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A. J. W. BROWN, Prop.
Gresham, Ore.

The attempt to fly the ocean may seem fool hardy now but what a hero the one who first succeeds will be twenty years from now when much of the trans-ocean travel will be by that means.

An airplane transportation company has been organized in Portland. What wonders are about to be inaugurated! Who wants to go to heaven within the next decade?

Lots of kiddies were made very happy yesterday by the presence in the big city of a popular circus. Of course, many parents went along to look after the children.

Tailoring
For men and women—cleaning, pressing and repairing done well. Peter Lenard, Powell street.

Farmers Mutual Makes Big Gain.
The annual report of the Farmers Mutual Fire Relief Ass'n of Portland filed with the Insurance Department of Oregon shows \$1,301,634.00 insurance written by the Ass'n in 1918, and 475 new members gained during the year. The Ass'n is now in its 15th year, and has about five million insurance in force. Since its organization, the Ass'n has made an annual saving of over 50% as compared with board rates on farm insurance, to its members. H. W. Snashall, president of the Ass'n, is agent for Gresham and vicinity. The office is at 409 Stock Exchange Bldg., corner 3d and Yamhill streets, Portland, Phone Main 5906.—Adv.

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GRESHAM LOCALS

Gresham baseball team lost a second time to Estacada in last Friday's game. This time to a score of 11 to 1. With that prodigy pitcher, Walter Smith, who thinks nothing of fanning out a score or two of men without a drop of mercy—with such a fellow, can any one beat Estacada?

Mrs. J. E. Metzger was pleasantly surprised yesterday when Elmer Olson a returned soldier of the Third Oregon unexpectedly came "home" as he calls Gresham. He has seen real war on several fronts and at present is perfectly satisfied with peace of the most peaceful kind.

Saturday night's informal dancing party given by the Masonic and Eastern Star lodges of Gresham proved a very delightful affair. The music and dancing were enjoyed by those who love to trip the light fantastic, while some enjoyed games in the banquet hall. Many Portland visitors were also present.

J. A. Gray of Portland recently moved into F. H. Whitehead's cottage near Lawrence Avenue. Mr. Gray is a carpenter employed by Frank Jones in building operations.

Mrs. Arthur Calahan and children, of Seaside spent the greater part of last week with their parents Mr. and Mrs. D. Wright.

Mrs. J. P. Dodge of Ashland was the guest on Friday, of her sister, Mrs. Clara Sunday.

"Colonel" J. B. Kerr took a party to the Circus today—his guests were Mayor Kenney, "Senator" Beadle and Justice Brown.

Mrs. M. L. Hardingham of Indiana is mentioned in a recent news dispatch from Beaverton, Oregon, as having been in attendance at the golden wedding celebration of her parents at that place. Mrs. Hardingham will be remembered by many friends in Gresham and Fairview where her husband was pastor in the Methodist churches a number of years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wirtz of Portland were in Gresham today looking after their property interests.

Harold Kern arrived home yesterday morning, having received his discharge from the army at San Francisco. He was met in Portland by his father, Mr. and Mrs. Kern and Harold expect to leave on Friday for Rupert, Idaho, for a visit with Mrs. W. J. Hollenbeck and family. Mr. Kern expects to go on to Buffalo, New York, where he has four brothers and other relatives. The family will probably not return to Gresham for two months.

Dr. H. H. Hughes has again opened his old office in the Howitt building and has resumed his practice. For the present he will have a room adjoining the office which will pass for his home until arrangements for the family residence can be made.

David Culy will go in a few days to Northern California in the Shasta mountains, where he has a position for the summer.

Mrs. D. Wright received a night telegram this morning from Newport News, Virginia, which read, "Just arrived fine and dandy. Home soon, Frank." Mrs. Wright is surely a happy mother today.

Mrs. R. F. Walters attended a meeting in Salem on Tuesday of the state executive officers of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Chemeketa Chapter of Salem was the hostess and a banquet was held in honor of Mrs. Isaac Lee Patterson, recently elected vice president-general.

C. I. Raker received the sad message Sunday of the death of his niece, Mrs. Claude C. Rose, of Olympia, Washington, of influenza. Mrs. Rose has visited in Gresham many times, and made many friends. Her sister is ill with the same disease, and was taken to the hospital for treatment.

COUNTY UNIT BILL NOT VOTED ON

Apparently there will be no election called at this time on the school bill, known as Senate Bill No. 45. A serious flaw has been discovered in the bill, no provision having been made for the calling of an election. As no one is authorized to call the election no action can be taken on the proposed acceptance of the measure in this county or any other county in the state. The measure will have to be amended by the legislature. Hence the opponents of the bill may rest easy for a time at least.

A letter was addressed to the district by County Superintendent Alderson, under date of May 1. He said, "Section 12 of Senate Bill No. 45, as passed by the last legislature provides for an election to be held in the various districts affected thereby, to determine whether they shall become a county school district as provided for in the act. What is the method of procedure for carrying out the provisions of this section and who is to call the election?"

To this inquiry District Attorney Walter H. Evans replied, under date of May 13, as follows:

"We have carefully studied the provisions of Section 12 and regret to state that we are of the opinion that this section fails to contain necessary provisions for the holding of the proposed election.

"It is silent upon the question as to who shall call the election in the respective districts and the manner in which the election shall be conducted. Because of these and other omissions, we are of the opinion that the act is incomplete and that no steps can be taken looking toward the establishment of county school districts under this act until a subsequent legislature has supplied the omissions above referred to."

County Superintendent Alderson has instructed the school clerks of the various districts to not pay the teacher's last month's salary until notified by the county superintendent's office that final reports are on file and are correct.

FAMILY REUNION AT PLEASANT HOME

A family party was held at the home of Mrs. Joseph Manary last Tuesday in honor of her grandson, Lloyd B. Dun of the 18th Engineers, who was on way to his home in Centralia, Washington. The young soldier had seen nearly two years of service in France. He was met in Portland by Mrs. Manary, his aunts, Mrs. W. E. Markell and Mrs. Robert Manary. Fourteen persons made up the merry party at the dinner table.

GRANDMA JONES HEADS FIVE GENERATIONS

Grandma Jones was 90 years old last Sunday, and incidentally saw two groups of descendants, one of five and one of four generations.

Mrs. Jones lives at her home in Gresham with her son Schuyler and family. In the forenoon Jackson Jones and his little son Robert, were callers, thus bringing together great-grandmother, grandfather, father and son. In the afternoon another group was there, in which Grandma Jones was great-great grandmother. They included, besides the aged woman, Schuyler Jones, who represented his sister, deceased, her descendants, Mrs. May Wood, Mrs. Alta Neal and daughter, Dorothy, all of Lents.

On Saturday afternoon a few old friends gathered at the Jones home to offer congratulations. Other callers on Sunday afternoon were Dr. George A. Cathey, wife and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Barrett Randall of Portland.

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Special Communication of Gresham Lodge No. 152 A. F. & A. M. Wednesday evening, May 21 at 8 o'clock for labor in the E. A. degree.

Visiting brothers welcome.

W. R. BURKE, W. M.

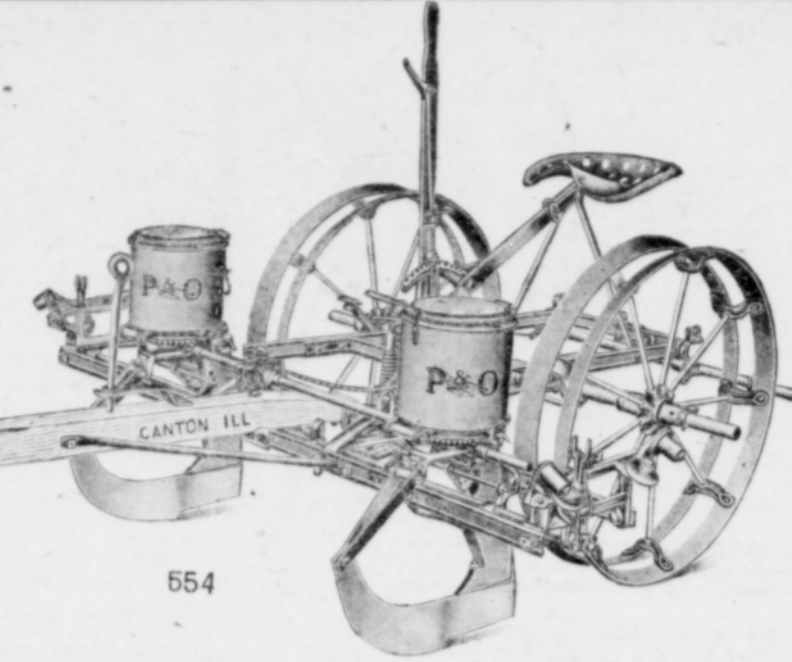
H. E. DAVIS MOVES TO CLATSKANIE

H. E. Davis was in Gresham last week arranging for the moving of the family to Clatskanie, where he is employed on the immense farm owned by the Columbia Agricultural & Clatskanie Land company, of which he is farm expert and general manager.

Mr. Davis expects to grow the largest acreage of green beans on any one farm in the state, having planted 160 acres. These will be harvested green and will be for the dehydrating plants of the Wittenberg-King company. About 500 pickers will be necessary to handle the crop. A large acreage of peas, carrots and cabbages will also be grown, all of which will be dehydrated. The fields are all on tide land. They will be cultivated with the help of a 45-h.p. Holt Caterpillar and a Cleveland tractor.

Some used Fords for sale, in good condition. C. E. Osburn, Gresham.

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The Gresham Overland Co. Inc., a new firm here, of which W. A. Hessel and G. G. Laver are the leading spirits, have been given the Overland agency for this territory, and will handle a full line of Overland and Willys-Knight autos, international trucks, Case and Moline tractors and automobile accessories. They will occupy new salesrooms in the new Ely building as soon as it is completed.

Mr. Hessel will still continue in the implement business, and will devote a large part of his time to that line. As a result of the combination he will be able to give much better service to all his customers, both old and new. Mr. Laver will look after the automobile business, for the most part.

One Oliver riding cultivator for sale with disc and shovel attachment. Three cream separators, four walking plows. W. A. HESSEL.

Wants, wants, wants. See the column.

OBSERVE MAY 30

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men and women will "open the sport season" on Memorial Day.

I remember one president of the United States who declined to visit Arlington on Memorial Day, and who went fishing instead. His name was held up to scorn and obliquity. The country never forgot or forgave.

Yet it is openly advertised that golf and tennis and baseball and a work horse parade will open on May 30.

And two million and a half of Union veterans, many thousand Spanish War veterans, and 900,000 men of all countries, hardly cold in their graves

"Lie dead for me and you" this May 30. Isn't there enough real honest-to-goodness patriotism in this country to call off these dogs of sport and permit the country to get back to the spirit of the elder days?—Isabel Worrell Ball, in The National Tribune.

Phone Want ads to 701

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

FIRST STATE BANK

NO. 135

At Gresham, Oregon, at the close of business May 12th, 1919.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$275,115.33
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	29.70
Bonds and warrants.....	82,487.52
Stocks, securities, judgments, etc.....	160.00
Banking house.....	25,000.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	4,425.43
Other real estate owned.....	2,550.00
Due from banks (not reserve banks).....	134.48
Due from approved reserve banks.....	88,035.69
Checks and other cash items.....	416.52
Exchanges for clearing house.....	164.91
Cash on hand.....	26,074.14
Other resources.....	2,299.03
Total.....	\$506,892.75
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus fund.....	25,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	3,592.32
Postal savings bank deposits.....	2,988.56
Individual deposits subject to check.....	239,652.01
Demand certificates of deposit.....	3,457.19
Cashier checks outstanding.....	3,540.21
Time and savings deposits.....	198,662.46
Total.....	\$506,892.75

State of Oregon, County of Multnomah, ss.
I, C. J. Lundquist, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of May, 1919.
L. M. SHIPLEY, Notary Public.
My commission expires October 18, 1922.

Correct Attest: A. Meyers, Theodor Bugger, C. J. Lundquist, Directors.



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