

CONSOLIDATION DEBATE ENGAGES GRADE SCHOOL

The fate of one piece of much-discussed legislation, the county unit bill, or senate bill 45, as it is still designated, was definitely decided at Gresham grade school Friday afternoon, when the members of the graduating class debated the merits of the measure. Two strong teams handled the question, with the decision of the judges, Mrs. Myers, Miss Hagerman and Miss Mabel Arthur going to the affirmative. All of the speeches showed a thorough study of the situation and much painstaking preparation. Standing out as especially good were the arguments of Lewis Maulding and William McAllister, who handled the rebuttal for the affirmative and negative respectively. The winning team was composed of Jeanette Dowsett, Lewis Maulding, Alden Miller, Myrtle Rusher, and Dorothy Hamilton. Presenting the negative were Maurice Brown, William McAllister, Alice Peterson, Francis Peak, and Doris Zimmerman.

Pleasant Home Sunday School.

The Pleasant Home Methodist Sunday school is increasing in membership and interest under the leadership of the superintendent, G. H. Bickford, and a corps of efficient teachers. The board recently voted to place the Sunday school in the 100 percent centenary honor roll, thus assuming one eighth of the entire quota of the charge. A monthly program will be given under the direction of the missionary superintendent. Decision day was observed last Sunday, when about a score of the membership made definite promise to lead the Christian life. Interesting sessions of the school are held each Sunday, in which you are invited to join.



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TROUTDALE

Jess Coons gave a unique dinner party Monday evening of last week, in the bachelor home of himself and Herman Blaser, in honor of Miss Faye Leopold, who leaves today for her home in Kansas. The principle dish of the dinner was chicken mulligan, bachelor style, and the guests' places at the table were marked by a smoked smelt adorned with a red ribbon bow, with a place card in his mouth. Besides the host and the guest of honor, the invited company included Mrs. Ed. DuPuis, Mrs. Mary Parsons, Mrs. L. A. Harlow, Mr. and Mrs. W. Robinson of Vancouver, Misses Olive Wilson, Belle Parsons, Isabel Low, Messrs. Gorge and Russell Wilson, Victor Holm, and Herman Blaser.

Last week Miss Nellie Curtis of the deaconess home in Portland invited the Troutdale Ladies' Aid to attend Good Friday services at the home. Those who were able to go were Mrs. L. A. Harlow, Mrs. Mary Parsons, Miss Faye Leopold, Mrs. J. A. Larson and Mrs. Wm. Crawford. They report a wonderfully beautiful visit, and hope to go again whenever opportunity offers.

The entertainment last Tuesday evening in the interests of the thrift campaign and industrial clubs, was very interesting and well attended. The program given by the school children was exceedingly well rendered, and reflected much credit on the teachers and pupils. A flag exercise by the primary pupils was beautiful to see, and both that and the thrift songs by all the pupils were rendered with precision and vim that spoke well for the patriotism of the school. Mr. Alderson and Miss Ethel Calkins spoke on the subjects of thrift stamps and industrial club work, showing slides of children engaged in sewing, pig, sheep and poultry raising and other forms of club work.

The Easter exercises Sunday evening at the church were fine and in keeping with the day. The children of the Sunday school gave songs and recitations, and Mr. Cotton, the minister, sang a solo in fine voice, and his Easter address was good and well taken. Mrs. Harlow and Mrs. Larson concluded the program with a duet "Over the Stars There is Rest."

Ico Fujiyama, a Japanese girl, 12 years old, died last Wednesday of tuberculosis, at her home on the Sundial ranch. She was an exceptionally bright girl and had attended the Troutdale school four years, where she was a great favorite, being blessed with a beautiful disposition.

Mrs. Ruth Brink returned to her home in Troutdale Sunday, after several months' employment in Portland.

Our boys keep returning. Portus Hatfield came recently from a southern camp.

Mrs. L. A. Harlow entertained a few friends yesterday afternoon for Miss Faye Leopold. The guest of honor was in an auto accident early in the day, and was considerably bruised, but was able to attend the party.

Troutdale school dismissed Monday afternoon and all went in to see the flying circus. Of those children who did not go with their parents, Mrs. Will Wright chaperoned 17 in one party. Jas. Thompson took in a crowd and the teachers, Principal Bradley and Mrs. Grant, hired an auto and took all the rest.

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Bargains in the want ads.

MEDICAL TEMPERANCE TOPIC OF W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a social meeting at the home of Mrs. Ella Oliphant on Hood avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

The principle subject for discussion will be "Medical Temperance" led by Mrs. Richard Beadle, superintendent. There will also be a short study on the Oregon Blue Book, topic, "Qualifications of Voters," conducted by the president, Mrs. Geo. F. Honey.

Refreshments will be served and a silver collection taken.

Those who will assist Mrs. Oliphant in serving are Mrs. E. E. Welling, Mrs. W. E. Beagle and Mrs. Theod. Brugger. A hearty welcome is extended to all.

BORING

Mr. and Mrs. V. Vidolin, daughter, and their sister, Miss Gladys Kunich, spent Easter Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Vinzant.

A number of our representative citizens went to Gresham to hear the discussion on the Mt. Hood Loop.

Voters from road district No. 51 are interested in the proposed extension of hard-surface road. Last Friday evening they went to Damascus and met with the boosters. To say that the meeting was a warm one is stating it correctly. Another meeting will be held Friday, May 2, when the proposition will be considered further. It will be well worth attending.

Boring Rebekah lodge No. 213 at their last session transacted a great deal of business. New officers were nominated, initiation was given, and delegates to Grand Lodge elected. Mrs. McBain and Mrs. Morand will go to Salem to represent the Boring lodge.

Mrs. W. F. Carey and little daughter, Glen Olive, spent a few days with Mrs. E. A. Bryan, of Sunnyside.

Mrs. Jno. Myers has been enjoying a visit of her daughter, Mrs. Richie, and her two little children.

Mrs. Wright and her daughter have returned from a two years' absence in Chicago. They are now on what used to be the Cross farm.

It is not surprising that folks come back to Oregon—the state that has no failure in crops and no extremes in wind or weather. Yet, one wonders what Dan Erdman of Sandy Ridge would say about the wind. Last Saturday's "gentle breeze" blew his silo over, making it a complete wreck.

Fritz Boese gave his folks a surprise by dropping in for supper Saturday evening. He has received his discharge and expects soon to be "just one of us."

CORBETT

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Pounder died Friday afternoon. The funeral was held from the home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed. Wilson is in a Portland hospital, recovering from an operation.

Principal Lella Lasley Thompson, Mrs. Emily Jackson and Mrs. Clara Smith attended O. E. S. chapter at Troutdale Saturday evening.

Whooping Cough.

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Troutdale O. E. S. Host.

Troutdale chapter of the Eastern Star was host to the officers and members of Gresham lodge Saturday night. Four initiations into the Troutdale order were followed by a sumptuous spread. In response to greetings from Mrs. Noreen, worthy matron of Troutdale chapter, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cameron responded for the visitors, Mrs. Lillian Young, grand Esther of the order, also addressed them. Among those who motored over from Gresham were Messrs. and Mesdames B. F. Cameron, O. A. Eastman, K. A. Miller, Geo. Honey, Will Hessel, J. C. Schultz, R. R. Carlson and Mesdames Charles Powell, S. B. Hall, James Elkington, J. N. Clanshan, L. L. Kidder and E. J. Metzger.

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LOAN WORKERS IN HARNESS

Plans for handling the Victory Loan in eastern Multnomah county have been worked out and the committees named. The State Central committee telephoned A. Meyers late Saturday evening stating that Gresham would be expected to handle the territory east of the Rockwood road and west of the Sandy river, extending from the Clackamas county line to the Columbia river, and that the same should be covered by school districts.

Mrs. H. E. Poppleton has been assigned to the Pleasant Valley district in Multnomah county. Mr. William Teggart has been assigned the Rockwood district east of the Rockwood road, extending to the Andrews road and from the Section Line road to the Columbia river. The Fairview district has been assigned to R. R. Morrill, and the Troutdale district to Mrs. L. A. Harlow. Mr. Lester Spencer will look after the sale of bonds in School District No. 8, while Mr. G. W. Kenney and Mr. Benjamin Cameron will cover the Gresham school district. Mr. C. C. Witter will look after that portion of District No. 83, Joint, in Multnomah county, and Mr. Thorvald Anderson will take charge of the Powell Valley district No. 26. Mr. H. W. Cooley will solicit district No. 49, known as the Victory school; Mr. E. A. Stafford will have charge of District No. 10, known as Cedar school; Mr. A. R. Goger will take charge of School District No. 15, known as Lusted school, while Mr. C. M. Quicksall will handle all that portion of No. 6, Joint, in Multnomah county.

The campaign will close May 10. The loan is the largest yet placed by the government, being for \$4,500,000. Bonds will be dated May 20, 1919, and mature May 20, 1923. Two series will be issued, one for 4% interest, exempt from all taxes except estate and inheritance taxes and Federal income taxes. The 3% bonds are exempt from all taxes except estate and inheritance taxes. Either of these series may be redeemed at the option of the United States on June 15 or December 15, 1922.

Installment payments will be required as follows: 10% with application, 10% on July 15, 1919, 20% on August 12, 1919, 20% on September 9, 1919, 20% on October 7, 1919, 20% on November 11, 1919.

The Federal Reserve Bank at San Francisco states that it hopes to be able to make delivery of Bonds promptly when paid in full.

Robert Sloop Seriously Hurt.

Robert Sloop, the 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Sloop, of Pleasant Home, was seriously hurt on Sunday afternoon, when he fell from the hay mow in the barn of his uncle, C. H. Sloop, where he was playing with his young cousins. In falling the child hit the back of his head on a station, and fractured the skull from back to front. He was immediately taken to Good Samaritan hospital in Portland and early the next morning he regained consciousness and is now doing well. His mother is with him constantly at the hospital.

Humane Week.

This is humane week. Kindness to animals and thought for their comfort are being talked about in the schools and libraries of the county. Water for your dog in warm weather, and at all times fresh water; salt for your sheep; patience in training young animals that they develop into steady useful creatures rather than nervous, irritable ones—these are the thoughts of the week.

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INDUSTRIAL CLUB LECTURE AT POWELL VALLEY

County Superintendent Alderson and Miss Ethel Calkins held one of their entertaining stereopticon lectures at Powell Valley school last night. It was great sport. Not that old stuff of Eastern Oregon strangers raising sheep and goats. Boys and girls from nearby schools were shown at their club work. You could find a friend or neighbor in every slide. Needless to say, the talk was enthusiastically received.

One amusing incident occurred to enliven the already hilarious meeting. After Miss Ethel Calkins had shown several pictures of a boy wonder repeatedly calling him "Donald Grant of Fairview, Emery Keller, who had recognized himself in the slide, spoke up in meeting and explained to Miss Calkins that the boy champion was Emery Keller of Powell Valley. Wild applause! Donald and Emery are both fine examples of the good school work of eastern Multnomah county.

An attractive number of the program was the reciting of the poem "Beautiful Willamette" by Mr. Alderson, with stereopticon slides to illustrate it, by Miss Calkins. Lillie Nelson gave an excellent four-minute thrift talk and several songs were rendered by the boys and girls of the Powell Valley school industrial clubs.

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