

## COUNTY ROAD TO FAIRVIEW IS PASSED UP

Among the road fund appropriation made last night by the county budget committee, that one for the hard surfacing of the Gresham-Fairview road was left out and the whole matter was finally settled by a vote to fix the road tax levy for next year at 1.2 mills, which will yield a revenue considerably less than Roadmaster Yeon was asking for the Columbia River Highway alone.

The proposed levy will yield \$350,000 for road purposes, to which may be added the sum of \$31,000 from automobile licenses and \$10,000 from the delinquent tax list.

Thus the available funds for next year at the disposal of Roadmaster Yeon will be about \$401,000, which Amos Benson declared last night would not be enough to do the road work of the county adequately.

A. W. Jones, the representative of organized labor on the committee, offered a motion to fix the levy at 1.8 mills with the qualification that the roadmaster transfer funds to provide for hard surfacing of the road between Fairview and Gresham and for improvement of the Canyon road. He declared that when the road bond issue was voted last spring the farmers on the Fairview-Gresham road were led to believe that as soon as the Columbia River Highway is paved their road would be paved. They voted for the bonds, he said, in belief that this would be done.

Mr. Jones and Mr. Benson cast the only affirmative votes.

Upon motion of E. B. McNaughton, the levy then was fixed at 1.2 mills, by a vote of five to two. Mr. Jones and Mr. Benson voting against it.

From this action of the budget committee it will be seen that there is no hope for the road between Gresham and Fairview being improved next summer, except that it has been provided that \$500 may be spent on patching it up with crushed rock or gravel.

The only consolation to be had is the satisfaction of believing that the tax levy will be lighter than usual and that taxes will be lower.

A delegation from the different granges of the county appeared before the budget committee last night and asked for an appropriation of \$1500 for a county agriculturist, also a committee from the county fair association made a request for an increase in the appropriation of \$1500 allowed last week. J. H. Hall also presented a petition for money to extend the Base Line road from the Troutdale road to the Sandy bridge. The requests were all taken under advisement.

## FORMER FAIRVIEW MAN PROSPEROUS

Lloyd Axtell left this morning for Venice, California, where he goes to join his father, F. D. Axtell who is erecting another building for William Ellison.

Mr. Ellison, who left Fairview two years ago and put up a large apartment house at Venice, has made a prosperous venture and recently decided to enlarge the building to double its present capacity. The new building will be an annex set about 25 feet away and connected by an office, the remainder of the space to be an open court.

The new portion will be the same size as the older part, 35x125 feet ground space, 5½ stories high. It will be built of brick to conform to the other half of the structure.

## National Grange in Session.

The national grange began its annual session today in Oakland, Cal. C. E. Spence, master of the Oregon State Grange is chairman of the committee on Forestry and Conservation. He is also a member of the committees on Credentials and Transportation. Mrs. Anna Spence is on three committees—Good of the Order, Pure Food and Taxation. The session will last ten days. In addition to the election of the national grange officers the most important legislation before the grange will be on Rural Credits.

Russellville grange will give an entertainment at the new hall on the Base Line next Saturday evening. All grangers and their friends are invited to be there. A good program will be given followed by refreshments.

Has anyone given a thought to the clove market after January first?

## FAIRVIEW CHURCH PROGRAM AND LUNCH

The Methodist church of Fairview will give an entertainment and lunch in the city hall, Saturday, November 20, at 8 o'clock. Following is the program:

Piano solo—Miss Lillie Luscher  
Vocal solo—Miss Olive Zimmerman  
Reading—Miss Addie Quesberry  
Gresham Quartet.

Tableaux—Seven Stages of a Girl's Life.  
Babyhood—Lullaby  
Mrs. Brewster and Baby.  
Childhood—Song—"The Shoemaker Man."  
Recitation—Lillian Heslin, Dorothy Clark, Allene Dixon.  
Piano Solo.  
"Sweet Sixteen"—Misses Merle Heslin and Dorothy Benecke.  
Recitation.

Marriage—"Lohengrin"  
"Hiawatha's Wooing"—The bride, Anna Belle Cowles.  
Motherhood—"A Family Group"  
Mother—Mrs. J. Peterson; children, William Benecke, Allene Dixon, Edgar Dixon, Marjorie Moller, Edna Burlingame.  
Spinsterhood—"Afternoon Tea"  
Spinsters—Mrs. Burlingame, Mrs. J. Free, Mrs. Peterson.  
Old Age—"Silver Threads Among the Gold." "Only Waiting till the Shadows." "Crossing the Bar."  
Grandmother, Mrs. Ingalls.  
Piano Solo.

## TUESDAY STUDY CLUB READY FOR WORK

The Tuesday Study club has arranged its work for the coming year and will meet at the library on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 7:45 p. m. Current news items will be given in response to roll call at each meeting.

At the next meeting on November 23d, Mrs. Geo. F. Honey will conduct a drill in Parliamentary Law.

Throughout the year, a brief drill of this kind will be given, followed by the regular program. The program for December 7th will be a study of Education in Oregon. The following subjects will be presented: Oregon Pioneer Schools, Mrs. J. N. Clannahan.

Schools and Colleges of Oregon, Mrs. W. E. Bates.  
Public Institutions of Oregon, Miss Durst.

The club hopes to have many new members this year. All women who are interested are invited to attend.

## BOARD OF SERVICE HOLDS MEETING

The Board of Service, which was appointed at a recent meeting of the city council, held a meeting last night following the caucus and made some definite plans for relief work for the winter. They have issued a call for contributions of clothing, food or money to be used in local work. A room at the city hall is being prepared in which to store supplies. Anyone wishing to contribute to the work can see either Mayor Stapleton, Recorder Roberts or any member of the board.

The members of the board are E. H. Kelly, C. M. Zimmerman, Mrs. Chas. Cleveland, Mrs. Karl A. Miller, Mrs. J. N. Clannahan, Mrs. B. W. Emery, Mrs. Theodore Brugger and Mrs. Roy Kern.

## Dzuck-Jones Marriage.

Miss Ethel Mae Jones and Paul H. Dzuck, of Weiser, Idaho, were married Tuesday, November 9, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ida Klum, 14 Callaway avenue, Weiser, Rev. Mr. Bush, of St. Luke's church, officiating.

The bride was attired in a gown of white satin and lace, and her veil was arranged with a spray of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of bride roses and carnations.

The house was decorated prettily with carnations, chrysanthemums and ferns.

Mrs. Dzuck is a niece of Mrs. J. R. Penney and E. D. Dewey, of Portland; Mrs. Maggie Crow, of Gresham, and J. A. Dewey, of Glendale, Or.

## Notice of Mass Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Ordinance 65, a town mass meeting will be held at Metzger's hall in the city of Gresham, Oregon, on Saturday, November 20th, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating six candidates by petition to be voted on, at the town election, for the filling of three offices of councilmen of said town.

Dated November 16th, 1915.  
CITIZENS' COMMITTEE.

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## AUTO PARADE TO LAND SHOW WAS ENJOYED

Newspaper accounts of Gresham Day at the Land Products show on Friday give glowing praise to the remarkable turnout from here. It was the great event of the fair, with a hundred automobiles in the procession, and nothing occurred to mar the enjoyments of the trip—not even tire troubles.

Among the Gresham notables seen in the parade, were Mayor Stapleton, C. M. Zimmerman, Karl A. Miller, Archie Meyers and George F. Honey, besides several others who are always notable in a Gresham crowd or anywhere else for that matter.

They were all in youthful, buoyant spirits and enjoyed every minute from the time they pinned on the first badge until they killed their machines at the home garage. It is estimated that about 100 autos were in the parade and that about 500 persons went to see the show from this vicinity.

The "Gresham Day" committee has completed its work in connection with the auto parade on last Friday and reports \$97.10 received from all sources. The total of expenses amount to \$104.45, leaving a shortage of \$7.35. A detailed statement will be given in connection with the next regular council meeting. The pennants have all been sold netting the committee \$50. The disbursements include \$22.25 paid on former indebtedness for publicity work for the town and locality.

The committee wishes to thank all who assisted financially and otherwise.

## GRESHAM PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES

Standardization exercises Friday evening, November 19, commencing at 8 o'clock. Program announced later.

The attendance average for the second month was 98.6 per cent., 149 were neither absent nor tardy and not a case of discipline.

Thanksgiving day and the Friday following will be observed as holidays.

Mrs. J. H. Karpenstefn and Mrs. F. L. Volbrecht were visitors Wednesday, November 17.

Three new pupils have been enrolled this week.  
John Stout from Ashland, Oregon, enrolled in the sixth grade today.

The regular examinations for the six weeks ending November 26 will be held in all grades Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Report cards will be issued November 29.

Standardization exercises and school rally.

The Gresham public schools having attained to the twelve requirements of the state department of education will be declared standard by County Superintendent of Schools, A. P. Armstrong, Friday evening, November 19 at a school rally of the district to be held in the grade school auditorium that evening commencing at 8 o'clock. All patrons of the school and all friends of education in this and surrounding districts are cordially invited to be present. Addresses will be made by County School Superintendent Armstrong, Principal E. F. Goodwin, School Superintendent J. E. Calavan of Clackamas county, O. J. Neal, chairman board of education, State Superintendent Churchill and M. S. Pittman of the state normal have been invited and may be present.

The following program will be rendered by the pupils of the school: Song, Eighth Grade Girls; recitation, "Suppose," Marlon Hall; recitation, "Granny," Mabel Winters; music; recitation, "Back in Squashville," Lloyd McCormick; recitation, Marjorie Lyman; song, "Hurrah for Our Schools," Fourth Grade.

## Darn the Old Stockings! FREE

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Gresham Millinery.

Brothers Standard barn paint for painting their barns, silos, fences and outbuildings. It is the most economical barn paint on the market. Ask for color cards at our store. Metzger Bros.—Adv.

Cast your eyes on the Want Ads.

## WILL SOON BE LARGEST CAMP IN THE WORLD

Gresham members of Multnomah camp, Woodmen of the World, are growing more interested in the present campaign for new members that will make the camp the largest in the United States.

Nearly a dozen candidates from here have been proposed for membership and some have already been initiated. A jitney load goes down to the city almost every Tuesday evening to have candidates examined, and another load or two goes every Friday night to the regular meetings.

Last Friday night the hall was filled to overflowing, more than 1000 being present. About 70 applications were read and more are pouring in every day. The present membership is 2528 and it is almost a certainty that the 3000 mark will be reached by the first of the new year, as there are now over 300 applications awaiting action. Another hundred will put the camp ahead of Golden Gate camp, of San Francisco, and they will be forthcoming.

Sunnyside camp at Mount Tabot camp have transferred in a body and other small camps are expected to do likewise. Their members realize that one big camp that can "do things" is to be preferred to a small one that is a source of constant expense and annoyance.

Friday night, November 26, will be given over to an open meeting for members of the order and their ladies. There will be an excellent entertainment and "something else," as the announcement says. The "something else" will probably be a banquet and dance after the entertainment.

Multnomah camp has property worth \$50,000 with about \$10,000 in the hall fund that is growing at the rate of \$700 a month. It will eventually be used to put up a Woodmen Temple on the East Side.

All entertainments and all expenses are paid for out of the general fund. No member is ever asked to contribute to anything, and the dues are but 50 cents a month. A benefit feature, paying ten dollars a week, is a side issue for members only, costing 50 cents a month in addition to the regular insurance rates.

Gresham and vicinity have about 40 members of the camp, and the official paper is published every month at the Outlook office. It goes to every member of the camp free.

## APARTMENT HOUSE TRADED FOR FARM

An Estacada man probably made the heaviest real estate deal of the month in Oregon property when he traded his farm for an apartment house in Portland.

The property in Portland is located on Hawthorne avenue and East 37th street. It belonged to Rudolph Christman, being a modern brick building on a lot 95x100 feet with stores below and flats above. He sold it to Henry O'Wulf of Estacada a part of the consideration being a beautiful ranch consisting of 101 acres.

The farm has about 45 acres in fruit. Mr. Christman expects to make his home there while Mr. O'Wulf will live in Portland. The apartment property is known as the Frances, and is considered to be worth \$50,000.

## THREE COUNCILMEN ARE NOMINATED

Three names were proposed for councilmen of Gresham at the mass meeting held last night in Metzger's hall.

Mayor Stapleton presided over the meeting which was attended by about 70 voters of the city. After several motions as to the number of names to be submitted, and several nominating speeches extolling the merits of various persons the meeting finally named George F. Honey, Ray H. Todd and William Thom.

The two first named are now members of the council and will retire unless re-elected. Mr. Thom was named in the place of Jos. Patenaude, who positively refused to again be a candidate. Mr. Thom will represent the southern part of the city which has heretofore had no representation on the board.

The percentage of disease is growing lower all the time, but the war microbe is just as deadly, or a little more so.

## NEW PUBLICATIONS ON LIBRARY SHELVES

The following new books have been received at the library, the first ten being fiction:

Daskam—"Open Market."  
Grimshaw—"Guinea Gold."  
Grundy—"Patricia Plays a Part."  
Lincoln—"Thankful's Inheritance."

Montgomery—"Anne of the Island."  
Onions—"His Official Fiancee."  
Porter—"Michael O'Halloran."  
Rinehart—"K."  
Seawell—"Jugglers."  
Whitaker—"West Winds."

Of the books of non-fiction, several are technical, such as:  
Williams—"Manual of Rural Telephony."  
Raikes—"Sewerage Disposal Works."  
Halstrom—"Standard Blacksmithing."

Lidgerwood Manufacturing Co.—"Logging by Steam," also "Cableways for hoisting and conveying."

For those who are planning Christmas gifts, the library has a collection of books and clippings of fancy work of various kinds.

Another poultry magazine has just been added to the periodicals. It is a new publication, "The California Poultry Journal," and being owned and published by poultrymen of the Pacific coast, it promises to be of practical value. It also devotes several pages to pigeon and rabbit raising.

## GRESHAM'S PACER WINS \$20,000

Hal Boy, Gresham's greatest equine production, has again won another victory on the San Francisco track which is his crowning triumph and will probably be his record performance for a long time.

He won first money on Saturday against nine other competitors, pulling down \$20,000 for his owner in three straight heats. His time was 2:06 on a muddy track. This makes his fourth winning within the past eight weeks, aggregating \$34,000. He was taking second money only last spring.

His dam, the famous Altalena, is owned by O. J. Brown, living on the Base Line road. Something of her record as a brood mare was published in the Outlook three weeks ago, all of her ten colts being considered as among the best race horses in Oregon.

Harry Osman, of Gresham, is the owner of Dan Hal, who is frequently seen on the streets here. He is a brother of Hal Boy. It is reported that several noted horsemen are negotiating for him and he may be sold for a fancy price.

## SLERET RELATIVES HOLD REUNION

A family gathering was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lindsey in honor of Mrs. L. Baumgartner of Echo, sister-in-law of Grandma Sleret, and her granddaughter, Grace Baker of Pendleton, who are visiting relatives here.

Those present beside the Lindsey family and Grandma Sleret were Mrs. Lewis Shattuck, her son Wesley and daughter Hazel of Vancouver, Washington, Mrs. E. E. Sleret and daughters Helen and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hockinson of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sleret, Mr. and Mrs. John Sleret, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ruegg of Gresham, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Townsend and son Earl and daughters Eva and Josephine of Fairview.

## CITY OF TROUTDALE NOMINATES OFFICERS

The city of Troutdale people have named a municipal ticket to be voted upon the first Monday in next month. A complete new set of officials will be named except three hold-over councilmen. The nominees are: mayor, Mrs. Clara Larsson; recorder, J. S. Hudson; treasurer, Fred Strasser; marshal, Louis Kummer. Councilmen, Lou Harlow, Wm. Rogers, Ran Bailey, R. Jennings, C. I. Raker. Three councilmen are to be elected.

## Stapleton a Booster.

Mayor Stapleton, the pop. head of the municipal gov't at Gresham, led his cohorts into town the other day and a pleasant time was had at the Mfgs. & Ld. Prod. show. He said that Portland is one of the most popular suburbs of Gresham and the boys like to drop over occasionally and see how it is growing.—Monday Crawfish.

It is easier to carry on a flirtation than to carry off an heiress.

Money saving bargains—want ads.

## SIM HUFFLE'S PHILOSOPHY, 'FORGETTING'

Among the visitors to the Land show on Friday was Slim Huffle. Slim is in his ninety-ninth year or thereabouts, and save for a few tinges of gray about his ears he retains the flush of youthful buoyancy.

He was noticed everywhere, and the first question the astonished Portlanders would ask the pink and flawless nonagenarian was, "how do you account for your youthful flush and absence of wrinkles?"

"Well, sir, I've made a specialty of forgetting all the unpleasant things that have come up in my life," he says with the expression of one who has just had his first auto ride. Then he would go on: "When you see a man or woman who has reached or passed the high noon mark on the sundial of life, and whose bloom defies the touch of a wet sponge, you can just put it down that he or she has cultivated the faculty of forgetting—that he or she harbors no hatreds or resentments or unhappy memories.

Although they may have been pursued by all the troubles and miseries known to the wrinkle producing industry, they retain the radiance and freshness of a first voter by simply forgetting them. The thin nose, the drawn mouth, the mackerel eye, the papier mache cheek, the sawed ear, the corrugated forehead, the knitted brow, the withered chin, the protruding Adam's apple and the scrawny neck are all produced by by-gones—sour drops of the past that linger in the soul and are served fresh every day by an alert and never-fading memory.—sorrows that can never come again; headaches that belong to the past; bitter disappointments of other days and treasured sorrows of misty yesterdays—all cruel memories that befoe the present and rob life of its sweetness and produce the warped and raisin-faced people who never forget."

Then the Portland people would look at the Gresham product and wonder if the venerable and handsome Slim had discovered the fountain of youth in the art of forgetting. Had this aged Apollo learned the secret of eternal youth? Handsome and rakish at 99, he is a living sample of what he preaches. Few men have as fully explored the dark recesses of the mill of life and lived to emerge. Surely none others have come through with enough strength and vigor to attend the land show at his age.

Slim was reared in obscurity, was shot at in an Indian skirmish, killed on his return from the battle; later married to an intellectual woman; had the secrets of his life bared in a divorce court; double crossed for a political appointment by Cleveland; hit by a Ford at 96 and disappointed by Bryan at 99, yet he bears no marks of earthly woes or the biting frosts of time.

## COUNTY HOSPITAL MAY BE BUILT

It is expected that the county will erect a new county hospital on the county farm during the coming year.

Plans were prepared several years ago for a \$400,000 building but funds have not been available to make the work possible although the county is sadly in need of a hospital. The budget committee is considering the matter and may possibly postpone an appropriation again at this time.

## THE OREGON DRY LAW IN CONDENSED FORM

Ten thousand copies of the "Laymen's Primer on the Oregon Dry Law" have just been turned out by the Outlook's job department.

The pamphlet contains 16 pages of instructions as to the prohibition law to be enforced on and after January 1st. It was compiled by Hon. Elisha Baker, of the Portland bar, and Hon. George M. Brown, attorney general of Oregon.

The publication is issued by the Anti-Saloon League of Oregon, with headquarters in Portland.

## All Night Dance.

Regner's opera house, Gresham Thanksgiving eve, November 24. You are invited to the best time ever. Music by 4-piece orchestra. Cafeteria supper. Admission, gentlemen 50c, ladies 25c.—Adv.

Germany possessed about 100 aeroplanes at the beginning of the war.