

GRESHAM LOCALS

A Ponta Rosa lemon weighing two pounds is on display in the postoffice window. It was sent to Miss Floella Jacobs from her uncle, D. P. Millikin, in a box of fruit from Mercedes, Texas. Miss Jacobs is rashly promising a piece of lemon pie to friends right and left. These lemons are said to be too large to be of much value from a commercial standpoint.

A. W. Shipley was elected master of the Oswego grange at its regular meeting last Saturday. Both Mr. and Mrs. Shipley have held their membership in that organization for thirty years and frequently attend the meetings. It is a matter of interest that the office to which Mr. Shipley has been elected was held in the Oswego grange fifty years ago by his father, who was the first master.

Mrs. J. L. Stafford left Saturday morning for California where she will visit for several weeks with friends.

The high school chorus went in a body to Rockwood Sunday evening where they rendered their cantata which will be given at the high school auditorium in Gresham next Monday evening. This musical number was sung preceding the anti-saloon motion picture which was produced in the grange hall that evening. The film, "When Might Meets Right," under the direction of Dr. C. J. Hall, won much favorable comment from the students and those privileged to see it.

The family of Allen Hollaway was placed in quarantine Sunday morning by the local health officers for scarlet fever, one of the children being afflicted with the disease, although said not to be in a serious condition.

Rinar Mattson was obliged to leave the floor at the basket ball game which was played Friday evening between the American Legion and the high school team. Rinar, who plays guard, was taken with a cramp in the muscles of his leg and suffered intensely for a while. He was able to return to school Monday morning.

Mrs. Maggie Ulm has been ill for over a month with a form of heart trouble caused by over strain. A few days ago she had an X-ray taken of the heart and other vital organs for the purpose of determining the cause of her ailments.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells Chalker and son Howard recently drove through to Oakland, California, where they will remain for the winter. Mr. Chalker is employed by a plumbing and heating company of that city.

Word has been received of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Metzger in Portland on December 12. The little girl, who has been named Shirley Louise, is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Metzger.

Mr. and Mrs. Chase E. St. Clair entertained at dinner on Sunday the latter's sister, Miss Myrtle Schmale, and Mrs. Lillian Matthews of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Valliant of Lake Grove. All are members of the Mazama club.

Multnomah Pomona grange will hold its quarterly meeting on Wednesday of this week with Gresham grange. The business sessions will be under the direction of Ray Gill, master, and the program will be presented by Mrs. Mary E. Palmer, Pomona lecturer. Marshal Dana of Portland will speak at 2 o'clock, after which election of officers will be held. The grange sessions will be conducted in the Masonic hall and the dinner and supper will be served in the grange hall.

A good crowd attended the concert given at the Methodist Episcopal church on Friday evening by the Triple Chimes company. The numbers were mostly old favorites and were well rendered and well received. The unusual combination of the chimes in connection with piano was interesting and received hearty applause. Mr. and Mrs. Davis and their son and daughter are not new to Gresham. Many who have heard them on former occasions made it a point to hear them again.

Harry Preston, who has been working near Kelso, Washington, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mary Preston, who is being cared for at the home of B. W. Emery, and has now left for Berkeley, California to be gone indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lowe and daughter are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. White for a few weeks. Lowe has been employed at the Cameron-Hogg logging camp and about five weeks ago suffered a mashed foot by a log rolling on it. The cast has just been taken off and he is obliged to walk with crutches. The Lowe's home is at Mayfield, Washington, where he has an interest in a garage.

Monthly church day was held at the Zion Evangelical church Sunday. Milton O. Nelson gave an interesting talk on "The Farmer and His Boy." He stressed the idea of what constitutes real success. After his talk a round table discussion was conducted by the pastor on the subject, "The Golden Rule as a Working Basis for Life." At the same time this meeting was held the young folks held a meeting and decided to perfect the organization of the Junior League in the January monthly meeting. The young

people also rehearsed the Christmas program to be given some time just before Christmas, the date to be announced later.

Dr. Chas. W. Huett went to The Dalles to conduct services on Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal church for the pastor who is ill. Dr. Huett's morning appointment here was filled by Dr. Henry C. Jennings of Portland, a retired minister, who was for 24 years at the head of the Methodist Book Concern, the largest maker and seller of printed matter in the world. Send the holiday Outlook to your friends in other places. Price 10 cts., including mailing.

URGES POULTRY MEN TO STICK.

C. E. Spence, state market agent, urges the poultrymen of Oregon who are present members of the state association to not only stick with their organization but to work to enlarge the membership during the annual drive for a larger cooperation. "The association has reached a solid footing and is now in position to be of great benefit to egg producers," he says, "if the producers themselves will stand loyally with it and back it solidly, rather than being baited away by the outside concerns who have tried for years to break it." The association is about to install an egg-cleaning machine, which will obviate all cleaning of eggs and which will result in higher prices for grades that were formerly cleaned by the producers.

JAPANESE WINDOW CLEANER WINS MANY FRIENDS.

S. Tajima, better known as "Charlie," has won many friends in Gresham by his smiling face, his ever ready greeting and his careful attention to his business of keeping the windows clean for a large number of Gresham business houses. He has been busily engaged during the past week putting the finishing polish on show windows in preparation for holiday decorations, and seems to be particularly happy when he sees them shining under his hands.

"Charlie" is one of the interesting characters of the town. He is always busy and, apparently, happy. Although he has been in this country for several years, he has not been able to master the intricacies of the English language, though it is noticeable that he attempts more than formerly. He is quite adept at making himself understood by signs and gestures, however. "Charlie" lives with his sister on South Main street.

BERRY GROWER MANAGER ADVISES NEW PLANTINGS

The planting of limited quantities of the Johnson strawberry is advised in a letter to the grower members by D. E. Towle, manager of the Berry Growers Packing company. Matters of interest to the growers are taken up, including the announcement of an 8 per cent dividend to the stockholders. The letter is as follows:

We are booking orders for limited quantities of the Johnson strawberry that was referred to in a recent number of the Outlook. This berry has been grown by Mr. Johnson and Mr. Bailey of Salem for the past eight years and as you noted was strongly endorsed by Professor Wiegand also J. O. Holt, and there could be no mistake in planting at least enough of these berries to try them out and if satisfactory to provide plants for future setting.

We are ready to make delivery on the lot of "Earliest of All" seed potatoes and think it would pay all berry growers to get at least one sack for early planting as the stock is very limited. Orders should be placed at once and delivery taken.

We are in the market for a large quantity of sacks for handling sheep guano. If you have any to spare please bring them in and get credit for them or have them filled with guano for your account. We are making good progress in grinding this fertilizer and at the price we can make to you will find it is the best value in the fertilizer market. We have already booked orders for over 200 tons of this product and our more enterprising growers are spreading it on the berries now at the rate of from one to two tons per acre and will surely reap a rich reward for their thrift. The poorest prospects for tonnage of fruit next year are found where the poorest tillage methods employed, and it is too bad to make a failure by neglecting the most vital parts of all, viz.: supplying plant food and proper tillage. The early bird gets the worm and the late worm gets caught.

The 1924 annual dividend of 8 per cent is being distributed to stockholders and we wish to advise all the members who are not stockholders to call at the office and sign the Fruit Assessment contract for capital stock purposes and become stockholders.

This is a last reminder to members who sold berries under a permit to report their sales at the office before we close the accounts. We have reports from members of the sale of over 30 tons, or 3300 crates, and this notice is to remind you to report also.

The government daily market news service, under date of November 14, shows the gauntlet that has to be run by a box of Oregon apples and the number of profits taken from it before it reaches the consumer in New York. The New York retailer took \$1.87, the jobber took 49c, the wholesaler 39c, the railroads 80c, the shipping organization 27c, leaving \$1.18 of the five dollars, the box of apples sold for, to the grower.

Gresham Produce Co.

DEALERS IN

Fancy Eggs and Dressed Poultry
Feed, Breeding Stock, and Poultry Supplies

Phone 1103

Powell St., Gresham



GRESHAM MEAT MARKET

Extends Hearty Xmas Greetings to All and is prepared to meet your meat needs with Prime

Roasts, or Choice Turkey or other Fowls

Every Order Guaranteed to Give Satisfaction

For Your Salads For Soup or Cocktails
Red Rock Cottage Cheese Oysters

ORDER EARLY

A. J. W. BROWN, Prop.

Phone 1891

Merchants Are Distributing Ever-Welcome Calendars.

One of the "signs of the times" is the seasonal calendar of 1925 which is an ever-welcome gift from the various Gresham business firms. John Brown set the pace some weeks ago with his handsome calendar depicting a Scottish landscape scene. Others have followed and all are much appreciated.

The calendar industry, that is, the manufacture of these very necessary

household and office fixtures, has grown out of all proportions to what it was formerly. Many of the pictures accompanying the data of a calendar are artistic and many of them are copies of prints of the old masters.

Much useful information may be gleaned from the perusal of an ordinary calendar, particularly the moon and its phases. The calendar, as it now appears as to mathematical reckoning, was adopted by England and her colonies in 1752.

Our store this year is overflowing with practical Gifts for men, women and children.

Many lines are on special sale and it will pay you to come here and look over the many things we are offering at prices that are attractive.

LADIES' SILK UMBRELLAS

Beautiful Silk Umbrellas with club handles and ferrules to match all colors.

\$4.50 to \$9.50

Cotton Umbrellas and some Gloria Silk with the latest handles from

\$1.00 to \$3.50

Children's Umbrellas with handles like mothers at **\$1.50**



Hand Bags

For Ladies and Children

Children's Vanity Boxes and Bags at 25c, 35c, 50c and 65c

Ladies' Strap Back Purses, Underarm Bags and Strap Bags, 35c to \$4.95

Vanity Boxes with brass or hand-painted fittings at 83.5c to \$5.50

Compact Vanity Powder Cases at 50c to \$1.50

A Practical Gift

That surely will please

Ladies' Fancy Silk Petticoats and Princess Slips Petticoats in black and colors at \$3.98 and \$5.00

Princess Slips in black, navy and tan at \$5.75 and \$6.75

Ladies' and Misses' DRESS SKIRTS

All this Season's New Styles

Regular \$4.95 Skirts, Sale price **\$ 3.98**

Regular \$7.50 Skirts, Sale price **5.95**

Regular \$8.75 Skirts, Sale price **7.39**

Regular \$10.50 Skirts, Sale price **8.45**

Regular \$11.50 Skirts, Sale price **9.35**

Regular \$12.50 Skirts, Sale price **9.98**

Regular \$13.50 Skirts, Sale price **10.95**

Complete Line of BABY'S GIFTS

Xmas Gift Suggestions

It will be a Real Pleasure to select her gift here.

- Silk Scarfs.....\$1.75 to \$2.98
- Neck Beads from.....10c to \$2.50
- Boudoir Caps.....25c to \$1.25
- Chamois Suede.....60c to \$1.50
- Liste Hosiery.....25c to 65c
- Silk Hosiery.....98c to \$2.00
- Wool Scarfs.....\$1.98 to \$3.65
- Wool Scarf Sets and Cap to match.....\$2.25 to \$3.50
- House Slippers.....95c to \$2.75
- Wool Bed Blankets, silk bound.....\$9.85 to \$12.50
- Vanity Cases.....\$3.85 to \$5.50
- Fancy Rubber Aprons, 4pc to \$1.50
- Hand Bags.....\$1.50 to \$3.50
- Sweaters.....\$1.98 to \$7.75
- Fancy Turkish Towels, 50c to \$1.25
- Bath Robes.....\$4.50 to \$8.95
- Munsing Silk Vests.....\$1.25 to \$3.25
- Munsing Silk Bloomers.....\$1.75 to \$4.95
- Munsing Silk Step-Ins.....\$2.50
- Hand Bags.....\$1.50 to \$3.50
- Silk Umbrellas.....\$4.50 to \$9.50
- Umbrellas, also at.....\$1.00 to \$3.50

BLOUSES AND TUNICS

- Reg. \$3.98 Silk Blouses, Sale price **\$3.29**
- Reg. \$5.75 Silk Blouses, Sale price **4.85**
- Reg. \$7.50 Silk Tunics, Sale price **5.95**
- Pretty Wash Blouses in white and colored trimmings and tan, with fancy trimmings at \$1.95 to \$2.50

Wash Dresses and Bungalow Aprons

- Reg. \$1.25 Bungalow Aprons, Sale price **\$.98**
- Reg. \$2.00 Wash Dresses, Sale price **1.69**
- Reg. \$2.25 Wash Dresses, Sale price **1.89**
- Reg. \$2.50 Wash Dresses, Sale price **2.15**
- Reg. \$2.75 Wash Dresses, Sale price **2.35**
- Reg. \$3.00 Wash Dresses, Sale price **2.49**
- Reg. \$3.50 Wash Dresses, Sale price **2.85**
- Reg. \$5.00 Wash Dresses, Sale price **3.98**

Silk and Wool Dresses

- Smartest Styles—Newest Colors
- Reg. \$13.75 Dresses, Sale price **\$11.95**
- Reg. \$15.95 and \$16.75 Dresses, Sale price **14.85**
- Reg. \$23.50 Dresses, Sale price **19.65**
- Reg. \$25.00 Dresses, Sale price **21.75**
- Reg. \$27.50 Dresses, Sale price **23.95**
- A few Dresses that sold at \$12.95 and \$15.00 to close at **9.65**

LADIES' COATS

- With Plain Collars and Fur Collars
- Reg. \$14.85 Coats, Sale price **\$12.95**
- Regular \$27.50 Coats, Sale price **23.85**
- Regular \$19.85 Coats, Sale price **17.35**
- Regular \$29.75 Coats, Sale price **26.65**

Please him Christmas morning with a gift of real value.

- Knit Gloves from.....50c to 95c
- Lined Kid Gloves at.....\$1.98
- Silk Ties.....39c to \$1.00
- Dress Shirts.....\$1.50 to \$3.50
- Flannel Shirts.....\$2.75 to \$6.75
- Hosiery.....25c to \$1.00
- Cuff Links.....5c to 60c
- Handkerchiefs.....75c to 95c
- Bill Folds.....25c to 50c
- Garters and Arms Bands in fancy Xmas boxes.....50c to \$1.25
- Caps.....\$1.50 to \$3.50
- Union Suits.....\$1.95 to \$4.50
- Suspenders.....50c
- Wool Vests.....\$1.50
- Dress Hats.....\$2.50 to \$5.00
- Sweaters.....\$2.50 to \$9.50
- Belts.....50c to 85c
- Flannel Gowns.....\$1.25 to \$2.35
- Muslin Night Shirts.....\$1.25 to \$1.75

BOYS' GIFTS

That Always Please

- Boy Blue Blouses.....\$1.00 to \$1.50
- Boy Blue Shirts.....\$1.00 to \$1.50
- Boys' Hosiery, cotton.....25c to 50c
- Boys' & Wool Socks.....75c to \$1.75
- Ties.....35c
- Caps.....\$1.00 to \$1.50
- Wool Sweaters.....\$3.50 to \$4.25
- Gloves.....65c to 75c
- Little Gent's Bed Top Rubber Boots.....\$1.85
- Boys' Handkerchiefs.....5c to 15c



Pendleton Wool Indian Robes

These Blanket Robes are unmatched for their artistic beauty, comfort and for the sturdy wearing qualities and wide range of uses. Ideal for motoring and the designs and colorings are typical of "Far West" Indian textile art.

An ideal gift for Christmas for any one. On sale here at

\$8.50 to \$13.00

Wool mixed Robes, eastern make at \$5.95

Cotton Robes in Indian designs from \$3.98 to \$6.95

BED BLANKETS

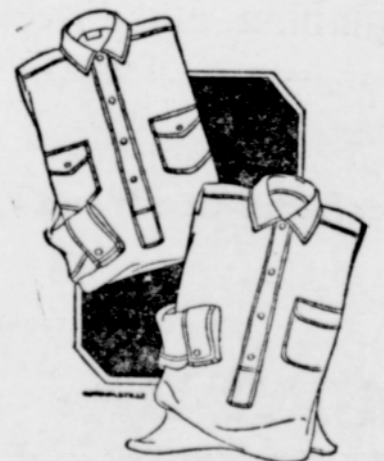
For gifts are practical.

- Cotton Blankets in grey and tans at \$2.50 to \$3.75
- Plaid Blankets in fancy colorings at \$3.50 to \$4.50
- Plaid Blankets, wool mixed, at \$6.50
- Plaid Blankets, all wool all good colored plaids, full size and bound at \$9.85

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S NEW OVERCOATS

Sheurman Make, All Wool, at Real Reductions.

- Reg. \$22.50 O'coats, sale price **\$19.85**
- Reg. \$25.00 O'Coats, sale price **21.95**
- Reg. \$27.50 O'Coats, sale price **23.85**
- Reg. \$29.75 O'Coats, sale price **26.65**
- Reg. \$32.50 O'Coats, sale price **29.75**
- Reg. \$35.00 O'Coats, sale price **31.50**
- Reg. \$37.50 O'Coats, sale price **32.95**
- Reg. \$39.75 O'Coats, sale price **35.75**



Men's Shirts

in all the newest patterns, colors and fabrics.

- Men's Dress Shirts without collars, in plain and fancies at **\$1.50 and \$1.95**
- Men's Silk striped at **\$2.00 to \$3.50**
- Men's Broadcloth Shirts in tan, gray, blue and white at **\$2.50 to \$3.50**
- Men's Shirts with colors in plains and fancies at **\$1.50 to \$2.50**

"Boy Blue" Blouses and Shirts

Plain colors—Fancy and Silk Striped at **\$1.00 to \$1.50**
A large assortment to select from, well made and fast colors.

Men's Bath Robes

- Reg. \$5.00 Bath Robes, sale price **\$3.95**
- Reg. \$5.50 Bath Robes, sale price **4.75**
- Reg. \$6.50 Bath Robes, sale price **4.95**
- Reg. \$6.75 Bath Robes, sale price **5.00**
- Reg. \$8.50 Bath Robe, sale price **7.50**
- Reg. \$9.50 Bath Robe, sale price **6.95**
- Reg. \$10.00 Bath Robe, sale price **8.00**
- Reg. \$11.50 Bath Robe, sale price **9.00**

L. A. WACK & CO.

Park here and shop in comfort

"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"