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## HALLOWE'EN SPIRITS HELD HIGH REVELS

Hallowe'en was duly observed in Gresham and every function connected therewith was pulled off in a most recherche manner and with all the eclat made and provided for by the ghouls and goblins that hold sway on the night that is theirs for the one time each year when human beings are powerless to oppose them.

The impossible feats of ingenuity and strength that were revealed to the astonished gaze of all mortals upon the morning after could not have been done by mortal hands. They were the works of unseen immortals. No one has yet been found who saw the miraculous wonders performed, and yet it is said that numerous persons were on the streets from bedtime until dawn.

Strange sounds were heard by the terrified inhabitants, some of them resembling the coughing of an automobile, weird shapes were imagined by some who thought they saw something in the dull, yellow light of a cloud-hidden moon in its first quarter. But no one can speak with a certainty that they saw anything until the cold gray dawn of the morning showed them that their imaginings were a reality.

In the morning the populace saw—but some of them couldn't see their front gates. A lawyer's sign had been used by the goblins to locate his office in a high tree which no living person could climb. A big bench standing by the side of the drug store had been whisked away to the high school for the use of those who needed it worse than the drivers and patrons of the jitney cars; and there were other such happenings.

But the most remarkable stunt of the spooks was the erection in a fabled space of time of a new building. It was built against the fountain and was designed to represent Gresham's newest hotel. It had every convenience, including a barber shop and a lobby with a Wilson picture ornamenting a conspicuous place. Altogether it was ready to move into, but a "for sale" sign suggested that it wasn't in use just then.

The building itself had come from a back yard, showing that some superhuman power had moved it there, for mortals couldn't turn such a trick. The sign came from the Congdon hotel; the barber shop from Halligan's and the other furnishings from nowhere and everywhere. But no one can find out where the Wilson picture came from—at least no one has been bold enough to claim it.

It is reported that such things happened all over the whole country that night, so it is plain that the goblins did it all.

## REPUBLICAN RALLY AT SMITH'S THEATER

The Gresham republican club has arranged for a rally on Monday night at Smith's Scenograph theater. It will be free. Two good speakers, Don T. Orput and Judge Robert G. Morrow will speak. The theater will be open from 7:30 until 2 o'clock.

A picture program will be given in connection.



**GEO. M. McBRIDE** FOR COUNTY JUDGE

HE STANDS FOR

A Fair Chance and a Square Deal for the Erring Boy or Girl.

Efficient Handling of the Six Million Dollar Probate Business Yearly.

Justice Tempered with the Sunshine of Life.

Humanity, Above All.

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## MONDAY NIGHT REPUBLICAN RALLY

Addressed by **HON. DON T. ORPUT**, of the University of Wisconsin, on National Issues. **JUDGE ROBERT T. MORROW** and other local candidates. **Smith's Theater, 7:30 Sharp** Short Free Picture Program.

## TELEPHONE OWNERS TO GET NO DIVIDEND

Notice has been sent out to the two hundred and eighty odd owners of stock in the local telephone company that there will be no dividend this fall and that all of them must pay the full rental for their phones for the coming six months, the same as rental subscribers.

The reason given is that the directors fear a recurrence of a hard winter, with possibly a "silver thaw" and a raging blizzard to prostrate all the lines again. The storms last winter did untold damage which taxed the resources of the company to repair, and which have not all been made even yet.

## GRANGE OFFERS GOOD ENTERTAINMENT

The following program will be presented during the lecture hour at the regular meeting of the Fairview Grange next Saturday afternoon, November 4: Grange chorus, instrumental solo, Miss Lillie Luscher; monologue, Mrs. Janet M. Grant; solo, Mrs. Edwin Burlingame; address on co-operative marketing, A. F. Fleigel of Portland; solo, Miss Olive Zimmerman; reading, Mrs. Morgan of Portland; instrumental solo, Mrs. Jas. Dixon; reading, Mrs. Jessie Miller; closing remarks, Rev. I. B. Self. An invitation is extended to all to come and enjoy the program.

## LOCAL CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATURE

C. G. Schneider, attorney of Portland and Gresham, is candidate for state representative from Multnomah county. He has the endorsement of the affiliated German societies and will be supported by many prohibitionists. He is very well and favorably known in eastern Multnomah county, his mother, Mrs. Ella Schneider, living at Cottrell. He is a graduate of the law department of the state university and was admitted to the bar in 1913. Among other issues he stands for the state publication of public school text books to be sold to patrons at cost.

## EX-GOVERNOR WEST HERE MONDAY NIGHT

Ex-Governor Oswald West will be the principal speaker at the Woodrow Wilson rally to be held in Metzger's hall on Monday evening next. The hall will be open at 7:30 and the speaking will begin early. Good music has been engaged. Everyone is invited.

## Clute-Wilson.

Claude W. Clute, a well known young farmer of the Columbia slough, and Mrs. Louise Wilson of Rockwood were married at Vancouver on Wednesday. Yesterday they bought the William Rowen farm on the Rockwood road where they will make their future home and engage in dairying and farming.

## Bids Wanted.

The Board of Directors of Union High School Dist. No. 2, Multnomah county, Oregon, will receive bids for the construction and installation of a drainage system in accordance with plans and specifications now on file in the office of the clerk at Bank of Gresham.

All bids to be in the hands of the clerk by 4 p. m. Thursday, November 24, 1916.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
G. W. STAPLETON, Chairman.  
K. A. MILLER, Clerk.

Shingling and Lathing. Work done promptly and carefully. Ben Hillman, Fourth street, Gresham, between Robert and Hood.

## PROPOSITION IS WORDED TO MAKE FOOLS

"A fool is a man who is wise too late."

The Brewers' wet amendment was intentionally, carefully and ingeniously worded to make fools, but fortunately the home protectors of the state have had time to locate the old snake in the grass, which was supposed to have been banished from the state two years ago, and will apply the "315" strangle hold.

Vote 315 X NO Kill the Brewers' wet amendment. If the men will vote with their wives and mothers on this amendment we will have 50,000 dry majority, the breweries will be changed to flour mills, milk factories, tanneries and canneries, and, sunshine and smiles will return to the home to stay. Be wise.

Again, be wise, Congressman C. N. McArthur's proposition in the last issue of the Outlook is misleading. He knows, and we know, that the result of the "bone dry" amendment will not represent the wet and dry sentiment of Multnomah county, many of the drays will vote against it.

The result of the vote on the "Brewers' wet amendment" will show the true sentiment of this district. Why did Mr. McArthur not base his proposition on this amendment? There is a reason.

I have never met Ex-congressman Lafferty, the candidate the Oregonian calls a joke, but I want to say that his campaign platform looks good to a person who has had thirty years' experience in another dry state, and has observed the wonderful change and improvement in conditions in this county, due to prohibition, in the last ten months.

Once more. On Wednesday of this week four men in an auto, campaigning for a group of candidates, approached the W. C. T. U. ladies in the interest of Mr. Jackson, candidate for sheriff, saying that the Anti-Saloon League, and the Portland W. C. T. U. had endorsed him. Wishing to have the statements verified, the League, and Mrs. Mattie Sleeth, president of the county W. C. T. U., were phoned, and each disclaimed making such endorsements, saying that Sheriff Hurlbert was very satisfactory.

It is just as important to have officers who will enforce the law, as it is to have the law.

We think of Sheriff Hurlbert as a part of the prohibition law, not that he is over zealous, but his office is doing its full duty, and we who are desirous of seeing the prohibition law have a fair trial, can't afford to allow any argument to induce us to vote for a doubtful candidate at this time.

Don't fail to vote for Hurlbert and Evans, they are the two officers who are setting the pace for the state.

County Attorney Walter H. Evans has no opposition on the ticket. The wets know that defeating him would be as hopeless as trying to drive a pig in the direction you wanted him to go.

Vote 315 next Tuesday if it costs you an undertaker's bill, you will at least have something to your credit. **GEO. F. HONEY.**

## Sufferer from Indigestion Relieved.

Before taking Chamberlain's Tablets my husband suffered for several years from indigestion, causing him to have pains in the stomach and distress after eating. Chamberlain's Tablets relieved him of these spells right away," writes Mrs. Thomas Casey, Geneva, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

## VOTE X 90



**C. G. SCHNEIDER**

For

REPRESENTATIVE

18th Dist. Multnomah County

State Publication of Public School Text Books to be Sold at Cost

Paid Adv.

## REPUBLICANS CAUTIONED TO BE VIGILANT

PLEASANT VALLEY, Oct. 30.—Editor Outlook:—Next Tuesday tells the story and the time is growing short in which to say a good word for Charles Evans Hughes whose election to the president's chair spells prosperity and peace for our country.

Many voters are still on the fence yet and do not know which side to fall on. Every loyal Republican should get busy and keep busy until twelve o'clock Monday night to get these doubting voters to vote right. Do not waste any time trying to convince the hide-bound democrat.

Miss Grace Kesterson and her brother Glen have returned from a two weeks' visit with their sister, Mrs. Parks Combs, who resides near Clatskanie.

H. C. Restorff has returned from a trip to the Trout lake region, Washington, where he has been for the past few weeks looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sager and son Clyde, Jr.; visited for a couple of days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Campbell.

J. W. Frost, Sr., is spending a few days this week with Thos. Ellingham at Mt. Tabor.

H. A. Lewis, of Russellville, was a valley visitor last Saturday in the interests of his candidacy for joint state senator for Multnomah, Clackamas and Columbia counties.

John Chitwood was in Gresham on Tuesday looking after business matters.

The carpenters, with the assistance of a number of patrons of the school, are making rapid progress with the erection of the children's play shed.

Mrs. J. S. Donaldson gave the little folks a Hallowe'en party Tuesday evening.

G. N. SAGER.

## Hallowe'en Party.

The Hallowe'en party given by the Parent-Teachers' association Wednesday evening was certainly a success, both socially and financially. The committee in charge deserves much credit for its efficient work. The children's part gave the Hallowe'en note to the program and showed much careful training on the part of the teachers. They looked so pretty, and did their little stunts so well. The vaudeville sketch by Howard and Thompson, of the Crawford company, delighted the audience and the closing number, a comedy, "Not a Man in the House," was very cleverly given by the following ladies, Mrs. John Larson, Mrs. L. A. Harlow, Mrs. A. D. Kendall, Mrs. Arthur Van DeWalker and Miss Salina Fox. These numbers were interspersed with clever character monologues, G. P. Lumsden as a negro preacher, and Miss Marguerite Bailey as the village gossip, and delightful solos by Salina Fox and Mr. Fernbacher. Candy was sold during the evening, and the refreshments were \$22.00 were taken in. The scenery and stage arrangement by the Crawford's added a great deal to the success of the program.

## Death of Joseph E. Ball.

Joseph E. Ball, a farmer living near Damascus, died at his home on Wednesday. He was 69 years of age. Funeral services were held this forenoon in the Damascus church.



**JOS. W.**

**BEVERIDGE**

REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR

County Clerk

Number 116 on Ballot

Paid Adv.

## MONDAY NIGHT DEMOCRATIC RALLY

Addressed by **EX-GOV. OSWALD WEST** Metzger's Hall, 7:30 Sharp. Good Music.

## FELL INTO A WELL BUT WAS UNINJURED

Mrs. Will Hessel had the terrifying experience of breaking through the rotten covering over an unused well on Tuesday last at her own home opposite the schoolhouse, and only through good fortune was she saved from great injury and perhaps a worse fate.

The well had been covered over with boards which had rotted so that they at last gave way beneath the weight of a medium sized woman who probably walked over them a hundred times or more. She fell through to her arm pits but was held suspended by the other boards on each side of her, and was rescued with difficulty from a terrible fall of nearly twenty feet into deep water.

The well was dug when the house was built some years ago to get water for building purposes, and was then covered over. No one seemed to think that it was a dangerous trap and its fill had been neglected so long that it was almost forgotten.

Mrs. Hessel's escape is the narrowest one noted for a human being from death in an old well, but at least three animals have been killed by falling into them in this vicinity within the past five or six years. Such death traps are a menace to life but they exist in numerous places everywhere.

## LAYING GAS MAIN TOWARD GRESHAM

Gas mains are on their way to Gresham and in a few weeks the flow of gas will follow. Last Saturday a crew of men began digging a trench along the north side of the Base Line road, commencing at Ventura Park near the seven-mile post. That suburb has been having gas for a year or more. The distance from there to the center of Gresham is about seven miles.

Pipe laying began on Monday and is now a mile this way. Distribution of pipe has been made all this week from Ruby Junction where several carloads were set out, and the pipe is distributed all the way to twelve-mile corner.

It is reported that the course of the pipe from the Base Line will be along Stanley avenue and Wallula avenue to Powell street, thence down Powell to the center of the town. The pipe on Main street was laid at the time that street was hard surfaced and service pipes were run to the curbs every fifty feet. The company will make a canvass for subscribers in a short time, hoping to get 175 consumers. If that number sign up for service the rate will be the same as in Portland.

## A FRIEND OF THE FAIR.

Multnomah county will have the privilege of returning D. C. Lewis to the legislature at the coming election. He did good service at the last session and was rewarded with another nomination. His duties at Salem were exacting, but that did not prevent him from favoring low appropriations and safe legislation for the protection and development of the best interests of the entire state.

His experience at the last session, where he was on important committees, qualifies him to secure the right legislation for this district. Mr. Lewis is a warm friend of the county fair and promises along with John M. Mann and several others who will no doubt be elected in Multnomah county, to see that the fair gets its share of the fair fund raised by taxation in this county.

The Outlook bespeaks for Mr. Lewis a heavy majority and has no doubt of his election.

## DANIEL WEBSTER IN GRESHAM SATURDAY

Daniel Webster, the well known traveling salesman for Heitz products, will demonstrate 6g puddings and plum puddings at A. W. Metzger's store on Saturday from 1 to 5. The ladies of Gresham and vicinity are invited to visit the store and sample the delicious puddings which he will serve.

Pie Social and Cards. Rockwood Rebekah lodge will give a pie social and card party at the Rockwood Grange hall on Wednesday evening, November 8. Everyone is invited. 72

Bargains in the Want ads.

## SECRETARY SAYS SWING HAS STARTED

"George M. McBride will be the next county judge," declared Secretary Smith of the McBride campaign committee. "The swing started in for Mr. McBride two weeks ago and it has been going with more momentum daily. Assurances are being given him of his election from every section of the city and county. The women are particularly active individually and through their organizations for Mr. McBride.

Mr. McBride is running as an Independent and non-Partisan. He was elected to the state senate as joint senator from Multnomah, Clackamas and Columbia counties two years ago by a majority of almost 20,000. After his nomination for county judge, he resigned his seat in the state senate to accept the new honor.

Mr. McBride is the son of Thomas A. McBride, associate justice of the Oregon supreme court. He is forty years old and has led an active life, making his own way from the family farm on Deer Island to high rank at the Portland and Oregon bar. Mr. McBride comes of sturdy Scotch stock. His grandfather, Rev. Dr. James McBride, was among the first settlers in this state, preaching as a missionary of the Christian church and practicing his profession of medicine.

George McBride is a man of broad sympathy, able and worthy. He is a man of vision—just the sort of man that the people are seeking to put in a place of high trust. He is a man also of ripe judgment and careful deliberation. He has assurance of support from the bulk of the local bar. His friends say he is the ideal man for county judge.

## W. A. PROCTOR FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

W. A. Proctor, almost a resident of Gresham, is the regular republican nominee for commissioner of Clackamas county. The voters over the line are rallying to his support irrespective of party and there is little question that he will be elected. His sterling qualities have been his recommendation and his friends in this county are regretting that they are unable to give him any assistance other than best wishes and a good word whenever one was considered necessary.

## Card of Thanks.

Gresham lodge No. 152, A. F. & A. M. wishes to thank the brothers of Sandy lodge for their kindly assistance in laying at rest a brother, W. H. Boyd of Umatilla lodge No. 49 of Echo, Oregon. Brother Boyd was a retired merchant of Echo and a long time and personal friend of Brother Congdon. He has a son, Thomas Boyd, who is a passenger conductor running between Portland and Pendleton on the O. W. R. & N. Again thanking all the brothers, we remain, fraternally,  
L. L. KIDDER, W. M.  
WILL METZGER, Sec'y.

## Earl Beegle Dead from Tuberculosis

Earl Beegle, son of W. E. Beegle, died this morning at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beers, after an illness of several months from tuberculosis, aged 16 years, 10 months and 3 days. The funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 o'clock at the Methodist church, with interment in the Gresham cemetery.

## Get Your Goods by a Want Ad.



The Choice of the People at the Primaries - was

**GEORGE TAZWELL** FOR COUNTY JUDGE

He was nominated by the parties and received more votes than did all other persons for that office.

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