

ALTMAN'S JERSEY SALE DRAWS BIG CROWD

The B. C. Altman sale of registered Jerseys, last Saturday, drew the largest crowd of Jersey enthusiasts at any sale of recent date. Mr. Altman's wide reputation as a Jersey breeder brought eager buyers from all over Oregon and the state of Washington.

R. A. Clark of Troutdale and Portland was a heavy buyer, purchasing what was probably the best cow in the lot, Queen Belle of Ingleside, at \$1700, and two other cows in addition. Mr. Clark is building up a dairy farm near Troutdale, selecting the choicest specimens of the finest Jerseys that can be had. The Altman herd, in the opinion of good judges, was considered the best herd in the state considering type combined with production.

C. H. Johanson of Gresham bought two fine cows, Empress La Belle and Oxford Lad's Girl, paying \$965 for them.

Grace Arlyn, another fine Jersey was bought by A. Kronenberg of Fairview for \$305. The highest priced Jersey bull went to Heppner, Oregon, purchased by L. A. Hunt who also bought a cow and two-year heifer, the three aggregating the sum of \$1145.

Below is a record of the sales made:

COWS

Even Queen Import No. 266591 for \$105 to Roger Lee, Oswego, Oregon. Queen Belle of Ingleside No. 346251 for \$700 to R. A. Clark, Troutdale, Oregon.

Empress LaBelle No. 345416 for \$525 to C. H. Johanson, Gresham.

Empress Dorothy No. 427506 for \$300 to H. H. Samuels, Portland, Ore.

Heller's Queen Maid No. 427547 for \$350 to H. H. Samuels, Portland, Oregon.

Lady Jamison of Ingleside for \$480 to Ed. Walters, Auburn, Washington.

Fussy Fern's Noble Lady No. 355745 for \$675 to Wm. Behrman, Jr., Cornelius, Oregon.

Fussy Fern's Ladybug No. 427550 for \$365 to L. A. Hunt, Heppner, Ore.

Ingleside Oxford Girl No. 427548 for \$350 to R. A. Clark, Troutdale.

Oxford Lad's Girl No. 355744 for \$440 to C. H. Johanson, Gresham.

Leva's Irene of Ingleside No. 427392 for \$225 to Isaac Staples, Portland, Oregon.

Lady Allis of Ingleside No. 276687 for \$405 to Jas. Van Tassel, Yankton, Oregon.

Grace Arlyn No. 427549 for \$305 to A. Kronenberg, Fairview, Oregon.

Eminent's Lady of S. B. No. 321598 for \$285 to W. S. Newlin, Yankton, Oregon.

BULLS

St. Heller's Lad of Ingleside No. 132200 for \$475 to L. A. Hunt, Heppner, Oregon.

LaBelle's Noble Fern No. 171061 for \$300 to A. C. Power, Sandy, Ore.

Heller's Pride of Ingleside for \$150 to J. G. Rathburn, Ridgefield, Washington.

Queen's Golden King for \$150 to R. A. Clark, Troutdale, Oregon.

One-month-old Golden Lad of Ingleside to Isaac Staples, Portland.

HEIFER CALVES

Ingleside Nona Belle for \$180 to J. H. Fitzgerald, Boring, Oregon.

Empress Lass of Ingleside for \$180 to H. H. Samuels, Portland.

Oxford Lass of Ingleside for \$90 to Roger Lee, Oswego, Oregon.

Heller's Bright Prospect for \$135 to J. H. Fitzgerald, Boring, Oregon.

Two-year Irene's Princess Jacoba for \$305 to L. A. Hunt, Heppner, Oregon.

Heller's Sweet Lass for \$100 to Clifford Reid.

Grade School Items.

At 11 o'clock this forenoon, the grade pupils and teachers gathered in the school assembly room to do honor to the memory of Frances Willard, the great reformer and temperance worker.

The room was prettily decorated in autumn leaves. Miss Willard's portrait draped in laurel stood on the rostrum. A brief sketch of her life was told to the children by Principal Skirvin. Songs and recitations were contributed by the pupils.

Mrs. Fred Honey and Mrs. E. A.

COVERED PLAY SHED AROUSING INTEREST

The grade school children are growing tremendously interested in the possibility of getting a covered playhouse. The teachers and the mothers, and these two together as the Parent-Teachers association, are studying the proposition and seeking information on it from all available sources. The men, no less interested in the comfort of the little folks, are also looking seriously into the matter to ascertain the cost and rate of tax per capita to erect such a structure. As one of the teachers said, "We are not trying to put one 'over' the people. We are only putting it up to the people. It is for them to decide what they want."

Miss Hansen, chairman of the committee on covered playgrounds, who spoke at a meeting of the ladies of the town said:

"As a member of the committee I have been asked to bring before you this matter of a playshed for the children in the grade school. As you know, the weather in Oregon is rainy most of the time during the school year. We have a rather poor place for play—a basement that is dark, dusty and too small. There is no need to argue the unfitness of a basement as a playground.

"The cost of erecting a shed big enough to accommodate the children is being worked out and specific data will soon be ready. In the meantime, look into the matter for yourself. Visit the school, the playground and the basement. See for yourself and form your own honest opinion and be ready to put it on the ballot in November when the question will be voted upon. Talk the matter over with your families and your neighbors. Discuss it with the children, it is their playshed we are working for."

The children are preparing posters and slogans to advertise the campaign. These will be displayed in town at the various business houses. A dollar has been offered for the best slogan, and the three best posters will be on exhibit at the Gresham library, later to be used about the town. One slogan written by a 12-year old girl reads:

"We never had a playshed
We probably never will.
Unless my pa and ma will
Get in and pay the bill."

SCHOOL OFFICIALS PRAISE UNION HIGH

State Supt. J. A. Churchill, County Superintendent W. C. Alderson, and chairman of the board of directors, Judge George W. Stapleton, visited Union high school yesterday afternoon.

The assembly, filled with 220 students representing four counties and 24 districts, is surely a matter of great pride to Union high. But after the visitors had seen the crowded condition of the assembly hall and some of the recitation rooms packed with classes too large to hold them well, they too voiced the general cry of more room.

Mr. Churchill said that in looking over the student body and the building it becomes very apparent that accommodations are too limited and that another teacher is needed. Where to find room for another instructor—should another be engaged—is in evidence there is no room for an additional teacher without a larger schoolhouse.

There is no doubt but the enrollment by next year will reach the 300 mark, and unless provision is made for the third hundred they will be forced to seek high schools elsewhere. Gresham can scarcely afford to let such an opportunity slip by without making some effort grasp it.

The visitors expressed themselves well pleased with the school, the recitation and class exercises they had heard and the fine spirit of pupils and teachers. The state superintendent, in leaving, reiterated his satisfaction with Union high and hopes soon to come back for a whole day.

Leonard told the children about the prize essay writing contest which will be conducted this winter, both for teachers and pupils. Prizes have been offered by the state and local W. C. T. U. for the best composition on the ill effects of the tobacco habit.

There is no heritage like being born poor. The leaders and teachers of this nation came from the poor.

MULTNOMAH CAMP, W. O. W., WILL BE HOST NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT



F. W. JONES AND WIFE.

Popular entertainers who are to assist on the program for the big Woodmen of the World rally to be held in Masonic hall, Gresham, next Wednesday night, October 29, given by Multnomah Camp No. 77, W. O. W.

This is only one of many entertaining features, including funny stunts, thrilling sports, interesting speeches, etc. There will be prizes, smokes and refreshments.

All members of 77, especially those living in eastern Multnomah and northern Clackamas counties, are invited, together with their friends who wish to learn about the insurance and sick and accident benefits of the order.

Multnomah Camp, with its own elegant hall located in East Portland, is the largest camp of Woodmen in the world, having nearly 4000 members. It is the banner camp and growing rapidly. A special campaign for members is now on. The camp issues a monthly 16-page paper which is published at the Outlook office in Gresham.

Come and learn about the order. If you do not receive a special invitation from a member, consider this as an invitation and you will be vouched for at the door by a member.

Multnomah Camp's orchestra and degree team are expected and some of the head men of the order.

You'll never forget it if you attend; you'll forever regret it if you miss it.

Housing Problem Nears Solution Investment Put on Patriotic Basis Completed Plan Monday Night

New conditions present new problems and impose new duties on the citizen.

Up to the present to build a new house was considered purely a matter of personal convenience or private investment. It has now come to pass that to build or help build a new house for the home-seeker is looked upon as a highly patriotic duty, just as much so as the buying of government bonds, was during the war.

The appeal is now made to all citizens to invest a few dollars, or a few hundred dollars, in a local movement to relieve the shortage of homes. The appeal is made on grounds of unselfishness, patriotic duty, civic pride and community upbuilding. It is not to be viewed merely as a money investment but as meeting the obligation a citizen owes to the community and to his less fortunate fellowmen.

In the largest sense this is the best investment one can make. He becomes a public benefactor and will be praised for his farsightedness and generosity.

On the other hand this is not a charity. It is not a donation. Far

from it. It is simply the establishing of a fund which by wise use will enable worthy workmen to help themselves. The principal is as safe as it would be in the bank. A reasonable interest is practically certain.

The purpose of all of this is to meet the immediate need for more houses, especially for workmen employed in our growing industries.

Inasmuch as the need is urgent and must be met at once, to help speed up production and avoid loss, all the red tape possible is to be dispensed with.

At the second meeting of citizens held last night in Masonic hall to consider this movement the general plan was agreed upon. A committee, consisting of A. W. Metzger, A. Dowsett, D. E. Towle, Geo. W. Stapleton and K. A. Miller, was appointed to draw up the plans and start the arrangements for funds. They are to meet Saturday night and report to a citizen's meeting to be held in Masonic hall next Monday night.

THIS WILL BE A VERY IMPORTANT MEETING. ALL ARE INVITED.

FORMER GRESHAM MAN DIES IN PORTLAND

Richard Emerson, for several years a resident of this vicinity, died in Portland last Saturday, October 18, at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. H. Egan, after an illness of a week. He was 41 years of age and unmarried. Besides Mrs. Egan, he leaves two other sisters, Mrs. W. K. Hamilton of Portland and Mrs. George Moffitt of Gresham, and a brother, W. J. Emerson of Altona, Pennsylvania.

Mr. Emerson was born in the north of Ireland and came to America when a boy with his father and family and settled in New York. He had lived in Oregon for the past 11 years.

Mr. Emerson has been making his home with Mrs. Hamilton. Two weeks ago he visited Mrs. Moffitt and reported that he was not well and that he had made arrangements for the removal of badly diseased tonsils on October 18. A week ago he

went to visit with Mrs. Egan and while there was taken suddenly worse. All efforts were unavailing and he passed away at her home.

The funeral was held on last Tuesday, the Rev. A. C. Brackenbury, pastor of Mr. Emerson officiating. The deceased was for a number of years a member of the Gresham lodge A. F. & A. M., and recently transferred his membership to the Mt. Tabor lodge. The latter lodge took charge of the burial in the Hall cemetery, with the cooperation of the Gresham lodge.

Firemen's Dance.

Don't forget that on Halloween night the firemen will give an all-night dance.

Some used plows in steel and chilled. Two potato diggers. Other good used implements.

W. A. HESSEL, phone 544.

Read the Want Ads.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The story of the Ladies' Aid meeting of Wednesday afternoon begins at the town library where the ladies congregated at the stated hour, 2:30 o'clock sharp. From there the "jitneys" were doing a big business taking loads of women folks up to the home of Mrs. Jas. Sterling. In order to save time the machines were filled to the tops, and, with the exception of one, the autos clugged up the steep grade near Sterling's without a bit of flogging. This one exception was a sedan full of the heaviest ladies in the Aid society. When the machine reached the stiff pitch it refused to go farther, it even refused to turn around. These ladies, the best natured in town, were forced to get out. Together, they helped to twist the machine about and with a vigorous push sent it coasting down hill. The Beaver State Motor factory acted the good Samaritan, giving it what most machines need in order to run uphill—a supply of gasoline. The stranded ones arrived panting, but in plenty of time to join in the opening song.

The following officers for the coming year were unanimously elected: president, Mrs. A. W. Shipley; vice-president, Mrs. Thomas Wiles; secretary, Mrs. Clara Sunday; treasurer, Mrs. C. E. Rusher; directors, Mrs. C. M. Zimmerman, Mrs. C. J. Lundquist, Mrs. C. E. Rusher.

It was voted to hold a bazaar and cake sale early in December, each member agreeing to prepare one or more articles.

At the conclusion of regular business musical selections were given. Mrs. Ed. Aylsworth sang the sweetest of lullabies, the "Cradle Song" by Vannah, and as encore, Caverly's "Message." A duet by Mrs. Shipley and Miss Mildred St. Clair was another pleasing number.

The hostess, Mrs. Sterling and her assistants, Mrs. Rusher, Mrs. Fred Fieldhouse and Mrs. Lundquist, served a delicious luncheon of pumpkin pie with a big upper story of whipped cream, home-made doughnuts and coffee. Special mention must be given the beautiful autumn leaves and dahlias used in decorating the rooms.

The next meeting of the Aid society will be held on the third Wednesday in November, a week before the Thanksgiving holidays, instead of the usual fourth Wednesday. Mrs. Wiles will be hostess, assisted by Mrs. Parsons and Mrs. Gould.

FRANK ESCOBAR PUT IN THE PAPER

A little bird gave the hint that Frank Escobar knows all about a new phone line on the Bull Run water system. But the little bird was mistaken. He doesn't know anything about it—at least, so thinks the reporter after an interview with Mr. Escobar who glared hard and all he would say was, "Don't you dare put my name in the paper."

But the intrepid reporter just glared back and stamped her French-heeled schooners on the pavement and said, "Your name will go in the paper! You are a good, honest citizen of one of the best towns in North America. Your lawn is the best kept one in Gresham. Your flowers this summer have been a source of joy and pride to the whole community. Indeed, your name shall figure conspicuously on the pages of our paper. And that's what you'll get for not telling me about that new phone line."

Answered Mr. Escobar: "If you put my name in the paper I won't like you no more."

Under the circumstances, what would you have done?

For Quick Sale.

On the W. F. Cummins place, one mile south of Troutdale, are for sale, one 1100-pound farm horse, 20 Belgian hares, 3 or 4 tons oat and vetch hay and all farm tools. Must sell at once. W. F. Cummins.

A man's first duty is to make a competence and be independent.

EASTERN STAR EXHIBITS LOCAL MUSICAL TALENT

The Eastern Star meeting last Tuesday evening was a regular "crush." There were 102 Stars in attendance, including officers and a large delegation of members from Mt. Scott chapter, Mr. and Mrs. Hedge of Rose City chapter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jonas and Mrs. O. F. Cady from Fairview, and an almost one hundred per cent attendance by local lodge members.

There were reasons for this generous turnout, not the least one being the pleasure of seeing Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Smith ride an Angora brought along by the Mt. Scott chapter, a Billy-nannikin warranted to have both kick and punch.

Another attraction was the what-you-may-call-it put on by our own home-brewed musical talent. O. J. Brown announced that Geo. Honey and his Humble Bees would favor the audience with a selection entitled "The Frat March." On the stage clambered, Mrs. W. R. Burke with a mandolin, Dr. Ott with a trombone, Ed. Aylsworth, a cornet, Mrs. John Cannon, a flute, A. O. Eastman, a guitar, S. B. Hall, a horn as big as he is. Mr. Honey, with baton in hand, stepped in front of his band, gave his mustache a melodious twist a la macaroni and signalled for the music to begin. There was no fake about the music. It was perfectly rendered, no discord, no break in time. Ed. Aylsworth blew until his eyes bulged out of his head and his face grew purple. Dr. Ott slid more slides on the trombone than is usually sold with those instruments. Mr. Eastman picked and thrummed in a most elegant fashion. And still the music sweetly sounded. Presently the leader stopped, the players put down their instruments, passed off the stage—and still the music continued—from a Victrola in the back-ground.

An elegant supper, spread on two large tables in the main hall, had been prepared by Mrs. W. R. Burke, Mrs. John Cannon, Mrs. Ed. Aylsworth, Mrs. H. H. Eling and Mrs. Will Ott. The coffee was stewed and perked to a queen's taste by John Cannon and Ed. Aylsworth as official tasters. Mr. and Mrs. Honey, the decoration committee, did themselves proud. The tables were grand in autumn leaves and dahlias and the hall was a woody bower in the varicolored foliage of vine maple.

Speeches were made by Most Worthy Matron, Mrs. Benj. Cameron; Judge Stapleton, and Mt. Scott representatives, the very finest and happiest sort of speeches at one of the most enjoyable of Eastern Star meetings.

Methodist Episcopal Church Announcements

Rev. R. E. Myers, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, will begin a series of morning sermons on "The Dynamics of the Kingdom" next Sunday morning. The first subject discussed will be "The Power Opposed to the Kingdom." Miss Mary Hansen will sing at this service. On Sunday evening the sermon will be on the subject "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, or the Dual Personality."

You will be interested in these subjects. You are invited to hear them. There is always "a comfortable pew and a welcome for you" at "The Home Church." The motto is "Serve the Community."

Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock and offers classes for all. Epworth League will meet at 6:30. All young people are invited.

Pleasant Valley Basket Social.

A Halloween basket social will be given at Pleasant Valley school, Saturday, November 1, at 8 o'clock. A program will be rendered by the children of the school. The ladies are requested to bring a basket. The gentlemen are requested to bring money.

Tomatoes in field culture at Dillard yielded 2000 boxes to the acre.

"There Can Be No Divided Allegiance Here"

(Theodore Roosevelt's last words, read at the All-American in New York City.)

I cannot be with you, and so all I can do is to wish you godspeed. There must be no sagging back in the fight for Americanism, merely because the war is over. There are plenty of persons who have already made the assertion that they believe the American people have a short memory and that they intend to revive all the foreign associations which most directly interfere with the complete Americanization of our people. Our principle in this matter should be absolutely simple. In the first place, we should insist that if the immigrant who comes here does in good faith become an American and assimilates himself to us he shall be treated on an exact equality with every one else, for it is an outrage to discriminate against any such man because of creed or birthplace or origin.

But this is predicated upon the man's becoming in very fact an American and nothing but an American. If he tries to keep segregated with men of his own origin and separated from the rest of America, then he isn't an American at all.

We have room for but one flag, the American flag, and this excludes the red flag, which symbolizes all wars against liberty and civilization just as much as it excludes any foreign flag of a nation to which we are hostile. We have room for but one language here, and that is the English language, for we intend to see that the crucible turns our people out as Americans, of American nationality, and not as dwellers in a polyglot boarding house; and we have room for but one soul loyalty, and that is loyalty to the American people.

Faithfully yours,
T. ROOSEVELT.

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