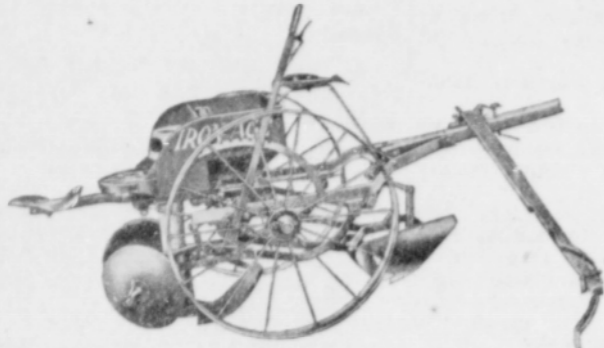


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POWELL VALLEY

A young peoples' meeting will be held next Sunday evening, April 16, at 7:30 o'clock at the Swedish Lutheran church.

Paul Hoetzel, our enterprising home baker, is planning to have hot cross buns on sale on Good Friday



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ALL THE DOINGS OF 'YOUR HOME TOWN'

H. M. Carlock, representing the Mt. Hood ice cream factory in Portland, was a Gresham visitor yesterday in the interests of his business.

Mrs. Rudolph Kaser will leave for Goble tomorrow to join her husband who is employed in a lumber camp near there.

Some of the local baseball fans are arranging to go to Woodburn next Sunday to root for the Giants during their game with the valley club.

Reuben Kaser has left the employ of the P. R. L. & P. Co. and will again become a farmer. He has rented the Brunner house on Stanley avenue for a summer residence.

Harold Kern has entered into the service of the Southern Pacific railroad as a car checker on the east side. He began his duties this morning.

The Tuesday study club will give the musical postponed from last week on next Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. at the library. Musical selections from well known operas will be given and the story of the opera told. All are invited.

A disastrous fire was narrowly averted yesterday at the residence of M. D. Kern. A passerby observed smoke issuing from the garage and on investigation it was found that a box of rags had become ignited probably from spontaneous combustion. The box was thrown out and no damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, of Portland, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Frakes last Sunday. Mr. Crawford gave a very interesting address at the Methodist church in the evening.

Rev. H. H. Farnham, formerly pastor of the Evangelical church at Wichita, has been appointed pastor of the Ockley Green Evangelical church, Portland. Rev. Mr. Farnham is a linotype operator and was recently employed for extra work on the Outlook force.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall are visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Camp. Mr. Marshall is on his way to Montana on business. His wife, formerly Miss Bessie Camp, will remain here for a time, but will join him in Montana later.

The following program has been announced for the Parent-Teachers' meeting to be held Wednesday afternoon, April 19 at 3 o'clock at the grade schoolhouse: Opening song, "Lady April," third grade pupils; paper, "Pioneer Schools of Oregon," Mrs. J. N. Clannahan; paper, "Hygiene of the School Child," Miss Mabel Arthur; Discussion: music, Union High school quartet.

D. C. Lewis, a member of the last legislature and a candidate for reelection, was in Gresham on Wednesday. He favors constructive legislation, internal improvements, rural credits and lower taxes. Mr. Lewis is a firm friend of this section and will, if elected, help to shape legislation to the benefit of this part of the county.

Dr. S. P. Bittner and daughter Gwendolyn expect to sail tomorrow for California, where they will visit for a week or more with Mrs. Bittner, who is in the Pottinger sanitarium, Monrovia, California.

An interesting letter from Mrs. Aurilla Hoagland Schuyler, formerly of this place, announces her removal with her family to Ringling, Montana, where her home will be. Mrs. Schuyler expresses appreciation of the twice-a-week visits of the Outlook, which she eagerly scans for news of this community. "It does me good," she says, "to feel the spirit of better things coming to Gresham through the schools, the churches, the municipal authorities. Somebody has started an uplift there that the whole community is feeling and it does my soul good to read about it. May the altruistic spirit deepen until all Gresham feels the trend upward."

A number of young matrons spent the afternoon Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. E. Metzger, welcoming her home from her trip to California. The affair was in the nature of a surprise, those participating being, besides the hostess, Mrs. Ray H. Todd, Mrs. Fred Todd, Mrs. E. W. Aylsworth and Mrs. Geo. W. Page.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leslie, Mrs. A. Hevel, Mrs. Roy Kern and baby and Mrs. C. Merrill spent the day yesterday in Portland with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leslie, Jr. They had a fine visit and picnic dinner together.

A good attendance was present at the grade schoolhouse last night to hear the essays read by pupils contesting for cash prizes under the auspices of the local Women's Christian Temperance Union. Merrill Good won the \$5 prize offered to high school students. Lang Goodwin, from the 8th grade, won the \$2 prize. Elizabeth Karpenstein and Marjorie Lyman from the 7th and 6th grades respectively won prizes of \$1 each. A program of music was rendered, practically as announced in the last Outlook, besides a solo by Mrs. E. W. Aylsworth.

A delightful social was held last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Metzger by the members and friends of the Epworth League. The evening was spent in games and social chat after a well rendered program. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

YOUNG PUPS WANTED TO STEAL CHICKENS

WANTED—A young dog, any breed, that can be trained to catch baby chickens and bring them home. Ed. SMITH, phone 23x2. G. W. KENNEY, phone 519.

An inquiry as to the internal reasons for wanting a dog to steal baby chickens revealed the fact that Ed. Smith and George Kenny, whose places adjoin, are intending to go into the five-toed chicken business but have failed to convince Frank Jones that he should sell them eggs from his flock, which is the only one in Gresham.

Smith and Kenney are determined to get a start and are willing to take several dozen young pups, and will train them to find their way to Jones' coops and bring home the baby chicks alive. They figure out that they can make a fortune out of the chickens and sell their dogs afterward at a good profit to others who may appreciate their training.

Reorganize the Club.

Those who are interested in the Gresham commercial club should make it a point to bet at Metzger's hall tonight for a reorganization. Matters of importance frequently come up that only a civic organization can look after, so it is necessary that renewed interest be taken in the club and its work.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 19th day of April, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m. I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash (subject to redemption), one black mare. Left hind foot white left front ankle crooked, age about four years, weight about 969 pounds.

Said animal was taken up by me on the 4th day of April, 1916.

JAS. MCKINNEY,

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NOTICE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon in and for Multnomah County.

G. W. Kenney, Plaintiff, vs. S. Hayashi and M. Hayashi, his wife, Defendants.

To S. Hayashi and M. Hayashi, his wife, defendants.

In the name of the state of Oregon you are hereby requested to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 20th day of May, 1916, which is more than six weeks after the 31st day of March, 1916, the day ordered for the first publication of this summons; and if you fail to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint; to-wit: for judgment against you for the sum of \$1600.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the first day of May, 1914, and for the further sum of \$160.00 attorney's fees, together with costs and disbursements of suit; that the mortgage set forth in plaintiff's complaint covering the south half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 15, Township One South, Range Four East of Willamette Meridian be foreclosed and said premises sold to satisfy said judgment as provided by law, and that you and all persons claiming under you be forever foreclosed and barred from claiming any interest in and to the property above described or any part thereof, and for such further relief as to the court may seem meet and agreeable in equity.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof for six successive weeks in the Gresham Outlook, a bi-weekly newspaper published in said county and state, by order of R. G. Morrow, judge of said court.

MILO C. KING,

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SYNOPSIS OF THE ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE UNION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

of Paris, in the Republic of France, on the 31st day of December, 1915, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

CAPITAL	
Amount of capital paid up	..... \$ 411,587.03
Net premiums received during the year	..... 31,941.67
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	..... 17,369.58
Income from other sources received during the year	..... 10,447.75
Total income	..... \$ 443,525.70
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net losses paid during the year	..... \$ 237,792.87
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	..... 133,061.68
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	..... 17,369.58
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	..... 10,447.75
Amount of all other expenditures	..... 10,447.75
Total expenditures	..... \$ 399,662.92
ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	..... 753,380.00
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	..... 100.00
Philadelphia Underwriters Assn. deposit	..... 87.75
Loans or mortgages and collateral, etc.	..... 151,588.85
Recoverable for re-insurance on paid losses	..... 114,804.13
Cash in banks and on hand	..... 10,234.90
Premiums in course of collection written since September 30, 1915	..... 8,000.00
Interest and rents due and accrued	..... 2,495.12
Total assets	..... \$1,035,245.70
Market value of special deposits in excess of corresponding liabilities	..... 2,495.12
Book value of ledger assets over market value	..... 32,257.02
Total assets admitted in Oregon	..... \$1,000,293.52
LIABILITIES	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	..... \$ 29,227.23
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	..... 349,954.08
Due for commission and brokerage	..... 37,886.85
All other liabilities	..... 8,000.00
Estimated amount hereafter payable for Federal, State and other taxes	..... 8,000.00
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock	..... \$ 435,198.67
Total premiums in force December 31, 1915	..... \$ 672,092.77
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Total insurance written during the year (net)	..... \$ 287,890.00
Gross premiums received during the year	..... 9,047.17
Premiums returned during the year	..... 2,950.63
Losses paid during the year	..... 4,788.42
Losses incurred during the year	..... 5,811.20
Total amount of insurance outstanding in Oregon December 31, 1915 416,747.00

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