

New Phone Directory Favorably Received

Fresh from the hands of the printers comes the 1927 telephone directory of the Oregon Telephone company, the corporation which has merged the interests of the former Multnomah and Clackamas County Mutual Telephone company.

This in everything except quality, the new directory has but comparatively little advertising. At first customers did not take kindly to the new book as they were accustomed to the book smaller in size and more bulky in volume. However, on later use, the new one becomes more adaptable as there are not so many leaves to turn in trying to locate a name.

The new directory includes the names of 1358 customers in Gresham, Sandy, Troutdale, Boring, Damascus and Corbett. The classifications are well arranged in heavy dark type. Three pages of instructions precede the lists, thus simplifying the work of properly placing the calls.

The four timely aids placed on the outside cover of the book is a new departure in this issue of the directory. When desiring information along any of the lines mentioned, that of numbers not listed in the directory, the placing of long distance calls, dissatisfaction in telephone connections or complaints requiring repairs, it will save time and annoyance to ask directly for the person able to supply the needed information rather than to begin listing over weeks with the exchange operator. The work of the girls on the board is tedious enough without adding to their duties with complaints as to service.

It is believed that the telephone company is endeavoring to render the best service possible. That best can be expedited by a hearty cooperation on the part of subscribers. Lines are being constantly expanded, new phones are being installed, crowded conditions remedied and an effort made to render service commensurate with the progress noted in other fields of endeavor.

LYMAN DAVIES RECEIVES INJURY

Lyman Davies, a carpenter residing in the Lusted neighborhood, suffered a distressing accident Thursday afternoon in the wood-working shop located at his home when his right hand came in contact with a circular rip saw which he was operating. The member was badly cut and necessitated the patient's immediate removal to a hospital. He was rushed to Gresham for first aid and later taken to Good Samaritan by Hal Jones. It cannot be learned at this time just how the accident occurred as the man was in no condition to explain. It is said by those attending him that the injury is a serious one.

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

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WALRAD Merc. Co.

Phone 1411

- WALRAD'S SPECIAL Best creamery butter, lb. 49c
- NEWTOWN APPLES Face and Hill grade, box. 98c
- DRY PRUNES 40 to 50 grade, 4 lbs. 28c
- CORN FLAKES Kellogg's regular, 3 for. 25c
- PINEAPPLE 2 1/4's Broken slices, can. 20c
- MATCHES Sunset, 6 boxes. 20c
- TOILET PAPER 7 oz. crepe, 4 rolls for. 22c
- EXTRA LARGE RIPE OLIVES Table Mt. Brand, pint. 35c
- BOBAN COFFEE, highest grade, vacuum packed, lb. 55c
- SEEDLESS RAISINS Lacona brand, 4-lb. pkgs. 35c
- SEEDLESS RAISINS Ehrman's best, 15 oz. pkg. 10c

We suggest that your Saturday order carry some of these items. Keep this list at hand when placing your order.

GRESHAM TEMPLE SERVICES ANNOUNCED

The topic for the sermon Sunday afternoon at Gresham Temple will be "Moses, the Man of God, Christ, the Son of Man." The service will begin at 2 o'clock with a song service and special music which is sure to be interesting. The Rev. S. F. Pitts will preach both afternoon and evening. The meeting begins at 7:30 in the evening. Sunday school starts at 10. It is being well attended.

The services of the week are prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:30, children's meeting at 7 o'clock on Friday evening, which is followed at 7:45 by young people's meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

PASTOR TO SPEAK ON CHILDREN OF CHURCH

The sermon for next Sunday morning at the Methodist church will be on the subject "The Church and Its Children." Since the children of today will be the church leaders of tomorrow, the subject is of great importance and its consideration should be helpful. The evening sermon will be on "The Secular Side of Life," dealing with those phases of life which are not definitely religious. The pastor, the Rev. Halford V. Wilhelm, will preach both morning and evening.

The Epworth League social hour at 5 o'clock continues to be popular with the young people. George McAllister will lead the devotional meeting at 6:30.

O. A. C. ALUMNI ELECTS OFFICERS

At a meeting of the O. A. C. Alumni club last Tuesday evening Melvin Brugger was elected president of the organization to succeed W. D. Kinder. Miss Augusta Hahn was elected secretary. Plans were considered by the group for affiliation with the Portland O. A. C. club. The Gresham organization has a membership of nearly 50.

At the meeting Tuesday evening plans were made for the entertainment of the O. A. C. band of 40 pieces which will be heard at the high school gymnasium on Friday evening, March 25. This will be the band's first appearance in Gresham.

Free Methodist Church.

The second in the series of sermons on personal experience will be given at the Free Methodist church Sunday at 11 o'clock and will be on the theme of "Moving Forward at the Command of the Master." The pastor will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening.

The Portland district quarterly conference will convene at the local church Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. Friday all day will be devoted to a Sunday school convention. Saturday morning a business session will be held, and on Saturday afternoon the Woman's Missionary society will hold its business meeting. The young people will hold their meeting at 6:30 p. m.

All evening services will be evangelistic and a missionary program will be rendered Sunday afternoon, March 27. Delegates and pastors over the district will be in attendance and will be entertained by the local society. The public is invited to all these meetings.

HYACINTHS & TULIPS in pots.

Flowering Plants & Ferns At Brown's Meat Market

or phone 306. GRESHAM GREENHOUSES Ophelia Rosebushes, \$2 per doz. Flowers for all occasions

Beginning Classes in Piano

WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS

FLORENCE M. HONEY

Phone 1721 Studio First State Bank Bldg. Gresham

Troutdale Garage Damaged by Fire

Fire, believed to be of incendiary origin, badly damaged the Chevrolet garage at Troutdale of which Richard Knarr is the proprietor, at about 2 o'clock Thursday morning. Mrs. Laura Tiller, who lives across the street from the building, heard the crackling of flames and aroused the neighbors. The fire hose and chemicals were played on the blaze with telling results and it was soon under control. The building, valued at \$7,000, is owned by Mrs. Frances Fox and was erected less than a year ago. The fire loss has not yet been adjusted by the insurance inspectors, but is thought by some will amount to 50 per cent. The concrete was more or less damaged, the interior nearly a total loss as was also the tar and gravel roofing. The plate glass front was broken to permit a new machine being removed. It is thought the entire building, with the exception of the outside wall, will have to be rebuilt.

The cause of the fire is laid either to an incendiary or the accidental work of a tramp, as the back door was found to be open by those arriving first on the scene of the disaster. It is probable that a half dozen used cars went up in smoke. The new Chevrolet which was removed through the plate glass window was lifted out by three men. It could not be taken out through the door on account of the flames.

PUREBRED HOLSTEINS SHIPPED TO IDAHO

The only consignment of purebred Holstein stock made to an Idaho point from this section was shipped about a week ago from Fairview to Blair brothers at Burley, Idaho. Those making up the carload were A. H. Burns with ten head of cows and heifers; S. B. Hall, 11 heifers; Lewis Hoffmeister, two heifer calves; J. Luscher & Son, a two-year old bull; Paul Adams, a heifer calf.

Heretofore the Holstein shipments from this vicinity have been to California and Washington points only, but the probability now is that more blooded cattle will be sent to Idaho as the Blair brothers plan to make up another carload in the spring.

SPRINGDALE Springdale Woodmen Dedicate Building.

In the presence of over 500 citizens, Springdale Camp No. 21 with a membership of 25 at the present time, dedicated on February 23 the first building erected by a Camp of the Pacific Woodmen Life association in the state of Oregon, and so far as known on the Pacific coast.

According to State Manager F. A. Beard the project is supported by several of the leading business men of Springdale. It is predicted that the new hall will give tremendous impetus to the growth of the local camp. The hall is 40 x 90 feet with a stage and balcony, and it is an ideal meeting place, located just off of the Columbia river highway.

The P. W. L. A. lodge was being giving a dance every two weeks, which have proved very successful so far, and hope to continue so.

The Ladies Circle which helps the lodge a great deal by giving the suppers for the dances and after expenses are paid the rest goes to the support of the building fund, which amounts to a neat little sum each time.

Practically every telephone company today is equipped to give free advice to prospective home builders to insure telephone equipment being located to give most efficient service.

Mention to an advertiser that you saw his ad. in the Outlook.

Many new Want Ads today.

JAPANESE ASKS IRRIGATION RIGHT

A hearing was held at the Gresham city hall on Saturday in which M. Tamura, a Japanese rancher of the Beaver Bend neighborhood, was contending for the right to appropriate a portion of the waters of Beaver creek for irrigation purposes. A number of the land owners along the creek, particularly Mrs. Olive Strebin, objected to the allowance of any water for the purpose on the grounds that it lowered the stream and impaired the flow of water thereby causing pools which would be a breeding place for mosquitoes and consequent disease.

Mr. Coshaw, a representative of the state engineer's office at Salem, listened to the argument and took the matter under advisement for a decision by the department in the near future. The Japanese was represented by W. J. Cooper for counsel, and the plaintiffs by Perkins & Bailey of Portland.

ARBOLEDA

Mrs. H. C. Bourne and Mrs. F. L. Bourne were guests Tuesday at a luncheon given in honor of St. Patrick's day at the home of Mrs. F. R. Talbot in Portland.

The last meeting of the Joker club was held at the home of Mrs. C. G. Robinson. Honors at "500" went to Mrs. Wm. Hornsacker and Mrs. George Fortner. Mrs. Floyd Halladay was awarded the consolation.

Mrs. C. W. Wendland of Portland was a dinner guest Sunday at the W. R. Locke home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morris of Maupin, Oregon, were guests recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Gabel.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Borgan were hosts at dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wall of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Darling of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Gabel were dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bridgefarmer, at their home on Fern Ave.

Mrs. H. C. Bourne entertained with a luncheon recently for which covers were placed for Mrs. Bourne's mother, Mrs. Susie Thompson, Mrs. Joseph Dunne, Mrs. L. E. Lancelotti, Mrs. J. C. Fennell, Mrs. Fred L. Bourne, Mrs. Floyd Halladay and the hostess.

The Arboleda Improvement club held its regular meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Sater in Portland. It is expected to hold the next meeting in the clubhouse which is being completed on Fern avenue just off Powell Valley road.

Mrs. W. R. Locke entertained with a luncheon on Tuesday in honor of Mrs. W. F. Severin and Mrs. W. Haley, who reside in Portland.

A card party sponsored by the Arboleda Improvement club will be given Saturday evening, March 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Fortner on Laurel avenue. The money made will go into the building fund of the club.

Zion Evangelical Services.

Preaching services will be held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Zion Evangelical church. The topic will be, "A Real Program for Life." "Almost everyone has a program for life," says the pastor. "Each one has some ambition, desire and object in life. Every man of every vocation can have the same program and purpose in life, the program and purpose of doing good. You are invited to our services Sunday and a cordial welcome will be extended."

The Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. and the senior league at 7:30 p. m.

What you want, when you want it, as you want it—Want Ad. It.

Outlook Cooking School Is Popular

The women of Gresham and vicinity show a deep appreciation of the opportunities offered by the Outlook's free cooking school being conducted in the social rooms of the Methodist church. The attendance the first day was 113, and on Thursday 123. Many of the women have expressed their delight in the practical hints given by Mrs. Rose Bartlett, home service demonstrator of the Portland Gas & Coke company, and of the various recipes which she is giving them from day to day. The lessons are better than ever, the women declare.

The first day's lesson included noodle rings, jiffy cake, with emergency icing, Hamburg pie, biscuits, orange nut bread, princess potatoes and a recipe for a tasty Sunday supper. Thursday's list included cream puffs, cheese eclairs, macaroons, yummie balls, Spanish bun cake, several fillings and icings, and a Friday dinner. The lesson for next Tuesday will begin with bran date muffins. Following this there will be instructions on croquettes, lima bean loaf, potato salad, German style; a ginger bread that Mrs. Bartlett says actually melts in one's mouth, and a marble angel cake.

Two fine smooth-top gas ranges with heat control are used by Mrs. Bartlett in her demonstrations. They are placed together with work tables, on an elevated platform in one end of the large basement room, where every stage of the cooking process can be easily seen from all parts of the room.

The classes begin at 2:30 and close promptly at 4. Next week's sessions will be on Tuesday and Thursday.

Those receiving door prizes at yesterday's session were Mesdames Wm. Thom, Anna Schiller, Percy Giese, F. A. Hamlin and W. A. Winters.

After each lesson many of the women stayed to ask Mrs. Bartlett numerous questions about the cooking, and to admire the beautiful all-enamel gas ranges with modern conveniences of smooth top, automatic heat control and insulated oven.

Additional Locals

A box social with progressive 500 and other games will be given by the Gresham grange Saturday evening, March 26, at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend and bring a box of lunch.

E. Gilherson has purchased the quarter acre of land which adjoins his residence property in Kirkland addition which he bought some time ago from A. M. Hoss. He plans to put the ground under cultivation.

Adolph Zamsky is opening a new photographic studio at Hood River which he plans to occupy April 1 in connection with the one in Gresham. In the meantime his film orders will be finished daily at the Gresham studio. He expects to go to Hood River in a few days to arrange for his equipment in the new location.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Wright received a message yesterday from their son Philip, who went to Seattle a week ago, telling of his having secured a position as wireless operator on the "Santa Ana," a vessel going to Siberia.

Dr. Wm. Levin of the state health department this morning inspected the arms of the pupils of the high school and others who were given the Schick test last Monday. He found about 66 per cent susceptible to diphtheria. Arrangements will be made in the near future to give toxin-antitoxin treatment to those who wish it.

PLEASANT HOME

The services at the Pleasant Home Baptist church next Sunday will be under the auspices of the Baptist Laymen's League of Portland both morning and evening. Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Fred Johnson and Miss Jessie Nassahn were delegates to the Older Girls' conference held at Corvallis last week. They represented the Baptist Sunday school. They report a most helpful conference.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Jack are spending the week in Portland at the home of their son Earl. Mr. Jack is slowly gaining since his recent illness.

Miss Euphemia Fairweather and Miss Mabel Johanson attended the O. A. C. Alumni meeting in Gresham on Tuesday evening.

Unexpected guests surprised Joe Drew on Saturday, coming from Centralia, Washington. They were his father, Hubert Drew, his brothers and sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Drew and son Stanley, Mrs. Ray Poyens and son Roland. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Markell entertained for them at dinner on Sunday. Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Drew assisted the choir at the Methodist church on Sunday morning. Mrs. Dunn sang a solo which was much appreciated. She is choir leader and soloist of the First Christian church of Centralia.

Mrs. M. Lennartz spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in Portland visiting with the Misses Norton and Mrs. Wackrow.

Miss Arletha Rich is working in Portland.

The Steinman place is rented to a family by the name of Oakes, formerly of Sandy.

Mrs. Randolph Spiers and daughter Edna from Omaha, Nebraska, visited with Mr. Spiers' mother, Mrs. J. Spiers, last spring. Mr. Spiers is at Des Moines, Iowa. He will join his family later. They were formerly residents of the Cottrell community.

Mrs. Dave Lauderback is on the sick list, as is also Mrs. F. B. Lake. Vern Hutchins, who has been in a hospital at Kelso, Washington, with a broken leg, is now at home, where he is recuperating.

An all-day meeting of the Methodist Ladies Aid will be held next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. M. Lennartz.

A meeting of the tax payers of Orient school district is planned for Saturday evening, March 19, at 8 o'clock in the basement Sunday school rooms of the Methodist church, for the purpose of forming an auxiliary to the Tax Payers league at Gresham. All interested are urged to attend.

X. Franz was injured a few days ago at Bull Run flume, when a timber struck him on the head. He is under a doctor's care and is reported to be doing well.

The Methodist Sunday school at Pleasant Home will begin at 10 o'clock, followed by preaching at 11:15 from the topic, "The Nature of the Holy Spirit." Junior church will be held at the same hour in charge of Mrs. Alta Stafford. Choir rehearsal will be held promptly at 7:15 and Epworth League at 8 o'clock.

FAIRVIEW

Sunday morning worship at the Smith Memorial Presbyterian church will begin at 11 o'clock with the sermon by the pastor, the Rev. E. R. D. Hollensted, from the subject, "Anchor of the Soul." The boys from the Bealey Military Academy will attend this service in a body. The Sunday school at 10 o'clock will be followed by a five-minute sermon.

Window Cleaning. For expert window cleaning see S. Tajima, or leave orders with J. Ross Brown, Gresham, phone 2561.

O. A. C. Military Band Will Give Concert

Compared with the college bands of the Pacific coast in training, appearance and in strength, the O. A. C. military band scheduled to appear here Friday, March 25, for a concert and dance is rated as one of the best. Many of its former members are leaders in musical circles in different parts of the United States, playing in well-known organizations. One of the two chapters of the national honorary band fraternity, Kappa Kappa Psi, is on the O. A. C. campus. Membership in this fraternity is given for work and interest shown in the band.

Popular, classic, patriotic and religious music is played by the band under the direction of Captain H. L. Beard, who has had 22 years of experience as a musician and director. The program to be given here includes varied selections that appeal to every audience.

With olive drab uniforms, complete to leather leggings and orange lined capes, the band is said to present an appearance that is in harmony with the quality of the music that it plays. Drilled to march with precision and led by the drum major that won the marching contest in San Francisco two years ago, the O. A. C. band received much favorable comment from the towns visited on its 1200-mile tour of western Oregon last spring.

Many persons from Portland and the Columbia river valley who attended the U. of O. A. C. football game in Corvallis last fall were particularly impressed with the music, played and the training shown by the college band.

Many of the best young musicians of the state go to O. A. C. where they can play under the direction of Captain Beard and receive credit toward graduation for their work in the band. The recent trips made by the organization is also a big factor in attracting student musicians of the state each year. Under the leadership of Captain Beard the band has grown stronger year by year until now it is a financially self-supporting organization.

Ten years ago, during the world war, there were 280,000,000 long distance telephone calls annually in the United States. Last year there were 800,000,000 similar calls.

1923 Chevrolet coupe, splendid condition. This is a special for quick sale. See Shaver, 1141, Gresham.—Adv.

Piano Tuning. Piano tuning, \$3.50. Piano and organ repairing. Fred B. Jones, 2625, 49th street S. E., Portland. Phone Tabor 8952 or Gresham 1561.—Adv.

Coming Events

March 17 and 18—"The Four Flushers", junior class play at high school gymnasium.

Thursday, March 17—Berry growers meeting at Damascus.

Friday Evening, March 18—Rockwood grange play, "Uncle Rube" at grange hall.

Friday Evening, March 18—P. T. A. motion picture, "Flaming Waters" at Cottrell schoolhouse.

Saturday Evening, March 19—Columbia grange hard time dance.

Saturday, March 19—County Council of Parent-Teacher association to meet at Fairview.

Tuesday Evening, March 22—American Legion and Auxiliary meeting at grange hall.

Tuesday Afternoon, March 22—Neighbors of Woodcraft meeting at home of Mrs. J. H. Metzger.

Wednesday Morning, March 23—Sewing class at high school.

Wednesday Afternoon, March 23—Rockwood Ladies Aid silver tea at parsonage.

Wednesday Afternoon, March 23—Methodist Ladies Aid home of Mrs. O. A. Eastman.

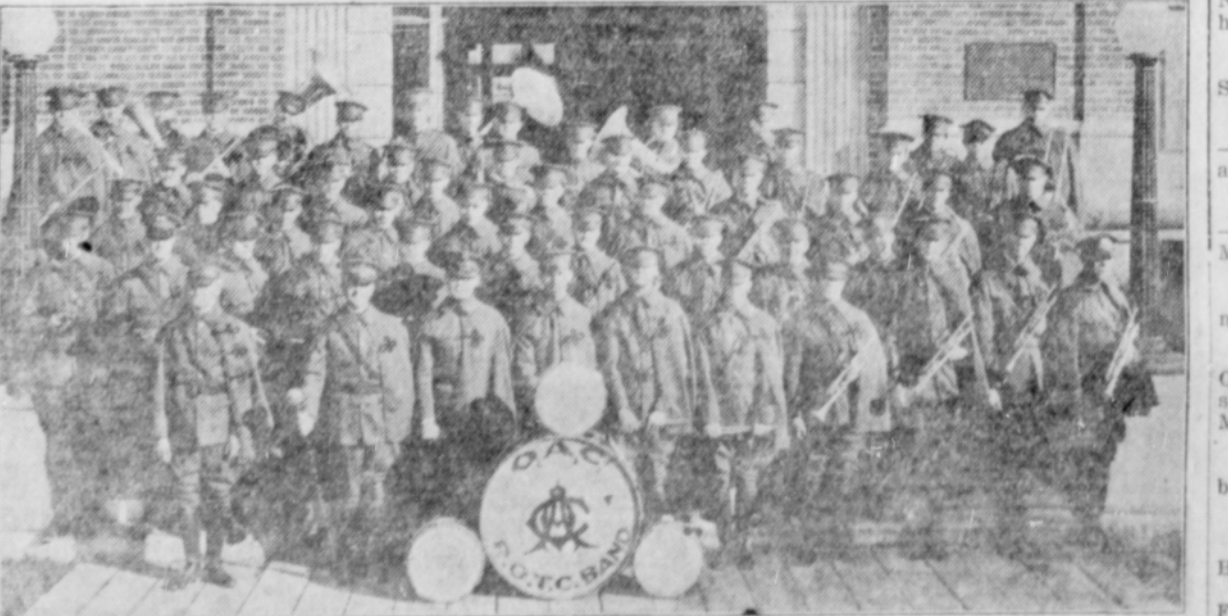
March 24-27—District Quarterly meeting Free Methodist church.

Friday Evening, March 25—O. A. C. Military band concert in high school gymnasium and dance in Masonic hall.

Saturday, March 26—W. C. T. U. bake sale at A. W. Metzger store.

Saturday Evening, March 26—Box social at Gresham grange. Saturday Evening, March 26—Fairview grange basket social and dance at grange hall.

Saturday Evening, April 2—Rockwood P. T. A. vaudeville. Saturday Evening, April 9—Concert at Swedish Mission church.



O. A. C. cadet band which will appear in Gresham Friday, March 25, for a concert in the high school. Gresham will be the first stop the band will make on its annual 10-day tour during spring vacation. Towns in eastern Oregon and Idaho are included on the itinerary for this year. A dance will be given by the band orchestra in the Masonic hall immediately after the contest.