

Professional Needs of Wide Area Attended by Capable Practitioners

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joining the ranks of the benedicts. Dr. Hughes is assisted in his office work by his sister Miss Della Hughes.

Dr. George Inglis

Dr. George Inglis has been a practicing physician, surgeon and oculist in Gresham since 1913. After graduating from Rush Medical college and the Chicago Post Graduate school, he practiced in Monticello, Iowa, for 20 years. Dr. Inglis and family came to Oregon in 1910. His office in the First State Bank building is exceptionally well equipped with X-ray apparatus and optical instruments. He devotes his forenoons to professional calls and the afternoons to the work of fitting glasses. Dr. Inglis is Scottish by birth and was four years old when he crossed the Atlantic with his parents. When asked to compare his impressions of Iowa with Oregon he quickly said the balance was all in favor of the Webfoot state. Like many other professional men he is interested in farming, and has a half section wheat farm near Saskatchewan, Canada, which he visits occasionally in looking after the rentals. He thinks if he has a hobby it must be hard work in the office plus the family garden at home. The doctor was very modest in speaking of his medical work, but friends recount how, in the flu epidemic when he was working nearly single handed in taking care of Gresham's sick, his untiring energy in combating influenza was more than commendable.

Dr. H. V. Adix

Dr. H. V. Adix came from Estacada to Gresham in 1919 and established practice which now occupies practically all his time. In addition to his work of physician and surgeon as a graduate of the medical school of the University of Oregon, Dr. Adix is a licensed osteopath and combines the practice of these two branches of medical science to advantage. Dr. Adix's son, Victor Adix, is a medical student in the same institution from which Dr. Adix graduated some years ago. Dr. Adix was one of the first in the state of Oregon to respond to the appeal for volunteers in the late World war, but was unable to go on account of illness in his family. Everyone who

knows the doctor knows of his great fancy for thoroughbred stock, particularly horses. He has a large farm of more than a half section near Estacada in which he takes a great interest. Miss Winnifred Osburn is the capable assistant in the joint offices of Dr. Adix and Dr. W. J. Ott.

Dr. George Mallett.

Dr. George Mallett, a graduate of the Pacific Chiropractic college in Portland, has been in Gresham for the past two years where he has built up a satisfactory practice. The doctor has taken three post graduate courses in his line of healing profession, one of these in Chicago. Dr. Mallett, whose office is in the Bank of Gresham building, specializes in diseases which are the result of faulty glandular action. Like many others the Gresham chiropractor has a hobby, that of music, and in this case it brings much pleasure to his friends as well as himself. He has been prominently identified with the work of the choir in the Methodist church during his stay here and is now the choir's director. He also occupies the position of tenor soloist in the Rose City Community church.

Dr. Mary Becker.

Enjoying her work and taking a personal interest in the welfare of her patients, Dr. Mary Becker enjoys a well-earned reputation among the members of the medical profession of the community. Dr. Becker, a graduate of the Pacific Chiropractic college in Portland, came to Gresham in 1922. She was a former student of Bernarr Macfadden, the celebrated health exponent and author of "Physical Culture." She also studied at the Still osteopath college at Des Moines, Iowa. As a professional nurse she has worked with a number of eminent physicians in the city of Chicago. Dr. Becker formerly received her patients in the office in connection with her home south of the library, but on account of the inadequacy of these quarters for her rapidly growing patronage about two years ago she established herself on the ground floor of the Sell building on Main street, where in well-appointed rooms she is thoroughly equipped for her work in electric bath, high frequency electric treatments and

ultra violet rays. Dr. Becker's motto is, "Work for results."

Dr. W. J. Ott.

Dr. W. J. Ott is a successful dentist of Gresham. Like practically all the professional people interviewed, it was hard to arrange for a few minutes' talk with him owing to stress of office business. Dr. Ott, a graduate of Western Dental college in Kansas City, Missouri, came to Gresham in 1908 and has been actively engaged in the practice of his profession since that time. He was born and grew to young manhood in Kansas. Dr. Ott has always been identified with every activity pertaining to the growth and development of Gresham since his residence here. He is a member of the Masonic lodge, the Royal Arch and Woodmen of the World. To say that Dr. Ott enjoys a game of golf is putting it mildly. It is the one diversion that affords perfect relaxation, according to the doctor. He admits that he cuts a wide swath in playing the game, in fact so wide an area is covered at times that it fails to land him the desired score. However, his friends speak of his golf playing as anything but indifferent.

Dr. J. G. Sture.

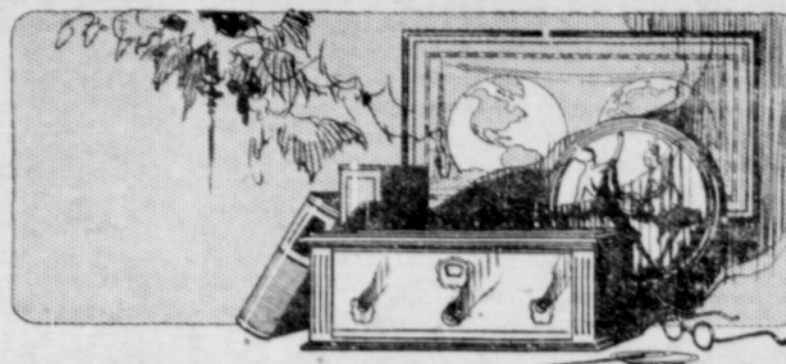
Dr. J. G. Sture has been engaged in the practice of dentistry for the past eight and a half years. Four years of this time was spent at Sandy and four and a half years at Gresham, where he succeeded Dr. B. H. Pedersen who left Gresham in 1923. Dr. Sture is a graduate of the North Pacific Dental college in Portland, a branch of the University of Oregon. His office is located in the Bank of Gresham building and is well equipped with everything pertaining to a modern dental laboratory and office. He recently installed an improved line of apparatus which will assist in determining the source of root infection in teeth. During the past year Dr. Sture has completed an eight-room house on Ava avenue, one of the finest residences in Gresham.

Dr. H. H. Ott.

Dr. Harry H. Ott enjoys the unique distinction of never having missed a day in his 21 years of dental practice on account of illness. Dr. Ott, a graduate of the Western Dental college in Kansas City, Missouri, is the pioneer dentist of Gresham. He began practice here in June, 1906, his present office being located in the Withrow building. He occupies the same reception room as Dr. H. H. Hughes, the two men having in common, among other things, the same initials. Dr. Ott was a volunteer in the Spanish-American war, but was unable to get into service. He is a member of the Masonic lodge in Gresham and the Artisans in Portland, but is not what might be called an ardent lodge man, as he states he has offily been to lodge once since his initiation into the Masonic order. Dr. Ott's hobbies are somewhat divided between a love of music and hunting. He is one of the best experienced men in the Gresham band and a valuable aid to the younger members. Nine months ago he joined the Artisans' band and fills regular engagements with that organization. He is a player of the euphonium and never fails to delight Gresham audiences when called upon. He is usually accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Ott.

Dr. H. C. Johnson.

Dr. H. C. Johnson, veterinary surgeon, has been established in Gresham for the past five years. He was graduated from the Iowa State college at Ames in 1913 and



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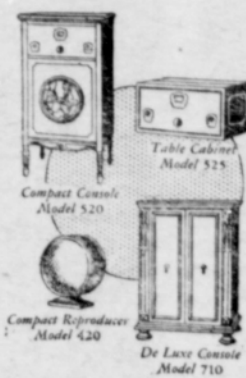
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came to Oregon four years later. He occupied the position of city meat inspector in Portland for five years, coming to Gresham in 1922. He was first located in the small building on East Powell street which was afterwards occupied by John Brown as a real estate office. For the past three years he has been favorably located in the Odd Fellow hall where he has an office, drug room and operating room, with a dog and cat hospital at the rear. Dr. Johnson has an extensive practice throughout the surrounding farming country and serves a large territory. He holds the positions of United States government accredited herd tester and Oregon state meat inspector. In addition to his many duties in connection with his work as a veterinary surgeon Dr. Johnson has found time to devote to the teaching of various band instruments. He organized the Gresham band in 1924 and has continued since as its capable conductor.

W. J. Cooper.

W. J. Cooper a former North Dakota man, has risen from the ranks of school teacher, bookkeeper and bank cashier to attorney at law, a profession in which he has met with gratifying success during the 16 years he has been engaged in its practice. With his family he came to Gresham in 1923 from Westhope, North Dakota, and opened an office in the Bank of Gresham building. Mr. Cooper took his law course in the University of Minnesota, after spending five years as a school teacher, and a lengthy period of employment in the bank of Westhope. At the beginning of the Spanish-American war Mr. Cooper, with other state normal students, made an effort to enlist in the army, but as the North Dakota quota was full, he was unable to do this. During the World war he was prominently identified with the promotion of bond and war stamp sales, and was one of a committee engaged in filling out the questionnaires. In addition to these various duties Mr. Cooper found time to attend to a 200-acre farm, but this was only in regard to its rental. He says he and his family like Oregon so well they have no desire to return to the blizzards, thunder storms and sand storms of North Dakota, especially the sand blizzards which sometimes last for three weeks at a time and become so heavy as to obscure the sun. During the past year Mr. Cooper has purchased a home for himself and family near the high school. He is a golf enthusiast and says he greatly enjoys automobile tours and camp life. He is assisted in his office work by his daughter, Miss Amy Cooper.

C. G. Schneider.

C. G. Schneider, one of Gresham's two practicing attorneys, located here in 1916 and the following year formed a business partnership with Walter T. McGuirk of Portland, this association continuing under the firm name of McGuirk & Schneider. Mr. Schneider was a graduate of the '13 class of the University of Oregon. The subject of this sketch saw two years' service in the late World war beginning July, 1917, thirteen months of which time was spent overseas. At the close of the war Mr. Schneider had the honor of being one of 3000 overseas men to be presented with a post graduate certificate from the University of Grenoble, France. This four months' course which was made possible through the United States government, was much appreciated by the Gresham recipient. He took up the study of the French language, European history and European physical geography and majored in Roman and French law. Mr. Schneider says if he has a fad it is in the experiment of gladioli culture and the growing of English walnuts. The firm of McGuirk & Schneider maintains offices in both Portland and Gresham, Attorney Schneider alternating his time between the two places.

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