

COUNCIL ORDERS FIRE APPARATUS

The council at the adjourned session last Tuesday night ordered fire apparatus to the amount of about \$1,000. This will give the town an equipment quite complete for the present and meet the Underwriters requirements for a material reduction in the rate of fire insurance.

The outfit as ordered of A. G. Long, of Portland, for immediate delivery, consists of 1000 feet of hose, two hose carts, and the equipment for fire-fighting.

Bids were submitted by three companies which showed little variation for the same grade of material. The strong point in favor of Long's bid was that the outfit could be delivered in a few days instead of several weeks if shipped from the East.

The town has a good chemical fire apparatus. This with the new equipment and 30 hydrants well placed over the town gives Gresham an outfit that will enable it to cope with any possible blaze large or small. Steps will be taken at once to organize two fire companies.

There is strong talk of trying to get one of the hose carts, with 500 feet of hose located in the north part of town, not far from the Mt. Hood depot. This would seem to be most fitting, as there is room at the present headquarters for only one hose cart, and a new building must be provided.

Louis C. Kelsey, the city's special engineer, was present and made his final estimates on the water system. These were accepted and the system was paid for in full. The original contract price for the system and valve house was \$17,418. Some extras and extensions were ordered, amounting to \$195. The engineer was allowed 4 1/2 per cent, which amounted to \$783. Making the cost of the system, \$18,396. Besides this meters and connections were bought costing \$1,071. The city of Portland has been paid \$750, the yearly bonus to apply on bonds and interest.

About 80 persons have signed up for water and are nearly all now being supplied.

M. E. CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT

The following program will be rendered at the M. E. church next Monday evening, February 19, beginning at 8 o'clock:

- Organ Voluntary, Mrs. Jas. Sterling.
- An Abandoned Eloppment, Lincoln
- Miss Henrietta Beatrice Honey.
- Solo—Love Sorrow, Shelley Chas. Reed.
- A Cutting from The Sky Pilot, Connor
- Miss Honey.
- Duet—My Love, Schoebel
- Mrs. E. Aylsworth, C. W. Albertson.
- Mr. Dooley on the Luxuries of Travel, Miss Honey.
- Solo—When the Quiet Moon is Beaming, Schondorf
- Miss Grace Hessel.
- Connor
- Miss Honey.
- Solo—Soul's Meditation, Allitser
- C. W. Albertson.
- An Object of Love, Wilkin
- Miss Honey.

Dr. Sun Yat Sen has resigned as president of the new Chinese republic and Yuan Shi Kai has been elected by the national assembly to the presidency. This was in the interests of a united Chinese republic and is an act of great magnanimity on the part of Dr. Sun.

"THE GREAT DAY OF HIS WRATH IS COME"

That, declares God's word, will be the cry of the inhabitants of this world shortly. The question immediately follows,

WHO SHALL STAND?

A certain sure answer is found in the Book.

We are trying our best to proclaim it.

Come to the Revival Meetings and hear.

Every night except Saturday, 7:30 o'clock.

Bethel Baptist Church

JENNE STATION A LIVE ONE, TOO

Keep your eye on Jenne Station.

The Jenne Station Improvement association is up and doing. They have induced the Portland Railway Light & Power company to move the cattle guard some hundred feet west, so that there is now an opportunity for the farmers to drive in at the side of the track to take away their express and freight, without being in the way of the cars and other teams as formerly. Through the courtesy of the railway company there has also been several carloads of gravel dumped out and leveled about the station, making it one of the best appointed stations on the line. Many thanks to the railway company, also to Mr. Frank P. Hunt, traffic agent.

Eugene Jenne, president of the Jenne Station Improvement association, intends to spring a surprise on the natives in the way of several substantial improvements before many moons. It is rumored that Mr. Jenne will build a fine large palatial home in the near future.

Dell Regal and his wife have returned from a long and very successful theatrical tour, up and down the Pacific coast, to spend a short vacation at their little up-to-the-minute country home, a treat that is worth several hundred to the Regals. Dell says this year will wind up the footlights for himself and wife, and he will spend the balance of his days counting the chickens, ducks and hogs. It will also be but a short time until he will hang a sign, "Bing Cherries for Sale."

E. P. Schiller, one of the new arrivals at Jenne Station, from eastern Oregon, is contemplating the erection of a fine residence this spring.

The Improvement association at the last meeting, expressed thanks to the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company, for the efficient manner in which they took care of their trouble during the last sleet storm, in getting all phones in working order in such a short space of time.

The McKinley country home is showing up 50 per cent better than it did this time last spring. They have planted a great number of trees, also cleared up a lot of land this winter.

Some very substantial improvements have been going on at "Springhill Farm," the country home of John M. Mann. He also contemplates building in the near future.

If the spirit shown here lately, is nourished, and a little water poured on the wheel, there will surely be something doing around Jenne Station this next year.

F. G. Marasco is clearing up a building spot on his place with the intention of putting up some buildings in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lang of Portland, spent last Sunday with the Regals, and was looking at some property of Mr. Jenne's with the idea of establishing a country home.

Walter Metzler, superintendent of the "Springhill Farm" has returned from a trip to Kalama, where he visited his uncle.

Extra Dance at Rockwood.

Rockwood Grange will give an extra dance on Saturday evening, February 24. Richards' orchestra will be there and the usual grange supper will be served. Tickets, 75 cents. 102

Josiah Howell, whose death occurred at his home in Canemah on February 5, was long, and until old age placed a clog upon his endeavors, a well known factor in the industrial life of Clackamas county. He was one of the steamboat builders of the old navigation era of the upper Willamette river, his activities covering a period of a third of a century in this line. With his death the last of those who engaged in this industry at Canemah in early years has passed away.

Dr. Lowe Saturday.

Leap Year Dance.

A Leap Year Dance will be given by the Ladies of the Maccabees, in the Maccabees hall at Rockwood, March 16, 1912. Ladies 50c. Gentlemen free. Supper 50c a couple. 107

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

GRESHAM GIRLS EASY WINNERS

The Gresham High school girls put it all over the visiting Amicus club girls last night at the rink, the score being 12 to 2. It was the best girls' game played here for some time. The visitors won many favorable comments and hearty applause for good plays. They were well supported, a company of fifty or more came out with the players in a special car. Many attended from Gresham and the crowd was very enthusiastic.

The line-up of the Gresham team was as follows: Margaret Michel, center; Gladys Michel and Viola Mathews, forwards; Bessie Strebin and Evalyn Metzger, guards; Bessie Howitt and Ida Retig, subs.

The Gresham Amateurs played a fast game last Tuesday night with Hawthorne Athletic club winning with a score of 32 to 9. The attendance was small but great interest was taken in the playing. The visitors were well behaved and fair.

The line-up was as follows: Mewhirter, center; Harold Kern and Bert Hoss, forwards; Joe Ross and Vern Hopkins, guards; Chas. Kendall sub.

The boys expect to play the Sycamore Athletics next Saturday night at Pleasant Valley Grange hall.

Tonight the girls of the Gresham team will play at Canas where a good game is anticipated.

Portland, the Summer Capital.

Portland Rose Festival dates are announced as June 9 to 15. Great and varied are the attractions. On the closing day, Saturday, will occur the Industrial exposition in state-wide garden contest for public school children at the Armory. Thousands of dollars in prizes will be awarded.

Among the many features and attractions of Festival week, the following may be enumerated: "The Bridge of Gods," a spectacular production, projected for Multnomah Field. "101 Ranch," a wonderful Wild West show, racing matinees, under auspices of the Hunt Club and Riverside Driving club. The Ad. Men's Coast League hold a convention Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of Festival week. Negotiations are being made for an aviation meet.

Pathe Motion Picture association will take flashes of Rose Festival parades that will be seen by 20,000,000 people. Sons of Norway, including all lodges of the Pacific Coast, will assemble here for three days in convention, during the Festival. Many other conventions, meetings and assemblages of different character will be held during the great week of revel in Portland, the summer capital of America.

Lease on Farm for Sale.

Eighty acres near Anderson, stock and implements go with the place. Seed, etc., furnished. Half increase of everything. Lease for four years. Enquire at Outlook office. *x

Rhubarb Roots.

Fine large mammoth roots for sale. Now is the time to buy and start the plants. 60 cents a doz. Mrs. E. M. Douglass, Gresham, Route 2. tf

Trouble Brewing in Mexico.

Matters are not mending in Mexico. As time passes it is evident that dissension spreads, and that the agencies by which it spreads are leaders who should uphold the hands of government, but who assail it from motives of vanity and ambition. President Madero not only is weak, but he practically admits his weakness. Even where there are ugliest manifestations of revolt, Madero is impotent to strike an effective blow. Secession of a Mexican state is threatened, and apparently there is nothing to prevent the execution of the threat.

Mexico has not the national vitality to stand this process of disorganization for any great length of time. A government that does not perform its functions of protecting life and property and preserving the social order, is bound to go down. Such a government offers temptation to lawless elements, while at the same time it affords no incentive for substantial citizenship to rally to its support. In such a situation there is demand for the strength and wisdom of some dominating genius. That genius is not in sight in Mexico.—Evening Telegram.

FAIRVIEW OUT OF QUARANTINE

FAIRVIEW, Feb. 16.—School was opened again last Monday after being closed for a week on account of contagious disease. Only two are absent this week, Clyde Stone and Ernest Albrecht, both being in quarantined homes.

The Albrecht family have all recovered from the smallpox and no new cases have developed, either in this disease or in scarlet fever.

A valentine box social was much enjoyed by the pupils at school Wednesday afternoon.

A force of men are at work here on the Pacific States telephone line.

Oren Dunbar of Lakeview, who lately underwent an operation at the Good Samaritan hospital, is now convalescing and visited relatives here the first of the week.

G. O. Dolph has taken up his duties as cheesemaker for the Portland Pure Milk and Cream Co. Mrs. Dolph will join him there soon.

W. Ellison and family, who have spent the winter in southern California, expect to return home about March 29. They are very much pleased with the climate of California and have purchased property in Ocean Park.

Rev. Thomas Robinson returned on Tuesday from Salem where he attended the state convention of the Young Peoples Society Christian Endeavor.

O. Ruthruff of Lents and George Keller of Springwater were business callers at the Cornett home on Wednesday.

Rev. C. W. Hays, Sunday school Missionary, will preach here in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning.

Mrs. John Brown of Gresham and Mrs. L. Sedgast of Portland were guests of Mrs. R. L. Robertson on Monday.

J. W. Moller and family will occupy the property of Hargrave & Son, formerly owned by Rev. W. T. Sedt.

Mrs. R. W. Wilcox has returned from a visit with her son, Dr. C. C. Wilcox, at Vancouver, Wash.

Troutdale

TROUTDALE, Feb. 16.—The condemning and closing of the lower Sandy bridge has caused a great inconvenience to the residents east of Sandy. The bridge is to be repaired and used as false work for the new steel structure soon to be erected.

Mrs. A. Werber is still very ill at her home here. A trained nurse is in attendance. Her sister, Mrs. R. E. Morse, of The Dalles, Mrs. L. B. Kennberger of Portland and her brother, C. Allard, of Portland have been here visiting her.

Charles Myers, a young man who died at the tubercular hospital at the Multnomah Farm here last week is a son of Wm. Myers, of Springwater, and was buried at that place.

Mrs. Harry Wallace and nephew, Roy Buxton are expected home this week from Pasadena where they spent the past several weeks.

The Parent-Teacher association held a pleasant and helpful meeting at the schoolhouse last Friday afternoon. A valentine box was a pleasant variation to the day's duties on Wednesday afternoon.

MISS MARIE MEYERS WEDS MR. HARTING

A very pretty wedding took place at St. Paul's Evangelical German Lutheran church, corner east 12th and Clinton streets, Wednesday evening, February 14, at 8 p. m., when Annie Marie, eldest daughter of J. H. Meyers of Lents Junction, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Geo. Wesley Harting.

The bride was attended by her sister Dorothy, and a young lady friend. The groom by his brother and Earnest Meyers. The church was beautifully decorated and crowded to its utmost capacity by the many friends of the happy couple.

They left for California on a wedding trip, after which they will go to their home in Montana, where every wish for their happiness is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Harting with sincerest congratulations from everyone. We will miss her greatly as she was a very sweet and pleasant girl and companion and loved by all.

Watch the Outlook for the news.

PRETTY OFFICE BUILDING HERE

Gresham is to have another new building on Main street work on which will begin right away.

C. S. Smith of the Smith Land Company yesterday closed a deal by which he obtained a lease on a lot 25x70 feet, on the east side of Main street between Shattuck & Lindsey's store and the Gresham Real Estate company's office building and directly opposite the Gresham Investment company's new block.

On this property, which belongs to John Metzger, Mr. Smith will build a neat bungalow office building, 20x40 feet. The plans have been drawn by Jones & Co., architects and builders of Gresham, who will erect the building at once. The plans show a pretty California bungalow, with porch at entrance. It will be finished inside with beam ceiling and panel effect and shingled outside. The interior will be divided into three or four office rooms one of which will be the home of the Smith Land Company. It is probable Jones & Co., will occupy one or two rooms with an architect's office. It is said other rooms are spoken for.

This will not only be an attractive building but will fill an ugly gap long used as an alley on that side of Main street.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

Miss Ida Schaeffer, the Gresham librarian, is getting her work well in hand. She is not only getting acquainted with her patrons and her books but from time to time will announce new books to the public through the Outlook. Here are a few of them:

Jackman, W. J.: A B C of the motorcycle. Text and illustrations that make the mechanism and operation of the machine clear to those directly or indirectly interested. A book for the use of people who want the "show how" features.

Morgan, Alfred Powell: How to build a 20-foot bi-plane glider. A practical handbook on the construction of a bi-plane gliding machine, enabling an intelligent reader to make his first step in the field of aviation.

Harper's Camping and Scouting; an outdoor guide for American boys. Strahorn, Carrie Adell: Fifteen Thousand Miles by stage. A woman's unique experience during thirty years of path finding and pioneering from the Missouri to the Pacific and from Alaska to Mexico, with 350 illustrations from drawings and photographs.

Quick Herbert: Yellowstone Nights.

Hodgson, Fred T.: The Practical Cabinetmaker and Furniture Designer's Assistant. With essays on history of furniture, taste in design, color and materials, with full explanation of the canons of good taste in furniture, together with many practical directions for making cabinet work generally, and a number of pieces of furniture in particular, along with hundreds of recipes for finishing and staining, all kinds of cabinet work.

State of Oregon. The Oregon motor vehicle law—and containing laws of the road.

McCook, Henry C.: Nature's Craftsman; popular studies of ants and other insects. Illustrated from nature.

Whitcomb, I. P.: Young People's Story of Music.

Service, Robert W.: The Spell of the Yukon and other verses.

Rostand, Edward: Chantecler Play in four acts, translated by Gertrude Hall.

Mme. Cartier-Bresson: How to make Baby Irish crochet lace. A practical method with 53 illustrations.

Knowlton, Mrs. F. S.: Nature Songs for Children.

Entertainment at M. E. Church.

Miss Henrietta Beatrice Honey will give an entertainment of readings and impersonations, supplemented by music by local talent, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society, at the M. E. church Monday evening, February 19, beginning at 8 o'clock. The program will be found in another column.

Admission, adults 25c; children over 14, 15c.

WANT ADS. LIVESTOCK.

FOR SALE—One 2 1/2 year old Jersey and Brown Swiss bull. O. Andrews, Anderson Station, Route 4, box 36, Gresham, Oregon. 100.

FOR SALE—Sows with litters 1 sides; also weanling pigs. C. I. Smith, phone 258. tf

FOR SALE—Three-year-old mare, broke to drive single. Also new cart. Geo. Kolsky, mile east of Mabery. Address Boring, Ore. *101

BERKSHIRE PIGS for sale. Phone 493. Sweet Briar Farm. tf

FOR SALE—Brown Swiss Bull, 1 year old, or trade for good cow, fresh or fresh soon. A. Brugger, Melrose Farm, phone 244, Gresham, Oregon. tf

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

POULTRY.

S. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS, and White Leghorns for sale. Pure bred. Eggs, \$1 per setting, \$5 per 100. Have a few cocks and cockerels at \$2 and up. Geo. Wilson, Troutdale. 103

REAL ESTATE AND RENTALS

For Sale. 1,000 acres grain ranch in Eastern Oregon for sale or trade. 800 acres in cultivation. H. W. Snashall, Gresham. 102

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

MONEY—Short loans; 8 per cent interest. Box 102, Gresham. tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE, cheap—Good as new, Leader Pressure tank water system. Will sell on easy terms. T. R. Howitt, Gresham. tf

WOOD FOR SALE—Dead and live. Will deliver promptly in Gresham and Fairview. Frank Gustafson, Gresham, Phone 289. 110

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

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

FOR SALE—Silver Mine Seed Oats. A. Brugger, Melville Farm, phone 244, Gresham. tf

FOR SALE—First class 16in. wood at \$5.00 a cord, good fir bark at \$2.50 a load. See W. J. Palmer or leave orders at the Outlook office. tf

FOR SALE and FOR RENT cards at the Outlook office. Phone 701.

SEASONED WOOD, live and dead, for sale by E. Lind. Phone 281. Gresham, R. 4. *104

HAY—Good horse hay for sale. H. E. Davis, Gresham, Ore. tf

PLAIN SEWING—Done by the day or piece, by Mrs. Vannice, rooms at Mrs. Wm. Dahlquist's. Gresham, phone 143 or call. *102

100 CORDS of WOOD for sale, on the ground, for \$160. H. W. Cooley, phone 135. Gresham. *103

FOR SALE—First class body wood by rick or cord, delivered in Sandy. Howard Bros., Sandy, Oregon. 107

OATS Wanted — Gresham Feed Mill. tf

For Sale.

One Tacoma Donkey engine 10x12, one Tacoma Donkey engine 9 1/2 x 10 with 54-inch boiler, asbestos covered. One 6 1/2 x 8 loading engine, all equipped with cable, used but very little. Outfit at River Mill near Estacada. Address, A. J. Dwyer River Mill, or 416 Yeon Bldg. Portland. *105

Agents!

Little men wanted to sell the "Little Wonder" Vacuum Cleaner. Run by water power. Call and see it work. Hunt Plumbing Co., west of Parker's candy store, Gresham, Oregon. *x

Dr. Lowe's glasses are death to headaches.