

## CELEBRATION PLANS ARE PROGRESSING

An enthusiastic meeting of the executive committee of the American Legion was held on Tuesday evening, and as a result the boys are able to announce that the plans for the Fourth of July celebration are making good progress. A good band is assured, as several applications have been received, and the committee will close on the important items this week. There is talk of a water fight between Gresham Volunteer Fire department and some other volunteer department. The program, as tentatively outlined, is as follows:

6 a. m.—Sunrise salute.  
6 to 8 a. m.—Fireworks.  
8 to 9 a. m.—Band concert on streets.  
9:15 a. m.—Arrival of Governor Walter M. Pierce.  
9:30 to 10:30 a. m.—Grand parade.  
10:45 a. m.—Water fight on fair grounds.  
11 a. m. to 12 m.—Program, including address by Governor Pierce.  
12 to 1 p. m.—Basket lunch in grove.

1 to 2 p. m.—Foot races and sports of all kinds in front of grandstand.  
2 p. m.—Horse races, motorcycle races, etc.  
6 to 8 p. m.—Jitney dance in Masonic hall.  
8:30 p. m. to 2 a. m.—Dance in Masonic hall.

There will be other attractions not yet lined up which will be reported later. A busy day is assured for all attending and not a dull minute will be allowed.

The city of Gresham, near by cities, the Gresham Commercial club, the Gresham Volunteer Fire department and all business houses, clubs and lodges are asked to have an entry in the parade. A division for privately owned cars has also been arranged, also a comic section. Prizes will be awarded in each section.

A big "old time" dance will be held on June 8, at which time the Legion expects to raise some of the funds necessary to put over the celebration in a way that will do justice to the community and the Legion. When the boys call with the tickets have the dollar ready for they will be around right soon.

## RUNNING RACES AT VANCOUVER SUNDAY

A fine program of running races has been arranged for Sunday afternoon from 3 to 5 at the Clark county track at Vancouver. There will be eight races and will be in charge of E. J. Bagley, owner of the track. Mr. Bagley put on the running races at the Multnomah county fair two years ago and is well known here. This fact is assurance that they will be well conducted and worth seeing. There will be music by a large band.

## GOOSEBERRY GROWERS, ATTENTION!

We think the gooseberries are ready to harvest now and we are ready to take delivery and will suggest that all growers try to have their berries picked and delivered as soon as possible. A good method of harvesting is to spread a burlap under the bush and use heavy gloves and strip the berries off the bushes on to the burlap, being careful to not remove many leaves some folks claim the wire potato masher works fine. After the bushes are picked clean gather up the burlap with the berries and empty into tubs or boxes leaves and all. The leaves can be best separated from the fruit by the use of a fanning mill and to make it easy for you we have secured a mill for this purpose and you bring the berries to the cannery and make the separation here if you wish. The berries can be handled best and cheapest in sacks. Be sure to gather all the fruit to prevent the spread of the fly and worm nuisance that will develop in all fully ripe fruit. We are in the market to buy gooseberries and will be pleased to buy from non-members of our association and will pay cash on delivery. Please call and get our prices and oblige.

THE BERRY GROWERS  
PACKING CO.

## Zion Evangelical Church.

Following are the announcements for the services of the Evangelical church next Sunday: Sunday school at 10 o'clock, divine worship in the German language at 11. The choir will sing the anthem, "Room in God's Love for You." Celebration will be had of the holy communion and an offering will be taken for the district. The evening service at 8 o'clock will be in the English language. The sermon topic will be "The Character of the Children of God." Miss Kathryn Bratzel will sing "O for a Closer Walk with God." The pastor, the Rev. H. R. Gebhardt, will preach both morning and evening.

## VISIT OF JERSEY JUBILEE CARAVAN TO BE BIG EVENT OF NEXT TUESDAY

The Jersey breeders and fanciers of this locality and of the state are all agog over the coming Jersey Jubilee caravan which will tour a large part of the state next week, stopping at Gresham for lunch about noon on next Tuesday.

Gresham is favored by being on the itinerary of 300 or more Jersey boosters who will be on the tour in this part of the state.

Locally everything possible will be done to properly entertain the visitors. Their stop will be short but citizens want to make it an event to be pleasantly remembered.

At a special meeting of the Gresham commercial club held last night the committee was authorized to go ahead with proposed plans for a big feed to be served on the fair grounds and the club will meet its share of the expense.

The committee of business men and firms consists of Jas. G. Mast, A. J. W. Brown, W. A. Hessel, S. B. Hall, B. L. Walrad, Will Metzger, Cecil Metzger, Theo. Van Doninck, John Brown, First State Bank, Bank of Gresham, Oregon Pickle & Canning company and Berry Growers Packing company. The firms or business places mentioned are expected to furnish one or more persons to assist. The domestic science department of the high school in charge of Miss Schrepel, will furnish four girls to help in preparation of the food and serving.

The committee to secure the articles needed and engineer the plans for the lunch are J. G. Mast, A. J. W. Brown and W. A. Hessel with such others of the committee as they may call upon for assistance in this work.

All members of this general local committee are asked to be present about 9 o'clock Tuesday on the fair grounds at the cafeteria to make preparations. They will be assisted by members of the county Jersey Breeders association, of which Chas. P. Tallman is president. The county association will furnish about half of the items needed for the feed. If there are others who would volunteer to assist the committees it would be well to call up Mr. Tallman or Mr. Mast.

Boys and girls of the Jersey Calf clubs, under the leadership of Miss Ethel Calkins, are very much interested in meeting the Jersey caravans and plan to be out in full force with an exhibit of their stock.

This is the fourth annual observance of Oregon Jersey Jubilee week. It will begin Monday and end Thursday. The program for the four days is as follows:

### First Day's Tour.

On Monday, May 28, at 1 p. m., the company will gather at probably 12th and Yamhill streets in Portland. From there it will travel direct to Sunny Bank farm of Harry West and L. G. Smith, at Scappoose. On to Yankton, where the herd of T. Brown, Mr. Markkanen and others will be gathered for inspection. Then return will be made in time to view the importation of Island cattle just brought over by Clifford F. Reid and Harry West, at the Pacific International Stock show building.

The first day closes with a banquet at the commercial club dining rooms, in the Oregon building, on the corner of Fifth and Oak. Governor Pierce and ex-Congressman McArthur will be the principal speakers. Each will have something to say about the anti-margarine bill and the struggle between the coconut and the cow, as well as about the Jersey. Mayor Baker has been asked to welcome the breeders and is expected to be present. State Dairy and Food Commissioner Hawley and State Senator Staples are expected to make brief addresses. A real banquet is assured, in which "eats" rather than decorations will be supplied. The cost is only \$1 per plate, and Mr. Bowman, of the Brownville Woolen Mills store, who is a member of the chamber, has given this matter his personal attention.

### The Second Day.

The second day will begin with a reception to the 600 Shriners who start that morning on a trip to the annual meeting of the imperial council, at Washington, D. C. Members of the jubilee party will gather at the depot, where the Shriners will be presented with the figure of an ideal Jersey cow, done in oil. Rich Jersey cream—the real article, and butter enough for the first meal, will be presented also, and a fancy menu, printed and cut into the likeness of Darling's Jolly Lassie, the world record Jersey of all ages, will be presented to each Shriner.

When the Shriners have been properly wished bon voyage, the caravan will start for the farm of Karl Hanemann. As this is about a mile above Corbett, right on the Columbia highway, it means that a glimpse of that great scenic attraction will be given those who make the tour. B. C. Altman will be next visited, and then all will repair to the Multnomah county fair grounds at Gresham, where boys and girls clubs will have their stock on exhibition. D. Brooks Hogan's Oregon farm, that of Anton Malar, near Sandy, and then N. H. Smith's place on Clear creek will all be visited and the company will return to Portland for the night.

### The Third Day.

The third day the herd of D. C. Howard, near Beaverton, will be first on the list; then the farm and herd of R. C. Williams, near Sherwood; then R. B. Seely's Anoka Farm Jerseys at Wilsonville, after which the Wilamette will be crossed at Newberg, unless final arrangements are made of more accommodations at the Wilsonville ferry. Some of the autos may be routed by the Canby ferry, but it is probable the longer trip by the Newberg bridge will be made. J. H. Ficke's place will be first on the east of the river and from there all will gather at the home of D. W. Hepler, near Barlow, where the ladies of the community will serve lunch. H. J. Anderson will be next called on and then a visit to Silverton, where a community exhibit will be made of the best from several small herds in the vicinity. From there the road lies to Fox Bros. Silver Cliff farm, and then to the capital city of Salem for the night. While no banquet will be attempted here,

there will be a meeting at 8 o'clock. Some attention to the fact that it is Memorial Day will be paid in the nature of music furnished by a local company. J. D. Mickle, secretary of the Oregon Dairy council, and ex-Congressman McArthur will speak, each of them touching on the subject of oleomargarine.

### The Closing Day.

Start from Salem will be made in good season the morning of the closing day. Mrs. Neal's Meadowview farm and Jersey herd near Turner, being the magnet which will cause the first halt. From there the tour will take in the farm and herd of S. A. Riches, then Hanson & Anderson, both near Turner, and then the goal toward which the entire four days have pointed will be headed for. It is expected that the Pickard Bros. ranch will be reached by 11:30. The herd will be viewed, probably before dinner is served.

Here, where the wonderful world record cow, Darling's Jolly Lassie, makes her home, a barbecue will be served. A. B. Bjornsted, who is an experienced "barbecueer," will have the meat all ready. Neighbors and friends for many miles will bring the good things in the way of pies, cakes, sandwiches and so on. Ice cream and other delicacies, as well as "substantials," are being contributed by business houses of three cities, and no matter how large the crowd may be, there will be enough and to spare.

Horace Addis, in The Oregon Farmer says the causes leading up to the making of the jubilee an annual event started with the wonderful record by Vive La France when her 1031 pounds of fat, made as a senior 4-year-old, stamped her as the first Jersey cow, of any age, to make a record of one year's production of butterfat appreciably over 1000 pounds. Its notes of joy were swelled by the junior 3-year-old record of Poppy's Dortha, when her 994 pounds of fat were over 100 pounds greater than any other cow in her class. She took the record from an Oregon cow at that. The shouting grew louder when Lulu Alpheia of Ashburn turned out 800 lbs. of fat in a year, begun at only one year and 10 months old, which was 160 pounds increase over any other previous senior yearling record. And even Oregon Jersey breeders almost held their breath when St. Mawes Lad's Lady, also as a senior yearling, beat that wonderful record by over 29 pounds. The next year two world records were made in Oregon and Lad's Iota, 1947 pounds of fat, a world record for all ages, and St. Mawes Pretty Lady, senior 2-year-old world record heifer, 824 pounds of fat, were presented together. These were on top of the 981 pound junior 4-year-old record of Old Man's Darling 2d, and Pearly Exile, of St. Lambert's 816 pounds as a junior 2-year-old, both made before the first jubilee.

### Oregon Beats Oregon.

Lad's Iota's record has been surpassed, but again an Oregon cow did the trick. And the crowning achievement of all Jerseydom was accomplished when Darling's Jolly Lassie, as a junior 4-year-old, produced 1147

## TROUTDALE

The school term closed Friday with the annual picnic and one of the best programs ever given here by the school. The dancing, singing, winding of the May poles, crowning of May queens, the fairies, brownies, owls, frogs and even a lady bug, were all very pretty in their gay costumes and enjoyed very much by the large crowd that gathered to witness the May day pageant. The eighth grade all received passing grades, one pupil, Quincy Howell, passing honorary. This class put on a number at the graduating exercises in Portland on Saturday. Members are Quincy Howell, Theophile De Witte, Edward Weise, Winston Allard, Beulah Miller, Leona Long, Edna Billiter and Helen Althaus.

Mrs. Harry McGinnis of Portland was a guest at the home of H. C. McGinnis on Friday and attended the school picnic.

Miss Laura Tiller accompanied her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Moore, to Bend, Oregon, last week and is visiting relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson motored from California this week and are visiting at the home of J. A. Larsson and other relatives.

Mrs. Walter Shering, her three sons and her father, John Burdine, left Saturday evening for Canada.

Katherine and Doris Bailey of Gresham spent the week-end with Fay Parsons.

L. A. Harlow, James Simoni and Percy Wells motored to the Wind mountain country Saturday on a fishing trip. They brought back a number of large trout.

The dance given at the city hall Saturday evening by the Camp Fire Girls was attended by a large crowd. The receipts were \$91.80.

James Cook has recently sold a Chevrolet touring car to Mrs. Wm. Harding of Troutdale and a sport model to James Gayden of Palmer.

The Troutdale Flower Club met on Monday afternoon at the library.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lambert and baby of Staggerweed mountain were visiting on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Lambert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kendall.

Merle Monohan of Portland spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Monohan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Larsson and Mrs. L. A. Harlow were visiting Mrs. Jay Bailey in Gresham on Thursday.

pounds of butterfat in a year. And so, this year, the tour will end at noon of the fourth day at the home of Pickard Bros., owners of Darling's Jolly Lassie, as they were also owners of Vive La France, the cow that started it. She is the proclaimed and crowned queen of the breed, not only in Oregon, but in all the Jersey world.

But even with six of the world records of the breed still in Oregon, the story is but half told. Oregon has the greatest percentage of gold medal cows of any state, probably the largest percentage of silver medal cows, and certainly not only the largest percentage but the largest number of gold and silver medal bulls of any one state. And besides all else, Vive La France, before her recent untimely death, had set a world record for six years' consecutive production, 600 pounds greater than the same number of records of any cow of any breed, and it is apt to stand for many years as a tribute to the greatness of this Oregon Jersey.

### Much to Celebrate.

Oregon, then, has much over which to "jubilate" in connection with the records of her Jerseys. The jubilee is an annual event and, while it will close with the visit to the world record Darling's Jolly Lassie, it has been decided to visit regions not toured before. This will allow the exhibition of some herds not so well known as those most prominent, and in some cases off the main arteries of travel. But every herd will be worth seeing. Every herd will have animals well exemplifying Jersey type as well as great production. Read carefully the routing of the caravan below, and decide that it is worth while to make the entire tour. Good fellowship, good eats, good programs and in most parts of the route, good roads will greet you. Not only come, but let him that readeth say come; and whosoever will can find road and welcome in some one else's auto, if he has not one of his own.

### Methodist Episcopal Church.

Next Sunday's services at the Methodist Episcopal church will include sermons morning and evening by the pastor, the Rev. A. S. Hisey, the Sunday school session at 10 o'clock and the Epworth League meeting in the evening at 7 o'clock. The quartet will furnish a number at the morning service and there will be special music in the evening.

WANTED—More readers for the want ads and more want ads for the readers.

## ROAD SUPERVISOR D. W. M'KAY RESIGNS

D. W. McKay of Fairview has resigned his position as supervisor of Road District No. 4, Multnomah county, same to take effect on July 1, and his resignation has been accepted by the county commissioners. In his resignation, which went to the commissioners under date of May 16, Mr. McKay expresses grateful acknowledgment of the unfailing kindness and courtesy from all the commissioners and officers of the road department during his 21 years of service as road supervisor.

Following the acceptance of the resignation, which was acted upon by the board on May 22, Mr. McKay received a copy of the official action of the commissioners and also a letter signed by Chairman Rudeen expressing appreciation of the long and valuable services which he has rendered to the county.

Advancing years have prompted Mr. McKay in this action, as he is nearing the 72-mile post, also the fact that he hesitated to continue his work under a practically new board of commissioners. When the new officers took their places on January 1, Mr. McKay declared his intention of resigning but was asked to continue his work until they had become more familiar with their duties.

A strong petition has been sent to the county commissioners asking for the appointment of W. S. Pierce of Rockwood to succeed Mr. McKay. Mr. Pierce has had many years of experience in road work and for the past 14 years has been in charge of the roller which operates in this and other road districts of the county. He is known as a good worker and thoroughly familiar with the county road work situation.

## WHY DID GATES GET HIS DISMISSAL?

Gresham people are watching with interest the outcome of what appears to be an effort to discredit Prohibition Officer A. B. Gates after he had succeeded in gathering a mass of evidence against eight roadhouse proprietors of the county, several of them within a few minutes drive of Gresham, which resulted in the arrest of all of them on May 15. On May 19, E. C. Yellowby, head of the divisional chiefs of the prohibition service and recognized right-hand man of Prohibition Commissioner Haynes, telegraphed Chief Jackson at Seattle, directing him to dismiss Gates and force the officer to turn in his badge and his credentials.

Gates had been operating under a temporary commission, issued every three months. The date of his latest commission was to expire May 22. He was not notified in advance that his services were to be dispensed with, as is the usual custom, nor were any charges preferred against him. He was simply "fired."

The first of the trials of the roadhouse proprietors held for action in the state courts is scheduled to commence May 29. It is explained that if Gates, as a result of his separation from the federal service, should fail to appear in court and testify against the well-known resort keepers, the government and the state may lose the temporary victory which they had gained and the roadhouse men would probably go unpunished.

Abundant evidence was obtained by Gates, and his two women assistants, not only of the violation of the prohibition law but of the flaunting of the moral laws as well. Drunkenness, profligacy and vice were rampant, according to rumors in official circles after the investigators had told their stories, and people of the underworld did not supply all the patronage of the resorts. Some prominent people were there, it was said.

What bearing had these facts on the dismissal of Gates? That is the question which is uppermost in the minds of those who read the reports.

An indignation meeting was held by the Gresham W. C. T. U. on Thursday afternoon, and a strong protest was passed against the summary removal of Gates from the federal service and against postponement of the trials of the roadhouse proprietors.

### Bethel Baptist Church.

Bible school opens promptly at 9:45 at Bethel Baptist church. The annual memorial service will be held at 11 o'clock. Pastor Barry will speak on the significance of Memorial and Decoration days. The chorus choir will render a special anthem, "The Victor's Palm is Thine," by Jno. B. Creswell, also "Just Before the Battle Mother." Miss Martha Hagberg will sing "God of Our Fathers." John P. Scots, Leslie Walrad will render a solo, "The Deathless Army," by H. Throate.

The B. Y. P. U. will meet at 7:15 and at 8 the Rev. H. S. Wold will preach. The chorus choir will render special music.

## Memorial Day Thought

