

### Spring Time

is Cleaning Time.

Cleaning Time is  
Papering Time

Papering Time  
is Painting Time

We have a full line of  
Paints and wall papers.

### Perkins' Pharmacy

If we haven't got it  
we'll get it. Ask us.

### Secretary of Navy



Judge Curtis Wilbur, California Supreme Court Justice and a graduate of the Naval Academy in 1888, has accepted the job in President Coolidge's cabinet as the new Secretary of the Navy.

### Smallest Church



St. Anthony's Chapel at Ft. Atkinson, Ia., the smallest church in the world, will seat just eight people. It was built in 1848 by S. J. Huber and John Gartner, who migrated from Ohio.

# Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Wagner of Dallas visited with their daughter in Monmouth Friday. She is a Normal student who lives in the Johnson rooming house.

Mrs. Oestreich and family have moved from the Scott house to the Egelston house.

Rev. Len B. Fishback of Hillsboro was a visitor with friends and relatives in Monmouth Friday.

A. Parker, rural carrier in the Milwaukie postoffice spent Memorial day with his family in Monmouth.

M. J. Butler of Monmouth, Roy Walker and Clyde William of Independence and their families spent the week-end in the vicinity of Bar View. They caught steelheads, dug clams and caught crabs and report a fine time in general.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCreedy of Corvallis spent Memorial day at Mrs. G. T. Boothby's.

William Wallace of Beaver, a nephew of Mrs. N. Boche, is here to spend the summer with the latter.

Ira C. Powell and A. M. Arant and families spent Memorial Day in the vicinity of Pedee.

Mrs. H. E. Gutrie is the proud possessor of a new Decker piano.

Mrs. Chester Henkle of Dallas was a visitor during the past week with Mrs. M. A. Simpson.

Mr. Echols of Canby has been the guest of his brother-in-law, J. T. Bullock and family in Monmouth this week.

Lloyd B. Hesse of Bandon was the week-end guest of his sister, Mrs. A. H. Craven and family. He was on his way to Belknap Springs for a hunting trip with friends from Curry county.

Mr. Boulware is moving his household goods from Cherry Grove to his new home in Monmouth.

### Joint Picnic

A joint picnic, combining the Grange and the Farmers' Union is to be held Saturday, June 14 in the city park in Dallas. Editor Brady of the Salem Statesman is to be speaker of the day and there will be program of sports in the afternoon. This will include a base ball game between Dallas and Salem.

### NOW THEY'RE MAKING GAS OUT OF DRY WHEAT STRAW

The United States Bureau of Chemistry announces the discovery of a method whereby a ton of sundried wheat straw is said to yield 10,000 cubic feet of illuminating gas, 10 gallons of tar and 6.25 pounds of carbon residue.

The bureau intimates that some day we may see motorists buying gas by the cubic foot from the local gas company, instead of gasoline by the gallon from the service station. Cars have been operated by gas experimentally, the gas being carried in a rubber storage bag. A car carrying 300 cubic feet of gas can run about fifteen miles it is said.

Elmer Hastings of Pedee spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Elkins.

Hemstitching done. 8 cents per yard. Shop 242 East Main Street.

# Women's Voile Dresses

Lovely summer dresses of beautiful dotted and flowered voile, trimmed with soft lace  
Simple becoming styles

### PARASOLS

For the Kiddies

45c

Attractive patterns and colorings.

Little Folks like to imitate their elders. Make them happy with one of these.



\$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.25

### DECORATIVE BASKETS

One Half Price

Assorted shapes and sizes

Values \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$1.50

All exactly half price.

### PICNIC NEEDS

- Jelly ..... 15c
- Marmalade ..... 20c
- Ripe Olives ..... 25c
- Green Olives ..... 37c
- Deviled Meat ..... 5c
- Tuna Fish ..... 16c
- Lobsters ..... 59c
- Dill Pickles ..... 28c
- Stuffed Olives ..... 24c
- Pimiento Marrones ..... 13c
- Sandwich Spread, a delicious combination of pimientos, ripe olives and genuine sardines ..... 15c

### NEW FIBER SWEATERS

New. Sleeveless. Sweaters. Just the thing for summer wear. All the wanted colors. Latest creations from the Columbia Mills. Priced so reasonably that your pocketbook will not miss the cost.

\$3.00 \$4.00 \$6.00

### MODISH COLORS

#### Holeproof Hose

Light and medium weights in the famous Holeproof quality.



Black, white, beige, peach, gray, bobolink, polo, Cordovan, African, otter, Log cabin, grey, suede, camel, and jack rabbit.

\$1.65 and \$2.00

## Remnant Sale

Hundreds of Remnants ready for your choosing. Tables are piled high with desirable merchandise of all kinds. The biggest Remnant Sale we've had for many a day.

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| REMNANTS OF    | REMNANTS OF    | REMNANTS OF  | REMNANTS OF | REMNANTS OF    |
| —Dress Goods   | —Wash Goods    | —Outing      | —Challis    | —Marquissettes |
| —Silks         | —Sheetings     | —Indian Head | —Voiles     | —Cretannes     |
| —Silk Mixtures | —Muslins       | —Madras      | —Crepes     | —Table Damask  |
| —Linings       | —Nainsooks     | —Tissues     | —Scrims     | —Towelings     |
| —Longcloth     | —Pillow Tubing | —Percales    | —Swisses    | —Oilcloths     |

Every Piece Marked at a Special Low Price

Monmouth.



Oregon

## Porch Furniture

We are now showing a line of Reed and Grass Furniture for the Porch and invite your inspection.

We have some very good, comfortable Rockers at attractive prices.

We will buy your old Furniture, Cash or Trade.

## Moore & Addison

Independence Oregon

Kenneth McReynolds of Cottage Grove was a guest last Sunday of Miss Elsie Canterbury.

Get your hemstitching done at the White Novelty shop, 242 E. Main.

### The Right Kind of Folks.

One of the most successful real estate operators in the United States once told me:

"Give me 50 families of the right sort who will agree to live in a new locality, and there will be no trouble getting plenty more to live there. People who are wholesome, orderly, pay their bills promptly, like artistic homes and well-kept lawns, will always attract others."—Fred Kelly in the Nation's Business.

### Date Palm a Beauty.

To the date palm is given the praise of being the most beautiful of all palms, and although as a family they are foreign-born, they have taken happily to the new world.—Nature Magazine.

CULTURE often makes cowards of the best of men. It tends to blind their thoughts to the triumphs of the past rather than to the possible achievements of the future. It makes them slaves to established codes. It throws a cloud of suspicion over innovation. It makes them afraid of a new idea.

They were the scholars of Athens who fed Socrates poison. They were the scholars of Italy who lit the fagots at the feet of Savonarola. The wise men of Spain jeered at Columbus. Cultured England laughed at Darwin. Schooled scientists scoffed at Harvey's theory of blood circulation, at Watt's tea kettle engine, at Whitney's machine that could sew, at Daguerre's sun picture, at Bell's telephone and at Edison's talking machine. A quarter of a century ago a professor of physics at the University of California "proved absolutely" that it was a physical impossibility for man to fly. But the Wright boys showed that this professor was a slave to his culture.

Every great triumph in the world's history has fought its way over the boundaries of temporary failure and gained its goal in spite of the scoffs of the "cultured."

Society's pet is seldom a prophet. True talent is discovered tardily. To possess all its accumulated knowledge of the past does not make a man great. We are measured not by our accumulations but by our contributions. The brains that are remembered are those which had not knowledge but the patience and

the confidence to pursue unabated a great plan or purpose and create knowledge.

Because a fellow is doing something different from what has been done, don't be too quick to call him crazy. Time may make you the bigger fool of the two for having rejected his idea before understanding it.

It's the fellow who sails a new sea who discovers a new shore. It is the fellow with originality whom the world most needs.

If a man's faith in his new scheme can stand the acid test of the unthinking sneer, he may live to benefit the world. The fellow who is afraid to depart from convention, and who is afraid to do something different for fear he may be laughed at, is a craven no matter how much he may know.

The men and women who acquire knowledge that they may be respectable, who look to the past that they may be comfortable in the present, without any thought of duty to the future, who study merely for the mental gymnastics of training their minds and who are afraid to use the mind when trained, are about as effective as an army which has learned to march by marking time.

Learn not only to fill your head but to use your head. Don't be afraid to beat out a new path. The beaten paths are overcrowded.

The pioneer's path is always hard but it is the pioneer who finds new fields and new benefits and whom in the end the world most honors.