

COUNTY COUNCIL OF P.-T. A. HAS MEETING

An interesting session of the Multnomah county Parent-Teacher associations was held on November 15 at Gilbert school, presided over by the president, Mrs. Elmer H. Cook. Many Parent-Teacher circles of the county were represented and reports were submitted from each.

Gilbert circle has a membership of 140. Three delegates were sent to the state convention, with all expenses paid. This school has carried the matter of hot lunches from the experimental stage to that of placing it in the school budget and providing them free to all children.

Lynch P.-T. A. boasts of 165 members. This circle backs five clubs for boys and girls and is considering the hot lunch problem. A vaudeville will be given on the evening of December 12.

Riverdale was represented. This circle has made noteworthy improvements of the school grounds, which are attractive to all passers-by on the highway.

Pleasant Valley circle is sponsoring a "Daddy's Night" to be given in the near future.

Russellville circle serves hot lunches to pupils. An entertainment will be given there this evening. The County Council will meet at this school the third Saturday in January.

Troutdale school has hot lunches under the supervision of the Parent-Teacher association.

Maplewood reports progress in a big way.

Buckley circle has 90 members. A successful membership drive was recently put over through the children. A motion picture entertainment will be given here in the near future, the proceeds of which will go toward the establishment of hot lunches. A delegate was sent to the state convention. Mrs. J. P. Lynch, chairman of the boys' and girls' club work department told of much progress throughout the county. Mrs. E. C. Thayer, chairman of the legislative department, outlined the Loan Text Book bill, and the association voted \$5 for the support of the measure. The revised by-laws were read by Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. Thayer. Mrs. D. B. Kelly told of the proposed rummage sale. Mrs. A. E. Emons spoke of Mrs. Comstock's book on nature study.

Detailed report of the state convention was given by Mrs. E. S. Hoek, and Mrs. Elmon and Mrs. Holms spoke briefly of the same subject.

Important Events

Tonight, Nov. 21.
Motion picture play at Gresham grade school, "David Copperfield," 7:45.

Sunday, Nov. 23.
Big shooting match at Portland Gun club grounds, 9:30 to 4:30.

Monday, Nov. 24.
Regular meeting Gresham Commercial club, city hall, 8 p. m.

Tuesday, Nov. 25.
Special school meeting, District No. 4, at schoolhouse, 2:45 p. m.

Tuesday, Nov. 25.
Gresham Post American Legion meeting in Grange hall, 8 p. m. Auxiliary meeting at Mrs. Eastman's, at 8 p. m.

Wednesday, Nov. 26.
American Legion dance in Masonic hall, Gresham.

Thursday, Thanksgiving Day.
Union services of Gresham churches in Free Methodist church, 10:30 a. m. Sermon by Rev. C. W. Huett.

Sunday, Nov. 30.
Shooting match at Orient.

VARIED INTERESTS HOLD HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

A. L. Mills, Jr., son of A. L. Mills, president of the First National Bank, of Portland, addressed the economics class at the high school Tuesday on the subject, "Loaning the Banks Money." He was introduced by A. Meyers, president of the First State Bank of Gresham.

The sophomore's dress-up day was duly celebrated on Tuesday when a little wholesome fun was mixed in with the day's work to help keep the high school wheels turning. Darkies, cooks, camp fire girls, kids with candy suckers, Chinese, gypsies, boys in girl's apparel, Revolutionary costumes—nothing was missing. Thelma Naylor was a resplendent society belle in tan silk dress and her hair done on top of her head. Guy Rusher represented a fat colored man. Helen Sandstrom was dressed in white overalls to portray a house painter. Winston Strong with blackened face and waste paper basket for a hat seemed well satisfied with the sensation he created.

Mr. Mills, who spoke to the students on the subject of banking, was apparently deeply impressed not to say amazed by the various costumes, until an explanation from Principal Cannon served to put him more at ease.

Gresham Union high school will be

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FAIR INDEBTEDNESS MAY BE LIQUIDATED

NEW CORPORATION IS BEING FORMED

Multnomah County Fair Stockholders Are Called to Meet on December 15 to Vote on Sale of Stock.

An important move has been started to form a new fair corporation, with a capital stock of \$75,000, to purchase the stock, grounds and buildings of the Multnomah county fair, wipe out all the old indebtedness, and in addition purchase the 24 acres of the Smith tract recently offered to the city and enlarge and improve the fair accordingly.

This undertaking is the culmination of plans which have been in the formative state for several months. Following the offer made to the city of Gresham by the Smith heirs to purchase the tract for park purposes, which was rejected by the voters, the organization of a stock company was started with a capital of \$20,000 to purchase the tract for development and sale of lots. The stock subscription reached \$17,000 and the incorporation papers were ready for filing. Then came a proposition to incorporate a new fair association with a capital sufficient to handle the present fair property and in addition purchase the 24-acre tract for fair purposes. An option has been secured on this and it is being held pending the perfecting of the arrangements.

A stockholders meeting of the Multnomah county fair has been called for December 15, at the city hall at 8 p. m., at which time the stockholders of the present corporation, which some years ago succeeded the Grange Fair association, will be asked to give an option of purchase of the stock to the new corporation. If this is done the new corporation will purchase the stock, assume the indebtedness, and

take over the fair and property.

It is necessary to have half of the stock of the new corporation subscribed before the organization can be completed. It is expected enough will be paid in cash to clear off the present indebtedness and make the required initial payment on the new tract.

About one-fourth of the required \$37,500 has already been subscribed as a result of a few hours work by H. J. Pulfer who has been appointed subscription agent by the incorporators. All of these are local subscriptions. It is hoped to secure from local subscribers half or more of the required amount. If so, it is thought the remainder can easily be secured in Portland and in the county from the many patrons and friends of the fair.

The stock is either common or preferred at the option of the subscriber. The preferred stock has no voting power but will pay 7 per cent interest.

The support of all loyal friends of the fair will help to put the fair on its feet financially and open the way to its improvement and a larger success than in the past. Mr. Pulfer would appreciate inquiries by all interested and will gladly give any desired information.

Thanksgiving Rose Show is Planned.

A Thanksgiving rose show is planned for Monday evening, November 24, in the Multnomah hotel, Portland, under the auspices of the Progressive Business Men's club. This is the first show of this character and it is planned to make it an annual event. It is claimed by those sponsoring the show that there is no other Thanksgiving rose show on the American continent. Substantial prizes are offered for the best buds of T's, Hybrid T's and Hybrid Perpetuals, and such other roses as will make a showing. These should be delivered at the Multnomah hotel not later than 4 o'clock of that day. The proceeds of the show will be used for next year's rose festival.

Any troubles? Call Dr. Classified.

Albert Pounder of Corbett Injured.

Albert Pounder, of Corbett, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Pounder, suffered injuries to his back Thursday when he was struck by a truck on which he had been riding to his work near Springdale. He had arrived at his destination and endeavored to jump from the truck while it was still in motion. The driver made an effort to stop the machine and applied the brakes, but the truck skidded, hitting the boy in the back and throwing him into a ditch about three feet away. He was brought to Gresham for medical treatment, and although he will be confined to his bed for several days, it is not thought that his condition will prove to be serious.

WOOD, WOOD!

If you haven't your wood see Cecil Metzger, Gresham, phone 1151.

Church Services

Undenominational Temple Services.
Sunday school at the undenominational temple will convene at 10 a. m. on Sunday and preaching service will be held at 2 o'clock by the pastor, the Rev. S. F. Pitts. There will be prayer meeting on Tuesday evening and young people's Bible study Friday evening at 7:30. All are cordially invited to these services.

Zion Evangelical Services.
The religious school of the Zion Evangelical church will meet on Saturday morning from 9 to 12. Sunday school will convene at 10 o'clock Sunday, followed by memorial services in the English language at 11, and in the German language at 11:30. An anthem, "When Shadows Come," will be rendered by the choir.

Gresham Community Church, Bible Standard.

The regular services of the Bible Standard community church will be held Sunday, with Sunday school at 10 a. m., followed by preaching at 11 and again in the evening at 7:45. There will be prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. All are invited to attend.

Free Methodist Church Services.

Sunday school will be held at the Free Methodist church next Sunday at 10 o'clock, with Miss Minnie Robertson as superintendent. The pastor will preach at 11 o'clock. On account of the young people's program in connection with the missionary convention at Portland, there will be no evening services.

GRESHAM LOCALS

The regular meeting of the auxiliary to Gresham Post American Legion will be held on Tuesday evening, November 25, at the home of Mrs. O. A. Eastman. It is expected that the matter of undertaking the Red Cross Christmas drive will be discussed at that time and plans formulated for same.

George W. Gibson, of Rockwood, has been employed to assist in the Antlers barber shop, which was recently purchased by R. R. Bailey from A. E. Kesler.

The sealed bids for the property of the former Terry school district were opened last evening by C. J. Lundquist, clerk of school district No. 4, at which time F. H. Dye, of Rockwood, was declared the highest bidder for the building and the acre of ground on which it is located. His bid was \$801.01 for the property. Mr. Dye has announced his intention of remodeling the building into a store and living apartments at some future time.

Miss Maude Congdon has moved out of the apartments in the former Congdon hotel building and will reside in Portland. The Gresham Investment company now owns the building.

Gresham is to have a third barber shop. Charles R. Wheeler has rented part of the room formerly occupied by the second hand store in the Murphy building and is getting his equipment in place and expects to be in readiness for his first customer by tomorrow morning. He intends to install but one chair for a beginning, with possibly the second by the first of the year. A partition has been placed in the store room and the barber shop will occupy a space of about 16 x 20 feet. Mr. Wheeler is an experienced barber, having been employed in this capacity in Gresham for at least six years.

The regular monthly meeting of the Gresham Commercial club will be held at the city hall next Monday evening. It will be an important meeting and members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Altman left this morning for Dundee, about two miles from Newberg, where they make their home. They have a farm at that place of 453 acres, which is a general fruit and dairy ranch. Mr. Altman intends to raise Percheron horses and registered Hampshire sheep. They have resided in Gresham about five years.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Irwin, who have been occupying the Kellum house on Lawrence avenue, expects to move into the Frank Helney residence on Roberts avenue which was vacated Friday morning by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Altman. Mr. Irwin is an employe of the Standard Oil company.

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County Commissioners Re-name Roads
Birdsdales avenue was the name given by the board of county commissioners at a meeting on October 22 of the two connecting roads known as the Andrews and Pullen roads. It is understood that this name applies to the thoroughfare from Sandy boulevard to the Powell Valley road, though it has not been improved between the latter and the Section Line road.

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SENIORS OBTAIN CLASSY SWEATERS

One of the display windows of Aylsworth & Martin attracted much favorable comment and attention on Thursday and was of especial interest to the students and friends of the 1925 class of Gresham Union high school, as at this time the senior class sweaters ordered sometime ago were on exhibition.

The class of 1925 is to be congratulated on the unusual judgment its members have shown in selecting a class emblem that combines the practical and the beautiful rather than an article of adornment chosen for the latter quality only.

These handsome sweaters, purchased through the local clothing firm of Aylsworth & Martin, are the product of the Sportcraft Knitting Works. They are manufactured of pure virgin wool, a much superior product to the ordinary worsted. The colors are blue and white, the regulation Union high school colors.

The girl's sweater is a white, roll-neck sweater coat, with reinforced shoulder seams of chamois. Just above the pocket a diamond-shaped field of blue carries the inscription in white numerals '25. The boys' sweater is a navy blue slip-on with a white field containing the '25 in blue numerals. It too has the reinforced shoulder seams and all the sweaters carry the name of the individual on a strip of tape, neatly sewed into the collar.

The leading high schools and colleges of the northwest are adopting the "Sportcraft" as their official sweater, and the students who are now purchasing these garments will be sure to possess a sweater whose utility will extend beyond high school days into next year's college life.

As many as six different firms were in the field competing for the order for these 50 sweaters, but it remained for Aylsworth & Martin to convince the students and their class adviser that they are here first and last to serve the interests of the student body as well as the community in general. They have filled this order in a creditable and satisfactory way to all concerned and have demonstrated to themselves and friends by this one deal that it is entirely unnecessary to send out of Gresham for anything in the line of school clothing or equipment.

The sweaters are being distributed among the seniors today at the high school.

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64-in. Dundalk linen finish Damask, permanent linen finish and will not lint, sold regularly at \$1.25 yard, sale price, yard
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64-in. Merc. Damask, sold regularly at 75c, sale price
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42c

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