

## COMMERCIAL CLUB TO SERVE LUNCHEON

The Gresham Commercial Club at a special meeting held last night in the city hall decided to serve at noon Saturday, January 17, a substantial lunch to the farmers who attend the economic agricultural conference now being planned by S. B. Hall, county agricultural agent, and will include in the guests also the visiting grangers who come to attend the joint installation of grange officers to be held here that afternoon.

The fact was brought out at the meeting that this will include upwards of 700 persons who will be the guests of the Gresham business men and others who are members of the commercial club and who have annually contributed to this event.

As the plan for farmers' week has been somewhat altered for this year and the number to be served will likely be larger than heretofore, it was decided to serve a substantial plate or box luncheon instead of the more elaborate table banquet which required an extreme amount of work.

The farmers' meetings this year will take the form of conferences, separate groups studying and discussing the local problems and conditions pertaining to the particular subject. As explained by Mr. Hall, who is working with a committee in making the arrangements, the poultrymen will meet in a conference by themselves, the fruit growers likewise, and also the other divisions, of which there are six. The conclusions and recommendations of the various groups will be formulated in writing and published.

The purpose of the meetings, says Mr. Hall, is not so much general education, as formerly, but a more economic study of local conditions, based on gathered statistics and facts, to help the farmers meet more intelligently and profitably the needs of their planting, harvesting and marketing.

A committee, consisting of B. L. Walrad, O. A. Eastman, A. J. W. Brown, M. M. Squire and E. E. Weiling, was appointed to investigate and decide on the plan of the luncheon and act as a sort of engineering committee in starting the arrangements. Other committees will be appointed by the president of the club to assist in working out the undertaking.

It is likely the luncheon will be served in the Masonic hall as heretofore.

M. M. Squire outlined in brief the plans for the public joint installation of grange officers on Saturday the 17th. The grange exercises will be held in the high school gymnasium. There will be a morning session. The installation will begin at 2 p. m. and following the precedent of last year will be quite elaborate.

There will be over 100 officers to install. The grange membership of the county is said to be around 2700 of which about 1000 are members of Pomona grange.

## GRESHAM COUPLE HAVE BEEN WEDDED 35 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. William Stanley celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary New Year's night at their home on the corner of Stanley and Base Line roads. The party was in the nature of a surprise which was arranged by their children. Old friends and neighbors, a number of them being from Portland, made up the gathering. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley have resided in the same home since their marriage. The evening was spent in talking over old times, also playing old-time games. A bounteous luncheon was furnished and served by the children at midnight. The mother was presented with a handsome set of dishes. Those present were Earl, Ralph and Oren, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley, with their families, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kaser, the latter a daughter, Miss Hazel and Florence Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bell and son, David, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Pullen, Mr. and Mrs. William Sales, Mrs. Cora Evans, Mrs. J. C. Stanley, Jerry Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Will Booth and family, of Pleasant Home, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dickenson, of Rockwood, and Grandfather Landen, father of Mrs. Stanley, who will soon be 92 years old.

### Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Gresham Fruit Growers' association will be held at the Grange hall, on Monday, January 12, 1925, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

JAMES ELKINGTON,  
Secretary.

### Piano Tuning.

Piano tuning \$3. Piano and organ repairing. Fred B. Jones. Phone orders to Outlook, 1561, or Tabor 8952.

Any troubles? Call Dr. Classified.

## DELAYED CANTATA WILL BE GIVEN JANUARY 12

The rendition of the Christmas cantata, "The Adoration," which was scheduled to be given on the evening of December 22, had to be postponed on account of the severe weather. This splendid concert will now be rendered on the evening of January 12 in the high school gymnasium, and will consist of the same numbers as were planned for the musicale prior to Christmas. A chorus of 30 voices will be heard in addition to the boys' and girls' glee clubs, as well as the orchestra of 20 pieces which has been rehearsing for the occasion.

While the music is pre-Christmas in its tone and general composition, there is no doubt but that it will be as fully appreciated now as it would have been at the earlier date. Miss Dorothy Dickey has spared no pains to make this concert one that will long be remembered. The program will begin at 8:15 and there is no charge whatever connected with it.

## NEW SCHOOL BUSES TRANSPORT PUPILS

The high school pupils of the Orient and Powell Valley school districts are greatly pleased with the new conveyances which were used for their benefit on Monday morning for the first time. The Orient machine, owned by Botkin & Johnston and driven alternately by Mr. Botkin and William Steel, is a Republic bus chassis 25 feet in length and has a capacity for 36 pupils, although two or three more could be crowded into the car, if necessary.

B. M. Howell is the driver of the Powell Valley bus and owns the truck chassis, while the school board furnished and owns the body of the machine. This is a Chevrolet model, 19 feet in length and has a capacity for 22 persons. These machines are both up-to-the-minute school buses, scientifically built and are the last word in comfort and convenience. They are well heated and ventilated, and the windows are weather proof. They are built low and heavily braced and as a safety measure, are equipped with two exits, both of which are controlled by the driver. Dome lights, fire extinguisher, windshield wiper and rear view mirror are several added features which contribute to the general makeup of these school conveyances and which place them in a class second to none.

## LEGION QUINTET DEFEATS CORBET BASKET SHOOTERS

In a fast, scrappy game, Friday evening on the high school gymnasium floor, the undefeated American Legion basket ball team won from Corbett. Score 25-15.

Corbett strated out with a rush at the opening whistle and scored four points in less than that many minutes. It was not long, however, until the Legion got the range of the hoops and at the end of the first half the score stood 11 to 4 for the locals.

During the second half the Corbett five started a rally which netted them 11 points but too late to overcome the fast Legion team.

Pulfer, Bailey, Fancher, Booth and Lunday started the game for the Legion but were replaced later by Southard, Winters and Squire in place of Lunday, Pulfer and Booth. They later gave way to the original squad.

C. M. Quicksall, principal of the Gresham grade school, refereed the game.

Wednesday night, January 7, the Legion team will meet the fast Orange B quintet of Portland in the local gym. A fast, snappy game is expected as several teams are now making an effort to break Gresham's winning streak. The game will be called promptly at 8 o'clock.

## MISS NORA PULLEN IS BRIDE OF PORTLANDER

A quiet home wedding, attended only by immediate relatives, was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pullen, Friday evening, January 2, at 8:30, when their daughter, Miss Nora L. Pullen became the bride of Raymond C. Woodcock, of Portland, the Rev. J. Stanford Moore officiating. This particular date for the wedding was chosen as it is the birthday of the bride's father. He celebrated his 77th birthday on Friday. At the conclusion of the ceremony a sumptuous dinner was served by Mrs. Pullen. Guests from a distance include Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kaser and three children, and Homer Bennett, from Kelso, Washington, also William Allen, of Portland. The bride has been employed in Portland for the past year and a half. She has lived in the vicinity of Gresham practically all of her life. The groom has been in the employ of the Union Oil company for about five years and the couple will reside in Portland.

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The Bank of Gresham pays 5 per cent interest on time deposits.—Adv.

## LOCAL SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS WILL MEET

The semi-annual meeting of the Sunday schools of the Powell Valley circuit, Methodist Episcopal church, will be held at the Rockwood church on next Sunday afternoon, January 11. Some of the schools are planning to join the Rockwood school in a basket dinner at noon, after which the afternoon session will be opened at 2:30 by an address on organization and methods by Dr. J. Earl Else of Rose City Park Methodist church, who is one of the most successful superintendents in the city of Portland. This address will be followed by one by the Rev. Hugh B. Foulkes, director of religious education in the same church. Mr. Foulkes is a recent graduate of Boston School of Theology.

It is expected that as many as possible of the teachers and officers of the schools interested will be present. Transportation is being arranged from Gresham to Rockwood, as well as from the other points.

## FAIR BOARD ACTS TO PROTECT GROUNDS

Various matters came before the fair board at the regular meeting held last evening, most of them being in an indefinite and formative stage so that a definite report cannot be made on them until later. All, however, look toward improvement of the buildings and grounds.

Complaints having come to the board that the barns and grounds were being used by stock owners without authority, the board appointed M. M. Squire, a member of the board, as superintendent of the buildings and grounds. He was given authority to collect rents for barns and pasturage and assign space where contracted for and impose any other requirements necessary for the safeguarding and proper upkeep of the property of the fair.

The new fair organization is said to be progressing nicely. Nearly fifty per cent of the capital stock has been subscribed. An option has been taken on the tract adjoining the fair grounds. The new organization has an option on the stock of the present Multnomah County Fair and expects to take this up in the near future, liquidating the debts of the fair.

### School Lunches.

A delightful change for the children. Nickerson's Jellied chicken.—Adv.

### WOOD, WOOD!

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

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## WINS \$15,000 HOME.



Julia S. Groo.

Miss Julia S. Groo, an 18-year-old Portland, Oregon, high school girl, is the winner of the \$15,000 modern electrically equipped home in the National Lighting contest in which over 1,000,000 school children participated. Miss Groo also won the \$200 cash grand prize in the Portland lighting contest. Her essay of 600 words was worth over \$25 a word to her.

## CHEVROLET DEALERS REPORT ORDER RUSH

Botkin & Johnston, local dealers for the Chevrolet make of automobile, have announced that the Chevrolet Motor company has designed some pronounced changes in the type of car they are putting out for the year 1925. It is virtually re-designed from top to toe, with a decided improvement in practically every feature.

All models have the new clutch of the dry plate disc type, completely enclosed with flywheel; the rear axle is entirely new; the new springs are of the semi-elliptical type; the bodies are more graceful in design and the frame has five heavy cross members.

The motor has been greatly improved, with a heavier crankshaft, longer and larger center main bearings, shorter manifold, bringing the carburetor closer to the cylinders.

The clutch, which was formerly of the cone type, has been changed to a single plate, which requires no lubrication. The new one-piece axle housing is similar in design and construction to that in use on the more costly cars.

Many features have been incorporated into the new bodies which make for comfort and convenience. The front seat has been tilted back for more comfortable seating; the spring construction of the seats has been improved and the rear cushion seat has been lowered at the back.

All body types have been equipped with cowl lights and there is a dome light in coach and sedan, also a robe rail. The rubber weather-stripping which formerly interfered with the vision has been changed in that respect.

The touring, roadster and coach cars are finished in dark blue, the sedan is marine blue with upper panels in black and the coupe is sage green trimmed with black. The local dealers say there is such a rush of orders on the new cars the Portland agency, the Fields Motor Company, can hardly meet the demand.

### Home Pointers from O. A. C.

A few grains of salt added to cocoa bring out the flavor.

Cranberries may be candied cheaply by boiling them carefully in a thick syrup. They can be used in place of the more expensive candied cherries for decoration of cakes.

Marshmallow flowers for cake decoration are made by clipping marshmallows into long pieces and arranging them to represent petals. A bit of candied cherry or gumdrop may be used for the centers.

Candied cherries make pretty candle holders for birthday cakes, suggests the household science department.

If the skin of cranberries is disliked, the berries may be put through the meat grinder before cooking.

The annual number, or year's end issue, of the Oregon Journal, published on the last day of 1924, was another big booster for Portland, Oregon and the northwest and reflected great credit on the various departments of the Journal plant. We need these splendid illustrated, feature issues to remind us of our great state, its resources and development.

Send Christmas Outlooks. A few copies of the Christmas issue of the Outlook are still on hand. Mail them to you friends for 10c each, including postage.—Adv.

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## CLUB LEADER HAS VERY BUSY MONTH

In a report prepared by County Club W. D. Kinder to the United States department of agriculture at Oregon Agricultural college, given for the month of December, 1924, a number of interesting figures are noted. Over half the time was spent in the field and 572 miles were traversed in visiting nearly 30 different farms and a dozen homes. In the office over 40 calls were received both by telephone and in person relative to the extension work. Nearly 60 individual letters were written, with 140 circular copies.

During the month 27 clubs were organized, an average of over one a day, which is an exceptionally good record. Eleven sewing clubs, aggregating 106 members, take the lead in club organizations, with 9 cooking clubs with an average of 11 members each, a close second.

Homemaking has enrolled 52 members, poultry 6 and a pig club in Fairview 6 members. The local leaders and their fields of activity are as follows: Mrs. W. W. Nasshahn and Mrs. E. Johanson, Orient; Mrs. E. W. Cornell, Mrs. L. Morgan and Mrs. Jayne, Buckley; Miss Bernice Kearns and Mrs. E. Cook, Lynch; Blanche Cundiff and Mrs. J. Grazer, West Portland; Muriel Holm, Mrs. J. A. Holm and Mrs. V. B. Day, Maplewood; Mrs. V. Priebe and Mrs. I. J. Babbit, Springdale; Mrs. Lola Copeland, John Moller, Mrs. R. Simpson and Mrs. L. H. Stone, Fairview; Mrs. O. C. Hamilton and Marion Daggett, Rockwood; Mrs. Bert Olson, Powell Valley. Mrs. Dunn is arranging for all the project work at Russellville.

Mr. Kinder, in his report, expresses his appreciation for the cooperation which has been given him by his local leaders and states that the outlook for 1925 seems very promising. Many boys and girls who have been in club work before are coming back for another year's lineup of work.

## AGED LABORER VICTIM OF AUTO ACCIDENT

John Brown, aged 70, described as an eccentric bachelor who resided in a small shack about one-half mile east of the Two-mile corner, was struck down by a motorist of the "hit and run" variety Friday evening about 6 o'clock and died in George Page's store about 7 o'clock without having regained consciousness. He had been crushed internally and there was evidence that his skull had been fractured.

Mr. Brown had been to Gresham and had turned the corner at the store, going east on the Base Line road. He was found about 6:30 by a milkman and carried to the store where he expired a half hour later. It was thought he had been lying on the highway for at least half an hour. Blood marks indicated that he had been dragged nearly 120 feet by the death-dealing machine. The accident occurred about 200 feet east of the intersection.

Deputy Sheriff Squire was the first officer to reach the scene of the accident, Deputy Sheriff Rexford of Portland arriving soon after. Deputy Coroner Youngs made a thorough investigation of the death and removed the body to the morgue in Portland.

Not a great deal seems to be known of the unfortunate man. He was an itinerant laborer and was said to have originally come from Missouri. A sister, Mrs. J. Robertson of Luccine, Missouri, has been notified of the accident. She carried a checking account with a Gresham bank and is reported to have used the name of "Smith" in his banking transactions.

### Journal Bargain Rates.

The annual "Bargain Day" rates of the Oregon Journal will be in effect from January 19 to February 4, 1925. Bargain Day rates are as follows: Daily and Sunday Journal, \$7.00; Daily without Sunday, \$5; Sunday only, \$2.50; Weekly, 75 cents a year; Sunday and Weekly together, \$3. The following combination rates with the Gresham Outlook are offered:

Outlook, Daily and Sunday Journal, \$7.50; Outlook and Daily Journal, \$6.00.—Adv.

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## PICTORIAL REVIEW OF 1924.

By Satterfield



# BASKET BALL

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, JAN. 7

HIGH SCHOOL GYM. Game at 8 o'clock

GRESHAM AMERICAN LEGION VS. ORANGE B

Students 25c

Kids a Dime

Adults 35c