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Entered as second-class matter March 3, 1911, at the post office at Gresham, Oregon, under the act of March 3, 1879.

W. L. Lightney has announced himself as candidate for reelection as county commissioner.

W. L. Lightner is a candidate for renomination as county commissioner. He has served two terms and has been prominent in promoting many county improvements.

The postal savings deposits have already reached the sum of \$15,000,000. It is predicted that in a year from now they will amount to \$50,000,000.

Representative Lafferty has applied to the Postoffice Department to have city mail delivery service given to that part of Portland now served by the Woodstock postoffice.

Cornelius G. Murphy has been discharged from his position as head of the meter division of the Portland Water Board on account of selling property of the water board and others to junk dealers.

The Sherwood Pension Bill, which passed the House on December 13, will greatly increase the pension of old soldiers, if it passes the Senate and is signed by the president.

C. V. T. Richeson of Boston, who plead guilty to murder of his former sweetheart, has been sentenced by Judge Sanderson to be executed in the electric chair during the week beginning May 19.

Tom Richardson, the famous Oregon booster, has a new claim to popularity. A Lewiston, Idaho, cigar-maker puts his picture and name on a brand of cigars. They are said to be good.

The Water Board of the city of Portland will purchase a three-ton truck, three one-ton trucks and one runabout. The latter will be used for inspection trips by the heads of departments and the trucks for the quick delivery of supplies.

The North Portland Postoffice, serving the Stockyards district, has just been advanced to the presidential class. Representative Lafferty has recommended Vaughan D. Crosby, who has served the office faithfully for years, for appointment by the president.

According to F. J. Cameron of Valdez, Alaska, who met with the Portland Commercial club Tuesday, the commercial interests of Alaska will try to make more advantageous commercial arrangements with Portland than they now have with Puget Sound cities. Mr. Cameron is also working for Home Rule for Alaska.

The big men of the world were asked to name the great events of 1911. Scarcely one was found worthy of mention. Strange, isn't it? But then a lot of big things of previous years were finished up and a lot more new things begun which will be considered great in years to come.

Prosecuting Attorney Alfred E. Clark in the Wilde case was shot by an assassin last Tuesday morning while on his way from the State Capitol to the Marion hotel in Salem. One shot struck his left arm below the elbow and the other lodged in a large bundle of papers which he carried in his right hand over his breast. Mr. Clark is a Portland attorney and president of the Minnesota Society of Oregon.

Orchardists Should Attend.

It will pay our orchardists in this locality to attend the meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Portland, tomorrow night at which I. A. Mason will speak on the subject, "Mistakes in the Apple Orchard and How to Correct Them." Stereopticon views will be used to show methods of grafting, etc. Mr. Mason was a few years ago a letter carrier in Portland, now he is a successful apple grower in Hood River.

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CHERRYVILLE SCHOOL REFUSED SITE BY FRIEL

[Special Correspondence.]

CHERRYVILLE, Jan. 8, 1912—

A special meeting of Cherryville school board was held last Saturday evening at the school house and J. T. Friel, Sr., school director and ex-chairman of school board, refused to give another acre of ground in place of acre of ground for school purposes which he promised the district some four years ago.

Mr. Friel's excuse for deeding the school acre over to his daughter in trust for her children, was that he left a description of the 40 acres of land (reserving acre for school purposes), he says that he signed deed in blank and had it acknowledged by notary and that description of land was put in the deed by a lawyer after he, Mr. Friel, left for Iowa, and that lawyer made out deed for whole 40 acres and failed to reserve the school acre for school purposes.

If Mr. Friel doesn't want to cut 140 acre ranch up by giving an acre of ground which he has been promising the district for the last four years, and can't give a deed to the acre that schoolhouse is on and won't pay all the costs of condemning the acre, he should keep his promise to the district and buy an acre of ground on the corner below the church, which can be bought for \$225 and nearly all cleared, and pay costs of moving school house about two blocks.

The district doesn't care how Mr. Friel happened to make the mistake and deed over the school acre to his daughter to go to her children at Mr. and Mrs. Murray's death. All they want Mr. Friel to do is to stick to his agreement and deed over the school acre he promised them, free of any expenses, or give the district another acre of ground and pay costs of moving school house and digging new well.

Mr. Friel says that of course he was at fault but that it was a mistake and couldn't be helped and that Mr. and Mrs. Murray were to blame for not returning deed to him before they recorded it and have a new deed made out and have the acre reserved for school purposes. Mrs. Murray tells the writer before he made out deed that her father told her he was going to deed the entire 40 acres to them and that there was a chance of the school some day condemning the acre of ground for school purposes. Mr. Friel suggested that the best way out of the tangle was to have the court condemn the acre for school purposes.

The clerk said he was told by good authority (the party wasn't a lawyer and therefore a chance of his being mistaken) that a guardian would have to be appointed, etc., and that it would be a pretty expensive business condemning the school acre. As their were minor heirs concerned and innocent parties it was very doubtful if court even then would condemn the acre.

The question was put to Mr. Friel, as to who was to stand all the costs of condemning the acre? Mr. Friel replied that the district should pay costs and he would do the fair thing and stand his share of the school tax.

During the past four years or so, the writer has been hearing about the 40 acres of land Mr. Friel promised each of his two daughters and their children when they cleared an acre of ground apiece. The Allens had cleared their acre and gotten their deed.

The writer had the question put to Mr. Friel whether he didn't promise the Murrays 40 acres of ground and he replied that he did under certain conditions—that he would give deed when they cleared the acre of ground, same as the Allens had done. The school clerk told Mr. Friel that as he promised the district an acre and asked him if he wouldn't give them an acre of land out of his 140 acre ranch across the road from the school house. Mr. Friel positively refused to do so. He said it would cut up his ranch too much, but Mr. Friel is anxious for the Mt. Hood railroad to build through his ranch and cut it in two, but he doesn't want to cut up his 140 acre ranch and give the district the acre of ground he promised.

The writer doesn't think it any worse to cut up Mr. Friel's 140 acre ranch by giving an acre for school purposes than to cut up Mr. Murray's 40 acre ranch by taking an acre for school purposes. It is on a corner and Mr. Murray's best building site.

Is it working a hardship on Mr. Friel to do as he agreed and give the district the acre? No matter if it costs a thousand dollars to condemn that acre or give district another acre and pay expense of moving school house and digging a new well. He should do this, if he can't give an acre he promised.

Is it possible that a man of Mr.

Friel's responsibility, and standing in the community and large reputed wealth after having promised the school district an acre of ground will fail to keep his word?

The writer has written this article and tried to be impartial to both sides and he feels sure that Mr. Friel promised the district a school acre without any restriction except acre should be cleared. Rev. Dr. Runyan and two of the school directors and ex-clerk tell the writer this is the case. He, Mr. Friel, merely intended it as a free lease as he told the writer several months ago that he was going to put it in deed that acre should go back to his ranch in case they should quit using it for school purposes and this is nothing but a free lease. The district couldn't sell or mortgage it and according to Mr. Friel's own words he promised 40 acres land including school acre to his daughter and her children and he has promised the same acre to school district. It seems very evident that he considers he is keeping both promises. Several weeks after his wife's death and just before he left for Iowa, he evidently thought it was time he was deeding over the 40 acres of land to his wife's favorite daughter and her children, which he promised them. So according to his own words he promised his daughter the 40 acres of land including the school acre and he deeded it over to them. He evidently thinks there is no danger of the Murrays ever giving notice to the school district to move the school house off the land and so the school district will be getting the free lease Mr. Friel told the writer he was going to give the district.

When Mr. Friel mentioned that he was only going to give a free lease to school acre instead of giving a deed with no restrictions in it, the writer being a tax payer of this district, felt it his duty to fully investigate this school tangle and lay the true facts of the case before the people of Cherryville school district.

ALEX. B. BROOKS.

Voting Precincts Established

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Base Line; thence west along the Base Line to the place of beginning.

Hurlburt Precinct No. 171.

Beginning at the point of intersection of the main channel of the Columbia river with a northerly extension of the line running between Sections 29 and 30, Township 1 North, Range 4 East; thence south to the southeast corner of Section 31; thence west to the south line of Section 31, to the Sandy river; thence following up the main channel of the Sandy river to the county line; thence east on the county line to the southeast corner of Multnomah county; thence north on the east line of the county two miles to a line running between the second and third row of section from the south line of Multnomah county; thence west to the southwest corner of Section 11, Township 1 South, Range 5 East; thence north on the line between Sections 10, 11, 3 and 2 to the northeast corner of Section 3, Township 1 South, Range 5 East; thence west 3 miles to the southeast corner of Section 31, Township 1 North, Range 5 East; thence north on the line between Sections 31 and 22 to the northeast corner of Section 31, Township 1 North, Range 5 East; thence west one and one-half miles to teh quarter corner between Sections 25 and 36, Township 1 North, Range 4 East; thence north through the center of Section 25, Township 1 North, Range 4 East, to the main channel of the Columbia river; thence down the main channel of the Columbia river to the place of beginning.

Bridal Veil Precinct No. 172.

Commencing in the main channel of the Columbia river to a line running through the center of Section 25, Township 1 North, Range 4 East; thence south through the center of Section 25 to the south line of said Section; thence east one and one-half miles to the northeast corner of Section 31, Township 1 North, Range 5 East; thence south on the line between Sections 31 and 32 to the southwest corner of Section 32; thence east three miles to the southeast corner of Section 34, Township 1 South, Range 5 East; thence north on the line between Sections 34 and 35, 26 and 27, 22 and 23, 14 and 15 to the main channel of the Columbia river; thence down the main channel of the Columbia river to the place of beginning.

Palmer Precinct No. 173.

Commencing at the east line of the county and a line running between the second and third row of sections from the south line of Multnomah county; thence west to the southwest corner of Section 11, Township 1 South, Range 5 East, thence north on the line running between Sections 10 and 11, 2 and 3, 34 and 35, 26 and 27, 22 and 23, to

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Warrendale Precinct No. 174
All that portion of Multnomah county lying east of a line between Sections 22, 23, 14 and 15, Township 1 North, Range 5 East, and north of a line running between Sections 13, 24, Township 1 North, Range 5 East, to the east boundary of Multnomah county, also the north one-half of Section 23, Township 1 North, Range 5 East.

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Lv. Portland
6:50 a. m. for Cazadero.
7:45 — for Gresham.
8:45 — for Cazadero.
9:45 — for Gresham.
10:45 — for Cazadero.
11:45 — for Gresham.
12:45 p. m. for Cazadero.
1:45 — for Gresham.
2:27 — Express.
2:45 — for Cazadero.
3:45 — for Gresham.
4:45 — for Cazadero.
5:45 — for Gresham.
6:45 — for Cazadero.
10:00 — for Gresham.
11:33 — for Gresham.
Cars from Portland arrive at Gresham one hour later.
Lv. Gresham for Portland.
12:25 a. m. from Gresham.
5:40 — from Gresham.
6:30 — from Boring.
7:37 — from Cas idero.
7:50 — Express.
8:45 — from Gresham.
9:39 — from Cazadero.
10:45 — from Gresham.
11:39 — from Cazadero.
12:45 p. m. from Gresham.
1:39 — Cazadero.
2:45 — from Gresham.
3:39 — from Cazadero.
4:45 — from Gresham.
5:39 — from Cazadero.
7:15 — from Boring.
9:45 — from Cazadero.
On Sundays all cars run to Cazadero. In place of the 7:15 p. m. car, there are two, one at 6:45 and one at 8:45.

Lodge Notices.

FAIRVIEW GRANGE—First Saturday at 10 a. m. and third Friday night, 8 p. m. Master, Cedric Stone; secretary, Roy Stone.

ROCKWOOD I. O. O. F. No. 213—Meets in Maccabee hall every Thursday evening. N. G., B. F. Dahlhammer; Sec'y, J. H. Schram.

K. O. T. M. No. 61—Meets first Saturday and third Friday nights Com., Ed Spath; R. K., W. Quisberry.

GRESHAM REBEKAH LODGE No. 61—Meets in I. O. O. F. hall, second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Mrs. S. I. Dalley, Noble Grand, Geo. Keller, Secretary.

GRESHAM LODGE, No. 125, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Saturday night in I. O. O. F. hall. W. H. Stanley, Noble Grand; Geo. Keller, Secretary.

GRESHAM GRANGE No. 270 meets the second Saturday of each month. Lecture hour from 2 to 3 is open to the public. H. E. Davis, master; Mrs. W. H. Bachmeyer, secretary.

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT, No. 292—Meets in Odd Fellows hall second and fourth Tuesdays 2 p. m. Carrie Powell, G. N.; Eliza Metzger, clerk.

FAIRVIEW LODGE No. 92, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings Saturday night on or before full moon. Masonic Temple, Troutdale.

At the next regular meeting the work will be in the E. A. and F. W. degrees.

WM. STANLEY, Secretary.

M. A. ROSS POST No. 41, G. A. R., and **W. R. C. No. 8**, meet third Saturday each month at Grand hall Gresham. Dinner to all who attend. Wm. Butler, commander. Mr. Annie Bates, president. Mrs. Henry Kane, secretary.

ROCKWOOD UNITED ARTISANS No. 296—Meets fourth Saturday night. Master, Mrs. Rich Tegart; secretary, H. H. Johnson.

FAIRVIEW UNITED ARTISANS No. 178—First Saturday evening and third Saturday evening is social evening. Master, E. E. Heslin; secretary, F. H. Crane.

ROCKWOOD GRANGE—First Wednesday at 8 p. m. and third Saturday at 10 a. m. Master, F. H. Crane; secretary, Viola Lovelace.

L. O. T. M. CHARITY HIVE No. 38—Meets second and fourth Thursday afternoons. Com., Mrs. John Brown; R. K., Mrs. Mary Turner.

PLEASANT VALLEY GRANGE No. 348—Meets fourth Saturday at Pleasant Valley hall. H. W. Snashall, master; E. Butler, secretary; Jennie Kronenberg, lecturer.

BORING UNITED ARTISANS, No. 270, meets first and fourth Wednesday evenings. Second Wednesday evening is social evening. Master, Frank J. Rehberg; secretary, Mrs. Vera Smith.

DAMASCUS CAMP, No. 7533, M. W. A. Meetings first and third Saturday evenings each month at Hazelwood's hall. Geo. Dallas, counsellor; Harry Roach, chief forester.

MODERN WOODMAN OF AMERICA, meets in I. O. O. F. hall first and third Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome. Emil G. Kardell, Clerk.

FAIRVIEW CIVIC IMPROVEMENT CLUB—Meets first and second Monday evenings of each month. I. P. Province, President; J. H. Schram, secretary.

Church Notices

LINNEMAN MEMORIAL M. E. church, Gresham—Sunday services. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday at 7:30. Geo. F. Hopkins, Pastor.

PLEASANT VALLEY BAPTIST—Services first and third Sunday each month. Sunday school at 10 a. m. every Sunday. Y. P. S. C. E. 7 p. m. Rev. J. M. Nation, pastor.

GRESHAM BETHEL BAPTIST—Sunday services—Sabbath school at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. F. M. Burch, Pastor.

BORING M. E.—Preaching 11 a. m. each Sunday; 8 p. m. alternate Sundays. Sunday school 10 a. m. Epworth League 7 p. m. in charge of Harry Bickford. Rev. A. B. Calder, pastor.

FAIRVIEW PRESBYTERIAN—Services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school meets at 10 in charge of Mrs. J. W. Town send. Y. P. S. C. E. devotional meeting at 7 p. m. Rev. Thos. Robinson, pastor.



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