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## SKATING and SCHOOL

# Shoes

A SHIPMENT OF NEW ONES JUST IN

Lancefield's Cash Shoe Store

### Squeaky Shoes.

"While conducting a research for information on the origin of certain fashions of the past," writes Zim in the *Caravan Magazine*, "I discovered the reason for the existence of the squeak in shoes. The squeak was once deemed honorable, and men of great importance in the affairs of the country demanded it in their footwear, and cobblers were paid 2 shillings extra for putting it in. The squeak had denoted the approach of some one of importance, and the way was made clear at once in the same manner as a bicyclist's shrill whistle warns you to look to your interests. During the squeaky period men found it difficult to sneak into the house after 12 p. m. without being discovered and disgraced. Removing the shoes before entering the house is an invention which followed the squeaky shoe era, and, while the former is now almost absolute, the latter is still in vogue and as popular as ever with many of us."

Sudan grass yields from one to eight tons of cured hay in acre.

A small but useful electric railway runs within a Davis sewer.

Nothing can help a man to do a thing which he thinks he cannot do it. Most of the artists made in India are woven by boys, who are told by men and boys that how many knots of each color to tie to the warp, a single row at a time.

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### "To Give Him the Sack."

Two noblemen in the reign of Maximilian II.—1564-1567—one a German, the other a Spaniard, who had each rendered a great service to the emperor, desired the hand of his daughter in marriage. Maximilian said that as he esteemed them both alike it was impossible to choose between them and therefore their own prowess must decide it; but, being unwilling to risk the loss of either by engaging them in deadly combat, he ordered a large sack to be brought and declared that he who should put his rival into it should have his fair Helen. And this whimsical combat was actually performed in the presence of the imperial court and lasted an hour. The unhappy Spanish nobleman was first overcome, and the German succeeded in enveloping him in the sack, putting him upon his back and laying him at the emperor's feet. This comical combat is said to be the origin of the phrase "Give him the sack," so common in the literature of courtiers.

Young Wife—Tomorrow will be my twenty-fifth birthday, Hubby—Why a year ago, just before our wedding, you told me you were twenty. Young Wife—Yes, but we women age rapidly after marriage.

The wireless station at Colon at noon each day sends out broad cast forecasts of the weather in the Caribbean, south Atlantic and gulf regions to aid shipping.

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## News From All Over The City

### Possibly About You or Your Friends

R. Phillips of Happy Hollow was in Stayton Tuesday.

Volney Gates was down from Lyons Monday on business.

G. C. Eksman was a week-end visitor in Salem and Turner.

Mrs. C. Brewer and Mrs. G. L. Brown motored to Salem today.

H. Montgomery of Linn county, was a Stayton visitor Thursday last.

Miss Theresa Hottinger of Sublimity, was a Stayton visitor Monday.

Ed Thayer and wife of Lyons, traded with Stayton merchants Friday.

C. H. Rossiter was transacting business with our merchants yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Cain is home from a two week's visit with friends at Aurora.

Mr. Vick of Vick Bros. Garage, of Salem, was a Stayton visitor Saturday.

It will pay you to see Dr. A. C. Eaton if you need glasses. Phone 345.

Ed Siegmund of Fern Ridge, was transacting business in Stayton Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Beal and son of West Stayton, were Stayton traders Saturday.

W. R. Surry of Fox Valley, was a business visitor here the latter part of the week.

S. L. Stewart of Lebanon visited Thursday and Friday at the J. W. Mayo home here.

Miss Rolla Wade was called to Scio Tuesday morning by the death of her grandmother.

Miss Margaret Fehlen who is working near Turner is spending this week at her home here.

Mrs. Geo. Caspell and daughter and son, of Victor Point, visited at the A. Caspell home Monday.

Ed Rund sold his ford to A. T. Brewer the Stayton Dairyman, who will use it to deliver milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Siegmund and baby of Fern Ridge, were Stayton visitors one day last week.

Jas. Thomas, wife and baby of near Salem, visited relatives and friends here the first of the week.

Byron Robertson and wife of Linn County, spent the week end with friends and relatives here.

Miss Nellie Stowell returned to her work in Salem Sunday after spending the week at her home here.

Dr. Brewer reports a 10 pound boy born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Handle at Sublimity Tuesday, Jan. 16.

The J. E. Sloper home was the scene of a family reunion Sunday, Jan. 14. There were about thirty present.

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Oat Flakes Albers Premium	30c
Oat Liberty	25c
Wheat Flakes, Albers	25c
Liberty Flakes	25c
Cream of Wheat, 2 lb. package	20c
Rice, Best Head, 3 1/2 lbs.	25c
Milk, Carnation, 12 cans	\$1.15
Coffee, Gua-Sal Steel Cut, 2 lb	45c
Coffee, 99, 2 lbs.	45c
Coffee, Good Bulk, pound	15c
Coffee, Peaberry Bulk, pound	30c
Tea, English Breakfast, pound	50c
Tea, Gunpowder Pin Head	50c
Tea, Gunpowder	40c
Tea, Spider Leg	50c
Corn, can	10c
Peas, can	10c
Beans, String, can	10c
Beans, Baked, can	10c
Tomatoes, can	10c
Hominy, best, 2 cans	25c
Kraut, best, 2 cans	25c
Soap, White Wonder, 6 bars	25c
Soap, Bob White, 6 bars	25c
Soap, White Flyer, 6 bars	25c
Soap, Fells Naptha, 5 bars	25c
Soap, A. B. Naptha, 5 bars	25c
Washing Powder, Mt. Hood, package	20c
Washing Powder, Golden Rod Naptha	20c
Swift's Clenzer, package	05c
Light House Clenzer, package	05c

THESE ARE ONLY A FEW OF OUR REGULAR PRICES. COME AND GET OTHER PRICES

YOUNG'S CASH GROCERY, STAYTON.

### C. C. CHAPMAN GIVES VIEWS ON PICKETING

Salem, Oregon, January 16, 1917

To the Editor:  
Supposedly free American workmen, on their way to shops where they are employed upon terms and conditions which are satisfactory to them, are beset and intimidated by crowds of pickpockets representing organizations which have called strikes. These crowds gather around the entrances to the shops, and although they perpetrate little violence while police are in sight, they terrorize the workmen by menacing gestures and degrading imprecations. This is the situation today at the steel shipbuilding plants.  
A slight amendment to Oregon's picketing law would prevent such terrorizing and threatening demonstrations on the public streets adjacent to plants where strikes have been declared; it would also prevent pickets from gathering in front of a store or restaurant in crowds, with banners, by doing everything to ruin the shop-keeper's business by intimidating his patrons and proclaiming boycott.  
Every community in Oregon is interested in legislation that will help preserve order in the metropolis so that its developing industries may be safeguarded. The success of ship-building is jeopardized, although it means much to every part of the state whose products are marketed; a fruit canner has been driven out of Portland as a direct result of long-continued, noisy and disorderly picketing in front of its former plant in the heart of the city.  
It is to be hoped that every member of the legislature will support such legislation as is necessary to protect workmen and working women from intimidation because they work, and Oregon industries from destruction because they cannot be run profitably under union domination.  
C. C. Chapman.

Clouds are nothing but fogs of varying density at various heights from the ground, and their character and shapes are caused solely by the air currents on high.

Goldsmith had to sell his "Vicar of Wakefield," that masterpiece of English fiction, for a comparatively small sum in order to pay his rent. Want often pinched him to the core.

McTavish's Compromise.  
A canny Scot owned a wonderful badger it was reported no dog could tackle. However, a friend of his had a dog he proposed to back against the badger, and a match was in due course made for £100, to come off in two months' time.  
As the time drew near there were rumors that all was not right with the dog, and the Scot's friends were making sure of victory for him.  
Imagine their surprise and disgust when they heard that McTavish had accepted £50 as a compromise in lieu of the £100.  
"You've been done, Mac," said one of them. "The dog is so mangy and unfit he could not kill a rat."  
"Ah," said McTavish, "I dare say, I dare say, but my badger is dead."—London Globe.

**Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury**  
as mercury will surely destroy the eye of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good they can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by P. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains mercury, and is taken internally, acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is sold in 50c and 1.00 packages. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### School Notes

The boys cut wood again last Saturday and in one more day they will be able to finish the work that has been planned. Teams have already been promised, which will be used to deliver the wood.

Misses Esther Brown and Margaret Fehlen visited at the high school Tuesday afternoon.

Next week marks the end of the first semester. Finals will be given on Thursday and Friday in all the subjects. The Book reports for the semester end were all to be handed in this week.

Miss Bassett went to Portland last week-end to consult Dr. Bruere concerning her eyes. She will go again this week-end.

The first class year in Short hand will take up Lorimer's "Letters from a self-made merchant to his son," this next semester. The 2nd year class are at present transcribing Poe's "Rue Morgue".

Much practicing is being done on the Operetta "Polished Pebbles", which will be given at the high school auditorium, Friday, Jan. 19.

Both the 3rd and 4th grade have finished their Wheeler readers and after a short review will take up the Elson reader.

John Glover has left school to go to Eastern Oregon. The 5th grade is very sorry to lose John from their class.

Norwood Eskew and Gilbert Hamman are absent from the 6th grade on account of illness.

In their picture study work Monday afternoon, the 3rd grade studied "Shepherdess Knitting" by Millet.

Charles Flynn is back in school after a week's illness.