

Vacation Hours at the Gresham Library.

During July and August the public library will be open Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday afternoons from 2:30 to 5:30, and Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the friends in Gresham who showed sympathy and kindness in our bereavement, in the death of our baby, Stanley, and for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Markwart.

Card of Thanks.

The family of Mrs. Nancy Jane Wilson wish to express their thanks and appreciation to the many friends who have aided them in their recent bereavement.

Wiley M. Wilson.

Why She Immigrated.

Biddy—A dollar a piece for a chicken?—Why at home you can get them for fifteen cents.

American farmer's wife—Then why didn't you stay at home?

Biddy—Because there wasn't fifteen cents in the whole county.



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MINISTER HONORED BY FAREWELL SURPRISE

About 70 or 80 members and friends of the Lutheran church of Powell Valley gathered at the parsonage on last Friday evening for a farewell party in honor of their pastor, the Rev. John Truedson, who has severed his connections with this congregation and who will take up the work of traveling missionary in the northwest conference at the beginning of next month. The affair was a surprise.

C. A. Lindgren, deacon of the congregation for several years past, opened the meeting in a few well chosen words. He then presented to the pastor two envelopes, one from the congregation and one from the Luther League. Mrs. Lindgren, president of the Ladies' Aid society, also presented an envelope from that organization. When he opened the envelopes he found they contained \$40.65, all given as a token of love and esteem to their pastor.

The ladies had provided an abundant lunch which was enjoyed, together with a fine social occasion.

The Rev. Mr. Truedson expects to leave on Wednesday for Marshfield, Oregon, his first appointment under the new arrangement. He will be sent as supply pastor by the mission board to churches that are temporarily without a pastor or that need help. His district covers Oregon, Washington and Idaho. His family will remain here for the present.

On last Sunday the pastor preached his farewell sermon to the Powell Valley congregation. The communion was celebrated and four children were baptized.

Question Column.

"Dear Mrs. Proper—I am a beautiful young lady, 16 years old. I am a blonde and my friends say I have pretty teeth and a winning smile. How long should I wear my dress?"

Ans.—Until you can talk father into a new one."

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BORING

R. L. Sabin of Portland spent Sunday on his farm here.

Several cars were stalled on the hills at the approaches of the new bridge Sunday, as it was the first day it had been opened for traffic.

Mrs. Royce Childs spent the weekend visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Childs and family.

The Boring team won the Sunday ball game. From the West Lynn team on the home grounds, with a score of 9 to 1.

Miss Ruth Waller arrived Friday of last week from South Bend, Indiana, to make her home with her father, S. E. Waller, proprietor of the Boring confectionery.

W. R. Telford left Saturday to spend a few days with his family, who are spending their vacation at Seaside.

Walter Metzger received word that his wife, who left for a trip to the Yellowstone Park last week, had reached her destination and was enjoying the scenery at the park.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Amesbury and family of Portland spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Beck and family.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Imel were Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Imel of Clackamas and Fred Bailey of Gladstone.

Miss Jaqueline Sutton returned to her home at Kathlamet, Washington, the last of the week after visiting for the past three weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lunday and family.

Saturday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Metzger were Mrs. John Metzger of Gresham and Mrs. Floyd Metzger of Portland.

PLEASANT HOME

The ladies of Pleasant Home will be entertained on Thursday by Mrs. Inez Lauderback, who will give a silver tea for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church.

The congregation of the Baptist church enjoyed a rare treat Sunday evening when Miss Elinor Stockton, accomplished daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Stockton was present and sang a beautiful solo. Miss Stockton is soloist at the First Christian church in Portland and all felt it was a special privilege to have her here on this occasion, and will be delighted to welcome her again at any time.

POWELL VALLEY

The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Palmblad on Thursday, June 28, at 2 o'clock. All are invited.

FAIRVIEW

John Jonas and family have returned home after a delightful motor trip through California. They report fine weather and encountered no rain. They were away about three weeks.

WEEK OF CELEBRATION WILL MARK BIRTHDAY

Tuesday, June 12, the Willys-Overland Company of Toledo, Ohio, produced its one millionth car and this car bearing serial number 1,000,000, marking as it does a significant event in the annals of one of the world's largest automobile industries, will be given official recognition by all Willys-Overland branches, distributors and dealers throughout the United States during the week of June 18 to the 23d. This week has been set aside by President John N. Willys as Jubilee Week when celebrations will be carried out in every section of the country.

Big preparations are completed to make the week a notable one, following a week of many functions in Toledo when the Willys-Overland company entertained the leading civic clubs of the city to luncheons and dinners in the Administration building.

Some Interesting Facts.

The creation of the one millionth car is conducive to some retrospection. The original Overland was designed and built in Terre Haute, Indiana, in 1901, by Claude E. Fox, a youthful graduate of Rose Polytechnic Institute. The chief to the fact that the motor was placed over the front axle instead of being placed under the seat as were the engines in all other cars being made at that time, the designer insisting that the location over the front axle was the logical place and asserting that in time all manufacturers would recognize the advisability of it. Another decided improvement that the Overland had over other cars of that period was the seating arrangement. Early models of the car came out with the entrance to the rear seat from the side, while the entrance to the rear seat on other makes was from the rear. The Overland was also the first car to adopt the four doors now universally used.

The car was named Overland by Charles Minshall then president of the Standard Wheel Works of Terre Haute and the advertising slogan in those days was "The Overland will get you there and back." Later on the plant was moved to Indianapolis and the gigantic factories of the Willys-Overland company are turning out over 1,000 cars a day.

Last month, 22,282 cars were produced by the Willys-Overland company, this being the largest month's business in the history of the concern. All existing records were broken for daily production as well as for the first five months' production in any past year. During the last three days of the month the plant produced an average of 1966 cars per day.

Brainless Again.

He—"I don't know whether to give you a book or a kiss."
She—"I have a book."

SCOUTS, THEIR KIND OF BOY

Among scouting's warmest friends and supporters stands the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks. The following article from the Elk's Magazine, illustrates their deep interest in the movement's work for better boyhood:

"There are hundreds of incidents to illustrate the influence the scout idea is having upon the boys of this country who are going to be in long pants astoundingly soon, electing mayors and governors and presidents; who are going to be sitting in private offices directing corporations; who are going to be doing their bit in contributing to the country's wealth in factories and on farms; who are going to be running the railroad trains and stringing telephone wires; who are going to be inventing ways of doing things better than the best we now dream of. To list every worth-while boy scout service for any given week in the year would fill a 20-page newspaper printed in the small type in which stock market reports are set. There are 430,000 boy scouts in the United States; and if you understand that every one of the 430,000 starts his day with an eye set for a chance to do the 'Good turn' and that one day is a minimum, you will comprehend how immeasurable is their influence for good.

"That the Elks should be interested spontaneously in this gigantic group of youngsters is inevitable. The attitude of the order toward the scouts is a big-brother feeling, born of an instinctive affection for the American boy. Added to that is hearty commendation of a body whose foundation is ideas tending to make of these boys the kind of citizens the Elks hold worthy of the country; possessed of a spontaneous loyalty to the flag, considerate of the rights of the other fellow, given to an immediate and unselfish shouldering of responsibility in times of public need and distress; to fair dealing and clean living."

WINS SAFETY CONTEST



Scout Stanley Newcomb of San Diego, Cal., whose essay "How I Can Make the Highways More Safe," was chosen by the Judges of the Highway Education board as the best of 400,000 in a contest open to school children, and won him a gold watch and a trip to Washington.

Odd Experience.

At high school we were preparing for our semiannual examinations. The night before the exciting event took place I had to go away and had not studied my French at all. That night I dreamed we were having our examination in French. You can imagine my astonishment when the teacher wrote the very same questions I had dreamed of on the board.

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by Terry Gilkison

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WHEN DOES THE EVENING PLACE?



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