

Our Prices Knock Out The
Catalog House

Grand Annual SALE

AT
F. L. Miller's

For the next 30 days we will offer the entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes and etc, at prices never before offered in Corvallis.

This is a opportunity to buy 1st. class Merchandise at a bargains.

We only ask you to call and compare prices with others before buying elsewhere.

F. L. MILLER'S

When you see it in our ad its so
Corvallis - - - Oregon

Recreation!

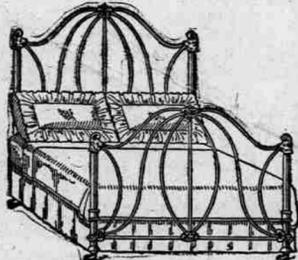
Are you going on a vacation, a trip to the mines, the woods or to the sea-shore. Yes? Then you need a time-piece, but can you afford to carry that valuable watch to such a place as that? Certainly not! Why risk the loss of the watch or the chance of a costly smash-up when you can get comparatively accurate time with one of those DOLLAR watches that Pratt the Jeweler & Optician sells?

A Parker "Lucky Curve" fountain pen is just the thing for these occasions too.

Attention!

Every department in our store is full of goods.

We will have for the fall trade the largest stock of general House Furnishing goods ever seen in this city to which we very cordially invite your careful inspection.



A car load of Iron Beds are now on hand, and we can suit you in every style imaginable.

We are headquarters for every thing in campers and Hop Pickers supplies.

Come and Investigate.

Hollenberg & Cady.

Growing Fastest with Least Fuss

And if you don't believe it, come and see

MY MOTTO IS:—"A CUSTOMER NEGLECTED,
IS A CUSTOMER LOST."

I GUARANTEE YOU HONEST PRICES.

EGGS, Chickens and Butter taken in exchange for merchandise, can handle some wheat

VICTOR P. MOSES

DEALER IN EVERYTHING, Corvallis, Oregon.

KEEP



COOL

Any one will be brighter and health in warm weather if they buy their groceries at our store—our goods are always fresh and they are handled and kept in the most cleanly manner.

We are Headquarters.

for all kind of lunch and picnic goods.
HODES' GROCERY.

PHONE 203.

B. E. Horning, The Grocer.

We are not inclined to spend much time in writing advertisements—we prefer to let our goods and customers speak for themselves.

OUR TRADE IS GROWING FAST.
WE WANT YOUR TRADE.
WILL ASSURE SATISFACTION.

E. B. Horning.

Watch this space for Bargains

REALESTATE

No 608—43 acres, 30 in cult, balance pasture and timber, some fine bottom land, house of 5 rooms, small barn, young orchard, 2 1-2 miles of a good town, price if sold soon, \$2000. This is a bargain.

598—160 acres, 35 in cult, some good timber and pasture, good horse and barn, fine orchard, well watered, this is a good stock ranch price \$1700. School house on place.

383—10 acres, all in cult, fine orchard, all level, good house, fair barn 1-2 mile to good town, good garden land, nice little home, price \$1700.

AMBLER & WATTERS

Portland BUSINESS COLLEGE

TENTH AND MORRISON STREETS, PORTLAND, OREGON

A. P. ARMSTRONG, LL. B., PRINCIPAL

Educates for success in a short time and at small expense, and sends each student to a position as soon as competent. Quality is our motto, and reputation for thorough work brings us over 100 calls per month for office help. Individual instruction insures rapid progress. We teach the loose leaf, the card index, the voucher and other modern methods of bookkeeping. Chartier is our shorthand; easy, rapid, legible. Beautiful catalogue, business forms and penmanship free—write today. References: any merchant, any bank, any newspaper in Portland.

No Prizes go with our

Chase & Sanborn High Grade COFFEE

In fact nothing goes with our coffee but cream, sugar and SATISFACTION

P. M. ZIEROLF.

Sole agent for

**Chase & Sanborn High Grade
COFFEE**

LOCAL LORE.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Mason and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. DeVarney were visitors in town Tuesday.

—Astoria is to hold her annual regatta and country fair September 2-4. The labor unions of the city are to join the regatta parade on labor day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Cannon of Salem, passed through Corvallis yesterday en route to Newport for a few days outing.

—The rush of people to the seaside is slightly abated, although many are still going. By next week the tide will turn, and the exodus begin shortly thereafter.

—John Giblin, well-known proprietor of the St. Charles Hotel, Albany, formerly landlord of the Occidental, Corvallis, was married Tuesday to Mrs. Mary Gallagher, at Seattle.

—Six fine deer, with antlers and hides as well as quantities of meat brought to town to prove it, are what Arnold King and John Kiger got in a deer hunt of a few days on Green Peak, from whence they returned Wednesday night. It is the best luck, so far reported this season, with the exception of George Denman and Mike Bauer.

—Virgil Watters and family arrived Tuesday evening from a camping trip in the Yachats country. The scarcity of deer is illustrated in the fact that Mr. Watters, who is accounted one of the crack hunters of the country and a rifle shot with few equals, captured but one venison.

—David Whaley, who recently sold his farm west of town after a five years residence there, has embarked in the real estate business in Corvallis. His office is next door north of the Blackledge furniture store. His ad appears elsewhere, as do many other new and interesting announcements.

—Two gangs of surveyors are running lines across the Cascades, with what seems a purpose to extend the C. & E. road. One gang is encamped at Sand Mountain, and is working along the line of the old survey of 1890, according to the Albany Democrat. Another gang arrived in Albany yesterday, and the Democrat says they are going out to locate a permanent line for the extension across the mountains.

—The O. A. C. friends of Forest Smithson have always believed him to be a swifter man than Dan Kelly, the Baker City sprinter. Every time they have ever met, when both were in prime condition, Smithson has been the victor. The report from Portland that members of the Multnomah Athletic Club take the same view, strengthens the confidence of the local college men in the well-known O. A. C. short distance runner. It was always the opinion of the late Dad Trine that under proper conditions, Smithson was good for 9-4-5, and that he believed to be faster than Kelly can go.

—A little chap went to his mother one day for a nickel. "Oh," said the lady, "be industrious and earn your money. I am tired of always giving money to you." The youngster departed in thoughtful silence. Thereafter for some time he did not make a single demand for cash. His pleased mother discovered the reason for this obedience late one afternoon, when in a secluded part of her garden, she found her little son standing in the center of an appreciative crowd of urchins. Directly behind him, quite neatly printed on cardboard and tacked to the arbor, was this announcement:
WILLIE JONES WILL EAT
1 small worm for 1 cent
1 large worm for 2 cents
1 butterfly for 2 cents
1 caterpillar for 3 cents
1 hop toad for 5 cents
And the boy was doing a tremendous business.

—A wreck on the C. & E. attracted much attention in town yesterday. It happened to the east-bound passenger, consisting of a locomotive, two box cars, a baggage and four coaches. As the train was passing upon the approach to a bridge between Blodgett and Wren the two trucks on the forward box car left the rails, and the car itself was thrown crosswise of the track. The box car left the rails, but the baggage car remained on the track. The sudden stop shook up the passengers and there was a period of excitement, but no injuries. The trouble happened at 11 o'clock, and it was four when the passengers reached Corvallis, having been transferred to a special taken out from Corvallis by Conductor Riley. The same train passed back at six p. m. with bay-bound passengers, who were transferred. The wreckage was cleared away and all trains are on time to day.

—Persons having rooms for rent during the All-Benton-School-Fair will confer a favor by communicating with A. K. Russ.

—She knew the man who sat behind
Was sizing up her hair
And peering through her peekabog
With rude, ill-mannered stare.
When she could stand his gaze no more

Resentment was so deep,
She turned round to rebuke the chap,
And he was fast asleep.

—Baptist church; subject for Sunday morning, August 18th, "Thy Kingdom Come." For Sunday evening, "Thy Will Be Done on Earth as It is in Heaven." The evening sermon will be preached at the union service in the M. E. Church.

—It is probable that balloon ascensions and parachute jumps will be among the attractions at the All-Benton-School Fair. Negotiations are now pending.

A HUGE LAND SALE.

Rankin Holdings Bought—Forty Two Cruisers are Operating in Benton Timber.

There is exceeding interest in Benton over the operation of timber cruisers, who are scouring nearly all the standing timber in the county. There are 42 of them, all told, a number that signifies operations of exceeding importance. Thirty three came up from Portland and went out Monday, and an additional nine came and went the same way Wednesday. It is announced that the sale of the Rankin holdings of 30,000 acres occasions the errand of the cruisers in part. That much is announced in the Portland papers. The transaction is reported to involve nearly a million and a half in dollars, being the biggest transaction ever made on the Coast. The buyer is said to be a big Eastern syndicate.

There is also a story that Southern Pacific land grant lands are involved. This cannot be confirmed, save that parties from the vicinity of where the cruisers are at work say some of them are cruising Southern Pacific lands. This, however, has not been confirmed, but rumor has it that the land grant lands, of which there are 50,000 acres in Benton, are in the deal. The prices at which the timber changing hands is believed almost fabulous. Future developments will be watched with interest. Every foot of railroad land has been filled on by squatters who claim it should be sold to them at \$2.50 per acre.

An article in yesterday's Oregonian says the lands of the Southern Pacific are not sold, but that the company lost all records of the land in the San Francisco fire; that present cruising operations are to renew the information lost, and that it will be required in combating the struggle that is imminent in which forfeiture and other moves are threatened.

Notice to Bidders.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned constituting the Sewer Committee of the Common Council of the City of Corvallis, will receive bids until 6 o'clock P. M. of Tuesday, the 7th day of August, 1907, for the construction of each of the following sewers, to-wit:
Sewer from a point in the center of the alley through block 11, Dixon's second addition to the City of Corvallis, 313 feet distant from the north property line of said block, and running thence southerly through the center of the alley of blocks Nos. 11, 12 and 13 in Dixon's second addition to said city, and across the intervening streets connect with the lateral sewer through block 1, county addition to said city, 241 feet distant southerly from the south boundary line of said block 13 and in the center of the alley if extended.

Sewer from a point in the center of the alley through block 1, original town of Marysville, now the city of Corvallis, in Benton county, Oregon, and 57 feet from the north property line of said block, thence northerly through the center of the alley of blocks 1, 2 and 3, original town of Marysville, now Corvallis, and across the intervening streets to a point in the center of the alley through blocks 11 and 10, original town of Marysville, now Corvallis, and across the intervening streets to a point near the south side of Jefferson street and to connect with the Jefferson street sewer.

Sewer from a point in Monroe street, opposite the center of the alley through block 4, original town of Marysville, now the city of Corvallis, and 20 feet south of the south boundary of said block, thence northerly through the center of the alley of block 6, original town of Marysville, now the city of Corvallis and block 1, Dixon's first addition to the city of Corvallis and across the intervening streets to a point near the north side of Van Buren street, and to connect with the Van Buren street sewer.

Each of said sewers is to be constructed and equipped with appurtenances in accordance with the drawings and plans and specifications therefor on file with the police judge of said city. No bids will be received except separate and distinct bids for the construction of each sewer and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check upon some responsible bank in the sum of one-fifth the amount of such bid, payable to the order of the police judge of said city, to secure the city and the property owners affected against loss or damage on account of the failure of such bidder to enter into contract with the city and give bond for the faithful performance thereof as required by the respective ordinances of said city, providing for the construction of said lateral sewers, reference to which is hereby made.

Bids for the construction of any of the foregoing sewers may be left with the police judge of said city prior to the time aforesaid. All such bids will be reported to the Common Council of said city for action at its next succeeding regular or special meeting following the expiration of the time for receiving such bids.

Dated at Corvallis, Oregon, August 16, 1907.
GEORGE FULLER,
JAMES HARPER,
L. D. BODINE,
Sewer Committee.