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**PORTLAND'S NEW CHARTER**

Portland will have the commission form of government the vote on last Saturday having decided the issue by 276 majority. A mayor and four commissioners are to be elected, together with a city auditor. All the nominations made at the primaries have been nullified and there is now a scramble for the few offices left. The date for filing expires on Tuesday next, the election taking place on the first Monday in June.

The new system of government is going to be more or less of an experiment, as Portland is the largest city that ever adopted it. While it is conceded that the plan has great merit, if honestly carried out there are many chances for unwise conduct of affairs and it is going to be extremely hard to find men big enough to fill the leading offices, especially that of mayor.

The primary law for nominating candidates is so imperfect that good men are not always chosen, and the preferential choice may, open the way for a man of small calibre to become the executive officer, when one of great ability is needed and should be chosen.

The outcome will be watched with great interest, as on the success of Portland will depend to a great extent the popularity of the plan and its life tenure by the votes of the people.

**Additional Gresham Items**

W. A. Proctor and Martin Lennartz, two members of the newly organized Sandy Fir Lumber Co., were Gresham visitors yesterday.

Rockwood grange will hold its regular first-of-the-month meeting tomorrow evening. Arrangements are being made for an entertainment and basket social.

The regular meeting of the Commercial club will be held tomorrow evening at the hall.

C. S. Smith moved today with his family to Montavilla, where he expects to make his home.

Mrs. Clara Kane in company with her daughter Mrs. A. R. Goger of Cottrell, spent a day or two last week with her daughter Mrs. May Landon at Lents.

J. T. Stillion is doing the tinning and plumbing on Wm. Thom's new house, which the carpenters in charge of Mr. Robinson are hurrying to completion.

**Cedarville**

The florist has been busy setting out roses in Mr. Cogswell's yard. All yards would look the better for such improvement.

Mr. Forbes' cousin, from Portland, has been helping him in the store for a couple of weeks.

The railroad company has put in a new cattle guard on the Troutdale line.

A McMillan is very busy building a new house and barn on his place. His father and mother wish very much to return to their old neighborhood also.

Between 300 and 400 little chicks makes Mrs. Mills' yard quite a lively place.

**Mayberry**

The little 2-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Henderson was badly injured on April 25, by a cow which hooked the little one in the mouth, tearing the cheek open. A doctor was called who closed the wound with several stitches.

A platform has been built for leading cordwood at the side track near the station. Other improvements will be made.

A special train load of people in charge of Umbdenstock & Larson's agents was out here on April 27th looking over the townsite with a view to investments in property.

**THE C. C. STORE**

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MAIN STREET

GRESHAM, OREGON

**Sandy**

SANDY, May 5—S. W. Grathwell, of Pacific University, delivered his lecture on the College Man and his relation to society, at the Sandy M. E. church last Friday evening. The lecture, which was given under the auspices of the Women's club, was well attended. Those present considered themselves extremely fortunate, in being given this opportunity of hearing Mr. Grathwell. This was the lecture with which Mr. Grathwell won the state oratorical contest a few weeks ago. Although but a young man, Mr. Grathwell is an earnest and forceful speaker and held his audience completely from his opening words until he made his last impassioned appeal, to "God, home and liberty."

The right of way deed covering the route of the Multnomah Central rail road from Cottrell to Sandy was filed with the county recorder at Oregon City last week. It is believed that following the filing of the deed grading and track laying will begin at once. The line taps a rich timber district, which when cleared will make excellent agricultural land. The tootings and ding dongs of a railroad will prove the sweetest symphony to the people of Sandy, therefore let us rejoice and be hopeful for all things come to those who wait.

Mrs. Ronald is spending a few days in Portland visiting her mother.

The Sandy school will give a play and basket social May 23.

The Pacific Telephone company is making a survey for a trunk line, which will connect Sandy directly with Eagle Creek and Estacada.

A. L. Deaton of the Sandy bank has purchased a 5-passenger touring car, and with his family will enjoy spinning around the country this summer.

Little Wilma Curtis, while at play, ran a stick down her throat, thus injuring it seriously. However at this writing she is much improved.

A new firm to be known as the Sandy Fir Lumber Co., has purchased the mill and timber of the Straus Lumber Co., and will engage in a general saw milling business. The mill, which is the largest in eastern Clackamas, is up to date in every way and capable of turning out 40,000 feet of lumber daily. The officers are, W. A. Proctor, president; Martin Lennartz, vice president, and Fred Proctor, secretary.

The Sandy school is making preparations for an entertainment to be given the latter part of this month.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Curtis is suffering from a serious injury to her throat received while at play recently.

**QUALIFIED.**

Uncle Ed—"Why, Johnnie, you don't swear, do you?"  
Johnnie—"No, I don't swear, but I know all the words."

**Anderson**

M. H. Wheeler, our road supervisor, has a crew of men with teams at work cutting down the hill in front of the J. C. G. Bradley place.

Amos & Housh have sold their 30 acre tract of land to a real estate company in Portland who intend subdividing into small tracts for sale again. The purchase price was \$250 per acre.

The stork visited the home of J. W. Bailey last week and left a 9-pound girl.

L. Ball and family have moved to their place near Gresham for a short stay.

Mrs. E. M. Carpenter has been quite ill for the past week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. M. Lake.

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MILLSTUFFS—Bran, \$23 per ton; middlings, \$30; shorts, \$25.

FLOUR—Patents, \$4.70 per barrel; straights, \$4.10; exports, \$3.85-3.95; valley, \$4.70; graham, \$4.60; whole wheat, 4.80.

BARLEY—Feed, \$24.50-25 per ton; brewing, nominal; rolled, \$26.50-27.50 per ton.

CORN—Whole, \$27; cracked, \$28 per ton.

OATS—No. 1, white, \$29-29.50 per ton.

HAY—Timothy, choice, \$15-17; mixed Eastern Oregon timothy, 16 17; oat and vetch, \$12; alfalfa, \$12-13; clover, \$9; straw, \$7-8.

**Dairy and Country Produce.**

POULTRY—Hens, 17c; broilers, 35c; turkeys, live, 20c; dressed, choice, 25c; ducks, 18-20c; geese, young, 15-17c.

EGGS—Fresh Oregon ranch, 20c per dozen.

BUTTER—Oregon creamery butter, cubes, 28c per pound; prints, 29-29 1/2c per pound.

CHEESE—Triplets, 16 1/2c per lb.; young Americas, nominal.

PORK—Fancy, 12c.

VEAL—Fancy, 14-15c.

**Vegetables and Fruits.**

POTATOES—Burbanks, 45-50c per hundred; new, 5c per lb.; sweet potatoes, 4c per pound.

ONIONS—Oregon, 75-90c per sack; Spanish, \$2.25 per crate.

SACK VEGETABLES—Turnips 85c per sack; parsnips, 85c per sack; carrots, 85c per sack.

GREEN FRUIT—Apples, 50c-\$1.75 per box according to quality.

VEGETABLES—Artichokes, 75c-\$1 per dozen; asparagus, white, 6c per lb.; green, \$1.25 per dozen; cabbage, 2 1/2-3c per pound; cauliflower, 35c-\$1 per dozen; celery, \$4.00 per crate; egg plant, 25c lb.; head lettuce, \$2.50 per crate; hothouse lettuce, 75c-\$1 per box; onions, green, 10-15c per dozen; peas, 7c per pound; peppers, 35-40c per pound; radishes, 10-12 1/2c per dozen; rhubarb, 2-3c per pound; spinach, 75c per box; sprouts, 10c; tomatoes, \$2.50-4.50 per box; garlic, 5-6c per pound.

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**Church Notices**

LINNEMAN METHODIST, Gresham—Rev. M. C. Wire, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; Epworth League, 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights at 7:45.

CATHOLIC SERVICES—Mass every Sunday at 10:30 in Commercial Hall, Gresham, until church is built. After mass, instruction for the children.

MASS will be celebrated every second and fourth Sunday at 10:30 a.m., at St. Josephs church, Powell Valley road. Reverend Father Martin, O. S. B., pastor.

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

CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS—Services in Grange hall, Gresham, Sunday at 11 a.m. and Wednesday at 8 p.m. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Public invited.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH Gresham—Edwin W. Hight, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a.m., preaching at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Cottage prayer meeting each Thursday evening at 8 p.m. Place announced.

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. Burich, Pastor.

COURT GRESHAM, No. 81, Foresters of America—Meets the second and fourth Monday evening in each month at I. O. O. F., hall. E. L. Grubb, chief ranger; O. J. Trambly, secretary.

FAIRVIEW LODGE No. 92, A. F. & A. M.—Stated communications the first Saturday of each month.asonic Temple, Troutdale.

GRESHAM LODGE, No. 152, A. F. & A. M. Stated communications at 8 p.m. every second and fourth Tuesday. All Master Masons cordially invited. H. PULFER, Secretary.

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**For Rent.**

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FOR SALE—20 acres, all clear 1/4 mile from Gresham. Price and terms reasonable. Box 161, Gresham. 21

**Some More Choice Lots.**

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**MISCELLANEOUS**

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STRAWBERRY PLANTS for sale, cheap. Sophia Stone, Gresham, Or., R. 4, phone 42x1. 19

WANTED—Good horse hay. Phone 305. tf

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