

SHORT ORDER HOUSE

I have opened a Short Order Restaurant next door to the Shute Bank and have engaged a competent Chef.

Oysters in all styles

When you are in the city, give us a call. We buy the best the market affords. For good steaks, and an excellent service, in short orders, drop in and see us.

Tables for Ladies. Open until 1:00 A. M.

JOS. H. WILLIAMS

NEW GROCERY

The undersigned has opened a new grocery store in the Pythian Building

And solicits a share of your patronage. A splendid assortment of Staple and Fancy Groceries. I buy the best and sell at the closest possible margin.

New Store—New Goods Give Me a Trial
E. W. MOORE, 2nd St.

MAYS & CONOVER

To the People of Scholls and vicinity: We have invoiced our General Merchandise Stock and find that we are carrying a heavier stock in some lines than we need, and as it is one of our Strong Points in business to cater to the wants of our customers, it is necessary to continually change some lines of goods, therefore we have decided to make

A Big Reduction Sale

IN SOME LINES
And A Closing Out Sale

in other lines, to make room for our new, and up-to-date spring stock which will soon be here. We will start this sale FEBRUARY 1st by giving a 20 per cent discount on all shoes, hats, caps, ladies' and gents' furnishing goods, flannel overshirts, hosiery, etc.

Our shoe stock consists of the famous Stillson, Kellogg, Capon, Gotzean and various other brands, while our underwear line is mainly Munsing, Cooper's, and the reliable Morris Mills goods, all of these goods are clean goods, no dead

STOCK IN OUR STORE
We will also include in this sale about 60 gallons of A-1 harness oil, regular price \$1.00 per gallon, as long as it lasts it goes for 75c, less sale discount, 2 per cent. This sale will continue until our aim is accomplished. WATCH this SPACE for we will add other lines from week to week. Remember we save you one-fifth off regular price on all goods placed on sale this week. We make one price to all. We aim to please.
MAYS & CONOVER, Scholls, Ore.

"Mother Knows"

"I used to complain about the stove—but not since I began using OLYMPIC FLOUR"

—Mother

You always bake successfully when you use Olympic. It is pure and wholesome—nutritious and clean—just what is required to make good things to eat.

Every sack of Olympic is made from most carefully selected Northwestern wheat and manufactured under ideal sanitary conditions—only the plumpest, hardest grains are used, the choicest of the entire Northwestern crop. Insist upon Olympic—there isn't any just as good."

AT YOUR GROCER'S
PORTLAND FLOURING MILLS CO., PORTLAND, OREGON

BIG 1909 TAX NOW BEING PAID

Sheriff Hancock and Corps of Collectors Busy

STARTED WORK THIS MORNING

Sheriff Files \$10,000 Bond With Four Sureties

Sheriff Geo. Hancock filed his bond of \$10,000 last week and on Saturday the county board approved the instrument. The signers qualify in the sum of \$5,000 each and are: A. C. Shute, J. W. Shute, A. S. Shobe, of Cornelius, and E. W. Haines, of Forest Grove.

The sheriff's office this morning commenced the work of collection on the 1909 tax roll, and the amount to be receipted for runs away over \$200,000, including all of the special taxes. The county state and general school, alone, amounts to in the neighborhood of \$100,000, and with all the additional levies—city, road district and school special levies, the tax will be the largest in the history of old Washington.

Frank Stetz, of the Cornelius State Bank, will act as cashier; Chas. Lamkin will keep the cash ledger; and J. B. Wilcox and Walter Hamer will assist Sheriff Hancock and Deputy Wilcox in the collection and writing receipts.

CROWDS HEAR DR. LEWTAS

Six hundred people packed the M. E. church last Sunday night to hear Evangelists Lewtas and Reed. The singing, led by a large chorus, and the sermon by Dr. Lewtas stirred deeply the big congregation. The church was nearly as well filled in the afternoon by the women of Hillsboro, to hear his great lecture on "The Woman for the Twentieth Century."

Dr. Lewtas is an orator of high order, his power of description is great, and never has a church been so filled in Hillsboro for revival meetings as the Methodist church has the past two weeks.

The music, especially the duets and solos of Mr. Lewtas and Mr. Reed, is a prominent feature of the meetings. A handsome Busch & Lane piano, loaned by Mr. Patterson, helps greatly with the music.

On Friday night, Dr. Lewtas will deliver his famous lecture on "The Records of Life," and the citizens of Hillsboro of all churches and classes are urged to be present.

On Sunday, Dr. Lewtas will preach at 11 a. m., lecture at 2:30 p. m., and preach on "Ships We Are Sailing In" at 7:30 p. m.

The afternoon lecture will be to men only. No boys under twelve admitted. His subject will be "The Man for the Twentieth Century." Let all men come.

"If Christ Left Hillsboro, What?" is the subject at the Christian church Sunday night. Mrs. C. G. Esson, State Bible School President, spoke last Sunday night. Hence the pastor will preach on same theme announced for last Sunday night. Morning subject, "Satan's Traps for Young People." Splendid singing from the new song books. Bible school at 10 o'clock; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. You are wanted at all these services.

T. R. Imrie left for Washington, D. C., Tuesday morning, and was accompanied as far as Kirksville Mo. by his niece, Miss Clara Imrie, who visits her sister, Mrs. Elmer Smith, at that place. They went East on the same Pullman with Dr. C. B. Brown, who is a delegate of Portland's Commercial Club, at the national meeting of the auto association.

D. W. Bath and wife returned Tuesday evening from their trip to Southern California and old Mexico. They report a pleasant time, and Mr. Bath says the weather in the South was superb for winter. He says that Oregon, the year round, however, is a pretty good old state. They visited Riverside and Redlands just prior to their return.

Henry Heesacker, of Ve boert, while cutting a fence row near Thatcher, and was carrying an ax on his shoulder, tripped on a vine and was badly cut on the scalp by the blade of the instrument. The cut was above the ear and clear to the skull. Dr. F. A. Bailey attended the patient.

Don't fail to have Dr. Lowe show you the new glasses to be used for all distances. No lines to collect gum and dirt, nor cement to come apart. His new eye glasses will fit most any nose. To inspect them does not obligate to purchase. At Tuslatin Hotel, Hillsboro, Feb. 16.

Edgingham Schiefelin and wife, of Centerville, and who have conducted one of the famous dairies of the county for years, were in the city Tuesday afternoon.

We do not have the new Utah land plaster, but we have the "Nephi," the original Utah land plaster, the kind you have always used, \$13 per ton—C. B. Buchanan & Co., Cornelius, Or. 46-9

Closing Out

-SALE-

WATCH for the Big Circular announcing the closing out of the Entire Stock of

H. WEHRUNG & SONS

BY ELLIOTT BROS.

SALES SPECIALISTS OF PORTLAND

Eggs will be Accepted as Cash. Store will close promptly at 7 p. m., excepting Saturdays. Will be open late Saturday evenings.

WAIT WATCH COME

STORE WILL BE CLOSED FROM DATE UNTIL THE 16TH, AT 9 A. M.

SIRES AND SONS.

Mayor Briemeyer of Detroit likes to talk German to his friends.

Major General Fred C. Ainsworth, adjutant general of the army, gets up at 4 o'clock and takes long walks.

Fred D. Countiss, the new president of the Chicago Stock Exchange, is one of the youngest presidents the organization ever had. He is only thirty-seven years old.

Dr. Jose Figueroa Alcora, who succeeded to the presidency of the Argentine Republic on the death of President Manuel Quintana in 1906, is a lawyer. He still has three years of President Quintana's unexpired term to serve.

The house of lords contains a golfer who may be fairly regarded as its most distinguished as well as its most assiduous devotee of the game. This is Lord Wemyss, who, though he is nearly ninety-one, still plays three or four days a week.

Senator Hernando de Soto Money is a lawyer and not wealthy. He served in the Confederate army and has suffered for years from an injury received while on duty. He was named after the discoverer of the Mississippi river. He was born in the state of Mississippi, and his home is in Mississippi City.

Jacob Schiff of New York, the financier, has given \$50,000 for the establishment of a training school for Jewish teachers. Mr. Schiff is a native of Frankfort-on-the-Main, noted for its production of famous financiers. He came to America in 1865 at the age of eighteen and has lived in New York ever since.

Captain Daniel D. Willard of South Portland, Me., who will be seventy-six years old in March, is the oldest shipmaster in active service on the Atlantic coast. He is six feet two inches tall and bears a strong resemblance to Abraham Lincoln. He has been sailing the schooner Nellie Sawyer for twenty-two years.

Tales of Cities.

Manchester, N. H., has thirty-one public watering troughs.

The city council of Cincinnati is planning a subway to connect the business section of the city with the outlying residential sections.

The Chinese city of Fuchau, which is about the size of St. Louis, gets all its milk through half a dozen "walking dairies"—that is, men who bring cows to be milked in front of customers' houses.

In the wall of a tenement house at Oak and Oliver streets, New York, are five bronze tablets. By these the passerby learns that on the site of the present building stood the tavern in which the evacuation papers were signed Nov. 25, 1783, the day on which the British army left this country.

College and School.

The schools of New York city are woefully overcrowded. The board of trustees of the University of Pennsylvania has authorized the establishment of a bureau or institution of German-American research.

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Marie Montessori, a lecturer in the university at Rome, is said to be the most intellectual woman in Europe.

Miss Helen Taft, the president's daughter, has the credit of being an excellent cook and of being able to make her own clothes.

Miss Anna Dreyfus of Chicago, a teacher of French, has been honored by the decoration of officer d'academie, conferred upon her by the French government.

Mrs. W. Eames Colburn, wife of the head of a Chicago banking firm, has built a modern seven room house for her thirty-five prize cats. The house is fitted up with brass beds, silk draperies and lace curtains.

Mrs. Harriot Stanton Blatch, president of the Equality League For Self Supporting Women, is not yet an American citizen, because she married an Englishman. She has determined, however, to be naturalized in due form, though she would prefer to have congress make her a citizen by special act, as was done in the case of Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris.

Lady Greville is one of the latest additions to England's long list of American bearers of titles. Only a year ago the new Lord Greville was a younger son, but his brother and father have died since, the brother suddenly. Lady Greville is a daughter of the late John W. Grace of New York and the widow of Hugh S. Kerr of New York, who died in 1907.

Law Points.

A loan of money is held in Long versus Lemoyne, 222 Pa. 311, 71 Atl. 211, 21 L. R. A. (N. S.), 474, not to be within the operation of a statute preventing a member of a municipal council from profiting by any contract for the sale or furnishing of any supplies or material to the municipality.

A master is held in Young versus Mason Stable company, 193 N. Y. 188, 88 N. E. 15, 21 L. R. A. (N. S.), 562, to perform his duty to his servant with respect to the inspection of a freight elevator used as an accessory to the general work of the establishment by hiring it performed regularly by professional experts.

Short Stories.

Canada receives \$350,000 a year from her canals.

The total area under cotton in India amounts to nearly 19,000,000 acres.

The Austrian parliament held recently a record continuous sitting of eighty-six hours.

One theatrical manager in New York reserves a box in his house for clergymen and their families one night every week. The rates are shaded, but just how much is known only to the manager, his treasurer and the clergyman.

The Stormy Petrel.

A bird of immense wing power is the tiny stormy petrel, the smallest webfooted bird known. It belongs to every sea, and, although so seeming frail, it breathes the utmost fury of the storm, skimming with incredible velocity the trough of the waves and gliding rapidly over their snowy crests. Petrels have been observed 2,000 miles from nearest land.

Things Theatrical.

William Dwight Moody has written a new play, called "The Rising Generation."

Edgar L. Davenport and Aubrey Bonciantoni are to establish a dramatic school in Philadelphia.

Lillian Russell has scored in her new farce, "The First Night," under the direction of Joseph Brooks.

"Peter Pan" has been revived in London with Pauline Chase in the title role. It was enthusiastically received.

Maudie Raymond will be with Max Rogers in "The Young Turk," which will be produced in New York shortly.

Charles Dillingham's new theater, the Globe, in New York, opened recently with Montgomery and Stone in "The Old Town." The play is by George Ade, with music by Gustave Linares.

Facts From France.

Nearly 316,000 marriages took place in France last year.

Regular theatrical performances are given every year in France in huge ruined theaters built by the Romans.

Flour making in France is the most important industry in the country in amount of capital invested and value of annual output.

The French government takes 15 per cent of all the money staked at the casinos of the seaside and other health resorts on the little horses and other gambling devices. For the season of 1908-9 this percentage amounted to \$943,393, the summer season naturally contributing the greater part—over \$800,000.

Train and Track.

There are in Argentina four broad gauge railroads, three narrow gauge and two English gauge.

Electricity has supplanted gas for car lighting in nearly all state railways of Italy, Switzerland and Denmark.

It has been proved that the great railway terminals, where traffic is constant, where switch engines are shunted back and forth and suburban trains are run frequently, can be operated more economically by electricity than by steam.

Sporting Notes.

The Buffalo Yacht club plans a \$15,000 clubhouse.

The University of Pennsylvania is to go in for indoor track racing next fall.

Hollo, Philippine Islands, has a tennis league made up of eight five man team clubs.

For \$5 Germans may soon be able to take airship excursions from Berlin to Potsdam.

Ram Bux, British Loafer.

A Hindoo baker's assistant in Bombay, on setting up in business for himself, betthought him of catering for the English community as well as for the native one. With this end in view he had the following notification printed over his doorway: "Ram Bux solicits respectful patronage. He is a first class British loafer."

The open American golf champion.