

REV. I. B. SELF DIES SUDDENLY HERE

Rev. Isaac B. Self, Presbyterian minister died suddenly last Wednesday morning from heart failure or apoplexy while visiting here.

It is felt by friends that his death was the result of his activities during the past few months and particularly during the past week.

Rev. Self had been supply pastor during the past year and finished his work at his latest charge, Boardman and Irrigon in Morrow county, last Sunday evening. He had been there for the past three months. Sunday morning he preached the memorial sermon at Boardman and again in the evening at Irrigon. Immediately after his services closed at Irrigon, Rev. Self took the train for Portland. Arriving in Portland Monday morning he went immediately to St. Johns where he delivered the memorial day address for the G. A. R. Post and Women's Relief Corps. These unusual activities for a man of his age and strength, he was 76 years old, are felt to have been somewhat responsible for the attack which took him off so suddenly.

He came to Gresham Wednesday morning and called at the home of Mrs. Emma Gilmore where a sudden attack of dizziness came over him and before aid could be summoned he passed away.

He was planning to go on to Fairview where he was pastor of the Smith Memorial church until a year ago, and where he had promised to baptize five infants at the church next Sunday morning.

Rev. Self was a native of Tennessee. If he had lived until next September he would have spent 51 years as a minister of the gospel. It was a great ambition of his to have completed 50 years' service for his master but at the close of the half century he continued his work until the call came to go home and receive his reward.

Rev. Self was chaplain of the G. A. R. department of Oregon. He was very active in the G. A. R. and other patriotic work. He was a member of the Gordon Grangers Post in Portland. He was also a member of the Masons and Odd Fellows lodges.

Rev. Self has no children and his wife died about 14 years ago. A niece, Mrs. Lena King, with whom he made his home was called after his death, and took charge of the funeral arrangements.

Funeral services will be held in Portland Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Byrnes undertaking parlors. Friends are invited to attend. Interment at Rose City cemetery.

OREGON GROWERS' ASS'N. HAS ADDED ACREAGE

The building for the new pruned processing plant of the Oregon Growers Co-operative association at Dallas is already half built and sites have been secured during the past few days at Forest Grove, Myrtle Creek, Riddle and Grants Pass. At Forest Grove a new prune packing plant will be erected on land just west of the cannery. The pear and apple packing plant at Grants Pass will be located on the old cannery property. The association has also recently purchased the prune processing plant owned by the Scotts Mills Prune Packing corporation.

The association announces that no more crop marketing contracts for the 1920 crop of berries and cherries will be taken. Closing dates for other kinds of fruit will be announced soon. Closing dates for apple and pear contracts in the Medford and Grants Pass districts were set for June 1.

Seven hundred acres of fruit owned by 45 new members has been added around Salem since the Salem Fruit Union voted to go out of business four weeks ago. The total membership of the Oregon Growers Co-operative association now numbers 1300 with over 2500 acres of fruit.

C. I. LEWIS,
Organization Manager.

Bookwagon Time Schedule Every Tuesday.

Gilbert 10 to 11 a. m. Powell Valley and Buckley Avenue 11 to 11:30 Lynch schoolhouse 11:30 to 12:30. Rockwood 1 to 2. Pleasant Valley 2:45 to 3:15. Bellrose 3:30 to 4.

Hotpoint electric appliances. Gresham Electric Co. Phone 31.

QUEEN RACE INTERESTS MANY

The Gresham Poultry club has a candidate up for Fourth of July queen. She is Miss Gertrude Brugger, secretary of the poultry club. Miss Gertrude is said to have all of the qualifications for a queen—she is pretty, clever and a popular member of the grade school as well as an enthusiastic club member.

Mrs. H. H. Eling entered Miss Brugger's name this morning with 1000 votes to her credit. The club members, members of the grade school will rally to her support and work hard to place her on the list of permanent candidates.

SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED FOR JUNE 12

Notices have been posted in Cedar, Lusted, Fairview, Rockwood and Victory districts as well as Union High school District No. 2 calling an election to vote on the petitions of the districts named who are petitioning to join the Union high school district. The election will be held Saturday, June 12.

The voting in the union district will be at the Bank of Gresham from 9 a. m. until 3 p. m.

In the other districts each board will set the voting hours for their district.

No returns have been received from the Clackamas county school district boundary board and the Clackamas county districts will not be voted upon at this election.

Several questions have arisen over the qualifications for voters.

Section 233 Oregon school laws for 1919 under Qualifications of Voters reads as follows:

Any citizen of this state, male or female, who is 21 years of age and has resided in the district 30 days immediately preceding the election and has property in the district, as shown by the last county assessment, and not assessed by the sheriff, on which he or she is liable or subject to pay a tax, shall be entitled to vote at any school meeting or election in said district, provided, that any person shall be deemed to have complied with the property qualifications imposed by this section who presents to the directors or judges of election satisfactory evidence that he or she has stock, shares, or ownership in any corporation, firm or copartnership which has property in the district, as shown by the last county assessment, provided further that in districts of the third class, any head of a family who is otherwise a qualified elector, and having children of school age, may vote at such election without property qualifications.

OLD FRIENDS GATHER AT PLEASANT REUNION

A delightful reunion of old friends and acquaintances was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Axtell on Third street, Gresham Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mr. Axtell's mother, Mrs. E. A. Smith of Salem, and Mrs. H. Scott from Marshall, Minnesota, a life-time friend of Mrs. Smith and a long-time acquaintance of Mr. and Mrs. Axtell in the old Wisconsin home.

The gathering was a complete surprise, arranged and carried out by Mrs. Axtell's own inimitable successful way as an entertainer. The scheme was so adroitly carried out that every moment was a fresh inspiration of joyful friendly greetings.

The company present were Mrs. Sharp, sister of Mrs. Axtell, and daughter of Mrs. Smith, and two sons Percy and Millard Sharp of Estacada, Mrs. Julia Snover, Mrs. Bert Stone, Mrs. Hiram Stone and son Roy, all of Fairview. Others from Fairview were invited but were unable to attend.

Delightful refreshments were served and fully enjoyed amid the usual accompaniment of chatter and laughter of happy hearts. The occasion was one long to be remembered by all who were there.

ADJOURNED MEETING OF COUNCIL WEDNESDAY

The town council met Tuesday night and passed on several bills and appointed committees to investigate several petitions for water which were on file.

No action regarding the auto parking grounds was taken and the vote of the recent election was not canvassed at that meeting owing to the fact that the meeting was late in getting down to business.

The meeting adjourned until next Wednesday evening, June 9 at which time several important matters are to be considered.

PLEASANT VALLEY

E. P. Evans and Jas. McLean were Gresham visitors Monday.

Grandma Sager, of Lents, spent a few days this week visiting with relatives in this neighborhood.

Mrs. Will Richey and Mrs. G. N. Sager were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ellingham of Mt. Tabor on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ekstrand are entertaining Mrs. Ekstrand's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Edholm of Albany.

Mrs. Kitty Bateman is attending state grants at Bend this week. Mrs. Bateman is representing Pleasant Valley grange as delegate.

W. U. Moore is adding another room to his dwelling.

Frank Hill is building a new bungalow on his place.

Mrs. Frank Vincent and Mrs. Mille Elwood of Portland were guests of Mrs. W. U. Moore one day recently.

It is understood that the Red Cross has entered Vivian Lovelace and that the firemen have again chosen Opal Phillips as their candidate. There are probably a number of other candidates with strong backing.

U. H. S. WILL GRADUATE TWENTY PUPILS TONIGHT

Commencement exercises will be held in the Masonic hall this evening at 8:30 p. m. This marks the close of a very successful year of school at Union High school and a splendid class of 15 girls and five boys will receive their diplomas and leave the halls of Union High. The following students have finished their work:

Wilma M. Atterbury, Ida E. Chase, Violet M. Coe, Gertrude L. Dowsett, Florence A. Gill, Ruth P. Hartley, Benema L. Mathews, Mabel G. Metzger, Thelma I. Metzger, Olga E. Noreen, Esther A. Peterson, Letitia B. Pulfer, Florence J. Richey, Elsa M. Smith, Marie E. Tachon, Albert D. Camp, Lang M. Goodwin, Bayard A. Miller, Edward W. Strong, Emmett O. Welling.

The program this evening will be as follows:

Overture, (a) Magneta (Huff), (b) Grand Avenue (Hazel)—Union High Orchestra.

Precessional—March, Prof. Tom G. Taylor.

FAIRVIEW

Mrs. W. Richards received a telegram from Burlington, Kansas, announcing the death of her sister, Miss Belle Taylor.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a social evening and lunch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Burlingame on next Wednesday evening, June 9. All are cordially invited.

T. J. Savage and children, Ethel, Irene and Lloyd of Woodland, Washington, were week-end guests of their aunt and sister-in-law, Mrs. J. Moller. They drove up in their new auto.

Members of the Fairview Masonic lodge and Eastern Star attended the funeral of S. S. Logan, formerly of Troutdale, but late of Portland, this afternoon in Portland.

Fairview grange meets on Saturday. The question of the Oregon school law, particularly relating to the high school question, will be discussed at the lecture hour. All who are interested in the high school question which we are soon to vote on are requested to be present.

The election for voting on joining Union High school District No. 2 will be held on Saturday afternoon, June 12 from 4 to 8 o'clock in the city hall. J. Jonas will be chairman of this election.

Mrs. Alma Hall, who has been with her daughter in eastern Oregon all winter, has again returned to Fairview.

Word has been received of the sudden death of Rev. I. B. Self, who dropped dead while in Gresham on Wednesday. Later report of his good work while in Fairview will be published in Tuesday's paper.

LUSTED

C. A. Baker, who lives on the Base Line road, recently purchased the Ed. Hamilton farm. The papers were closed today but Mr. Baker will not take possession until November 1. At this writing Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton are undecided as to where they will locate.

Miss Buelah Pitney and W. Spaulding, of Portland, visited at the J. B. Lent home Sunday and Monday.

Miss Jean Lent has returned from Clatskanie, where she has just closed a successful school year. She has been re-elected as teacher for the coming year.

Lusted school closed last Friday and the picnic and entertainment was held Saturday at the schoolhouse. A large crowd attended and everyone had a splendid time. The school was a great success and the teacher, Mrs. Ten Eyck was re-elected to teach the next term. Miss Grace Fieldhouse of Gresham has been secured to assist her.

Local Dealer Praises Sedan.

Discussing the Overland Sedan Mr. Hessel says:

"The fact is that 90 per cent of those owning touring cars rarely put their tops down. Few car buyers can afford more than one car. The economical choice therefore, is the Overland Sedan, which provides remarkably smooth riding comfort because of its Triplex Springs.

"Offering protection from dust, rain, sun, cold and snow, the Overland Sedan's great growth in popularity has been only logical. In this Sedan, for example, it is but a moment's work to lower or open the wide, clear-vision windows giving the car all of the advantages of the touring model, in addition to retaining those comforts obtainable in the Sedan type. And the Overland Sedan weighs only 200 pounds more than the touring car.

"In case of sudden rain storms, peculiar to summer, there is no hurried, anxious work of putting up side curtains. You merely raise the windows and still have no shut-in feeling. At certain times of the year, especially after a hot day, the nights turn suddenly cool. In the Sedan, then you ride in shelter and comfort.

"For summer shopping in the city, the Sedan should make a distinct appeal to women. The doors of the Sedan are equipped with locks. Parcels left in the car are safe; the car is locked against theft and there need be no fear for children left sitting in the car unattended."

*Eat More Fruit.
Fruit is cheaper than doctor bills. —Adv.

Western Electric company farm lighting plants. Electric lights for everyone. Gresham Electric company. Phone 31.

When hungry or thirsty drop in at the Good Eats restaurant on the corner of Main and Powell street. You will find the best cup of coffee on earth and the house of good steaks. —Adv.

C. G. MILLS, Prop.

EASTERN STAR FORMS SOCIAL CLUB

The Eastern Star held their regular meeting last Tuesday evening in the Masonic hall kitchen. They had one of the jolliest sessions that has been held for some time. A short business session was held during which they made plans for the social evening which will be held July 6th.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for this meeting is Mrs. Maxwell Schneider, Mrs. Geo. Page, Mrs. John Ide, Mrs. I. Anderson, K. A. Miller and L. L. Kidder.

This meeting will be the next meeting of the Eastern Star as the regular business meeting falls on the 15th and at that time the grand chapter of Masonic and Eastern Star orders will be in session in Portland and all Gresham members are urged to attend. The grand chapter meets from the 14th to the 18th of June.

After the business meeting the members organized a social club to which members of the Eastern Star and Masonic lodges are eligible.

Mrs. O. J. Brown was temporary chairman. The following officers were elected: Mrs. S. B. Hall, president; Mrs. Benj. Cameron, vice president; Mrs. Ed. Metzger, secretary-treasurer.

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WILL FORM HEALTH ASSN. ON JUNE 8TH

A meeting has been called for next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the courthouse, Room 720, Portland, for the purpose of discussing and endorsing the work of the Multnomah County public health nurse, Miss Ruth Young.

Four months ago under the auspices of the Oregon Tuberculosis association, Miss Young began a demonstration of county public health nursing in this county. She has been giving talks on health before schools and groups of adults in the different parts of the county, has been inspecting the pupils in the schools outside of Portland and notifying the parents where their children appeared to be below normal physically, and she has been a friendly visitor in many homes, both town and rural, helping the parents with advice and instruction. Thus there has been begun a very practical, basic step toward better community health.

Twelve other Oregon counties have public health nurses doing similar work. During this coming summer, the State Bureau of Nursing which is a department of the State Board of Health and which has the general supervision of all public health nursing in the state will place county nurses in several more counties. This is Oregon, along with every state in the Union, making rapid progress in this forward, constructive movement.

The meeting next Tuesday, June 8, to which all who are interested in this work are invited and urged to come, will be in the nature of a rally and a general expression of approval of the work. Public health nursing in any community needs the moral support and backing of the lay people of that community. The financial backing will be taken care of by public funds appropriated by the county commissioners at the regular budget making.

In order that Miss Young and her work may be more closely identified with Multnomah county people, it is proposed to organize at the Tuesday meeting a Multnomah County Public Health association. This will be very similar in structure to the Portland Visiting Nurse association and will have the direct supervision of the county nurse's work. There are now seven such county associations in the state—in Jackson, Coos, Lane, Washington, Clackamas, Hood River and Union counties. Each of these associations is becoming a strong factor in the promotion of better health conditions in its county.

It is hoped that every section of Multnomah county will be well represented at the organization meeting. A number of short talks by representative people of the county is being arranged for and an interesting hour is assured all who come.

GUY READ WEDS
PORTLAND GIRL

Miss Edith Mathes and Guy R. Read of Portland were married June 1st at the home of the bride's parents in Portland.

The wedding was solemnized by the Rev. R. H. Sawyer, pastor of the East Side Christian church, in the presence of a number of friends and relatives. The house was beautifully decorated with green ferns.

The bride was charmingly gowned in white and her tulle veil was attractively arranged. Miss Ethel Mathes, sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid and Ross Read, brother of the groom, was the best man. Little Viola Read, niece of the groom, acted as flower girl and James Williams, a nephew, was ring-bearer. Before the ceremony T. F. Haley sang "O Promise Me."

Mr. Read is well known here where he attended high school several years ago. He is also an overseas man, having spent more than a year in France where he was wounded.

Many friends here will wish the young couple a long and happy life.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD
FOR CLARA NASSHAHN

Clara Myrie Nasshahn, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Nasshahn died at her home in Pleasant Home, May 31, 1920 after two months illness.

Miss Nasshahn was born at Merrillville, Indiana, June 12, 1861. She came to Oregon with her parents when she was 7 years old. She attended school at Orient where she graduated and spent two years at Union High school.

Before her illness she was a regular member of the Baptist Sunday school and church at Pleasant Home. Three years ago on Decision day Miss Nasshahn was one of those who made the decision to be on the Lord's side. She will be greatly missed in her home and in her community.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Thursday at 9:30 a. m. Rev. Robert Gale Kay conducted the services. He was assisted by Rev. Earl B. Cotton. The choir was composed of friends of the deceased. Many beautiful flowers covered her last resting place in the Pleasant Home cemetery.

She leaves to mourn their loss her parents, three brothers and three sisters, all of Pleasant Home. Besides these there are many loving friends and relatives who will mourn the loss of a dear loved one.

Fire Contract Awarded.

Probably the biggest tire contract ever awarded in the state of North Dakota, was recently given to the Fisk Rubber Co., of Chicago Falls, Mass. The contract was awarded through the Massachusetts Company's Bismark Branch by the state highway commission, and it called for equipment for 300 military trucks and 50 touring cars, which the commission has borrowed for road work in that state. A few of the trucks, the majority of which are of the four-wheel drive type, and which range from one and a half to five ton capacities, will be equipped with solid tires, but a considerable number will be mounted on heavy pneumatics.

These trucks are distributed by districts, and are used for hauling materials, patrol work and upkeep. They enter into the maintenance of the roads already constructed, each of the larger trucks being capable of keeping in good condition a sizable stretch of highway.

Fisk Tires were chosen because of the wonderful results being obtained all over the United States by Fisk Truck Tires.

Keep in style. Try one of those "classy-fed" ads.

Get your cleaning and pressing done at the Gresham Steam Laundry. Satisfaction guaranteed.—Adv.

GRESHAM WOMAN LOSES PURSE

Mrs. Nora Withrow feels that Wednesday the fates must have been against her for she lost a wallet in Portland containing \$900 in currency.

Mrs. Withrow has for many years had a safe deposit box in the Chamber of Commerce building. The rent was due on the 31st of this month and she decided to rent a box at one of the Gresham banks and made the trip into Portland last Wednesday morning to bring out the papers, valuables and money that were stored in the box. The hand bag which she carried was so filled with papers and the small bundles and packages that there was no room in the bag for the wallet containing the money.

Slipping the wallet into her coat pocket Mrs. Withrow left the Chamber of Commerce building and made her way directly to the jitney on First and Alder. On her arrival

home she put her hand bag on the bed and put her coat and hat over it and rushed out to assist in serving dinner. It was only after dinner when she returned to her room that she discovered the loss.

The shock prostrated her and it was some time before she recovered enough to tell her friends of the loss. The police station was immediately notified and an advertisement placed in the Portland papers offering a reward for its recovery.

Mrs. Withrow is certain that her purse must have been lost between the Chamber of Commerce and the jitney.

The hand bag with papers, gold coins, and jewelry which she carried is safe but the wallet and money is missing.

Mrs. Withrow is somewhat improved today but is still confined to her room and has been under doctor's care ever since Wednesday.