

AMENDMENT NEEDED FOR RECALL LAW, IS ATTORNEY'S OPINION

Attorney General Brown holds
That Names May Be Added to
to or Removed From List.

Salem, Dec. 12.—There should be supplemental legislation to more clearly define the operation of the recall amendment to the state constitution, points out Attorney General Brown in a lengthy opinion completed today for John F. Hall, district attorney for Coos county. District Attorney Hall raised two questions in particular which have been puzzlers in connection with the recall agitation in his county. The first question was whether an elector who signs the recall petition has a right to withdraw his name after the petition is filed. "In the absence of any statute," says

Attorney General Brown in reply, "but from analogy and application of authorities from other states, it is my conclusion that after which, within a period of five days from the signing of the legal petition, containing names of 25 per cent of the legal voters, demanding the recall of a public officer, names may be added to or withdrawn from any such petition."

Replying to another question, the attorney general also holds that a supplemental petition may be filed. This was done in Coos county when so many names were withdrawn from the original petition that it no longer contained 25 per cent of the voters.

The attorney general points out that nearly all other states which have recall provisions in their constitutions have enacted supplemental legislation to make the provisions workable and points out that Oregon has not yet done this.

Advertisers to Meet
Ridgefield, Wash., Dec. 13.—The Seventh Day Adventist church of Ridgefield will commence its annual week of prayer on Saturday evening. A special limited engagement of Evangelist Phil Hayward, has been secured. Saturday evening his subject will be "Smashing the Kaiser's Dream." Sunday evening, "President Wilson and the Peace Conference." Monday evening, "The Millennium." All lectures are free and the public is invited.

HELP PRESERVE PEACE. BUY U. S. S.

Contract Let for Paving Material For Salem Road

Salem, Dec. 12.—An announcement was made today by the state highway department that a contract has been let to the Columbia Contract company for 50,000 yards of road material for use in paving 18 miles of the Pacific highway between Salem and Aurora, and that hauling of material will begin in January.

"We will put material on the ground and set up the paving plant this winter so the work of laying the pavement can be started just as soon as the weather is favorable next spring," said C. A. Dunn, who has charge of highway construction for the highway department. The Salem-Jefferson section of the Pacific highway will not be paved next year, as it has not been graded by Marion county, it was stated.

Baby Girl Born
Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Dec. 12.—Douglas I. Bates, formerly of Portland, is father of an 8½ pound baby girl, Charlotte Imojean, who arrived the morning of December 8. Mr. Bates was graduated from the school of engineering last June and is now an instructor in electrical engineering here.

GREAT DISPLAY OF OREGON CORN MADE AT EUGENE'S SHOW

Western Oregon Counties Well
Represented in Exhibits;
Competition Is Keen.

Eugene, Dec. 12.—"As fine corn as ever was raised in the Missouri river bottoms," is the statement of a Missourian who attended the opening of the Western Oregon Corn show at the Chamber of Commerce here Thursday. While the number of exhibits is not as large this year as last, the quality of the corn is by far superior.

Particular attention is paid this year to the different varieties of corn that are being raised in this section of the state. There are exhibits from nearly all the Southern Oregon counties and as far north as Maric. The varieties consist of Wisconsin 12, Russ Yellow Dent, Leaming, Minnesota 23, Hackberry, Yellow Dent.

The competition in the bushel calls is

keen, the exhibits being of a particular high type, the ears are full and large and the grain symmetrical and solid.

A display of Mexican corn raised by George Taylor of Coburg is interesting as it shows the development of the corn by years. There are also different types of flint corn as well as sweet corn. A new variety of black sweet corn from family use is also attracting attention. It is a Burbank product and raised by Mr. Taylor.

A display of soy beans raised by George Warner shows that this variety can be raised in the Willamette valley. Mr. Warner is the first to make a success in raising the soy beans and used black sticky soil not adapted to other crops.

A silage display of clover, corn, sunflower and wheat demonstrates that corn is not the only good silage crop.

Business Men Are Invited by England

The British consul is authorized to state that it has been decided to grant immediate facilities to leading non-enemy business men who may desire to proceed to England to place orders for after war delivery. Anyone wishing to avail himself of the opportunity should communicate with the British consulate with a view to obtaining the necessary permit from the military control officer.

10 Girls Chosen on Oregon Glee Club

University of Oregon, Eugene, Dec. 12.—Final tryouts for the 10 vacant positions in the women's glee club were held Tuesday night and the selections made. Those chosen are: First soprano, Beulah Keagy, Portland; Jane Murphy, Pendleton, and Margaret Fell, Eugene. Second soprano, Jessie McCord, Cottage Grove; Margaret Phelps, Pendleton, and Lillian Brock, Hood River. First alto, Laura Rand, Portland, and Clara Calkins, Klamath Falls. Second alto, Marvel Skeels, Coquille, and Dorothy Sanford, Portland.

Round Steak 20 Cents
At Frank L. Smith's, 228 Alder street. Veal stew, the kind you like, 12½c. Beef stew, prime, fresh, 12½c. Boiling beef and plate beef 12½c. Buy Smith's pot roast beef, 15c. Soup meat 10c. Corned beef 15c. Very choice oven roast beef 18c. Tenderloin steak 15c. Porterhouse 20c. Choice chops, loin and ribs, 20c. Choice young legs, fat, tender, 20c. Roasts, veal right from the farm, 15c. Veal steak and round roasts 25c. Loin cutlets of farm pork 25c. Veal breasts, fresh and tasty, 15c. Roasts of sweet farm pork 25c. Good cuts—our pork chops 30c. Smith's real pork sausage, fresh, 20c. Absolutely fresh, Smith's Hamburg 18c. Smith's dry salt pork 30c. Wonderful value—Smith's bacon 40c. Pure lard 30c. Shortening, 20c. Frank L. Smith's is 228 Alder st.—Adv.

Governor Harding Strong for Military Training in U. S.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—(I. N. S.)—Denouncing as "sissies" all pacifists, Governor W. L. Harding of Iowa, in addressing the Cook County Real Estate board here, demanded military training for all youths.

"Every American boy should be trained and equipped if the time ever

comes to lick hell out of every enemy," he said. "America ought to be leader of the world. Americans can be the leaders of the world. America will be the leader of the world. It is up to the red-blooded men of America and for them not to let the mollycoddles and sissy boys get into the saddle."

287 Children in District
Joseph, Dec. 12.—According to the November census there are 151 boys and 136 girls in school district No. 6, in which the Joseph school has the only building.

Get "The Return of Tarzan" in Our Book Shop, 75c—See the Picture at the Liberty, Beginning Sunday

Women's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs for 19c

A new shipment of these handkerchiefs just received and just unpacked goes on sale for the first time tomorrow at 19c—they would be low priced at 25c.

Pure linen handkerchiefs in white and colored hand-loom embroidered designs on fine sheer linen. Buy for gifts.

—Meier & Frank's, Handkerchief Shop, Main Floor.



Bring the Kiddies to the West's Greatest Toytown

The West's greatest collection of toys, dolls and games—the newest and best that American makers can produce (and that means the world's best)—is ready to be looked at and admired and chosen from, without limit, tomorrow—Fifth Floor. Santa Claus on our Sixth Floor—10-12, 2-5. A plaything free in the morning to children under 7.

The Christmas Store--Beyond Compare

Remarkable How Many Keen Business Men Wear Our

Suits and Overcoats

At \$35

Men who are good judges of clothing values—men who want clothes of character—men who want clothes that are sound in every way—men who want the substance of fine clothing and NOT the shadow—these men are coming more and more to look upon this Men's Shop, as a place where they can safely buy their clothes.

A large number of such men choose our \$35 line because of the moderate price at which these garments are sold and because all the essentials of GOOD clothing are embodied in every one of our \$35 suits and overcoats.

Men and Young Men

can come here with every assurance of finding at \$35 the suit or overcoat they have in mind. Spirited models emphasizing the snap and vigor that young men demand and plenty of conservative styles for men of more mature ideas. An endless assortment of desirable patterns and colorings. Sizes to fit men and young men of every build.

Christmas Suggestions

Men's Beacon blanket bathrobes in a splendid selection from \$4.85 to \$12.50.
Men's lounging robes—silk, broadcloth, Indian wool robes—\$15 to \$35.
Men's house coats and smoking jackets—a fine assortment—\$6.50 to \$25.
Men's mackinaws in a great variety of patterns, \$10-\$12.50-\$15.
—Meier & Frank's, Men's Clothing Shop, Third Floor.



A Peerless Silk Shirt Value!

Men's Fine SILK Shirts

Establish a New
Low Price Record

\$3.65

Hundreds Will Buy
for Self and Gifts

Please notice that word SILK—and then look at the price again—\$3.65! Of course you'll buy—and if you appreciate good values you'll never be satisfied with one. Realizing that a large number of men buying for their personal requirements and for gifts and women buying for men will be on hand to share in this great silk shirt sale, we've made ample preparations to have customers waited on promptly.

Satin Stripes

add to the effectiveness of these shirts—there are two-tone, tricolor, plain wide and narrow fancy designs. A world of desirable colorings.

All Sizes 14 to 17½

A man can't have too many of these fine tub silk shirts at \$3.65.



—Meier & Frank's, Men's Furnishings Shop, Main Floor.

A Great Sale of Dresses

For Misses and Small Women

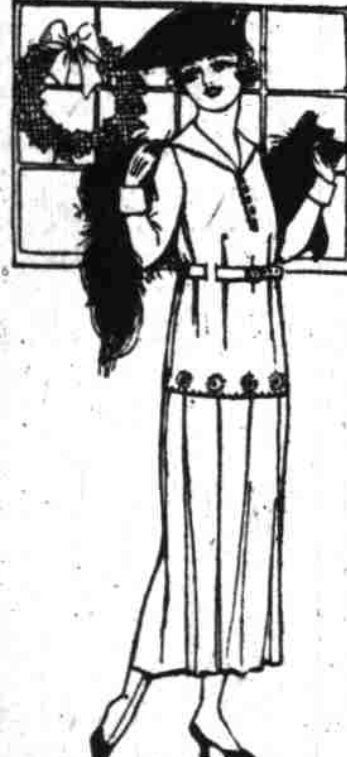
\$15

Were \$20.00 to \$35.00

Many of these are SAMPLES. All are of splendid quality materials and evidence a high character of designing and workmanship. Dresses suitable for all occasions are included at this greatly reduced price—some LESS THAN HALF.

Excellent qualities serge, taffeta, Georgette Crepe combined with satin and foulards. All good, attractive styles—straight line models, Russian blouse effects, guimpes and surplice waists, plain or tunic skirts. The biggest assortment is in the wanted NAVY BLUE.

Mostly one of a style. Sizes 14, 16, 18 years. Remarkable at \$15.



Children's Fine

Coats
\$15.

High-grade materials, smart styles, sizes 2 to 17 years (broken line). Finely tailored coats, showing splendid workmanship throughout. Were \$16.50 to \$21.50. Very special at \$15.

Children's Dress

Coats
\$25

and up to \$65—formerly priced \$35 to \$85. Fine dress coats and capes of velvets, velours and broadcloths, some fur trimmed. Dark and light shades. Sizes 2 to 16 years. A remarkably fine assortment in this sale group.

Children's School

Dresses
\$3.98

Finely serviceable dresses in navy and brown serges, plaids and checks. Regulation and high waisted models. Pleated and gathered skirts with belts and fancy pockets. Sizes 6 to 14 years. \$5 to \$6.50 values \$3.98.

—Meier & Frank's, Second Floor, Fifth Street.

A Special Sale of \$8.50-\$9.75 Wool Auto Robes

For Tomorrow Only
\$6.75

Extra good quality wool hemmed edge auto robes in plain shades of gray, brown, blue and maroon. Good weight, soft, warm robes in large sizes. These robes will give exceptionally good service.

Buy for Christmas gifts in this sale of \$8.50 to \$9.75 auto robes tomorrow at \$6.75.

—Meier & Frank's, Luggage Shop, Sixth Floor.

Groceries

Condensed Milk, Libby or Holly brand, limit 1 case to customer, large cans, case \$6.00, doz. \$1.65, 14c
can
Condensed Milk, Carnation Brand, limit 1 case to customer, small cans, case \$6.00, doz. \$1.65, 14c
four cans
Butter, Blue Ribbon, best quality, freshly churned, \$1.40
2½ lb. roll
Catsup, Del Monte, new pack, large bottle, 25c
Prepared Prunes, Del Monte, cooked ready to serve, large cans, doz. \$2.50, can 19c; small cans, doz. \$1.25, 11c
can
Seeded Raisins, Red Ribbon, new crop, large pkgs., doz. \$1.65, 14c
pkgs.
Mixed Nuts, finest quality, guaranteed new crop, 33c
lb.
Elliott's, best quality, 29c
lb.
Brooms, well made, light weight brooms, each, 79c
Stitches, no-leak tip, one of the best brands, delivered only with other groceries, large box, 5c
—Meier & Frank's, Ninth Floor, Fifth Street.

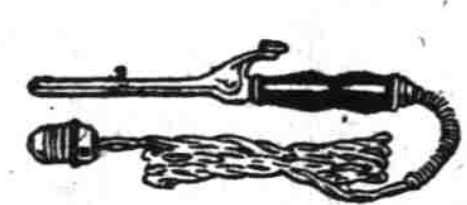
Motor Veils--For Gifts

A motor veil makes a very acceptable and practical gift for a woman. Today we feature two fine groups of motor veils:
Chiffon motor veils with satin borders, 20 shades, 1¾ yards long, \$1.75.
Chiffon motor veils with hemstitched borders, 15 shades, 2 yards long, \$3 to \$5.

—Meier & Frank's, Veiling Shop, Main Floor.

\$5 Electric Curling Irons \$3.89

The popular "Parisian" electric curling irons in medium size. These irons will curl the hair beautifully. Guaranteed for one year. One illustrated. Buy "her" one for Christmas.



Casseroles \$1.59-\$1.98

Attractive casseroles with nickel-plated frames in encaust design, black wood handles and brown and white fire-proof linings. One illustrated. 7-inch size \$1.59, the 8-inch size \$1.98.

This Fine Adjustable Desk Lamp Only \$4.48

The "Plumwood" adjustable electric portable lamps in brushed brass finish. These lamps can be adjusted to almost any angle and position. Wired complete, with chain pull socket, separable attachment plug and 6 feet of silk cord. One illustrated. Buy for gifts at this special price—\$4.48.



\$2.25 Aluminum Tea Kettle \$1.69

Pure aluminum inset tea kettles in the popular paneled shape as illustrated. Capacity of kettle 2 quarts, of inset 1 quart. Tomorrow only \$1.69 instead of \$2.25. Buy for gifts.

—Meier & Frank's, Housewares Section, Basement.

2 Good Specials for Boys

Overcoats \$5.95

Boys' Balmacaan overcoats made by the Oregon City Woolen Mills. In mixtures, plaids and plain colors. All sizes 6 to 14. Worth \$10.00 today.

Suits for \$5.95

Boys' good, serviceable suits in pinch-back and trench styles in checks, mixtures and stripes. Full lined knickerbocker pants. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

Slippers for the Family



We have complete stocks of holiday slippers for men, women and children. Prices are consistently low. A few suggestions:

Slippers \$1.39

Men's house slippers in the Everett and Romeo patterns. Made with leather soles and low heels. Firm wool felt uppers. All sizes 6 to 12.

Women's Felt Slippers Pair 98c

Women's warm and comfortable felt slippers with padded chrome leather soles. Black with gray, red with white, brown with tan and gray with red trimmings. Sizes 3 to 8.

Slippers 69c

Children's good felt slippers with felt soles. The low pattern decorated in Christmas designs. Children's and misses' sizes.

Slippers 69c

Broken lots of Pullman slippers with cases. Made of fine soft kid in brown, tan and red. Mostly women's sizes. \$1 to \$2 values.

Dresser Scarfs at 79c-98c

1500 dresser and buffet scarfs in dozens of designs and styles. With lace edges in Fillet, Cluny and Torchon designs, two and three rows of wide insertions, 45 and 54 inches long. Worth much more. Divided into two lots at 79c and 98c—buy for gifts.

Axminster Rugs Only \$5

36x56 inch Axminster rugs in heather mixtures of all colors. LESS THAN PRESENT MANUFACTURER'S COST in this sale tomorrow at \$5. Buy for gifts.

—Meier & Frank's, Lower Price Store, Basement Balcony.

