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SUGGESTION TO PARENTS

Mr. Brugger, the retiring member of the Gresham school board, whose experience not only here, but in other states as director gives him authority to speak, said at the school meeting yesterday that one of the things that would be most helpful to the district would be for parents, especially mothers, to get acquainted with the teacher of their children. They should visit the school invite the teacher to their homes so that this needed acquaintance could be promoted. It would give the teacher an opportunity to better know the pupil in his or her home surroundings and bring pupil, parent and teacher into close sympathy and friendship.

This is a much needed suggestion and should be heeded by patrons of all our schools.

SUCCESSFUL CHAUTAUQUA

The chautauqua idea is growing in Oregon. Several new summer assemblies have sprung up this year. The oldest in this locality and said to be the best on the coast is the Willamette Valley chautauqua held each year at Gladstone Park. This is one of the few that have been made successful financially and every way. Being held within easy reach of residents of Multnomah and Clackamas counties it is of special attractiveness to all our people. Many each year go for a day or two, or the entire season of ten or twelve days. The camping facilities are unexcelled. The program this year is the best ever offered. The assembly begins Tuesday, July 9 and closes Sunday, July 21.

SAFE AND SANE

Instead of the noisy dangerous fire crackers this year everybody should celebrate in the more modern way by extensive use of decorative material. If the money usually spent for useless fireworks were used for flags, bunting and other appropriate color material, Old Glory would be honored more fittingly and the meaning and importance of our glorious independence would be just as thoroughly impressed on the minds of our youth. There would be at the close of the day no hands blown off, no eyes put out, and no lives unnecessarily lost.

All over the country the move for a safe and sane Fourth is progressing. The demand is growing for a day of fun and patriotic celebration without the noise and dangers of powders. It is said that Topeka, Kansas, has conceived a plan for "A Birthday Party Given by Uncle Sam for Distinguished Guests." Among them are Miss Columbia, boys and girls of '76 and '61, Betsy Ross, Mr. Industry, Miss Democracy, and cousins from across the sea. There is no doubt, says an exchange, that the "Barbarous Fourth" is a thing of the past. Although the casualties and the fire losses on Independence Day have been enormous and appalling, there has been another kind of loss that we can ill afford and which the "New Fourth" will do much to check. It is the loss of the opportunity that this great holiday offers for fixing in the minds of our boys and girls, and especially those who have recently come from foreign lands to make America their home, the significance of our institutions, the blessing of democracy, and the responsibility and high privilege of American citizenship. A little review on these topics and a reminder of these and other of our social and civic blessings will be good for all of us.

The Oregonian says that on July Fourth Portland will return as far as possible the calls of all Oregon during Rose Festival week. That sounds good. Gresham will come in for her share for she sent hundreds of visitors to the great Rose Festival and now invites all Portland to her safe, sane, stupendous celebration.

Social and Civic Center

Under Library notes the Sunday Journal has the following item: The Library association has received funds from Andrew Carnegie with which to build a library building in Gresham. The building will be started as soon as a suitable site has been procured and deeded to the association by the Gresham people. The library which has been in operation there for several years is one of the most flourishing of the out of town branches. Gresham is the center of a progressive farming community which has always taken great interest in library affairs and has been eager to make use of the books and magazines provided by the library. It is hoped that the new building will be a social and civic center, not only for the town of Gresham but also for the surrounding district. Meyer & Johnson, architects, are already at work preparing the plans.

Grange and O. A. C.

"The greatest demand now being made upon the college is a demand for more extension work," says the report of the committee on the Oregon Agricultural College presented at the State Grange convention at Roseburg. "That is," it continues, "greater service to the people of the state who are unable to come to the institution for the regular residence work."

"The demand is coming not only from the farms but from the shops and more particularly from the great body of business and professional men of the country who realize that the prosperity of the city depends primarily upon the farms. There is a complete appreciation of the scope of the work which can be done along this line. Such states as Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, Illinois, Kansas and New York have already demonstrated what can be done through extension instruction. The production of the lands of these states has been enormously increased, farm life has been made easier and more pleasant, the farming communities have been improved, the rural schools have been revolutionized and the tendency for the boys and girls to go from the farms to the cities is being rapidly overcome."

The fact that the rainy weather came during Rose Festival week gives added assurance that Gresham will have a glorious, rainless Fourth.

It has been claimed by some that our council is a back number and ought to be put on the shelf, but recent doings of the council don't substantiate the claim.

Many voters are in the same position as the delegate from Mississippi, who was instructed to vote for both Taft and Roosevelt, being chosen by both factions. He considers both instructions binding but says one neutralizes the other, hence, he will use his own judgment.

We have on hand some more of the pamphlets, "Single Tax Exposed," which we will be glad to hand to any who call or mail on request. Of all the questions to be placed on the ballots this fall probably none is being more thoroughly studied or is of greater importance than that of improved methods of taxation.

Those desiring to enter the Oregon Agricultural College June 18 will not be required to pass entrance examinations. All who believe they can profit by the courses offered are freely admitted, since it is supposed that they come with serious purpose. Those desiring college credit toward a degree will be granted it for all work of the same standard as that of the regular school year.

Not to Be Bluffed

That the Oregon and California Railroad company is making every effort to bluff settlers who have gone upon the land grant into vacating their claims or signing leases, acknowledging the company as landlord, is shown by numerous letters being received by western congressmen.

George A. Hall of Monroe, Oregon has written that he is a settler on a quarter section of the railroad land grant and has built a house up on the claim. Hall writes that recently cruisers for the railroad company have visited him and forbid him to cut fire wood for his own use. These agents of the company also served written notice on Hall that he would either be required to vacate or sign a lease, giving the company \$10 a year for the land.

February 23, 1912, B. A. McAllister, land agent of the railroad company, wrote Hall a letter, asking him to sign a lease. This Hall refused to do.

On April 11, 1912, the land agent of the company wrote Hall another letter upon stationery of the Southern Pacific Company, Land Department, which letter Hall has forwarded to Congressman Lafferty and concludes as follows:

"Our leases contain a clause permitting the lessee to remove any buildings, at or before the termination of the lease period or any extension thereof covered by renewal hence I trust you will appreciate the necessity for making application for lease, as per my former letter."

"You will gain absolutely no rights in the premises through your attempted possession, and I will thank you to immediately advise me whether you wish to locate or vacate."

Congressman Lafferty has written Hall to answer this threat of the railroad company by letter, defying the company to bring a suit to put him off the land, and it is evident the company will never disturb Hall, or any other settler who goes upon the railroad land.

"Such a suit, says Lafferty, would bring up for immediate decision by the court the very question the railroad company is seeking to avoid. The acts making the grants provided that the lands granted shall be sold by the railroad company to actual settlers, in quantities not greater than a quarter section to any one settler, and for prices not exceeding \$2.50 per acre."

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ORDINANCE NO. 49.

An Ordinance authorizing, directing and empowering the Common Council of the City of Fairview, Multnomah County, Oregon, to acquire, purchase, hold and maintain Blocks Nos. 25, 26 in the City of Fairview, Oregon, for the purposes of a City Park and Playground, and empowering the Council to provide for the operation and maintenance of said City Park and Playground, and providing further for the issuance of bonds of the City of Fairview for the amount of \$4500.00 for the purpose of providing funds therefor, and providing further that said bonds be sold, and providing further for submitting the proposition for the acquisition and purchase of said Blocks for the purposes of a City Park and Playground and the issuance of bonds therefor to the qualified voters of the City of Fairview for their approval or rejection.

The City of Fairview does ordain as follows: Section I. That the Common Council of the City of Fairview, Multnomah County, Oregon, propose in accordance with Section No. 1 of Chapter No. 1 of the City Charter to purchase and acquire Blocks Nos. 25 and 26 in the City of Fairview, Oregon, for the purposes of a City Park and Playground, and for any

and all purposes for which the same may be used by the City of Fairview, and the inhabitants thereof. Section II. That in order to provide funds for the acquisition and purchase of said Blocks Nos. 25 and 26, the Common Council of the City of Fairview is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow on the faith of the City of Fairview the sum of Forty-five Hundred and no hundredths (\$4500.00) Dollars and to issue bonds therefor.

Section III. The Common Council of the City of Fairview shall provide by Ordinance for the method of issuing and selling said bonds; and shall fix the time for which the same are run, which shall be not less than five years, nor more than ten years, and the rate of interest thereon shall not exceed six per cent per annum.

Section V. That for the purpose of submitting the proposition of the purchase and acquisition of said Blocks Nos. 25 and 26, for the purposes of a City Park and Playground, and issuing bonds of the City of Fairview for the payment thereof in the sum of \$4500.00.

Section VII. The following shall be the form in which said proposition shall be submitted to the electors on the official ballot at said election: "For the purchase, acquisition and holding of Blocks Nos. 25 and 26, in the City of Fairview, Oregon, for the purposes of a City Park and Playground, and issuing bonds of the City of Fairview for the payment thereof in the sum of \$4500.00."

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Section VIII. The following shall be the form in which said proposition shall be submitted to the electors on the official ballot at said election: "For the purchase, acquisition and holding of Blocks Nos. 25 and 26, in the City of Fairview, Oregon, for the purposes of a City Park and Playground, and issuing bonds of the City of Fairview for the payment thereof in the sum of \$4500.00."

Section IX. The following shall be the form in which said proposition shall be submitted to the electors on the official ballot at said election: "For the purchase, acquisition and holding of Blocks Nos. 25 and 26, in the City of Fairview, Oregon, for the purposes of a City Park and Playground, and issuing bonds of the City of Fairview for the payment thereof in the sum of \$4500.00."

ORDINANCE NO. 50.

An Ordinance providing for a proposed amendment to Section No. 67 (Chapter VIII) of the City Charter of the City of Fairview, to be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of said city for adoption or rejection.

The City of Fairview does ordain as follows: Section I. That at a special city election to be held by the legal and qualified voters of the City of Fairview, for the purpose of adopting or rejecting a proposed amendment to Section No. 67, (Chapter VIII) of the City Charter of the City of Fairview, which election is to be held on the 18th day of July 1912, the following shall be submitted to said voters for adoption or rejection by said voters as Section No. 67 of said Charter.

"67. All property abutting on a street graded, improved or repaired in the City of Fairview to the distance of 150 feet or to the center of the block, shall be liable for the cost of grading, improving or repairing said street upon the half of the street in front of and abutting upon it, such cost to be distributed in manner following, that is to say, the property immediately abutting upon said street and extending to a distance of 50 feet or 1-3 the distance to the center of the block, shall be liable for one-half the cost of such grading, improvement or repair. All property next adjoining for a distance of 50 feet or one-half the remaining distance to the center of the block, shall be liable for one-third the cost of the distance of one-hundred fifty feet to the center of block shall be liable for one-sixth the cost of such grading improvements or repairs, and the common council is hereby authorized to make any and all necessary laws and ordinances to carry this provision into effect; but when the land adjacent to said streets shall not have been laid off into lots and blocks, then the cost of such grading or improving such streets shall

be assessed to the owner or owners of the land lying half way to the next parallel street, or if there be none, then to the owner or owners of the land lying within one hundred and fifty feet of such graded or improved street."

Section II. That this Ordinance shall on its final passage and approval be filed with the recorder for submission to the voters at said election so to be held.

Section III. The following shall be the form and numbers in which the proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors on the official ballot at said election.

Submitted by order of the Common Council of the City of Fairview in Multnomah County, Oregon.

Section 67 (Chapter VIII) of the City of Fairview shall provide that all property abutting on a street graded, improved or repaired in the City of Fairview to the distance of 150 feet or to the center of the block, shall be liable for the cost of grading, improving or repairing said street upon the half of the street in front of and abutting upon it, such cost to be distributed in manner following, that is to say, the property immediately abutting upon said street and extending to a distance of 50 feet or 1/2 the distance to the center of the block, shall be liable for 1/2 the cost of such grading, improvement or repair. All property next adjoining for a distance of 50 feet or one-half the remaining distance to the center of the block, shall be liable for 1-3 the cost of such grading, improvement or repair, and the remaining property to the distance of 150 feet to the center of block shall be liable for 1-6 the cost of such grading, improvement or repairs.

202.—Yes.
203.—No.
Vote yes or no. Put a cross in the square before the one you wish to vote for.

Section IV. That said election shall be held at Hunter Hotel in the City of Fairview.
Adopted June 8, 1912.
Approved June 8, 1912.
E. A. WHITNEY,
Mayor.

Attest:
J. H. SCHRAM,
Recorder.
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GOING EAST—Except Sunday.
Lv. Montavilla 6:35a, Gresham 7:00a
Ar. Maybery 7:30 a.
Lv. Montavilla 9:00a, Gresham 9:25a,
Ar. Bull Run 10:30 a.
Lv. Montavilla 3:00p, Gresham 3:25p,
Ar. Bull Run 4:20 p.
Lv. Montavilla 5:55p, Gresham 6:25p,
Ar. Cottrell 6:45 p.

GOING WEST—Except Sunday.
Lv. Gresham 7:00a, Ar. Maybery 7:30 a.
Lv. Montavilla 9:00a, Gresham 9:25a
Ar. Bull Run 10:30 a.
Lv. Montavilla 1:30p, Gresham 1:55p
Ar. Bull Run 2:55 p.
Lv. Montavilla 4:45p, Gresham 5:10p
Ar. Sandy River 5:50 p.
Lv. Montavilla 7:00 p, Ar. Gresham 7:25 p.

GOING WEST—Except Sunday.
Lv. Gresham 6:00a, Ar. Montavilla 6:25 a.
Lv. Maybery 7:35 a, Gresham 8:10a
Ar. Montavilla 8:35 a.
Lv. Bull Run 12:10p, Gresham 1:20p,
Ar. Montavilla 2:00 p.
Lv. Bull Run 4:25p, Gresham 5:25p
Ar. Montavilla 5:50 p.
Lv. Cottrell 6:50 p. Ar. Gresham 7:15 p.

Sunday Only.
Lv. Gresham 8:00 a. Ar. Montavilla 8:35 a.
Lv. Bull Run 11:00a, Gresham 11:50a
Ar. Montavilla 12:15 p.
Lv. Bull Run 3:25p, Gresham 4:15p,
Ar. Montavilla 4:40 p.
Lv. Bull Run 6:00p, Gresham 6:50p,
Ar. Montavilla 7:15 p.

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.
Lv. 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.

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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 a 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 Cazadero.
7:50 — Express.
8:45 — from Gresham.
9:39 — from Cazadero.
10:45 — from Gresham.
11:33 — 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.

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