

GRESHAM BONDS SELL FOR \$101.051

Bonds on the city of Gresham to the amount of \$25,000 were sold Monday evening at the adjourned meeting of the city council to Ferris & Hargrove of Portland at 101.051. This is considered the amount needed to cover the cost of the new steel reservoir which is to be placed on an elevation of land west of Wallula avenue, the foundation for which is now under construction. The amount includes the cost of the laying of a pipe line from the intake at the city hall to the reservoir, and all necessary fittings.

Four other Portland firms submitted bids on the bonds, which were remarkably close to the winning bid. They are E. H. Rollins & Sons, 100.75; A. D. Wakeman, 100.975 per hundred; Ralph Schneelock & Co., 100.51, and Geo. H. Burr, Conrad & Broom, 100.51 per thousand. First State Bank of Gresham bid 100.70 per thousand. Each of these firms had a representative at the meeting.

The council at the meeting on Monday night authorized the installation of two new street lights on Powell street west of the crest of the hill. The exact location has not been determined but one will be at the furthest point at which electric current can be had and the other will be between that and the one near the Strong and Osburn residences.

Work on the base for the water reservoir is progressing rapidly and the pouring of concrete was commenced today.

PLEASANT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Duel, from Canada, are visiting relatives in Oregon and Washington this winter and are now spending a week with their nephews, Grant and Clifton Sloop, of Pleasant Home. Mr. Duel is one of the leading farmers of New Dayton, Alberta, Canada.

Three Baptist churches are combining their forces Sunday evening in a large B. Y. P. U. rally to be held at the Pleasant Home Baptist church. The Hales Swedish Baptist church and the Gresham Baptists will unite with the society at Pleasant Home in this young people's rally which promises to be brimful of interest.

The Methodist Ladies Aid will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Blackburn. A silver tea has been arranged and all members and friends are urged to be present.

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ELECTRICIAN ESCAPES INJURY FROM CURRENT

Martin Bjur, an employe assisting in the electrical shop of F. L. Mack, escaped serious injury or probable death this morning by a narrow margin while engaged in moving a street light from one pole to another on East Powell street directly in front of the Tedd paint shop. He was standing on the sidewalk pulling in the cable which was holding the street light. In taking down the light the cable came in contact with a 2300-volt lead-in to the transformer and Bjur got the full force of the shock which was so severe as to throw him to the sidewalk, bruising his head considerably, which really constituted the full extent of his injury, although his left arm and hand were tingling and numb for some time after.

His escape from injury is due to the fact that the other end of the cable rested on the street. If it had been free of contact with another object, the young man would have met instant death, say electricians. Leads to the light had been disconnected, but no trouble was apprehended, as ordinarily all cables are fastened below the high tension leads, but in this case the original installation years ago had located the cable above.

PLEASANT VALLEY COUPLE OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dahlquist were hosts at an attractive dinner given at their home last Sunday, February 14, this being the occasion of their wedding anniversary. Covers were laid for 15. The rooms were beautifully decorated with ferns, and Oregon grape, while pretty bouquets of red tulips and daffodils adorned the tables. A unique feature of the banquet was the serving of a portion of the original wedding cake. Mrs. Dahlquist was attired in her white satin wedding gown also wearing her veil and orange blossoms.

Mrs. Dahlquist was the recipient of a beautiful French plate glass mirror presented by the guests. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Markell, Mr. and Mrs. William Pritchard and children, Charlotte and Billie, all of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dahlquist and daughters, Neoma and Nora, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Johnson, and Grandma Johnson.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends who have expressed sympathy for us in our bereavement, to the Gresham Order of Eastern Star, the Gresham W. C. T. U., and Clover Circle Neighbors of Woodcraft for assistance and for the gifts of beautiful flowers.

John N. Clananhan, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Clananhan.

PRIZE WINNERS AWARDED TRIP TO SUMMER SCHOOL

Nearly 75 persons were present Wednesday evening at the high school at the gathering of the leaders of the boys' and girls' clubs throughout Multnomah county, together with a number of others who had been given a special invitation for the occasion. W. C. Lawrence, president of the Club Leaders' association, presided in his usual genial manner and the big get-together meeting was pronounced a huge success by visitors as well as members of the organization.

The high school orchestra rendered several fine selections and later in the evening W. D. Kinder favored the audience with two violin numbers, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Cooper. Probably the most popular of all was the Lota Stone whistling quartet composed of Miss Augusta Hahn, Bernice Mullen, Doris Leithold and Mary Tunny, with Edna May Jacks at the piano. The ladies were repeatedly encored.

State Club Leader H. C. Seymour was present and spoke very interestingly on the subject nearest to him, that of club work among the boys and girls. He gave a resume of the work from its beginning, tracing its steady growth and the optimistic outlook of the work for the future. He stated that 491 children out of 912 throughout the state finished their work 100 per cent. He also spoke of the splendid cooperation which the Parent-Teacher associations, the various granges, the banking organizations and the fair boards were giving to the work of the boys' and girls' club work.

Mr. Anderson, the county club leader of Clackamas county, was present and gave an interesting brief talk. T. J. Kreuder, president of the Multnomah county fair board association, delivered a fine address on the effort of the county fair to cooperate with the work being done by the boys and girls. He said it was the intention of the fair board to provide better facilities for the housing of the exhibits of

livestock. Whereas but six calves were exhibited four years ago at the county fair, last year 87 calves were registered.

About the most pleasant part of the evening's entertainment came when eight boys and girls were called to the front and were presented with their credentials entitling them to the privileges of the summer school at Corvallis, as well as the trip there and home and all expenses paid. This was in recognition of their being blue ribbon prize winners at the state fair. There were nine in all, but one boy, John Welbes, winner of a pen of four Hampshire pigs, was unable to be present. Their names follow with the division of club work in which they have excelled: Alice Ingram, Maplewood, division 1 of sewing; Lawrence Aylsworth, prize winner in the Holstein calf division; Anna and Magdalena Boeckil, Brooks, Brown Swiss calf club division; George Grossen, Brooks, Brown Swiss calf club; John Fleming, prize winner in several classes at the state fair in Holstein calf club; Edgar Dixon, Fairview, Hampshire pigs; Arthur Burns, Holstein calf club work. Mr. Kinder and Mr. Seymour presented the young people to the audience and informed them of their good fortune in being able to attend the summer school free of charge, which amounted to the same thing as presenting them with \$17 each the cost of the trip. This trip is made possible by the generosity of the business men of Portland and the livestock breeders of the state.

Four health club leaders were present from Russellville. After the conclusion of the exercises, there was an informal occasion when everyone got acquainted with every one they didn't know, after which all repaired to the cafeteria and were served steaming coffee with the accompaniment of sandwiches and cake.

Miss Helen Maxwell, of Gilbert, was elected as permanent secretary of the Club Leaders' association at the meeting Wednesday evening.

LEGION AND AUXILIARY TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

A meeting of unusual interest and importance will be held at the Gresham grange hall next Tuesday evening, February 23, at 8 o'clock, by Gresham Post American Legion and the Women's Auxiliary. Adjutant Ted Johnson, who has recently attended the district conference of the Legion at Astoria, will give a report of that meeting. He will tell about hospitalization for war veterans, filing of new claims, re-checking of old claims, guardianship, etc. He will also give an account of legislation in various parts of the country affecting war veterans.

The local post, in its drive for membership, has had good success and has made a gratifying gain in numbers over last year. It is hoped that a full attendance of members will be at the meeting Tuesday night, also any veterans who are not members.

The auxiliary will meet on the same evening and will furnish a pot luck lunch for all. The women will hold their regular meeting, taking up some matters of importance.

Free Methodist Services.

"Called to Be Saints" will be the topic for the morning service at the Free Methodist church Sunday morning in charge of the pastor, the Rev. W. T. Klotzbach. The Bible school will begin at 10 o'clock and the young people's meeting will convene at 7 in the evening, followed by preaching. The young people's missionary society will meet at the parsonage next Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR LATE AUGUST FRANK

The Powell Valley Lutheran church was filled with relatives and friends Tuesday afternoon who had gathered to pay their last respects to the memory of August Frank who died Friday evening, February 12, at the age of 55 years. The Rev. C. G. Lundquist, from the Augustana Lutheran church in Portland officiated at the services both in the church and at the cemetery. Mrs. Karl Hagberg and Dr. J. G. Sture rendered beautiful solos. The floral offerings were many and were a tribute of the high esteem in which Mr. Frank was held in the community. Interment took place in Douglas cemetery beside the parents of Mrs. Frank. The deceased is survived by his wife, Emelia Frank, and three children, Carl Edgar, Robert William and Clara Elizabeth.

Gresham Underdenominational Services.

Preaching services will be held at the Gresham Underdenominational temple Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the pastor, the Rev. S. F. Pitts. The preaching will be preceded by a song service. Young people's meeting will be held at 6:15 p. m. and preaching following. Bible study is held each Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by the pastor. Prayer meetings held Tuesday evenings and Bible study Friday evenings.

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DEATH VISITS HOME TWICE IN ONE WEEK

For the second time inside of a week death has entered to disturb the home circle of John A. Wells, when on Wednesday morning about 3:30 his mother, Mrs. Fanny I. Wells, after but about a half hour's illness resulting from a stroke of apoplexy, quietly took her departure. It is said that she had suffered severe mental strain since the death just a week previous of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lella Gibbs Wells, whom she loved as an own daughter. This strain, coupled with advancing age, is thought to have been the cause of the sudden fatal attack. There was scarcely time to summon a physician and nearby neighbors, when the end came. A cousin, Mrs. Ora Mitchell, was the only person present when she passed away, in addition to the sons who resided at the family home in the Clananhan addition west of the John Brown residence.

Fanny I. Hulet was born in Chester, Vermont, December 13, 1856, and spent the greater part of her girlhood in Illinois and Iowa. She was married in 1876 to George Wells and the couple lived in Iowa until his death in 1903. The widow and several of her children came to Gresham three years ago and purchased a lot where they erected a small home. Lately the boys had been remodeling the house on the interior and had completed the making of a comfortable and tasty home for the mother in which to spend her declining years.

Five sons and two daughters survive Mrs. Wells, John, George and Scott, of Gresham, Walter of Whitefish, Montana, and Fred of Fort Dodge, Iowa, Mrs. Maude Richardson, living east of Gresham and Mrs. Pearl Gaskill, of Cherokee, Iowa. There are also 12 grandchildren who survive, one of whom, Eugene Gaskill has long seemed as one of Mrs. Wells' sons. The entire family was present at the funeral this afternoon with the exception of the son, Fred, and the daughter, Mrs. Gaskill, both of whom reside in Iowa. The son from Montana arrived last evening.

Funeral services were conducted today at the Methodist church under direction of J. E. Metzger of the Gresham Funeral parlors. The Rev. E. G. Judd preached the sermon and the remains were interred in Mt. Scott cemetery.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Bible school, at 10 a. m. with classes for all ages, meets promptly at 10 o'clock.

Morning worship begins at 11 o'clock. Special music will be furnished by the choir and Dr. Huett, the pastor, will speak on the topic, "People of the Kingdom." A hearty welcome is extended to all strangers and those who have no regular church home.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the class in harmonica practice will meet under the direction of H. W. Strong and at 3:30 the regular meeting of the Junior Epworth League.

The Epworth League will meet at 6:15. Miss Avis Rogers will be the leader and the topic will be "What Makes a Methodist." All young people are invited and visitors find much of interest.

At 7:30 promptly the evening worship and sermon will begin. The harmonica class will play and Gresham union high school orchestra will render several numbers and there will be other features in the musical line that will both instruct and please. When the Gresham band gave its sacred concert there was only standing room left and not enough of that. The high school orchestra is on a par with the band and people privileged to hear them will be well pleased.

Monday evening the Ladies Aid society will sponsor a box lunch social. All are invited. Prayer meeting will be Thursday evening at 7:30.

TROUTDALE

On the night of February 27 a charity ball will be given in Troutdale city hall under the auspices of the social committee of the Masons and Eastern Star chapter. The proceeds will help furnish the dormitory of the Masonic orphan home at Forest Grove.

On March 3 at 8 o'clock there will be a school meeting in the city hall for the purpose of voting on a new schoolhouse and also selecting a new site.

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher association was held in the schoolhouse on February 12. A good crowd was present. After the business meeting a short program was given when Mrs. Wallace Spence sang and Mrs. Lee Evans gave an instrumental solo. Mrs. Gladys McGinnis and Mrs. Minnie Beiderman served dainty refreshments.

Guests over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murphy were Miss Ella Simpson and Mrs. Jean Stephens, of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mershon, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Mershon, Herman Blaser

STORAGE PLANT MEETING IS HELD

The meeting for discussing the cold storage plant to be established at Troutdale, which was held at the Troutdale city hall last night, called out a good representation of the directors of the corporation proposing to build there, a number of persons from Portland and Gresham, and a few growers of the Troutdale section. Disappointment was expressed that not more of the growers were present, as an effort was being made to determine the amount of business which could reasonably be expected for the plant when it is established. A meeting of a cauliflower organization on the same evening at another place interfered with the attendance of the growers, but an informal discussion of the subject was held. Mayor Laura Harlow presided at the meeting.

It was stated that last year cauliflower growers representing 90 acres shipped 60 full cars and eight part cars from Troutdale. Besides this about 10 cars were sold in Portland. This year, with 81 instead of 33 members, and double the amount of acreage, the conservative estimate of 125 cars of that produce was made. This referred to the association on the heights east of the Sandy river, while the new association west of the river expected 50 or 60 cars. The celery shipments should aggregate close to 100 cars. No estimate was made on the amount of berries that could be expected, but it was stated that last year Blaser Fruit company shipped 12,000 crates. It is hoped also to handle the barreled goods from the Gresham cannery, amounting to about 5,000 barrels.

The fine co-operation of the O. W. R. & N. was commented on and it was stated that the location for the plant could be leased from the company, which had also agreed to help in the matter of a sewer system and the installation of a pump for fire protection.

The corporation under which the development of the storage plant has been started is the Gresham Creamery & Storage company, which has bought the plant now located in Gresham and which will be used in its present location until the new plant is ready. When the organization was started it was expected to locate the new concern in Gresham, but later Troutdale was chosen on account of its situation on a transcontinental railroad. This corporation is backed by the American Finance & Development association, which has been organized with the purpose of developing Oregon's industries and increasing Oregon's payrolls by the use of western capital. A number of the officers and directors of this association who are also in official positions in the local development corporation were present at the meeting last night. They are R. H. C. Bennett, president; G. A. Hurley, secretary; Fred W. Balsiger, manager; W. B. Twitchell, production superintendent; F. W. Tussey and M. L. Knight, directors.

and Mrs. L. Richards returned Monday from their two-weeks' stay at Taft, Oregon, where they were fishing.

Miss Myrtle Hoff spent the week-end visiting friends at Coquille, Oregon.

August De Paepc cut his hand very badly with the ax while splitting wood. Mrs. Anna Richardson and Mrs. Fred Pelton spent Wednesday with Mrs. Richardson's mother, Mrs. Ella Hensley.

Clovis Smith of Ryderwood was visiting old friends in Troutdale Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. White have moved into the large house on the Dr. Cornelius place and the bungalow vacated by them is now occupied by the Munson family.

The dance given by the Parent-Teacher association Saturday night was well attended and was a financial success.

Those at the all-day quilting at the home of Mrs. C. I. Thomas Wednesday were Mrs. Will Crawford, Mrs. Ella Hensley, Mrs. F. Pelton and Mrs. Geo. Parish. The quilt is for the Ladies' Aid society.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness shown us during the recent loss of our beloved husband and father, also for the beautiful flowers and the "token of friendship" presented to us from friends and neighbors through Ben Stevenson.

Emelia Elizabeth Frank and Children.

Old Time Dance

Masonic Hall, Gresham
Friday, Feb. 26

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Official Portland C. of C. Music
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