

EASY TERMS ARRANGED

500 Dollars' Worth of Furniture Sacrificed

We Must Unload at Least Half of Our Stock in the Next Few Weeks, as Part of Our Store Has Been Ordered Sold Over Our Heads and We Have No Place to Move Our Enormous Stock To.

Our Misfortune Is Your Opportunity

DINING-ROOM FURNITURE

- Round Solid Oak Extension Dining Tables at... \$13.95
Solid Oak Dining Chairs... \$3.45
Quarter-sawn Oak Buffets at... \$29.75
1000 Kitchen Chairs at... 98c

BEDROOM FURNITURE

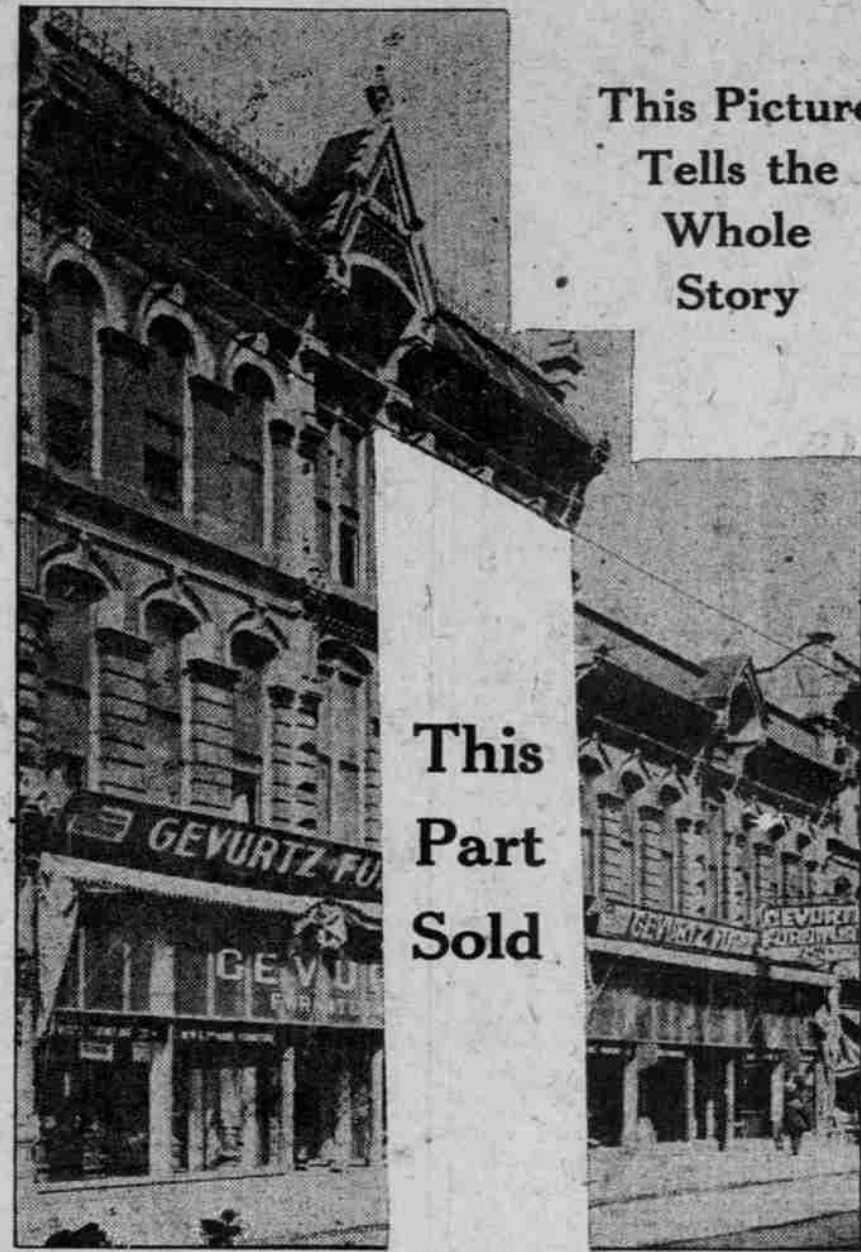
- 2-inch Continuous Post Beds... \$12.75
Guaranteed Steel Springs (Angle Iron)... \$5.75
45-pound Combination Mattresses... \$9.75
40-pound Felt Mattresses... \$12.75
Solid Oak Dressers, Plate-glass Mirrors... \$19.75
Hundreds of Used Beds, Some Re-enameled, from... \$2.75
Used Yum-Yum Springs, From... \$1.75

LIVING-ROOM FURNITURE

- Morris Chairs and Davenports
Quarter-sawn Oak Library Tables at... \$22.50
Overstuffed Tapestry Rockers at... \$26.75
Overstuffed Genuine Leather Rockers at... \$34.75
Overstuffed Tapestry Davenports... \$59.50
Willow Rockers, Upholstered Seat and Back... \$15.75
Hardwood Rockers in Oak Finish... \$3.95
Hardwood Sewing Rockers, Oak Finish... \$1.95

RUGS

- 9x12 Wool Fiber Rugs, priced at... \$12.75
9x12 Grass Rugs, priced at... \$11.75
9x12 Brussels Rugs, priced at... \$27.75
9x12 Axminster Rugs, priced at... \$44.75
1000 yards of Congoleum and various Felt-Based Pro-Linoleum, yard from... 69c
Also a Few Good Used Rugs at Very Low Prices



This Picture Tells the Whole Story

This Part Sold

SACRIFICE SALE OF BUCK'S RANGES

- Every Range Reduced
Combination Ranges... \$85.00
Buck's Home Pride Coal and Wood Ranges... \$67.50
Buck's Gas Ranges... \$29.75
Buck's Gas Ranges with Side Oven and Broiler... \$47.50
16-inch Oven White Enameled Sanitary Base Ranges... \$59.50

BUCK'S PIPELESS FURNACES

are a great success. They have many exclusive features not on other furnaces. For instance: One-piece firepot, automatic filling of water tank, ash sprinkler that eliminates dust in basement, self-cleaning hot-blast combustion chamber, and many other little conveniences that save you vexation. Call and see ours in operation. It heats our store, 50x100 feet, four floors.

Miscellaneous

- Small Size Oil Mops in case, 29c priced.
Mahogany Parlor Stand Lamps, double sockets... \$9.75
Oak Parlor Table Lamps... \$5.75
Real Cedar Chests, big and roomy with neat tray and brass trimmings... \$19.75
Silk Lamp Shades are priced from... \$11.75
Standard Sewing Machines, Rotary Shutles, regular \$65, now... \$49.50
Duofold Davenports, solid oak frames, upholstered in fine leatherette... \$45.00

Over 100 Used Ranges From \$20 Up

and Every One Is Guaranteed to Give Satisfaction

Used Goods

We have an enormous stock of used goods (some look like new) which we simply must unload in the next few weeks at prices so low they will surprise you.

GEVURTZ FURNITURE CO.

S. C. Brant, Pres.

185 FIRST ST. Remember, 2 Doors From Yamhill Market

Louis Gevurtz, Sec'y

BARDE TO OPEN BRANCH

INCORPORATION IN NEW YORK ANNOUNCED AS PLAN

Enormous Tonnage of Iron and Steel Bought From U. S. Is to Be Handled.

Organization of a firm in New York, to be known as the Barde Steel Corporation, to handle a large quantity of the enormous tonnage of government iron and steel junk and machinery which the local firm of M. Barde & Sons recently purchased at public auction in Philadelphia, was announced yesterday by M. Barde, who returned early in the week from New York, after a short visit in connection with business matters arising out of the sale.

J. N. Barde left Tuesday for New York. He and L. B. Barde, who was already in the east and personally bid in the iron and steel at Philadelphia several weeks ago, will remain in New York to have charge of the new firm there and manage the sales of the iron and steel from that port.

Several offers have already been received by the company for purchase of small quantities of the junk by Portland concerns. Mr. Barde stated, but for the present no deals are being closed pending the establishment of the New York branch and the shipment of a considerable quantity of the purchase to the Pacific coast.

Roseburg Veteran, 72, Weds Pastor's Widow, 71.

Inmate of Soldiers' Home Who Has Long and Brilliant Record in Civil War Decides He Wants Wife.

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 3.—(Special.)—Samuel Montgomery, aged 72 years, a resident of the state soldiers' home, and Mrs. Ruth Vernon, aged 71 years, were married here on New Year's eve. Mr. Montgomery has been a resident of the home for many years and is in the best of health and is a familiar figure about the streets. He bears a

long military record and is the last of a fighting family.

He enlisted in September, 1861, when but a mere boy, in Company F, 18th Pennsylvania Infantry. He was at the battle of Ball's Bluff, one of the early engagements of the war, and is said to be the only man living in Oregon who witnessed the death of Oregon's senator, Edward D. Baker, who was killed in the battle. General Baker was commanding the outfit of which Mr. Montgomery was a member and was only a short distance from the latter when he was struck by the fatal bullet.

Mr. Montgomery was wounded at Gettysburg and was discharged, but re-enlisted after his recovery in the 2d United States cavalry, attaining the rank of bugler. He was present at Appomattox and witnessed Lee's surrender and after the close of the war remained in the service until 1877, having been transferred to troop F, 4th United States cavalry. His father, Colonel Montgomery, was killed in battle during May, 1862.

Mr. Montgomery's bride was formerly the wife of Rev. A. C. Vernon, an aged minister, who died several years ago. They have a home on Harvard avenue, in this city, where they will make their home.

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 3.—Maximum temperature, 42 degrees; minimum temperature, 18 degrees. High, 35. A. M., 37 feet change in last 24 hours. P. M., 35. Total rainfall since Sept. 1, 1919, 16.83 inches; normal rainfall since September 1, 20.68 inches. Deficiency of rainfall since September 1, 1919, 3.85 inches. Sun, 5:38 A. M. to sunset, 4:38 P. M.; total sunshine, 8 hours 45 minutes. Moon, 12:24 P. M.; moonset, 5:17 A. M. Wind, light variable. Relative humidity, 5 A. M., 72 per cent; noon, 55 per cent; 5 P. M., 61 per cent.

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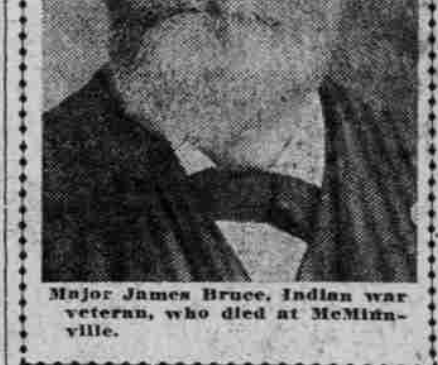
INDIAN WAR MAJOR DIES

CAREER OF JAMES BRUCE IN OREGON IS NOTED.

Service in State Legislature From Both Washington and Benton Counties Recalled.

In the death of Major James Bruce, aged 92, at his home in McMinnville, December 22, Oregon lost another of her prominent state builders. His grandparents were early settlers of Kentucky, his grandmother being a sister of Daniel Boone. His parents, John and Ellen Bruce, were pioneers of Harrison county, Indiana, where James Bruce was born.

In 1846 he came across the plains to California and the next year to southern Oregon where he took an active part in helping to defend the homes of the settlers against the attacks of the Indians in the war of



Major James Bruce, Indian war veteran, who died at McMinnville.

1853 and the Rogue River war of 1855-56. In the last war he was commissioned captain and afterwards major. After the close of this war he came to Benton county where, in 1857, he was married to Miss Margaret Kinney, daughter of Colonel Kinney. She passed away at their home in Washington county in 1884. Major Bruce was a member of the Oregon legislature, both from Benton and Washington counties. In 1876 Governor Thayer appointed him one of the commissioners to represent Oregon at the centennial at Philadelphia. He spent six months there and acted as one of the judges of agricultural implements. During Governor Penney's term, Bruce was appointed delegate to the National Farmers' congress in Iowa. In 1890 he was the candidate of the people's party as representative for congress.

BOYS MAKE BIG PROFIT

EX-SERVICE MEN NET TOTAL OF \$17,008 IN 6 MONTHS.

Hard Work on Farm and Shrewd Trading Prove Profitable for ex-Service Men.

COLTON, Cal., Jan. 3.—This is a story of how two young ex-service men, one from the navy and the other from the army, made \$17,008.42 through six months of hard work and shrewd trading since they left off their uniforms and put on overalls. The young men are Chester Hartley, 25, formerly in the navy, and Mr. Bruce is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Bruce, and one daughter, Miss Sadie Bruce, who is a teacher in the McMinnville high school.

AUTO RUNS OVER MAN

J. R. Clark, 57, Is Injured While at Work on Car.

J. R. Clark, 57, Salmon street, 57 years of age and retired, received serious injuries as the result of a fall beneath his automobile when the car started while he was doing some work on it at his home yesterday afternoon. He was taken to St. Vincent's hospital. He was reported to have suffered injury to the spine and possible internal injuries.

Pruce Orchard Is Sold.

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 3.—(Special.)—The Norman Agee ranch, one of the best pieces of farm property in Douglas county, situated five miles from Roseburg on the Pacific highway and next to the South Umpqua river, was sold yesterday by Attorney Elbert Herzmann to Dr. George J. Bacher, a local dentist. The place contains about 20 acres of prunes.

HOLIDAY TRAINS PUT ON

Railroads Provide Extra Service to Handle Student Travel.

Special trains and extra cars on regular trains will be run by the railroads today for the accommodation of students returning to the various schools and colleges of Oregon. The Southern Pacific will run a special steam train to Corvallis, consisting of five coaches and baggage car, which will depart from the Union station at 4:25 P. M. Another special train for Monmouth will leave the Union station at 3 P. M., consisting of three coaches and baggage car. Special equipment will be carried on regular trains to accommodate the hundreds of students returning to take up their work at the University of Oregon at Eugene.

UMPQUA PARTY IS HOME

Advocates for Harbor Work Are Hopeful After Trip to Capital.

After paying a visit to Washington, D. C., in company with W. P. Reed and J. R. Brown of Reedsport, C. E. Ricker, president of the Port of Umpqua, and a resident of Gardiner, Or., passed through this city yesterday for his home. The delegation went to the capital

STOP AND THINK—KIDNEY DISEASES

Killed 100,000 Last Year

Increasing Death Rate Each Year From Kidney Disease

In our pursuit of the mighty dollar, we too often are absorbed in the topics of the day, pleasure, etc., to stop and consider our health. Stop now—think—kidney diseases caused 100,000 deaths last year. Are you going to be included in this year's toll? Why? You will explain, do so many die; why are the health authorities so concerned? The answer is, we bolt down our food, take no exercise, neglect our sleep and otherwise subject our system to all sorts of abuse. Is it any wonder that the kidneys become diseased and fall in their duties of poison elimination? Poisons are constantly being generated in our bodies and if the kidneys fail to carry them off they are absorbed by the blood, causing ill health and misery in the form of headaches, backaches, tired feeling, indigestion, etc. You may avoid considerable suffering if you heed nature's warning and

How About the High Cost of Living in Your Own Home?

Searching for the truth about increased living expenses, as they concern the average individual home. The Oregonian announces a prize letter contest, for the purpose of receiving testimony that will determine at first hand how rapidly and how far the several items of family expense have aviated.

Write a Letter Today on This Subject:

"Higher Living Costs in the Home"

Weekly Cash Prize Awards Will Be Made

First—\$10 Second—\$5

All letters must deal with the period from 1914 to and including 1919, and should give actual figures regarding the expenditures in the family budget for those years, by way of comparison, to determine the increased cost of living.

The following general rules will govern the nature of the letters and the conduct of the contest:

1—In terms of cash give lump sums expended during the six-year period, by individual years, or by direct comparison of 1914 with 1919, for the following items: Food, rent, fuel, shoes, clothing.

2—Percentages of increase should not be employed. Give as nearly as possible exact annual expenditures for the individual items, showing by comparison the increased cash outlay for actual living expenses.

3—Limit manuscripts to 150 words or less. Value of data given will be considered above mere literary merit.

4—Give full name and address, for information of the contest editor, though same will be withheld from publication if requested.

5—State number in family for each comparative year, rating as adults all over 16 years of age.

6—Write plainly in ink or typewriter on one side of the sheet only, and address all letters to "Contest Editor, The Oregonian, Portland, Or." Information is reserved by the contest editor to use all manuscripts.

From the information thus gathered The Sunday Oregonian, at an early date, will publish weekly the two prize winners and other meritorious letters.

Write Your Letter Now and Win a Prize