

Gresham Land on Section Line to Be Drained

George W. Kable, soils extension specialist, sent out by the Agricultural College came out to Gresham last week and made a preliminary survey of what is known as the Section Line Road Drainage district located one mile west of Gresham on the Section Line road. It comprises about 60 or 70 acres of swamp land owned by 10 or 12 different people who have organized a drainage district and through the efforts of S. B. Hall, the county agent, brought the matter to the attention of the extension service.

The land to be drained does not cover a very large acreage but it contains some of the best soil to be found in this district. It is a rich marsh and plat soil somewhat similar to some found in the Troutdale section that rents from \$50 to \$75 an acre.

Drainage is one of the biggest problems with which western Oregon agricultural has to contend. The Agricultural College has taken up the work of showing the farmers the good results obtained from under-drainage. The extension service has created a position of soils extension specialist and secured George W. Kable, formerly county agent in Benton county to fill it to aid the farmers in getting their land drained.

DAIRY EXPERT TO GIVE DEMONSTRATIONS

N. C. Jameson, assistant in dairy extension work, arrived in Gresham this morning. He will give a series of demonstrations on farms located in the district surrounding Gresham, assisted by S. B. Hall, county agent, beginning this afternoon.

These are the first of a series of four meetings to be held on each of these farms during the year scheduled to occur about three months apart. Dairy feeding will be discussed during this first series. Records will be kept systematically on these farms during the year so that the farmers will have a chance to get actual facts in regard to dairying. Only medium class farms have been chosen to illustrate the work so that the knowledge gained can be used by farmers just starting in to the dairying business. The program outlined is as follows:

10 a. m., Wednesday, March 29, E. E. Schwedler's farm near Boring.
1:30 p. m., Wednesday at the H. G. Mulderhoff farm southeast of Pleasant Home.

CHURCH OFFICIALS SEE BUILDING AT AMITY

Two auto loads of officials of the Methodist Episcopal church of Gresham spent the day Monday in a trip to Amity, Oregon, inspecting the recently-built Methodist church of that place, of which the Rev. M. B. Paroungian, a former pastor here, is the present pastor. They found an attractive church, into which a number of the new features of church architecture have been incorporated.

On their arrival they found cheerful fires in the kitchen and the social hall. A long table was spread from the well-filled baskets which had been taken and all enjoyed dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Paroungian and their daughter, Miss Esther, joined the Greshamites in the festivities.

On the return trip a stop was made at Dayton to visit the new community hall in connection with the Methodist church.

The members of the party were the Rev. A. S. Hisey, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rusher, Mrs. H. L. St. Clair, J. William Smith, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Miller and Virginia, A. W. Shipley, Mrs. B. L. Walrad and Miss Agnes Cline of Portland, sister of Mrs. Miller.

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PENNSYLVANIA GIRL POSTMISTRESS AT 21



Miss Claudia Beatrice Aurand, 21 years old, is the youngest postmistress in the United States. Her office is at Beaver Springs, Pa. When her father and brother were away at war she published the newspaper owned by her father.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY TO BE GIVEN FRIDAY

The senior class play, "Nothing But the Truth" by James Montgomery, will be given in the Masonic hall, next Friday evening, March 31. It promises to be one of the best ever produced, due to the earnest efforts of the cast and to the clever comedy which has been selected.

"Nothing but the Truth" is built upon the simple idea of its hero speaking nothing but the absolute truth for a period of time. For a very short time the task of speaking truthfully is easy, but Truth routs out old man Trouble and then things begin to happen. Trouble doesn't seem very large and aggressive when he first pokes his nose into the noble resolve of our hero, but he grows rapidly and soon we see our dealer in truth disrupting the domestic relations of his partner. In fact, Trouble works overtime, and reputations that have been unblemished are smirched. Situations that are absurd and complications almost knotted, pile up, and are credited to truth, and the result of the wager to foster and cherish that great virtue from the lips of the man who has espoused the cause of truth to win the wager.

It is a clean bright farce of well drawn characters, and keeps the audience in constant laughter. It was played for a year at Longacre Theater, New York, and has been on tour for more than two years. It has proven a marked success wherever presented and critics declare it one of the funniest and brightest comedies ever written.

The cast will be as follows:
Robert Bennett.....Percy Pulfer
E. M. Ralston.....Maitland Geddes
Richard Donnelly.....Frank Tachener
Clarence Van Dusen.....Newell Fancher
Gwendoline Ralston.....Lucile McCarter
Mrs. E. M. Ralston.....Vida Cemer
Ethel Clark.....Elizabeth Cady
Mabel Jackson.....Cora Johnson
Sabel Jackson.....Helen Moulton
Martha.....Florence Rosin

DAIRY LEAGUE TO MEET IN PORTLAND

A committee of the Dairyman's League has called a meeting of the stockholders and poolholders to be held Monday morning, April 3, at 10 o'clock in the Central Library in Portland.

This meeting has been called for the purpose of determining the type of organization that is to be formed and it is very important that all dairymen attend this meeting.

At the last meeting of the league practically all of the dairymen present signed up with only one or two exceptions. It is very important that all poolholders and stockholders be present at the Portland session.

Rockwood Parent-Teacher.
The Parent-Teacher association of Rockwood will give a home talent play, "The Day Express," and entertainment, at the Grange hall on Saturday evening, April 1. Admission 25 and 10 cents.

FOR SALE—Set harness, first-class shape. See Mr. Miihken, Second hand store.

Ignition Expert.
\$25 will be given to him who proves that I can not find the deficiency of his machine on starting lighting and ignition. Call for George. Phone Gresham 1228.

TEMPERANCE WORKERS TO MEET IN GRESHAM

A meeting of unusual interest to the women of Gresham and vicinity will be the mid-year executive meeting of the State W. C. T. U. at this place on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, April 4 and 5. Members of the executive committee from all over the state will be present in large numbers. Full programs for the two days will be put on, to which the public is invited. All the sessions will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church.

On the program will be several speakers of prominence in the work of the organization throughout the

state and in other states. On Tuesday evening the address will be by Mrs. Maude B. Perkins, national secretary of young peoples' work.

Local musicians who will take part on the programs are Mrs. Richard Neubauer, Miss Martha Hagberg, Miss Kathryn Honey, Leslie Walrad and Guy D. Jones. The Girl's Glee club of the grade school will also take part at some of the sessions.

On Wednesday evening, April 5, the matrons' medal contest will be held.

Following is the program of the executive meeting:

Tuesday Morning.
10:00—Devotional in charge of Miss Grace Driver, State Evangelistic Superintendent.
Reports of state officers.
Reports of county presidents.
11:00—Business hour.
Noon-tide prayer.

Lunch.
1:30—Praise service.
1:45—Child Welfare, Mrs. Lottie Hannon.
2:05—Music.
2:10—Anti-Narcotics, Mrs. G. L. Buland.
2:30—Social Morality, Mrs. Margaret Martin.
2:50—Music.
3:00—Address by Miss Agnes Kelly, "Weed Your Garden!"
Address by Mrs. Lola Baldwin.

Evening.
7:30—Praise service.
Address by Mrs. Maude B. Perkins, National Y. P. B. Secretary.

Wednesday Morning.
10:00—Reports of superintendents.
10:30—Business hour.
9:30—Devotional.
Noon-tide Prayer.

Lunch.
1:30—Praise service.
1:45—Reports of superintendents continued.
2:15—L. T. L. and Y. P. B., Mrs. Ada Jolley.
2:35—Music.
2:40—Children's Farm Home, Mrs. Ada Wallace Unruh.
3:00—Christian Citizenship, Mrs. M. L. T. Hidden.
3:20—Music.
3:30—Americanization, Mrs. Helen Davenport.

New Books at the Library.

It has been said of Joseph Lincoln's "Galusha the Magnificent," "this is a story that takes hold of your heart-strings—it is so human, so real and so characteristically American. A good plot, to good to be disclosed, a little mystery, enough romance and lots and lots of hearty laughs—the sort of laughs for which Mr. Lincoln has grown famous."

"The Sworn Brothers; a Tale of the Early Days of Iceland," by Gunnar Gunnarson, is an exciting tale of the adventures of Ingolf and Lief who depart from Norway for the new land of promise. The story relates their viking deeds and loves.

A tale of Aztec treasure, of American adventures who seek it, and of Zoraida, who hides it, is told by Guilen Sabe in his "Daughter of the Sun."

Of particular interest to Sunday school workers is "Special Days in the Sunday School," by Marion Lawrence, secretary of the International Sunday school association. Mr. Lawrence gives most helpful suggestions for the observance, not only of anniversary days, but also, of such days as, "Go-to-Church Day," "Boy Scout Day," "Father and Son Sunday," "Missionary Day," "Temperance Day," "Forward Step Day," etc. Suggestions as to the service, decorations and programs—some recitations and songs are printed in the book.

The 1921 Boy Scout Hand-book has been received.
For Sale.
New standard make phonograph never been played. Regular \$150 value, will sell for \$75. Care Outlook office.

For Sale.
Fine old violin of exceptionally sweet tone. Leather plush case. Phone 2361.

Milwaukie Will Have a Paper.

George A. McArthur of Spokane, and A. C. Sellers, member of the staff of the Mt. Scott Herald, have announced that they will establish a weekly newspaper in Milwaukie to be known as the North Clackamas News. Milwaukie has been without a newspaper since 1912 when fire destroyed the plant of the Milwaukie Appeal. That is probably the largest incorporated town in Oregon without a newspaper.

Body Will Be Shipped to Minnesota.

Emil Schrepel of Rockwood expects to start tomorrow morning to Le Sueur, Minnesota, with the body of his wife, who died on March 3. The body has been at Carlson undertaking parlors pending arrangements for burial in the east. Mr. Schrepel will probably be absent for about two months.

The man who boasts that his automobile never has anything the matter with it seems to spend most of his time tinkering with it.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their assistance, sympathy and beautiful flowers during the late bereavement in the death of our husband and father.
MRS. C. SALQUIST AND FAMILY.

For Sale.
New model Holton cornet. Silver plated with gold trimmings and bell. C. B. and A. slides. Leather plush case. Cost \$125. Practically new. Will sell for \$50. Phone 2361.

For Sale.
Fine old violin of exceptionally sweet tone. Leather plush case. Two bows. Phone 2361.

Wireless Calls When Dinner Is Ready

Good-bye to the well-known dinner bell on American farms. Wireless calls instead. Daniel Talbot of Florida has equipped his plow with one of the small radio sets and when official Washington time is announced he goes to dinner. He also receives market reports and current news of the day as he keeps busy at his work.



IMPORTANT MEETING BERRY GROWERS ASSN.

To All Members of the Co-operative Berry Growers, of Gresham, Ore.:

Please take notice that a meeting of all members has been called to meet at 10 a. m., at the Grange hall, Gresham, Oregon, on Monday, April 3, 1922. You are also invited to invite your friends who are interested in fruit culture to attend this meeting. The morning session will be devoted to the receiving of the annual report of the Packing company and other business of importance. You are also requested to invite your wives, mothers, sisters or best girls to attend armed with a well-filled lunch basket (you may either roast, fry or stew the chicken) also bring some real cream for the coffee. Cups, spoons, sugar and coffee will be furnished by the association. After lunch we will have a social hour in which there will be a program of music, songs and short talks. A more detailed account will be given in Friday's Outlook.

Please do not fail to attend this meeting, it will be of special interest to you and will give you a chance to meet and get acquainted with the other members (of which we have 174 at this writing) and we would like to increase the membership to 200. Will you volunteer to bring one new member? You will meet the fellow there who used to try to beat you to the early market and you will enjoy talking over old times. This is ancient history as now we can get a better price and not be compelled to get on the road to market before daylight in June. The prospect for berry prices looks very good. Our berries are popular with the trade and last year's pack is doing good missionary work for us. We are receiving many inquiries and compliments on the quality. We have already accepted \$32,000 worth of new business at prices that will make you a nice profit. So you see quality counts.

We have a limited quantity of Trebla strawberry plants to offer. This is a good yielding berry, a good shipper and excellent for barrelling, a strong, vigorous grower and a good yielder. We also have a limited quantity of the No. 121. We are sure there should be more strawberries planted this season. Our English Blue Damson plum stock is nearly all gone, if you wish to plant, you should order now. Have you given up gooseberry planting? If you have, it is a mistake as the demand is greater than the supply.

Signed,
CORA B. GREEN, Secretary Berry Growers Packing Co.
K. A. MILLER, Secretary Cooperative Berry Growers.

RUSSELLVILLE GRANGE OPPOSES COAL STRIKE

At its regular meeting on March 25, Russellville Grange discussed the impending coal strike and passed resolutions opposing it and calling upon President Harding to do all in his power to avert what would become a national calamity. The resolutions are as follows:

Russellville, Ore., Mar. 25, 1922.
Whereas, There is impending a gigantic strike between the coal miners and their employers, and
Whereas, Our national master has ably expressed the sentiments of the farmers of the nation, and
Whereas, The farmers of the country are going through a period of great financial depression brought on by the war; therefore be it

Resolved, by Russellville Grange No. 253, that we deplore the impending strike and urge the President of the United States to use the influence of his office to bring the miners and operators together and avert the strike, and be it further
Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Grange and copies sent to the newspapers of Multnomah county, also a copy to our national master and a copy to the Grange Bulletin.

(Signed)
THEO. ROY,
CHESTER MICKELSEN,
ED. GILL,
Committee.

Members of Modern Woodmen of America!

Ralph E. Johnson, supreme organizer, will be with us on March 31 to attend the joint class adoption to be held at Swiss Hall, 283 1/2 Third street, Portland. There will be something doing every minute. Be on hand and enjoy yourself. Meet at First State Bank corner at 7 p. m. Phone me early.
C. J. LUNDQUIST, Clerk.

Guns for Sale.
Guns of all makes and calibers, both new and used will be sold at less than cost price, also many other items for the sportsman.
GUY D. JONES, Phone 2361.

For Sale.
One Prest-o-Lite tank, half full, \$8.00; two 32x4 tires, \$5.00 each; two 32x3 1/2 tires, \$2.50 each; four tubes, \$1.00 each. Two miles east of Gresham, one Section Line road, A. L. Maybee, Gresham, Oregon.

Juveniles May Have Grange of Their Own Soon

One of the interesting topics discussed at the meeting of the Multnomah Grange last Saturday was the establishment of a Juvenile Grange for the children. Mrs. Geo. Alder sponsored the new project. She had written to the young people living in that vicinity and found that they were in favor of it. Children 14 years of age and under will be allowed to join. When the proposition was put before the Grange, they voted in favor of it. Mrs. Alder was appointed to take charge of the work and Mrs. Alta Gentry was appointed matron.

Pomona Grange will celebrate field day on the last Saturday in July which will be July 29. John Sleret, J. S. Albel and Mrs. Geo. Alder were appointed on the committee to meet with the other Grange committees and plan a program for that day.

The young people of Multnomah Grange have arranged for an evening session to be held on the second Monday of each month. All the younger grangers and others who care to come are urged to be present at these meetings.

Principal Roy E. Cannon and Mrs. Cannon were the guests of the Grange. Mr. Cannon, in his talk said that he could not see why the reduction in the cost of anything always hits the farmer first by making the produce he has to sell bring less; and the rise in price of a commodity reaches the farmer last. He said that he believes that in the future the farmer is going to have control as he sees no reason why they should not be able to.

When asked what he thought about consolidating the rural one-room schools into a union grade school, Mr. Cannon said he could see no reason why it could not be made as much of a success as the union high school in Gresham, but the advisability of consolidating must be governed by the particular conditions of the locality.

In a union grade school the children will have teachers who specialize on one particular subject for one grade instead of just one teacher who is compelled to teach all subjects in all grades. The pupils will be in a class with children of their own age instead of being with those of all ages. Each subject will be given a 45-minute period instead of about 10 minutes as is the case in the small school.

Some pupils cannot be made to remain in school after they reach a certain age. In a union grade school, athletics will aid greatly in keeping them in school by holding their interest. The child must have certain grades in his studies before he can take part in athletics and this fact compels him to study.

Organizing a union grade school also has its drawbacks. The construction and equipment of a building that will fit the needs, will cost a considerable sum. The problem of getting the pupils to school is another drawback. The new school might mean that a pupil will have to go two or three miles to school when he formerly only had to go about a half mile. The autos used to transport pupils will have to have good roads or they can't run, and there is the possibility of their breaking down and making the pupils late to school. Careful drivers will have to be secured.

Obituary.

Archelas Cornutt, familiarly known to the people here as "Uncle Archie," was born in Missouri, May 8th, 1837, and died at his home in Riddle, Oregon March 26, 1922.

He started to Oregon with his parents in April, 1853, traveling by ox team. They arrived at The Dalles in October of the same year. Their teams and supplies giving out, they gave what they had left to the Trading Post there, getting in return transportation by boat down the Columbia, to the mouth of the Sandy river, where they landed.

Mr. Cornutt purchased his farm, one and one-half miles southwest of Gresham, where he lived for many years. About 12 years ago he moved with his family to Riddle, Douglas county, where he lived until his death. In 1903 he married Miss Margaret Taylor of St. Johns, Washington. To this union were born three children. He leaves to mourn their loss his widow, two sons, John and Archie, and one daughter, Thurst, all of Riddle, also one brother John D. Cornutt of Riddle and one sister, Mrs. Martha Cramer, of Medical Lake, Washington.

He was a member of the Free Methodist church, a consistent Christian and good neighbor.

Mr. Cornutt was an uncle of D. M. Cathey and Mrs. S. C. Jones.