

## BUYING PLAN GROWS

Many Merchants to Sell Food Cheaper on Thursday.

## WOMEN WORK UP SCHEME

Parent-Teacher Association is Having Special Menus Prepared. Collective Purchases and Fewer Deliveries Urged.

Extensive arrangements whereby housewives and merchants will be enabled to co-operate in economies designed to reduce living costs are being perfected under the auspices of the Portland Parent-Teachers' Association. Special price reductions are being scheduled by a number of leading Portland merchants for next Thursday, while menus are being prepared to utilize the foods on sale.

Co-operation between distributors and consumers is the foundation of the parent-teacher plan for price reduction. Merchants are invited to put special prices on goods with the assurance that sales will be largely increased through the understanding which exists among the members of the organization. The purchase of the designated food products is to be stimulated by special menus which call for their use.

**Balanced Meals Planned.**

The preparation of menus suitable for three meals is now under consideration. The intention of the association is to provide a balanced meal, in which all of the requisites of proper nutrition will be present. Whole wheat bread is one of the food products which the association favors, and arrangements have been completed for the sale of whole wheat flour at an especially low price. The article is to be sold at low prices on next Thursday are numerous. Coal is to be furnished by one firm at a reduction of a dollar a ton. Eggs are to be sold by a prominent creamery at a price far below normal. A special cut of pot roast now advertised at 16 cents is to be sold on Thursday for 13 1/2 cents. A low price is to be fixed on high-grade prunes, one of the food-stuffs which the parent-teacher association recommends for more extensive use.

The prices fixed on all articles are accounted for in the special menus and the domestic science teachers who prepare them will figure the costs so that meals can be prepared for a family of six on an income of \$18 per week.

**Collective Buying Advocated.**

The arrangements with various firms for co-operation include an understanding whereby housewives are expected to reciprocate by being asked for the merchant by the elimination of useless deliveries. Purchases are to be made collectively whenever possible, so that several families can be served on one order. Housewives are also requested to bunch their orders, so that one delivery will suffice for a whole day.

The number of firms manifesting a desire to co-operate is growing and, although it has been impossible for representatives to visit all merchants, the Parent-Teacher Council requests that other merchants wishing to be included on Thursday's shopping list call up East 1203.

## MRS SOPHIA SUTTON DEAD

Woman, 79, Dies After Fall Down Eight Feet of Stairs.

Mrs. Sophia Sutton, 79 years old, died yesterday morning at the home of Captain John D. Zumwalt, 808 East Twenty-seventh street, following a fall of eight feet down a flight of stairs. Dr. James H. Carrio, her physician, attributed her fall and her death to a stroke of apoplexy.

Mrs. Sutton had gone to the home of Captain Zumwalt for dinner, Friday night. At 4 o'clock P. M. she was walking past a stairway leading to the basement and plunged suddenly downward. Captain Zumwalt picked her up at the foot of the stairs and carried her to a bedroom. She never recovered consciousness, and died at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. Dr. Carrio says that Mrs. Sutton had twice before been stricken with apoplexy.

Mrs. Sutton is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Frank E. Ely, 568 Francis avenue. Funeral services will be held in Finley's chapel at 1 P. M., tomorrow. Interment will be in Riverview cemetery.

## Hunter Without License Fined \$50.

The hunting of a few ducks without previously having obtained a license cost Peter Lousignout a fine of \$50 when he was tried at St. Helens Friday. Lousignout was arrested on December 17 by Deputy Game Warden Clark. Lousignout locked the deputy out on one occasion when arrested and attempted and the man was only apprehended after some little trouble.

## IN FIVE MINUTES NO SICK STOMACH, INDIGESTION, GAS

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the Quickest and Surest Stomach Relief.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach, headache, you can surely get relief in five minutes.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula, plainly printed on these fifty-cent boxes of Pape's Diapepsin, then you will understand why dyspeptic troubles of all kinds must go, and why it relieves sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. "Pape's Diapepsin" is harmless; tastes like candy, though each dose will digest and expedite assimilation into the blood all the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but what will please you most is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

This city will have many "Pape's Diapepsin" cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be enthusiastic about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever take it for indigestion, gases, heartburn, sourness, dyspepsia, or any stomach misery.

Get some now, this minute, and rid yourself of stomach misery and indigestion in five minutes.—Adv.

## MANY GET NEW START IN LIFE FROM MEN'S RESORT AND FARM

Money Is Needed to Keep Refuge for Wayfarers Open, so Charitable Work Can Be Continued Another Year.



The Farmhouse at Hillcockburn.

At Fourth and Burnside streets in Portland there is located the Men's Resort, a place where the lonely and friendless man, the stranger, the down-and-out ones may find a welcome and may make himself at home.

Every day from 6 A. M. to 11 P. M. the Men's Resort keeps open house. The reading room is there at the disposal of all who wish to use it. There is a correspondence table where many a man has stopped to write a letter to his mother or to the "folks at home."

Concerts and entertainments are held at the institution and all who care to attend are welcome. There are check-rooms and lavatories for the use of any wayfarer, and the Rev. Levi Johnson, who is in charge of the resort, does all in his power to extend the kindest hospitality to all.

**Farm Is Adjunct.**

The Men's Resort has as an adjunct a farm at Hillcockburn, 19 miles southeast of Estacada. It is owned and operated by the First Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. Levi Johnson, who is in charge of the resort, also sponsors the farm. At the farm men get a new start in life. They get the best of plain food, exercise, study and ample comfort.

The farm is 40 miles southeast of Portland, on a beautiful plateau in the foothills of the Cascades, overlooking the Clackamas river, commanding a splendid view of Mount Hood, surrounded by an immense forest of fir trees and watered by a living spring fed by the unmelting snows.

There the rhododendron, the trillium and the wild rose abound, and blackberries, huckleberries and evergreens grow in abundance, out in the open where "nature is kind and God is near."

It is not for the purpose of making money, but for the greater purpose of re-making men. All the proceeds are used to help men to recover themselves from their defeat and start anew the attic of life and start right.

In speaking of the work of the resort and the farm, Dr. Johnson said recently: "We have as many men as we did

## OREGON PIONEER COUPLE WHO CELEBRATED THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING RECENTLY.



**MR. AND MRS. J. F. SANDERS.**

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sanders was celebrated at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Rhoda E. Godfrey, 391 Fargo street, Wednesday evening, January 3, in the presence of about 20 of their friends.

Mrs. Sanders crossed the plains to Oregon with the pioneers of '52, and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Quick, settled in Tillamook County, where Mr. Sanders came in 1860. Mr. and Mrs. Sanders were married in Tillamook in 1867 and moved to Portland later, locating on a farm near Hood River, where they lived 11 years. Since that time they have been living in and near Portland. They have two children, Mrs. Annie E. Ladd and Mrs. Rhoda E. Godfrey, are residents of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders are managing their small place near Milwaukie.

## Another Large Shipment Enables Us to Again Repeat Our Greatest Talking Machine Offer

Latest machine, complete with 31 selections and the one free double-sided demonstration record and accessories, at a price not to be obtained elsewhere on a new, easiest payment plan, and will be delivered anywhere in or out of town.

Furthermore, this great offer includes needles for a thousand concerts, also record album, record cleaning brush, oil can, as well as the latest and best model grafonola, as illustrated, positively superior in tone quality, volume, design and finish to our great \$108.80 offer of last year. And all of this is now to be had, everything complete, delivery free, FOR ONLY

# \$82.55

This superb combination now on sale is offered unhesitatingly as representing positively the most for the money. Remember, it can be had only at Eilers Music Houses and at no other place.

The instrument will be supplied in fancy figured mahogany, or in golden oak, or fumed oak, or in splendid figured walnut, or Circassian walnut.

## This Is Our January, 1917, Combination Offer, No. 1

This highly attractive offer is open to all—no matter how much or how little you earn, no matter what you do, you can have one of these superb instruments, bringing everything in the way of musical entertainment, education, real enjoyment into your home.

Study the list of records. Has any such attractive collection ever been offered? And all included free, together with all accessories, in little payments if you like and until the total price of \$82.55 has been paid.

### How to Pay

How to pay? We have made no fixed terms of payment; no restrictions; no binding conditions. This is a January Combination Offer—it is to bring joy and happiness into your home—pay the old Reliable Eilers Music House as best suits your convenience.

## Our January, 1917, Offer, No. 2

For only \$1.00 a week we now supply a new model Grafonola, including all of the above enumerated accessories, but only 17 of the "select list" titles, and the one free demonstration record.



Elegant, Big-Toned, Equal in Volume to Any at \$50 or \$60 Heretofore—Now on Sale at Both Stores of

All for Only \$39.25

Two Great Music Houses—Morrison at Fourth Broadway at Alder

Two Superb Main Floor Talking Machine Salesrooms

Mail us a postcard and we will send Catalogues; will also ship Talking Machines and Records on Free Trial.



This is the machine; see also all that goes with it.

Positively more musical value for less money than obtainable elsewhere. Eilers Music Houses are phonograph specialists.

It pays to deal at headquarters. Agencies having but one make and a few records to choose from do not offer opportunity for adequate comparison. Every model, every size, every finish may be compared at Eilers Music Houses.

The Eilers Houses—two stores—Broadway at Alder or Morrison at Fourth—are undisputed phonograph headquarters. Everything to be obtained anywhere is here, and also much that is not obtainable anywhere else.

The Eilers stores are unquestionably in better position to take care of every phonograph or other musical demand than any other institution. Inquire, investigate and decide—now.

The response to this announcement will be immense. A great quantity of specially selected instruments, records and accessories have been provided, but when the supply is exhausted this special offer ends. We, therefore, urge you to see us or to write us at once.

This Makes an Offer Irresistible, and All for Only \$1.00 a Week Only a Limited Number on Sale—Select Yours Now

And All for Only \$39.25

Now Consolidated WITH Graves Music Co.

## JITNEY PETITIONS OUT

COUNCILMAN IS WORKING FOR FRANCHISE APPLICANT.

Special Election to Be Demanded After City's Refusal to Grant Rights to Portland.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special)—Initiative petitions were circulated today by John F. Albright, Councilman, to put before the voters the franchise ordinance of W. M. Foster of Portland, who wants to run a line of jitneys between Portland and Oregon City. The Council has refused to grant the franchise.

One hundred and fifty names are required on the petitions to initiate an ordinance, and Councilman Albright expects little difficulty in obtaining them. The petitions, when filled, are filed with the City Recorder and the Council is compelled to call a special election.

The franchise, which was drafted by Levy Stipp, attorney for Mr. Foster, provides that for the first 60 days of the life of the franchise service every two hours must be maintained between Portland and Oregon City and that after the 60-day period the service shall be hourly or oftener and that the cars shall run via Oswego except when the

## TO RELIEVE CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head noises go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Earmint (double strength) and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dripping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Any one who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.

## California Druggist's Opinion of Kidney Medicine

About fifteen years ago we commenced the sale of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root and we do not know of a single case where a customer was dissatisfied with results obtained; all of them speaking words of praise. Our experience has convinced us that it is a splendid preparation and we recommend it when we can. Very truly yours, EASTERN DRUG COMPANY, By Odell, Bakersfield, Calif., June 30, 1916.

Fifteen years ago Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root was introduced into our neighborhood and since that time our customers who have had occasion to use such a medicine speak in the highest terms of the value of Swamp-Root. It always gives universal satisfaction, is a steady seller and a good, reliable article. Very truly yours, W. F. FAIRCHILD & SON, Druggists, Placerville, Calif., June 30, 1916.

PROVE WHAT SWAMP-ROOT WILL DO FOR YOU.

When your back aches, and your bladder and kidneys seem to be disordered, remember it is needless to suffer—go to your nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. It is a physician's prescription for diseases of the kidneys and bladder. It has stood the test of years and has a reputation for quickly and effectively giving results in thousands of cases.

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention The Portland Sunday Oregonian. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.