

# J. L. STOCKTON The Old White Corner

## Embroidered Flannels

See display in our Court street window. For the first time in the history of Salem you can have the privilege of selecting from a complete range of patterns at prices much less than you expect.

## Stork Sheeting and Diapers

We have them direct from the converters.

## Rubber Sheeting

All widths and prices. Sizes 1 to 4. Considered the best on the market.

## Infant's Dresses

A full new stock of all sizes and prices.

## Velvet Ribbons

New browns, blues, greens and blacks, just received.

## New Ostrich and Feather Boas

We received the ones you are waiting for at last. Three-strand ostrich in white, blue, pink and gray.

**\$10 to \$19.50**

Feather boas in brown, white, pink and blue.

**\$3.50 to \$5**

## New Bearskin Coats For Children

Another shipment just received. Priced reasonable.

## Closing Out Our

### Boots

Men's \$2.00 calf boots and extra full stock calf skin boots, sizes 6 and 7, worth \$3.50 and \$4 Boys' calf boots, worth \$2.25, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2

**Priced to Close Out**

## More New Clothing

Our clothing department is growing in popularity every day, because we give better values for less money than any other store.

**\$3.98 Long Black Coats for Ladies \$3.98**

Just to stir things up we will offer for this week a line of 50 and 52-inch black coats for ladies at \$3.98 each. NOW'S YOUR CHANCE.

## Grand Opera House

JOHN F. CORDRAY, Mgr.

## Wednesday, Oct. 30

Return of last season's big success Henry M. Blossom's Great Racing Day.

## Checkers

A story of love and luck. This is the only company presenting this play.

Prices—50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50. Seat sale at box office Wednesday 9 p. m.

## KLINGER-GRAND THEATRE

Week Commencing Oct. 28

THE GOULDS COMEDY SKETCH TEAM.  
OHAR, THE MYSTERIOUS.  
LA PETITE RUTH AND ACROBAT.  
MOVING PICTURES.  
ILLUSTRATED SONGS.  
J. A. COOPER, Mgr.

## SMILES

Football is the whole thing in higher education in some of our Oregon schools. But Oregon is not alone in this.

Portland papers continue to treat the state as if the Portland banks were all the banks there were in Oregon.

Funny, it was the small banks that were solid and the big ones were forced to death. Generally it is the other way.

Eugene banks took a holiday when there was no need of it.

It is reported that Hon. Jos. Bridges, who held down a federal appointment at Roseburg for years, was in the legislature, belonged to several fraternal orders, has had to skip Myrtle Point for divers reasons.

Ed. Meresse, Ed. Averill, Ed. Hogue, Ralph Watson, Frank Davy, M. Newport, John Cochran and several other young men, at one time in The Capital Journal as reporters, are now all running newspapers or holding good positions.

If you only paint a hen coop, use Oregon Sienna paint, made at Salem and made of Oregon mineral paint.

This is the loveliest season of the year in Eastern Oregon—mountain air, scented with sage brush, with the truly tang of Indian summer to spice it up for the lungs.

A holiday for all was better than a run on a single bank.

New York banks and Oregon saw-mills seem to be closing together.

Salem commercial bodies should all adopt a policy of encouraging corporations to spend their money freely in the Capital City. Salem wants bigger gas works, better elec-

tric car lines, a better passenger station, a bigger university, a bigger Oregon Nursery Co., more paved streets.

The Elmore-Harradon wedding at Astoria Monday evening was the big social event.

Salem people will show up big at the Portland horse show.

Eugene talks about a half million for brick blocks this coming year. Eugene is spending \$5000 a year on a promotion agent.

Fire protection on Asylum avenue is the demand of the Sixth ward.

### School Book Shortage.

The State Board of Education held a session Tuesday evening at the office of Governor Chamberlain, chairman of the board, attended by Secretary of State Benson and State Superintendent Ackerman, for the purpose of hearing statements of school book dealers on the shortage of textbooks for public schools. It seems there has been a great scarcity of geographies, language books, physiologies and several other standard texts. The demands for books, as stated by J. K. Gill was so much greater than the manufacturers expected or than the Portland distributing agency had expected when they ordered, that it has been impossible to keep up with orders. Some of the large New York publishing houses are simply paralyzed, and as the matter stands several publishers will be notified by wire today that their contracts with the state are in jeopardy, and they are liable to be sued on their bond if there is any more crippling of the public school system for lack of books. The fact is, the large manufacturing houses were not expecting the State Textbook Commission to make such sweeping changes, and were not looking for the windfalls from Oregon that blew in on them on the July breezes. So, as a result, books ordered June 25 are not here yet, and may never arrive. H. D. Patton, of Patton Bros., Salem's leading school book house, who do nine-tenths of the school book trade in the Capital City, gave a list of books which they have had great trouble in securing a supply of. The statements of the two gentlemen before the board were perfectly satisfactory, that they had done all in their power to supply Oregon schools with textbooks, and all that reasonable men were called upon to do, but concerns like the American Book Co. and the Barnes writing book publishing house and some others were swept off their feet by orders of lots of 50,000 at a clip, and state adoption was too much for them. All publications from Ginn & Co., Boston, six years ago and this year, came through on time, and they still hold the premier rank as textbook publishers in the estimation of the Oregon Textbook Commission, and the State Board of Education.

### Driven from the City.

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## MYRTLE POINT STORY

### The Girl Loved Not Wisely the Object of Her Love Being Married

During the past few days a rumor has been circulated about this city to the effect that Joseph Bridges, at one time register of the local land office, and a highly respected and influential citizen of this city, had fallen from society, committing an act at Myrtle Point, his home city, which, if proven true, will place a blot upon his character which time will not erase. It is alleged that of late he has been paying his special attention to an estimable young lady residing in that city, and, as a fitting climax to all such occurrences, committed an act contrary to law and common decency, and then, when exposed, left the city suddenly, probably with the intention of never returning. Before going it is also rumored that he made a bill of sale covering all his personal effects to his wife.

### The Girl Followed.

It is also alleged that soon after leaving Myrtle Point the girl followed, making the affair seem all the more realistic.

A News reporter, when interviewing the Myrtle Point Enterprise news man this morning, received the intelligence that nothing of an authentic source had been learned of the affair in that city, but from all indications the good people of his town are disposed to "hush" the occurrence if possible. Several direct questions were evaded, and little information could be learned, except that the rumor was afloat there as here. All indications point toward the foregoing being the truth, but from what can be learned the matter will undoubtedly be dropped for the present, the family feeling the disgrace and not wishing to receive any more notoriety than possible.

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Only 35 cents per bushel for fancy clean cheat seed, while it lasts.

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## GRAHAM GOES TO SPOKANE

Balfour Guthrie Co. Representative For Sixteen Years Going to Spokane

J. G. Graham, who, for 16 years, has been connected with the largest grain and supply house in the Pacific Northwest—Balfour, Guthrie & Co., of Portland—and who has represented them in this city for the past seven years, leaves tonight for Spokane, where he will take charge of the firm's large warehouse business in Eastern Oregon, with headquarters at the imperial city of the Inland Empire. Mr. Graham is a trusted employe of the great firm he has represented here in the Willamette valley, and for six months of 1905 looked after their business on the Chicago board of trade.

Mr. Graham broke the record for transacting a large volume of business at Salem, including eight stations in Marion county, and grain stations in Linn, Yamhill and Polk during that time, handling a quarter of a million bushels annually, and never a lawsuit or bit of trouble with anyone. The farmers with whom Mr. Graham has done business are a unit in expressing regret at his going away. The fraternal and social circles of the Capital City will miss "Joe" Graham even more.

Incidentally as a slight tribute to his popularity Mr. Graham was honored with a seat in the Oregon legislature in 1905, where he had a place on the ways and means committee. The organization of the legislature practically hinged on his vote for speaker, and he was able to name his own places on committees. As secretary of the Commercial Club, as vice-president of the Oregon Development League, Mr. Graham rendered valuable services in the big battles for reduced rates to the producers and in solution of the car shortage problems that have several times threatened Oregon industries with paralysis. As a public-spirited gentleman, as a good careful business man, and a faithful custodian of whatever is entrusted to him, J. G. Graham is the peer of any man in Oregon.

The grain business of Balfour, Guthrie & Co. between Portland and Salem will be handled by C. H. Cannon at Turner. Mr. Cannon is an experienced grain buyer, and has been connected with the house for the past ten years. It is his intention to give the growers a square deal and continue the pleasant relations that have existed in the past.

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Brand of men's shirts is made in a factory equipped with the most perfect modern machinery. Only the most experienced designers employed, and the fabrics are selected by men who have made a life study of the shirt problem. We show a range of styles and qualities suitable for all kinds of wear, and our prices are figured on the spot cash basis. Try it.

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The juvenile department in children's clothing is where you find the really artistic creation in the clothing line. Mothers always take great pride in the boys from 3 to 8 years of age.

The design of our juvenile clothing for these ages will please you. They're made in the most approved styles and handsomely trimmed.

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two years, thus making record time in which to commit a robbery, be convicted and sentenced, being done in less than ten hours.

### CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Denver, Oct. 30.—Governor Buchtel has honored requisitions by Governor Culter, of Utah for Mrs. Mary Armstrong, George Harper and John Harpe, charged with the murder of Ezra Penny and son, George, near Salt Lake eight years ago. Penny and son drove home in a camping outfit. Some days later the outfit was found in the possession of the trio, but the arrested men and woman were released from trial, as the bodies could not be found. Last week skeletons were found that have been identified as Penny's and his son's. Part of their Indian blanket was also identified. The trio first suspected were found in Denver and again arrested.

### A New Time Table Soon.

In a few days there will be a new time table on the S. P. It is said there will be a number of changes. One will be the making of Roseburg the terminus of No. 11, passing Albany southward at noon, and No. 12, passing here northbound at 3:42. There is a rumor that the night southbound will arrive in the afternoon instead of 10:57. Another change will be that of the Springfield train, which will arrive at 1:30 p. m. instead of 8:05, thus compelling

ing people who come up on the evening train to remain over night in Albany, a good thing for Albany.—Albany Democrat.

### Milk Rhode's Gift.

University of Oregon, Oct. 30.—The next qualifying examination for the Rhodes scholarship for this state will be held at the University of Oregon, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 21 and 22, 1908. The arrangements for conducting the examinations will follow closely those of last year, with the exception that an examination fee of \$5.00 will be charged all candidates. The examinations will be under the direction of the Oregon Committee of Selection, composed of President P. L. Campbell, of the University of Oregon, chairman; President Coleman, of Willamette University; President Crooks, of Albany College, and President Riley, of McMinnville College.

### Tacoma Adopts City Tactics.

Tacoma, Oct. 30.—The association of banks of Tacoma last night decided to take action similar to most large cities of the country to protect cash reserve. Balances between banks will be paid in clearing house certificates and checks of depositors will be paid through the clearing house only. This will relieve depositors and prevent the hoarding of money. In Tacoma the banks are solvent and in a prosperous condition, but wish to avoid sending all their money out of the city, causing a hardship to local depositors.

## Five Thousand Packages of Tooth Powder

WILL BE GIVEN TO OUR CUSTOMERS WHO BRING THEIR SUITS TO US FOR CLEANING AND PRESSING, FROM THE 3rd TO THE 17th OF NOVEMBER.

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