

FAIR BOARD PAYS BIG STACK OF BILLS

The bills were stacked up high on the desk of Secretary A. W. Metzger of the fair association at the board meeting last night and the finance committee toiled long at considering them and placing their okeh on such as were clear to them. There were a few that were held over until next week's meeting on Thursday night in order to get the approval of superintendents having the work in charge.

The board was called on to approve the payment of a \$10 reward to a boy who had found one of the lost balloons, the reward having been offered by the publicity committee. As the balloons are considered valuable the reward was gladly paid.

A request came to the board to pay at least part of the hospital and funeral expense of Wm. Rankin, the Indian who was taken to the hospital and later died as a result of a skull fracture received when he was thrown from a bucking horse on the fair grounds. He was not in the employ of Mr. Jory or the fair, but came forward, it is said, in response to an offer of \$50 to anyone who would ride the horse. It is said he was not a member of the Umatilla tribe, but was a Nez Perce of Payette, Idaho, where the body was shipped. He was married, was around 40 years old and leaves a widow and son who is a young man. It is said the man was well to do.

The hospital and shipping expense was advanced by others. It was not presented as a claim on the fair but as a request which some thought just under the circumstances. The matter was taken under advisement until the meeting next Thursday night.

The bills allowed at last night's meeting run up into the thousands of dollars. No complete report could be made on the receipts and expenses of the 1926 fair.

Carelessness on His Part.
Beggars—"An' madame, my foot weren't always like this."
"I know that! The last time you were here you were blind and the time before that you were starving."

Insurance funds for farm loans. No commission or brokerage. Very easy terms. B. W. Thorne.—Adv.

WATER REGULATIONS APPLY TO GRESHAM

That the regulations of the city of Portland relating to use of water for sprinkling applies to Gresham users is made clear by a communication received by Recorder C. G. Schneider and read at Wednesday night's council meeting. It reads as follows:

"To all outside water companies, districts, etc.:—In compliance with an order from the city council you are hereby notified that due to a shortage of water in the Bull Run river, on account of lack of rainfall in the watershed, it is necessary in order to insure satisfactory domestic supply and fire protection to limit sprinkling from 6 p. m. to 8 p. m. on alternate days.

"All premises bearing odd numbers may sprinkle on odd calendar dates and all premises bearing even numbers may sprinkle on even calendar dates between the hours of 6 p. m. to 8 p. m. only, effective Wednesday, August 4, 1926, until further notice."

The order is signed by L. S. Kaiser, superintendent department of public utilities, Bureau of Water Works, Portland, Oregon.

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE WED AT BAIRD'S DALE PLACE

An interesting wedding took place Wednesday noon, August 11, at the home of Mrs. Marie Shindler Johnson, Baird's Dale Place, when her daughter, Mrs. Geraldine Baird Story, formerly Mrs. Walter P. Story, of Los Angeles, was united in marriage to Thomas W. Kennedy, prominent club man and investment real estate broker of Fresno and also of San Francisco. Dr. Charles W. Huett, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Gresham, performed the ceremony. Mrs. E. E. Brands, of Omaha, Nebraska, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stirling, was matron of honor and the bride's cousin, D. A. Shindler, officiated as best man.

Mr. Kennedy is of a fine old family, formerly of Glasgow, Scotland, and Mrs. Kennedy is connected with many prominent California families and is a cousin of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Shindler, of Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy will reside at the Fairmont hotel in San Francisco.

LADY WILL SHARE HOME with congenial couple; housekeeping privileges; fuel, lights and water furnished. Mrs. Eleanor Doughner.

BRAMHALL FAMILY ENJOYS REUNION

A memorable and happy gathering of last Sunday was that of the reunion of the Bramhall family whose living members now number 99, direct descendants of E. S. Bramhall, the father of Harry Bramhall, of Troutdale, at whose home the gathering was held. Sixty-four were present at the reunion Sunday, 58 of this number being members of the family and the remaining six, visitors, Adolph Aschoff, the father of Mrs. Harry Bramhall, of Marmot, Oregon; Mrs. William D. Thomas, Mrs. Electa Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parsons, all of Troutdale, and J. Andre, of Gresham.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wood and granddaughter, from Manhattan, Kansas, were present and interceded for the next meeting of the Bramhall clan to be held at that place a year from now, which was agreed to. Mrs. Wood is a sister of Harry Bramhall and they have been visiting different relatives before leaving for their home. Joseph Bramhall, a brother from Klamath Falls was also a guest. This was but the second time he had been here in the past 12 years. Many members of the Bramhall family were present from Battleground, Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. August Bartsch, of Bend, the latter a niece of Harry Bramhall, were also present for the day.

As this was the first occasion the eight brothers and sisters had been together for 14 years, the meeting was a happy one and long to be remembered. With the exception of the sister from Kansas, all reside in Washington and Oregon. A table seating 60 was spread under an apple tree with the good things of life, not excepting fried chicken. In the afternoon watermelon, cantaloupe and ice cream were served. All contributed to the lunch which made it the more enjoyable. Mr. and Mrs. Dan McEwen sent four boxes of splendid peaches from their farm at Zillah, Washington, which were duly appreciated.

At the conclusion of dinner officers were elected for the coming year. Already a number are making plans to attend the reunion which will be held at Manhattan, Kansas, a year from this time.

Methodist Church Services Announced

Sunday morning services at the Methodist Episcopal church will begin at 10 o'clock with Bible school, which will be followed at 11 by morning worship, when the pastor Dr. Chas. W. Huett, will preach from the topic "The World's Light." There will be special music. The Epworth League meets at 7 o'clock. This service will be followed by an address on South America, illustrated by the stereopticon with a large number of beautiful views. This is a country of unparalleled natural resources and is a superb field for the proclamation of the Gospel message. Every Christian and every wide-awake modern person cannot help being interested in the subject. Prayer meeting will be held at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening at the church.

The last quarterly conference for the year for the Powell Valley circuit will be held at the Pleasant Home Methodist church on Monday evening, when reports for the year will be heard from Gresham, Fairview, Rockwood, Pleasant Home, Boring and Sandy. A potluck supper will be enjoyed at 6:30 and will be followed by the business session.

POWELL VALLEY CLUB WINS IN JUDGING

In the judging team contest of the boys' and girls' club work at the county fair, the winning team was the Powell Valley club and the prize is a trip to the Pacific International Livestock show in November where the team will be allowed to compete for the Pacific northwest championship.

The Victory calf club scored second place and this will mean a trip to the state fair at Salem next month where the team will judge in livestock. Third place was won by the Victory pig club team, the award being a cash prize of \$1 each.

In the poultry judging contest Lynch was awarded first place. This club is under the leadership of Mrs. Lee Sheller. The second prize was given to the club at Gilbert of which E. M. Calkins is leader.

LEAGUE INSTITUTE HAS REAL WEDDING

Several events of interest to local people occurred at the Epworth League institute, recently closed at Falls City. Perhaps the most outstanding was the marriage on Sunday afternoon, just preceding the service, of Miss Irene Cotton to Otho Love. The Rev. Earl B. Cotton, brother of the bride, performed the ceremony, assisted by Dr. John McCormick of Kimball School of Theology. The couple will sail on August 21 from Seattle for Seward, Alaska, where they will engage in home missionary work.

The wedding seemed to have started a new trend of thought, and a young couple invited all the "institutors" to their wedding, and the engagement was informally announced of Miss Violet Coe of Gresham to Royal Mumford of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cooper and family and Miss Cora Greene went to Falls City for the Sunday services. Those who joined the Pleasant Home camp the latter part of the week were Joe Drew, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carlson and Ted Nelson.

CATTLE THIEVES FAIL IN CLEVER ATTEMPT

Mr. and Mrs. John Gantenbein are thanking their lucky stars that they still have two of their valuable cows, which thieves nearly got away with on Monday evening, one of them a purebred Brown Swiss. The cows had been milked and turned into the private lane leading south from the barnyard across the O. W. P. car track. Later one of the boys was sent to round up the cows and turn them into the pasture, and he observed two lights down the lane. As he approached two men crossed the track, clearly visible in the light of an approaching east-bound electric car. The boy found two of his father's cows tied to the fence, evidently ready to be driven off by the thieves. The two men were later seen at the Kehrl crossing in the light of the same car returning to Portland. Shortly after this Mrs. Gantenbein was attracted by the sound of a truck being started up and plainly saw it in the driveway near the grade school building. The truck turned west on Powell street and passed Mrs. Gantenbein, who saw that it contained two men and was closely followed by a big touring car in which were at least two other men.

S. D. A. CAMP MEETING AT FOREST GROVE

"The second coming of Christ, the Prince of Peace, is the World's single hope," declared Rev. Taylor G. Bunch of Portland, Oregon, at the Seventh Day Adventist camp meeting at Forest Grove. His subject was "The Passing Night, the Dawn of Eternal Day."

"No political organization or human machinery, said he, can bring about the dawn of a brighter day. Human efforts have failed and the interference of divine Providence alone can save the world. Man's extremity is God's opportunity and God will soon act. For 6,000 years the world has been passing through the dark cruel night of sin, under the rulership of the prince of darkness, but his reign is about over.

"A thousand prophecies, promises events and conditions tell us that the shades of night will soon be scattered by the rising sun of righteousness and the glorious dawn of eternity. The Prince of Peace is about to take human affairs into his own hands; then this night of haunting fears, of bloody wars, of plagues, of famines, crime and sorrow will forever end."

Golden Wedding Celebrated.

Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Alonzo Cathey celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday at their home in Portland with an informal reception. Dr. Cathey will be remembered by pioneer residents in and around Gresham as he was born here on a farm in 1854. He was a graduate of Willamette University and did post graduate work in New York before returning to the west to practice. Dr. Cathey and his wife were residents of Corvallis for many years and moved to Portland about three and a half years ago where he is associated with his two sons, Dr. George Cathey and Dr. Collie Cathey in the practice of medicine. He is a brother of David M. Cathey who resides a mile west of Gresham. The reception on Sunday was preceded by a family dinner at the Hotel Portland.

Man Injured at Fair Dies.

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Jersey Cow Joins Select Class.

Dorothy's Golden Empress 550685, a junior two-year-old Jersey cow, owned by B. C. Altman, of Gresham, has completed her test in which she produced 442.37 lbs. of fat and 8785 lbs. of milk in 351 days. She carried her calf for 166 days of this time and her milk averaged 5.94 per cent butterfat for the test. With this record she qualified for the Register of Merit of the American Jersey Cattle club.

Pierce to Discuss "Dennis Resolution."

Governor Walter Pierce has been scheduled to speak at the central library in Portland on Tuesday, August 17, at 7:30 on the subject of the "Dennis Resolution."

Peaches, Pick 'Em!

Peaches 50 cents per box. Apple boxes \$1. Bring containers and pick 'em yourself. Kinney and Lamber-son's place, 3 miles east of Estacada, opposite Garfield Grange hall.—Adv.

BOY HAS NARROW ESCAPE WHEN DRAGGED BY RAKE

Hugh McClure, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. McClure, living a mile east of Gresham near Section Line road, is confined to his home as the result of injuries received Wednesday forenoon when the team he was driving ran away, attached to a hay rake, and dragged him part of the distance across a ten-acre field. The boy sustained a cut on the head where he was hit by the machine and his entire body is badly bruised. His parents consider it almost miraculous that he escaped instant death as he was thrown completely under the machine. A tooth of the rake passed through a trousers leg, just grazing the skin.

He was dragging over a field with the rake for the purpose of gathering up small roots which had been left from the harrowing. In kicking at flies one of the horses broke a tug which let the tongue onto the ground. This caused the rake to hit the horses on the hind legs and caused them to run. Young McClure was thrown under the rake and dragged until rescued by some Japanese working nearby. Three stitches were taken in his head.

GRESHAM YOUNG PEOPLE WED IN CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gill have announced the marriage of their daughter, Florence, to Albert Hornecker, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hornecker, on August 3, in Oakland, California. Mr. Hornecker went south in July to establish himself in work, and later sent for Miss Gill. The young people expect to make their home in California.

The bride has been employed for several years in the office of the Methodist Book Concern in Portland.

Free Methodist Services.

"The Possibilities of Prayer" will be the topic of the sermon Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by the Rev. L. A. Skuzie, new pastor of the Free Methodist church. Sunday school will begin promptly at 10 o'clock under the superintendency of the Rev. D. M. Cathey. Young people's meeting will be held at 7 o'clock in the evening, followed by the preaching service. Prayer meeting is held each Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

On Tuesday evening there will be a meeting of the official board of the church, also a session of the Sunday school board at which time Sunday school officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

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LIST OF AWARDS AT COUNTY FAIR

(Continued from last issue)

HORSES
Percherons—Stallion 3 years and over—1st A. C. Ruby, 2d A. C. Ruby. Stallion, 2 years and under—1st A. C. Ruby, 2d A. C. Ruby, 3d C. W. Bowers, Sacramento, California. Stallion Colt, under 1 year—1st A. C. Ruby.
Mares, 3 years old and over—1st A. C. Ruby, 2d A. C. Ruby, 3d C. W. Bowers.
Mares, 2 years and under 3—1st A. C. Ruby, 2d A. C. Ruby, 3d C. W. Bowers.
Fillies, 1 year old—A. C. Ruby.
Children's best pony any age—1st Floyd Privett, Portland, 2d Curt Privett, Portland; 3d Tracy Anderson, Portland.
English Shires, mares 3 years and over—1st A. C. Ruby, 2d C. W. Bowers, 3d A. C. Ruby.
Belgian's stallion, 3 years and over—1st A. C. Ruby, 2 years and over 3, 1st A. C. Ruby, 2d A. C. Ruby.
Mares, 3 years and over—1st A. C. Ruby; fillies 1 year old, A. C. Ruby.
Thoroughbred Mare, 2 years—1st B. J. Bagley, Vancouver, Washington. Clydesdale Stallion 3 years and over—1st A. C. Ruby; mare 3 years and over, 1st A. C. Ruby; 2d C. W. Bowers; 3d A. C. Ruby.

Six horse teams—1st Damascus. Prize \$100.
Six horse teams—2d A. C. Ruby. Prize \$75.
Six horse teams—3d Ruby & Bowers. Prize \$50.
Six horse teams—4th A. C. Ruby. Prize \$25.

Forage Plants.

Fodder—1st John Eggiman. Mangel Yellow Wurtzels—1st Mrs. W. H. Gibson, 2d Mrs. George B. Webster, Gresham.
Sugar Beets—1st Mrs. Geo. B. Webster.

Best Grain and Seeds.

Yellow Dent Corn—George Schaeffer.
Yellow Sweet Corn—1st A. J. Krueger.
White Sweet Corn—1st Mary E. Crane, 2d George Schaeffer.
Vetch Seed—1st John Eggiman.
Alfalfa—1st Mary E. Crane, 2d Mrs. Alice Welbes.
Fall Wheat—1st John Eggiman, 2d Thomas Rowan.
Pop Corn, 10 ears—1st Mrs. G. W. Alder.

Grains and Grasses in Sheaves.

Spring Oats—1st Lucinda Wheeler, 2d Mrs. Edna Hall.
Barley—1st John Eggiman, 2d Mrs. Edna M. Hall.
Vetch—1st Mary E. Crane.
Alfalfa Clover—1st Lucinda Wheeler, 2d Mrs. M. H. Wheeler.
Red Clover—1st Lucinda Wheeler, 2d Mrs. Alice Welbes.
Timothy—1st Thomas Rowan, 2d John Eggiman.

Cereals.

Red Winter Wheat—1st John Eggiman.
White Spring Oats—1st John Eggiman, 2d Mrs. Edna Hall.
Gray Winter Wheat—1st John Eggiman.
Colored varieties Oats—1st Geo. R. Schaeffer.
Sweepstakes Barley—1st George R. Schaeffer.
Beardless Barley—1st Mrs. Edna Hall.
Sweepstakes—1st Mrs. Edna Hall.
Winter Rye—1st Geo. R. Schaeffer.
Spring Rye—1st Geo. R. Schaeffer.

Dairy Butter.

1st Mrs. George B. Webster, 2d Mrs. M. H. Wheeler, 3d Mrs. W. H. Gibson.

Honey.

Special Comb—1st Roy Stone, Fairview, 2d C. W. Rhoades, Portland, 3d A. M. Schantlin, Portland.
Special Extracted Honey—1st C. W. Rhoades, 2d Roy Stone, 3d A. M. Schantlin.
Special Beeswax—1st A. M. Schantlin, 2d Roy Stone.
Honey Vinegar—1st C. W. Rhoades, 2d A. M. Schantlin.
General display Honey Wax and Bees—1st A. M. Schantlin.

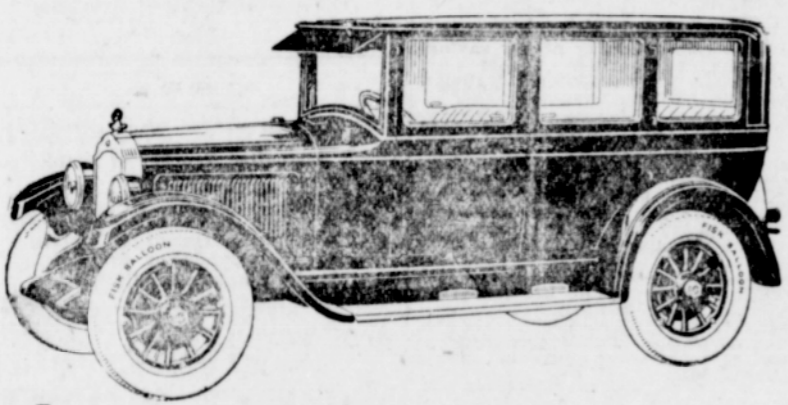
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Apple and Grape Intertwined.

Something unusual in the line of horticultural growth is a closely-intertwined apple tree and grape vine on the premises of one of the Cleveland houses on Main street, occupied by A. E. Malo. A passerby on the highway might for a moment wonder what brilliant red fruit is growing on a mammoth grape vine, as the grape foliage seems to predominate, but on closer inspection the apple tree can be plainly discernible bearing, not only its own beautiful red apples, but supporting the grape vine as well which every year bears a large amount of luscious grapes.

COMING EVENTS.

Local and Statewide.
Undenominational campmeeting in Palmquist's grove, August 13 to 23.
"Trail to Rail" celebration in recognition of the opening of the new "Cascade" line of the Southern Pacific between Eugene and Klamath Falls, at Eugene, August 19 and 20.
Clackamas county fair at Canby, September 21-24.
State fair at Salem September 27 to October 2.
Pacific International Livestock show, Portland, October 30 to November 6.



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