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VICE IN GRESHAM.

A vice crusade in Gresham at this time, or at any other time for that matter, would not be a pleasant matter to have go abroad in the shape of news to the world that this town has been harboring any form of vice or immorality. So far the only appearance of violation of the law has been in the form of card playing in several places for money or other tokens of value, and in all such cases the evidence is very weak. Yet it is almost universally known that such games exist and are being run for the profit there is in them. In many cases where actual gambling is going on there are no evidences of value, the players having a system that shows no outward sign of any stake being involved, but they settle up privately after the games are over. So with the games for drinks or cigars—the loser pays at the bar for all the players and it takes the form of treats. Yet something of value has been played for, which is in violation of the law. The Outlook does not intend to be sensational in this matter but the subject has come up through correspondence between Justice Rollins and District Attorney Evans, and it is the province of a newspaper to give the news and act as a conservator of the morality of its town to the end that better conditions may prevail. For that reason we publish Mr. Evans' letter in full that those who have the best interests of the city at heart and are in position to keep its atmosphere uncontaminated will see to it that there shall be no occasion to publish to the world the fact that Gresham had been the subject of a vice crusade. A word to the wise is sufficient.

THAT CREAMERY MERGER.

The recent merger of the four leading distributing milk dealers in Portland, with the Mountain View dairy of Gresham thrown in for good measure, has already been productive of one result in the way of independence and opposition by outside creameries. The Northwest Butter & Produce association was organized at Albany on Saturday, last by 15 men of the Willamette valley representing 12 different creameries scattered throughout the valley towns.

The object of the association is to establish a wholesale house in Portland to market the products of the Willamette valley and southern Oregon. It expects to be in business within 30 days and has a capital of \$25,000, all of which has been subscribed.

Officers of the association are, K. C. Eldredge, of Independence, president; V. H. Kent, of Eugene, secretary-treasurer; C. H. Fraser of Eugene; O. B. Neptune, of Albany and Chris Myhre, of Junction as directors.

The valley creamerymen have the same complaint against the Portland distributors that the milkmen of eastern Multnomah have been making—that they have been discriminated against in various ways. They have combined together to handle their own products on a uniform scale for their own protection.

TRIAL SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Until Feb. 2nd the Outlook will be sent on three months' trial for the small sum of 25 cents. Now is the opportunity to boost your home paper with a good list of new names. Papers may be sent anywhere in the United States for three months for only 25 cents. Such subscriptions will help to attract attention to Gresham better than any other method. The more names we receive the greater will be the benefits to the community, and we will be enabled to materially improve the paper.

Dr. Wilson can write well, but thinks he can talk better.

COMPLAINTS MADE ON PARCEL POST LAW

In line with the Outlook's prediction that parcel post would create a whole lot of confusion throughout the country is an account of the complaints that have been going to the department at Washington within the past two weeks.

The railroads are the first to complain, for they feel that under their contracts they are not obliged to accept packages of more than four pounds weight, which was the limit allowed to be carried in the mails when such contracts were made. Under these circumstances they feel they should not be asked to carry, without any provision for or agreement covering pay for it, the great weight being placed upon them.

Two hundred and sixty-eight railroads have combined in a protest, a part of which is as follows:

"Regardless of the legal aspects of the case, as the additional service and facilities are required, justice and equity demand action at this session of congress. The introduction of the parcel post has called for greatly increased facilities, some of the departmental offices estimating the increase as high as 20 per cent.

"Notwithstanding the large increase in every other item connected with the administration of the postoffice department, the railroads' pay has been singled out as the one element in these operations for concentration of economics. This, too, in the face of the fact that the operating expenses of the railroads have been greatly augmented by the requirements of the law with reference to steel equipment, and a general increase in cost characteristic of the business operations.

"Under the present quadrennial weighing all increased weight of mail during the next succeeding four years is carried by the railroads without any compensation whatever.

"The railroads must provide car space and facilities for the maximum weight offered at any time. They are paid only for the average weight carried."

Representative Lewis, of Maryland, the house promoter of the bill is a severe critic. He says:

"Probably no greater blunder has ever been committed in the name of serving the people than that committed by the Senate conferees who forced, in the closing hours of the last session of Congress, the 5-cent rate on 900 miles instead of 3 cents; 4 cents on 150 miles instead of 2, and 3 cents on 50 miles instead of 1 the lower rates provided in the House bill.

"The House rates were formulated on a basis to give the postal department one-third profit. The rates now in the bill, being so prohibitive will, in effect, deprive the postoffice and the people of any profit, by killing the potential traffic."

Even Senator Bourne, the author of the Senate bill relentlessly opposed the admission of agricultural products, as well as the inclusion of insurance, books, and express matter and the collect-on-delivery privileges. He was successful in excluding books and such express matter as may not be covered by the express on farm and factory products. The greatest absurdity, however, of the entire conference was that of the rates.

Concerning the inadequate pay of the star route carriers, which the Outlook referred to in connection with the small pay received by the rural force, the following bill has been introduced in congress:

"That there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$350,000 to pay carriers on star routes for extra weight and volume of mail carried by them, and to compensate them for loss of paid deliveries, by reason of the establishment of the parcel post."

So far there has been no provision for an increase in the pay of the rural carriers, nor for any other division of the service. The statement that there would be great confusion and a heavily demand for increased pay in all departments is being realized already. Rural carriers are beginning to resign and the extra force put on during the holidays in the larger offices have been retained. There is no doubt from present indications that the cost is going to be far into the millions and it will take good steering to keep the system running smoothly and make it pay.

Foils a Foul Plot.

When a shameful plot exists between liver and bowels to cause distress by refusing to act, take Dr. King's New Life Pills, and end such abuse of your system. They gently compel right action of stomach, liver and bowels, and restore your health and all good feelings. 25c at all Druggists.

Taking Their Turn.

Prisoners at the Portland city jail will have to take turns sleeping, until further notice. Only by this expedient, says Chief of Police Slover, can the average number of men now held at the jail be taken care of. Beginning last night, a night shift of janitors was organized, and spent the hours of darkness in cleaning up the various apartments of the police building. Today, while the sleepers of last night are at the same work, they will take their turns at the bunks.

Confronted by the fact that he had eight more prisoners than there were bunks, Chief Slover hit upon this as the only solution of the difficulty. On inquiry he learned that the accommodations were fully taxed at the county jail, at Kelley Butte and at the Linnton rockpile.

The rule will go in force also at Linnton, as conditions may require, and a night crew will do such work as can be done, and will get their sleep in the daytime.

Many Locomotives

Nearly two-score new locomotives will be received by the O.-W. R. & N. company for distribution over the system before June 1, in accordance with a general order for 189 engines recently placed by the Harriman officials. This is one of the heaviest orders of the kind ever placed by the Harriman lines and calls for an expenditure of approximately \$3,500,000. The order includes 99 of the latest type passenger locomotives, 55 Mikado freight engines and five of the high-power Mallet consolidation type, designed for heavy freight service. Most of them will be oil burners.

Additional Gresham Locals

Telephone connection with Portland was resumed today and seventeen circuits of the local lines are in operation. The work of repairing the damage caused by the snow is progressing as rapidly as possible. Arlie White of Lents visited today with his mother, Mrs. C. M. Oilphant.

W. A. Eby of Hood River is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Colby Marston and family. Mr. Eby reports that snow at Hood River is 36 inches on the level, and sleighing is fine.

Dance at Rockwood.

Tickets for the dance at Rockwood, on Saturday evening, Feb. 1, will be 75 cents. Supper will be 25 cents and Simonson's orchestra will furnish the music. Everybody invited. 97

Drives Off a Terror.

The chief executioner of death in the winter and spring months is pneumonia. Its advance agents are colds and grip. In any attack by one of these maladies no time should be lost in taking the best medicine obtainable to drive it off. Countless thousands have found this to be Dr. King's New Discovery. "My husband believes it has kept him from having pneumonia three or four times," writes Mrs. George W. Place, Rawsonville, Vt., "and for coughs, colds and croup, we have never found its equal." Guaranteed for all bronchial affections. Price 50 cts. and \$1.00 Trial bottle free at all Druggists.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT — Track prices: Club, 85-86c; Bluestem, 91-92c; 40-fold, 86c; red Russian, 83c; valley, 86c. MILSTUFFS — Bran, \$22 per ton; middlings, \$30; shorts, \$24.50. FLOUR — Patents, \$4.70 per barrel; straights, \$4.10; exports, \$3.75-3.85; whole wheat, \$4.80; valley, \$4.70; Graham, \$4.60. BARLEY — Feed, \$24 per ton brewing, nominal; rolled, \$26.50. CORN — Whole, \$27; cracked, \$28 per ton. GATS — No. 1, white, \$26-27. HAY — Timothy, choice, \$16-17; mixed Eastern Oregon timothy, \$12-15; oat and vetch, \$12; alfalfa, \$11.50; clover, \$10; straw, \$6-7.

Dairy and Country Produce.

POULTRY — Hens, 13-13 1/2c; broil. cts., 13-13 1/2c; turkeys, live, 20c; dressed, choice, 25c; ducks, 13-14c. BUTTER — Oregon creamery butter, cubes, 37 1/2c per pound; prints, 38 1/2-39c per pound. EGGS — Fresh locals, candied, 29-30c per dozen. CHEESE — Triplets, 18c per lb.; daisies, 19 1/2c; Young Americas, 20 1/2c per pound. PORK — Fancy, 10c. VEAL — Fancy, 14-14 1/2c.

Vegetables and Fruits.

POTATOES — Burbanks, 50-60c; per hundred; sweet potatoes, 3 1/2c per pound. VEGETABLES — Cabbage, 1c per pound; cauliflower, \$2.75 per crate; celery, \$5.50 per crate. APPLES — 50c-\$1.50 per box. ONIONS — Oregon, 90-91 per sack. SACK VEGETABLES — Carrots, 75c per sack; turnips, 75c per sack; beets, 75c per sack; parsnips, 75c per sack.

HELPING THE FARMER.

Field demonstration work by the Oregon Agricultural College, widening the usefulness of that institution greatly, will be realized to a much larger extent than has hitherto been possible if Senate bill No. 72 is passed by the legislature. This measure provides for the appropriation of money by the state and counties to carry on co-operative field demonstration work among the farmers themselves.

The bill was drawn by the Central Oregon Development League, in connection with the Oregon Development League and the Oregon State Bankers' association agricultural committee. It provides for a well organized system of field work, conducted by experts under the direction of the O. A. C. The demonstrations in agriculture will be given in different parts of the state and the plan is what might be called a system of traveling agricultural schools.

There is bound to be need for this work, particularly in the newer sections of the state where settlers are flocking in and taking land. They must be given a start in the proper agricultural methods suited to the country if they are to prosper, and demonstration work by the state college will do this and do it right. The plan of the bill is extremely practical, meaning to place the demonstration work right out among the farmers so they will not have to waste valuable time in visiting some far point. It is thought some of the agricultural interests of the state will rally to the support of the bill in the legislature and secure its passage.

Mrs. A. R. Fisher, of Cedar, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by Gresham Drug Co., and Dealers everywhere.

The present year is likely to witness the completion of another railroad across the eastern part of the state. The Oregon Eastern being built from Vale westward to Dog mountain, 140 miles, is progressing favorably and railroad men say they will complete the construction for this distance within the year. Dog mountain is near Bend and it is expected the line will then be extended to a connection with the Southern Pacific Nintros-Klamath roads now being built.

Memorials to congress on important subjects have been prepared by the Oregon legislature. One asks for appropriations for the improvement of Tillamook, Yaquina and Coos bays. Another memorial asks for the protection of migratory game birds and another suggests a federal law to curb the divorce evil.

Famous Stage Beauties

look with horror on Skin Eruptions, Blisters, Sores or Pimples. They don't have them. For all such troubles use Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It glorifies the face. Excellent for Eczema or Salt Rheum, it cures sore lips, chapped hands, chilblains; heals burns, cuts and bruises. Unsurpassed for piles. 25c at all Druggists.

The Russell Sage foundation has probed the public school systems of all the states and finds Oregon ranks fifteenth in efficiency among the forty-eight commonwealths of the nation. This state, however, is found to stand first in point of attendance, the percentage being 87.8.

The city council of Eugene has abolished the volunteer fire department and established a paid department of six men.

With solemn ceremonies the mortgage registers the last of the indebtedness against the new First Baptist at Albany, was burned last Monday night.

The silvery snowdrops produce golden harvests.

Persons troubled with partial paralysis are often very much benefited by massaging the affected parts thoroughly when applying Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by Gresham Drug Co., and Dealers everywhere.

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 4:29 p. m.; roudale, 4:34. Lv. Portland 8:00 p. m.—Ar. Troutdale 8:31 p. m. WESTBOUND Lv. Troutdale 9:15 a. m.; leave Fairview 9:19 a. m.—Ar. Portland 10:00 a. m. Lv. Troutdale 4:48 p. m.; leave Fairview 4:52 p. m.—Ar. Portland 5:30 p. m.

Drain Tile All Sizes, 3-, 4-, 6- and 8-inch always on hand Also Square Hollow Blocks For Cellars, Foundations and All Building Purposes Common Brick, Clinkers for Facing COLUMBIA BRICK WORKS Yard at Hogan Station, P. O. Gresham

WANT ADS This is your chance to Buy or Sell at a Bargain!

LIVESTOCK. FOR SALE—Fine fresh milch cow. Graded Jersey. J. W. Townsend, Cleone, phone 213. Beef Cattle Wanted. Six cents per pond for any ordinary cow. T. R. Howitt, Gresham. REAL ESTATE AND RENTALS. For Rent. with city water, electric lights and lawn, 8-room house, also 5-room house; rent \$8.00. On Main street, Chas. Cleveland. FOR RENT—5 1/2 acres, suitable for nursery stock, or any growing crops, half mile west of Gresham. Address Edw. M. Roberts, Welches, Oregon. MISCELLANEOUS. SEED POTATOES wanted.—S. F. Pitts, Gresham, Oregon. 94. FOR SALE—Second-hand organ in good condition. For sale cheap. Suitable for churches. R. R. Carlson's furniture store. WILL TRADE 1000 lb. mare for fresh cow or heifer. Enquire R. W. Forbes, Linneman station. Phone 65. Auto for Sale. Buick auto, 20 h. p. Model 10-4-passenger. \$250 takes it. A. E. Lindsey, Gresham. FOR SALE—At a bargain, an Air Pressure Water system, 2-horse, P. Engine and 720 gallon tank, all in first class condition. S. S. Thompson, phone 61. WANTED—Employment by lady in home or by the day. Plain: ing done. Call at Main street restaurant. \*94. FOR SALE—Baled timothy and loose mixed hay. Mountain View Farm, phone 21. H. E. Davis. Gresham Feed Mill wants oats and wheat. Highest cash prices. Phone 561. BALED HAY for sale at my place at Cottrell. W. A. Proctor. Phone 378. Some More Choice Lots. For sale in Zenith addition by the owners. The Independent Land Company. Easy terms. Buy direct and save commission. See E. H. Kelly, Res. Third street and Kelly avenue. Subscribe for your dailies through the Outlook. Try a Want Ad, if you want to buy or sell anything. It will help you. Wanted—All who do not now get the Outlook to subscribe at once for 1913. Daily and Sunday Oregonian and Twice-a-week Outlook, special combination, 1 year, \$8.00. School Report Cards. The Outlook has on hand printed school report cards with envelopes. They are a neat card, printed on finest Bristol, very complete and serviceable. Sent promptly by mail. Prices, 2 1/2c each, complete. Over 100, 2c each. Postage additional, 5c for each 25. Outlook Special Offer. New subscriptions—three full months, 25c in advance. Stop at good until Washington's birthday, Feb. 22. 25 issues, 25c.

Portland R'y, Light & Power Co. SEVENTH and ALDER STS. Phones Main 6688 and A 6130. PORTLAND RAILWAY LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY O. W. P. DIVISION Lv. Portland for Gresham and Cazadero a 5:20 6:50 7:45 8:45 9:45 10:45 11:45 12:45 a 2:27 2:45 3:45 4:45 b 5:35 6:45 7:45 8:00 b10:00 c 11:33 Lv. Gresham for Portland Cazadero cb12:25 b 5:40 d 5:51 6:59 a 6:07 7:37 7:50 a 7:50 8:45 9:50 10:45 11:39 a 3:18 12:45 1:39 3:50 4:45 5:45 6:45 7:45 8:00 9:45 10:50 Light figures denote a. m. Bold figures denote p. m. U. S. Mail and Express. No passengers. b Gresham Local to Cazadero on Sundays. c Saturday through to Cazadero. Running time Portland to Gresham, 1 hour. MT. HOOD DIVISION Lv. Mountavilla for Gresham and Bull Run a 9:00 3:00 b 5:55 Lv. Gresham for Mt. Avilla Bull Run a 8:10 a 9:25 a 1:20 5:25 SUNDAY ONLY. 9:00 1:30 4:45 c 7:00 8:00 d 7:00 9:25 1:55 5:10 a Mixed train. b To Cottrell only. c To Gresham only. d To Mabery only. e To Sandy River only. Above schedules subject to change without notice. Light figures, a. m. Bold figures, p. m. When you want a reliable medicine for a cough or cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Gresham Drug Co., and Dealers everywhere. Daily Oregonian, 1 yr. reg. \$6.00 Twice-a-Week Outlook, 1 yr. 1.50 Combination, 1 yr. 6.00