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Look out for the best days of the year. They are not far away. But don't wait for them. Pitch in and start things to moving and the best days will be yours now and ever.

Oil has been discovered in Harney county at a depth of a little over 700 feet. It is said to be the best quality of paraffin petroleum. Piping it 400 miles to Portland is said to be within the possible things.

The Commercial club has had a month's vacation. That's long enough in a busy growing locality like this. The next regular meeting will be the first Wednesday night in September (the 4th). Forget everything else but don't forget to be present and give the club a good start for the fall and winter campaign of business and social betterment. A hint to the wise is sufficient. The Women's League doesn't need even the hint.

Why should not Gresham take her place among the progressive cities that have a first-class band? Sandy has a band, Estacada has a band, Lents has a band. Why not Gresham? We have the players, fifteen or twenty of them, good ones. Many of them have their instruments and the individuals or the organization (if it may be called such) have the uniforms.

Gresham has had a thoroughly good band. It simply quit and few if any can tell just why. Maybe there wasn't enough money in it.

The band here could hardly expect to be a money-making institution. It ought to be nearly self-supporting and there ought to be many who would help make up the deficiency.

Why not somebody say the word, get the boys together and go after the reorganization of the band with a purpose to succeed? It should be done for the good to individuals and the public.

Up-to-Date Farming, the official organ of the Farmers Society of Equity, says that as ours is an agricultural country, the nation's wealth and prosperity comes from its farmers. This is in large part true but a little broader view would include the miner and all other wealth producers. But it is true that without agriculture no other industries would prosper. The same paper goes on to say, when the farmers are prosperous all other classes are prosperous, for farmers are not hoarders of money; they spend it for their needs, thus pass it into the hands of those of other industries and business. Our secret of prosperity, then, is the prosperity of our farmers, and their prosperity depends upon remunerative and steady prices for their products—not high prices at one time for one season's crops, and low prices for another, but prices sufficiently steady that they may be relied on so that farmers may plan their business with the same certainty that other people do.

The West is a big country, and there are big men out there, as well as big mountains, and these big men are doing big things. The Multnomah county Union in Oregon, is making itself felt in the big city of Portland. A. R. Lyman of Gresham, sends us copies of the crop report blanks they use, a circular letter they have sent to their members, and an article they had published in their local papers, all of which show how readily a farmer can develop real business ability when he tries in earnest.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all our friends for their many expressions of sympathy and kindness and for the decorations and flowers which were so lovingly and liberally given us in our great bereavement. All were deeply appreciated.

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Just Like Oregon, too.

A Texas farmer, D. J. Neill, in the Texas Farm Co-operator beautifully describes the advantages of farm life in his state. Every word of it is true of Oregon, too.

Yesterday was the glorious Sabbath day: the sun was shining brightly, the bees were humming and the birds were singing sweetly and all nature seemed to rejoice in this God's appointed first day. At 12:30 the good wife announced that dinner was ready. And there sure was a surprise awaiting us. Here was radishes fresh from the ground, brittle, juicy and sweet. There were turnips green and mustard greens cooked and seasoned with homemade meat; there was a chicken pie and chicken stew, with milk and butter and fresh laid eggs. Then, oh then, talk to me about the city chap and his wilted greens, cooked with cotton seed oil, and radishes that were pulled a week or more ago. Talk to me about those cold storage chickens, that were put away during the Spanish-American war. No wonder the city chap, when he looks over his menu of sun-dried greens, his wilted cabbage, his cold storage chickens, his canned beef, his condensed milk, his oleomargarine and stale eggs will cry, "back to the farm, and oh, for the grub that mother used to cook in our boyhood days."

Yes, back to the farm where the best is to be had. Back to the farm and from the maddening crowd. Back to the farm, where there is no hypocrisy nor guile. Back to the farm and hush this eternal cry of high cost of living. Back to the farm and away from the seductive temptations that beset the wayfarer at every step in city life. Life, health and a better day. Lord, yes! back to the farm where the hungry are fed, the naked clothed, the sick are made well by God's true elixir of life, the bloated inebriate is made sober, and the poor devil that has fallen by the wayside is helped to stand upright again, and the chords of life that were broken are made to vibrate once more. His guilty, sin-stained conscience will be made clean; a new hope will be infused into his soul and he will be made again to seek that place where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest. All nature says come where God's sunshine falls upon hill and dale and the sunbeams dance all the day long; pure air, pure water and no fear of death dealing bacteria germs that infest every avenue of the city life. Life, health, and a promise of a better day back on the farm.

Alfred D. Cridge Answers Taxers.

Editor Outlook:—In your issue of the 13th you lay down the principle that every man should be taxed according to what he has. This is simply impossible of application, and from the very nature of things always has been and always will be. The more easily any product of labor can be concealed or moved the more difficult to tax it. The farmer and home owner has more that is difficult to move than any other class.

You state that the single taxers desire to levy all taxes on land. You are mistaken. They never have advocated anything of the sort at any time or in any degree. They advocate the laying of all taxes on land values. The values of land come and go with the people and are in very truth a people value. Created by the people they belong to the people, and these values are amply sufficient for all public needs. No proposal is before the people of Oregon to take all this people made value. We already take some of it for public purposes. The proposition is to take more, and the graduated, specific and special tax on owners of land values exceeding in assessed value would pay it, while the user of land of less than this value would pay less than now, and also escape on all labor values in addition.

In British Columbia this amounts to a 22 1/2 mills on an average valuation of 45 per cent of the land values. The graduated measure in Oregon would not make as high a rate as that on the average for those having less than \$10,000 in land values exclusive of improvements. Alberta is on a land value tax basis after this year for all local revenues. Saskatchewan is nearly so. It is found to be just to tax men for the privileges they have from the community in land, water power franchises and other natural resources, and practically just to every person to refuse to tax anything we want to come to us or stay with us, or that can get away from us. To the extent that these principles are followed communities and useful citizens prosper, and to the extent that the idea of taxing everything in sight and all you can dig up prevails progress marches with poverty and vice and misery are the foundations of enormous fortunes.

Literature showing these facts sent free on application.
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PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT—Track prices, new: Club 79-80c; Bluestem, 81-82c; 40-fold, 80c; valley, 80c.
MILLSTUFFS—Bran, \$25.50 per ton; middlings, \$32; shorts, \$27.50; rolled barley, \$29.
FLOUR—Patents, \$4.60 per barrel; straights, \$3.90; exports, \$3.60-3.75; valley, \$4.60.
CORN—Whole, \$38.50; cracked, \$39.50 per ton.
OATS—Spot, \$29.30 per ton; futures \$25.50-26.50.
HAY—Eastern Oregon timothy, \$15; Valley timothy, \$12-13; alfalfa, \$11-12; clover, \$10; oats and vetch, \$10-11; grain hay, \$10-11.

Dairy and Country Produce.

POULTRY—Hens, 12 1/2-13c; broilers, 14-14 1/2c ducks, young, 10-12c; geese, 10-11c; turkeys, live, 18-20c; dressed, 24-25c.
EGGS—Candled, 25c per dozen; Extras, 27c.
CHEESE—Triplets and daisies, 17c; young Americas, 18 1/2c per lb. 17 1/2c; young Americas, 18 1/2c per lb.
BUTTER—Oregon creamery, cubes, 31c per pound; prints, 32 1/2c.
PORK—Fancy, 11 1/2c per pound.
VEAL—Fancy, 14-15c.

Vegetables and Fruits.

POTATOES—Burbanks, new, 60-75c per hundred; sweet potatoes, 2 1/2c per pound.
VEGETABLES—Beans, 2c; cabbage, 1-1 1/2c per pound; cauliflower, \$1-1.25 per doz.; celery, 50-75c per dozen; corn, 15-25c per dozen; cucumbers, 50c per box; peppers, 8-10c per pound; tomatoes, 50-75c per box.
ONIONS—Walla Walla, 75c per sack.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, new \$1-1.75 per box; peaches, 25-65c; per box; plums, 2c per pound; pears, \$1.00 per box; apricots, \$1.25 per box; grapes, \$1.25-1.50 per crate; blackberries, 50c-\$1 per crate.
MELONS—Cantaloups, 50c-\$1.50 per crate; watermelons, \$1-1.25 per hundred; Cassabas, \$1.50-2 per doz.

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This Treatment is Guaranteed by the Gresham Drug Co.

If the kidneys are sluggish in their action, general ill health usually results. Skin affections arise, due to the extra work thrown upon the skin in removing poisonous wastes that should be cared for by the kidneys; heart affections, caused by the pressure of fluids dammed back by the sluggish kidneys; eye diseases, nervousness, chronic headaches and other ailments.

These are often due in great measure to the poisonous action of matter left in the body. We want you to try Rexall Kidney Treatment if your kidneys are out of order. We don't ask you to take any financial risk. We don't want your money unless Rexall Kidney Treatment helps you. We feel the utmost confidence in this treatment, which is especially designed to strengthen the kidneys, restore their normal functions and help in rebuilding the general health. That confidence is what prompts us in urging you not to overlook this opportunity to try Rexall Kidney Treatment at our risk. For if it does not help you, we will give back your money without argument or hesitation. Rexall Kidney Treatment, in liquid form, costs you 50 cents and \$1.00. In pill form, 60 cents. Sold in this community only at our store. The Rexall Store.

Gresham Drug Co.

O. W. R. & N. TIME TABLE

EASTBOUND	
Leave Portland 7:50 a. m.—Arrive Fairview 8:25 a. m.; Troutdale, 8:30 a. m.	
Lv. Portland 4:00 p. m.—Ar. Fairview 4:34 p. m.; Troutdale, 4:39 p. m.	
Lv. Portland 8:00 p. m.—Ar. Troutdale 8:45 p. m.	
WESTBOUND	
Lv. Troutdale 9:28 a. m.; leave Fairview 9:33 a. m.—Ar. Portland 10:15 a. m.	
Lv. Troutdale 4:55 p. m.; leave Fairview 5:00 p. m.—Ar. Portland 5:45 p. m.	



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Special Sale for Balance of Month

We have a few summer goods left, and so, thus early in the summer, I am going to give you the advantage of some very cheap goods that you may close up the season with. Here are a few:

SHOES for the Whole Family SHOES

Ladies' White Buck Shoes 16 Button regular price, \$2.90 3.50, Special
Ladies' White Buck Shoes 16 Button regular price, \$2.40 \$3.00, Special
Ladies' White Buck Pumps, Very Classey, Regular \$2.25 \$3.00 values, Special
Ladies' White Canvas Pumps good for the afternoon 50c Special
Ladies' Tan Shoes and Pumps Reduced Accordingly.
Men's Tan Oxfords and Pumps at about One Half of their Original Price.
Any Oxford in the house that sold at 3.50 at \$2.70
Any Oxford selling at \$3.00 \$4.00, special



Even have a few Oxfords selling as low as \$2.00. Very Classey and Up-to-Date Stuff.
Boys' Oxfords that sold \$1.55 for \$2.25 now
Some that sold for \$1.25 1.75, now

Some that sold for \$1.00 1.50, now flat
The Chance of your lifetime to get the wind up of the season on cheap shoes.
Some Children's and Misses' Oxfords that are going to be sold if price has anything to do with it.
Children's Tan Oxfords \$1.00 that sold for 1.50 now
Shoes that sold for 50c 75c now
Girls' Oxfords that sold \$1.45 for \$2.00 now
Some that sold at 1.75 \$1.30 now
And so on through the line. We want to clean up this Summer Stuff while the season is still on, and you can get 3 months wear out of these shoes yet before the season for this class of goods is over.

Men's and Boys' Suits

A nice line of Men's and Boys' SUITS to select from at 1/4 off, some that sold for \$15, now \$11.25. Suits that sold for \$12 now \$9 and so on. Some of them are heavy for your late fall wear. The chance of a season to get a suit at these prices. You cannot turn a chance like this down; you owe it to yourself to buy goods of this quality at these Prices.

Dress Gingham

A large assortment of Dress Gingham, regular A. F. C. sells everywhere at 12 1/2c yard. We want to reduce it at 10c a yard. This stuff will make dresses for all winter wear and they will not be sold for that price after this month.

Summer Underwear

Ladies' and Children's Summer Underwear at greatly reduced prices. Summer Vests that sold at 10c, now 3 for 25c or 8 1-3c apiece. Those sold for 25c now 3 for 50c or 10 2-3c a piece and the reduction is the same on Union Suits of the same weight and quality.



Straw Hats

There is some time left yet when you can wear Straw Hats and you can have ours at just One Half the selling price—a hat that sold for 25c, you can have it at 12 1/2c and one that sold for 50c at 25c and so on. Take advantage of this hat sale as you will want one for the beach or the mountains.

Sweaters and Jerseys

Our fall line of Sweaters and Jerseys for men, women and children are in, and if you want one on that camping trip come over and see us. Ruff necks and Coat Sweaters—just the stuff for camping or auto trips.

School Shoes

We have several baskets of Shoes that are out of date and broken lines that we will sell you at your own price during this month, no legitimate offer refused. You can get some stuff that is fine for children's school shoes, and school soon commences and why not save that extra dollar or two.

A word to the people living away from Gresham:—It will pay you to take a day off and come over and trade with us during this sale, as you can make wages by so doing. Try some of our specials.

Lewis Shattuck

GRESHAM'S DEPARTMENT STORE ON MAIN ST.

PORTLAND RAILWAY LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY

O. W. P. DIVISION	
Lv. Portland for Gresham and Cazadero	Lv. Gresham for Portland and Cazadero
a 5:20	cb12:25
6:50	d 5:40
b 7:45	e 6:30
8:45	f 7:37
b 9:45	a 7:50
10:45	b 8:45
b11:45	g 9:39
12:45	b10:45
b 1:45	h 11:39
a 2:27	b12:45
2:45	i 1:39
b 3:45	b 2:45
4:45	c 3:39
d 5:45	b 4:45
6:45	a 5:03
b10:00	5:39
cb11:33	7:15
	9:45

Light figures denote a. m. Bold figures denote p. m. a U. S. Mail and Express. No passengers.
b Gresham Local to Cazadero on Sundays.
c Saturday through to Cazadero.
d Through to Boring except on Sunday.
Running time Portland to Gresham, 1 hour.

MT. HOOD DIVISION

Lv. Montavilla for Gresham and Bull Run	Lv. Gresham for Mt. Hood and Bull Run
d 6:35	6:00 d 7:00
a 9:00	8:10 a 9:25
3:00	a 1:20 3:25
b 5:55	5:25 b 6:25

SUNDAY ONLY
9:00 8:00 d 7:00
1:30 11:50 9:25
4:45 4:15 1:55
c 7:00 6:50 s 5:10
a Mixed train.
b To Cottrell only.
c To Gresham only.
d To Mabery only.
* To Sandy River only.
Above schedules subject to change without notice.
Light figures, a. m. Bold figures, p. m.

Oregon Agricultural College

School Year opens September 20. This great institution opens its doors for the fall semester on September 20th. Courses of instruction include: General Agriculture, Agronomy, Animal Husbandry, Dairy Husbandry, Bacteriology, Botany and Plant Pathology, Poultry Husbandry, Horticulture, Entomology, Veterinary Science, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Mining Engineering, Highway Engineering, Domestic Science, Domestic Art, Commerce, Forestry, Pharmacy, Zoology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, English Language and Literature, Public Speaking, Modern Languages, History, Art, Architecture, Industrial Pedagogy, Physical Education.

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