

## 13TH IS HOODOO FOR GRESHAMITES

Tuesday, April 13, proved to be a most unlucky day for Gresham people for a number found themselves laid up for a period of enforced rest when the day was done.

Probably the first accident of the day was at the Morgan Bros. farm, which they recently purchased from John Sleret. Leonard Lauderback was the victim and nearly lost his life. He, with the aid of several others, was loading a bull on his truck when the maddened animal broke away from the men who had ropes on him and got Mr. Lauderback down and was fast crushing the life out of him when one of the men got a pitchfork and drove the animal off. Mr. Lauderback was able to crawl to safety but the furious animal made a lunge at John Sleret and nearly got him down also. The animal then made a lunge at Henry Morgan and caught him just as he was climbing the fence. Mr. Morgan found himself six feet on the other side of the fence but counted himself fortunate in having a fence between himself and the enraged beast.

The animal was finally loaded and taken to the market.

Mr. Lauderback has a broken collar bone and two broken ribs as a result of his experience. He is getting along nicely but was so badly bruised and shaken that the bones could not be set until today.

The second of the series of accidents occurred in Portland, when Albert Ekstrom, local truck driver, was arrested on two charges, both as the result of automobile accidents.

A Portland woman, stalled the engine of her machine on Broadway bridge and while trying to crank it up again, Ekstrom struck the rear of her car. Mrs. Moreland was knocked down and bruised.

On arriving at police headquarters it was found that charges were pending against him on another case but it is understood that Mr. Ekstrom won on this charge at the hearing Wednesday. It hasn't been learned just what the result of the second charge will be. In every case Mr. Ekstrom has been put to a good deal of extra expense and trouble and no doubt believes that the 13th was his unlucky day.

Fred Morgan, who wielded the pitchfork in the effort to rescue Leonard Lauderback from the angry bull later on in the day, got up one of the horses and started out to the pasture to round up a bunch of heifers. In making a quick turn the horse fell crushing Mr. Morgan's leg under the full weight of the heavy animal. Mr. Morgan now spends his time caring for a badly bruised foot and leg and one of the bones in his ankle is broken. The foot will be put into a cast as soon as the swelling goes down. It will be several weeks before he can walk on it.

The victim of the last accident of the day was B. L. Walrad, local merchant. Mr. Walrad had been to Portland and was coming home with about two tons of supplies on his new G. M. C. truck. Just this side of Kelly Butte the engine stalled and although he worked for a half or three-quarters of an hour nothing he could do would start the load to moving again. Mr. Walrad telephoned to Gresham for help and then sat down to wait. He tried to light the lamps on the rear of the truck but it was raining so hard that his matches got damp and refused to ignite.

Mr. Walrad saw a machine coming and ran down to signal the car but the driver did not see either the truck or Mr. Walrad and hit the truck square while going at full speed. Mr. Walrad fell back in time to avoid being crushed between the cars but the wheels ran over his feet bruising them and probably breaking one of the bones. The first X-ray wasn't clear enough to determine the extent of his injuries and another one will be taken today.

Considering the force of the collision which drove the body of the truck with its load right over the engine and shattered the windows of the sedan it is a miracle that there were no serious results. The driver of the sedan was J. W. Reed of Estacada. Mrs. Reed received injuries to her face from broken glass but Mr. Reed and their two children were only shaken up.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. DeHaven and Mrs. J. N. Clananah of Gresham on their way to town witnessed the accident and assisted the injured ones. A number of other Gresham people on their way to an Eastern Star meeting at Oregon City arrived soon afterwards and stopped to lend a hand.

Mr. Walrad and Mr. Reed and fam-

## WOMAN TO PLACE ON CIVIL SERVICE BOARD



Mrs. Helen K. Gardener, suffrage leader, is the first woman ever to be appointed to a place on the Civil Service Commission. She has just received the appointment from President Wilson.

## HIGH SCHOOL DEBATING WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Winners have been reported in nine out of the twelve districts of the Oregon High School Debating League tournament.

Following is the list as given out by the League headquarters in the University of Oregon Extension Division:

Coos Bay District.....Marshfield  
North Willamette.....Salem  
Southern Oregon.....Medford  
Eastern Oregon.....Enterprise  
Lower Columbia.....Knappa  
West Side.....Corvallis  
South Willamette.....Eugene  
Umatilla.....Pendleton  
Upper Columbia.....The Dalles

The try-out debate in south-central Oregon was postponed on account of the influenza. Portland and south-eastern Oregon are not debating this year.

The substance of the subject for debate is that the Japanese should be admitted to the privilege of American citizenship. The exact statement of the question will be decided upon at a later date prior to the duals on Junior week-end, May 12, 13, 14 and 15.

## CURTIS E. BARR LAID TO REST AT DOUGLAS

The Methodist church was nearly filled Thursday afternoon with friends and relatives who came to pay their last respects to the memory of Curtis E. Barr, a soldier who died at Seattle, April 10.

The services were conducted by Rev. J. G. Bingedall, pastor of the Sellwood Nazarine church in Portland. Rev. Mr. Bingedall was a personal friend of the deceased and spoke in terms of highest praise of his life and Christian experience.

"The thing I loved best about this young man was his staunchness of character," said Rev. Mr. Bingedall, "he had his convictions and he lived up to them." Rev. Bingedall told of the beautiful testimony of Curtis' young Christian life.

The pallbearers were all former soldiers and friends of the deceased. All were in uniform. They were Lloyd Trickey, Wm. Salzman, Joe Letzinger, Walter Preston, Vancel Evans and Harold Maffott.

Music was furnished by a choir. Those who sang the beautiful old hymns were, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, Mrs. J. N. Clananah, Mrs. A. W. Shipley, Hannah Lane, Winnie Smith, D. M. Roberts and Edwin Anderson. Miss Edith Lyman presided at the organ.

Many beautiful floral tokens surrounded the casket which was covered with the American flag. Interment was in the Douglas cemetery.

Those who remain to mourn their loss are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Barr, two brothers, Robert and Harold, and two sisters, Gladys and Bertha, and a host of friends and other relatives.

### Who Shall Lead?

The country is looking for leaders. Some are offering themselves for leadership. It is time for us to give attention to the question. "What kind of leadership do we need?" will be discussed Sunday morning. At the popular Sunday night service the topic will be, "The Royal Life."

These are for all ages and conditions.

Methodist Episcopal church, (the church that serves the community.)

ly were brought to Gresham where their injuries were cared for.

Mr. Walrad will probably be confined to his home for some time but his injuries are not considered serious in the view of what might have been.

## Oregon for Lowden; Lowden for President

The present presidential nominating campaign is exceptional in the number of really good and capable men who are lined up asking (or their friends for them) for the nomination. We believe this statement is especially true of the republican party possibilities.

This situation makes it difficult to pick the strongest and best man out of a half dozen or more men of recognized high standing and executive ability.

Every person who votes at the coming primaries will need to decide at the time, if not before, what candidate to support for nomination on his or her respective party ticket.

The Outlook recognizes the good qualities of many of the candidates, but that is not a good excuse for staying on the fence. Especially as the time draws near, the Outlook would like to show where it stands and that it can give a reason for the hope that it entertains.

The Outlook is not influenced by the amount of money any candidate, or his backers, are willing or able to spend for publicity or support. It wishes to treat all fairly but cannot forego its privilege, as an individual, of taking its stand for the man of its choice—and that man is Governor Lowden, of Illinois. To our mind, after careful reading and study, so far as possible, of all the issues involved, this is the man who stands out among them all as coming the nearest to meeting the demands of this government of the people, by the people and for the people. His name is synonymous with the highest type of true Americanism.

As to the demand of the times—this is best expressed by a Minnesota citizen recently in the following words:

"Our voters never before have demanded so strongly for a sound, sensible business administration. Orators, professors and spellbinders are as such 'de trop.' The voters want candidates to show them what their ability has been along business lines. They prefer candidates who have been successful in their own business; men who can do things, not talk. Lowden seems to come nearer than any of the rest to filling these requirements."

The name and career of Lowden are above reproach. He is the man with the necessary ability, experience and influence to give to this nation in this critical time an administration of power and progressiveness with fairness and safety.

His attitude is right and commendable. He is not willing to move heaven and earth to satisfy a personal ambition. If he is wanted he is ready. If he is not wanted he will not be disgruntled. His own Lincoln-like words recently, in Illinois were as follows:

"For more than 30 years," he said: "I have lived in Illinois. The people of the state are familiar with my record. They have honored me greatly and for this I am deeply grateful."

"I desire their good-will and approbation more than I desire any office. Much as I would like approval of the people at the primaries, I shall make no attempt to match the expensive campaign being waged against me. I shall neither employ billboards nor the advertising columns of the press."

And his own state has just given him its most hearty endorsement. Lowden is not subsidizing newspapers; he will not tolerate promoters; his managers are conservative in claims and expenses.

Recently, when Senator Borah was at the bat in the United States Senate, he said to Senator Moses, who is one of General Wood's great defenders and bureau managers:

"If you would do your country a service, you will have Mr. Proctor, Mr. Hitchcock or Mr. King say how much money you sent into South Dakota. If you would have company, let Mr. Lowden also explain," thus taking the Wood managers' word for it and sending the intimation abroad that Lowden was in a class with Wood in the matter of ruthless campaign expenditures. Though the great head-lines of the subsidized dailies read like this: WOOD AND LOWDEN WANT INVESTIGATION," such investigation was evidently what was not wanted by the Wood forces, who confined themselves to denying the alleged charges that General Wood's managers were trying to dominate the Chicago convention. It is up to the un-subsidized press and the people to note the long silence of General Wood himself in the matter and the candor and promptness of his formidable competitor, who immediately telegraphed Senator Borah as follows:

"The statement made by you in the senate today, as reported by the Associated Press, with reference to the expenditures of the various candidates in the presidential campaign to date, so far as it applies to me, is in no way warranted by the facts. "I will gladly join with all other candidates for the republican nomination for president in submitting to yourself or to a committee to be appointed by you all expenditures made in the campaign, together with names of contributors and amounts contributed, and all books, records and vouchers, for the purpose of the widest possible publicity. I sincerely hope this may be done at once."

There is no probability that General Wood will accord with this offer, nor assume nor admit that it is vital in his case, or another candidate's case, that the right hand of the people should know what the left hand doeth. But leave it to Lowden, who, while he is a man controlling great wealth, is not a purchaser of power; and who will not sleep soundly till he satisfies the senatorial committee and every citizen of the land that he makes the same use of his money at elections and otherwise as Abe Lincoln would be expected to make, if he were worth \$100,000,000.

Accordingly, in due time it will be known of all men that he has argument and reason for his election that any man ever had who was elected president, without a single reason that anyone ever had for his defeat. Oregon is normally republican. Oregon voters are intelligent and careful. They have been educated to vote for the man they want. They are not to be stampeded by any merely political influence or pressure or secondary interests. Oregon could well be proud to go on record as supporting a man of Lowden's type for president.

If real ability, wide experience in state and government and large business affairs and genuine broad-minded, unflinching patriotism, are the considerations which dominate the minds and hearts of Oregon's voters on May 21 there will be no doubt about the result—Oregon for Lowden; Lowden for President.

## Sayings of Statesmen

I have never had a feeling politically that did not spring from the sentiments embodied in the Declaration of Independence.

—ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

The nation which indulges toward another an habitual hatred, or an habitual fondness, is in some degree a slave.

—GEORGE WASHINGTON.

The power of treaties is vested jointly in the President and in the Senate, which is a branch of the legislature.

—JAMES MADISON.

The Democratic slogan of 1916, "Kept us out of war," is now known to every intelligent person to have been political camouflage.

—ROOSEVELT.

America has a hemisphere to itself. It must have its separate system of interests, which must not be subordinated to those of Europe.

—THOMAS JEFFERSON.

Our diplomatic relations connect us on terms of equality and honest friendship with the chief Powers of the world, while we avoid entangling participation in their intrigues, their passions and their wars.

—GEORGE BANCROFT.

The moral character of the United States is of more importance than any alliance.

—JOHN ADAMS.

We want a man who standing on a mountain height sees all the achievement of our past history and carries in his heart the memory of all its glorious deeds and who looking forward prepares to meet the labor and dangers to come.

—GARFIELD.

The stability of this government and the unity of this nation depend solely on the cordial support and earnest loyalty of the people.

—GRANT.

Interest in public affairs, national, state, and city should be ever present and active and not abated from one year's end to the other. Every public duty is honorable.

—MCKINLEY.

The Republican party has walked upon high paths. It has set before it the maintenance of the Union, the honor of the flag, and the prosperity of our people.

—HARRISON.

## FIRST WOMAN HEAD IN INTERNAL REVENUES



Mrs. Estelle V. Collier of Salt Lake City, the first woman to be appointed collector of customs in the Internal Revenue Department, is also the mother of four children. She won the appointment over five male candidates. She is also chairman of the Utah Democratic Women's State Committee. Her husband is a mining engineer.

## KNIGHTS AND LADIES TO GIVE SUPPER AND DANCE

W. J. Hooper, deputy manager, is to spend another week here aiding the membership campaign of the Knights and Ladies of Security lodge here. This decision was made by special request of the lodge.

The last big initiation of the drive will be held next Tuesday evening, April 20. It is expected that there will be a class of about 20 to be initiated at this meeting. About 35 members have already been initiated into the lodge during the campaign.

The business meeting will be made as short as possible Tuesday evening and after the business session a supper and dance will be given free to all members. Any member may invite a friend who expects to join to attend also.

L. M. Thomas, state manager, and others from Portland, will be present.

At the last meeting of the lodge, Henry Hemmers was elected president, and Bert C. Cline, secretary. The lodge will endeavor to organize a drill team if a leader can be secured.

## FUNERAL OF SENIOR TO BE HELD AT FAIRVIEW

Converse H. Burlingame, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Burlingame, passed away at his home in Fairview, April 13 at 6 o'clock. He was confined to his bed for four weeks with meningitis but was a patient sufferer. He was born at Dufur, Oregon, March 4th, 1901, and has lived in Fairview the past nine years. He graduated from Fairview grade school in 1916 and since that time has attended Gresham High and was a member of the senior class. He was active in athletics, being a member of the basketball team, football team and manager of the base ball team of the high school.

Converse was a dear loving boy and will be much missed in Fairview. Besides his mother and father he leaves to mourn their loss, two brothers, Clifford and Glea, and one sister, Edna, and many relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the new Methodist church at Fairview. Interment at Douglass cemetery near Troutdale. The pallbearers will be boys from the senior class at Gresham High.

## GRADE SCHOOL PUPILS POLISHING PROGRAM

Teachers and pupils of the Gresham grade school are putting the finishing touches on the program to be given on Friday evening, April 23, at Masonic hall.

The program is divided into four parts, each one of which is complete in itself. In the first part, second and third grades give an exhibition of callisthenics and sing a song. The fourth grade girls and fifth grade boys put on a flag drill and girls and boys from the fifth and sixth grades present a beautiful operetta, "Queen of the Garden." In the second part the fourth grade gives the dramatization of "Robinhood and the Sad Knight." The third part is made up of songs and scenes of plantation days by the seventh grade and the eighth grade will complete the program by a historical play, "Royalty in Old Virginia."

Read what Mr. WanTad says.

When in doubt try a Want Ad.

## LEADER VISITS COUNTY CLUBS

Miss Helen Cowgill, assistant state club leader, is visiting in this community this week. With the county leader, Miss Ethel I. Calkins, she is visiting the cooking and sewing clubs of this county.

Miss Cowgill is very much pleased with progress of work and spirit shown in the school and community. Most of the cooking and sewing clubs will be finished by the time school closes. A little exhibit of the club work will be made in each district.

The first club to finish work this year is the Sylvan sewing club. Last year the school didn't accomplish anything in club work but this year through the inspiration and influence of the teacher, Miss Elizabeth Cornelius, the work advanced more rapidly than in any other school. The girls were organized by Miss Calkins on February 15 and they finished the work on April 10. There were 12 girls in the club. Miss Calkins and Miss Cowgill visited the club this week and found that they had an exhibit of very good work.

This club, as well as many others, has originated a number of club yells and songs. Their tribute to H. C. Seymour, state club leader, is very clever and full of pep.

The Russellville cooking club is another club doing excellent work. About a week ago the girls met at the home of their president, Ruth Wallace, and prepared and served a dinner to 19 persons. The teachers, mothers and several of the boys of the neighborhood were the guests.

This afternoon the Gresham Economy cooking club and their leader, Miss Mildred St. Clair, will accompany Miss Cowgill and Miss Calkins to Portland where they will inspect one of the large bakeries to learn something of commercial bread making.

## INVALID SOLDIERS MAKE VESTS OF LEATHER

Mrs. John Metzger has received a communication from Miss Theodora Schwankowsky of the Home Service department of the Red Cross in Portland requesting that donations of old kid or leather gloves be made and sent in to her department in Portland where they will be made into leather vests for use in the army.

There are several hundred soldiers being cared for in Portland hospitals and it is a part of Miss Schwankowsky's work to visit and aid them in every way possible. A number of the soldiers, one in particular, delights in spending the long wearisome hours in sewing the small pieces of leather into vests. These vests are put to practical use.

Any person living in this community who has worn-out gloves to donate should leave them at the home of Mrs. John Metzger or at the Outlook office.

## PORTLAND MAN WINS GRESHAM GIRL AS BRIDE

Miss Wilma May Metzger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Metzger, was married in Portland Thursday afternoon to Martin Grass of that city.

Mrs. Grass is a well-known Gresham girl, having attended school here and she is a graduate of Gresham High school. She has for a number of years been employed by the Walrad Mercantile company where she has made many friends.

Mr. Grass is employed by Meier & Frank company in Portland. He is employed in the upholstery department.

Mr. and Mrs. Grass will make their home in Portland. Their home is at 1949 East Morrison street.

Many friends in Gresham will wish them a long life of happiness.

## MRS. ANNA CRANE IS HONORED AT PARTY

A delightful birthday party was given last Sunday in honor of Mrs. Anna Crane, mother of Fred H. Crane, who is well known here, at the latter's home.

Mrs. Crane was 80 years old and received many beautiful presents from her family and friends. She is a pioneer and has spent most of her life in Portland or San Francisco.

A bountiful dinner was served at 1:30 p. m. at which the following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. George Crane, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Crane, Jr., Mrs. George M. Crane, Mrs. Allisend and son Clarence, Mrs. Pat Redli, Miss Elizabeth Redli, Miss Della Hughes, Miss Ruth Todd, Russel Bird and Gerard Evert.