

SPECIALS THIS WEEK

Fruit Jars, Mason qts.	55c	Bak. Powder, K. C. 50c size	40c
Fruit Jars, half gal.	80c	Bak. Powder, K. C. 25 size	20c
Fruit Jars, Schram, qts.	50c	Gold Dust	20c
Fruit Jars, Economy, qts.	95c	Babbitt Cleanser	5c
Fruit Jars, Economy, pts.	80c	Tanglefoot Fly Paper Box	25c

BRAGG & DUNCAN

GRESHAM, OREGON

ASK FOR TAD SLIPS

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Special Sale of Lumber

30 Days, Starting July 25 Ending Aug. 25

All lumber in stock belonging to us at the mill near Sandy, will be reduced \$2 per thousand.

THIS WOULD MAKE THE PRICE ON

1 x 12s, sized per M	\$8
2 x 4s, 16 ft., 24ft., sized, per M	\$7
2 x 6s, 16ft. and 24ft., sized, per M	\$7
Shiplap, per M	\$7
Cull Shiplap, per M	\$3.50
Cull 1x6 and 1x8, sized, Suitable for Sheathing or Similar Work,	\$2

STRAUS LUMBER CO.

SANDY, ORE.,

Phone 446

The Lorain Steel Range

This range is so well and favorably known that it will require no introduction, having been sold in Gresham for years. We consider this range of the highest grade. For Durability and Baking Qualities it Can't be Beat, and its a beauty.

Come in and let us show you its many Splendid Features

At Sterling & Kidder's

HARDWARE STORE

GRESHAM, OREGON

Buy Your Lard Here

Every Bucket Guaranteed First Quality and Full Weight

5-lb. Pail, 70c, 10-lb. Pail, \$1.35

OREGON PRODUCT...SUPPORT HOME INDUSTRY

Howitt's Market

PATRONIZE

New Method Laundry

Wagon in town every Monday and Thursday

First-class Work Guaranteed

Baseball!

Pleasant Home Tigers vs. Bradford's Clothiers

At Pleasant Home

ICE CREAM and SODA Will be sold on the grounds
Men 25c, Ladies 10c, Children 5c

Sunday, Aug. 17

SOMETIME.

Sometimes in my life's early morning
Sweet dreams of the future there came;
Dreams of a future immortal—
Of a life full of glory and fame;
But the sweet dreams of childhood
are over,
And awakened by thoughts more
sublime,
My laurels I'll reap at death's river,
As I cross its dark waves, some-
time.

Sometimes when my soul is weary,
And burdened with care and woe,
I wander alone by the streamlet,
And list to its musical flow,
And I fancy the voice of an angel
Blends with its musical chime,
Awakening my soul from its slumber
With its notes of the sweet some-
time.

Sometimes I think of a loved one
Who has passed from mortal sight,
Lorne away in the arms of the angel;
Away to the mansions of light;
Up the golden stair, unfettered,
His world-weary feet may climb;
I, too, shall mount it beside him,
In the distant, yet near, sometime.
—EUGENE L. THORPE.

We haven't much use for men who try to impress upon us that they don't have to work.

GRESHAM LODGE, No. 152, A. F. & A. M. Stated communications at 8 p. m. every second and fourth Tuesday. All Master Masons cordially invited. H. Pulfer, Secretary.

IN GRESHAM AND VICINITY

G. W. Metcalf has recently traded his 27 acre place on Pleasant View avenue for an 800-acre wheat ranch in Morrow county, near Lexington. Jas. McDevitt, of Portland, the new owner of the former Metcalf place will occupy it when vacated by Mr. Metcalf. Mr. Metcalf expects to move to his new ranch about September 1st.

Jones & C., have taken a contract to remodel the roof of G. B. Middleton's residence west of town. The improvement will give the building a bungalow effect, much to its better appearance when finished.

LaMoyné L. Livingstone, of Portland, was in Gresham yesterday making arrangements for giving her famous lecture "Race Improvement, or The Child and His Parents." This is a popular lecture along the eugenic lines bristling with the big problems of the day that have caused Racial Degeneracy, and is of interest to everyone including the young people. The lecture will be given at the moving picture theater Thursday evening, August 21.

There will be services in the Baptist church on Sunday at the usual hours. Bible school at 10 a. m., with D. R. Shoemaker superintendent. Half hour prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The present pastor, F. M. Burtch, will close his work in Gresham this month and respectfully asks your attendance, and attention to his messages.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rodgers started Monday for New York, on their way to Europe where they will spend about three months and will visit Mr. Rodgers' parents, who live in Belfast, Ireland. They will likely visit Paris and other cities and places of interest.

The first threshing was done on Wednesday by Neal & Stanley in the grain fields of Charles Cleveland. Showers yesterday prevented work in other fields but with good weather next week the sound of the thresher will be heard all over the country.

Stockton Bros. secured the contract for repairing the Odd Fellows' hall their bid being \$125. They have begun the work.

Pile driving for the foundation of the new Jacobson brick was finished today. The concrete work will commence next week, to be followed later on by the brickwork.

I. T. Wood, of Troutdale, was in Gresham on business today, and favored the Outlook with a call.

Mrs. W. R. Burke and her sister Miss Margaret Burke, left Sunday evening for an outing at Seaside.

Mrs. Grooms has returned to her home in Portland after a few days' visit with Mrs. E. Linnemann. Mrs. Grooms is a Portland pioneer of 1850, and was the first woman to greet and entertain Mrs. Linnemann on her arrival there in 1852. The two women have been warm friends through all the years, and have seen the wonderful growth of Portland and the surrounding country.

Miss Winnifred Osburn is again

busy at her position in the telephone office, after a pleasant vacation spent at The Dalles visiting her sister, and a trip to Manzanita and Bayocean beaches.

Ed. Nicholson, of Chicago, was a guest last Tuesday of Miss Eva Anderson.

Mrs. Grace Quick and her little daughter, of Seaside, arrived yesterday for a visit with her mother Mrs. E. C. Lindsey and other relatives.

W. R. Burke is displaying some fine kodak pictures of Dr. Fred Thompson, Ernest Thompson and party taken on their recent trip to Mt. Hood.

Kirk Thompson, Dr. H. H. Hughes, the latter's mother and sisters, Misses Agnes and Della Hughes and party, went Saturday to Mt. Hood. Mrs. Hughes and her daughters will remain at Welches for some time.

S. S. Thompson has gone to Cannon Beach where Mrs. Thompson has been for several weeks.

Miss Grace Hessel has gone to The Dalles and Hood River on a visit with friends.

Miss Hazel Wirtz has returned from Sandy where she spent a few days with her father W. J. Wirtz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kettering, of Portland, were guests at John Brown's home yesterday and today.

Mrs. R. W. Calkins is visiting at the T. H. Dodge farm at River Mill.

T. R. Howitt and party returned yesterday from central Oregon. They made over a thousand miles by automobile and report a splendid time while away on their tour.

P. F. Sherlock, recently from Tacoma, has moved with his family into Chas. Camp's cottage on Hood avenue. Mr. Sherlock has the agency in this territory for the Singer Sewing machine.

Mrs. Margaret Lawe, who underwent a serious operation at Good Samaritan hospital last Monday, is doing well.

Mrs. Lester Spencer is expected home from Sellwood hospital in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamilton and party passed through Gresham today on their way to visit at Lusteda.

C. S. Smith of Montavilla, was in Gresham this morning stocking up with groceries and other provisions. He comes here regularly for his provisions and says that he can do better than in Montavilla or Portland.

Ed. Aylsworth expects to go today to Manzanita beach where he will spend a few days, and on his return will be accompanied by Mrs. Aylsworth and Baby Lawrence who have been there for several weeks.

Capt. C. O. Branson will preach next Sunday both morning and evening.

Bids Wanted.

Sealed bids will be received at the office D. M. Roberts, assistant secretary of the Multnomah County Fair association, until Wednesday, August 20, at 12 o'clock, noon, for tearing down the present stock barn located on the county fair grounds, and for the erection of new barns on or before September 10, 1913, in accordance with plans and specifications now on file at the office of D. M. Roberts.

A certified check must accompany each bid in the amount of 5 per cent of the cost. A bond of 10 per cent of the cost will be required of the successful bidder for the faithful performance of the contract.

The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved.

By order of the Board of Directors.

D. M. ROBERTS,
Assistant Secretary.
Gresham, Or., Aug. 14, 1913.

The size of a dollar depends on whether it is coming or going.

A good memory is one that enables us to forget unpleasant things.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF FIRST STATE BANK

At Gresham in the State of Oregon at the close of business Aug. 15th, 1913.

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and discounts	\$ 99,747.79	Capital stock paid in	\$ 30,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	None	Surplus fund	15,000.00
Bonds and warrants	10,090.84	Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,041.22
Banking house	22,500	Due to banks and bankers	698.05
Furniture and fixtures	3,603.50	Postal Savings Bank	
Due from approved reserve banks	6,271.93	deposits	2,347.60
Checks and other cash	24,337.37	Individual deposits subject to checks	\$9,614.98
Items	24,337.37	Demand certificates of deposit	7,049.79
Exchanges for clearing house	98.10	Time certificates of deposit	15,035.02
Cash on hand	9,987.32	Savings deposits	14,950.19
Total	\$175,736.85	Total	\$175,736.85

I, A. Meyers, president of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. MEYERS, President.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1913,
LAURA V. BULKELEY, Notary Public.
Correct Attest A. Meyers, Theo. Brugger, Directors.

A Snake Story.

A certain man made the proposition to a town board that he would invest a large sum of money in erecting a beautiful building upon one of the business corners of the town, said building to be slightly and costly, in fact an ornament to any city, if in return the town would permit him to use the building in rearing and propagating rattlesnakes for the procuring of oil. Pardon me! Come to think of it, I have misstated the proposition! It was worse, than that.

The man proposed to the town council, to erect an ordinary brick building on one of the principle corners of the town if in return he might be permitted to use the location as a depot for snake juice, where men and boys might be enticed into parting with their hard earned wages and in exchange be made over from sensible, moral, self supporting citizens, into drunkards, paupers, wife-beaters, criminals, and what not?

Now I have an idea that any man having the audacity to ask permission to use even a space in some little old back alley in raising rattlesnakes, would be given scant courtesy. Somebody might get bitten. But strange to say although forty rattle snake farms could not do the damage accomplished by one saloon, (where some one is sure to be bitten), the desired permission was readily granted.

One councilman calculated that for every saloon in town, he was saved in taxes, one dollar and fifty cents, and, of course the welfare of a fellow man was not to be compared to that. Another estimated that a brick building added at that particular spot would advance the value of real estate until he might be able to collect fifty cents per month more for a house he was renting. Any drunkard's wife could easily make that up by taking in washing. A

third was a personal friend to the saloon keeper and wanted of course to see him do well in his chosen line of business. Men and boys who used never to enter the little wooden joint might be induced to frequent and spend money in a new imposing structure such as it was proposed to build.

The moral? It would take a corporation lawyer to find one.
F. M. BURTCH.

LABOR DAY PROGRAM IS BEING PREPARED

Fairview's Labor Day program is being prepared and will consist band music, speaking, musical and literary exercises from ten o'clock to 12, and a free barbecue at noon. In the afternoon there will be a ball game, commencing at 2:30. This will be followed by a grand ball at night in the new city hall.

A crowded house greets the picture show under the management of Superintendent Jackson of the Multnomah farm, every Tuesday and Friday evening. All the net proceeds are to be used to help the celebration along.

Bids Wanted.

Sealed bids will be received until and including the 20th day of August, 1913, by the undersigned clerk, for 10 cords of wood delivered at schoolhouse of District No. 28. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

M. KRONENBERG,
A. ZENGER, Chairman. 49

Will there ever be, in any city except the New Jerusalem, a graftless police department?

Only when it is getting licked does a Balkan state yell for intervention by the powers.

Drugs don't cure; Operations don't cure; Physicians don't cure

NATURE alone cures. I assist nature.



Benj. J. Freese

NATUROPATH and CHIROPRACTOR

PARALYSIS, NERVOUS AND CHRONIC DISEASES

Office Hours
2 to 5 p. m. except Sunday

Over First State Bank. GRESHAM

LUMBER GREATLY REDUCED

1x12, sized, per M	\$8.00
2x 4, 16 and 24 ft. lengths, sized, per M	7.00
2x 6, 16 and 24 ft. lengths, sized, per M	7.00
Shiplap and Sheathing, per M	7.00

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"THE REXALL STORE"

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First-Class Work and Everything Strictly Sanitary and Up-to-Date.

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Powell St. J. R. Gregg

City Bakery

Paul Hoetzel Prop.

Best Bread

On the Market, Fresh Every Day

Pies, Cakes, and other Pastry

Main St. Gresham, Ore.