Palmblad. Phone 28x1. 87

FOR SALE—Crystal White Orpington Cockerels, Kelerstrass strain at \$10, \$5, and \$3 each. David Wolfe, Boring, Oregon. 89

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorns, both cockerels and pullets. Neils Rodlun, Gresham, R. 4. tf

FOR SALE—Baled hay. Delivered anywhere; also team of draft horses. Phone 61. S. S. Thompson. x

Any one informing me of the whereabouts of W S Kent will do me a favor. Staples, the Jeweler, 162 First street, Portland, Ore. x

Are You Going to Build? If so, consult W. H. Karr, Gresham, Oregon. Plans and estimates furnished. tf