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POWELL VALLEY
INDUSTRIAL FAIR
IS SUCCESSFUL

The first industrial exhibition of the Powell Valley school held at the schoolhouse September 12, was a decided success in every way. The exhibits were numerous and many exceptionally fine for our dry season. Almost every pupil of the school took part in some way, the domestic science department being especially interesting.

The fair opened at 10 o'clock a.m. with a literary program, the school children singing several selections, and two speakers from Portland addressed the audience.

The first speaker, Hon. F. W. Longren, editor of "Oregon Post," and a member of State Board of Immigration for Oregon delivered an able and instructive speech on the different school systems of various countries, and the value of manual training as well as intellectual training in our schools.

The second speaker, Hon. Conrad Olson, a member of the State Legislature of Oregon, spoke interestingly of the Opportunities of Oregon.

Mrs. Karl J. Hagberg sang a beautiful solo which was appreciated by all.

The large attendance was enthusiastic in its praises of the program as well as the different exhibits.

Hot luncheon was served at noon in the basement. Ice cream, coffee and cake were served during the afternoon and evening.

Judges for the vegetable department were: F. O. Ekstrom, J. A. Johnson, Andrew Rydberg.

Judges for domestic science—Mrs. F. W. Longren, Mrs. Conrad Olson, Mrs. B. S. Johnson.

The different committees put forth great effort to make this fair a success, and much commendation is due them.

List of Prize Winners.

CORN
Wendell Gustafson 1st, Emery Keller 2d, Wendell Gustafson 3d, Rodney Wood 4th.

POTATOES
Emery Keller 1st, Elmer Soderquist 2d, Myrtle Soderquist 3d, Robert Soderquist 4th.

ONIONS
Emery Keller 1st, Rodney Wood 2d, Telford Johnson 3d, Carl Johnson 4th.

CARROTS
Rodney Wood 1st, Jennie Wood 2d, Earle Rugg 3d, Carl Soderquist 4th.

PARSNIPS
Earle Rugg 1st, Myrtle Soderquist 2d, Jennie Wood 3d, Esther Nelson 4th.

TURNIPS
Etta Anderson 1st, Myrtle Soderquist 2d, Robert Soderquist 3d, Wendell Gustafson 4th.

BEETS
Earle Rugg 1st, Carl Soderquist 2d, Esther Nelson 3d, Rodney Wood 4th.

RADISH
Albert Shuholm 1st, Gilbert Shuholm 2d.

CANNED FRUIT
Lillie Johnson 1st, Elmer Soderquist 2d, Anna Norblom 3d.

JELLY
Eva Rugg 1st, Esther Nelson 2d, Florence Johnson 3d, Lillie Johnson 4th.

BREAD
Florence Johnson 1st, Elmer Soderquist 2d, Myrtle Anderson 3d, Willard Carrol 4th.

CAKE
Eva Rugg 1st, Myrtle Anderson 2d, Mildred Johnson 3d.

HOSE DARNING
Myrtle Anderson 1st, Sigrid Johnson 2d.

EMBROIDERY
Hilma Johnson 1st, Hilma Johnson 2d, Hazel Sedg 3d, Myrtle Anderson 4th.

MAND-MADE TOWELS
Sigrid Johnson 1st, Hilma Johnson 2d, Amy Gustafson 3d.

MACHINE-MADE APRONS
Jennie Wood 1st, Emma Johnson 2d, Sigrid Johnson 3d, Mabel Stalfanson 4th.

Special Articles not on List.
HAND-MADE APRONS.
Freda Peterson 1st, May Nelson 2d.

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs—Hazel Sedg 1st.
Cookies—Lillie Nelson 1st, Candy—Amy Gustafson 1st.

Toy Automobile—Willie Carlstedt 1st.
Wheelbarrows—Wendell Gustafson 1st, Emery Keller 2d.

CABBAGE
Harold Gustafson 1st, Wendell Gustafson 2d.

CUCUMBERS
Emery Keller 1st, Carl Johnson 2d, Lillian Johnson 3d.

LIMA BEANS
Lillian Johnson 1st.

CANTALOUPE
Hazel Sedg 1st.

PUMPKINS
Carl Johnson 1st, Emery Keller 2d.

SQUASH
Carl Soderquist 1st.
All prizes have been paid with cash.
JONAS JOHNSON,
Pres. Parent-Teachers' Ass'n.

DECISION SAID
EXEMPT HIGH
SCHOOL PUPILS

A bit of unpublished news has been imparted to the Outlook, coming from Salem through the offices of Attorney General Crawford, County Superintendent Armstrong and Principal Stubbs of the Gresham high school.

The question of paying tuition fees by non-resident high school pupils was brought before Attorney General Crawford, who, it is said has decided that such money cannot be collected by any school district that takes advantage of the state fund for tuition of students.

Last year this district collected \$15 each from the non-resident pupils, and this year an order has been made requiring a payment of \$28. By Attorney General Crawford's decision the collection or charge cannot be made this year if the state money is taken. The state fund provides for the payment of \$40 each for the first 20 pupils, attending high school; \$20 each for the next 20 pupils and \$12.50 for the remainder regardless of the number and including those living in the district.

It is the evident opinion of Mr. Crawford that two charges cannot be made and that the intention of the law is to make the fund pay the way for pupils attending from other districts.

Portland has not taken advantage of the fund and is this year charging non-residents the sum of \$80 a year. Gresham having taken the state money is required to admit the pupils from other districts who attend the high school.

By the decision it seems that the exaction of \$15 last year was illegal, but it is not likely that any claim will be made for a refund. Several persons here were of the same opinion that General Crawford is reported to have given and are feeling rather jubilant to hear that their views have been vindicated.

It is not likely that this district will refuse to take something like \$1600 instead of the small amount that could be collected from a few who live in other districts.

As said above, the opinion of Mr. Crawford has not been made public before, but the Outlook's source of information is undoubtedly authentic, and if correct this item is a scoop for the Outlook.

FRUITGROWERS URGE
MORE CO-OPERATION

At a conference held in Portland on September 10, and which was participated in by representative growers and manufacturers of fruit products from every section of the Pacific Northwest, the future of the fruit industry was discussed from every angle. It was shown that through lack of co-operation on the part of gardeners and fruit raisers a large percentage of the crop goes to waste each year while the balance is sold at prices which frequently show a net loss to the producer. While no definite action was taken at this meeting, it was decided that all possible information on the subject should be collected in each fruit growing section and the resulting data will be made the basis of another conference in Spokane November 14, at the time of the National Apple show. It is practically certain that a permanent organization will be effected at that time and steps taken to establish canneries, dryers and other methods of caring for such fruits and vegetables as cannot be marketed in a fresh condition. All who are interested in the subject should make a special effort to attend that meeting.

An expert timber cruiser, who has spent many months in estimating the standing timber of Coos county, has completed the task and filed his report with the county assessor. His survey shows the standing timber to approximate 18,927,000,000 feet, of which about 17,000,000,000 feet are first and second growth fir. He says there is not a 40-acre tract in the county subject to homestead entry that is worth taking.

Gresham Mounted.

A collection of mounted butterflies is on exhibition at the Gresham library. Some have been secured on Mt. Hood, others in Portland, India, South America and Massachusetts. To all lovers of butterflies this collection will be especially interesting.

EIGHTH ANNUAL FAIR
AT GRESHAM OPENED
TODAY INVITES PUBLIC

The Eighth Annual Exhibit of the Multnomah County Fair opened this morning under the very favorable auspices, the only possible ground for complaint being the showery weather. But between the gusts of rain have been most encouraging bursts of sunshine during which the beauty of the decorations has shown forth and the activities of exhibitors has indicated an unusual interest on the opening day.

This has been called "Pioneer Day." The principal attractions have been the free exhibitions of performing horses, dogs, bear and goat.

The Pacific Ladies' band arrived this morning and has made the welcome ring. There will be other large bands during the fair and these will be among the chief outdoor attractions.

On account of the rains there have been no races today.

The large force of secretaries, under direction of E. L. Thorpe, have been working overtime entering the great array of exhibits. Seven granges occupy the ground floor of the main pavilion and never before have the community exhibits been arranged to better advantage.

Everything has been done and will be done to promote the comfort and entertainment of the visitors. It will be the greatest and best fair ever, even if it rains every day. The directors feel the assurance that the public will give it the generous support it deserves.

It should be remembered that season tickets are only one dollar. Children under 14 accompanied by parent or guardian are admitted free. Single admission, day tickets are 50 cents, night admission 25 cents.

There are great things on the program for the coming days.

The fair is rapidly beginning to look like a young city. Nearly all available space is bought up. Everything imaginable is here to help the success of the fair. Nobody will starve at this fair as there are four big restaurants and several "hot dog" stands. Amusements are plentiful, the merry-go-round is up and they are putting up the pony and dog show and will have it finished this afternoon. Then there are three shooting galleries and several doll racks. Two high grade pop corn wagons are here too. The grounds as a whole are neat and attractive. The fountain with its roof of barley straw is very unique and its surroundings of growing flowers make it very pretty.

Important Change of Program.

The date for the Eugenics Baby show has been changed by the authority of O. M. Plummer and Dr. Mary V. Madigan to Friday, the 18th, from 9 to 12 o'clock in the forenoon at the Gresham library. This change was made necessary on account of a conflict with the Canby fair.

The pavilion is looking finer than ever before. The domestic science and art departments have new homes. The domestic science is in one end of the upper floor, divided off from the rest by a portier, made of ropes. The art department is housed in the annex on the ground floor.

The stock barns are nearly full. Charles Cleveland has taken eleven cattle stalls and six horse stalls. A. C. Ruby has taken one whole side of a horse barn. Theo. Brugger has eleven cattle stalls. David McKeown has also taken eleven cattle stalls and many others have one and two and more stalls each.

The poultry barn is getting entries all the time. The entries in all departments close at 10 o'clock this morning. The sheep and swine pens are full and new ones are under construction.

In the machinery hall, Hessel & Co. have 50 front feet; Stillion's plumbing shop has 40 front feet and the rest of the space is divided up in smaller allotments. All has been spoken for except fourteen feet.

Don't fail to be present at the fair on Thursday and hear President Kerr of the O. A. C. speak on the subject "The Next Step in Agricultural Development."

B. F. Baughman of Newberg, Oregon, who filled seven stalls of Chester White hogs Sunday evening, received a telegram soon after he arrived notifying him of the death of his mother. Mr. Baughman left his stock in charge of Ben Raney, and returned to attend his mother's funeral. He will return to the fair later in the week.

Deila and Albert Stockton are visiting their uncle, Edward Camp of Oregon City. They will return in time for school.

The Misses Opal and Hazel Camp, of Oregon City, are spending the fair week with their aunt Mrs. Geo. Stockton of Rockwood, and uncle Herbert Camp of Portland. Miss Hazel Camp will take up stenographic work in Portland next week.

TOP PLACES
ARE HELD BY
CONTESTANTS

The voting contest is growing more interesting each week. Last night's count revealed the fact that the three highest in the race hold the same relative position as a week ago. Miss Echo Jones, however, has made the greatest gain in the week, Miss Gertrude Eastman being the next in order of gain and Mrs. S. G. Carroll third.

Mrs. C. A. Hoffman, a new contestant has entered the race with a starting vote of 5000.

The list of contestants and their standing is as follows:

Miss Gertrude Eastman	33606
Miss Echo Jones	31127
Mrs. S. G. Carroll	26247
Miss Alice Roberts	9110
Miss Gladys Miller	9180
Miss Frances Bliss	8730
Miss C. H. Haile	7243
Miss Iris Gullickson	6580
Miss Henrietta Wiles	6415
Mrs. C. A. Hoffman	5000
Miss Ellen DeHaven	4672
Miss Georgina Hamlin	4885
Miss Henrietta Wiles	4665
Miss Ethel Merrill	3665
Miss Lulu Nystrom	3600
Mrs. J. Cavanaugh	3700
Mrs. Robert Lansdown	3100
Miss Gladys Lumsden	2590
Miss Reta Burch	2110
Mrs. J. Caldo	4000
Mrs. E. J. Gradin	3700
Miss Nellie Farris	3500
Miss Lulu Nystrom	3500
Miss Olive Marston	3000
Mrs. J. Cavanaugh	2200
Miss Gertrude Baker	2035
Miss Miriam Brown	2010
Mrs. M. H. Wheeler	2000
Mrs. J. McKinney	2000
Mrs. C. Binder	2000
Mrs. H. Cooley	2000
Mrs. Alonzo Radford	2000
Mrs. N. H. Bickford	2000
Mrs. A. F. Hoover	2000
Mrs. C. F. Cross	2000
Mrs. A. Erickson	2000
Miss Martha Hagberg	2000
Mrs. G. Rodgers	2000
Mrs. R. A. Weidman	2000
Mrs. Iva Robertson	2000
Mrs. J. E. Metzger	2000
Mrs. P. Andersen	2000
Mrs. S. Brewster	2000
Mrs. Roy Kern	2000
Mrs. C. Latourell	2000
Mrs. F. Beers	2000
Miss Grace Hessel	2000
Miss Elsie Metzger	2000
Mrs. Claude Smith	2000
Mrs. Henry Jones	2000
Mrs. W. A. Proctor	2000
Mrs. J. Jarl	2000
Mrs. H. L. Douthitt	2000
Miss Snoda Cook	2000
Miss Agnes Taylor	2000
Mrs. C. M. Oliphant	2000
Mrs. A. Thompson	2000
Mrs. Ella Aton	2000
Guy Jones	2000
W. J. Burns	2000
Mrs. W. Cook	2000
Mrs. C. Cathey	2000
Mrs. Ida Hamilton	2000
Mrs. Percy Giese	2000
Miss Lydia Saettler	2000
Mrs. M. Myers	2000
Mrs. E. Bourgeois	2000
Mrs. Sig. Knighon	2000
Mrs. A. L. Maybee	2000
Mrs. Ed. Hamilton	2000
Mrs. C. I. Haker	2000
Mrs. E. J. Heselstine	2000
Mrs. A. Banks	2000
Mrs. W. Trimble	2000
Mrs. Grant Shaw	2000
Mrs. Frank Christensen	2000
Miss Ada Honey	2000
Mrs. Wm. Morand	2000
Mrs. O. Walin	2000
Mrs. A. R. Goger	2000
Mrs. W. Hornecker	2000
Mrs. J. W. Townsend	2000
Mrs. Wm. McAlpine	2000
Miss E. Stalfanson	2000
Mrs. B. Kerslake	2000
Mrs. Lulu Strebin	2000
Mrs. J. Lyne	2000
Mrs. G. B. Middleton	2000
Miss Addie Quisenberry	2000
Mrs. J. R. Duncan	2000
Mrs. Grant Sloop	2000
Mrs. Carl Dahl	2000
Mrs. M. D. Kern	2000
Miss Maud Michel	2000
Miss Rosa Coons	2000
Mrs. Jennie Oswald	2000
Mrs. J. Bliss	2000
Miss Evelyn Metzger	2000
Mrs. Bessie Marshall	2000
Mrs. H. Nicholls	2000
Mrs. E. C. Altman	2000
Mrs. I. W. Butler	2000
Mrs. A. Dickson	2000
Mrs. J. H. Hendrickson	2000
Miss Margaret Shantine	2000
Mrs. E. A. Kessler	2000
Mrs. A. F. Chase	2000
Mrs. W. U. Moore	2000
Mrs. C. D. Purcell	2000
Miss Alberta Schneider	2000
Mrs. C. Hunter	2000
Mrs. D. O. Smith	2000
Mrs. J. Bramhall	2000
Mrs. Mary Wood	2000
Miss Marie Lane	2000
Miss Ethel Calkins	2000
Mrs. W. A. Howen	2000
A. Herd	2000
C. Anderson	2000
Mrs. F. E. Clarke	2000
Alice Ekstrom	2000
Mrs. Robert Jonserud	2000
Mrs. W. C. Pancher	2000
Miss Elsie Schultz	2000
Mrs. Alice Cannon	2000
Mrs. A. L. Heacock	2000
Mrs. D. Hargrove	2000
Mrs. Edna Stanley	2000
Mrs. J. W. Dixon	2000
Mrs. Magnuson	2000

DISCUSSION OF
MEASURES TO
BE VOTED ON

By L. H. WELLS.

PORTLAND, Sept. 14—(Special)—That the adoption of the proposed 8-hour law at the November election would be disastrous to the state and especially to the farmers of Oregon and ought to be defeated was the statement made by Mrs. Mary S. Howard, state secretary of the Patrons of Husbandry Saturday night at the meeting of Woodlawn grange. Mrs. Howard pointed out wherein the menace of the law existed. She commended the plan of granges to consider the pending laws to be voted on in November and especially urged discussion of the 8-hour law as proposed. Her address covered grange affairs.

A. D. Cridge advocated the \$1500-exemption law in his address. Eugene Palmer replied in an extended talk against the exemption, and pointed out that it was simply another form of single tax so worded that it might deceive the people. He declared it one of the most dangerous laws proposed and urged grangers to vote against the exemption law. Mr. Palmer pointed out that the exemption would effect disastrously even the smaller property owners in Oregon. The citizenship act was discussed. Miss Alice V. Joyce, of the Woodlawn school, who had just returned from Munich, delivered an address on "Agriculture" in which she told what is being done in the old country. The hall was filled. W. H. H. Dufur, master, presided. Mrs. W. E. Slater had charge of the program.

Mrs. Mary S. Howard did an opportune thing to call attention to the "freak" legislation proposed at the November election. Of all the measures proposed there is scarcely any that should receive the support of good citizens. The 8-hour law is perhaps at the top of the dangerous measures that are pending, but there are others all along the line that may slip through because of the carelessness of the voters or misrepresentation. It does not take much thought to see the vicious character of the 8-hour law and the hardship it would work on the farmers of this state. It would require the farmer to hire two shifts of hired help practically all the time, or at least during the harvest time when he gathers his grain. No farmer could stand that. It would bankrupt him, put him out of business in no time. Farmers should vote, No on that measure. The \$1500 exemption measure is another form of single tax so framed as to deceive the people and it may deceive them.

And the Normal school question comes again. Eastern and Southern Oregon want Normal schools. Appropriations are wanted, small, but a burden, just the same. Nothing of this sort is free. Somebody pays for it. Taxes are growing by leaps and bounds. Why not call a halt. And the abolition of the state senate is proposed. Of course the senate may be bad enough, but there is no assurance that the abolition of the senate will better matters. None whatever. This is a dangerous measure, although it is proposed and supported by the state grange. Conservative men and women should hesitate before taking so radical an action. The new dental law to be voted on if carried would let into the state all pretending to know dentistry from states where the dentistry laws are extremely lax. It should be defeated and will be if the people understand its import.

A lot of measures on taxation that not one voter in 1000 understands are proposed all of which should be voted down. However, there are some good measures in the laws pending that the voter can pick out, but on the whole most of the measures should be voted down, especially the tax measures. One measure seems good, to extend the terms of county officers to four instead of 2 years as at present. This would reduce the cost of elections by reducing the length of tickets and the number of election. We now have too many elections, city and county, and they should be reduced to fewer in number than at present.

Phones—Fair Association Secretary's office, 901. Public pay phone in pavilion 903 at Outlook booth.