

TERRIFIC SLASHING OF PRICES

The big shipments of men's, young men's and boy's spring goods arriving daily

Has Made It Necessary To Oust Our Dry-goods In Double Quick Time.

We must arrange our store and take care of our big spring business in men's and boys' ready to wear.

Ladies do not wait; buy heavily; we must close out and are slaughtering prices to sell out the drygoods quick. A life-time chance. Don't miss this sale.

Cor. 7th and Main Streets **J. LEVITT** Oregon City, Oregon
See Blue Signs



Not Material.
"Prisoner, have you anything to say why sentence should not be passed?"
"Judge, you had a mother once."
"Yes, and I have her yet. Ten dollars and costs. Call the next case."

LOCAL BRIEFS

Born to the wife of Henry Hettmaa, of Shubel a daughter, weight 9 pounds.
Charles Noblitt, of Needy, was in Oregon City on business Monday.
Thomas of Beaver Creek, was in Oregon City Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henri, of Homesdale, were in Oregon City Sunday.
Max Holman and B. Perry of Beaver Creek, were in this city Sunday.
Harry Gordon, of Portland, was in this city Sunday visiting friends.
Dr. J. A. van Brakle, licensed osteopathic physician, 806 Washington.
Miss Buny Owenby and Miss Jennie Schatz went to Mount Angel Sunday, where they visited friends.
P. DeShields of Clackamas was transacting business in Oregon City Monday.
Mrs. Studeman and daughter, of Shubel, were among the Oregon City visitors Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Daniels, of Beaver Creek, were in Oregon City Sunday.
Fred Schafer, of Molalla, a sawmill man of that place was in this city on business Monday.
Otto Layman of Beaver Creek, was among the Oregon City visitors Sunday.
V. Bohlender, one of the prominent farmers of Beaver Creek, was in Oregon City Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Steiner, well known residents of Beaver Creek, visited friends in this city Sunday.
Miss Bertha Koerner, of St. Johns, visited from Oregon City Sunday.
Mrs. William Brown, of Portland, arrived in Oregon City Sunday evening and is the guest of Mrs. Duane Ely.
Earl Lutz accompanied a party by automobile to Troutdale Sunday, where they spent the day.
Mrs. Henry Hastian, of Portland, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Haas Sunday.
Miss Marjory Confield spent Saturday and Sunday in Portland visiting her sister, Miss Ethel Caufield.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wentworth spent Sunday with the latter's brothers, Ralph and William Marshall of Montavilla.
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Smythe, former residents of Oregon City but now of Portland, were in this city Monday having come here in their automobile.
L. Henderson, of Hood River, was in this city Sunday, being the guest

Oregon City Monday evening. Mrs. Hornschook has been at Seattle for the past six weeks, having accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Chester Elliott to that city.
State Senator Walter A. Dimick, who has been ill for more than a week of neuralgia, was able to be at his office Monday.
Waldo E. Caufield left Saturday morning for Woodland, California, in response to a telegram from that place, and is on his way to accept a position with the Floriston Pulp & Paper Company of Floriston, Cal., where his brother, Jack R. Caufield, is located.
Mrs. Clarence Frost, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, at her home in Gladstone, is slightly improved. Mrs. Frost, who is employed in the paper mills at Powell River, B. C., has been advised of her wife's illness, and will probably reach his home today.
Mrs. Frank Doty and son left Sunday evening for Point Roberts, Wash., and were accompanied by Miss Gertrude Sigurdson, who will remain at that place for a short time before leaving for Canada, their future home. Mrs. Doty and son will return to Oregon City the latter part of the week.
Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Andrews and family of Portland, were in this city Sunday visiting friends. Dr. and Mrs. Andrews formerly resided in Oregon City where they are well known.
Mrs. M. A. Stuart and grandson, Walter Stuart, of Seaside, are in this city and are the guests of Mrs. M. Surfs, sister of Mrs. Stuart. Mrs. Stuart and grandson are on their way to Eugene, where they will visit the former's daughter, Mrs. Charles Peterson, who formerly resided in Oregon City.
Mrs. William Peters, of this city, and Miss Jessie Paddock, of Gladstone, were in Sellwood on Sunday, where they were the guests of Miss Clara Buchberger, formerly stenographer in the County Recorder's office in this city.
Mrs. Howard Brownell of Astoria, and Miss Miller, of Marion, Ohio, who is teaching in the Astoria schools, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Brownell, of Concord, have returned to Astoria. They attended the opera at the Hellig theatre in Portland Saturday evening.
Edward Fortune, who has been visiting in the East, has returned to Oregon City and says Oregon suits him, and is glad to get back. Mr. Fortune who was called east some time ago on account of the death of her sister, will not return until June, and will be accompanied here by her mother who will spend the summer.
L. E. Kitson, formerly connected with the Home Telephone Company in Oregon City was in Oregon City Saturday evening visiting with friends before his departure for California. Mr. Kitson has accepted a position as electrician on the Steamer Rose City, which leaves Portland this morning.
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bigger, who recently sold their Greenpoint property to R. Bridges, of Portland, are moving into the property they recently purchased from Mrs. Lansing Stout, known as the Walden home on Ninth and Center streets. Mr. Bigger's property was sold through the C. T. Toole Real Estate Company but Mr. Bigger retained two lots upon which he will build two handsome bungalows to cost about \$1500, the contracts for building these being awarded to John Lowry. Mr. Bigger before coming to Oregon City from Woodburn owned three pieces of land, which were bought and brought a good price. The land he sold at Greenpoint brought him \$3500 cash, he having paid \$2500, but made many improvements. Mr. Bridges expects to make his summer home here. The building of the bungalows will commence immediately.



WHITE LINEN AND EMBROIDERY

Little tub dresses of linen are perhaps the most practical of all for the summer wardrobe of the small girl. The one in the drawing today has a deep yoke of eyelet embroidery running to a slight point on either side of the front. The cuffs of the short sleeves are of the same and similarly shaped. From each of the yoke points runs a band of the embroidery which has the appearance of passing beneath the plain linen belt and terminating on the skirt in a point. The dress is closed to the left of the front by a row of small crocheted buttons.

THE GAITER SHOE.

New Styles in the Season's Footwear.



BOOTS BUILT LIKE GAITERS NOW

Fashion favors this season the gaiter boot, with its cloth top buttoned down the outer side exactly like a well fitting gaiter. Two styles are shown here, both boots being of patent leather in walking style, one pair having fawn colored cloth gaiter tops, the other pair tops of navy blue twill fabric. The buttons are flat and riveted to the cloth so they cannot fly off at a critical moment.
How They Do It.
Did you ever hear of a womanless republic?
Well, there is one on a peninsula south of Macedonia, in Greece, where 10,000 men live, studying and praying constantly.
Policemen guard the lands constantly to keep out women pilgrims and other undesirable guests.
This place is called the Mount of the Twenty Monasteries and was used in ancient times as a signalling station, but is now a real republic.
These 10,000 monks govern themselves without interference from Turkey or any other country. There are, however, no government buildings, no president or other officeholders.
The only police force is composed of men, who patrol the coast to keep out women and men who have no permit to enter this most exclusive of countries. Only those who have a letter of permission from the Greek patriarch in Constantinople are allowed to enter the holy place.
Some reports have it that this republic was formed in the ninth century. It is said that the foot of woman has not touched the soil of the place for centuries.
The monks who live on the place work the soil a little but they depend chiefly upon contributions from pilgrims for their existence. Probably the greatest collection of Biblical manuscripts is in the monasteries of this republic.
"It is the most interesting place in the world for the student of the Bible," said a traveler who recently visited that country. "I have been there three times already, and I will never tire of going. There are in the monasteries thousands of Greek manuscripts and hundreds of them are connected with the New Testament."
"Hundreds of Bible students have studied many of these manuscripts very carefully, but there are other manuscripts that have not yet been read carefully. It may be that great discoveries, valuable to the Bible scientists, will emanate yet from this great storehouse of manuscripts."

Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

A BRAVE WOMAN.
For several years this woman suffered the infliction of a drunken husband. He finally left her the heritage of two small children and some bitter memories.
For twenty years now she has been janitress of a building.
Out of her earnings she gave her children a common school education. Also she wisely threw up against a rainy day the dike of a savings bank account.
The floods came.
Inheriting diseased tendencies from the father, the children died one after the other, neither of them coming to adult age.
The illness, the doctor's fees, the funeral expenses and the two modest headstones in the cemetery took the poor woman's entire savings.
The days following each funeral she went back to her work, her face a shade paler and with a sad smile.
Now she has thrown up a second barrier against misfortune—another savings account. And never in twenty years has she been known to whine or whimper or intrude her troubles. And despite her many sorrows there is sunshine in her face.
One day she was asked the secret of her brave fight and contentment with her status in the world, whereupon she replied:
"It never changes a thing to complain, and people do not like it."
"A commonplace story?"
"It is not! It is the story of an unusual woman who has made an unusual struggle and kept sweet; a woman who, though uneducated, is in possession of an intrepid spirit and an unusual philosophy.
Read again what she says:
"It never changes things to complain." Does it? If not, why complain? It is useless. It is worse than useless. Whining and moaning make things worse.
"People do not like it."
They do not. They have troubles of their own. To persistently complain is to make a bore of oneself. If you have troubles, grin and bear them. If you can't grin, bear them anyway.
"The world is quick to answer a cry of real distress, but it has no patience with a quitter or a grumbler.
"Let the whiner follow the brave little woman. If need be, scrub the floors—and smile."

LOWER ELECTRIC RATES

As a result of economic methods and the acquirement of additional facilities, the PORTLAND RAILWAY, LIGHT & POWER COMPANY takes a great deal of pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Oregon City and the surrounding territory an important reduction in its electric light and power rates.

IMPORTANT

It has been the constant policy of the Company to give good service at reasonable rates. The Company is more interested than anybody else in building up a bigger, busier and better Portland, and it fully recognizes the important influence of low rates and good service. The new lighting rate is 9, 7 and 4c per kilowatt hour. Details of this reduction and the conditions involved can be secured upon application at any of the Company's offices. Several months will be required to change over the 31,000 accounts which this reduction in lighting rates will affect. In order that our patrons may be put to the least possible inconvenience, new contracts will be mailed beginning May 1st. The Company earnestly requests that these be signed, witnessed and returned to the Company's representative in Oregon City as promptly as possible, thus avoiding the possibility of waiting in line at the office.

Portland Railway, Light and Power Company

MAIN OFFICE SEVENTH & ALDER STS.
PHONES MAIN 6688 AND A. 6131.

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Republican Candidate for Nomination of REPRESENTATIVE

Favor good roads into all parts of Clackamas County; repeal of Fish and Game Commission; opposed to Single Tax; favor strict economy in every department of State; favor direct Primary Law and Statement No. 1.

(Paid advertisement)

MINISTERS LAUDED

BY J. E. HEDGES

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few comparatively, are temporal and not spiritual. Those who are, however, and especially when they leave their professional work and prosecute advocates of business. Those who are incompetent, who never were by nature or education fitted to become ministers; and those of unclean lives, wanting in practically all the attributes the life of Christ directs his followers to have. Yet I find these from time to time in the pulpit. Nor need we seek far or read the daily press often to find examples of such men.

"And yet, though the dust of conflict may from time to time obscure the Christian character and the retarding influence of such a I have last described cast a shadow over it, still it is as strong and vigorous as it was nineteen centuries ago. We recognize it under most unfavorable conditions even by the intensity of its religious belief, by its love of God and Christ, and, as necessarily accompanying, the love of man. Its conquest of the world, far from diminishing is increasing by the magnificent development of the church at home and the missions abroad; and the ultimate conquest seems inevitable. When the world is finally conquered then may it be truthfully said, of man, as it is written: 'Thou hast made him a little lower than the angels, and hast crowned him with power and glory.'

How strong are you going in the support of your candidate in the Enterprise automobile contest?

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

James B. and Ora R. Fowler to Clara Erick, land in section 27, township 1 south, range 4 east; \$1000.
Max Klatsch to E. J. Stevens, 50 acres of section 31, township 3 south, range 4 east; \$50.
Edna L. McCoy to R. F. Hunt, land in section 17, township 2 south, range 2 east; \$1.
Karl Nelson to Fina Nelson, 3.45 acres of Albert Lee's addition to Canby; \$1.
Karl L. Nelson to Fina Nelson, land in Canby Gardens; \$1.
Karl Nelson to Fina Nelson, 6 acres of section 4, township 4 south, range 1 east; \$1.
Sanford and Smanda Coover to William and Helen Helmig, 74.72 acres of section 19, township 6 south, range 2 east; \$2615.
Lenora C. and Henry Atwater to Elizabeth Bradley, land in section 4, township 2 south, range 1 east; \$540.
R. F. Hunt to Edna L. McCoy, block 7, lots 1, 2, 35, 36, block 18, Hyde Park, section 17, township 2 south, range 2 east; \$860.

In the Midst of Plenty

One still may be in doubt what to eat, but there is little doubt when our bread and pastry is around

Log Cabin Bread and Pastry

are appetizing in themselves and create an appetite in old and young, because of their delicious taste and positive purity. We save you the trouble of making pies, cakes and pastry at home, for ours excel all others.

Log Cabin Baking Company

Vancouver Ave. and Fremont St.
At Your Grocers