

An Invitation

We cordially invite everyone to visit our store on March 7 and 8, our Opening Day. Our collection of novelties surpass any former effort, yet popular prices prevail. We specialize in all lines of Millinery, Waists and Neckwear.

The Osborn Millinery

STRICKLAND GILLIAN COMING TO TOWN

Nation's Greatest Humorist to Deliver Lecture Here Saturday Evening March 15th—Author of "On Again, Off Again, Flinigan."

Strickland Gillian, famous humorist, author of "On Again, Off Again, Flinigan," will deliver his most famous lecture here in Ontario on Saturday evening March 15. The lecture will be given at the High School auditorium.

Mr. Gillian lecture is one of several on a Redpath Lyceum course that was contracted for Ontario this season but which was abandoned an account of the flu and other causes earlier in the season.

This is the only number that is to be given here, and it is the biggest number contracted for. Mr. Gillian is world famous. He is the type of man called upon to lecture at the biggest convention in America, and since a number of Ontarians who have heard him declare his entertainments the best they have ever heard, there is certainly an evening of fun ahead for Ontario next Saturday evening, March 15.

Mrs. John Hunt and children left Saturday evening for Oregon City where Mr. Hunt had preceded them and where they will make their home in the future.

Although he smokes
smelly
strong
cigars

"DON'T CHANGE
YOUR HUSBAND"

PAVING PROGRAM MEETS WITH GENERAL APPROVAL OF CITY

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meeting at any time the petitions for paving are prepared.

Money Saver in Long Run.

At the present time paving of the class known as single course concrete or bitulithic can be had from \$1.75 to \$2.25 and \$2.50 per square yard, depending on the cost of procuring suitable gravel. Contracts at these figures were made last fall at Rexburg, Twin Falls, Idaho Falls and other points in this section. Jerome, Idaho, has proposals out for 11 blocks of paving now at estimates of \$2.50 which include the expense of opening a quarry from which to secure crushed lava rock.

With the gravel material on hand here it is believed that a much lower figure can be secured here, and that would bring the cost of paving per lot of 25 foot width on Oregon street, which is 54 feet from curb to curb, somewhere between \$150 to \$175 per lot, depending on the material selected.

Representative P. J. Gallagher declares that according to the testimony in the rapid road controversy hearings at Salem bitulithic can be secured at \$1.75 per yard, while concrete was declared to be still cheaper.

Thus with ten years to pay for the improvement under a Bancroft bonding proposition, the cost per year for a lot would be \$20 or less, and per month only \$1.75.

To gravel one block last year the council paid several hundred dollars, and improved its condition materially, but today that block shows the need of repairs, and in that block every business man wants paving.

Last Friday afternoon the high school students were entertained a period with victor music. Classical records, as well as the late popular songs were enjoyed.

The boys and girls basket ball teams played the Nampa teams on the Nampa floor last Friday night. Our girls were defeated 35 to 15, but the boys made it an even draw by defeating the Nampa boys 26 to 24.

VOCATIONAL BOOKS NOW TO BE HAD AT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Below is a list of eighteen books on various trades and professions in which men and boys particularly will be interested. These books are a loan from the State Library and will be in the Ontario Library for three months free to the public.

"Vocational Guidance", Puffer; "The Professions", Fuller; "Practical Banking", Harris; "Banking", Scott; "Farm Management", Warren; "The Productive Poultry Husbandry", by Lewis; "Dairy Cattle and Milk Production", Eckles; "Lessons in Practical Electricity", Swope; "Management of Electrical Machinery", Cocker and Wheeler; "The Country Weekly", Bing; Newspaper Reporting and Correspondence", Hyde; "Machine Shop Primer", Colvin and Stanley; "Handbook on care and Operation of Gasoline Engines"; "A History of Commerce and Industry", Herrick; "Principals of Ocean Transportation", Johnson and Huebner; "The Young Men's Chance in South and Central America", Reiv; "The Field of Social Service", Davis; "Shop Kinks", Grinshaw.

LEGISLATURE GIVES DEVELOPMENT BOOST

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being gouged by the bond brokers out of ten per cent of every issue floated.

An efficient organization, headed by the State Chamber of Commerce is now being organized to put over the reclamation program, with particular interest centered upon the amendment above referred to.

The attempted passage of the so-called Malheur Lake Bill was a piece of high handed legislature that sought to rob the school children of the state out of sixty thousand acres of fine land and to tie up the future development of the entire Harney Valley, consisting of One Hundred and fifty thousand acres of fine farm land.

The bill was amended in the house after one of the hardest fights of the session, and when passed by that body, had all of the vicious features eliminated, but when it reached the senate that body indefinitely postponed the same after a heated debate in which Senator Hurley pointed out the detrimental motives back of the measure.

Mrs. Herschel Mc. K. Browne returned last night from an extended trip to Kansas and Missouri points where she visited relatives.

The Tuesday Bridge Club journeyed to Weiser last Tuesday to spend the day the guests of Mrs. H. C. Whitworth of the Hotel Washington.

The Wednesday bridge club met this week with Mrs. J. R. Fortier at her home on South Richardson street.

J. N. Hickey sold his ranch southwest of town this week to Twiford Bros. who came here recently from Omaha. There are three brothers in the Twiford family and they expect to bring their families here from the Nebraska metropolis in the near future.

Miss Helen Blom who has been attending school at Link's Business College in Boise, visited from Thursday until Monday with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Chas. Blom.

Twelve of her classmate friends helped Miss Mabel Breckon to celebrate her 'teenth birthday Tuesday evening at the home her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Breckon. The evening was spent in games and other similar diversions. A bountiful luncheon was served at the close of the entertainment, after which the guests departed all declaring the evening a large success.

Dreamland Attractions

ONTARIO, OREGON

Sunday and Monday, Mch. 9 and 10:
CECIL B. DEMILLE'S
"DON'T CHANGE
YOUR HUSBAND"
PATHE NEWS

Tuesday, March 11:
TOM MIX
in
"FAME AND FORTUNE"
Mutt and Jeff Cartoons—Lion Tamer

Wednesday, March 12:
MAY ALLISON
in
"MILDRED VANE"
Drew Comedy—Generosity.

Saturday, March 15:
ELIZABETH HILDON
in
Eben Philpott's Immortal Story.
"MOTHER"
The Sweetest Story Ever Told.
Katzenjamer Cartoons—Judge Rummy's Day Off.

New Values and Styles Usher in a New Month

Our Bringing Down the Cost of Living has surely brought many customers to our store.

OUR WOMEN'S APPAREL ASSORTMENT IS REPRESENTATIVE OF ALL THAT IS NEW IN STYLE.

Suits

Coats

Dresses

IN ALL THE LATEST FABRICS AND COLORS—SERGE, SILK, GABARDINE AND JERSEY—SOME WITH SASHES, OTHERS WITH FANCY COLLARS AND CUFFS—ALL STYLISH AND DRESSY—
Prices Range From \$20.00 to \$60.00

CAPE COATS AND CAPES FEATURED STRONGLY FOR THE NEW SPRING APPAREL—YOU WILL FIND ALL THE SMARTEST CREATIONS IN OUR ASSORTMENT, AS WELL AS THE LATEST MODELS IN THE NEW HIGH WAIST AND BOX STYLES. Moderately Priced From... \$15.00 to \$55.00

BEAUTIFULLY DRAPED MODELS IN GEORGETTE AND CHIFFON. OTHER LATE ARRIVALS IN TAFFETA, FOULARD, SATIN AND SERGE. A HOST OF NEW TRIMMING IDEAS ARE IN EVIDENCE. ALL THE NEW SPRING COLORS.
A Great Assortment From... \$15.00 to \$45.00

And Speaking of
SILKS
our selections of the new silks for Spring are here and unusually large for so early in the season.
FOULARDS—TAFETAS—SATINS
Come in and see them.

BLOUSES
The advance models, new in style and design, together with our reasonable pricing make this a most interesting feature. Uncommonly good Georgette in all the styles and possessing all the distinctive points of the best blouses.

New Spring Millinery
You will enjoy even looking at these new hats—the fashionable small Turbans of straw and of silk and straw have a prominent place—but we have not overlooked the medium and large styles. Reasonably priced from \$2.00 to \$10.00.

Somewhere in France
there was a trench superstition to put on the left shoe first for good luck. Now in Peace time the proper thing is to put on the RIGHT shoe first—That means to visit our Shoe Department.

Royer Bros. & Co.,

DEPARTMENT STORE ONTARIO, OREGON

After the Spring House Cleaning, You Want Some

Nice New Furniture

Next to a woman's Spring hat, there is nothing that will please her more than some new furniture for the home. You can make your house clean and complete by adding here and there a new piece of furniture. It freshens the home. It makes the work easier. To make selections easy let us show you

A Whole Carload of New Pieces Just Received

In this big shipment of "Square Brand" Furniture, the kind that means what the name implies, there are many patterns, styles and values in

- DINING TABLES
- DINING CHAIRS
- DRESSING TABLES
- TABOURETTES
- DAVENPORTS
- ROCKERS
- ARM CHAIRS
- LIBRARY TABLES
- KITCHEN CABINETS

Every piece is worth the price, and the price is lower than usual because of the fact that we have bought in carload lots, saved freight and secured better bargains for buying in quantity.

Now that the house is clean, a new piece of Linoleum or a new Rug will just finish the job. Select what you want from our large stock, plenty of variety in patterns and prices.

McDowell's Exchange Store

ONTARIO, OREGON

March Special

DURING THIS MONTH YOU CAN BUY
ONE OF THOSE PORTABLE ELEC-
TRIC SEWING MACHINES AT—

A SAVING OF
\$4.15

Idaho Power Company
ONTARIO, OREGON