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## ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce to the people that I will open on September II, in the Howitt Blk., a

## MEN'S FURNISHINGS and SHOE STORE

FAMOUS PACKARD SHOE-BEST EVER Sizes to fit Everyone from Baby up

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All are invited to call and inspect our stock whether you buy or not

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GRESHAM, OREGON

## Get Our Prices

on Flour and Feed before buying elsewhere.

We have on hand 100 BARRELS of GOOD HARD WHEAT FLOUR made from old wheat. (Flour made from new wheat does not make good bread).

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First-Class Creamery Butter, Fruits, Vegetables, Mason & Economy Fruit Jars, Stone Jars Jelly Glasses.

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Bring your BUTTER and EGGS.

## T. R. HOWITT

Dealer in Groceries, Feed, Flour, Hardware,

Powell Street.

Gresham, Ore.

## TO LOSE MONE

#### **\$150 SAVED** BY HAVING A CHECK ACCOUNT

ONE OF OUR CUSTOMERS represented a foreign corporation, they sending him money each month to make purchases for them. This money he deposited here and checked out as he needed it. At the close of the season when he had made final settlement they checked him short \$150. He immediately returned here for his canceled checks. Taking these back with him and rechecking they found he had checks to show he used every cent of their money as directed. These canceled checks furnished them with a complete record of where and how their money was used. This gentleman says if he hadn't had the checks to show where this money went he would have had to lose the \$150.

Check?

### Do you do business by Check?

Another customer of ours became careless; thought it too much trouble to beavy breeds and has a brand new imreceive checks and deposit in our bank; got down to cash basis; received money and receipted for it in a book. He now finds that there is a difference of about \$500 between his account and the firm with which he traded and says that he fears that he must lose it as he has no good grounds on which to stand them a suit. Had he received checks and deposited with us we could furnish the



## CITY COUNCIL HOLD MEETING

New Ordinances Considered and One Passed Third Reading. Saloon License Granted.

third reading and was ordered printed. You will find it in full in another colwere ordered, and still another new or- where he is slowly recovering. dinance relative to saloon licenses was This names a minimum license of \$1200 and a bond of \$1000, guaranteeing the lawful conduct of places conducting such a business.

It was decided to grant a license for another saloon at the present time. But lose all claims if his place is closed on account of irregularities on any proposition of fees that have been deposited.

Owing to the absence of Mayor Stuart, Lewis Shattuck was appointed Mayor for the evening. This will probably terminate in Mr. Shattuck being permanently appointed to the place. Since Mr. Shattuck is so deeply interested in the development and welfare of the town it is safe to say that the appointment would be highly satisfactory to a big majority of the citizens.

Gresham Feed Mill; first-class work guaranteed; open Sept. 7.

### Wheel Drops on Man's Head.

Noah Kesterson, residing near Sycamore, is in a very serious condition as the result of a blow received, unintentionally. The child was playing with a large wheel which weighed about ten pounds and let it roll over the edge falling several feet and striking Mr. Kesterson on the head. He was removed unconscious and has remained in that condition nearly every since. He has entirely lost his speech and the doctor has expressed his opinion that he may not

### Horses at the Portland Fair.

The horse show at the Portland Fair and Livestock Exposition promises to eclipse any former event ever held on the Coast, not barring the Lewis and Clark show.

Perhaps the largest exhibitor of standard breeds will be F. E. Alley of Roseburg, Oregon. Mr. Alley brings a full complement and enters in all classes from the colts up to aged horses. His record in the show ring last year is still fresh in the memory of fair goers. His horses were admired by thousands at Salem and Portland, and this year he will equal if not surpass his former showing and winnings. There are many other exhibitors of standard

The Clydesdales will be represented by J. D. Gordon & Son, of Newberg, Oregon. Mr. Gordon made a trip across the water, bringing out a new importation with which to meet all comers. H. C. Constance of Independence will have four head; Hugh Nesbit of Chimacum, Wash., will be on hand; D. M. Dryden of Woodburn has a fine aged Clyde; W. Boyd of Hastings, Ore., will have Bruce and others to hear from

McLaughlin Bros., of Columbus, O., will show a large number of heavy horses. They are well known exhibitors and have won at any show of consequence.

er, will have the largest exhibit he ever put out. He will show several of the portation for the fair.

The mill at Fairview will pay you eash for your grain.

## Special Prices.

Special prices on lumber at the Brown Lumber Company mill, for a few days. John Van Zante, Receiver.

#### A Singular Accident.

A very singular and serious accident occurred near Hogan station last Friday in which Emil Eilers was badly injured. Having prepared his load of wood it appears that he must have fallen off and was struck by something which rendered him half conscious. He recalls trying to crawl into the shade. The next phase of the accident seems to be that he must have climbed upon the The Council meeting held on Thurs- load and started off without locking the day evening was important in several wagon, which crowded upon the horses. features. A new ordinance passed its By the time the bottom of the hill was land Fair and Livestock Show during reached the wagon was probably going the week of September 20-25 and the so fast that in attempting to make the event is expected to be the biggest of its umn. A new ordinance regulating the curve the load upset, carrying Mr. Eil- kind ever held in the Northwest. Harlocation of barns, pens, carrolls and ers with it and as a result badly broke ness and running races, livestock show other outbuildings was presented for one leg and bruised him up generally. and special features will occupy the six first reading. Three new street lights He was taken to a Portland hospital days. Probably the biggest day will be

#### Camping at the Fair.

One of the pleasures for many persons attending the annual Oregon State Fair at Salem is the privilege of being numed on the camping ground a space of 20 sion. means the camping ground has the appeople come from a distance to enjoy and special events will be carded, an outing and at the same time particiright to purchase "campers' tickets." on the grounds of the association east of Fridays.

## THE PORTLAND LIVESTOCK FAIR

To be Held in Portland Sept. 20-25.—Many Thousands of Visitors Expected.

Extraordinary attractions are booked for the coming annual meet of the Port-Thursday, Sept. 23, which is Willamette Valley day, and Friday, Sept. 24, which is Colombia River Valley day. The first will be open day for all the towns of Western Oregon where the vivestock industry and the harness racing game have been so well developed of recent bered among the residents of the tented years. Officials and commercial bodies city just outside the main entrance to of the various towns will co operate with er of 50-51 where he made his home for the fair grounds. Each family is allow- the committee in making it a big occa-

The following day, too, will be feet front on the street and thirty feet marked by the presence of thousands of years and moved to Lake County, Ore., back for camping purposes. By this out-of-town guests as attractive railroad rates have been made from all points. pearance of a white convas city as many In addition Friday will be Ladies' Day

President Wehrung of the association pate in the pleasures of the exposition has taken up the work of organizing his week. All intending campers are re- committee and they will get to work at quired to apply to the superintendent of once to make the forthcoming meet the the camping ground for campers' certifi- most notable ever held in this section

the city. This year's sessions will undoubtedly have a marked effect in building up the livestock industry in the Pacific Northwest.

#### John Metzger.

John Metzger was born in Greenbriar County, Va., Sept. 29, 1819, and was was married to Mary Connor, April 24, 1841, and to this union 17 children were born. His wife died August 16, 1898, since that time he has made his home with his daughters, going from one to another just as he chose to until the last year when he became too feeble to visit any more and made his home with Mrs. G. W. Allder of Troutdale, where he passed away Aug. 28, 1909. He leaves to mourn his death six girls and two boys, William and James, and Lucy Petree of Lakeview, Ore., Alice Hobbs of Cedarville, Cal., Catherine Jones of Fossii, Ore., Naucy Brown of Sheridan, Or., Jane Waters, Portland, Ore., Julia Ailder, Troutdale, Ore. He has 53 grandchildren, 53 greatgrand-children and 2 great-greatgrand-children. He was an old pioneer, coming to Oregon the wint-20 years, then going to Surprise Valley, Cal., where he resided a number of then came back to the Willamette Valley where he lived till two years ago when he made another trip to Lakeview where he stayed another year returning to Troutdale where he lived till the time of his death.

For good work go to the Gresham Feed cates which will entitle them to the of the country. The meet will be held Mill; new rollers; open Tuesdays and

# EVERYDAY BARGAIN SALE

## **PLOWS**

12-inch Steel Walking Plows, \$10.75 14-inch Riding Sulky, *39.00* Moline Plows that took 1st Prize at the St. Louis Fair

## HARNESS

\$17.50 Single Buggy Harness at \$13.50 \$40 Double Farm Harness at 33.50 \$30 Driving Harness at 22.50

## FARM WAGONS

\$12.50 Reduction on Farm Wagons from last year's prices.

## BUGGIES

\$75 Buggy with leather quarter top, leather trimming, guaranteed in every way, this year's stock, at \$57.50



No agents or commission men at Gresham, Oregon City, Vancouver or nearby towns, but VERY LOW PRICES ON ALL GOODS, not on a few as quoted here.

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