

## Martin's Drygood Store Gives Community Service

Little thought is given to what one individual store's service actually means to the town, or individually. Suddenly take that store out of town, and it's service becomes sadly missed. Not that Martin's Drygoods Store has any intention of moving out of Beaverton,—for it's "Home" to Mr. Martin. His business has grown over the years and the wide range of merchandise and their prices offered is recognized by all those who trade here.

Featuring everything from men's, women's and children's wear to household necessities and novelties, it is the one strong link that serves the people of the Beaverton areas.

Mr. Martin is to be commended for his business enterprise and civic spirit.

Among the Beaverton residents to attend Summer Symphony concerts at the Multnomah Civic Stadium were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Davison, Miss Lou Coyner, Mrs. Wm. Stratton, Miss Merle Davies and Miss Katherine Dessinger.

Mrs. Mallie Hicke of Portland, accompanied Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Hetu to the fish hatchery at Astoria. They spent Saturday and Sunday with their nephew who is the superintendent of the hatchery.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Talbert and daughters Virginia and Caroline, spent part of last week at their Oceanlake cottage.

## Bridge of the Gods Reopens to Traffic

Announcement is made by Mr. Charles G. Huber that the famous Bridge of the Gods reopened for traffic Thursday, July 18th. It had been closed since March 25 for remodeling. In the course of this work the bridge was raised 45 feet to give it a clearance of 135 feet above the level of the Columbia river—a height sufficient to permit ocean going vessels to pass. The new height of course was necessitated by the fact that the Bonneville Dam has raised the level of the river at that point.

The job was a remarkable feat of engineering and construction. The entire center span had to be completely dismantled and then rebuilt after the job of raising was completed. Originally the bridge was level but in addition to raising the cantilever arms it was necessary to give them a 3 percent grade on the Oregon side and a 4 percent grade on the Washington side to give the center span the desired height, of course this required lengthening those arms and the construction of new approaches.

Imagine the magnitude of the job of raising a bridge 1800 feet long, weighing 4,000 tons to a height of 45 feet. After dismantling the center span, huge hydraulic jacks were placed under the cantilever arms. As these spans were raised shims of sheet steel 3-16th of an inch thick, were placed under them. As certain heights were reached grillage of I-beam steel could be placed to carry the load and shims removed, then the process of jacking and shimming started all over again. The opposite spans were raised alternately in steps of about 7 feet each. Of course the jacks and all the equipment had to be ferried across the river each stage of the operation. The feat was complicated by the fact that the gorge is frequently subjected to high velocity winds which might topple one of the spans into the river while balanced on the jacks and other temporary supports. To guard against this, great additional weight of steel and concrete had to be added to each span as it was being lifted. Great steel springs were also placed under the bridge as it was raised to absorb any shock that might occur should a jack slip. It was thought that a drop of more than 3-16 of an inch would break or seriously damage one of the spans.

The famous Bridge of the Gods is once more carrying traffic across magnificent, scenic gorge of the mighty Columbia. Its increased height affords an even more spectacular view than before. On the Oregon side, instead of the old direct approach from the level of the highway, there is a new overhead approach reached by a curved steel and concrete ramp 1400 feet long.

The Bridge of the Gods has always been a major scenic and tourist attraction that has thrilled people from all over the world. To Oregon people a trip up the Columbia and across the Bridge of the Gods has always been a favorite picnic or Sunday excursion. With the building of the Bonneville Dam the Bridge makes it possible for sightseers to inspect both sides of the dam on the same trip. To encourage this use of the bridge a free return crossing is allowed within 3 hours. We rejoice not only that this scenic attraction has been spared to us by the Federal Government, but that it has actually been enhanced.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron T. Walton are proud parents of a daughter, Darlene L., born July 13.

A son, Dennis E., arrived to grace the John E. Strom home on route 2, Beaverton, July 18.

## An Acknowledgment, our Story—And a Promise

That is a message brought to you this week from Otto Keil, Francis Holboke, Ron Lamont, and the rest of the Home-Town boys at Thrifty Market, Beaverton. They join in the praise of Tualatin Valley and Beaverton area Home, Industrial and Civic development as featured in this week's Beaverton Enterprise. Like the Valley and Beaverton—they started with nothing but determination, experience, a goal to look forward to,—plus the one thing that counts most in the business growth, development and happiness of any town;—a real desire to serve. The boys at Thrifty Market wish to particularly point out that they are all "Home-Town" boys, owning their own homes here. That their whole life and future is bound up in Beaverton, it's growth and prosperity. And that their one greatest ambition is to serve you permanently, as a valued personal friend as well as a customer.

**THE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Earl B. Horsell, Minister  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Chas. H. Roseman, Supt.  
Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon topic The Mystical Approach to Religion.

Karl Potten of South Lombard street has about completed the addition of two rooms to his house, re-decorating the entire interior of the structure.

Mrs. Sadie Ford Block of Oregon City, spent the week end visiting Mrs. Harold Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Scroggins of Tillamook were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eliander.

## MEAT

WE SPECIALIZE IN FINE MEATS

STEAKS, ROASTS, tender, full of flavor—from Prime Steers.

LAMB—real premium Spring.

PORK—Lean, full flavored

VEAL—Fancy white meat from milk fed calves.

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For Fri.-Sat.-Mon., —August 2-3-5

FRESH CRISP VEGETABLES, SEASONABLE FRUITS

**COFFEE** Golden West 1 lb. can 25c, **3 lbs. 73c**

**SALMON** Sandwich Pink No. 1 tall cans **15c**

**Shrimp - Oysters** Burgess can **10c**

**Beef Stew** Dinty Moore 1 1/2 lb. can **17c**

**SPAGHETTI** Dinty Moore 1 1/2 lb. can **17c**

**GRAPEFRUIT** H & D No. 300 can **9c**

**Peas** H & D Tender Garden No. 3 cans **2 for 25c**

**Pen-Jel** SILVER SERVER FREE; **2 pkgs. 19c**



LUX, large pkg. 23c

Lux Toilet Soap 3 for 19c

RINSO, large pkg 19c

LIFEBUOY, 3 for 19c

**Spry** 3 lb. can 49c

## CRACKERS

Ritz 1 lb. pkg

**22c**

## Marshmallows

Campfire

**Lb. 17c**

## MEATS

Fryers (colored) lb 25c Stew Hens, lb. 19c

Side Pork, lb 12c Plate Sausage 14c

Ground Beef, lb 15c Lunch Meats 25c

## FEEDS, SEEDS and GRAIN

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## An Acknowledgment!

## OUR STORY... AND A PROMISE!

In acknowledgement of the wonderful growth, development and prosperity of the Beaverton area of the Tualatin Valley—particularly in new homes and more homes—and a happier "Home-Life," THE THRIFTY MARKET, Beaverton, is proud of the part it has played, and is playing in ever growing volume, in these Valley Homes. The history of the Tualatin Valley—the Beaverton area—and the Thrifty Market, are one and the same. Starting with nothing but experience, determination, a desire to serve, and a goal to shoot at; this market has grown to the high standing it now holds. The 8 Sales and Service members of our staff are all HOME-BOYS, living here permanently, owning their own homes. Their life and future is centered here; and their greatest ambition is to serve you as a permanent friend and customer, with Quality Foods, and that PERSONAL SERVICE.

## THRIFTY MARKET

OTTO KEIL

RON LAMONT, Meat Dept.

FRANCIS HOLBOKE

## Early Bird Sale of BLANKETS

## USE OUR EASY 'LAY-AWAY' PLAN



Be an "Early Bird" and save on blankets! Choose the blankets you want NOW, while a big selection is available and low summer prices prevail! A few cents down holds any blanket. Pay the balance in small weekly payments. You'll have your blankets paid for when cold weather sets in and never miss the money!

BIG DOUBLE BLANKETS at \$1.79 \$1.98 \$2.98 and Up

## MARTIN'S DRY GOODS STORE

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