

MULTNOMAH GRANGE PLANS BIG PROGRAM

Multnomah grange No. 71 will hold its regular meeting next Saturday, May 28. The day will be full of good things. R. I. Anderson, the master, wishes to have the grange open promptly at 10:30 as a number of persons are ready to take the first and second degrees.

Those being presented at this time will be Mrs. E. Duker, Fred Radford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lake, Mr. and Mrs. E. Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong, Herbert Armstrong and A. A. McMillen. Mrs. A. A. McMillen will be reinstated and Mr. and Mrs. J. Byron will be given the third and fourth degrees.

The usual good dinner will be served at noon after which the program will begin at 1:30.

The following numbers have been arranged:

Opening song—"Tramp, Tramp, Tramp."

Recitation—"Older Folks", Carrie Ekstrom.

Song by male quartet from Franklin High.

Dialogue by four little girls.

Solo—Miss Edith Snyder of Portland.

Recitation—Harriet Anderson.

Mixed quartet from Franklin High.

Recitation—Louise and Dorothy Wheeler.

Song by male quartet from Franklin High.

Memorial march by 10 children.

Piano solo—Florence Kligel.

Mixed quartet from Franklin High.

Recitation—Jessie Snyder.

Address—Prf. I. A. Melody of Portland.

Professor Melody will speak on the various phases of bee raising in which he has had considerable experience and much study. His lecture will be of interest to many as the keeping of bees is a part of farm life that is most neglected in this part of the county.

Chas. Walsh, musical director of Franklin High school, will be present with his students who will put on some excellent numbers. Miss Snyder is spoken of in Portland musical circles as a future prima donna and is considered one of the finest sopranos of her age in the city.

This being Children's day, the Old Woman that lived in a shoe will be present and will offer her children for adoption. Each child present will have the privilege of taking home one of her babies. All grangers and their friends are cordially invited to attend this session of the grange.

MISSIONARY WORKERS WILL MEET FRIDAY

The annual convention of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church of the Portland district will be held Friday at Laurelwood Methodist Episcopal church. Election of officers and reports of committees will be the principal business of the morning session. Mrs. May C. Bliss will deliver an address at the afternoon session.

The delegates to this convention elected by the local society are Mrs. A. S. Hisey, Mrs. C. M. Zimmerman, Mrs. James Sterling and Mrs. B. L. Walrad. It is expected that a number of women besides these will attend the convention.

NEW FACTORY WANTS SITE IN GRESHAM

There will be a special meeting of the Gresham Business association in the city hall, Thursday night, May 26, at 8 o'clock. The business men and others interested are invited to meet Mr. Butler and associates who are about to start a wood-working factory in Gresham, to be located on the Mt. Hood railroad. This is said to be a sure thing, being an incorporation with a capital stock of \$75,000. Large orders are said to be waiting and they are in a hurry to get a location, to consist of three acres, and start their factory. They ask for a site under certain conditions. It is important that the citizens interested be present Thursday night to meet these men and consider their offer.

Concert for Powell Valley.

The choir of Lutheran Emanuel church of Portland will give a grand concert in the Swedish Lutheran Saron church of Powell Valley on Sunday, June 5, at 3 o'clock p. m. The time has been changed from May 28.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our grateful appreciation to the friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us in our recent bereavement and for the beautiful floral offerings.

RHEUBY J. ROBINSON,
J. M. ROBINSON.

COUNTY SCHOOLS GRADUATE 200

A fine group of 200 young people just entering their teens were graduated from the eighth grade this year and diplomas were presented by Ralph W. Hoyt, county commissioner, at the exercises which were held at the auditorium of the Lincoln High school Saturday morning.

The address to the class was made by Mayor Geo. L. Baker.

Catherine Metzger of Gresham gave the prologue and other members of the school took part in the program which was especially pleasing.

Gresham led in the number of graduates, there being 24 in the class. The graduates of this part of the county are:

Electa Arthur, James Bechill, Eliza Bechill, Fern Burton, Kathleen Bailey, Clyde Cunningham, Orville Davidson, Stafford Dowsett, Margaret Fitzgerald, Genard Gleason, Hallie Jones, Florence Kern, Joyce Klidder, Edward Stubbs, Wellesley Taylor, Maxine Thomas, Vada Anderson, Willene Botkin, Willa Bushong, Ina Smith, Mable Winters, Robert O'Donnell, Carlitos Strebin, Claire Stockton.

Wilkes—Clarence Fisher, William Kercher, Nick Spada, Jennie Spada, Fay Willis.

Orient—Harold Carlson, Wilma Chase, Emma Bozarth, Alver Ekstrom, Arthur Nashahn, Marie Olson, Clara Johnson, Harold Weisenberg.

Pleasant View—Burton Chamberlain, Zesne Lenore Ingrahm.

Victory—Melvin McCreary.

Pleasant Valley—Barbara Conly, Frances Dahlquist, Berta Evans, Violet Hogan, Edward Poppleton.

Lynch—Agnes Dickson, Arthur Eddy, Helen Lawrence, Leslie Lynch, Clifford Middleton.

Buckley—Margaret Allen, Nancy Cheek, Agnes Dollowitch, Minnie Rosenkrantz.

Corbett—Lawrence Anderson, Harold Chamberlain, Horace Evans, Walter Hodges, Dolores Morgan, Weldon Squires, Walter Sinclair, Hortense Soward.

District No. 44—Ceil Pullen, Glenn Bandy.

Gilbert—Clayton Black, William Burdick, Willard Dolson, Dudley Franco, Helen Hobson, Arlie Lockwood, Bonita Maxwell, Omega McBee, Edna Platt, Gertrude Schalk, Helen Wright, Norman Furley.

Terry—Mary H. Cowing, Alice Daniels, Ruth Kneifel.

Cedar—Harry Curry, Annie Moffit, Ethel Moffit, Grace Welch.

Lusted—Ella Baker, Wilma Davies, Nellie Pitts, Ernest Quay.

Fairview—Alice Lawrence, Melvin Moller.

Troutdale—Edwin Howell, Gus Helming, Clifford Nash, Cella Crawford, Mildred Surber.

Springdale—Leonard Carter, Gaylord Davies, Alice Larson, Helen Larson, Bert Parsons, Edward Parsons, Raymond Reeves, Edward Shelly, Russell Wilkinson, Florence Wilson.

Powell Valley—Martha Danielson, Robey Lyon, Agnes Lundquist, Rena Mattson, Arthur Mattson, Sarah Metzger, Edith Taylor.

Rockwood—Harold Cook, Burdett Angell, Geraldine Angell, Ida Burgess, Harry Esingmunger, Juanita Tyson.

Hurlbert—Albert Soderstrom, Esther Tollefson.

Latourell—Mabel Ladd, Tacy Racine.

Springfield—Marie Ihrke.

Bridal Veil—Marie Anderson, Laverna Boyce, Burton Bush, Charles Lawrence, Stella Weise.

Mountain—Marion Butler, Thelma Burkholder.

MINISTERS INVITED TO SEE PHOTOPLAY

Ministers of all denominations are to be guests of Manager Adrian Saturday, at 2:30, to see the screen production of "Inside the Cup." This screen classic is one of the season's best productions, and deals with a problem that confronts, to some extent, thousands of churches. "Inside the Cup" will be given Saturday, matinee and night, and Sunday night.

The junior class play, "Green Stockings" was very successfully carried out. The proceeds from the play were good and will be used to meet the expenses of the class. Much credit for the success of the play is given to Louise May Wilson, the coach and Miss Morrison who assisted.

A character party was enjoyed at the library Tuesday afternoon by 25 or 30 children. A number of characters were represented and a jolly afternoon of games resulted from the leadership of Miss H. Ruth Montague.

Fair Debt Must Be Liquidated Call Made for Stock Subscriptions

\$15,000 Needed in Sixty Days

An increase of \$15,000 in the capital stock of the Multnomah County Fair association, authorized by the unanimous vote of nearly all the stockholders at a meeting held last week, means more than one would suppose at a first impression upon reading the announcement. The extra 3000 shares thus provided for are to be offered for sale to the public and in success or defeat of the venture means the life or death of the fair in Gresham.

It has been publicly known for two or three years that the association is deeply in debt. The indebtedness in round figures is \$19,000 upon which annual interest is being paid. It is also well known that last year's fair was a financial failure, principally owing to bad weather. While the grounds and buildings of the association are worth all or more than the indebtedness it is plainly evident that the heavy interest charges and other expenses are too great a burden to be carried any longer, and, unless the indebtedness can be materially reduced the fair will have to succumb to the inevitable.

With the sale of the increased capital stock the indebtedness can be reduced proportionately. With a successful fair this year the interest can be paid off and probably a surplus of a few hundred dollars can be laid aside for improvements. Two more buildings must be provided if the fair is to continue, one of which is to be used for the growing needs of the schools. This one feature alone should appeal to everyone for the reason that the fair has been the foster parent of the school work in industrial lines. The buildings erected two years ago is already too small by half and more room must be provided. The association is appealing to the school patrons throughout the county to keep this feature alive and growing. The fair is the greatest auxiliary of the agricultural and industrial school efforts and calls for the full support of everyone.

The volunteer work on the fair grounds last week is an evidence of the needs of the association. There is no money in the treasury to pay for such work and the board of directors, with some outside assistance, took off their coats and did a big job that was fully worth \$200. Much more is to be done but there is no money to pay for it. The directors are keeping down expenses and practicing the utmost economy in order to make a good financial showing this year. Everything is coming along in fine shape. Space is being taken for more exhibits and concessions than ever before. The greatest carnival show that ever set stakes here has been booked for fair week, and there is every prospect that the fair this year will be a winner. Nothing but bad weather can stop it.

Contracts for stock subscriptions have been printed and placed in the hands of solicitors for subscriptions. The territory of Eastern Multnomah from Rockwood out has been assigned to E. L. Thorpe, one of the board of directors. He will make a complete canvass of his territory and the association expects that he will receive the hearty co-operation of every person who can spare the money for one or more shares. Other solicitors will be placed in the city of Portland and in the country districts west of the Rockwood, and it is believed that there will be enough patriotism in the county to guarantee the sale of the entire offering within a few weeks. If the money can be raised as expected there will be two new buildings on the fair grounds before the opening date of the fair—possibly three. The needed structures are for the schools, the automobile club and the rabbit industry, all of which are demanding more room. The automobile people will need a ground space nearly as large as the old pavilion; the rabbits are a new and growing department and will be kept separate from the poultry hereafter.

Mr. Thorpe will be in the field constantly with headquarters at the Outlook office. Those who want to see him may leave word at the Outlook desk or send in a phone call. Everyone should remember that this is an urgent matter and that the raising of the needed sum is a matter of life or death to the county fair which is the greatest public asset aside from the public schools in Eastern Multnomah county. Do you want the fair to continue and grow or do you want to see it die? The result depends upon those who are not now stockholders, but who may become so and upon them the impetus for future development of the agricultural industry depends in this section.

Reports of the progress of the canvass will be made from time to time. Remember that this is the last appeal of the fair for its future existence. To fail now means the abandonment of one of our greatest institutions, built up at a great sacrifice by a few who have kept it going under great difficulties for fifteen years. Will you help now or see the fair die?

MAKES MEMORIAL DAY APPEAL

We feel called upon to make an appeal to the good citizens of Gresham to come out on the day set apart for the purpose of honoring the brave men who went forth to save this beautiful country, that we who remain might enjoy the blessings and happiness and justice, without which no nation can expect to live forever.

We hope you will come out in good round numbers to pay a fitting tribute to the brave, noble dead, who sleep in the homeland, beneath the sea, or in foreign lands. This is really the least we can do. The ranks are thinning each year. Soon they will be gone. Then we will have another duty to the boys of the late war and we shall expect to do our duty by them the same. To the members of the American Legion and the Women's auxiliary we extend a most cordial invitation to be with us on that day.

The place of the meeting and program will be announced in the next issue of the Outlook.

MRS. VENA SNASHALL,
President M. A. Ross Women's Relief Corps No. 8.

INTOXICATED CONDITION LEADS TO ARREST

Carl Soderquist and Telford Johnson, both minors, were arrested Saturday evening for being on the streets of Gresham in an intoxicated condition.

Trial was set for this afternoon at 2 when both boys pleaded guilty and were given fines of \$25 and \$30 respectively and were admonished by C. G. Schneider, municipal judge, to quit the drinking of moonshine while it was still possible. "Continue in this way and you will find it leads to more trouble" he said. The liquor was obtained in Portland the boys said.

BUNDLE DAY HERE TO AID ARMENIANS

This is Armenian Relief week and tomorrow will be Bundle Day. Mayor K. A. Miller is making a special appeal to the people of Gresham and vicinity to give all possible assistance to the movement. He has appointed the city hall as the place where people may leave garments intended for this purpose. The hall will be open any day this week and contributions may be left there. Any garments are acceptable if they still have some wearing qualities left, excepting that old silks and satins are discarded. Toys for the children are also solicited and colored pictures.

RAG RUGS woven, Third street near Hood avenue, phone 993. 26

GRESHAM BALL TEAM WINS EASY VICTORY

Sunday afternoon, the Gresham base ball team met and defeated the Canby aggregation by the decisive score of 10 to 1. The Canby team got to Stockton in the very first inning for a run and two hits, but after that "Stock" had the down-state boys eating out of his hand. He had wonderful control, striking out eight and only allowing four hits and hitting one batsman.

The warm day put the "pep" into the boys and they played stellar ball, making only two errors during the entire fray. The entire team aided in hitting the ball, every one in the lineup getting one or more hits, with the exception of Veach, who complained of a sore ankle, a reminder of the battle at Sandy last Sunday.

On Sunday, May 29, Gresham meets the Vancouver Soldier team, and on Monday, May 30th they will cross bats with the American Can Company. Both games are scheduled for the Gresham grounds and are called at 2:30.

The box score:

CANBY:	AB	R	H	SO	E
E. Gribble, c.	4	1	2	1	0
A. Gribble, rf.	4	0	1	1	0
Woods, ss.	4	0	1	0	0
Whipple, lb.	4	0	0	3	0
Huilras, lf.	4	0	0	1	0
Gibson, cf.	3	0	0	2	1
Dodge, 3b.	3	0	0	0	0
Lorenz, 2b.	3	0	0	1	1
Mack, p.	3	0	0	0	2
Total	32	1	4	8	4

GRESHAM:

Brooks, cf.	5	2	4	1	0
Stone, 2b.	4	2	2	2	0
Bateman, c.	5	1	1	0	0
Metzger, lb.	5	1	2	1	1
Brown, lf.	4	0	1	0	0
Crawford, ss.	4	1	2	0	0
Hamlin, rf.	3	1	1	2	1
Veach, 3b.	3	1	0	1	1
Stockton, p.	3	1	2	0	0
Total	36	10	15	7	3

Summary: 2 base hits, E Gribble, A Gribble, Woods, Brooks, (2) Metzger (2)

3 base hits, Stockton, Brown.

Sacrifice hit—Stone, Hamlin.

Passed ball—E. Gribble.

Hit by pitcher—by Stockton (Gibson); by Mack (Stockton).

Double plays—Lorenz to Woods to Whipple; Brown to Crawford.

REBEKAH DELEGATES ENJOY ALBANY TRIP

Mrs. Christena Humason, Mrs. Calla Kenny, Mrs. Anna Allishouse and Mrs. Lena Needham attended the Rebekah assembly at Albany last week. The two former went as delegates from the Gresham lodge and the two others as visitors. There were more than 600 in attendance. The Odd Fellows convention was held at the same time but the Gresham delegates were unable to attend.

Tuesday, the first day of the assembly, the convention guests were taken to Corvallis where they made an inspection of the buildings.

The delegates report that Albany is a fine convention town and that everything was done for the comfort and pleasure of the visitors. The convention closed Thursday.

The Gresham ladies enjoyed a special treat in a trip through a packing plant.

Monday evening the delegates made their reports at the regular meeting of the Rebekahs.

An especially good time was enjoyed by those present and the Odd Fellows contributed to the pleasure by surprising them with ice cream.

The following officers were elected to serve for the next year: Mrs. Annabelle Kirkwood, N. G.; Mrs. Emma Walrad, V. G.; Mrs. Katie Sunday, secretary; Mrs. Calla Kenney, treasurer.

W. R. C. AND G. A. R. ENJOY MEETING

Department President Mrs. Cora McBride, Mr. and Mrs. Slaughterback, Mr. and Mrs. Worden, and Mr. Taylor were Portland visitors at the meeting of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. which was held at the grange hall last Saturday.

This was an unusually pleasant affair and there was a large attendance. A delicious dinner was served at noon.

A feature of the day's program was the presentation to the W. R. C. by N. L. Smith of a beautiful bouquet of flowers. Mr. Smith was able to attend the meeting which was a pleasure to himself and friends.

Fordson to Demonstrate Stump Pulling Ability.

Thursday, May 26, a demonstration of stump pulling will be given at the B. F. Dahlhammer farm on the Rockwood crossroad. A Fordson tractor will demonstrate its ability to handle this type of work.

All interested are invited to attend. The farm is located on the crossroad between the Section Line and Powell Valley roads.

ICE PLANT PLANNED FOR THIS VICINITY

At last Gresham is to have an ice plant to supply ice to the residents of the town and vicinity. This was disclosed at the adjourned meeting of the council held Monday evening. M. E. Williams requested the council to give special water rates to him on account of the large amount necessary and he was allowed a rate of 10 cents.

The new industry will be located in a building just back of Mrs. E. Boughner's Novelty shop. Operations will commence in about 10 days.

The question of the water rate which the city is paying the city or Portland was discussed. Some of the councilmen felt that the rate is too high and a committee was appointed to investigate and report later.

The council ordered that the two-inch water pipe on First street which ends at Murphy's, be extended to Ava avenue. It is understood that three new dwellings are to be erected in that section this summer and the larger pipe line is needed to handle the section.

The committee that was appointed to investigate on the annexation of the property near the high school to the city reported favorably. This section includes about 25 acres. A petition will be circulated at once and an election called to vote on both tracts of land, the other one being east and south of Gresham.

The tract near the high school is bounded by a line that begins at a point on the city limits about 800 feet east of Main street, runs north to the north line of Mrs. Mary Stubbs' property, thence west 800 feet to Main street, then west of Main street 40 rods and then south to city limits.

The council unanimously passed a resolution requesting the county authorities to deputize the two town marshals as deputy sheriffs. At present their authority under no consideration or circumstances extends beyond the town limits but as deputy sheriffs they could cross the limits if necessary in pursuit of a law violator.

An amendment to the ordinance regulating pool halls was ordered drafted and the order passed without a dissenting voice. This amendment would close the halls at 10 p. m. instead of 12 p. m. as at present.

The council also ordered that the camp grounds be inspected and put into shape for the summer travel.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

Education in religion and morals is receiving renewed interest and attention by the church and other educational institutions.

The Vacation Bible school at the Methodist church which will begin Tuesday of next week is receiving the endorsement of the educational and religious leaders of the community. Parents are giving it their support and the boys and girls are looking forward with eagerness to the opening day.

The school will open each morning with a period of singing, worship, and Bible stories, in which all will take part. The scholars will learn some of the best hymns of the church, which will make them feel at home in any church gathering. There will be lively, interesting contests, drills in the use of the Bible, and a period of gymnastic exercises.

The second hour will be taken up with classes suited to the needs of the different ages. There will be studies in the catechisms, in church history, lives of the heroes of the church, and in the Bible.

As every school must have a text book, each child is requested to bring his own Bible.

The last half hour will be given over to organized play, with games suited to the age and the strength of the different groups.

There will be something for every minute of the forenoon for every pupil.

All the boys and girls of Gresham who have had at least one year in school will be welcomed to the classes.

The cooperation of the parents and the community will help greatly to make this our first Vacation School a great success.

Infant Son of Mrs. Bessie Cunningham Dies.

Lionel John Cunningham, infant son of Mrs. Bessie Cunningham died Saturday, May 22. He was two weeks and one day old but had suffered from convulsions during a greater part of his short life.

Funeral services were held Monday morning and the little body was laid to rest in the Gresham cemetery. The father of the baby was killed several months ago in a mill accident.

W. C. T. U. DINNER
Wednesday, May 25, beginning at 5:45 p. m.
At Gresham Grange Hall

MENU

Potatoes	Sweet Pickles	Veal Croquettes with Tomato Sauce
		Salad and Saltines
	Hot Parker House Rolls	
Wild Blackberry pie a la mode	Tea and Coffee	

All for 50 cents