

FAIRVIEW METHODIST CHURCH DEDICATED

Dr. E. E. Gilbert, superintendent of the Salem district of the Oregon conference, officiated at the dedication of the new church building at Fairview last Sunday. Dr. Gilbert was assisted by Rev. B. C. Brewster, pastor of the church at Keiser, Oregon, this year, but a former pastor of the church at Fairview, and Rev. Thos. Atkinson who was pastor of the Fairview church for two years. Rev. M. B. Paroungian, district Sunday school missionary, also assisted in the services, as did Rev. Mr. Bennett of the Smith Memorial Presbyterian church at Fairview, and Rev. Marlon Johnson of Gresham.

There was a large attendance and the day will be long remembered in the annals of this historic church. The Fairview society was organized in 1853 and the first church was built in 1869, it being the first church building in Multnomah county east of the Willamette river. Daniel S. Dunbar, one of the oldest residents of this county was one of the charter members of that church and one of the first trustees; he is still serving on the board of trustees. Rev. George Garrish was their first pastor, he having in his circuit East Portland, Stephens Addition, Fairview, Cascade Locks and intervening points.

Two years ago the road running north from Gresham to the Sandy road cut through the Methodist church lot in Fairview, thus making the old location undesirable so a new location was bought and the new church built.

The new church in Fairview is a neat frame building, valued at \$2000. It is built on a lot 150x150 in the center of the town. The new church is free from debt as there was only \$150 left to raise at the time of dedication and at the call for subscription pledges to the amount of \$180 were obtained in a few moments.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Morrill presented the board of trustees a beautiful \$25 pulpit Bible. Dr. Gilbert accepted the gift on behalf of the church officials. There were services both morning and afternoon and a bountiful basket dinner was enjoyed at noon. Rev. Mr. Brewster, preached in the evening also. Rev. Mr. Paroungian assisted in the evening service also. It was surely a day of happiness and rejoicing for the members of that church. Many former residents were present at the dedication service.

The Methodists in Fairview have carried forward their church work since last September without a pastor, and have managed the construction of this new church. A pastor will be sent to them in a few weeks.

FAIRVIEW

Mrs. C. J. Littlepage celebrated her birthday anniversary last Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Nelson, at Corbett by giving a little birthday party. Mrs. Littlepage has been quite sick all winter but is able to walk a little now. Guests present at the gathering were Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hurlbut of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Heslin of Fairview, Don Littlepage and family of Portland, Mrs. J. Pounder and daughters, Mrs. S. E. Evansand, Mrs. Lasley, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Bell, Mrs. E. J. Rickert and son. Mrs. Littlepage received a number of pretty gifts, among them a beautiful basket and bag from her daughter, Ruth, who is in Gatos, California. This daughter also sent the word of the arrival of a beautiful baby girl at her home recently. A very happy time was enjoyed by all.

J. C. Heslin has returned to his studies at O. A. C. after spending his vacation at home. He was here for the wedding of his sister, Hazel Merle, which occurred recently.

Mrs. E. C. Morrison had as dinner guests Wednesday evening, Mrs. Hughes and her daughters, Mrs. Crowe and Miss Della Hughes, and son, Dr. H. H. Hughes of Gresham.

MRS. LESLIE HONORED AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Mary Leslie was given a real first of April surprise when some of her children and grandchildren remembered it was her birthday and all took their supper in and had a spread. There were 16 present, Geo. Lusted and wife, Frank Westell, Harry and Helen Westell, Mrs. Ida Williams, Geo. Leslie and family of Portland, Alva Hevel and family and Walter Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie.

Some beautiful flowers were presented to Mrs. Leslie as a remembrance of the occasion.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our thanks to all those who by their sympathy and presence assisted us during our recent bereavement.

MRS. J. H. WILSON AND FAMILY.

Beeman Garden Tractor.

C. E. Osburn & Co. have taken the agency for the Beeman garden tractors, and have one on the floor for demonstration. This tractor will load wagons, and can be worked pull any garden tools, lawn mowers, with a belt to operate any number of your machines which require power. It is powerful and economical. Come in and see it operate.

WRIGHT CONFECTIONERY SOLD TO ILIFF LONG

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright closed a deal Tuesday by which they sold their confectionery and restaurant to Iliff Long and family recently from Bridal Veil, who will continue in the same lines. Mr. and Mrs. Wright have built up a fine business by their unflinching courtesy, energy and straight business dealings and bespeak the same prosperity to their successors. They expect to reside with Mr. Wright's mother, Mrs. Ellen Wright for a while.

Mrs. John Burdine was 71 years old Tuesday, March 30, and her daughter and granddaughter gave her a surprise by inviting in her neighbors on the hill to spend the afternoon with her. They also baked a big birthday cake which was served with the dainty refreshments with 16 candles on it. Those enjoying the pleasant afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Burdine were Mrs. Ruth Brink and her three daughters, Mrs. John Heslin, Mrs. Lee Evans and son Jack, Mrs. Roger Birgfeld, and Mesdames J. R. Knarr, Allard, Henry Parsons, George Pleasant, Charles I. Thomas, Alfred Nagel, George Schlatter.

Mrs. R. E. Morse, of Pendleton, visited her mother, Mrs. Allard, last week, and as a pleasant reminder of her visit, had electric lights installed in Mrs. Allard's house.

We are apparently getting the tail end of the middle western storm, but as a friend expressed it, we hope it will not have too long a tail.

The Troutdale Ladies' Aid will meet next Wednesday, April 7 at the home of Mrs. C. I. Thomas. The afternoon will be devoted to sewing and to taking up some business matters which need attention. All members are expected and all friends are invited to attend.

"The Easter Message" will be the theme of the services at the Troutdale M. E. church Sunday evening, April 4. The services will commence at 8 p. m. Rev. Earl B. Cotton, the pastor, will preach at this service.

Rev. R. Eugene Myers, of Gresham, will preach at the evening services from Monday to Friday evenings inclusive next week. The list of subjects for next week are as follows:

Monday, April 5—"Some of the Essentials of a Revival." Tuesday, April 6—"A Problem in Proportion." Wednesday, April 7—"The Power of a Consistent Life." Thursday, April 8—"The Devil's Wash-bowl." Friday, April 9—"The Devil's Faith."

LOCAL FORD DEALERS ATTEND CONVENTION

C. I. Raker and son, Ellsworth Raker and five of their employees attended the Ford dealers' convention which was held in Portland Wednesday and Thursday of this week. The convention was held at the Ford factory in Portland where the dealers and the mechanics were given instructions and demonstrations in quick repair work. The whole idea of the conference, which was in charge of representatives from the Ford factory, was to help the dealers and their employees to give better service to owners of Ford cars and tractors.

Banquets at the Hotel Benson, Wednesday and Hotel Multnomah, Thursday were very much enjoyed by the 200 in attendance. There were 66 dealers and their employees from all over the state in attendance at the convention. Those attending from Gresham besides Mr. Raker, were Ellsworth Raker, T. J. Bailey, Mike Allshouse and John McGinnis. Ward Inglis and James Milton of the Estacada garage were also present.

During the absence of the force from the garage in Gresham Mrs. C. I. Raker and R. D. Bailey were in complete charge of the work and attended to all of the details of repair work, continuing the efficient service which they aim to give their customers.

MISS HONEY PRESENTS PUPILS IN RECITAL

Miss Florence Honey presented a number of her younger piano pupils in an interesting recital at her home last Wednesday evening. There were present, besides the pupils, a large number of invited guests, who spoke highly of the fine program given. Those who took part were:

Alden Miller, Beth Zimmerman, Willene Botkin, Regina Hammar, Margaret Mathews, Hazel Pruitt, Jean Adix, Carlitos Strebin, Margaret St. Clair, Mary Lambert, Gwendolyn Metzger, Doris Brown, Joyce Kidder, Victor Adix.

Coming Events at the Library.

D. A. Thompson, of Portland, will lecture at the library Tuesday evening, April 13, on "Astronomy." Mr. Thompson will discuss the planets principally and will have many things of interest to tell. He has made this a subject of study and his lectures on this subject are very popular in Portland.

Thursday, April 15, the reception for the new Baptist minister Rev. Robert Gale Kay and his wife will be held at the library.

Watch your library for interesting events. Make use of the opportunity it offers for community service and pleasure.

QUEEN ESTHER CIRCLE SUPPORT TWO ORPHANS

The Queen Esther Circle assisted the Portland Industrial center one day this week and were so impressed with the 29 little folks they saw there that they voted to maintain two scholarships instead of one as originally intended. It was hard work for their director to keep the 18 girls who were present, from trying to adopt the whole 29 as their wards. The choice was finally made of little 5-year-old Sylvia Getzler, "Rumanian", and Joe Kople, a tiny Bohemian. Joe just had to be chosen because he came to the kindergarten through the sleet and hail without shoes or stockings. There was fortunately an old pair of shoes in the supply closet, and so the girls had the satisfaction of seeing Joe thawed out and shod.

It was beautiful to see these little ones from many nations stand and pledge allegiance to the flag, and oh, so very touching when they sat at their tables and were served with cookies and milk, to see 29 little heads bowed and little hands clasped, while they all gave thanks for the blessing of food.

There are 40 enrolled at the Home, with an average attendance of 30 and the Queen Esther girls saw the beginning of the Americanization of some of our future citizens.

The regular meeting of the Queen Esther circle will be held at the home of Letitia Pulfer, Monday evening, April 5. All girls 14 years old or over are invited to become members. Esther Peterson and Vivian Hevel will assist the hostess in serving. Bring your dues, girls, if possible.

W. C. T. U. AND MISSIONARY SOCIETIES TO MEET

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Thursday at the home of Mrs. Will Ott. This will be a joint meeting of the W. C. T. U. and all the members of the Missionary societies of the town are invited to attend. The object of this meeting is to incorporate the societies into one organization. A splendid program has been arranged and a number of Portland people will assist in various ways. A full program will appear in Tuesday's paper.

Presidents of the different missionary societies are asked to announce this meeting at the church services next Sunday.

CARL SODERQUIST'S BIRTHDAY HONORED

A very pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Carl Soderquist, Monday evening, in honor of his birthday. The evening was spent with music, indoor and outdoor games, and a delicious luncheon was served at the late hour.

Those present were: Ruth Anderson, Lillie Johnson, Frieda Peterson, Mildred Johnson, May and Nettie Nelson, Amy Gustafson, Edna and Minnie Danielson, Lillie Nelson, Judith Larson, Myrtle and Edith Soderquist, Hilma and Emma Johnson, Clarence Alm, Richard and Ernest Satterstrom, Elton and Melvin Gradin, Albert Shuholm, Melvin Peterson, Harold Gustafson, Reuben Peterson, Corie Gustafson and Robert Soderquist.

Complete Equipment Essential to Car Owners.

"An automobile must be fully equipped if it is to satisfy completely," says C. E. Osburn of Gresham, local dealer in Chevrolet passenger and commercial cars.

"In addition to economical and dependable transportation, the up-to-date car must afford every comfort and convenience.

"The average automobile is in active service most of the time. At work or leisure the owner is in and out of it a great deal. He spends hours in it, on long trips. He wants to enjoy the utmost ease in riding. He wants to be prepared for all conditions that arise from its use.

"In the first place an electric starter is required to save time, effort and gasoline.

"An efficient lighting system is essential, electric lamps, adjustable to the driver's vision and independent of the variations of the motor. On them depend the comfort, security and pleasure of night driving.

"A speedometer, too, is important. It is really the driver's time-table—indispensable to motor travel.

"There is not only comfort but protection in a properly tilted and adjustable windshield. The same is true of a well made top with its snug fitting side curtains.

"An extra rim and carrier and complete tool equipment including pump and jack are necessities.

"No car is complete without these features. The experienced owner has come to depend upon them in the use of his car. The manufacturer can supply them more easily and for less than the individual can buy them. They should be included in the purchase price."

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JAMES F. BURNS LAID TO REST AT MT. SCOTT



JAMES F. BURNS.

The funeral of James F. Burns was held Wednesday at 1 o'clock in the Troutdale Methodist church. The church could not hold all the friends and neighbors who came to pay their last respects to a well loved and good man, and the flowers were many and beautiful. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Benson, a Presbyterian minister of Portland, and the local pastor, Rev. Earl B. Cotton. Stewart McGuire, of Portland, a friend of the family, sang "Rock of Ages," "Lead Kindly Light," and "Abide With Me," accompanied by Mrs. L. A. Harlow. The four sons of Mr. Burns, David, John, James and Arthur were the pallbearers. Interment was made in the Mt. Scott cemetery.

James F. Burns was born in Perthshire, Scotland, September 24, 1850. In 1873 he married Miss Margaret Shepherd and to this union were born nine children, three of whom have gone before.

With his family he sailed from Scotland for America June 14, 1902. On arriving in this country he located at Post Falls, Idaho, where he resided four years. In the year 1906 he came to Troutdale where he has been associated with the Sundial ranch interests ever since.

Mr. Burns was a great lover of fine stock and loved to care for high bred animals. It was a matter of great pride to him that the carload of stock, which he fed and fitted for the competition at the 1918 Pacific Northwest International Stock show, won the grand champion prize for the car lot.

For a number of years Mr. Burns served as a councilman for the town of Troutdale and he won the love and respect of all.

In Troutdale he was affectionately known as "daddy." Always of a bright and happy disposition and enjoying splendid health it was quite a shock when he was so suddenly stricken down. His death followed an attack of pneumonia which aggravated a complication of other trouble which caused his death Sunday, March 28, at 1 o'clock.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Margaret Burns, two daughters, Mrs. Robert Kerslake of Gresham and Miss Johanna Burns of Spokane; four sons, James of Troutdale and John and David of Portland and Arthur H. of Gresham. Also nineteen grandchildren, seven of whom are in Scotland. There is one great grandchild in Scotland.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all who so kindly assisted us during the death and burial of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. Margaret Burns, Mrs. Grace Kerslake, Miss Johanna Burns, James, John, David and Arthur Burns.

INTERESTING MEETING OF NIGHT SCHOOL HELD

Last Wednesday evening the regular meeting of the night school met at the High school. The subjects under discussion were, "Incubators and Incubation" and "Brooding and Feeding the Baby Chicks."

The class was one of the most interesting of the season. Many questions of interest were taken up and discussed in detail. If you have any questions which you would like to have discussed bring them to the next meeting of the night school on April 7 and they will be answered if possible.

The next subjects in the poultry class will be "Growing the Laying Hen," and "Bringing the Pullets into Laying" and "The Effect of Feed and Age."

Another good time dance will be given at Fairview Saturday evening, April 10th. A door prize will be given.

Bargains in the want ads.

CHAUTAUQUA DATES SET, MAY 31-JUN. 4

A recent communication from the Ellison-White chautauqua people says that the dates have been definitely set for May 31 to June 4 inclusive.

The program this year is said to be one of the best that they have ever given and it would have been impossible to arrange such a program if it were not for the cooperation of 900 western communities among which is Gresham.

The Ellison-White people in their effort to make chautauqua helpful have combined instruction, music and entertainment.

On the lecture staff this year will be Marion Ballou Fisk, cartoonist-lecturer; Joel W. Eastman, who will talk on present day problems; Mrs. D. Pirie Bevea, America's first Volunteer Red Cross nurse and Chas. S. Price, with beautiful slides illustrating the wilds of Alaska.

Music and entertainment will consist of MacGregor's Vocal quartet; Ruby Page Ferguson, read and interpreter of plays; The Regniers, impersonators and "Make Up" Artist; The Stearns-Gregg company with the best of the classics and Madame Josephine Martino, Primo Donna soprano.

BABY SLIDES OUT OF CHAIR IS INJURED

The eight months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Smith of Bull Run fell from his high chair Wednesday evening and broke the thigh bone close to the hip. The poor little fellow suffered a great deal the first night. Dr. Adix of Gresham was called and set the bone late Wednesday evening, but owing to the difficulty in handling the break the baby was brought to Gresham, Thursday where an X-ray was taken which showed that it was a straight break and that there was quite an offset in the bone. The bone was reset and the whole limb put in a plaster cast where it will remain for about eight weeks. An X-ray taken after the bone was reset showed that the bone is now in a position to knit rapidly and in perfect shape.

The little fellow was a good patient and made no fuss about laying in his basket. The accident happened when the baby slid out of his high chair onto the floor.

DAIRYMEN RAPIDLY SIGNING NEW CONTRACTS

About 60 dairymen attended the meeting of the Dairymen's League which was held in Gresham last Thursday evening. A very interesting meeting was held and a live discussion of the subjects which are of utmost importance at this time.

Practically all present who had not already signed up with the new organization did so at this meeting.

Three committees were organized to work in the communities surrounding Gresham. One committee will canvass the territory east of Gresham, one will handle the west territory and the third will work on the territory north of the Base Line road.

The best report that has come in so far is that of C. H. Johanson who signed up nine neighbors in one day's work.

The locals are all working very rapidly in the signing up members in the new organization. Some are getting 100 per cent results.

C. A. JOHNSON WEDS MRS. MARY E. KRESS

A wedding which caused quite a ripple of surprise this week was that of Carl A. Johnson of Gresham and Mrs. Mary E. Kress of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were married at Vancouver, Washington, Tuesday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. August Johnson of Bull Run, son and daughter-in-law of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will make their home in Gresham where Mr. Johnson recently purchased a home in Lawrence addition. Mr. Johnson is employed at the Beaver State Motor factory.

POULTRY CLUB TO INSPECT POULTRY PLANT

The Gresham Poultry club held their March meeting last Wednesday at Mrs. Eling's. After a brief business meeting they held a discussion on the care of young chickens. The discussions proved most interesting. Miss Margaret St. Clair and Miss Gertrude Brugger assisted Mrs. Eling in serving the refreshments, party cakes and chocolate. A delightful time was enjoyed by all.

A special poultry meeting will be held next Wednesday afternoon after school.

The members are to gather at the home of their leader, Mrs. H. H. Eling, and from there they will go to visit the new poultry plant on Judge Geo. W. Stapleton's farm. The subject of the meeting will be "Good Housekeeping for Hens."

MELROSE AND VICTORY

There will be several recitations at the Sunday school service next Sunday, April 4th. Everyone is invited to attend this service and to have a "Bible promise." It is expected that there will be special music by Miss Irene Cotton and the pastor, Rev. Earl B. Cotton.

TRIBUTE TO LATE LAMENTED PIONEER

Gresham, Ore., April 2, 1920.—Editor Gresham Outlook:—James Harvey Wilson, pioneer, is dead. Known of all Oregon during five decades of the last century, at the commencement of the first two decades of this century the world began to know him less, and now he is known no more. Following his father's lead by mule team from the great state of Abraham Lincoln into the wilds of the Oregon country, he loved the work that was hardest and courted the dangers that were greatest in the service of his country and idealizing of home and family, the latter being "the real basis of a God-fearing state." He lived every day of his 79 years to do unto others as he would that others should do to him and his.

Apparently, he is gone from us forever. Memory, also, shall cease when those yet living shall die. All that was of him, save his immortal soul, has become a part of whatsoever earthly things are true, honest, just, pure, lovely and of good report. He has returned to the substance that never dies,—to the soil of the fields, to the atom of the waters, to the sand of the shores, to the gold of the hills. The lamented, though departed, will ever be present in the scent of the roses, the beauty of the lilies, the sparkle of the sands, the glitter of the gold, the nobility of the people, the character and grandeur of the state and the glory of God.

MILO C. KING.

OBITUARY OF MRS. SARAH JANE JONES.

Sarah Jane Neely was born in Ohio in 1829, and died at her home in Gresham, March 27, 1920; aged 90 years, 10 months and nine days. She was married to David Jones in 1845. To this union were born nine children, three daughters and six sons, three of whom are still living. They are, Milton Jones of Greenacres, Washington; Alfred Jones of Steveston, British Columbia, and Schuyler C. Jones of this city. She also leaves to mourn their loss, ten grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

She united with the Brethren church about 33 years ago, of which she continued a faithful member until her death.

"Grandma" Jones, as she is commonly known around Gresham, moved from Osaka, Kansas, to Oregon in 1885 and made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Alva Hevel, until 20 years ago last September. She then obtained the home in this city where she resided until her death. Almost two years ago, her youngest son, S. C. Jones, and wife moved to her home to care for her the remaining days of her old age. She met with an accident a year ago in January, falling and dislocating and breaking her left wrist. Since that time she failed more rapidly in health, yet retaining amazingly well her mental faculty. She was bright and cheerful up until the last and will be greatly missed by her family and host of friends.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kind assistance during our bereavement and for the beautiful floral offerings.

S. C. Jones and Family, Alva Hevel and Family, Mrs. May Wood and Family.

You may be old enough to know better, but are you wise enough to do better?

Your Auto

ought not to take you away from church, but it often does. This is not your idea of supporting the best asset our community has. But many persons do put an auto ride or a visit ahead of church attendance.

The Methodist Episcopal church (the church that serves the community) extends a cordial invitation to all to enjoy the services of worship and fellowship.

Easter Sunday will be of especial interest. Morning worship and sermon, "The Note of Certainty." Evening—Song and illustrated address, "Easter." There will be special music by the choir and Miss Mary Hansen will sing.

Big MEETING

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