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MORE FARM BUREAU COMMITTEES APPOINTED

This has been a busy week of farm bureau meetings in the neighboring districts. The spring weather has hurried the farmers into preparation for bumper crops. At Beaver Bend a large meeting was held recently in the schoolhouse. Committees were appointed as follows, crops, Robert Kerslake; drainage, John Burns; lime, James Burns; poultry, J. H. Bush; livestock, A. H. Burns; farm records, John Strehlin, G. W. Alder was the presiding chairman. A carload of lime has been ordered by the Victory district farmers.

John Gill, master of Russellville grange, presided at the farm bureau meeting in grange hall on Saturday night, appointing Charles Wicklander, crop chairman; lime, B. C. Corbett; poultry, Mr. Foust; horticulture, H. J. Mickelson; and farm records, R. J. Foster.

Wednesday evening the Lents farm bureau met at Gilbert school with E. M. Calkins in the chair. Committeemen are H. Klink, crops; L. S. Ellerman, soils; E. M. Calkins, poultry; Donald Furry, lime, and C. J. Pankhouser, horticulture.

Powell Valley district is another that has placed an order for a carload of lime. At their meeting Monday night the following men took hold of the farm bureau projects: Carl Nelson, lime; P. A. Johnson, crops; Wm. Peterson, drainage; Frank Gustafson, livestock, and J. Nelson, horticulture.

At a meeting at Orient school last night a committee composed of B. C. Altman, C. H. Johanson, A. F. Chase and Principal Quicksall, was appointed to arrange for a community farm bureau meeting in the near future.

REGNER'S HALL HAS CHANGED HANDS

Masonic hall is the name by which Regner's hall at Second and Main streets will be known in the future. At the stated business meeting of Gresham lodge A. F. & A. M. held on Tuesday evening the lodge members listened to a report from Karl Miller and then voted to lease the hall from A. W. Regner for a term of three years.

Beside holding the meetings of the Masonic and Eastern Star lodges there, the hall, which is the largest and newest in Gresham, will be available for public gatherings of any nature. A committee composed of W. R. Burke, John Cannon and Karl Miller will have charge of the rental arrangements.

Thank Offering Meeting.

The annual thankoffering meeting of the Ladies' Aid and Women's Home Missionary societies of the Methodist church will be held at the W. R. Burke residence on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

Miss Nellie Curtiss, head of the Deaconess Home, in Portland and Miss Waldfoegel, who has lived at the home for some time and has been prominent in that work, will speak upon the activities of the Deaconess Home association.

Mrs. Burke will be assisted in serving afternoon tea by Miss Mina Gilbert, Mrs. James Sterling, Mrs. George F. Honey, and Mrs. F. Peak.

Three hundred baby chicks for immediate sale. H. W. Coley, phone 434.

GRESHAM LOCALS

R. H. Todd is working his own farm again this spring, after having rented it for five years. He travels back and forth daily and is deriving much pleasure from the work.

Claude Elford of North Plains, Oregon, visited his cousins Mrs. C. M. Zimmerman and Miss Esther Elford on Wednesday. Mr. Elford has just returned from service in France.

Mrs. L. Arthur, who has been quite ill for several days, is reported improved in health. Her young son Chester who was here for several days for a visit with his mother and sisters has returned to school in the Lents section.

Otto Magnuson is reported critically ill at the family home here.

Mrs. A. J. McClung, of Boring, is spending a fortnight in Portland visiting with her husband and son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burke are staying at the H. H. Ott home during the absence of Dr. Ott and John, who accompanied the remains of Mrs. Ott to her old home in Kansas for interment.

The usual services will be held at the Methodist church on Sunday. At the morning service, Sergeant Guy Jones will be the soloist. Miss Eva Tacheron is the leader for the Epworth League meeting in the evening at 6:30.

Jack Zilm, who went to California several weeks ago in company with his cousin, Byron Bell, greeted Gresham friends in Portland early this week. He was on his way to Bend, Oregon, where Mrs. Zilm and Baby Maxine have been staying during his absence.

Mrs. G. B. Belt had as a guest on Tuesday night Mrs. George Flower, of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cone and son Raymond of Lone Rock, Oregon have been the guest for several days this week of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Thompson. Mrs. Cone is a niece of Mrs. Thompson.

J. T. Meloy and wife, of Hillsboro, visited on Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Kern.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Catherwood of Hannah, North Dakota, who are spending the winter in Portland and other Pacific Coast cities, visited for a few days with the families of W. F. and George F. Honey and D. E. Towle. They were all former neighbors in North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crane have returned from Camp Lewis, where their son, Lieutenant Fred Crane is ill in the base hospital. They report him improving and that he is expected home soon. Mr. and Mrs. George Crane also visited their brother at Camp Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Honey have received a letter from their son, John, dated February 12 and stating that he was promised his discharge in a month from that date. He planned to take his discharge at Paris and to spend a year in study at Oxford University. He had completed his junior year at Leland Stanford University when he enlisted.

Frank Heiney is building a garage on his Roberts avenue property that is occupied by the Thompson family.

Brown and Cleveland report the sale of the seventeen acre Richard Beadle farm to J. Courtney of Portland.

W. R. Burke has recovered all the goods stolen from his jewelry shop last month. It was held as evidence by the police and has just now been returned to his stock of merchandise.

Small William Ott who has been seriously ill with bronchial pneumonia, is reported to be very much better.

Mrs. L. F. Osborne's home on Powell Street has been sold to Dr. Adix, who will bring his family here from

Mrs. Andrew Brugger underwent a serious operation at St. Vincent's hospital in Portland on Wednesday. Dr. Sternberg, assisted by the family physician Dr. Barr, attended the patient, who is reported very weak but improving. She is not yet out of danger and Mr. Brugger goes back and forth to the hospital daily. During Mrs. Brugger's absence their daughter Gertrude is staying at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. Schwedler, in Gresham.

The Rebekahs are holding weekly practice of the lodge work on Wednesday evenings in I. O. O. F. hall on Powell Street.

Notice.
On Tuesday evening, March 18 at 8:45 p. m. in the I. O. O. F. hall the ladies of Gresham Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will entertain the members of Gresham lodge No. 152, A. F. & A. M. All Masons with their wives, and grown members of the family, also visiting members of both orders are cordially invited.
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NO. 135

At Gresham, Oregon, at the close of business March 4th, 1919.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$213,761.31
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	60.14
Bonds and warrants	64,342.14
Stocks, securities, judgments, etc.	160.00
Banking house	25,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	4,268.18
Other real estate owned	2,550.00
Due from banks (not reserve banks)	134.48
Due from approved reserve banks	118,797.13
Checks and other cash items	309.23
Exchanges for clearing house	278.78
Cash on hand	21,676.10
Other resources	20.00
Total	\$451,357.49
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,273.36
Postal savings bank deposits	2,998.90
Individual deposits subject to check	205,564.92
Demand certificates of deposit	4,101.67
Cashier checks outstanding	1,729.57
Certified checks	300.00
Time and savings deposits	180,389.07
Total	\$451,357.49

State of Oregon, County of Multnomah, ss.
I, C. J. Lundquist, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
C. J. Lundquist, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1919.
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