

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE THEM

BIG TREMENDOUS REALIZATION SALE

Of Clothing, Pants, Men's Furnishing Goods Hats, Caps, Shoes, Etc.

A three weeks' Feast of Bargain-Giving, Profits and cost of goods not considered, it's money we are after. To miss this opportunity will be your loss.

Having rented the big store room in the Odd Fellows building, Main street, Oregon City, we are going to convert same into a modern Up-to-Date Department Store, to be opened about August 15th, and in order to get acquainted with the people of Oregon City and vicinity we are going to offer them the best looking, best made and best wearing stock of men's wear goods at prices never before heard of. Money talks but what you get for your money talks more yet. This sale will start

Saturday Morning, June 6th, and Positively Close Saturday Evening, June 27th

Every dollars worth of merchandise must be sold out during these 3 weeks Bargain Carnival nothing will be reserved, everything must go, as we will have no place to store any goods after June 27th.

Our building will then be turned over to the carpenters, painters and electricians to get it ready for our grand opening about August 15th, and in the meantime our buyers will go East to purchase the stock for our permanent department store. In connection therewith we offer a Cash Prize of \$20 for a suitable and popular name to be adopted by us for new store. Everybody has a chance in this—so get your thinking caps on and send in your name to our manager.

The Realization Sale, M. Hammerslough, Manager.

Wait! And you will hear something drop on Saturday, June 6

It will be our prices and here are a few of them:

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| Men's all wool pants, worth \$3.00 for..... | \$1.45 | Men's Genuine Felt Hats for 49c, worth \$1.50. All the newest shapes and colors in men's hats, from the celebrated manufacturers, Sweet, Dempster & Co., Chicago, for | |
| Men's all wool pants, worth \$3.50 for..... | \$1.65 | 69c, 89c, 99c and up to \$1.89 | |
| Men's all wool pants, worth \$4.00 for..... | \$1.90 | Men's all silk neckwear, the season's fashionable styles, worth up to 75c..... | 15c |
| Men's all worsted pants, custom made, worth \$5.00..... | \$2.45 | Men's Shoes..... | \$1.25, worth \$2.50 |
| Our best imported pants, worth \$6 and \$7, for..... | \$2.90 | Men's Shoes..... | \$1.65, worth \$3.00 |
| | | Men's Shoes..... | \$2.15, worth \$4.00 and \$5.00 |
| | | Men's Suspenders..... | 9c, worth 25c |

And in fact every article in our stock at slaughter Prices. Just come and be convinced. We invite comparison and you'll not be urged to buy. Our guarantee goes with every article sold and we'll refund money as cheerfully as we take it, if goods are not satisfactory. Remember we are going to do business with you for the rest of our lives, so what we do during our Realization Sale must be honorable as it will be the foundation of our future success.

Remember the Opening, Saturday, June 6th, and come early while you get your best picking, as

SALE POSTIVELY CLOSES Saturday, June 27th

The REALIZATION SALE

Odd Fellows Building, Main St., Oregon City, Ore.

MISS CLARK IS SUPERINTENDENT

More Vacancies Are Filled in Corps of Oregon City Teachers.

At a meeting of the school board Wednesday evening, Miss Addie E. Clark, of this city, was elected superintendent of the schools of the city. Mrs. Viola Godfrey was elected as assistant superintendent. Mrs. Glass tendered her resignation, which was accepted. Because of the increased attendance in the schools, the employment of another teacher was made necessary. Miss Clara Boring, of Damascus, and Miss Helen Gleason, of this city, were elected to fill these vacancies. Miss Margaret Williams, who has taught for a number of years at Parkside, was elected to succeed Miss Nefzger, who resigned her position to attend Stanford University. The election of a successor to Miss R. T. Smith, principal of the Eastham school, who resigned to take up other work, was postponed to a future meeting of the board, when janitors will also be named.

Miss Clark, the newly elected superintendent of schools, has been employed as instructor in the Oregon City schools for a number of years and for the last two years has served as principal of the Barclay school. The board granted a slight increase in the salaries of a majority of the teachers. Miss Clark, as superintendent, will teach the tenth grade, which, under the revision that has been made of the course of study, includes the eleventh grade, which has otherwise been abolished. In this consolidating the two grades, the board has obviated the necessity of building additions to the different buildings that the constantly increasing attendance in the schools demanded. In addition to this, the board, by slightly revising the schedule of salaries that has heretofore been paid the teachers of the district, has accomplished a saving in the salary expense of about \$40 per month.

John Bittner and C. C. Babcock, Sr., and Elmer Dixon, were nominated as judges and clerk of the annual school election to be held June 15, when a director is to be elected to succeed C. H. Canfield, the retiring chairman of the board. Because of his faithful services in the interests of the schools of the city, it is very probable that Mr. Canfield will be elected without opposition to succeed himself.

RESTAURANTS VERSUS CHURCHES

Local Hostilities Object to Temporary Opposition.

The proprietors of restaurants and hotels of this city became angry during the time that the State Grange was held in this city last month. Wednesday night they appeared before the city council with a petition requesting the enactment of an ordinance licensing all restaurants and eating houses and providing penalties for the violation of the same. The proposed ordinance was read and referred to the finance committee.

This action on the part of this class of business people was precipitated by a local church congregation which conducted a restaurant in a down-town store building while the sessions of the State Grange were being held and thus deprived the restaurants of a large part of the patronage of the visitors to the city. The ordinance requires the payment of a license of \$10 for conducting such eating places but exempts all restaurants that are now being regularly conducted, from the operation of the measure.

TO ESTABLISH A FIRE DISTRICT

City Council Is Considering an Ordinance—Water Commissioner Elected.

At the regular meeting of the council Wednesday evening, an ordinance was presented for the creation of a fire district in this city. The ordinance was taken under advisement. The boundaries of the district that it is proposed to create include blocks 1-9 and 21-29, both inclusive. This represents all of the district of the city that fronts on Main street extending from the Mills to the First Congregational church. In this district the erection of buildings of combustible materials is prohibited, save that the provisions of the ordinance do not apply to dwelling houses that are to be occupied by a single family. There is some opposition to the creating of a fire district in this city and the probable fate of the ordinance now before the city council is hard to predict.

J. E. Hedges was elected water commissioner to succeed E. L. Charman for the ensuing year. The vote was: Hedges 5, Charman 3. Notice was received by the council from the water commission to the effect that concrete walls will be erected about the city's pumping station in order that danger from fire may be minimized.

A number of bills were ordered paid, including that for the printing of a brief for the city in a sheet other than the official paper of the city. The amount of the claim was \$57.80, which represented the balance due.

An ordinance was presented for the building of sidewalks on unimproved streets of the city. The bill providing for the improvement of Jackson street passed.

PROCEED WITH SOUTH END ROAD

Council Votes That Appropriation of \$1000 Be Made Available at Once.

By a vote of 4 to 3 the city council at its meeting Wednesday night placed in the hands of the committee on streets and public property the appropriation of \$1000 heretofore made by the city, together with the \$1500 private subscription, that has been provided for the building of the South End road, with instructions to proceed with the work with the least possible delay. The city council committee on streets and public property being directly opposed to the building of the road, it is not known what will be the fate of the proposed improvement. This action was taken after but little discussion.

Loss.
Samuel Bernhard died February 27, 1903, and before death he lost or deposited with some friend certificate of deposit, Bank of Oregon City, No. 23,485, for \$300; certificate of deposit, First National Bank, Portland, Oregon, No. 184,585, for \$250. The holder will please advise U'Ren & Schuebel, Oregon City, Oregon, May 8, 1903.

A Pupil of "Joachim," the Violin King, Coming to Portland.

William Wallace Graham, son of the late John Wallace Graham, of this county, has just returned to his home at Graham's Ferry, after a six and a half years' stay in Berlin, Germany, where he has been studying the violin under the greatest living master, Prof. Dr. Joseph Joachim, director of the Royal high school of music.

The fact that Mr. Graham has gained entrance to and received instructions in this most exclusive music school in the world is a high honor for his talent as a musician. Of the few who gain admittance to this school there are but a small proportion who attain the much coveted honor of receiving lessons from its great director. This fact alone brings Mr. Graham to us with the very best of recommendations.

The Royal Conservatory and its pupils are under the protection of His Imperial Majesty Kaiser Wilhelm II, from whose private purse the school is maintained, the only requirement made to gain entrance being talent. But this one test is so severe that scarcely five per cent of those who come from all parts of the world to try the half-yearly examination for admittance gain the much prized goal.

Mr. Graham is the proud possessor of two very fine old Italian violins, one being a Guarnerius (Joseph Del. Jesu 1732), and the other a Giuseppe Grancino 1687. We understand that Mr. Graham intends to locate in Portland, doing nothing but solo work and teaching, for which he should find a wide field as he is the first Joachim pupil who ever came to the Northwest to locate.

Mr. Graham intends giving to his many friends and lovers of music a concert at the Marquam in Portland in the very near future.

A Case of Interpretation.

"What shall we do with the prisoner?" demanded the spokesman of the mob. "Do thou, O royal chamberlain, haste to the presence of his majesty and learn his wish."

The royal chamberlain hurried to the presence and bowed himself thrice to the floor; then he asked the monarch's pleasure regarding the desperate outlaw.

"Away with him!" said the king in a loud, harsh voice.

But the chamberlain was something of a humorist, and when he returned to the mob he laughingly announced that in regard to the misdoings with the prisoner the king had said only that it was "a way with him."

Whereupon the mob reluctantly released their quarry.

But in trying to explain the joke to the obtuse king the royal chamberlain became confused and completely lost his head.—Baltimore American.

Color of Judas' Hair.

In very early times all pictures of Judas were shown with great shocks of red hair falling down well on the shoulders. This and the fact that the Judas in the "Miracle Plays" was provided with a red hirsute worked the superstitious people of the middle ages up to such a degree that it was actually unsafe for a red haired person to appear in company. Seeing that things were coming to a serious pass, writers of all classes began to rebuke and denounce "the senseless prejudice against those of lively colored hair." Cyrano de Bergerac in his "States and Empires of the Sun" boldly praised and glorified the despised color in the following words: "A brave head covered with red hair is nothing else but the sun in the midst of his rays, yet many speak ill of it because few have the honor to be so."

Some Examples of "Nerve."

In a recent big libel case the foreman of the jury received a letter from a publican, apparently otherwise sane, asking him to insure that the jury should find for the defendant because he had a heavy bet on the result, and this astonishing epistle was read in court. It is interesting to note that the writer lost his bet anyhow. Equally blind was the request once made to Mr. Balfour during his premiership to have dismissed from the commission of the peace a justice who had very properly sentenced the author of the request, a notorious ruffian, to a stiff term of imprisonment for sending begging letters.—London Answers.

Cautious.

A lawyer happened to be acquainted with a juror in a petty civil case, and he met him during a recess of the court. The lawyer was just "lighting up," and under ordinary circumstances he would have offered the other a cigar unhesitatingly, but it occurred to him that it might not look right.

"I suppose," he said guardedly, "that a cigar would not influence your verdict?"

The juror was equally cautious. "A good one wouldn't," he replied, "but a poor one might prejudice me." He got a good cigar.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Poor Mamma.

The Dear Child—Oh, Mrs. Bloom, when did you get back?

Mrs. Bloom—Bless you, dear, I was not away anywhere. What made you think so?

The Dear Child—I thought you were. I heard my mamma say that you were at loggerheads with your husband for over a week.

Absolutely Past Hope.

"She is the most inconsistent woman I ever knew."

"Never does what she ought to or what you expect, eh?"

"That is just it. Sometimes she does. She is inconsistently inconsistent."

Beware of the man who offers you advice at the expense of a mutual friend.

None are less eager to learn than they who know nothing.—Suard.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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| G W Foren to H Foren, 36 acres in sections 16 & 17, 14 & 12 e. | \$2500 |
| W B Jennings to K J Miller, 5.35 A in Jennings Claim, 1 & 2 e. | 1 |
| E A Laxburgh to W Coast Timber Co, lots 1 & 2 & a 1/2 of ne 1/4 sec 2 & 3 r 3 e. | 1 |
| Sellon & L & C to H C Cone, lots 1 & 2, Tract 47 | 150 |
| O A Genglebach to E Mathias, 1 A in sec 9, 12 & 2 e. | 2500 |
| H A Kingsbury to H Gleason, ne of 10 & se of sec 2 & 12 & r 6 e. | 20000 |
| J C Anderson to R H Schnebel, prt of sec 9 & 14 r 2 e. | 10 |
| C Gohl-tine to S M Anderson, 21 A in sec 25, 12 & 2 e. | 750 |
| State of Oregon to J Clausen, prt of Pequoton Claim and of sec 20 and 20, 13 & 1 e. | 3225 |
| J Huber to K Huber, ne of ne & nw of ne & se of sw of sec 2 & 3 & r 2 e. | 1000 |
| O A Knutson to J L Knutson, 40 A in sec 18, 13 & 1 e, & sec 13 in 13 & 1 w. | 1200 |
| B Jack to A F Jack, 8.88 acres in Allen Claim, 1 & 6 r 1 e. | 200 |
| H Straight by shift to M E McCarter, Blk 71, Oregon City. | 507 |
| S F Bridges to A W Pick, ne of sec 20, 1 & 4 e. | 1 |
| A W Pick to S F Bridges, same land. | 870 |
| A W Pick to C O Pick, same land. | 350 |
| A W Pick to W Pick, nw of sw of sec 20, 1 & 4 e. | 15 |
| J Strite to G Polstowski, lot 1, sec 3, 1 & 4 r 4 e. | 500 |
| J T Strite to W Jagmin, w 1/2 of nw of sec 3, 1 & 4 r 4 e. | 800 |
| W G McCraig to G Schmidt, w 1/2 of sec 12, 1 & 4 r 2 e. | 2400 |
| J M Heckart to D Hart, lot 1 blk 17 Park Addition. | 100 |
| M J Jones to F A Jones, 2 1/2 acres in Fisher Claim, 12 & 2 e. | 300 |
| A White to P Petzold, 25 acres in Nance Claim, 13 & 2 e. | 2000 |
| M H Dingman to Hedges & Griffith, lots 5, 6, 7 & 8, blk 30, Canemary. | 10 |
| A Bolander to C Bolander, 40 acres in sec 26, 13 & 2 e. | 1 |

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CLACKAMAS SCHOOL EXHIBIT.

Pupils of County Bring Work and Compete for Prizes.

The schools of Clackamas county are holding an exhibit of their work at the armory in this city. There is a very general display from the various districts of the county. Useful articles have been subscribed by the merchants of the city as rewards for superior work in the different grades. The exhibit will be held at the armory for the remainder of the week.

County Superintendent Zinser has announced the following committee to judge the exhibits: Mrs. Mary S. Barlow, Barlow; Mrs. Sarah Eyma, Oswego; Mrs. Emma Galloway, Parkplace; Mrs. S. J. Vaughan, Oregon City; and ex-Superintendent H. G. Starkweather, Milwaukie. The committee will make the award of prizes Saturday morning.

The public is very cordially invited to call and inspect the work of the pupils.



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