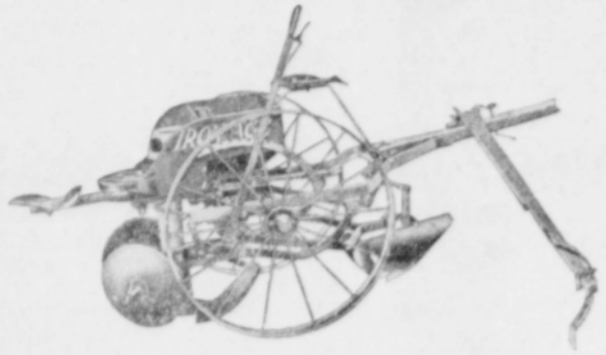


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THAT pleased me
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AND HERE it is
FRIEND ED: Believe me
I LIKE the old town
OF GRESHAM the best
BECAUSE of the fond
MEMORIES when you
AND Bill
AND Chalk
AND Hugh
AND A lot more
OF THAT bunch that
LIVE there, but that
ISN'T WHAT I started
TO WRITE about

YOU KNOW the last time
I WAS in Gresham
YOU SOLD me one of
THOSE KUPPENHEIMER suits
AND IT looks as good
AS THE day you
SOLD IT to me
AND THOSE Packard shoes
THAT I bought at
THE SAME time I guess
NEVER WILL wear out
I DON'T blame other
STORES for burning
MIDNIGHT oil and
DOING mental arithmetic
TRYING TO keep up
WITH THE pace you set
I THANK YOU.

LOCAL EVENTS OF INTEREST

Mrs. Inez Miller of Wilbur, Oregon, is seeking the nomination for county treasurer of Douglass county, not superintendent of school, as has erroneously been reported.

An 8½ pound daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson on Monday, April 24.

Mrs. D. M. Cathey and Miss Mary Cathey went to Portland today to attend the convention of the Holiness association, now in session.

Much interest is being manifested over the May Day preparations, which are well under way by the Freshmen of the high school. The festivities will begin at the close of the morning session of school on Monday, when the class "feeds" will be held. Following the dinner the May Day march will take place, participated in by all the girls of the high school, then will come the crowning of Miss Bonnie Horton as queen of May and athletic features. A large number of visitors is expected to be present. The Freshmen will have booths for the sale of refreshments and hope to add materially to the funds of the class.

Rev. R. D. Streyffeler, of Seattle, is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Plumlee. Rev. Mr. Streyffeler will remain over Sunday and preach at the Free Methodist church both morning and evening.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid society will hold its regular business meeting and social next Wednesday afternoon, May 3, with Mrs. Geo. W. Stapleton. The hostess will be assisted by Mrs. A. Dowsett and Mrs. C. M. Oliphant.

The Gresham lodge of Rebekahs held a well attended and interesting meeting in Odd Fellows hall last Monday night. Mrs. W. L. Walrad was received into membership by transfer. Several new members will be received at the next meeting. The Rebekahs are planning to go by special car to Estacada tomorrow night to a big anniversary meeting.

A society meeting of the Free Methodist church was held Tuesday afternoon when D. Cathey was elected delegate and F. L. Rugg alternate to annual conference of the church to be held in Central Free Methodist church, Portland, beginning May 10. Officers for the church for the coming year were elected as follows: Sunday school superintendent, Will Ogden; class leader, David Cathey; trustee, S. F. Pitts; stewards, Mrs. D. M. Cathey, Mrs. L. Rugg, Mrs. C. Taylor, Mrs. F. L. Rugg and Miss Minnie Robertson. A unanimous resolution of appreciation was voted the pastor, Rev. W. R. Plumlee, for his work with the church and his return for another year was requested.

Paul Eford celebrated his 21st birthday on Wednesday by a dinner party at his rooms on Fifth street.

The condition of Mrs. Harriet Thomas is reported to be somewhat improved. Bert Thomas has returned to his home in Toledo, Washington, after a few days' visit with his mother.

Mrs. A. J. McClung, of Boring, visited on Wednesday and Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Ella Aton.

Mrs. W. H. Waltman has a little patient from Ranier, Washington. She is the 13-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Osbourne, who had a fall recently, injuring her back and hips. Mrs. Waltman took the little sufferer to Portland and had X-ray pictures taken, which revealed no serious injury to the bones or joints. With rest and care the baby will soon be as well as ever.

The high school baseball team went to Portland Tuesday, where they crossed bats with Benson. Polytechnic team, inflicting a defeat on them. The score was 7 to 4. Gresham's battery was Emerson Brown and Ernest Quosinberry. The boys played Franklin on the home grounds this afternoon.

Clover Circle, Women of Woodcraft met with Mrs. W. E. Bates last Tuesday afternoon, and enjoyed a delightful gathering. After the business session Mrs. Bates served refreshments, which were unique, since the viands, as well as all table decorations carried out the lodge colors of red, white and green. Mrs. Bates and daughters, Beatrice and Phyllis, favored the company with music. Out-of-town members present were Mrs. A. Duncan and Mrs. Elizabeth Jack of Seaside. Ed. Metzger, manager of the Circle, was the only man present and received marked attention. The women think perhaps Ed. has a political bee in his bonnet, and are sure that if he has he will win, as every woman of the day was propitious.

E. V. Littlefield, republican candidate for the nomination to congress was in Gresham on Wednesday and called on the Outlook force while making the rounds of his prospective constituency here.

Today's delay in getting out the Outlook was due to a lack of power at almost the time of going to press. The thunder shower closed the electrical circuit for about an hour.

A Native Son.

B. C. Bonser, county surveyor of Multnomah county and republican candidate for re-election, is a descendant of two pioneer families. He was born on Sauvie Island in 1859 and has resided in Multnomah county since 1861. His early life was spent on a farm and his education was obtained principally in the country and city schools.

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The epicurean taste of the people of Paris requires annually 10,000,000 snails. Formerly when Burgundy was happy and not sulphurated by the vine growers it sent to Paris the greater part of these 10,000,000 snails demanded by the palates of the great city. But since Burgundy is struggling against the diseases that visit its vines and is obliged to use sulphates it is able to furnish only 250,000 snails. The sulphates cure the vines but kill the snails. When this reduction in the production of "snails in Burgundy" came about the Germans did not fail to profit by the situation and threw upon the Paris market, as a French paper says, "heavy squadrons of fat white snails." And now it is said that with the war this importation has stopped and unscrupulous called "little grays" which they sell French dealers buy empty white shells into which they put snails as snails of Burgundy!

The Most Used Library.

Close after the discovery that New York is the greatest city in the world comes the report that its public library is the most used library on earth. Its daily average number of readers is double that of the British Museum of London or the Bibliotheque Nationale of Paris, according to the report for 1915, just published, which says that 10,384,579 books were borrowed in the year and that 2,558,717 persons entered the central building at Fifth avenue and Forty-second street. The war has brought a great increase in the number of people who use the library for research. It has become, the director says, an immense laboratory for scientific investigation, particularly those seeking information regarding new industries.

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A Blowing Up.

"Now, Willie," said the teacher to a small pupil, "can you tell me what dynamite is used for?"
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Shipping at the port of Honolulu has increased considerably as a result of the opening of the Panama canal. Arrivals for 1915 were 591 vessels, as against 468 for 1914.

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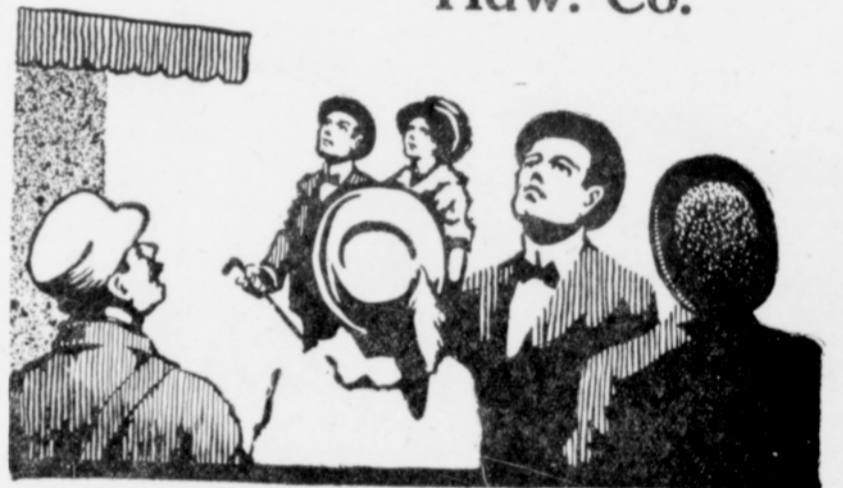
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