

## Plans Completed for Kiddies' Playground

The children's playground will open next Monday on the grounds of the Gresham grade school, thanks to the interest of the many who have encouraged the project by their efforts and their contributions. Sufficient funds are now on hand to start the work and it is believed that there will be no difficulty in financing the playground for the summer. The school board has generously promised to finance certain improvements to the ground, which will be a permanent asset during the school year as well as in the summer.

Miss Ruth Schaefer of Linnton, Oregon, a graduate of the University of Oregon, has been employed to supervise the playground. She will be here every afternoon but Sunday from 1 to 5 o'clock. Children from five to 15 years of age are invited to take advantage of the playground facilities. Younger children in care of their mothers or older sisters are also invited. It is expected that Miss Schaefer will give instruction in handwork, including basketry, to children who will furnish the material.

The school grounds are considered ideal for playground purposes. They are spacious and plenty of shade is furnished by the beautiful fir trees on the grounds. Some playground equipment is already in place, such as teter boards and swings. It is planned to provide a sand pen, a jumping pit and a running track, which will be ready before next Monday. The school board has arranged to have one of the basement doors open, giving access to lavatories and a drinking fountain. It is probable that an additional drinking fountain will be placed outside the building. While Miss Schaefer will not use the playshed in ordinary play activities, it will be available in case of unfavorable weather. Ball teams of various kinds will be organized, which will use the fine ball grounds on the school property.

Funds for the playground are still solicited and will be used to the best advantage.

Previously reported.....\$100.00  
K. A. Miller..... 2.00  
Roberts Confectionery..... 2.00  
T. R. Howitt..... 2.00  
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Akin... 2.00  
Total.....\$108.00

**Berry Growers Attention!**  
Have lined up with a Finance company to advance money to farmers and berry growers for gas, oil and tires up to 30 and 60 days without interest. See Lee's Service station east of Gresham.—Adv.

## MARRIAGE COMES AS SURPRISE TO FRIENDS

Coming as a complete surprise to their many Gresham friends was the announcement of the marriage of Miss Katherine Meade Honey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Honey, and Dr. Herbert H. Hughes, the event taking place in Seattle Saturday, June 18. Mrs. Rufus G. King, the bride's cousin, and a number of her Alpha Chi Omega fraternity sisters attended the wedding, which was held in a University district church. After the ceremony the couple telephoned the information to relatives here and then left for a tour of Vancouver island.

Mrs. Hughes is a graduate of Gresham Union high school and of the University of Washington and for several years was supervisor of music in the Portland public schools. She was a very successful teacher in the Gresham grade school. Dr. Hughes is a graduate of the University of Montana and Rush Medical school of Chicago and a member of Sigma Chi fraternity. The couple will reside temporarily on the George Towle property. Dr. Hughes will begin immediately the erection of a residence on Wallula avenue.

## LENTS CAMPMEETING WILL INTEREST MANY

A campmeeting which always proves of much interest to many in Gresham is that of the Multnomah County Holiness association. This year the gathering will be held from June 30 to July 19 on the grounds at 107th street and 45th avenue southeast, Portland, half mile directly north of Lents junction. Miss D. Willia Caffray, well known in this locality, will be one of the speakers and Miss Clara Christensen, who was with Miss Caffray in Gresham a year ago last winter, will assist as director of children's work and will sing. Another speaker will be Dr. C. C. Poling. Mrs. Bess Owens Runyan will direct the music.

The camp ground is easily accessible from Gresham for those with automobiles and those going by streetcar over the interurban line from Gresham can either get off at Lents junction and walk the half mile across, or they can go to Lents station at 92d street where the car will be met by busses.

**Do You Know?**  
You can have a savings account for that 10-year-old child by depositing \$2 per month that will compound larger interest than a bank savings, and at the same time give \$500 or more protection should a misfortune befall the child. Would \$250 protection at less than 12 cents a week interest you? Ask about it. P. E. Mills, Gresham. Adv.

## Important Potato Meetings to Be Held

A potato planting demonstration will be conducted at the farm of S. B. Hall west of Fairview on Thursday afternoon, June 23, at 2 o'clock. This will be held to show the use of a new type of potato planter, known as the tuber unit planter. This machine cuts the potato into four parts, plants them, then skips a hill and cuts another potato and plants it. This is a new machine recently brought here from the state experiment station. It will prove of great value to the seed grower inasmuch as it makes it easy to control diseases in the potatoes.

**Will Discuss Potatoes.**  
The fertilizer demonstration on potatoes on the H. C. Compton farm and the George Schaefer farm on the loop highway west of Boring is showing very marked results. A meeting is being planned for the potato growers of eastern Multnomah and eastern Clackamas counties for Friday afternoon, June 24, at 1:30, at H. C. Compton's farm at the junction of the Boring-Sandy road and the Loop highway. This demonstration will be conducted jointly by the agents of Multnomah and Clackamas counties.

## MISS BLANCHE BERNEY HONORED BY NURSES

In honor of the recent announcement of the engagement of Miss Blanche Berney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berney of Troutdale, to Henry Morgan of Portland, Miss Berney was pleasantly surprised on the evening of June 13 by a group of nurses from the Doernbecher Memorial Hospital for Children in a miscellaneous shower. The affair was given at the home of Miss Harriet Compton on Marquam hill. The rooms were beautifully decorated in spring blossoms. A delightful supper was served following the shower. Assisting about the rooms were the Misses Elizabeth Vanderveldt, Kathryn Compton and Martha Davidson. Mrs. Anna Jindra cut ices and Mrs. F. M. Compton poured.

Miss Berney, who is a graduate of the nurses' training course of Multnomah county hospital, is supervisor of the surgery at the Doernbecher Memorial hospital of Oregon medical school. The wedding will be an event of early summer.

## GRESHAM REALTY MEN COMBINE FACILITIES

James Elkington and Ross Brown have formed a partnership in the real estate, insurance, loan brokerage and conveyancing business and will occupy quarters adjoining the Bjur Electric store in the Oregon Telephone company building as soon as that part of the building is fitted for their use, probably some time this week.

The reason given for the association of the two real estate forces is that better service can be rendered the public in the respective lines they have been following separately. Both are competent men. Mr. Elkington has had 17 years' experience in the real estate business and Mr. Brown, while not as widely experienced as years are concerned, is well acquainted with the surrounding country and keeps thoroughly in touch with land values. The new firm represents only the best old line stock insurance companies.

**Luncheon Thursday Noon.**  
Cut out the cooking. Take luncheon Thursday noon at the Methodist church dining room, auspices W. C. T. U. Menu: creamed chicken with biscuits, mashed potatoes, perfection salad, strawberries, cake, coffee, 35c.—Adv.

Forty-nine of the original 241 subscribers to telephone service in New York city 48 years ago are still listed in the New York telephone directory.

## SPEEDBOWL OPENING HAS GOOD CROWD

With the fairest of Oregon summer weather and all conditions favorable the new speedbowl at 12-mile corners had an auspicious opening last Sunday. The attendance was estimated at 3000 or over and the races were very satisfactory.

The new speedway proved itself to be a speedy one as records were shattered. There were eight races, including the motorcycle events, the fastest official time being a half mile in 31 1-5 seconds. Guy Duellen of Spokane won in the 30-lap grand final race by 15 yards over Gus Duray, of Portland.

## GRESHAM AG BOYS DO GOOD-SHOP WORK

Recognition of the good work done by the boys of the agricultural department of Gresham Union high school under the direction of their teacher, Kenneth D. Fendall, is given in the current issue of The News Item, organ of the Oregon board of vocational education as follows:

"You should see those regenerated cultivators and mowers that have just been turned out of the farm shop at Gresham by the farm engineering boys under the direction of Kenneth Fendall. One of these was an old Advance that had seen 13 years of service, but by the time the boys got it fixed up with new parts and other accessories it was ready for another 10 years. The bright red and yellow paint which completed the job was an important part of the rejuvenation. The mowers belonged to farms from which some of these students came."

## NEW GREENS ON RUBY GOLF COURSE

Construction of new greens on the Ruby golf course will be started in the near future, according to an announcement.

The new greens have been staked out by George Junor, who is in charge of the reconstruction work. The task of building them will be started as soon as the crew of 25 workmen complete the clearing of the rough and smoothing of the fairways. The clearing work will make the course more enjoyable. The green, however, will not be ready for play until next season.

## OPTICAL CAR WILL RETURN THIS WEEK

The large optical service car of the Staples Optical company which was here two weeks ago is to return to Gresham. This is a complete office with a waiting room and an expert optician who will test your eyes, repair broken lenses, etc. It will be stationed on Main street opposite the Outlook office on June 24 and 25. Prices reasonable. Eyes tested free.—Adv.

## LISTEN, FATHERS AND MOTHERS.

A gentleman and father of a 9-year-old daughter said to the president of this bank a few days ago: "Do you know those habits of savings are wonderful character builders. Our 9-year-old daughter has accumulated nearly \$50 and when she reaches that she will set a higher goal. She was given \$2.00 last Christmas and inducements held out for her to spend it. Do you think she would do so. No, sir; that was too good an opportunity to increase her savings."

To induce the children to get started and form habits such as his girl acquired we will until this advertisement is discontinued give to each boy or girl who has no account at this bank but would like to get started and will open an account with \$5.00 pledging himself or herself to leave for a period of six months, an American flag outfit consisting of a well made flag 3 x 5 feet, jointed pole and halyards ABSOLUTELY FREE.

Flag Day and the Fourth of July are near at hand and such a flag will delight the children.

Get them started right. It must be done while they are young.

FIRST STATE BANK, Gresham, Ore. A Strong Bank

Bright sayings by modern thinkers are found in the want columns.

## Band Fund

The following have contributed toward the summer open-air band concerts. Is your name in the list?

Previously announced	\$138.00
R. R. Bailey	2.00
The Ocarrette	2.00
Edwards' Cleaners & Dyers	2.50
G. M. Davidson	2.50
Todd's Barber Shop	5.00
Gresham Tailors & Cleaners	5.00
Carl Dahl	5.00
E. E. Welling	5.00
Piggly Wiggly Store	10.00
20th Century Grocery	2.50
Guy D. Jones	2.50
First State Bank	15.00
Roberts' Confectionery	5.00
Oregon Telephone Co.	10.00
Florence Honey	2.00
Total	\$217.00

## Gresham Locals

A called meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society was held Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. K. A. Miller. Mrs. George Honey was elected president, Mrs. James Sterling vice president, Mrs. C. E. Johnson treasurer, Mrs. Galen Fancher recording secretary and Mrs. William Thom corresponding secretary. Mrs. George Honey and Mrs. H. V. Wilhelm left this morning for Eugene to attend the Oregon conference of the W. H. M. S.

Mrs. Albert Adkins and daughters Betty Marie and Alberta came Tuesday for a stay at the home of Mrs. Adkins' mother Mrs. Minnie Brown. Mrs. Adkins came for the purpose of placing Alberta, aged five, in a Portland hospital for medical treatment. The child, who has been ill for the past year with diabetes, is now in Doernbecher Memorial Hospital for Children where her condition is regarded as grave.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bischoff, living six miles west of Gresham on the Powell Valley road, were in Gresham Friday with their guests Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rose and Mrs. Blanche Morgan of Grand Rapids, Michigan. They were all then on their way for a few days' outing up the Mt. Hood Loop highway near Zigzag.

A picnic dinner was enjoyed Sunday by the members of Zion Evangelical church on the spacious lawn of the Theodore Brugger home in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Gebhardt who are spending several days with Gresham friends en route to their former home in Illinois. The affair for the former pastor and his wife was more or less of a surprise to them as members of the congregation left for the dinner at close of the morning service. Mr. and Mrs. Gebhardt are making their headquarters at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sleret but are being entertained by many other friends during their stay in Gresham.

Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Welch were Mr. and Mrs. A. Isenath of Seattle. Mr. Isenath, who is head sawyer in one of Seattle's largest sawmills, is now beginning his annual two-weeks' vacation and with his wife is on his way to California. They plan to go as far as Shasta Springs.

Mrs. William Beaver and son Jackie of Hoquiam, Washington, left Monday after spending nearly a week at the home of Mrs. Beaver's brother, H. W. Cooley.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Silva narrated in a most interesting manner Sunday evening at the Free Methodist church an account of their last months in China where they were engaged in missionary work. Among other things Mrs. Silva mentioned meeting Miss Lulu Sweet, a former Gresham girl, who is now a nurse in a hospital of Peking Union Medical college. Mrs. Silva was ill several months ago and went to the hospital for a few days' treatment where she met Miss Sweet who stated she was from Gresham. She is a sister of Mrs. Frank Westell.

Mrs. J. D. De Groot of Antelope, Oregon, arrived Saturday to spend two weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Metzger. Their daughter, Mrs. Maude Means of Multnomah, spent Monday here. A third daughter, Mrs. Thelma DeCosta, is expected this week from Salem where she stopped for a few days on her way home from Bandon.

A beautiful silver cup is on display in the show window of A. W. Metzger & Company, the annual award of the Sperry Flour company of Portland. It will be given a successful boy or girl in the showmanship contest of the calf club at the coming county fair.

Miss Lois Trimble has gone to Monmouth to attend the six-weeks' term of summer school at the Oregon normal.

Oliver Gill is home for the summer from the Kimball School of Theology at Salem from which he was graduated at the recent commencement exercises of that institution. He is assisting on his father's ranch and on week ends goes to Garden Home where he has a preaching appointment. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cherry of Bothell were callers Friday at the plant of Barnes & Son and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Barnes. J. V. Cogswell had his Willys-Knight sedan hit by a falling rock from the bluff a half mile west of Crown Point last Sunday. The rock penetrated the top but was checked by the upholstery on the under side. His daughter, Mrs. C. C. Yager, was sitting where she would

have taken the force of the blow if it had not been checked.

An all-day session of Multnomah county W. C. T. U. institute will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church Thursday, June 23. The morning session will begin at 10 o'clock and will be devoted to a discussion of departmental work. At the afternoon session, which will begin at 1:30, State Senator Joseph Dunne will be present to speak on the various measures to be voted on at the coming election on June 28. Mrs. Elsie Cogswell and Miss Gertrude Alexander will sing, and readings will be given. Lunch will be served at noon in the dining room of the church, for which a nominal charge will be made. The public is invited to the sessions of the institute and the luncheon intervening.

C. M. Quicksall is attending the six-weeks' session of the Oregon normal summer school being held at Monmouth.

Miss Emma B. Johnson returned Monday evening from a few days' visit at Astoria with Miss Sadie Dotson, who has been staying with her sisters for some time. On Saturday morning Miss Johnson and Miss Dotson took a trip down the Columbia river to Cape Disappointment with Miss Dotson's uncle, Mr. Will Heiner, of Altoona. On Monday morning a hike was taken to the summit of Coxcomb Hill, above Astoria, where towers the Astoria column erected in honor of Captain Robert Gray, Meriwether Lewis, William Clark and John Jacob Astor. The column is 125 feet high and encloses a circular stairway leading to an observation platform. The spiral frieze is 525 feet in length and nearly seven feet wide. A wonderful view is obtained from the top of this column.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Beagle were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Leighton of LaGrande, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Look of The Dalles and Mrs. P. A. Gould of this place. Mr. Look reports that the weather has been ideal for a bumper wheat crop in his locality. He has more than 1000 acres to harvest.

Mrs. Jackson Jones and son Bob are spending several days at Oswego where they are visiting a cousin Mrs. Norma Baker who formerly lived in Gresham.

Mrs. S. H. Dederick and two children of Bothell, Washington, and Mrs. William Monette of Seattle arrived Saturday to visit until after the Fourth of July with their father, J. F. Barnes, and their brothers. Mr. Monette accompanied them from Seattle, but returned the following day. Mrs. Monette has a studio in dramatic art in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Eggleston and sons Vincent and Dalton arrived Sunday morning from Bennett, Nebraska, for a visit at the homes of Mrs. Eggleston's sisters Mrs. R. D. Bailey and Mrs. Rose Lambert. The trip from Nebraska was made by automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Peterson and daughters Jean and Peggy of Salem were week-end visitors of Gresham relatives. The family enjoyed a picnic Sunday at Clear creek above Estacada.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Squire, Mr. and Mrs. George Kenney of Gresham and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carson of Portland spent Sunday at the summer cottage on Camp Creek which was completed recently by Messrs. Squire and Kenney. The summer home is located on a picturesque spot on the Mt. Hood Loop highway.

Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Miller entertained Mrs. B. F. Cogswell and daughter Miss Mary Cogswell of Berkeley, California, at luncheon on Monday.

Fritz Stocker was happily remembered on the occasion of his 76th birthday Sunday when his son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Portland and relatives of Mr. Smith from Seattle spent part of the day with Mr. Stocker.

Mrs. E. L. Stafford and son Donald returned from Spokane Monday where they spent two weeks with Mrs. Stafford's parents Mr. and Mrs. Chris Pieser.

Mrs. W. H. Mitchell of Portland, well known in Gresham, left Friday for Lake Hopatcong, New Jersey, where she will visit during the summer with her sister.

Mrs. Catherine Harmon, who has been staying with her daughter Mrs. Alta Wooley in Portland, returned home Sunday to spend the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brewer and daughter Georgia and Sam Williams of Ryderwood, Washington, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Newcombe. They enjoyed a picnic lunch on Beaver creek Sunday and later several of the party attended the speed bowl race.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson of Minot, North Dakota, the parents of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Horr's son-in-law, are house guests at the Horr home this week. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Horr, their son Neal Horr and her guests, including Mrs. Will Gordon of Portland, enjoyed a trip to The Dalles.

## New Morrison Bridge Is Urgently Needed

Portland is considered slow in some ways but it isn't slow in providing for its future growth and the accommodation of the ever increasing auto traffic which must cross and recross the river.

Once there was a city on the east side and another on the west side of the Willamette. That was natural when there were no bridges and no autos.

The east side is growing away from the west side in population, if not in business to some extent, and the only way to make of Portland a unified city and keep it so is to bind east side and west side together by suitable bridges making transportation between the two parts of the city easy, speedy and safe.

It's a pity to have to start another big bridge bond campaign but it's the penalty we pay for progress. If we will dance we must expect to pay the fiddlers.

Portland needs the Morrison street bridge and Multnomah county needs it. Each year the need grows more urgent. It will take two or three years to realize on the project if voted favorably. That is the reason for putting the matter before the voters now, so it is stated.

We may not like to endorse the measure so soon after the other recent heavy bridge bond issues, but the new bridge is needed, the old one is dangerously weak and inadequate for the traffic of today, it will have to come in a few years and if voted favorably we will all be proud of the improvement it will make and use it with pleasure and profit.

So you are asked to vote favorably on the proposed Morrison street bridge.

## AWARDS GIVEN IN DOE BENCH SHOW

At a recent doe bench show of the Oregon branch of the American Rabbit and Cavy Breeders' association held at the home of F. C. Duke in Portland, a number of fine awards was distributed. The exhibit was worked out in connection with a picnic and all report a splendid time. Clarence Graves, Frank Wollen and Felix C. Duke composed the committee in charge of arrangements.

Judge H. E. Osburn judged the rabbits and Alice M. Lehman, secretary of the association, acted as clerk. Mrs. Lehman has been appointed superintendent of the rabbit division at the county fair this year and she will furnish any information desired by addressing her at 337 E. 73d street North, Portland.

The awards at the show held June 12 were as follows:

New Zealand Reds, senior does, 1st, Mrs. E. Schaefer; 2d, D. F. Bowler. Int. does, 1st, Alice M. Lehman; 2d, F. C. Duke. Jr. does, 1st, F. C. Duke; 2d, D. F. Bowler.

New Zealand Whites, Sr. does, 1st, D. P. Law; 2d, F. C. Duke. Jr. does, 1st, D. F. Bowler; 2d, Frank Wollen.

Blue Beverns, Jr. does, 1st, W. V. Quivey; 2d, Jack Horton.

White Flemish Giants, Sr. does, 1st, Harry Osman; Int. does, 1st, Harry Osman; Jr. doe, Harry Osman.

Natural Gray Flemish, Int. does, 1st, Roy Van Mere; 2d, Harry Osman.

Chinchillas, Sr. does, 1st, A. Peterson; 2d, Mrs. E. Schaefer; Int. does, 1st, Mrs. E. Schaefer; 2d, Mrs. Edith Northrup; Jr. does, 1st, Jack Horton; 2d, P. Howarth, Jr.

Chinchilla Giant, Sr. doe, 1st, A. Peterson.

Other members of the family present were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie T. St. Clair and children, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Davies and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rogers and Margaret St. Clair. Mrs. Hannah M. Shaw and Mrs. Elsie Cogswell were also members of the party.

## Coming Events

Thursday, June 23—W. C. T. U. institute, Methodist church.

Thursday, June 23, 2 o'clock—Potato planting demonstration on farm of S. B. Hall west of Fairview.

Friday, June 24, 1:30—Potato growers' meeting at H. C. Compton's farm at junction Boring-Sandy road and Loop highway.

Friday evening, June 24. Strawberry social, Haley Baptist church.

June 30—Ice cream social at home of Mrs. Lester Campbell, auspices Woman's society, Smith Memorial Presbyterian church.

Saturday, July 23—Annual Farmers' Field Day at fair grounds.

### GRESHAM THEATER

PROGRAM FOR WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY  
JUNE 22 and 23

REGINALD DENNY in  
"ROLLING HOME"  
A Denny picture is always a thriller  
Also a two-reel Century Comedy

The following firms are giving away tickets to the Wednesday and Thursday night shows at the Gresham Theater. Each free ticket is good for one admission when presented with one adult regular paid admission, during June and July. The tickets are being given by the various merchants under varying conditions, so ask for your free ticket.

<b>Roberts Confectionery</b> Next Door to Show Gresham, Ore.	<b>Walter W. Metzger</b> Phone 1501 Gresham, Oregon
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