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LATOURELL'S NEW GARAGE UP TO DATE

Completion of the Latourell building has given Gresham the best appointed and most up-to-date garage in Multnomah county.

The building is built of hollow brick on a concrete foundation. It has a frontage of 51 feet on Powell street with another 45-foot front on Main street.

Besides the salesroom, and workshop there is the main office with a private office adjoining. A ladies' rest room in the east wing will be provided with a carpet, table and seats, and there is a bedroom off the gallery where the night man may sleep during the day.

The salesroom is about 40x75 feet and will be given over entirely to new cars when they can be had in sufficient numbers.

A series of lockers in the front of the main office will be used for small accessories, while the gallery is being fitted up with tables and boxes for Ford parts.

The boy was seen last playing in the yard about 3:30. When he was missed later a diligent search failed to find him until nearly 8 o'clock, when his body was found in the well which is 65 feet deep.

One specialty will be the washing of cars. For that purpose an arrangement has been provided that no one would suspect was intended for that purpose.

The entire building will be provided with both hot and cold water; a furnace and radiators are being installed.

Latourell & Son will occupy the new building tomorrow and in a few days will have all facilities for heavy repair work, including a traveling hoist, grinding machines, lathes, etc.

A gasoline tank to hold 550 gallons will be installed under the sidewalk and a new sidewalk will be built on the Main street front.

Other help for the present, will be Frank Bell, foreman, and Henry Averill. A fleet of Ford cars will be kept coming in as fast as possible, but for awhile it will be impossible to fill the room, owing to their quick demand.

Latourell & Son will retain their old place on Powell street as a vulcanizing and tire repair plant. It will be in charge of L. C. Turner, an expert in that line, who is already here to begin work.

A Rockland (Me.) woman closed her parasol and stopped for a chat in front of a neighbor's house. When the woman resumed her walk and reopened her parasol four quarters and a half-dollar fell out.

Six weeks ago Harry Thomas, age sixteen, of Allouez, Wis., broke his right leg. Two weeks ago Francis Thomas, age nineteen, a brother, broke his right leg, stepping out of a milk wagon.

New York is spending \$300,000,000 on subway construction.

M. E. CHURCH CLOSING CONFERENCE YEAR

An adjourned meeting of the fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was held on Monday evening for the purpose of completing the business of the year.

The following were elected trustees to serve for the ensuing year: O. I. Neal, James Lawrence, James Sterling, Thos. Wiles, D. E. Towle, A. R. Lyman, Lester Spencer, N. O. Fuller and Mrs. E. Linnemann.

Services will be held at the church next Sunday. The Sunday school will meet at 10 o'clock as usual. Preaching service will begin at 11.

BOY DROWNS IN WELL, FUNERAL HELD TODAY

Alpha Baslee, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Baslee, living on the former Anspach farm near Rockwood, was drowned in a deep well on Wednesday afternoon.

The marriage of Joseph Anderegg and Anna von Osten took place Saturday evening, September 23, at the home of the groom.

The house was tastefully decorated with cut flowers. The bride wore a gown of blue marquisette over blue taffeta and carried white roses.

A sumptuous wedding supper was served after the ceremony, to which about 75 guests were seated.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Anderegg will make their home here on the Eliza Stone place, where Mr. Anderegg conducts a successful dairy.

CHANGE OF POSTMASTER ON SUNDAY MORNING

D. M. Roberts received his commission as postmaster on Wednesday and has been familiarizing himself with the routine work of the post-office.

Walter Brown, who has been mail messenger between the depot and the postoffice for the past two years, has resigned and will be succeeded on Sunday by Glen Rusher.

Among the many philanthropic institutions of the Queen of Denmark is that for training young girls for service. In pursuance of this plan the head cook of the royal kitchen receives pupils in domestic art, and the very fact of having learned in the queen's kitchen is enough to insure a girl's finding constant employment.

To have been one of the mechanics who helped build the Monitor was a distinction of Peter A. Floyd, who recently died at LaGrande, Oregon.

Floyd served as a fireman on the frigates North Carolina and Pensacola during the civil war.

PREMIUMS TO BE AWARDED AT SANDY FAIR, OCTOBER 6

Sandy's community fair is set for Friday and Saturday, October 6th and 7th. All exhibits must be entered and in place in DeShazer's hall by 9:30 a. m. on Friday.

At 10:30 a school parade, led by the Sandy band will be held. Several district schools will take part, all marching on foot with no floats or rigs permitted.

At 2 o'clock there will be a literary program in Shelly's hall, and at 3:30 there will be a line of out-door sports and amusements.

Saturday's program will begin with a baby show at 9:30. At 10:30 the awarding of cash prizes will commence on all awards except for the races which will be paid in the afternoon as they are won.

Horse races and all the other races and sports will start at 1:30 p. m., Saturday, with A. C. Thomas in charge and the day will close with another dance in Shelly's hall under the direction of Mac Thomas.

All prizes will be paid in cash. Following is the premium list for adults over 18:

- Best collection of flowers, 1st \$2.00, 2d \$1.50.
Best general exhibit, 1st \$4, 2d \$3.
Grasses, 1st \$1.50, 2d \$1.
Grains, 1st \$1.50, 2d \$1.
Best collection vegetables—1st \$3, 2d \$2.
Six potatoes—1st \$1, 2d 75c.
Six carrots—1st 50c, 2d 75c.
Six rutabagas—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Six parsnips—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Six beets—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Three stalks celery—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Six kohlrabi—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Six ears sweet corn—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Fodder corn, 6 stalks—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Best pumpkin—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Best squash—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Best head cabbage—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
One stalk kale—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Six onions—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Best exhibit alfalfa—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Six turnips—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Apples, commercial pack—1st \$1.50, 2d \$1.00.
Apples, best display—1st \$5, 2d \$3.
Pears, best display—1st \$5, 2d \$3.
One loaf white bread—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
One loaf brown bread—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
One cake—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Jelly, 3 assorted—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Infant's dress, hand-made—1st \$1, 2d 75c.
Crochet—1st \$1, 2d 75c, 3d 50c.
Colored embroidery—1st \$1, 2d 75c, 3d 50c.
White embroidery—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Best exhibit fancy work—1st \$3, 2d 2.00.
Home-made rug—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Kitchen apron—1st 50c.
Artistic furniture—1st \$1.50, 2d \$1.
Best collection asters—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Temperance dahlias—1st 50c, 2d 25c.

TEMPERANCE UNION HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION

The local W. C. T. U. held its regular meeting in the library lecture room yesterday with a good attendance.

Annual reports to be read at the county convention, which convenes in Portland next Tuesday and Wednesday, were filled out.

Plans for the coming election campaign were discussed, the "brewers' wet amendment" receiving considerable attention, showing the ever present deception in liquor bills.

A series of lectures, on the amendments to be voted on, will probably be arranged in the near future for the education of the voter.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year. President, Mrs. Geo. F. Honey.

Vice President, Mrs. J. N. Clananah. Recording Secretary, Mrs. Karl A. Miller.

Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. W. F. Honey. Treasurer, Mrs. H. L. Westell.

Appointments of superintendents of the several departments were made, and plans for another year of usefulness discussed.

A bake sale to raise money to pay the expense of maintaining the W. C. T. U. free rest tent during the county fair, will be advertised later.

The women are urged to take their husbands to Ben Rollins to register. Registration closes Saturday next week.

Sell your goods by a Want Ad.

- Sweet peas—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Best collection of house plants—1st \$1.50, 2d \$1.
Three assorted pickles—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Canned fruit, 3 assorted—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Canned vegetables, 3 assorted—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Preserves, 3 assorted—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Horse, draft—1st \$2, 2d \$1.
Horse, driving—1st \$2, 2d \$1.
Stallion—1st \$5.
Colt, under 1 year—1st \$2, 2d \$1.
Tri-o of chickens—1st \$1, 2d 75c.
Best Jersey cow—\$3.00.
Best heifer calf—\$2.00.
Sheep—1st \$1.25, 2d 75c.
Pig, 3 to 6 months—1st \$1.25, 2d 75c.
Goat—1st \$1.25, 2d 75c.
In the juvenile class the following premiums are announced:
Best general exhibit—1st \$5, 2d \$2.50.
vegetable exhibit—1st \$3, 2d \$2.
Field corn—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Pop corn—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Sweet corn—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Best squash—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Best pumpkin—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Six potatoes—1st \$1, 2d 75c.
Best head cabbage—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Six kohlrabi—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Best stalk kale—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Six onions—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Six carrots—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Six mangles—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Six beets—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Three stalks celery—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Six rutabagas—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Six parsnips—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Best head cauliflower—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Bird house—1st \$1.25, 2d \$1.
Piece of furniture—1st \$1.50, 2d \$1.
One loaf brown bread—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
One loaf white bread—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
One cake—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Jelly, 3 assorted—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Canned fruit, 3 assorted—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Canned vegetables, 3 assorted—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Cotton dress—1st \$1, 2d 75c, 3d 50c.
Hand embroidered apron—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Plain apron, hand-made—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Mending—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Sweet peas—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Best collection asters—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Best collection house plants—1st \$1, 2d 50c.
Drawing, water color—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Drawing, pencil—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
Pigs, 3 to 6 months—1st, pair shoes given by Ditter, 2d \$1.50.
Three ducks—1st \$1, 2d 75c.
Chickens, 3 large—1st \$1, 2d 75c.
Chickens, 3 bantams—1st 75c, 2d 50c.
Pigeons, pair—1st 50c, 2d 25c.
A doll exhibit, divided into two classes under 12 years, and between 12 and 15 will be held with Mrs. J. E. Sinclair in charge.

A. J. Morrison is president and Mrs. Percy T. Shelley secretary. The admission will be 25 cents for both days to everything except the dances, for adults; children, 15 cents.

Miss Ethel Calkins, principal of the Lynch school, writes the Outlook an approving letter, commending the county fair, and giving a list of the awards won by the boys and girls of that district through the opportunity they had to enter the various contests.

"The fair board is to be commended for the opportunity which they gave to the boys and girls for partaking in the fair. Several of the schools had booths but the Lynch school children led in individual displays and prizes, both at the Gilbert and Gresham fair.

Four of the five boys who entered the cow-fighting contest won a purse of four-fifty apiece. Albert Hornecker won two first places in the pony races. Clark Koerner is now enjoying a week's trip at the boys' camp at Salem as a result of having won first place in the pig project.

"This interest shown is a result of a practical course in agriculture and an Industrial club which met during the summer.

Following is a list of the boys and girls who won prizes at the two fairs:

- Elizabeth Grant \$ 2.50
Grant McMillan 2.50
Alta Dalhammer 1.10
Irene Kummel 3.95
Mildred McGregor 2.00
Gertrude Borden .85
Arthur Grant 9.50
Quinton Kummel 5.50
Walter Zenger 4.50
Clark Koerner 12.00
Albert Hornecker 43.00
Total \$86.50

One hundred and fifty hosiery and knit goods mills in Philadelphia produce \$15,000,000 worth of material annually.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES BY COUNTY AGENT

Owing to the fact that the demand is so great for the extension specialists at the Oregon Agricultural College, who travel over the state helping the farmers along their special lines, a few new regulations have been made.

All appointments for extension specialists should be made to the county agricultural agent, and should be taken up with the county agent far enough in advance so that communications can be sent and returns received before the appointment or meeting is scheduled or advertised.

At the present time there is quite a demand for vetch seed for fall sowing. Any person having vetch seed for sale or wishing to buy should communicate with Mr. Hall at an early date.

It is about silo filling time and some farmers are beginning to get uneasy for fear of frost. This is unnecessary for the man with a silo is the one man who is frost proof. It is best to not be in a hurry but let the corn get well matured before putting in the silo.

C. J. LUNDQUIST IS SCHOOL CLERK

A special meeting of the voters of School District No. 4, Gresham, was held yesterday afternoon, at which C. J. Lundquist was elected school clerk to succeed D. M. Roberts, resigned.

Chairman Dowsett, of the school board, was the first person to "meet" at the school house. A little while later Will Stanley came in but the two felt that they could hardly do justice to the situation without some assistance so they hunted up Art Dixon, the janitor, and proceeded to hold the election.

Stanley nominated Mr. Lundquist; Dixon seconded the nomination. Stanley and Dixon acted as tellers and all three ballots were for Mr. Lundquist.

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CONTRACT LET FOR CARRYING STUDENTS

The Ford Quick Service was awarded the contract for carrying students to and from the union high school who live at a distance too great to walk.

Four of the jitneys are used morning and night, bringing the boys and girls from the four adjoining districts that are in the union. This service is free to the students living in the Union district, but those coming from the outside have to pay their own way.

REPUBLICAN RALLY WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The local republican club committee has arranged for a rally October 9th at Metzger's hall. Attorney A. E. Clark and County Assessor Henry E. Reed will address the audience on some of the live issues of the campaign.

Two additional rallies are being arranged for, to take place on the evenings of October 28th and November 4th—both on Saturday nights. The public is invited to all these meetings.

The output of natural abrasive materials in this country in 1915 was valued at \$1,662,955, according to figures given out by the United States geological survey.

Minnesota, which has kept a thrifty hand on many of its natural resources, will receive for a quarter just ended \$250,000 in royalties from iron ore mines, the money going to the permanent school and other state trust funds.

William Bennett, of Elkland, Pa., has sixty cousins in the British army.

DR. CHAPMAN DEFENDS THE SINGLE TAX

PORTLAND, Sept. 27.—Editor Outlook:—Your report of my talk at the Russellville grange was so fair that I do not like to bother you with any objections.

You say, "the state would take the rentals, thus practically confiscating the land to itself, yet permitting the owner to remain upon it as a tenant," and so forth. Now in my opinion this begs the question. My contention is that the state does not confiscate the land when it limits the tax to the unimproved rent. I contend that this is a great deal farther from confiscation than the ordinary method of taxation.

For this opinion I think I have the best of reasons and your mind appears to be so unprejudiced that I hope they may sometime impress you, though probably they will not at first. Let me remind you to begin with that the amendment would not change the owner's relation to his land in any tangible particular. He would still possess it exclusively, still buy, sell and transmit it by inheritance just as now.

But how about the man who does fail to pay his tax? What happens to him now? The state sells his land with all the improvements. He has nothing left of it and all the money he has sunk in improvements is actually confiscated. That happens regularly. But under the amendment while the bare, raw land would be sold for the delinquent tax, the improvements would not be sold.

I know that Mr. Veazie and others say that the improvements could not be secured to the owner when his land might be sold for taxes, but I can cite many samples which support my position. For instance the state of Washington sells none of its school lands. It rents them on leases which are put up at auction once in five years and sold to the highest bidder.

My time at Russellville was so short that I could only cover the subject sketchily and inadequately. Under more favorable conditions I believe it would be possible to prove that the amendment, if it were adopted, would reduce taxes for the farmers without impairing in the slightest degree their land titles.

Very respectfully, C. H. CHAPMAN.

PENDLETON IS IDEAL LOCATION FOR NORMAL

Pendleton, Ore.—Pendleton's claims for the establishment of a State Normal School are based upon the unusual advantages offered for such an institution. It is ideally located with respect to railroad facilities and in the center of the country which it will serve.

It offers a library of 12,000 volumes, to which are added 3000 annually, housed in a beautiful new building, erected at a cost of \$40,000. The largest athletic stadium in the Northwest, capable of accommodating 20,000 people; a natatorium, modern and equipped for the use of men and women, built at a cost of \$11,000; ample auditorium room for lyceum courses and lectures and a school system that is without equal in a city of its size.

Multnomah Grange Dance. At Orient hall, Saturday evening, September 30. Music by Beers orchestra. Good floor management. Tickets, 75 cents; supper 50 cents a couple.