

THE POLK COUNTY POST

Published every Friday at Independence, Oregon.

Entered as second class matter March 26, 1918, at the postoffice at Independence, Oregon, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

CLYDE T. ECKER Editor and Publisher.

Subscription Rates:

THREE MONTHS	50c.
SIX MONTHS	\$1.00
ONE YEAR	\$2.00

Unless otherwise provided for, subscriptions will be stopped at expiration.

SHORT STORIES OF TOWN AND COUNTRY

For Sale—Modern 9 room house at a bargain; easy payments. For information phone 4821.

Peter Cook and wife of Rick-reall were in town on Saturday on business.

Mrs. McKinney and son, Elmer, have moved from Portland here and are located in the Byers property on Fourth street. Mrs. McKinney is well known here having frequently visited her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Robbie.

E. Kullander has returned from Portland where he has been receiving treatment. He is much improved and expects to return to the city for a more extended rest.

The enrollment in this year's summer school at the Normal, which opened Monday, June 27, is a source of gratification to the Normal and all its friends. Already nearly 525 have registered, many more than last year when the total enrollment for the entire session was 448.

Thomson's Remnant Store, 284 North Commercial street Salem, started a gigantic closing out sale Wednesday. An exceptionally large crowd of people were ready to avail themselves of the opportunity to purchase real bargains as Mr. Thomson has marked everything down to startlingly low figures. Nothing is being held in reserve; all fixtures are included. The sale will continue until the entire stock is sold.

O. L. Foster of the Independence Realty Co. wants to see you face to face.

Is "Something Doing" in Berlin?



This photograph, snapped the other day in Berlin, shows General von Hindenburg in conference with Hugo Stinnes, Germany's richest man, and Frau Stinnes. Most of the country's largest industrial enterprises and many of its newspapers are controlled by Stinnes.

MUCH IN LITTLE

There are said to be more statues of Queen Victoria in existence than of any other person, man or woman, who ever lived.

First Reunion of the Lee Descendants

Descendants of Nicholas and Sarah Lee, Oregon pioneers of 1847, recently held their first annual reunion at the home of J. D. Lee, state representative, 4828 Thirty-second avenue southeast, Portland.

The pioneers from whom the attendants at the reunion sprang were among Oregon's first settlers and crossed the plains from Iowa in the same train with the parents of Edwin Markham, the Oregon poet.

Those present were: Orval Butler, Norman Humphreys, Ralph Odell, Anita Odell, Mrs. Aletha E. Kisaberth, John Lee Kisaberth, Elisa Odell, Charles Odell, Evaline Odell, Lois Humphreys, Florence Odell, Howard Guynn, Mrs. Eliza J. Smith, Mrs. Victoria A. Williams, J. D. Lee, Mrs. Mary Butler, Mrs. Martha Odell, Mrs. Sarah L. Bean, John I. Kisaberth, Mrs. Mabel Odell, Albert Odell, Lillian Odell, Mrs. Alda Smith, Walter Smith, Mrs. Sadie Smith, Mrs. Dean Butler, Orville Butler, Dr. Frank Butler, Mrs. Frank Butler, Mrs. Sadie Humphreys, Wiley Humphreys, Haven Smith, Vance Butler, J. Dean Butler, John Odell and Frank W. Odell.

REASON ENOUGH



"You ought to make a good osteopath."
"Why?"
"Because you have such a nice way of rubbing it in."

Phone the news to 7022.

This Is My Last Call

Prices cut lower than the already cut slash prices. Cold type never before told such a story of wanton and deliberate sacrifice.

This is the one Grand Opportunity. It may never occur again. Your common sense judgment will enable you to see the importance of the event. I demand that everything must be sold in the next few days.

FREE Money and Merchandise Thrown to the Public

You Can't Beat These Prices

Regular \$3.50 Ladies' White Canvas pumps \$1.78	Regular \$7.50 Ladies' Tan Dress Oxfords \$3.95	Regular \$1.75 Children's White Dress Canvas Shoes 98c	Regular \$3.00 One lot Men's fine DRESS SHIRTS... 89c
Regular \$6-\$10 Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes only 98c	Regular \$2.75 Children's Patent Leather Dress Pumps \$1.39	Regular \$3.50 Men's Canvas Rubber Soled Shoes \$1.98	\$20 and \$25 OVERCOATS Standard makes, mostly all sizes... \$4.98
Regular \$4.00 Ladies' White Dress Shoes \$2.39	Regular \$1.75 Children's Scufflers 98c	Regular \$3.00 & \$4.00 Men's fine Dress Shirts 29c	\$1.50 Caps... 39c \$4.00 Panamas... \$1.98 \$4.00 Felt Hats... 1.69 \$2.50 Men's Union Suits... 98c Men's heavy weight Canvas Gloves... 8c pr.

Only a few Days More

Consumers' Trading House

373 377 Court St.

SALEM, ORE.

Opposite Miller's

WE QUIT

Don't Forget the Time and the Place.

Thousands of other bargains which we do not enumerate are here at sacrificing prices.

CHANGED HIS MIND



Judge—What is your plea? Guilty or not guilty?

Prisoner—I intended to plead guilty, but after talking to my lawyer I'm convinced that I'm innocent, so I plead "Not guilty."

SPARROWS VANISHING.

Robins are once again hopping over the lawns in the suburban districts; the advance guard of the crow blackbirds, their natural and inveterate enemies, have reappeared, though not as yet in sufficient force to give battle, and those who watch these things are again pondering the question, "What has become of the English sparrows?"

Census figures are not available, but to even the most casual observers it is plain that they are fast disappearing from city and country alike, while the native birds are coming into their own again in corresponding degree.—Boston Globe.

TASK FOR A SOLOMON.

"Mr. Jibway is not in his office."
"He's serving on the jury."
"Important case?"
"Very. He and 11 other good men and true are trying to appraise a broken heart."

SWOPE & SWOPE LAWYERS

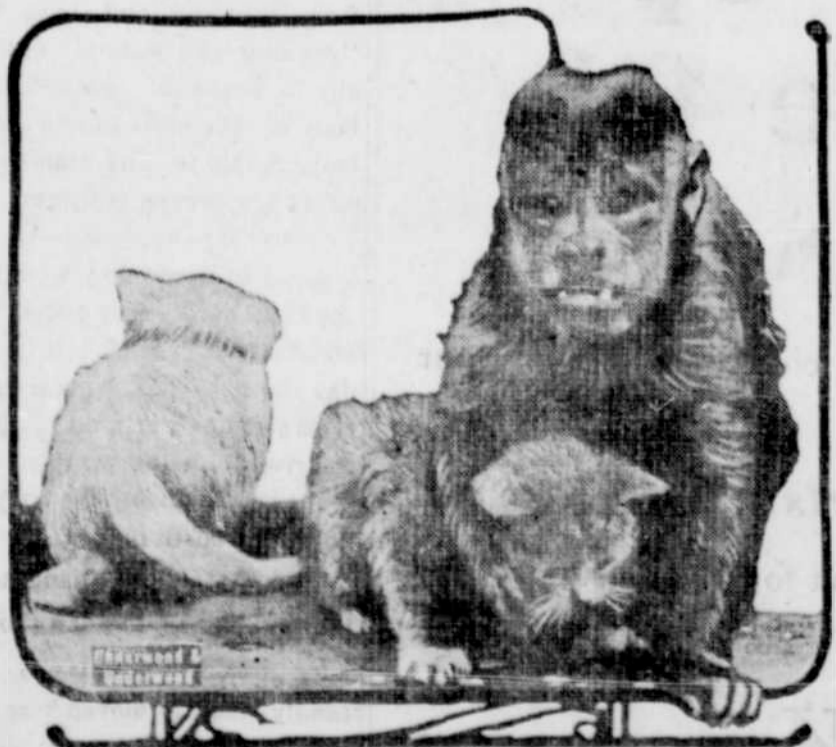
Office over Craven & Walker's Store
Independence, Oregon

Biggest of Graduating Classes



The University of California graduated the largest class in the world this year—1651. The photograph shows the procession of graduates and, at the left, Dr. David P. Barrows, president of the university.

"Janet" Adopts Kittens



"Janet," a monkey owned by Mrs. Mary F. Halpin, Astoria, I. O., "mothering" two of the four kittens which she has adopted. The mother cat left the kits in Mrs. Halpin's yard and then disappeared. "Janet" found the tiny animals crying, picked them up and brought them into the house.

TO REALIZE THE MOST MONEY

We buy everything you want to sell and sell everything you want to buy. Cash or trade.

Bring in everything you want to sell and I will sell it for you on a commission.

MAX GOLDMAN

GLASSES FITTED LENSES DUPLICATED

Dr. C. B. O'Neill

OPTOMETRIST-OPTICIAN
Bush Bank Bldg.
Salem, Oregon

New Tires

Just Received a Shipment of Tires.

Vulcanizing

Neatly and Promptly Done at Very Reasonable Prices.

M. J. O'DONNELL

Shop in building formerly occupied by Williams barber shop

Marinello Cosmetic Shop

Manicuring, Shampooing, Electrolysis, Hair Dressing, Permanent Wave, Scalp Treatment, Wrinkle Treatment, Electrolytic Massage, Bleaching and Tinting, Special Acne Treatment, Marinello Preparations and Hair Goods.

HAIR GOODS SWITCHES MADE FROM COMBS.

MRS. IRENE SCOTT

Phone 1690 SALEM 125 N. High St.