

# E. W. Mellien & Co.

OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE

## The Store of Unequaled Values



**Price \$15.00**

This is the style of our Solid Oak Dresser priced at \$15.00. With smaller mirror \$13.50. They are elegantly finished in golden oak, show perfect workmanship through out, and they are the Best Values in the Dresser Line to be found here or in Portland.

### Couches



**Price \$5.00**

\$7.50, \$9, \$11.50, \$12.

### ENAMEL WARE

Pie Plates, 10c value, our price 7 1/2c  
Pudding pans, 15c value, our price 10c  
10-qt. Preserve Kettles, 65c value  
Our price .35c  
8-qt. Tea Kettles, 70c val., our price 45c  
17-qt. Dish Pans, 60c value, our price 45c  
6-qt. Coffee Boilers, 75c value  
Our price .40c  
7-qt. Coffee Boilers, 90c value  
Our price .50c

Our Enamel Ware, bought direct from the factory, is priced far below any you ever bought. These goods hold while we are disposing of a large surplus stock.

### Pianos & Organs



We sell Kimball, Weber, Chickering and many other makes of pianos. A good selection to show you; close prices and Easy Payments.

The grass is always green and tempting just over the fence. It proves a disappointment, however, when reached. This experience of the beast of the field is very similar to yours who pursue the "firefly" of catalog houses and big department stores. We buy from the factory most of our goods, we get the same freight rate as the biggest dealer in Portland--Considering his immense expense of doing business, how can he meet our price on any certain article. The only possible way is to sell you another article for two prices. If you will study this question in a practical way both you and your local dealer will profit therefrom.



### Carpets--Matting--Rugs

We sell servicable matting at 18c per yard. You will usually be asked more in roll lots. We have better grades if you want them--prices always lowest possible.

All Wool Rugs, 9x12; \$7.50. The same values that you have bought at \$10.00 or \$10.50. Elegant axminster rugs 28x54 inches \$1.90. Good sells rugs a few inches smaller \$1.50. Don't Doubt; Examine the Goods.

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### Free Needle Assortment

Clip this out and mail to us with your name and address.

Name .....

Address .....

You will be placed on our list and will receive absolutely free an assortment of needles, 40 of them altogether--various kinds, big and little.

### Singer Sewing Machines

A little down and a little every month. Buy from a store--you have some one to look to in case of some complaint.

### Famous Semi Malleable

Ranges are taking the county by storm. Don't buy any other until you have examined them.

Price and Quality Always Right--Satisfaction Guaranteed--Come and See Us.



**Price \$2.50**

Our assortment of heaters is very large and well selected. We have taken pains to select heaters made by manufacturers who have an established name for a product of first quality.

We can not sell a high grade heater as cheap as some inferior ones sell, but if you examine them you will consider it economy to pay a dollar or two more for the one that will last twice as long.



Enamelled, 45c



Nickel Plated, \$1.40



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## CANBY AND SOUTHERN CLACKAMAS

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W. H. Lucke has returned from Southern Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Shank, of Chico, Cal., and William Bissell, of Oregon City, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bissell Sunday.

Andrew Knight, of St. Johns, spent Sunday in this city with his family.

Frank Kendall has returned to Portland, after a brief visit with his brothers, Warren and William Kendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Rineason were in Canby the first of the week, looking over the country with the view of purchasing land. Mr. and Mrs. Rineason are from the East, and are very much impressed with Oregon, especially Clackamas County.

Glen Hurst, of Aurora, was in this city on Sunday.

Mrs. Grant White, who has been visiting with friends in Salem, returned home Friday.

J. D. Hutchinson made a flying trip to Hubbard on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ella Starbird, of Oakland, Cal., who formerly resided in Canby passed through here Tuesday morning. Mrs. Starbird was on her way to Kelso, Wash., where she was called by the serious illness of her father, W. A. Stone, who is well known here. Mr. Stone resided here some time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant White and George Scher spent Sunday at Oswego with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes. They were accompanied by Clarence Hayes, who has been visiting here for the past week. Mr. Hayes is contemplating returning to Canby to spend the winter.

Mrs. C. C. Hutchinson went to Portland on Friday to purchase new goods for her millinery establishment.

Mrs. R. H. White, after spending the past three months with her daughter, Mrs. Stoddard, in South Dakota, returned home Sunday. Mrs. White visited her brother in Colorado before returning. He health has been benefited by her trip and she is enjoying the best of health.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Springer, who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Wait, of this city, have returned to their home. Mr. Springer, who is an uncle of Mr. Wait, is commissioner of Linn County.

Ed Stull and family, of Carus, have moved to Linton, where Mr. Stull has accepted a position as foreman of the United Railway Company.

John Simmons, of Alpena, Michigan, was among the Canby visitors on Monday.

Mrs. H. Jasperson, who has been visiting relatives here, has called

to her home at Kelso, Wash., where her father is dangerously ill.

Albert Lee went to Lebanon on business last week and while in that city visited his son, George Lee, who recently moved from Eastern Oregon.

Robert Woicha, of Portland, spent Sunday in Canby, the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. N. Wait.

E. M. Hosford was an Oregon City visitor on Monday.

E. E. Mott, a prominent farmer of Canby, was in Oregon City transacting business.

Andrew Kocher went to Beaver Creek on business on Tuesday.

Will Gilmore, of Lyle, Wash., is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore. Mr. Gilmore was accompanied here by his sister, Miss Annie, who has been spending the past week at Lyle.

C. H. Frear, representing the Corvallis Creamery Company, arrived in Canby Monday morning, and will remain here for several weeks in the interest of the company.

Miss Schaubel, sister of Mrs. J. Leiser, who has been visiting the latter for the past week returned to her home at Shubel.

Cyrus Mitts and daughter, who have been visiting for the past year with the former's brothers, Jim and Jean Mitts, have left for their home in Iowa. They were accompanied by Miss Rosie Mitts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mitts, who will spend some time in Iowa.

Mrs. J. Eckerson and daughter, Alma visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Knight Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane, of Needy, were in Canby on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wingfield made a business trip to Canby Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Lindzey returned to Canby Saturday evening, after a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. L. Folkes, of Salem.

Mrs. George B. Weaver and daughter, Miss Lulu, who have been the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. Charles Crovey, left Monday for Spokane, Wash., where they will spend five weeks with Mrs. Weaver's son.

Miss Elizabeth Oleson visited friends in Portland Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Brewer and Mrs. W. R. Porter have returned from Hood River, and speak of having a very successful meeting. Those wishing to hear the report of the W.C.T.U. session should attend the next meeting of the organization.

Arthur Knight left for Roseburg Saturday evening, returning home Monday. While in Roseburg he visited relatives and friends.

E. H. Carlton, of Portland, was in Canby on business Tuesday.

Miss Hattie Hutchinson returned home Monday evening, after a two days' visit with friends in Oregon City.

Miss Roslyn Robbins left for Portland on Tuesday afternoon for a few days' visit with friends.

John Stalnaker, who has been in charge of the Hurst Commission House in this city for several years, has resigned his position to take one in a prune packing establishment at

ment for manufacturers to settle here. City Hotel sold.

The city hotel, which has been conducted by Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Rider, has been sold to E. H. Hutchinson, who has taken charge this week. Mr. and Mrs. Rider have moved to the former's father's ranch about a half mile from town.

Services at Methodist Church. Services will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. Creevy, in the morning, who is to hold services at Carus, there will be no services here on Sunday morning. The Sunday School and Loyal Temperance Legion will be held at the regular time. All are invited to these services.

Gun Club Holds Meeting. The Canby Gun Club met at its grounds on the Walt tract Sunday morning, the first meeting to be held this season. Several good marksmen were present. Secretary Claud Barty reported that there was \$48 in the treasury. It was decided to hold a meeting in the near future to elect officers and also to either lease or purchase a tract of land near Canby, where a club house will be erected to hold the meetings. New traps will also be purchased. The date of the meeting was not determined. It is probable that there will be a shooting tournament before the holidays. The one given by the club last year proved a very successful affair, and many of the Portland marksmen took an active part. The tournament will be decided upon at the next meeting of the club.

Among those who took part in the shoot on last Sunday were the following: L. V. Carothers, who broke 18 out of 25; George Meeks, 17 out of 25; Otto Krueger, 14 out of 25; William Sandoz, 9 out of 25.

Meat Markets Consolidate. Lawrence A. Bair, who has been in the meat business in this city for several years, has disposed of his market to W. H. Lucke and Frank Allen. These two men purchased all stock and fixtures, and have moved same to the Alley market on C street. The firm now will be Lucke & Allen. Mr. Bair will probably go into the commission business with his brother, W. H. Bair. Mr. Allen will be in charge of the meat market.

Canby High School Opens. Canby High School term opened on Monday morning, October 4, with a good attendance, and with the following instructors: City Superintendent, Prof. J. P. Mitts; assistant superintendent, Prof. J. P. Gill; primary grade, Miss Florence Stoddard, of Woodburn. The intermediate grade is at present in charge of Mrs. Veva Bradt, who has consented to teach until the arrival of Miss Blanche Jobe, of Pittsburg, Pa. Miss Jobe was elected to teach this grade and has accepted. She will probably arrive this week and take up her duties at once.

The enrollment this year is larger than that of last year, as many of the children in the outlying districts have come to Canby to take up the high school work. On the morning of the opening of the full term the enrollment of each room is as follows: High school grades, 10; grammar, 50;

intermediate, 44; primary, 30; total, 114. During the past week many more children have been added to the roll, and now numbers: High school grade, 14; grammar, 38; intermediate, 51; primary, 32.

The coming fall term promises to be a very successful one, as all of the teachers are experienced. Prof. Mitts and Miss Stoddard taught last year and proved efficient teachers. Prof. Gill comes to Canby with high recommendations as also does Miss Jobe.

During the summer months the building has undergone extensive repairs. The room, which is now being used for the high school grade, has been furnished with new desks. A new heating apparatus has been installed, which will add to the comfort of the school rooms the coming winter.

The work of installing the machinery for the creamery in the Bermoser building on lower Main street, is progressing at a rapid rate under the supervision of Frank Allingham, of Corvallis, representative of the Corvallis Creamery Company. The interior of the building is being renovated by having a new cement flooring in the rear room, and repainted. The room at the rear will be used as the manufacturing room. The cream ripener, of the Jensen make, having a capacity of 40 gallons of cream, Simplex churn, with a capacity of 6000 pounds of butter a day, and a pasteurizer, are already in place. These machines will be operated by electricity, while the cream tester in the room fronting Main street will be operated by steam, a large boiler having just been installed for this purpose and for the heating of water.

He afterwards came to Clackamas county and took up a homestead. In 1875 he was united in marriage to Margaret Mahoney, of Carus. For the past seven years they have made their home in Canby, where they have made a wide circle of friends.

Mr. Rauch leaves besides his wife the following children: George Rauch, of Portland; Charles Rauch, of Hillsboro and Mrs. Edie Armstrong, of Canby. The oldest daughter, Mary died some time ago. There are three grandchildren, Ivan Rauch and Marjorie Rauch, of Portland; Everett Armstrong, of Canby.

Mr. Rauch, who is well known throughout the county, lived a true and christian life, and at the time of his death was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church. He was of a kind disposition, and highly respected by all who knew him, and will be greatly missed by his score of friends.

The funeral, which was largely attended by friends of the family, was held at the Methodist church, Rev. Charles Creevy officiating. The interment was in the Zion cemetery, and the remains were followed to their last resting place by many of his old-time friends. The casket and grave were literally banked with floral offerings from loving friends, as a token of respect in which the deceased was held.

George McGregor Buried. The funeral services over the remains of George Norman McGregor, advertising manager of the Canby Canal Company, who killed himself in the company's office on Thursday afternoon, September 30, were held from the Holman undertaking parlors at Oregon City, on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and the interment took place in the Mountain View cemetery Rev. R. C. Blackwell, pastor of the M. E. Church, conducted the services. Mr. McGregor's brother, John R. McGregor, of Alberta, Canada, arrived here on Friday morning and arranged for the funeral. On the casket were many beautiful floral offerings from Mr. McGregor's friends, as he was well known and highly esteemed by all who knew him, and was familiarly known as "Mac". The cause of Mr. McGregor's act was ill health.

George Norman McGregor was born at Lucknow, Ontario, February 19, 1870, and was the son of Norman and Mary McGregor. He leaves two brothers, Richard and John, and one sister, Jeanette, of Toronto, Canada.

Prune Drying Season Over. The prune drying season is practically finished for this season, and many of the growers, who have sold or who have had their crops dried are pleased over the outcome.

The Riverside Prune Company, successors to the Willamette Fruit Company, finished drying on Tuesday afternoon, after a 22 days' run. Many of the people of Canby have been given employment during this time, and already the payroll is over \$1500. Over five car loads of prunes have been dried by this company, several of which have already been shipped to the Tillson Company of Salem, and to the Willamette Valley Fruit Company of Salem, the contract price being for 30.35, 4 1/2 cents per pound.

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