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National Commander Alvin Owsley, of Texas, is in Portland today and will address the Legion boys tonight. Tomorrow night he will leave for Seattle.

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Christmas Candies  
We have an over-supply of the plain candies, the 20c kinds, which we are selling at 15c, 2 lbs. for 25c  
ROYAL CLUB COFFEE  
Pound 42c 3 lbs. \$1.23 5 lbs. \$1.98. Candy Free  
Picnic Hams, shoulders, lb. 20c  
Weigh about 4 pounds  
Otter Clams, tall cans for 20c  
Less than today's wholesale price  
Young America Cheese, lb. 32c  
Weigh about 6 pounds  
Raisins, pound for 20c  
Cluster, best for the fruit basket  
Raisins, Sun-Maid, 2 pkgs. 35c  
Seeded or seedless  
Sugar-Crisp Corn Flakes, 10c  
3 packages for 25c  
NEWBERG LARD FLOUR—Crown, White Mountain, Olympic, Kerrs Best Patent  
Medium 95c Large \$1.95  
49-pound sack for \$1.93  
SHORTENING  
Medium 75c Large \$1.45

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**GRESHAM LOCALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Anderson of Monroe, Oregon, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Day Rossman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark of Newberg visited for several days during the New Year season at the home of their aunt, Mrs. L. T. Lusted.

Mrs. J. S. Carlson left the latter part of last week for Los Angeles, where she will spend the next few months looking after business interests and enjoying the southern climate.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Clanhhan of Seaside have returned to their home after spending the holidays with relatives and friends here.

D. C. Ely of Oregon City was in Gresham today looking after property interests here. Mr. Ely is owner of the business block on Main street bearing his name and of the residence on Second street. He intends to take immediate action to clear a slight defect in his title caused by the failure

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Preferred Stock, Fine Salad Points, No. 1 tall	23c	1.35	2.65	10.50
25c	1.45	2.90	11.50	
<b>STRING BEANS—</b>				
Tender York State, No. 2	17 1/2c	1.00	2.00	4.00
Lily of the Valley, Cut Refugee, Fine Quality, No. 2	22 1/2c	1.25	2.50	4.90
Standard Quality Cut String-less, No. 2	12 1/2c	.70	1.40	2.75
<b>CORN—</b>				
Maryland Corn, Good Quality, No. 2	10c	.59	1.18	2.35
Iowa Corn, Good Quality, No. 2	12 1/2c	.73	1.40	2.75
Preferred Stock, Golden Bantam, No. 2	22 1/2c	1.25	2.50	4.90
Lily of the Valley, Golden Bantam, No. 2	22 1/2c	1.35	2.65	5.30
Lily of the Valley, Country Gentleman, No. 2	19c	1.13	2.20	4.40
Del Monte Crosby, No. 2	17 1/2c	1.00	1.90	3.75
<b>HOMINY—</b>				
Preferred Stock, No. 2 1/2	12 1/2c	.70	1.40	2.75
<b>PEAS—</b>				
Standard Quality, Large but Tender, No. 2	12 1/2c	.75	1.45	2.85
Lily of the Valley, Sifted Early June, No. 2	25c	1.45	2.85	5.65
<b>PEAS—</b>				
Preferred Stock Telephone, No. 2	20c	\$1.15	\$2.25	\$ 4.40
Preferred Stock, Tender Melting, No. 2	22 1/2c	1.30	2.60	5.10
Utahana Peas, No. 2	15c	.85	1.70	3.30
Del Monte Extras, No. 2	20c	1.15	2.25	4.40
<b>TOMATOES—Standard Quality</b>				
Puree with trimmings, No. 2 1/2	12 1/2c	.75	1.50	2.95
Royal Red Solid Pack, No. 2 1/2	15c	.85	1.70	3.35
Preferred Stock, Solid Pack, No. 2 1/2	17 1/2c	1.05	2.05	4.00
Del Monte, Solid Pack, No. 2 1/2	15c	.85	1.65	3.25
<b>FRUITS</b>	Each	1/2 Doz.	Doz.	Case
Robles Free Peaches, No. 2 1/2	20c	\$1.20	\$2.35	\$ 4.65
Robles Cling Peaches, No. 2 1/2	20c	1.20	2.35	4.65
Robles Pears, No. 2 1/2	27 1/2c	1.60	3.15	6.25
Robles Apricots, No. 2 1/2	22 1/2c	1.30	2.50	4.90
<b>OTHER SPECIALS</b>				
Sunmaid Seedless Raisins, No. 1 package				\$.15
Sunmaid Seeded Raisins, No. 1 package				.15
California Soft Shell Walnuts, pound				.29
Blue Rose Rice, Fancy Grade, 4 pounds				.25
Crystal White Soap, 10 bars				.48
Crown Pancake Flour, large package				.22
Valley Flour, 49-pound sacks				1.65
Royal Baking Powder, 12-ounce can				.40

See our window displays

The main thing about this sale is not only the extremely low prices made, but the fact that the very finest goods, bought at the very lowest prices prevailing are offered, also that the markets are much higher on these goods and stocks are not plentiful.

Sale prices will continue while lots on hand last. There are hundreds of other bargains offered that are not listed here.

to make public record in the early day of the fact that property reverted to the former owner after it had been deeded to a fraternal order, though that order never functioned. Mr. Ely's attorney is preparing papers and legal notices looking toward the clearing of the title.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Wood, who have been quite ill for several weeks, are somewhat improved. Mrs. Gus Richey of Pleasant Valley is caring for them at present. Mr. and Mrs. Wood express great appreciation for the kindness shown them during the Christmas season, and for the many remembrances left at their home. Santa himself visited them, leaving a basket of fruit and nuts on the porch. It must have been Santa, they say, for no other donor has ever been discovered.

Mrs. Christina Humason, who is employed as a clerk at the A. W. Metzger store, has been enjoying a vacation for the last few days. She expects to be away from her work for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Howard and family of Troutdale were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Manning.

The regular meeting of the Methodist church choir was held at the parsonage last night and was followed by a brief social time and refreshments. Others who have entertained the choir during recent weeks are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rusher, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Ott, Miss Gertrude Alexander and her mother.

Among those reported ill at this time are Mrs. C. M. Zimmerman and Mrs. D. T. Lyman.

Miss Joyce Kidder, who has been ill for several weeks is improving and expects to be around soon. Roger Kidder is so far recovered from an attack of pneumonia as to be able to be dressed and about the house.

The Gresham Rebekah lodge will meet Monday evening, January 8. The newly elected officers will be present. All members are urged to be present.

A meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held next Thursday afternoon at 2:30 in the Gresham library. The program for the afternoon will be given in next issue.

Edgar A. Tibbets of Salem was in Gresham today calling on old friends. The Tibbets lived here about six years ago while Mr. Tibbets, father of Edgar, was pastor of the Bethel Baptist church. They now live in Salem.

The Areme club will meet with Mrs. H. V. Adix on next Monday afternoon, January 8. The hostess will be assisted by Mrs. U. G. Smith, Mrs. W. L. Gorsage and Mrs. C. J. Lundquist. All Eastern Star ladies are invited.

All members of the Baptist Guild are cordially invited to lunch at the home of Mrs. A. J. Brown on next Tuesday, January 9, promptly at 12:30. In this connection plans will be discussed for the work of the organization for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rambo of Portland, who are touring the state in the interest of the W. C. T. U. Children's Farm Home at Corvallis, were in Gresham yesterday and were the guests at luncheon of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Honey. Mr. and Mrs. Rambo spent many months in the Near East working among Armenians and Greeks and returned home about a year and a half ago.

**WOODWORKING PLANT SLOWLY PROGRESSING**

Machinery for the cut-up plant is now being installed at the plant of the Zweifel Manufacturing company. The roof to the building in which the machinery is being installed has been completed. Funds are continuing to come in and the plant is gradually climbing to a stage of completion. It is expected that sufficient money will be supplied by Portland business men to put it in operation soon.

The attorney general has decided that the state tax commission has no authority to remit any part of Astoria's payment of state taxes. It is believed a measure will be introduced in the state legislature to relieve property in the fire stricken city of a part of its state tax.

**Musical Instruments.**  
A good Packard Organ, \$50; piano quartered oak finish, \$125.  
oak finish, \$125.  
J. E. METZGER.

**NOTICE**  
Troutdale Chapter O. E. S. will give a card party January 13 in the hall. Everybody welcome.

**Ford Sedan for Sale.**  
Late '21 model, good tires, and a spare. Driven only about 3500 miles, shock absorbers, door locks, sun visor and other extras. Looks new. Only \$490, or will sell my Ford touring very reasonable. B. W. Thorne, at Bank of Gresham.

"Facts are stubborn things" to everybody except the man with a theory.

**Bargains Offered in Canned Goods.**  
Some interesting bargains are now being offered in a large variety of canned goods at the Twentieth Century store. These goods are not only of good quality but are placed at a price that is also attractive. A new line of fresh vegetables has been put in recently. In spite of the scarcity of apples at this season, there is now a good assortment of apples on hand. Neatness and cleanliness is one of the main features of this Gresham store.

**Bargains.**

Have several used articles for sale at a bargain. 1 combination bookcase and writing desk, 1 Victor phonograph, 1 Mandel phonograph, 1 gas range and gas water heater and electric vacuum sweepers. These articles are all in first-class shape.  
J. E. METZGER, Gresham, Ore.

Stated Communication of Gresham Lodge A. F. & A. M. No. 152 will be held in Masonic hall Tuesday, January 9, 7:30 p. m.  
W. L. GORSAGE, Sec'y.  
J. E. METZGER, W. M.

**DANCE**

Masonic Hall, Gresham Oregon  
**FRIDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 12**

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