

## The Home Merchant--Who Is He?

He is the chap who gives you credit when you are financially broke and carries your account until you are able to pay—  
 He is the chap who gives you back your money, or makes exchange, when you are not satisfied with what you have bought—  
 He is the chap who stands behind his guaranty and makes restoration of all losses that you may sustain on the goods you buy—  
 He is the chap who meets you at the door with a handshake, and lets you out with a message to the kids and a real come-again goodbye—  
 He is the chap who greets you on the street every day in the year and takes a neighborly interest in your family and your affairs—  
 He is the chap whose clerks and bookkeepers and other employees live in your town and spend their money with you and with other home town people.  
 He is the chap who pays heavy taxes to help support your town schools and build your streets, and maintain your fire departments and police departments, and parks, and lighting and water service—  
 He is the chap who helps support your cities, churches and hospitals and charity organizations and your lodges and commercial clubs and who talks for your town and boosts for your town every day in the year—  
 He is the chap who visits you when you are sick, sends flowers to your family when you die, and follows your body out among the trees and tombs, as far as human feet may tread with the dead—  
 He is the Home Merchant—your neighbor—your friend—your helper in time of need—  
 Don't you think you ought to trade with him, and be his friend and helper in HIS time of need?  
 Don't you know that every dollar you send out of your town for merchandise is sent to strangers—to men who have never spent a dollar in your town?  
 You don't save much, frequently nothing, when you send your money out of town, and don't you know that the growth and prosperity of your town depends very largely upon the success and prosperity of the home merchant? Out-of-town people judge our city by the appearance of our stores and the degree of enterprise shown by our merchants, and our home merchants cannot succeed unless home folks give them loyal support.—Oregon Voter.

## Town Topics

George Wolfer was here Sunday from Hubbard.  
 Mrs. C. B. Brewer was a visitor in Woodburn Friday.  
 The Eisele brothers were here Saturday from Union on business.  
 Misses Mabel and Irene Armstrong were in the city Saturday shopping.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fish and son were here Saturday shopping at the Aurora stores.  
 Gus Swan of Champeog was among those who attended the big round-up at Albany.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Phil Wiegand were in the city Saturday from their home near Paradise.  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. Dentel were in town Saturday from their home near East Butteville.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Herb Johnson were among the visitors in the city Monday on business.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Shepherd were among those shopping at the Aurora stores Friday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Keil and daughter were among those shopping here Saturday night.  
 Misses Helen Kent and Ida Schermer of Woodburn were week-end guests of Miss Velma Bents.  
 Peter Jager was among the White school neighborhood people transacting business here Friday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peter were in the city Saturday evening from their home near Lone Elder.  
 Mrs. T. M. Snyder, who is under medical treatment at Portland is reported somewhat better.  
 G. K. Fargo and party and C. A. Adams and guests of Donald motored through town Thursday.  
 Phil Miller has sold his gasoline tank and pumps to F. L. Miller, who will use it at his garage for a distillate tank.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mills were in town from Union district Saturday evening shopping at the Aurora stores.  
 Mrs. A. D. Yergen and son Dell motored over from East Butteville Saturday evening, in a recently purchased Buick.  
 Guy N. Hickok, cashier of the Aurora State Bank, will spend his vacation, beginning this week, in the auditor's department of the Northwestern National Bank, at Portland, to widen his knowledge of banking methods and practices. He will be absent about two weeks.

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AURORA, OREGON

Mrs. Earl Grim was a visitor in Portland Saturday.

Elizabeth Pardey was home from Portland Sunday to visit her parents.

Mrs. Geo. Muessig was among the ladies shopping in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bents, Dr. Giesy and Henry Bents Jr. drove to Portland on business Saturday with the latter as "chauffer."

T. M. Snyder and brother Edwin drove up from Portland Sunday to visit their sister Miss Emma E. Snyder and this brother J. L. Snyder.

The Band dance Saturday evening, July 14, at the Aurora Band Hall will be an enjoyable occasion. Good music—Garrett's orchestra. Tickets only 75c. Come.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kraxberger were here Friday from Macksburg. Mr. Kraxberger was attending a meeting of the directors of the Aurora State Bank.

Chas. Harnack and family were in the city Saturday evening from his home in the Needy-Macksburg country, motoring into town in his new Studebaker "taxi."

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Crisell were in town Saturday from their home near Wilsonville. They are rejoicing over the recent arrival of a baby boy at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Pierce entertained Mr. J. M. Smith and Clinton C. Page of California at their home Sunday. The former is Mr. Pierce's grandfather and the latter his cousin.

Miss Wakeman, of McMinnville, who has been employed about a month at the Aurora State Bank, has accepted a position as stenographer with the Bank of Raymond, Washington.

Beginning July 15, the morning train for Portland will leave Aurora 15 minutes earlier than at present, and train No. 27, south bound, now due here at 5:31 p.m., will arrive 15 minutes earlier.

The "Isle of Life", a five reel drama, was seen by a good crowd at the Aurora Theatre Sunday night. Another good photo-play will be shown next Sunday night, with a good comedy reel.

Joe Resch, who was here recently from the Union neighborhood, has fitted up his threshing outfit to enable him to thresh beans perfectly. Those having beans to thresh may haul them to his place and have the work done promptly and efficiently and haul the threshed beans away with them.

Harry Talbot was here Tuesday shipping a small lot of hops. Mr. Talbot estimates the hop acreage to have been reduced from 26,000 acres to about 11,000 acres in Oregon, and quite a part of the present acreage has been so poorly cultivated that it will yield no more than half a crop.

### FARGO NEWS

Pat Leavy spent Sunday at Portland.

N. B. Cone and family were here during the week.

Miss Dorothy Green spent Sunday at Broadacres with relatives.

The board of trustees of Richardson M. E. church met Friday evening.

G. K. Fargo and family motored to Portland to be gone a couple of days.

A. B. Dentel and wife of East Butteville were here at the Red Cross meeting.

Mrs. Arthur Bouchen of Salem is a week end guest at the G. K. Fargo home.

Mrs. Caleb Sawyer of Salem is a weekend guest at the Fred Dentel home.

Wm. H. Purdy and family were guests of Mrs. Emma Whitney Brink the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Acton of New York spent part of the week at the home of G. K. Fargo.

Mayor and Mrs. Sadler were here

during the week in the interest of Red Cross work.

E. W. K. Newell of Portland was here during the week the guest at the F. B. Fargo home.

Miss Minnie Dodge, Mrs. Slyter and Mrs. Penrod of Butteville were here during the week.

Mrs. A. R. Brink spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Purdy of Woodburn.

Dr. T. W. Sharpe and family and Mrs. H. S. Fargo of Pyrtland were guests Sunday of G. K. Fargo.

Loganberry picking will begin sometime during July, but the actual date cannot be announced at present.

Mrs. Chas. Johnson of Molalla is a guest till after the Fourth of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Matthieu.

The young ladies society of the Richardsons memorial M. E. church met at their regular meeting Friday evening.

Wm. Bents Jr., is painting his home and attractive ivory white, trimmed in yellow, making a very pleasing combination.

The Military club gave an ice cream social on the lawn, a large crowd attended. Proceeds for additional uniforms and equipment.

Mrs. Linn Eberman of Alliance, Ohio, formerly of this place is a guest of her mother-in-law Mrs. Wm. Eberman and friends for the summer.

Peter Kister and a party composed of Mable Tautfest, Gladys Prink and Hazel Tautfest motored to Molalla the 4th to take in the round-up.

Henry Tautfest is making a larger addition to his already large barn and reshingling the barn preparatory to engaging in the stock business.

The Misses Nellie and Carolyn Fargo of Portland arrived Monday to spend a couple of weeks rustivating at their ranch cottage, and with friends and relatives.

The Red Cross Auxiliary an arm of Willamette chapter is the 92nd Auxiliary in the county. Fargo, East Butteville and Fargo will join hands and form one of the largest chapters in this end of the county.

Haying is almost over and bean culture is the order of the day. At Fargo Orchards a crew of ten men and eight boys are hoeing the crop while three two-horse and one one-horse cultivators are busy cultivating.

G. K. Fargo, Dr. T. W. Sharpe of Portland and F. B. Fargo motored to Dunlee to inspect the evaporation at that place preparatory to installing a unit here. Sweet corn, berries and apples will probably be dried in a small way this season.

Prof. Edwin Sherwood of Kimball College, Salem professor of theology, occupied the pulpit of Richardson church the last two Sundays. He is a very capable speaker and was highly appreciated. Better come out and hear him. Service at 11 o'clock. Friends of Rev. E. E. Gittens our former pastor will be pleased to know he is recovering very satisfactorily from his stroke. He has a fine garden spaded and cultivated by himself. Mr. Gittens extends a hearty welcome to friends at his home, N. E. Corner, South Cottage street at Salem.

A rousing Red Cross meeting was held here during the week, thirty-eight charter members were signed up for a Red Cross Auxiliary. A large number of prominent Salem people were present. The speakers of the evening were: E. I. Barnes, Henry Meier, Mr. Huckenstein, Mrs. Dr. Fischer, Mrs. Dr. H. Robinson, and Mrs. Arthur Bouchen. Temporary officers were elected, G. K. Fargo being chosen as chairman, J. P. Chark Sec'y, and Mrs. D. W. Sanders Treas. A musical program rendered by Mrs. F. B. and Mrs. G. K. Fargo of Fargo, Mr. Geo. Snder of Salem and the (Ukahale)? girls octette who gave several pleasing numbers. Those taking part were Miss Josephine Bramgartner, Ruth Barnes, Eva Miles, Francis Hodge, Pauline L. Dick, Margaret Griffith, Gladys Moore and Mary Jane Albert all of Salem.

## BUTTEVILLE WILL DO HER BIT

RED CROSS DRIVE FOR AUXILIARY MEMBERSHIP NETS FORTY ONE MEMBERS IN ONE EVENING.

A successful drive was made Sunday night by a contingent of Willamette chapter of the Red Cross, at a meeting at the Butteville school house, though there was no opposition and little effort was necessary to make Butteville's surrender complete. Desertion from the ranks of indifference was unanimous, and the invading force augmented until harmony, mutual understanding and eagerness to serve made any chance of slackers impossible.

Under the leadership of "General" Henry Meyers, "Captain" August Huckestein, "Lieutenants" Mesdames Meyers, Smith and Fisher, and the ranks filled by sympathetic and ardent members from Salem the bombardment and drive was launched at 7:30 Sunday evening, in the Butteville school house. Mr. Meyers spoke on Finances, Mr. Huckestein's address on Patriotism was given with force and feeling. Mrs. Carlton Smith explained uses and needs of Surgical Dressings, while Mrs. Fisher took charge of the organization. The drive netted 41 members. Such enthusiasm, no such eagerness to take their part and willingness to do their individual bits was ever shown in this community before.

It being the desire of those present to permanently organize in order to start the work, the following officers were elected: Norman B. Cook, Chairman, Miss Minnie Dodge, Secretary, and A. D. McCully, Treasurer.

A meeting was called by the ladies to be held at Mrs. Geo. Penrod's Wednesday afternoon when final arrangements will be made for the purpose of procuring materials and starting the work of sewing. Entertainments are under way and everything possible is to be done to increase the funds that are so much needed. The different committees will be appointed and within the week the members expect to be in the harness and helping the great cause along. Three rousing cheers was given by the people of Salem for Butteville and the spirit shown, a vote of thanks was extended in turn for the assistance in the organization followed by three ringing cheers for the good people who have given so much of their time and untiring efforts to the cause. Everyone feels proud of the button worn as a significance of their little bit being done. Hurrah for the Willamette Chapter and those in charge. Butteville will do her bit!

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