

Bond Clothes

\$15 to \$30

THERE are reasons why Bond Clothes are worn by the best dressers. They are the most stylish and accurately tailored ready-to-wear clothes made. These facts you can prove by dropping in here any time—by slipping on a few of these superb garments—by noting what individuality of style, tailoring and fabric they possess.

You'll find such style as you have often hoped for but never realized—style that has permanent beauty, style that you can wear without criticism or a feeling of apology.

Our stock includes models for every figure—short, stout, long and regular—in handsome weaves and fabrics of pure-wool. Now is your opportunity to secure the clever style ideas found only in *Bond Clothes*, with assurance of a perfect fit.

Are You De-footed?

If you are troubled with foot ills—broken down arches, flat foot, etc.—let us fit you with our *Orthopedic Shoe*—constructed along lines to help and cure such ills. Made with special arch, extended rubber heel and long inside counter. Doctors recommend them. Come in and try on a pair. You'll step around with joy.

BOND BROTHERS

Pendleton's Leading Clothiers



Copyright 1916. A. N. Kirschbaum Co.



AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER.
Published Daily and Semi-Weekly at Pendleton, Oregon, by the EAST OREGONIAN PUBLISHING CO.

Official County Paper.
Member United Press Association.
Entered at the postoffice at Pendleton, Oregon, as second-class mail matter.

Telephone 1
ON SALE IN OTHER CITIES.
Imperial Hotel News Stand, Portland, Oregon.
Bowers News Co., Portland, Oregon.

ON FILE AT
Chicago Bureau, 909 Security Building, Washington, D. C. Bureau 501, Fourteenth Street, N. W.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES (IN ADVANCE)

Daily, one year, by mail	\$5.00
Daily, six months, by mail	3.00
Daily, three months, by mail	1.50
Daily, one month, by mail	.50
Daily, one year, by carrier	5.50
Daily, six months, by carrier	3.75
Daily, one month, by carrier	.55
Semi-Weekly, one year, by mail	1.25
Semi-Weekly, six months, by mail	.75
Semi-Weekly, four months, by mail	.50
Daily, three months, by carrier	1.95

THE SONG-SPRITE

There is a bird the traveler hears
In summer coverts deep;
Its lit is weirdly equine,
Where restless shadows creep.
It pipes a plaintive lyric-tone,
By streamlets purling free—
Its message from the vibrant
wood,
Unto the endless sea.
II.
"This sprite is nature's troub-
dour,
That plights a simple song.
An echo from the days of old,
Where runes and legends throng.
Its note is Poesy's ancient thrill,
In conscious wood and stream.
That fain repeats its heritage,
Embalmed in Memory's
dreams."
—O. D. GORMAN.

NOT A PARTY MATTER

IN view of the situation in Mexico and the possibility this country may face trouble with some nation during or following the present war the subject of preparedness is a live one and justly so. On this subject many orators and newspapers have a strong tendency to dwell in glowing terms. Yet the cold facts in the case show that in action neither political party is proceeding as vigorously as might be expected. On the vote upon the increased army bill in the house

yesterday the senate measure was defeated with 30 democrats and 49 republicans voting in the negative. Evidently preparedness is not a partisan matter.

"THE CULT OF SILENCE"

IN a recent address Otto H. Kahn, member of one of the largest banking houses in the country asked the question:

"Why does there exist in the United States, alone amongst the great nations, a widespread suspicion toward the financial community, especially toward the financial activities which focus in New York, the financial capital?" Mr. Kahn then answered his own question by admitting that the cause of suspicion has been the lack of a clear appreciation of what finance means and stands for. "One characteristic of finance heretofore," he said, "has been the cult of silence—to meet attacks with dignified silence. Nothing could have been more calculated to irritate democracy, which dislikes and suspects secrecy. And its instinct is right."

It may be mentioned that there is now less secrecy about finance than obtained a few years ago. The federal reserve law has been an educator in many respects. It gives a line on many things that previously were not well defined or were wholly involved in mystery, as far as the layman was concerned.

Bankers big and bankers small are learning that an open program is safer and more popular with people than the old policy of secrecy.

"None fear the truth save those whom the truth would indict."

THE CROP OUTLOOK

REPORTS from sources that should be authentic show the general crop outlook is fair, though not equal to a year ago. It is estimated that nearly 20% of the winter wheat acreage has been lost and that the coming crop will be over 100,000,000 bush-

els less than a year ago. There is a large surplus, however, left over from last year to offset this decrease. A larger acreage of corn is anticipated owing to the decrease in winter wheat. Cotton acreage thus far reported shows an increase of 7% over last year, when there was a decrease of 14%.

FOOT AND MOUTH EPIDEMIC

THE long fight against the foot and mouth disease is over, according to the authorities at Washington. The Secretary of Agriculture has issued an order which on March 31 removed all foot and mouth quarantines and restrictions against the shipment and movement of live stock. The order signed specifically removes the quarantine from a small territory in Christian County, Ill., the last area which was under suspicion. Along with the removal of this local quarantine, the various Federal orders restricting shipment of cattle are rescinded, so that dealers can now ship their cattle as before the first quarantine was imposed.

Upon notification that the United States is free from the disease, all foreign governments which have placed embargoes on American cattle are expected to remove these

embargoes, so that cattle raisers will then be able to resume shipments to these foreign countries.

FROM THE PEOPLE

QUESTIONS FOR MR. FRUIT.

Pendleton, Ore., May 8.—Editor East Oregonian—I notice in your paper an article written by Mr. Pruitt, in which he has a lot to say about Mr. Strain's belief. I cannot see what Mr. Strain's belief has to do with the bond issue. Why does not Mr. Pruitt disprove them and show why they are incorrect? No doubt Mr. Pruitt can obtain the facts and figures to prove what the actual cost of laying the Columbia Highway was and what was the profits of the Warren Construction Company. Mr. Pruitt appears to be very much interested in the Warren Construction Company and does not want it to appear that the company is making such large profits in laying hard surface roads.

Why don't he give us the exact figures. I wish to ask Mr. Pruitt, who is posing as the attorney for the Umatilla County Good Roads Association, who is paying the rent and the salaries of the 14 typewriters, now employed in the Judd building in sending out letters to the voters of Umatilla county to induce them to vote a million dollar mortgage on their property? I have had some experience in paying for street paving. I owned some property on W. Alta street. The city macadamized it and put me in debt. I struggled with the assessments several years and was compelled to sell out and only get what the first cost of the property and lost the cost of the street paving. I paid for the paving. The rich man rides on it with his automobile and gets the benefit. It

was never one cent of benefit to me. I have paid the Warren Construction charges for paving in front of my wife's property on W. Webb street. I own no real estate in Pendleton, but I own some land in Umatilla county which my country gave me for a homestead for serving my country as a soldier. I served 15 months and was wounded, have a wound that has never healed. I am 76 years old. I don't want a mortgage on my place that I shall never live to see paid. My country promises that we should have justice in the preamble to its constitution. Is it justice for something a person's property for something I don't want and never contacted for. S. P. HUTCHINSON.

A substitute for imported edible gelatin is made in the Philippines from seaweed. The wireless station at Colon at noon each day sends out broadcast forecasts of the weather in the Caribbean, south Atlantic and gulf regions to aid shipping.

Weak Women!

An Oregon Woman Testifies

Lents, Oregon.—"When I was going through the critical time of middle life, I took several bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it helped me wonderfully. I cannot say enough in favor of this medicine. Have also used the 'Golden Medical Discovery' in my home for many years for many different ailments."—Mrs. ELLIS HAROLD, Lents, Oregon.

At the first symptoms of any derangement of the feminine organism at any period of life, the one safe, really helpful remedy is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Tens of thousands of women have taken it with unflinching success for diseases of a womanly nature. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a true friend to women in times of trial and at times of pain when the organs are not performing their functions. For headache, backache, hot flashes, catarrhal condition, bearing-down sensation, mental depression, dizziness, fainting spells, lassitude and exhaustion, women should never fail to take this tried and true medicine.

Prepared from nature's roots and herbs, it contains no alcohol or narcotic, nor any harmful ingredient. Sold in either tablet or liquid form. If your dealer does not keep the sugar-coated tablets, send fifty cents (in stamps) for small box, or \$1.00 in currency for a large box.

Write Doctor Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., to-day. 136 page book on woman's diseases sent free.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little Liver Pills. These tiny, sugar-coated, anti-billions granules—the smallest and the easiest to take. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.



A SCENE FROM "AT BAY" (PATHE) TRIMPL. E TODAY.

"Safety that's sure—Service that satisfies"

A GIFT FOR THE GRADUATE

A Saving Account in this strong National Bank at 4% interest makes a most acceptable graduation gift, not only because of its intrinsic value, but also because it encourages and fosters the habit of thrift and economy. You can open an account with any amount that suits your convenience, \$1.00 or more.

AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK
PENDLETON, OREGON.
4% INTEREST ON SAVINGS 4%

A FRANKLIN SNAP!

The Body of this Car is Gone!

It was run over by a switch engine. The fenders are badly damaged and it does not look good for a pleasure car.

That's Why You Can Buy It Cheap

The motor, frame, axles and wheels are in good condition. It will make an ideal light truck and because all its parts are of the best material and workmanship it will give many years of useful service for light trucking or for farm roust-about service.

See **Pendleton Auto Co.**
Garage, 812 Johnson St. Telephone 541
Show Room, Court and Cottonwood Phone 603