

## PLANS FOR FALL FAIR ARE MATURING FAST

The Multnomah County Fair Board met Monday afternoon and discussed plans for the 1921 fair which is only about 60 days off at the present time.

One of the main questions under discussion was the sale of tickets and the regulations governing them. The fair board was favorable toward the proposition of granting all the privileges possible with the tickets but from past experiences find it impossible to make as many concessions as they would like in the matter of giving permits. Some plan that will make it possible to give passes to those who have really urgent business on the outside of the grounds will probably be evolved but just for trivial matters the old ruling of no passes will be enforced. This ruling applies to all other forms of amusement it was pointed out. Picture shows, theatres, Chautauqs etc., give no passes except perhaps on most unusual and emergency cases.

Several new styles of tickets were suggested from a book of six tickets which could be used by an individual or a family to a ticket carrying 18 admissions for those who wish to go in and out of the fair grounds during the day.

It was voted to leave the question of securing tickets and the decision as to kind to the president, H. A. Lewis. To Mr. Lewis also will fall the question of securing someone to direct an extensive campaign of ticket selling in the city of Portland.

Much dissatisfaction was expressed over the condition in which the fair grounds was left after the Fourth of July celebration. The directors have spent several weeks in getting things in order and have put in a great deal of hard work and effort. Now the condition of the grounds is such that it will take a good proportion of the time Friday to set to rights and clear up the rubbish left by the crowds. The board authorized John Sleret to meet the committee in charge of the Fourth of July arrangements and the responsibility for clearing up the trash to be put upon them.

H. W. Smishall is enthusiastic over his part of the fair program and says that the chautauqua program is developing in fine shape. The W. C. T. U. has asked for an afternoon and evening in which they will put on programs and Russellville Grange has also spoken for an afternoon and evening in which they will be responsible for the entertainment.

Besides these Mr. Smishall says that many individuals have volunteered and no one approached upon the subject has refused but all are enthusiastic over the proposition and willing to assist in every way.

Plans for the erection of the auditorium to be used at the field day meeting, July 30, were discussed. The granges clean-up day is scheduled for Friday, July 15 and every one is expected to turn out in full force. The workers are all expected to bring their lunch and the Gresham ladies agreed to furnish hot coffee made over a camp fire at the grounds.

The enthusiasm and self-sacrificing interest of the directors in the coming fair and their avowed purpose of giving a fair that will please the people, steer clear and clean of the questionable features and work along a line that will develop the county as well as the fair should be a surety of success and should bring the support of every member of the community. The kind of support that says, "Here am I, what can I do?"

## NEW ICE PLANT WILL SUPPLY URGENT DEMAND

Ice making machinery has been installed and the manufacture of ice has already commenced in the building at the rear of Mrs. Boughner's Novelty Shop on Powell street in Gresham. The ice plant is a branch of the Pacific Sales and Engineering company of Portland and is in charge of C. L. Morse. The ice plant is doing very satisfactory work and the ice is clear and of a good lasting quality. The first deliveries were made yesterday and from now on a schedule will be followed which will supply business houses and homes in all the surrounding territory. On Mondays and Fridays the delivery truck will go to Boring, Damascus, Estacada and Powell Valley; on Tuesdays and Saturdays to Sandy. On Wednesdays and Fridays the needs of Gresham and vicinity will be attended to.

A few fifty pound blocks which were carried to Boring and back Monday were set out in the open and late today there were still large pieces of ice left in each block and it looked as if there would still be ice there tomorrow at this time.

This ice plant is really the first plant of this kind to be established in Gresham although there have been a number of smaller plants in the meat shops and at the cannery this is the first plant to start on a commercial basis and fills a great need in this vicinity. Especially in the surrounding territory where there has never been any ice delivery in the communities surrounding Gresham.

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## Fair Site Booster Picnic Next Saturday

BERRY GROWERS TO INSPECT FIELDS JULY 16TH

The small fruits committee of the Multnomah county farm bureau, has arranged a tour of the berry fields for Saturday, July 16. The tour has been arranged that the growers may see the results of the different methods of trellising and fertilization.

The touring party will leave the office of the county agent S. B. Hall, at 10 a. m., and will visit a number of farms in the morning. At noon the party will join in the 1925 Fair Booster Picnic on Grant's Butte and will add the weight of the berry growers vote to that of the others interested in bringing the 1925 fair to the site proposed between Gresham and Portland.

After the picnic dinner the party will come again to Gresham where they plan to start on the afternoon tour at 1:30 from Mr. Hall's office.

Everyone is requested to be on hand promptly at 10 a. m. with a load if possible. If anyone is planning on going and will not have passengers enough to fill his car, the county agent would be glad to arrange for others to attend. It is hoped that all berry growers will avail themselves of the opportunity of attending this picnic and tour. A number of interested people from Portland have promised to attend.

## CUSTODIAN OF WATCH DEPARTS WITH SAME

Wade Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Collins of Gresham is anxiously trying to locate. It is possible that the person with the watch is seeking the owner but if such is the case they have not yet been brought together.

The loss of the watch occurred at a swimming hole near Boring one day last week. A number of young people were in the water and before going in Wade gave his watch to his cousin, Joanna Lunday of Boring, to hold until he came out. The girl was invited to go into the water but she said she could not as she wanted to take care of the watch. A party of strangers was watching the fun and a woman of the party offered to look after the watch for Joanna. The time piece was placed in a bucket belonging to the party. Later the strangers went away with a man who drove up in a big Hudson touring car but no watch was found when the young people returned from the water.

Wade is now wondering if the watch was taken accidentally or intentionally. If it was the former he would like to know who the people were and no doubt they are wondering what his name is. If they intended to steal the watch he would like to find the owner of the big Hudson with an oilcloth covering the front of the radiator.

## ODDFELLOWS PLAN FOR MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

Roy H. Gibbs, district deputy grand master, installed several of the new officers of the I. O. O. F. lodge at the regular meeting Thursday evening. Melvin Sunday was installed as noble grand.

The other officers installed, were Clarence Stanley, V. G.; Harry Truitt, R. S. V. G.; C. Atterbury, Conductor; R. R. Carlson, R. S. S.; A. Simonson, O. G.; Clarence Hill, Chaplain.

Plans for a membership campaign to be started soon were discussed and the arrangements were placed in the hands of the committee of three to work out the plans and decide upon the dates for the campaign. The committee consists of Roy Gibbs, Melvin Sunday and Glenwood Miller.

The present membership is about 115 or 120 and includes persons living in many states. The membership campaign will be followed by a series of interesting meetings and social events on a larger scale than has been attempted here before if the tentative plans of the committee can be carried out.

## GRESHAM TEAM TO PLAY MAYES HARWARE CO.

Gresham Baseball team will play the Mayes Hardware Co. team from Portland on the grounds next Sunday afternoon.

Last Sunday Gresham team played in dozens—making 12 runs, 12 hits and 12 errors. The Fields Motor Car Co. team won the game, however, with 17 runs, 9 hits and 8 errors to their credit. This was the second game with this team, Gresham having won the first game.

The batteries were Stockton and Townsend and Bateman for Gresham; Sunderleaf and Gier for the Motor Car team.

## BEAVER STATE MOTOR CO. BEGINS WORK ON ORDERS

It is very gratifying to be able to announce that the Beaver State Motor Factory has put on an additional crew of men and opened up the foundry department Monday.

Work has commenced on an order for androns of a special kind and size and several other lines of work have been taken up. The factory is not running at anything near capacity but it is encouraging to see the industries of this section beginning to add to their working force rather than lay off men.

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## BOOSTER PICNIC AT CEDARVILLE PARK; WITH 1925 FAIR DIRECTORS AS GUESTS

Will Be Gala Occasion With Big Picnic Dinner in Grove and an Auto Trip Over the Attractive Fair Site Including Climb to Top of Grant's Butte.

The stage is all set for the big 1925 Fair Booster Picnic, Saturday, July 16 in Cedarville Park at Linneman. Invitations have been sent to sixty or seventy of the leading business men of Portland and their friends and representatives of the Portland newspapers to attend and it is likely that a large crowd from Portland in addition to the fair site committee will be on hand.

People of Gresham and vicinity are to furnish the lunch and are asked to bring good full baskets of the kind that this country is noted for. Paper plates, cups, coffee, sugar and cream will be furnished by the committee which is making general arrangements for the affair.

The Gresham people and those in the vicinity should respond to this call for help in making these plans successful as it depends a great deal upon the cooperation, attendance and the general spirit displayed, as to whether or not the fair site committee will decide to locate the 1925 fair on this proposed site. There is no question as to the attractiveness of the site or the many desirable features which are combined in it, but it remains for the local people to demonstrate their interest in the project and show by their presence that the community is back of the movement and recognizes the value of the location.

Judge Geo. W. Stapleton and Mayor Miller will be among those who will take part in the speaking and there will be a number of Portland men called upon.

"Tis said that 'the way to a man's heart is through his stomach,' and it will be up to the ladies of the community to provide the cakes, pies, salads, etc., which will aid in bringing the 1925 Fair to Gresham.

## ORGANIZATIONS UNITE FORCES TO AID NEEDY

S. B. Hall, county agent, was called on the Emergency food conference which has been called by Rufus C. Holman and Mayor Geo. Baker of Portland, for the purpose of working out plans to conserve food products on the farms to help meet the grave problems that are facing the public in Portland in regard to dependent families.

There were in the city of Portland a year ago 300 dependent families and the number was decreasing rapidly owing to the season of the year. At the present time there are 600 dependent families and the number is increasing at a rate that will bring it up to a thousand by fall. What the number will be by fall is impossible to estimate.

Always there is a large amount of food which goes to waste on the farms of the state on account of a lack of market especially for the lower grades of fruit and vegetables and just as certainly each year there is a terrible need for that same food by the needy families in the cities.

Many organizations are striving to care for the needy families of the city and this new movement is an effort to bring all interested organizations together in a combined effort to bring the waste and needy together.

The committee hopes to make arrangements to get this food which would otherwise be wasted and thus make the money go farther.

A committee on organization was appointed at the meeting Monday. The members of this committee met during the afternoon and were to report to the conference this morning at 10:30. The committee consisted of Rufus C. Holman, S. B. Hall, Marshal Dana, of the Portland Journal, Mrs. Ophas of the Housewives club, and Mr. Coffey, representing the American Legion.

The county commissioners room at the court house will be a clearing house for information for the different organizations and will be headquarters for this new organization.

It was reported to the conference that the unemployment was very heavy in Portland at the present time. Mr. Coffey said that there were between 800 and 1000 ex-service men out of employment at the present time and right on the edge of the needy and employment at once is the only thing that will keep them from the lists of needy.

## REBEKAHS INSTALL NEW OFFICERS MONDAY

Mrs. Lena Needham, district deputy president, was the installing officer at the regular session of the Rebekah lodge Monday evening.

The following officers were installed: Christina Humason, N. G.; Emma Walrad, V. G.; Katie Sunday, secretary; Gertrude Eastman, treasurer; Katie Carothers, Chaplain; Lena Needham, R. S. N. G.; Calla Kenny, L. S. N. G.; Eliza Metzger, R. S. V. G.; Hattie Mewhirter, L. S. V. G.; Grace Fieldhouse, Warden; Tilda Dahl, Conductor; Hilda Metzger, I. G.; Pearl Atterbury, O. G.

The hall was beautifully decorated with nasturtiums and refreshments were served at the close of the business session. A very pleasant social hour was enjoyed.

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The Bank of Gresham pays 5 per cent interest on time deposits.—Adv.

## NAMING OF TAFT TO BENCH PLEASES



A new and recent picture of former President Wm. Howard Taft, elevated to the Supreme Court bench through appointment of President Harding. The national verdict is that Taft the jurist is at last in the right place.

## EDITOR ST. CLAIR WILL TAKE WELL-EARNED TRIP

H. L. St. Clair, editor of the Outlook, is planning to start next Friday evening on a trip to the east, when he will visit with relatives in Illinois, Michigan and Minnesota. He will probably be away six weeks or two months. He expects to go by way of the Union Pacific road to Salt Lake City, from there to Denver over the Denver and Rio Grande through the Royal Gorge. He will take stop overs in Caldwell, Idaho, Salt Lake, Denver and Omaha. From Chicago he will go to Kalamazoo, Michigan, to visit with a sister and to Marengo, Illinois, to see his brother and other relatives. These relatives he has not seen for 24 years.

While in Chicago Mr. St. Clair expects to visit the Graphic Arts Exposition which will be held in the Coliseum during all of next week. On the return trip Mr. St. Clair will come by way of St. Paul and Minneapolis where he has many friends and will visit in Minnesota with his daughter, Mrs. Ben H. Davies, and other relatives. From there the return will be over the Great Northern.

## CHAUTAQUA OPENS AT GLADSTONE PARK TODAY

The twenty-eighth annual session of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua opened today and will continue for thirteen days.

Perhaps one of the most noted lecturers at the chautauqua this year will be Vilhjalmur Steffansson, the famous Arctic explorer and discoverer of the "blonde eskimo" who is on the Chautauqua platform for the first time. This lecture is scheduled for the second night in the season or on July 13. The musical and entertainment features are new and attractive and the lecturers include many well-known persons.

The Willamette Valley Chautauqua Association was organized in 1893. The surroundings of the park at Gladstone are in keeping with the tenor of the occasion. The beautiful park characterized by magnificent trees, equipped with modern drinking fountains and pure mountain water, possessing many organization buildings and an auditorium unexcelled in artistic beauty and ecoufistic properties offers unusual inducements to patrons during the session. Camp site and tent privileges are also sufficient for all and many local people take advantage of the opportunity to spend the summer vacations there each year.

Beside many campers a great many more go only to a part of the session. The splendid roads leading from all directions and the car lines leading from all sections make the park easily accessible for these short trips.

## FORMER PASTOR WILL BE AT PLEASANT HOME

Friends of Rev. C. A. Nutley, former pastor of the Pleasant Home Baptist church will be pleased to know that he will preach at the church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Nutley has lived several years at Seattle.

Other church announcements for next Sunday are: Sunday school at 10 o'clock and Christian Endeavor at 7:30. Mrs. Sarah Chase will be the leader of the Endeavor meeting.

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## REV. C. E. CLINE DIES; WELL KNOWN HERE

The news of the death of Dr. C. E. Cline, father of Mrs. K. A. Miller, came as a shock to friends in this community. His death came rather suddenly Monday morning after a short illness. He was stricken with abdominal trouble Sunday morning as he was preparing to start for the Woodlawn Methodist church where he had promised to preach.

Dr. Cline was a pioneer Methodist minister and was well known throughout the state as one of the outstanding figures of his church. He was much in demand as a lecturer and speaker and although he had retired from active service as a minister he had not retired from public life but was still active in various lines of public work.

Dr. Cline was an active member of the Loyal Legion of the United States army and in May 1917, was elected commander of Oregon to succeed Major-General T. M. Anderson. He was also a member of the George Wright Post of the Grand Army of the Republic.

His record in the civil war was noteworthy. He served in Company D of the 7th Illinois volunteer infantry, in company E, of the 1st Illinois Cavalry and in battery B of the 1st Minnesota heavy artillery. He received his honorable discharge in July, 1865, as a second lieutenant.

All during the recent war with Germany, Dr. Cline was very active and made several patriotic speeches and expressed his loyalty and patriotism in many concrete ways. He could be counted upon to aid in every way.

Dr. Cline was born near the little town of Walshville, Montgomery county, Illinois, January 16, 1844. He was educated in the public schools of Illinois and in the Litchfield, Ill., academy.

He was admitted to the Southern Illinois Conference, Methodist Episcopal church, in September, 1868, and in June, 1899, the Portland university conferred upon him the degree of doctor of divinity for scholarship and ability as a minister of the gospel.

Among the churches he has served as pastor are the First Methodist church of Salem, old St. Paul's M. E. church in Portland, which is no longer standing, also old Adams street church on the east side; First church Rochester, Minn.; Grace Methodist Episcopal church, St. Paul, Highland Park Methodist Episcopal church, Des Moines, Iowa, and Methodist churches in Hillsboro and LaGrande, Oregon. In early life he was presiding elder in the Mount Vernon district in Illinois.

Dr. Cline's name was well known to readers of the principal cities of the United States as he was a frequent contributor to the press.

He was recently injured in an automobile accident and never fully recovered his old time vigor but was able to go about and retained his active interest in affairs of church and world interest.

Dr. Cline is survived by his widow, four daughters—Mrs. Annie E. Farley, Mrs. Grace T. Johnston and Miss Agnes Cline, all of Portland, and Mrs. Frances M. Miller of Gresham, and three sons—G. L. Cline of Los Angeles and W. D. and Thomas D. Cline of Portland.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Methodist Episcopal church of Portland. Dr. Joshua Stansfield will deliver the eulogy.

Honorary pallbearers will be J. K. Gill, Dr. J. E. Hall, Dr. Richmond Kelly, Dr. John A. Parsons and A. C. Sloan. The active pallbearers will be Dr. D. L. Fields of the Mt. Tabor Methodist Episcopal church, Wallace McCamant, Dr. J. L. Hewitt, Rev. Melville T. Wire, pastor of the Oregon City Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. W. C. McCullough and Dr. H. T. Atkinson of the University Park Methodist Episcopal church.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lansdowne arrived on Sunday from their long trip by automobile to Kansas and Nebraska. They were gone 13 months and made all of the trip by auto. They stopped at a number of places in the east where Mr. Lansdowne got temporary employment and some places worked for several months. In Parsons, Kansas, Mrs. Lansdowne was a substitute teacher in a public school. They are now visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. C. E. Risher but will go soon to their home in Oregon City. Mrs. Lansdowne has been elected on the teaching force of the Oregon City schools.

Miss Opal Phillips is in Good Samaritan hospital in Portland where she was operated on yesterday in an effort to restore the use of one of her legs which has been useless for the past four years. Her leg was broken by a fall on the streets of Eugene several years ago and for some reason did not properly set and for some reason after several operations, including bone grafting, the limb healed but was drawn up shorter than the other. The present operation promises to be a success.

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