

# Metzger Bros.

## We Have Resolved

to continue during the coming year our policy of selling the best groceries at the fairest prices. We are not turning over any new leaf. We are simply determined to keep on as we always have. If you are not using our groceries it is because you haven't tried them. You should make the trial at once.



Our Delivery Wagon is at your service; our phone is No. 661; our location, Powell Street, next to Feed Mill.

## HAM, BACON and LARD

Are still at rock bottom prices

## Beef, Pork, Mutton, and Veal.

Best Quality, Lowest Prices

FISH THURSDAYS and FRIDAYS

## Gresham Meat Market

## Clean - up Sale

On account of their late arrival we had some **Dishes** left over from the Christmas trade. Since we have other big shipments coming we must dispose of these **at once.**

Values up to 25c **10c** EACH

A few other Specials for next week--

5c Handkerchiefs, 2 for 5c  
10c Handkerchiefs, for 5c  
Men's Canvas Gloves, 4 pair 25c

## The Novelty Shop

## Let Me Figure on that New Bathroom

Fixtures the Cheapest or the Best as you may wish

Workmanship expert

A. S. FAIR

McCord Bldg. Powell St. Opposite Kerns Lbr. Yd.

## DEPENDABLE PLUMBING

The Best Bargain. The Daily Oregonian or Evening Telegram and Outlook. We also combine with the Daily and Semi-Weekly Journal and Weekly Oregonian. Get our prices. Phone 701

Phone your orders in for Butter Wrappers to the Gresham Outlook. Phone 701.

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## LAUREL STOVES AND RANGES

SOMETHING DIFFERENT AND SOMETHING BETTER

## 1892 Fine Spun Aluminum

Ware That is Ware, Never Burns, Looks Nice and is Nice.

## Sterling & Johnston

In the Gresham Investment Company's New Building. GRESHAM, OREGON

## GRESHAM Short Courses at O. A. C.

Continued from page 1.

Mrs. Aton is visiting with friends in Portland this week.

A cousin of W. K. Hamilton arrived this morning from the East.

Mrs. Erwin and Marjorie Halliday are visiting with the family of Mr. Carmen at Arleta.

Mrs. Harve Metzger was called a few days ago to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Dixon, in Portland.

W. W. Cotton and wife left a few days ago for New York City from which place they expect to take the boat to Egypt. They will spend about six months abroad. Mr. Cotton is rapidly improving.

The Turner Art exhibit planned for by Prof. G. R. Robinson, January 31 to February 2, promises to be a very interesting affair. All the pictures are reproduced directly from originals by the most scientific and modern methods and are subjects of world wide interest and great educational value.

Geo. Sunday is at work making some improvements on Geo. Leslie's house. A new modern porch will be one of the improvements.

Mrs. Roy Kern entertained at dinner last Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hevel and daughter.

C. E. Keller made a trip to Newberg last week in the interests of the Farmers' Society of Equity.

Mrs. Geo. Leslie acquired such a good reputation as a hostess Thanks giving that the Wostell, Hevel and Zeek families with Geo. Leslie, Jr., from Portland swooped down upon her again Christmas day and again left the cupboard bare. If she don't take steps to replenish it soon it will be a hungry looking crowd that will depart from the Leslie house New Years day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McKinney and daughter, Alice, of Apulia Station, New York, is the guest of his cousin Mrs. Roy Gibbs.

A union watch meeting service will be held in the Methodist church at the close of the various church services Sunday night. All the pastors will take part. A large attendance is requested. The communion service will follow the morning service.

Frank Murphy is visiting relatives in Cascade Locks this week.

The topic at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning will be "New and Old." Evening, a sacred cantata will be given. All welcome.

The program for the cantata to be given at the Methodist church Sunday night will be found on page three of this issue.

A petition for a special through car in the morning from Gresham to Portland and from Portland to Gresham at about 4:30 or 5 p. m. is being circulated and already has several hundred names of citizens in this locality. C. S. Smith is circulating the petition and getting it ready to present in the near future. The Commercial club is backing the movement.

Mrs. Geo. F. Hopkins has been quite ill for the past two days but is slightly better.

Mrs. J. T. Haines of Seattle was the guest of Mrs. Chas. Cleveland early this week.

The Ladies' Aid will entertain the members at an initial luncheon at noon at Mrs. S. S. Thompson's Wednesday, January 3. Each lady is requested to bring something for refreshments, the initial letter of which corresponds to the initial of her name. Any lady of the congregation, who would like to join the society will be welcomed to this jollification meeting.

Several of our Gresham merchants are offering their left over holiday goods and many odd lines of useful articles at greatly reduced prices this week as apparent in the ads. of the present issue of the Outlook.

Send in your combination subscription at once. See list in this paper.

The Outlook is on the lookout for subscriptions, advertising and print-Phone 701.

A course of lecture by Dr. John H. Boyd will be given under the auspices of the Portland Y. M. C. A. beginning early in January. The subject will be "The Origin and Development of the Great Ideas of Religion." They will be given during the noon hour to an audience made up of business and professional men. Watch for fuller announcement.

## Business Men Want Service, Safety and Secrecy

from a bank. We offer you all three.

SECRECY: All transactions between this bank and its patrons are considered absolutely confidential.

SAFETY: Our management is progressive, but conservative. All investments are carefully considered and passed upon by level-headed men experienced in business and banking methods.

SERVICE: Courtesy and Service are counted as two of our best assets. The small account receives as much attention as the large.

A Business Friendship--the Most Real and Lasting of All Friendships Exists Between This Bank and Its Depositors

## First State Bank

of various rennet tests will be taught, also the hot iron and acidity tests. Small vats are used in this work in order that each student may have an opportunity to carry the work through from start to finish. Text-book used, Cheese Making, by Decker.

Creamery butter-making--A consideration of the use of starters, pasteurization as applied to butter-making, moisture tests, methods of creamery construction, creamery mechanics, etc. Text-book used, Creamery Butter-Making, by Michels

Dairy bacteriology--Four lectures per week will be given by the department of bacteriology to students in dairying and to others interested. In these lectures the general principles of bacteriology will be first discussed as a preparation for the consideration of the relation of the science to the dairy industry. A standard textbook will be used by students for reference purposes.

Dairy chemistry--The elementary principles of chemistry are explained with a view of enabling the student to understand better the composition of dairy products and the chemical changes connected with and influencing certain dairy operations.

Laboratory practice -- Extended practice in the use of the Babcock test in determining the percentage of fat contained in milk and milk products; the use of the acid test for determining the ripeness of cream; moisture tests; salt tests.

Poultry Husbandry. A special series of lectures and demonstrations will be given by the department of poultry husbandry to all interested in the keeping of fowl. The course of lectures will be of a practical nature, covering the following subjects: Locating and constructing a poultry plant; breeds and breeding; feeds and methods of feeding; markets and marketing; preparing fowls and eggs for market; killing, dressing and packing fowls; hatching and rearing the chicks both by artificial and natural methods; and the more common diseases affecting poultry.

Demonstrations and Practical Work --For the purpose of supplementing the lectures with practical work the college poultry plant, consisting of several hundred fowls representing different breeds, incubators, houses, appliances, etc., will be used. Lectures and demonstrations are open to all students registered in the winter short courses. The lectures will be arranged so that those taking work in other departments can attend them.

Good Roads. One billion dollars a year is the price America pays for the luxury of poor highways, a tax of approximately \$12.50 for each man, woman and child in our country. These figures, based on data compiled by the United States Office of Public Roads, represent simply the economic waste, leaving out of consideration the social loss to any community due to lack of proper means of communication. It is hardly possible to estimate this loss in dollars and cents, but it is significant that those eastern states, which have improved their rural road no longer have to face the problem of the abandoned farm.

Oregon cannot afford to macadamize all her highways for many years, but if the earth road is given proper attention the economic loss can be greatly improved. This work cannot be left wholly to the county and road district officials. Each must do his part, but with no more money and very little more labor than has been expended in the past, the roads can be put in good condition for the greater portion of the year.

Two courses will be given in this subject at the winter short course, as follows:

1. Farmers' Course--These lectures will deal with the best methods of construction and maintenance of earth roads, from the heavy soils of the Willamette Valley to the sand of the Columbia river country. The design, construction and use of the road drag will be explained and practical demonstrations of its value will be given on the roads near the college. The elementary principles of road location and drainage will be taken up in the lecture-room.

and as far as possible this work will be supplemented by inspection.

2. Road Supervisors' Course--The construction and maintenance of earth, gravel, macadam, sand-clay, oiled sand, bituminous and tar macadam, and other methods of highway improvement will be studied in this course. The principles underlying proper road location will be explained, and the disposal of both surface and underground water will be discussed both in the lecture-room and on the roads near Corvallis. The design and construction of culverts, catch basins, etc., will be taken up with special reference to the needs of the different sections of the state.

A class in highway legislation will also be organized if desired. This question is now a paramount issue in the state, and a study of how other states have met their difficulties may be of some assistance in solving our problems.

## Six Years of Success

We are just closing our sixth year of business in Gresham, which will be the greatest yet. During the six years, we have labored and it has been our constant endeavor to not only make this bank a success, but to make the business of each of its patrons a success; to so look after the interests of each person or firm doing business with this bank that they could at the end of the year, without hesitation, say that the bank had really been of service to them; to so handle the business of each person that they would with the utmost confidence entrust us with their most complicated financial affairs; to each year make such improvements in the service of the bank as circumstances would permit. We are at the present time extending our present banking building and will in a few months be better prepared to handle the business of 1912 which we are going to make greater than any previous year.

Our efforts to serve and please the public during the six years has been six years of pleasure to us and the time has passed like a dream.

Our Success has been due to the loyalty shown us by the people of Eastern Multnomah and Clackamas counties, which has been most constant.

We take the opportunity of expressing on this page our gratitude to our many loyal patrons.

Each officer, from the lowest to the Board of Directors, wishes to thank each and every one who has had any business with this bank during the past year and assure each of you that it is with pleasant recollections that we look back on the many business transactions that we have had during the year.

Wishing you all a Happy and most Prosperous New Year, We remain

## First State Bank

Gresham, Oregon.

The new railroad from Vail westward, an extension of the Oregon Shortline, will soon be an accomplished fact, as all arrangements have been made to start construction. It is expected work will be continued throughout the winter months.

### List of Letters.

The following list of letters remain uncalled for in the Gresham postoffice for the week ending December 24, 1911:

Letters.  
Gentlemen--A. C. Walls, F. E. Kenney, Geo. G. Boland, Frank Schmidt, Alfred Shromdal, T. W. Martin, D. D. Colgate.  
Ladies--Mrs. V. A. Decker, Ivah Oily (Miss) Mrs. L. M. Taylor, Eva Talor, Mrs. H. Hobbs.  
Foreign Letter -- Peter Merriorem.

Dead letter--Herbert W. Lowl.  
Cards--E. Benck, Jim Spiers, Miss Bertha Moses, Mrs. Agatha Githens.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office on Jan. 7th, 1912, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say advertised, giving date of list.

I. McCOLL, P. M.

### Notice for Publication.

H. L. Larsen Estate.  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as executrix of the last will and testament of H. L. Larsen deceased, has filed her final report and account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah and that the 22nd day of January A. D. 1912, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. of said day and in the Court room of said Court, have been appointed by said Court as the time and place for hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

CARRIE LARSEN, Executrix of the Estate of H. L. Larsen, deceased.

ANGELL & FISHER,

Attorneys for Executrix.

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## AFTER HOLIDAY SUIT AND OVERC'T SALE

Starting tomorrow and lasting until Saturday night, we will place on sale a special lot of fine worsted and serge suits of splendid hand tailored quality and fashionable design. The patterns are the most approved offerings for Winter wear and the values range from \$15 to \$20

Only a limited number to be sold at this sale. Come in and pick out one to fit and suit

\$10.85 to \$14.85

## Aylsworth in the brick