

# 1000 Pairs Ladies Low and High Cut Shoes put on the Bargain Counter



## All Bright, Clean, Up-To-Date Goods

We must have room for our factory shipments that are on the way from the East now, and while there are clean, up-to-date shoes, they are odd sizes and broken lots that we are anxious to close out and willing to sell at big loss.

## Nothing on Reserve--Everything Goes

### Lot 1

### Special Lot

Ladies low and high cut shoes, in patent, kid and various leathers, all styles, selling regularly for \$3.50 to \$4.00

Any woman who is able to wear from 2 1/2 to 4 1/2, A, B, C widths, can find a lot of elegant shoes which we have set aside as a special lot. These shoes are the best bargains ever but bad sizes for us to handle. If you can wear the above sizes call our attention to this article and you will have the greatest bargain you ever got.

**To Close out \$2.65**

### Lot 2

Ladies low and high cut shoes, in patent and kid and medium and heavy soles, all styles, regularly selling from \$2.50 to \$3.00,

Shoes retailing from \$3.00 to \$5.00, sizes 2 1/2 to 4 1/2; width, A, B, C only,

**Closing out Price**

**To Close out \$1.95**

**\$1.50**

Don't overlook a good opportunity. You have learned to have faith in our advertisements, and people attending our sales always go away satisfied.

# Merchant Bros.

## "The Busy Store"

NOTICE.—We will not exchange or refund money on any shoes on sale. We will gladly fit them at the store.

It would be a continual annoyance to allow the exchanging of shoes, so we are compelled to make this rule, which will apply to everybody.

# WANTS & ADS

**SITUATION WANTED**—By first class camp cook. Address Charles Halvorsen, General Delivery, North Bend.

**LOST**—Gold chain necklace, blue stone settings; brooch pin, Sigma Nu fraternity emblem. Return Times.

**LOST**—Gold pen, black handle, on or near South Marshfield bridge. Finder will please return to Times office.

**WANTED**—Competent woman or girl to care for elderly invalid. Apply to Mrs. Sengstacken.

**FOR RENT**—Two furnished rooms. Inquire at Mrs. Dr. Murphy's cor. Sheridan and California avenue.

**WANTED**—200 cords of fir wood at \$3.00. Will furnish scow. J. Larson.

**WANTED**—Woman to do washing, ironing and sweeping. Apply Mrs. Sengstacken.

**FOR SALE**—Kimball piano, good as new. Lock box 497, North Bend. Phone 415.

**WANTED TIMBER LANDS**—Home stead relinquishments wanted. Want to buy direct from owner. Write particulars to H. M., Box 492, Eugene, Oregon.

**FOR SALE—PIANO**; Inquire at Times office.

**FARMERS & LOGGERS EMPLOYMENT OFFICE**—291-2 North Second street, Portland, Ore. Help furnished free to employers. Telephone and telegraph orders given special attention. Phone 6437 Main.

**Facts About the Grip.**  
The grip is highly infectious. It stimulates other diseases. The grip picks out the weak points of a person's constitution. The grip in itself is by no means a mortal disease. The victims of the grip are adults who perish from pneumonia or bronchitis, and the aged who sink from heart exhaustion. Children, while prone to the disease, enjoy a comparative immunity from its complications and dangers. In adults the attack, as a rule, comes on with lightning like speed. health is suddenly overcome by a feeling of discomfort and depression. He "runs" at the nose; he feels chilly; his head aches; his eyes pain him. What to do—go to bed at once; take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and quinine as directed for influenza. Do this and the grip is soon shorn of its terrors. For sale by John Preuss.

**THOROUGHbred CHICKEN EGGS FOR HATCHING.**  
I am prepared to furnish during the season eggs for hatching from thoroughbred S. C. Brown Leghorns, White Leghorns, Black Minorcas and White Plymouth Rocks at \$1.00 per setting. Incubator lots of Brown Leghorn at \$5.00 per hundred and Black Minorcas \$6.00 per hundred. Also eggs from the famous laying Indian Runner ducks at \$2.00 per setting. **J. C. WATSON.** Breeder of Registered Jersey Cattle and Berkshire swine. Coquille, Oregon.



**ROY E. LAWHORNE**

**Steam Dye Works**  
C Street.  
Ladies' and Gents' Garments Cleaned or Dyed  
Philip Becker, Proprietor.

**GET YOUR Coal & Wood FROM JOHN ARLANDSON**  
PHONE 1331

## Tattle of the Town

Little grains of fact sifted from the chaff of gossip flying up and down the town.

### WEATHER FORECAST.

Western Oregon, rain tonight and Thursday. Fresh southerly breeze.

### LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.

For 24 hours ending 6 p. m. Feb. 25. Furnished by Dr. E. E. Mings, local cooperative government observer.  
Max. 55.  
Min. 43.  
6 p. m. 51.  
Wind, S. W.  
Cloudy.

### COOS BAY TIDES

The following tables give the hours of high and low tides for every day this week:

FEBRUARY, 1908.					
HIGH WATER	A. M.	P. M.	HIGH WATER	A. M.	P. M.
Tuesday	.25 5:31	6.2 7:17	4.1		
Wednesday	26 6:41	6.1 8:42	4.3		
Thursday	27 7:54	6.2 9:51	4.9		
Friday	.28 9:03	6.5 10:42	5.7		
Saturday	29 10:07	6.9 11:27	6.2		

FEBRUARY, 1908.					
LOW WATER	A. M.	P. M.	LOW WATER	A. M.	P. M.
Tuesday	.25	12:27	0.7		
Wednesday	26 0:04	3.7 1:47	0.4		
Thursday	27 1:35	3.9 2:59	-0.1		
Friday	.28 3:05	3.7 4:03	-0.5		
Saturday	29 4:14	3.1 4:55	-0.9		

**DR. MINGUS** made a professional trip to Coquille Tuesday.

**DR. TAGGART**, of Beaver Hill, was a Marshfield visitor yesterday.

**F. B. WAITE** arrived on the Alliance Tuesday for a short visit on the bay.

**ATTORNEY JOHN COKE** returned yesterday via the Drain stage line from a trip to Portland.

**S. M. BROWN** and wife, of Portland, are in the city visiting at the home of I. S. Lando.

**D. Y. STAFFORD** and **TOM HALL** are up Coos River enjoying the fascinations of fly casting.

**MISS MAY PETERSON**, bookkeeper for Russell Bros., North Bend, is having a siege of Job's comforters.

**W. M. TOWER**, of Portland, is in the city managing the jewelry store of his brother H. S. Tower, during the latter's illness.

**TOM JAMES**, the bulwark of North Bend's water front, enjoyed a day in the city of Marshfield Wednesday visiting with his many friends.

**GEORGE M. BROWN**, district attorney for Coos, Curry and Douglas counties, is expected in Marshfield for a short visit the first of next week.

**MRS. E. S. BARGELT**, Grand Matron of the Eastern Star, left this morning on an official visit to a number of the chapters in the Willamette Valley. She goes first to Oakland, Ore., and thence to Eugene and other points.

**Mrs. Rummel Entertains**—M. J. F. M. Rummel delightfully entertained a number of friends at her home in Marshfield Tuesday evening. The hours were passed in cards and a good social time. Refreshments were served toward the close of the evening.

**Sprained Ankle**—Miss Mable Gray, a young lady of the basket ball team of North Bend, sprained her ankle quite badly in a practice game on Monday evening. She is compelled to use crutches and will be laid up for some time with the injury which is painful but not serious.

**Another Officer Coming**—The salvation army announces that another officer will participate in the meetings to be held in the Masonic opera house commencing on Saturday night. Major Joseph Faulkner will assist in the musical program. Major Faulkner is equally proficient in instrumental or vocal music. Brigadier Jenkins, who will have charge of the meetings, is a noted figure in Salvation Army circles, his rank being but fifth removed from that of General Booth.

**Basket Ball Game**—The basket ball game at the Pavilion in North

Bend this evening promises to be an exciting contest. As a large number of tickets have been sold indications are that the attendance will be good.  
**Sings and Talks**—All those who had the pleasure of hearing Adjt. Story sing last year will be glad to avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing him again at the coming series of meetings at the opera house. He is also a very inspiring and able speaker as well as singer.

**ALLIANCE DEPARTS**—The Alliance left the Marshfield dock about 8 o'clock this morning. Following are the passengers taking passage for Portland: M. B. Kiku, Rev. A. O. White, F. J. Hayes, C. W. Roberts, Mrs. Mary Lough, Herman Hillyer, J. D. Fisher, J. Hahn, J. Kayne, Mrs. J. E. Halliday, L. S. Dennis, 3 steerage.

**Plant to Leave Sunday**—The latest intelligence from San Francisco reports that the steamer M. F. Plant, which has been in dry dock for some time, is billed to leave the city on Sunday. This, with favorable conditions, will put the boat out of Coos Bay on Wednesday, March 4.

**Miners Attend Funeral**—A delegation of Beaver Hill coal miners were in Marshfield Tuesday attending the funerals of Chris Rufin and Florin Vandi, who were killed Monday while blasting for a rock tunnel at the mine.

**Fight Articles Signed**—Bert Peterson and "Dummy" Rowan have signed articles of agreement to fight twenty rounds for a decision in Marshfield on Saturday night, March 7, at 9 o'clock. The articles specify that the fight is to be conducted under Marquis of Queensberry rules with a clean breakaway and no hitting in the clinch. Thirty per cent of the gate receipts will go to the Coos Bay Athletic Club, under whose auspices the fight is to be given, and the fighters will receive sixty and forty per cent, winner and loser respectively. Both fighters have posted a forfeit of \$50 to assure appearance in the ring. The referee will be chosen at the ringside. Representing the Coos Bay Athletic club as witnesses to the articles of agreement are: W. M. Hunter, Tommy Ryan, Wm. Schrock, and Johnny Herron.

**A Rare Tree**—There has been an exhibition at the A. M. Prentiss store this week a branch from an Accacia tree, probably the only one in Coos County, and one with an interesting history. The Accacia is held in high regard by the Masonic fraternity, one being planted at the head of the tomb of Solomon, the founder of the order. It is used in their funeral rites when obtainable, a sprig being worn during the services and being deposited later on the grave of a departed brother. This particular tree grows on the Henry Black ranch on Catching Inlet. Some twenty years ago Mrs. Black in preparing some rice for the family, found a peculiar seed mixed with it. This she planted and later it grew into a beautiful tree the buds of which exuded a rare fragrance. The name of it was not known until sent to the State Horticultural Society, where it was quickly recognized as the branch from an Accacia, the same as grows in plentiful proportion in Palestine.

**Gasoline Drops**—F. S. Dow, the well known Marshfield commission man, states that gasoline has taken a drop of one cent. This is an unusual and heavy decline in this staple. It is reported that Kelly will immediately cut the fare between North Bend and Marshfield as a result. Kelly has not been seen to verify the report.

**Disdrag Shower**—Lovely Springtime, Joyous Springtime

When young hearts beat in loving ragtime.

There was a shower on the Marshfield water front the other day. Not only was the shower under roof but it gave forth no moisture. It was a disdrag shower and was merely an expression of the good will and esteem which a certain gentleman, in Marshfield marine circles, is held by his friends. There were disdrags of every shape, every color, and every make. How many there were and the reason for the shower it is not the purpose of this tale to chronicle.

Dancing School Every Monday And Thursday Evening at ODD FELLOWS' HALL. Private Instruction from 2 till 5 p. m.  
**DRAMATIC CLUB**  
Will be organized from Pupils Taking Instruction in Elocution and Dramatic Art.  
Special Attention to Children's Class in Dancing and Elocution. See me at the Hall on Mondays and Thursdays; Afternoon and Evening.  
Prof. C. P. Smith.

**EMPIRE Fish Market**  
A Street Wharf  
Fresh, Salt, Smoked and canned fish; in fact all kinds of fish in season.  
Wharf back of...  
**PIONEER GROCERY.**

**HEISNER, MILLER & CO.**  
Livery, Feed and Sale Stable.  
Wood for Sale.  
Third & A st. Phone 1311 Marshfield

Reduction Sale At CHAS. A. STEVENS' Cloak — and — Suit — House Chicago.  
Cor. First & B St., Marshfield.  
Mrs. M. R. Smith, Agent.

## How Do You Dress

This question means more to you than to anyone else, and its up to you to find the place where you can do the best in buying your clothes. This matter we can help you out in.

**"Monarch and Cluett"**  
Coat Shirts, Pongee Silk Negligee Arrow Brands Collars in quarter sizes, and everything else so necessary to the well Dressed man.

**The BAZAR**  
"The House of Quality"  
Between Front and Broadway on C Street.

**COLUMBIA MACHINE WORKS**  
Cavanaugh, Chapman & Co.  
General Repair Work and Woodworking. Lathes a Specialty  
Foot of Queen Avenue, Marshfield

