

SPECIALS THIS WEEK

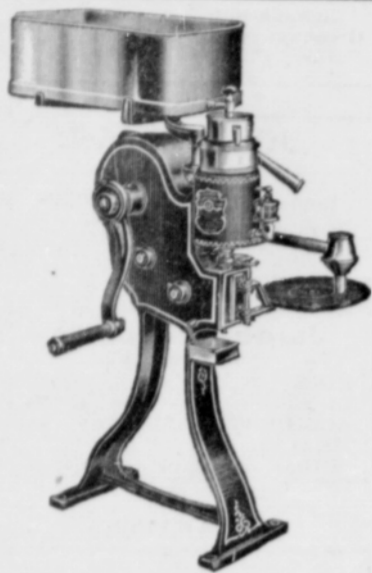
Jelly Glasses, 1-2 pint, with top, doz.	20c	Coffee, steel cut regular 40c lb. for	35c
Salmon, Best Columbia River, can	20c	Baking Powder Cleveland	3 lb. \$1.00
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Corbett

Rev. Adams began a series of evangelistic meetings at the Corbett schoolhouse Monday evening, Aug. 11, which will no doubt run for about three weeks. Rev. Adams is a very interesting speaker and no one can afford to miss one of these meetings.

Bora, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Buxton, Friday, Aug. 14, a nine pound boy.

Mr. Smith, of Gresham, a veterinary surgeon was called to see P. O. DeMoss' sick horse Friday.

Mrs. Dodson continues quite ill. A trained nurse is in attendance.

Mrs. John Hurlburt of Lents visited Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chamberlain and other relatives in this vicinity last week.

The Banner Sewing Circle met with Mrs. Lewis Reed last Thursday.

Miss Eva Jackson, of Portland, attended the grange dance Saturday and was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ward Evans, over Sunday.

W. H. Reed was a Portland visitor Saturday.

Mr. Dekin, of Hood River, is visiting his sister Mrs. P. O. DeMoss.

Miss Anna Benfield is at Rooster Rock assisting in the care of the Jones babies.

The entertainment and suffragette dance at the grange hall Saturday evening was well attended and those present report a very enjoyable time.

Bids Wanted.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of 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.

Victory belongs to the most persevering.

DIRECT MARKETING HELPS THE FARMER

By a system of marketing direct from producer to consumer, farmers and other producers may obtain 5 or 6 cents per dozen more than current prices for strictly fresh eggs, while the consumers in large cities may obtain strictly fresh eggs at 5 or 6 cents per dozen below current market prices. These facts were learned in a direct market experiment, extending through a year or more, conducted by the Poultry department of the Oregon Agricultural College under the management of Professor James Dryden.

During the time covered by the experiment the eggs were gathered daily, or twice a day in very warm weather, and kept in a cool place until ready for shipment, usually three or four days. They were then packed in a neat case containing 12 dozen eggs and shipped by express to Portland customers. Express charges on the eggs were 35 cents, the distance being about 100 miles. Return charges on the empty case were 5 cents. Thus the entire cost of transportation was about 3 cents per dozen. This charge could be reduced one-half by shipping two cases at a time, as they could both be sent and returned for the price of one.

One of the main disadvantages of the present system of marketing through middle men is the unbusinesslike method of buying from the producer at one price for all grades. Eggs are received in mixed lots, big and little, clean and dirty, fresh and stale, at the same price for all. But they have not all the same value, and when they are candled and classified by the commission-men, some are found worthless and thrown out, others inferior and quoted at lower prices, while the strictly fresh eggs are made to bear the loss on the poor ones, as well as the profits of the dealers.

Minister Praises This Laxative.

Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Allison, Ia., in praising Dr. King's New Life Pills for constipation, writes:—"Dr. King's New Life Pills are such perfect pills no home should be without them." No better regulator for the liver and bowels. Every pill guaranteed. Try them. Price 25c. at all Druggists.

Triplets, two boys and a girl, were born to Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Jones living near Rooster Rock, Aug. 9th. The three babies have an aggregate weight of twenty pounds and are perfect and healthy.

IN GRESHAM AND VICINITY

Mrs. Ethel Miller left on the steamer Breakwater from Portland, Monday morning for North Bend where she will attend the teachers' institute. Later she will leave for Riverton where she is principal of the school.

Mrs. B. R. Carter, Miss Lena Wright and Miss Esther Elford went this morning to Seaside for a few days visit.

Richard Jennings came up Saturday from Kalama, Wash., where he has been working in the lumbering industry. He called on friends here Sunday.

Miss Alta and Zella Landon, of Lents, are the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Clara Kane.

Miss Georgina Hamlin, one of Gresham's popular young ladies, won the dinner set given away by Claude Smith at the picture show last night to the person having the highest number of votes. Mrs. C. Merrill was a very close second.

S. E. Palmquist returned last Friday from a pleasant ten days' outing spent at the beach. He looks as fresh as a new dollar and is always on the job at the harness shop.

Next Sunday's game at Fairview will be between the Sun Dials and the Park Rose club.

Miss Lulu Wagner, of Los Angeles, a niece of Mrs. W. J. Wirtz, is visiting here with her relatives.

Mat R. Wagner, of Ranier, is here a guest of the Wirtz family.

Mrs. Vesta Raney, Miss Ethel Wilkinson, Miss Christine Burkholder, Wilbur Thompson and Wm. Raney went to Welches today for a few days' recreation. They went to Bull Run on the trolley car and by stage the remainder of the way.

J. O. Trambly and family, accompanied by Fred Dodd and family, of Portland, are spending the week at Welches.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ross went today to their summer home at Rockaway Beach for a stay of two or three weeks. They were accompanied by their daughter Miss Blanch Ross of Sellwood.

Rev. W. T. Kerr, of Portland, well known in this vicinity, will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday morning. The service will be especially adapted to old people, of whom a large number are expected to be present. The use of automobiles and rigs is solicited for the use of those who could not otherwise go. The arrangements are in charge of H. L. St. Clair.

H. E. Davis and family have returned from Welches where they spent a delightful vacation at their mountain home.

Catherine J. Wood, wife of D. D. Wood of Damascus and aunt of W. E. Wood, of Gresham, died at her home last Sunday of heart failure. She was 79 years of age. The funeral was held Sunday at Damascus. The interment was in Damascus cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stubbs and little son spent Sunday at Estacada, visiting with friends.

Mrs. Ira Brooks, of Fairview, was a business visitor in Gresham yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Quick, who have been for the past few days with their mother Mrs. E. C. Lindsey, left today for Warren where they will visit Mrs. Quick's sister a few days, before returning to their home in Seaside.

Miss Birdine Merrill returned last Friday from a five weeks' vacation trip to Eastern Oregon. Miss Merrill visited Crater Lake during her absence.

Mrs. M. B. Sleret, who was seriously ill for more than a week, is steadily improving. She is able to sit up a little each day.

Capt. C. O. Branson preached at the M. E. church both morning and evening last Sunday. His sermons were much appreciated. The captain and his wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. St. Clair for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Carlson and their guest Miss Rose Glass, of Los Angeles, took a trip by auto to Latourell Falls yesterday. They took dinner at Chanteleer, the new inn near Rooster Rock, and report it to be a delightful place.

Rev. R. P. Hutton, assistant superintendent of the anti-saloon league for Oregon, will speak in the Swedish Mission church at Powell Valley next Sunday at 11 a. m. Mrs. Carl Hagberg will sing.

Owing to a heavy thunder shower on Sunday afternoon the ball game at Fairview was postponed, although both clubs were on the ground ready for the swiftest.

Word was received by Mrs. Carrie Hanson and Harriet Alexander, of the marriage of their brother, Sabin, Alexander to Miss Etta Churchill, of Mt. Vernon, Wash. The wedding took place at The Dalles on Sunday, August 10. Sabin's many friends in this locality will be pleased to hear this good news and extend their congratulations.

Great things through great hazards are achieved. And then they shine.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF FIRST STATE BANK

At Gresham in the State of Oregon at the close of business Aug. 19th, 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	22,500.00	Due to banks and bankers	698.05
Furniture and fixtures	3,603.50	Postal Savings Bank deposits	2,347.60
Due from banks (not reserve banks)	6,271.93	Individual deposits subject to checks	\$9,614.98
Due from approved reserve banks	24,337.37	Demand certificates of deposit	7,049.79
Checks and other cash items	98.10	Time certificates of deposit	15,035.02
Exchanges for clearing house	98.10	Savings deposits	14,950.19
Cash on hand	9,087.32		
Total	\$175,736.85	Total	\$175,736.85

State of Oregon, County of Multnomah, ss.

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.

Banking Service

Banking Service means more than the mere acceptance of an account.

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DEPOSITS

Aug. 16, 1912, - \$125,179.97
Aug. 16, 1913, - \$131,276.49

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Church Notices

LINNEMANN METHODIST, Gresham—Rev. Melville T. Wire, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 and Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights at 8 p. m.

CATHOLIC SERVICES—Mass every Sunday at 10:30 in Commercial Hall, Gresham, until church is built. After mass, instruction for the children.

GRESHAM BETHEL BAPTIST—Sunday services—Sabbath school at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8:00 p. m. F. M. Burtch, Pastor.

FAIRVIEW PRESBYTERIAN—Services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school meets at 10 a. m. in charge of Mrs. D. W. McKay. Y. P. S. C. E. devotional meeting at 7 p. m. Rev. Thos. Robinson, Pastor.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH—Gresham. Edwin W. Hight, Pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8.

Church Services at Gillis—Sunday school 10:30 a. m. B. L. Northrup, superintendent. Preaching service at 7:30 p. m. Rev. E. A. Leonard, pastor. Midweek prayer meeting and Bible study Wednesday evening at 8:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS—Services in Grange Hall, Gresham, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 o'clock Public invited.

MASS will be celebrated every second and fourth Sunday at 10:30 a. m., at St. Josephs church, Powell Valley road. Reverend Father Martin, O. S. B., Pastor.

Mr. W. S. Gunsalus, a farmer living near Fleming, Pa., says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for fourteen years, and that he has found it to be an excellent remedy, and takes pleasure in recommending it. For sale by Gresham Drug Co., and Dealers everywhere.

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List of Letters.

The following list of letters remain uncalled for the the Gresham postoffice for the week ending August 17, 1913.

Letters—Arthur Whelton, Wm. Perry, W. C. Moore, Jim Goodfellow, Mrs. Wilkie, Mrs. Verena Ruhle, Mrs. J. A. Nelson, Mrs. J. M. Murray, Miss Lottie Carlson.

Cards—Alvin Urban, G.W. Duke, Mrs. N. S. Beeler, Mrs. Ida Dukes.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office on August 31st, 1913, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say advertised, giving date of list.

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