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Stylish Fall Millinery

FOR LADIES AND GIRLS

Large variety of Styles
Expert trimmer in charge
Come in and see for yourself
No trouble to show you hats and trimmings

Gresham Millinery
Mrs. Maxey in charge

New Location in Postoffice Building

Powell Street

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).

We are also Headquarters for
First-Class Creamery Butter,
Fruits, Vegetables,
Mason & Economy Fruit
Jars, Stone Jars and
Jelly Glasses.

HAMS, BACON and LARD

Bring your BUTTER and EGGS.

T. R. HOWITT

Dealer in Groceries, Feed, Flour, Hardware.

Powell Street, - - - Gresham, Ore.

GOOD PROSPECTS FOR THE FAIR

Amusement Features are of the
Best Quality—Agricultural
Exhibits Extensive.

The opening day for the big annual
Grange fair will find everything in ap-
ple pie order. Every arrangement for
the entertainment of the public will
have been consummated and no delays
will be experienced in placing the en-
tries that arrive late; box stalls are
specially prepared to accommodate the
livestock that has been on exhibition
at other fairs on the Northwestern
circuit. Several pure bred prize win-
ners will be placed for the approval of
the judges.

The committee in charge of amuse-
ments has completed all arrangements
for the various amusements with which
the public visiting will be regaled.
Arnold's Combined Shows will supply
the Midway attractions, also the free
acts to be pulled off in front of the
grandstand between the races. Too
much cannot be said of the meretricious
attractions offered by the Arnold ag-
gregation, as the concern is absolutely
high grade in every respect, and their
individual Midway shows are moral and
instructive. The exhibitions are such
that a family man can feel safe in al-
lowing the ladies and children to attend
an attraction offered by this sterling
association of amusement caterers without
escort. No graft games of any nature
are tolerated around the Arnold Com-
bined Shows.

The agricultural exhibits will be one
of the feature attractions at the big Fall
Fair this year. Several thousand acres
of virgin land have been broken during
the past year in this district and the
products from this new soil, aided by
irrigation in spots, will be a never en-
ding source of interest to the many out-
siders attending the annual exhibition.
Not only will the product of these new
farms create an interest among the vis-
itors, but will be looked upon with deep
interest by the oldtimers who will read-
ily appreciate the more favorable and
modern methods employed by present
day husbandmen of the soil than when
they first settled in this locality. Every
year brings forth more perfect methods
of cultivating the soil along scientific
lines and one of the greatest stimulants
to that end is the annual exhibition of
the various articles of an agricultural
nature for which premiums are offered.
The grains and grasses will be awarded
a prominent place in the exhibit hall
as will the fruits. Apple culture has
been more favorably pushed in the en-
tire Northwest during the past year and
the exhibit of this fruit of the kings will
be watched with interest. Large dis-
plays of this particular, delicious speci-
men will be made by the many growers
who will be represented.

A large force of men are at work on
the new buildings. The first work raising
began Friday. They will all be well
along to completion before another week.

A series of ball games are being ar-
ranged by manager Patenaude, to be
played during the Fair. It is planned to
have four teams play, the winners of the
first two games to then try for a \$50
purse. There will also be \$25 in prizes
for each of the first two games. There is
also a probability that the Portland high
school will engage the Gresham team in
a wild and woolly foot ball game on Sat-
urday the 16th.

Dancing at the Fair, every afternoon
and evening.

Prof. Schaffer of the State University
has been delegated to represent the in-
stitution on the afternoon of the 16th.
Prof. Schaffer is one of the best informed
men in the state and should be heard by
every person in the county.

Dr. Brougher announces his subject
for Sunday afternoon, the 17th, "Hens, or
Scratching for a Living." The musi-
cians from the White Temple will render a
concert in connection with the lecture.

For good work go to the Gresham Feed
Mill; new rollers; open Tuesdays and
Fridays.

Read the "Want Ads." You
Wants Supplied on page 8.

Invest in Gresham real estate.

Married in Montavilla.

Wade H. Osburn and Miss Mary
Froom were married Tuesday evening
at Mr. Osburn's home in Montavilla,
Rev. J. M. Comer officiating. Follow-
ing the ceremony a wedding supper was
served after which Mr. and Mrs. Osburn
left for a trip through California. On
their return they will make their home
on East 79th street.

Mr. Osburn is well known in eastern
Multnomah, having formerly resided
near Fairview, but for the past three
years has been associated with his bor-
ther, S. P. Osburn, in the real estate
business in Portland. Mrs. Osburn is a
daughter of Mrs. E. E. Froom of Port-
land and a sister of Dr. A. C. Froom of
Seattle. She is a graduate of the
Nurses' Training School of the Portland
Sanitorium.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend to all of the many
friends who have so kindly sympathized
with us in the sad bereavement we have
suffered through the loss of our son and
brother, Andrew J. Miller, our heart-
felt thanks. We also express our grati-
tude for the assistance rendered by
friends and neighbors during the cere-
monies attending the funeral services.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Dailey.
James Miller.
Edna Kenady.
Bessie Mathews.
Alma and Chester Dailey.

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

See Shattuck's insurance offer.

SHALL GRESHAM HAVE FACTORY?

Proposition Being Considered
by Commercial Club to
Land one Here.

What is macite? What is it used for?
Can Gresham secure the factory soon to
be built in this part of the country?
These are questions discussed at the
Commercial Club meeting in the Grange
hall last Tuesday night. The subject
was presented by Mr. Pearson, president
of the Macite Company of Portland, who
came out to meet our citizens at the in-
stigation of one or two who had heard
of the possibility of locating the factory
here.

Macite is a building material, made
largely from gypsum and is used for
partitions in large office buildings, hos-
pitals, theatres, etc., and for deadening
floors. Mr. Pearson spoke of the cost
of manufacturing and said it could be
made to advantage in a place like Gresh-
am on account of cheapness of land
and labor. A plant such as he proposed
would give employment to from thirty
to a hundred men.

Of course there were certain condi-
tions for the people here to fulfill and a
committee consisting of H. A. Darnall,
R. R. Carlson and D. S. Johnson is now
investigating to see if the necessary
money can be raised.

There was a good attendance and con-
siderable interest was shown in plans
for advertising this section. Thousands

of homeseekers are coming to Oregon to
live and other thousands are traveling
through the state but never a leaf of
literature do they see telling the plain,
simple truths about our beautiful scen-
ery and inviting opportunities for the
farmer, gardner, dairyman or investor.

A few weeks ago the club offered a
prize of \$5 for the best descriptive ar-
ticle on the products and possibility of
this section, to be used for publicity
purposes. D. S. Johnson's article was
accepted and awarded the prize by the
Publicity Committee. The club listen-
ed to the article read at its last meeting
and authorized its publication. Many
inquiries are received every week and
this will be used in answering them.
Other plans were suggested and favora-
bly received which will doubtless be
used later. It is the general opinion
that nothing is too good to tell about
our resources, that there is ample room
and opportunity for all who come and
that the simple statements of facts will
interest all who read and lead many to
seek a home here.

A Word of Warning.

Why pay from two to three dollars
more for an inferior heating stove when
you can buy a Cheerful right here at
home at R. R. Carlson's and save a trip
to Portland in order to get one, when
you would be perfectly safe in buying
it here? Last year's sales were the
opening of a new era in the heating
stove line, when he sold two dozen of
these stoves and has doubled his order
for this year's trade, as each sale means
a satisfied customer and more sales. (If

You can get all kinds of mill feed at
the mill at Fairview.

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

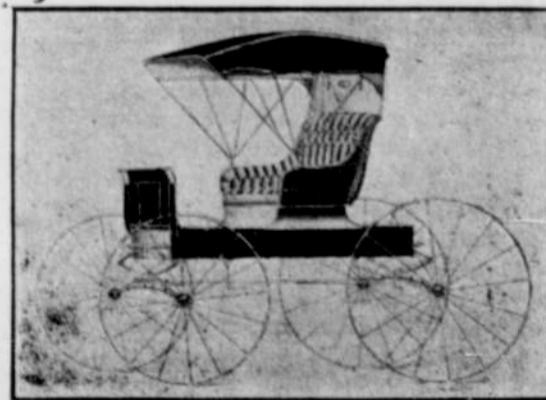
\$17.50 Single Buggy Harness at - - - \$13.50
\$40 Double Farm Harness at - - - 33.50
\$30 Driving Harness at - - - 22.50

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.

C. L. Boss & Co.

IN MOLINE PLOW COMPANY'S BUILDING

320-328 East Morrison St., Portland, Ore.

Limit Your Spending

—and SAVE the balance. That is a better way to get a
start than to limit your saving and SPEND the balance.

Why You Should Carry an Account with the First State Bank

- BECAUSE —your money is safer in the Bank than anywhere else.
- BECAUSE —a bank account teaches, helps and encourages you to save,
so as to increase your balance.
- BECAUSE —paying bills by check is the simplest and most convenient
method as well as the safest. Your check becomes a receipt
for the bill it has paid.
- BECAUSE —you can frequently save a tiresome trip by mailing a check.

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