

## GRANGERS HEAR GOOD SPEAKERS

A number of interesting speakers were present at the last meeting of the Multnomah Grange. About 45 members were present in spite of the favorable weather conditions which made staying at home to work on the farm a good excuse for the men not being present.

Mrs. Mary S. Howard organized the juvenile grange. Judge Richard Deich, a Portland judge and member of Russellville grange, gave an interesting talk on women jurists. Judge Taswell, a member of Lent's grange spoke in favor of the juvenile grange. There were recitations by Harlan Hayden, Dorothy and Hazel Wheeler and songs by Virginia Lundbom and Crystal Hayden.

John H. Rudd, state Y.M.C.A. worker, in speaking of athletic clubs, said he did not favor any club that will take men away from home. The activities of such an organization is concerned with the physical development of its members. Theodore Roosevelt is a good example of how athletics improves one's health. Mr. Roosevelt as a boy was naturally weak physically until he built himself up through exercise. Games of athletics develops character. When boys play a fair game, they can be counted on to be the right thing in any thing they undertake. It also teaches patience. A man who loses his temper does not get very far. Athletic games gives a boy confidence in himself. When he goes through a game and stays with it to the end, he has a good deal of confidence in himself.

The grange received a treat of weanies and buns which all enjoyed. Robert Sawyer, republican candidate for county commissioner, also runs a butcher shop in Portland. He was one of the grange guests and brought the treat. When the question of roads was brought up, Mr. Sawyer said he was in favor of compelling the men in the county jail to work on the roads.

Mrs. A. E. Byron was chosen to take the place of Mrs. Alta Stafford as chaplain. Mrs. Stafford resigned to take up the work of assistant matron of the juvenile grange. Mr. Kreuder, master of Pomona and Lents granges installed Mrs. Byron to her new office.

George Kenney Building New Home. George Kenney has moved his house onto an adjoining lot to make room for a modern five-room bungalow which is to be erected where the other house stood. The new house is to cost \$5000. The contract has been let to C. E. Cree and the work of excavating has already commenced. The new home is to be completed by August 1. The old house is to be remodeled and equipped with all the modern conveniences. It will be rented as soon as the new one is completed.

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## MULTNOMAH JUVENILE GRANGE IS ORGANIZED

The Multnomah juvenile grange was organized last Saturday afternoon, April 22 by Mrs. Mary S. Howard, state juvenile superintendent. Mrs. Howard has been a member of the grange since 1877. She is an enthusiastic worker with the young people. Those in charge considered it an honor to have her present to organize the juvenile department.

The children elected as officers are master: Clifford Nasshahn; overseer, Nick Anderson; lecturer, Hazel Wheeler; chaplain, Floyd Stafford; treasurer, Russel Gentry; secretary, Harlan Hayden; gate keeper, Harold Dahl; steward, Freelin Collins; assistant steward, Harriet Anderson; pomona, Crystal Hayden; Flora, Vera Stafford; Ceres, Jessie Nasshahn; matron, Mrs. Alta Gentry and assistant matron, Mrs. Alta Stafford.

Besides the officers, the names of additional charter members are Lewis Dahl, Dorothy and Louise Wheeler and Eva Stafford.

The young grangers will meet on the same day as the subordinate grange. Children between the ages of eight and fourteen are eligible to hold office. Any child under eight may belong but may not hold office.

## BORING FARMER DIES SUDDENLY FROM FLU

Christian Gantenbein was born November 1, 1876 in Grabs, Canton St. Gall, Switzerland, where he also spent the years of childhood, youth and early manhood. In 1906 he came to the United States and for several years worked in the neighborhood of Portland. In 1909 he returned to Switzerland to get his bride and was married to Anna Eggenberger, March 6, 1909. Soon afterwards he and his bride returned to the United States and settled on a farm near Boring, Oregon. Four children came to bless this home. Several weeks ago he was taken sick with influenza but was well on the way to recovery when he contracted a cold, but his condition was not considered serious. Last Saturday he spent most of the day at work outside. He passed away suddenly last Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock, having reached the age of 45 years, 5 months and 22 days.

He leaves to mourn his death his sorrowing widow, four small children, Margaret, Lily, Henry and Lucille; his aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Gantenbein, two brothers, Henry and Burkhardt and two sisters, Anna and Mrs. Katherine Mueller, all of whom are living in Switzerland; two sisters, Mrs. Andrew Vetsch and Mrs. Ursula Gloor, of Portland, and two brothers, Ulrich of Park Rose and John, of Gresham.

Funeral services were conducted at the Zion Evangelical church by the pastor, Rev. H. R. Gebhardt, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment took place at the Rose City cemetery.

Dr. James Alexander Miller, president of the National Tuberculosis association, attributes the greatly lowered tuberculosis rate in considerable part to the prohibition amendment.

## MILITARY CHALLENGE TO BE STAGED SATURDAY EVENING

Masonic Hall Will Be Mecca for all Athletes and Their Friends When Gresham Headquarters Co. Fights Portland.

Seven Fast Boxing Bouts and Two Wrestling Matches, Strictly Under Amateur Rules Are Promised. Ladies Invited.

The contest being arranged between B Company of the 162d Infantry of Portland and Headquarters Company of the 1st Battalion of the 186th Infantry of Gresham, promises to be a bang-up affair. The boys of both organizations are training hard, the local boys using the high school gymnasium.

Ticket sales are progressing very rapidly and present indications are that the Masonic hall, where the bouts will be held, will be full to capacity. Numerous ladies have signified their intentions of being present and it looks like a society affair.

Seven bouts of boxing and two of wrestling have been arranged for. The bouts being held strictly under the amateur rules, of two-minute rounds and twenty-minute periods for the wrestling.

Among the various local boys who will try out their ability with the crack boxers of B Co., are Roy McCarter, Frank Southard, Charles (Fish) Jennings, Jackson, (Slippery)

Jones, C. G. Schneider, Herbert West, 'Kid' McMillan, Joe Peak and Dick Lane.

The Gresham business men are supporting the boys in this their first attempt at staging a smoker, and at least two of our prominent ministers will be ring side fans.

The first event will be staged promptly at 8:30, when 'Coach' Shagren of the high school will call the wrestlers to the mat, and the boxing will start immediately after the two wrestling events have been decided.

The proceeds of this meet are split between the local boys and B. Co., which money is used for various items which the Federal and State funds do not provide for. As it is near camp season, and the guard companies are all to be encamped at Camp Lewis about July 5th, it is necessary that they have some funds for incidental purposes and this smoker has been decided upon as one way of raising some of this fund, as well as giving the patrons something for their money.

## Who for County Commissioner?

Good roads occupy almost the top place in the estimation of Rufus C. Holman, county commissioner, who is out for renomination on the republican ticket. "I believe them to be second only in importance to the support of our public schools," is his direct statement to the Outlook.

Since Mr. Holman became a commissioner the county's main roads have been paved including the far-famed scenic highways and practically all side roads have been macadamized and maintained in good condition for all year round use. In all of this Mr. Holman has been a prime mover. He says what he has accomplished for the cause of good roads will stand as an indication of what may be reasonably expected of him in the future.

Commissioner Holman is strongly for the Mt. Hood Loop highway and says that as long as he is a county commissioner he will endeavor to get in the county road budget each year an item of \$85,000 until the county's obligation to the state of \$170,000 has been fully met.

The completion and paving of this highway will be of great benefit to Multnomah county and to all contiguous counties and the state. Every business man, automobile owner and lover of Oregon's matchless scenery, must favor this timely project and desire this county to carry through its part of the program.

Mr. Holman has always been very friendly to this part of the county, giving special attention to local road needs, the county fair and county farm. He is approachable and no citizen or group of citizens of the county has been slighted in any way knowingly or denied any reasonable request if within Mr. Holman's power to grant it.

Everybody knows that whenever anything has been desired from the board of commissioners thought to be for the benefit of the county



RUFUS C. HOLMAN  
County Commissioner.

communities outside of Portland Mr. Holman has been the one first approached regarding the matter. It is not meant to imply that Mr. Holman is not loyal and faithful in his official capacity to the whole county. It is believed he is. His position and personality are such as to draw down upon him often severe criticism but that is because of his firmness in what he considers fair and right. He has his enemies, of course, and is sometimes criticized but time has invariably proved the wisdom of his decisions and actions. No one can doubt his sincerity or honesty.

His businesslike methods, devotion to official duty and fearlessness have helped to put Multnomah county affairs far in the lead. The Outlook firmly believes Mr. Holman should be continued on the board of county commissioners.

Friday's Outlook will publish a statement from Mr. Holman regarding his candidacy.

## JOHN PALMBLAD IS LAID TO FINAL REST

A very large company of friends and relatives gathered on Sunday afternoon at the Swedish Mission church in Powell Valley to pay the last respects to the memory of John Palmblad, for 44 years a resident of that place. The church could not hold those who came, and about 75 cars were in the procession which wended its way to Douglass cemetery where the body was laid to rest under a profusion of beautiful flowers.

The funeral sermon was preached in Swedish by the Rev. G. Sholander, pastor of 1st Swedish Baptist church, Portland, of which Mr. Palmblad had been a deacon since its organization in 1884, both Mr. and Mrs. Palmblad being charter members of the church. The Rev. John Johnson, pastor of the Haley Baptist church spoke in English. Others who spoke were the Rev. O. F. Larson, of the Swedish Mission church, the Rev. N. Lindholm, O. S. Rydman of Portland and P. M. Holst of Boring. The Rev. Mr. Larson read the scriptures and offered prayer.

Music was furnished by a quartet from the Lutheran church of Powell Valley, a duet from Portland young ladies and a solo by Mrs. Karl J. Hagerberg.

The active pall bearers were A. W. Resare, P. M. Holst, Chas. Sedg, J. P. Christensen, F. O. Ekstrom and Chas. Unis. Honorary pall bearers were the deacons of the Swedish Baptist church of Portland.

John Palmblad was born in Sweden, October 30, 1840. He married Augusta Palmquist in that country on October 21, 1876. They came to Oregon in 1878 and bought the farm which has been their home since then. This was one of the first Swedish families to settle in the vicinity which has become the Mecca of Swedish farmers of this part of the country.

Six children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Palmblad at this place and one in Sweden. All are now in homes of their own. They are Mrs. Richard Gustafson of Portland, David and Paul Palmblad of Oak Grove, Oregon, Charlie and Albert, Mrs. Frank Gustafson and Mrs. Swan Magnuson, all living in Powell Valley. Besides these children and the widow there are 19 grandchildren who survive.

## U GO, I GO, JOLLY JINKS COMMUNITY PARTY

Come! U Go, I Go, Jolly Jinks community party at the Gresham grange hall, Thursday evening, April 27. The Gresham grange invites you to come and join in a community sing which H. W. Strong will lead. You know that you like that. Mayor Karl Miller will say a few interesting things about community spirit. Some stunts are planned and games that all can join in and have a jolly good time. The committee composed of the grange lecturer, Mrs. R. F. Walters, Miss Faye Lord, Mrs. H. A. Curry, George F. Honey and Leo Aniker, otherwise known as "Spizzerinkum," have been planning for this. Come and hear the old players. One of them has a quaint stringed instrument. The other can certainly "rattle the bones." You are only as old as you feel. Come and enjoy the evening. The grange ladies will have cake and pie and coffee that is to cost 5c a cut. A good time is promised to all.

A letter to the Outlook from N. O. Fuller, formerly of Gresham, tells of the birth of a son, John Neal, to Mr. Fuller's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gundrum. Mr. and Mrs. Fuller have moved from Osseo to Hillsdale, Michigan.

## STUDENTS TO GIVE PUBLIC RECITAL

One of the treats of the season's entertainment is promised on Saturday evening, April 29 when J. Fred McGrew and Miss Martha A. Ferguson of Willamette University will give a public speaking recital at the Pleasant Home Methodist church. Both Mr. McGrew and Miss Ferguson are students in the public speaking department of the University and have been giving this recital during the past few months in many of the Willamette valley towns.

Mr. McGrew will be remembered by many who heard him speak on two occasions in Gresham, once at the Methodist church and once at the fair grounds where his laughing pieces held the crowd spellbound. It is hard to determine in which class Mr. McGrew excels, the dramatic or comedy.

Miss Ferguson, while not known here, is said to be fine. Her home is in Hood River and she is a special student in Willamette University.

Beside the program which has been arranged by Mr. McGrew and Miss Ferguson, several musical numbers have been planned including solos by H. W. Strong and Rev. Earl B. Cotton, a duet by Miss Doris Zimmerman and Miss Myrtle Rusher and a competitive song. This last number is a bit of a mystery and will be revealed only on the evening of the entertainment.

The readings by Mr. McGrew and Miss Ferguson are as follows: "For the Sake of Dear Old Yale," Mr. McGrew.

"The Death Disk," Miss Ferguson. "A Pair of Lunatics," Mr. McGrew and Miss Ferguson.

"How the Church Was Built at Kelve's Bar," Mr. McGrew. "The Lion and the Mouse," Mr. McGrew and Miss Ferguson.

A small admission will be charged and tickets are on sale by the children of Orient, Victory and Cottrell schools. Mrs. Alta Stafford of Victory, Mrs. E. E. Van Fleet of Cottrell and Miss Elva Dolan and Mrs. Harry Chase of Orient are in charge of the sale of tickets.

The splendid entertainments given by the Willamette Glee clubs on their visits here have paved the way for a large attendance since the quality of entertainment is up to the usual Willamette standard.

## RADIO DEMONSTRATION TO BE GIVEN HERE

What's in the air? Haven't you heard? Are you a radio fan? You would be if you had an object. The Gresham grange is completing arrangements through W. C. Hesgos of the Commercial Department of the Portland Railway, Light and Power company to present an engineer who will assemble and explain simple radio outfits. The demonstration will be given in the grange hall. Anyone who is interested is welcome to come and learn about the wireless. Boy Scouts 300,000 strong have wireless outfits. Farmers and home-keepers should be able to "listen in" and hear the wonderful things that are being broadcasted into the ether. Don't forget to save a date for this coming event. It is hoped that arrangements can be made so that the date can be May 5.

## Government Camp Has Heavy Snow Fall.

Three hundred and fifty-one inches of snow are reported to have fallen during the winter at Government Camp and there are still 139 inches on the ground according to a recent report received.

## Coming Events of Local Interest.

Community party under the auspices of the Gresham grange at the grange hall, Thursday evening, April 27.

Junior class play, "All of a Sudden Peggy" to be given Friday evening, April 28, in the Masonic hall.

Boxing and wrestling tournament given by the American Legion boys in the Masonic hall Saturday evening, April 29.

County Council Parent-Teacher association entertainment Saturday evening, April 29 in the high school auditorium at Gresham.

School for the instruction of those who operate tractors, automobiles and power farm machinery at the garage of Baker & Son in Gresham on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 27, 28 and 29.

Radio demonstration in the Gresham grange hall, Friday evening, May 5.

Baptist Ladies' Guild to hold the annual bazaar Thursday evening, May 11 at the Gresham grange hall.

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## Questions of the Day



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