

Grand January Clearance Sale Every Article In The Store Reduced

Except a few contract goods, the prices of which are made by the manufacturer

This Sale Begins Tomorrow and Continues Until Further Notice

Watch the Evening Paper for Special Prices and Sales

Eugene's Largest and Best Store

The Friendly Store

Your Money's worth or your money back

594-596 Willamette St.

PERSONALS

Melvin Bliss, of Acme, is in Eugene on business.

Miss Carrie Martin returned to Harrisburg today.

Mrs. D. A. Paine went to Portland today on a short visit.

H. L. Rahn, of Junction City, was in Eugene yesterday.

A. Welan and J. O. Storey returned to Portland last evening.

F. J. Hard arrived down from Cottage Grove this noon.

Joseph Nurte has left for Carroll, Iowa, on a business trip.

Claude Spencer went to Wendling this afternoon on business.

Mrs. Fannie Barger returned this noon from a visit at Roseburg.

Mrs. T. A. Gilbert returned last night from a visit to Portland.

Geo. J. Post and wife, of Yoncalia, are in the city for a few days.

Mrs. C. T. Clark returned home last night from a visit at Spokane.

Archie Knowles, of Mapleton, is visiting in the city for a few days.

Miss Ita Hendershott returned this afternoon from a visit in Salem.

A. C. Nielson and J. P. Jensen, of Junction, were in Eugene yesterday.

Professor J. M. Widmer, of Seattle, is visiting his folks near Eugene.

Bruce Kurdy and wife, of Parma, Idaho, are registered at the Hotel Gross.

Potter Palmer, Jr., and W. A. Sumner went to Portland today on business.

C. Cole and wife, of Marcola, were in Eugene over night, returning home this afternoon.

Glen Searle, a former Eugene printer, is here from Everett, Wash., visiting friends.

Miss Minnie Chambers went to Cottage Grove this afternoon to visit friends a few days.

Rudolph Brand, of Florence, left last night for Pendleton, where he will attend school.

Jack Jensen, of Portland, after a visit with his folks on Fern Ridge, returned home today.

C. L. Williams left this afternoon for Wildwood to look after his logging contracts there.

County Surveyor C. M. Collier and three sons have gone to Black Butte to do some surveying.

E. L. Campbell returned last night from Portland, where he transacted business for several days.

Miss Eleanor Mack arrived down from Drahn on the noon train today to visit friends a few days.

Mrs. S. B. Flanagan arrived home this afternoon from a week's visit with her folks at Corvallis.

Rev. D. C. Kellems arrived home today from Athens, where he has been holding a revival meeting.

Fred Moulton is in Portland, where he is acting as referee in the Multnomah-St. Louis game this afternoon.

But Standish went to Albany last night to play on the Albany football team in a game today with Independence.

Miss Helene Robinson returned this afternoon from Albany, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. V. Litter.

F. F. Morse and wife, of Illinois, who have been visiting Mr. Morse's

brother in Eugene, leave tonight for Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fisher, of Roseburg, left for home today after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fisher in this city.

Misses Ada, Pauline and Claudia Powell and brother, Noble Powell, returned to Junction today, after a visit with friends here.

Obil Shattuck, John Melhase and Ray Loosely, O. A. C. students who have been visiting friends in Eugene, returned to Corvallis today.

S. B. Davidson, after a visit at the home of his father, T. B. Davidson, in Eugene, left this afternoon for Tacoma, where he is employed.

Walter Forblin, manager for Gloria Dare, who will give an entertainment here on January 3 under the auspices of the Eugene Military band, is in the city.

Miss Waver Strelitz, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. LaPorte, in Eugene, returned home to Albany today. Mrs. LaPorte accompanied her.

Mrs. Mary Benson arrived here last night from Cardington, Ohio, and will reside here. She is the mother-in-law of John H. Hartog, manager of the Eugene Commercial Club. They have leased the Minnie Washburne residence at the corner of East Eleventh and Patterson streets.

DIED.

At Dayton, Ohio, a few days ago, Mrs. Geo. E. McDonald, wife of a former pastor of the U. M. church of Eugene. There are no particulars of the death. The news was received by those from Philomath yesterday by Rev. McDonald's brother, who works in the Hampton Bros. store. The remains will be brought to Oregon and interred at Philomath, the former home of the deceased.

At the Eugene hospital this morning at 6:30 o'clock of cancer of the stomach, Carl Rice, of Mapleton, aged thirty-one years. He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rice, and three brothers and four sisters, as follows: Peter S., Olaf, Otto, Pauline, Mary, Jennie and Althea, all of Mapleton. The funeral will be held Friday at 10 a. m. with interment in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. The services at Gordon's undertaking chapel will be conducted by Rev. Dommersmae, and the ceremonies at the grave by the Odd Fellows, the young man having been a member of the lodge at Mapleton.

LADD AGREES TO STAND BACK OF DEFUNCT BANK

Portland, Dec. 31.—W. M. Ladd has agreed to take over the assets of the Ross bank and pay all its deposits within three years.

Details of the plan will be arranged today at a conference between a committee of depositors, agents of Mr. Ladd, John Manning, district attorney, and W. C. Bristol, special



DR. WALTER R. GILLETTE. Mutual Life official who demands a new trial.

counsel for the state, and for the American Surety Company.

Mr. Ladd will not be prosecuted, but officers of the bank, Mr. Manning says, will be indicted next Monday.

Investigation of the smashed bank's accounts will be continued, in order to gather evidence for the prosecution. Officials involved are J. Thoburn, Ross, George H. Hill, T. T. Burkhart, J. E. Alchison and F. M. Warren.

Experts continue to dig up sensations in the bank's accounts and to confirm the knowledge that its dealings were the most scandalous Portland has ever seen.

LADD CONSIDERS TERMS ARE DRASTIC

Final terms of the Ladd guarantee of the Title Bank deposits will not be reached before tomorrow afternoon, says the Oregonian.

Mr. Ladd has asked for time in which to consider the demands of two parties, the American Surety Company and a committee of depositors.

The surety company demands his assumption of its obligation to pay the state \$295,910.48, on or before December 31, 1909, at 5 per cent interest, that being the balance for which the company admitted liability under its bond; also payment within reasonable time of \$100,000, which the company has paid the state.

The committee of depositors demands payment of all deposits of \$100 or less within 60 days; deposits between \$100 and \$500, in two annual installments, and deposits in excess of \$500 in three annual installments—all of which deposits are to bear 4 per cent interest.

These demands are regarded by Mr. Ladd as rather drastic, and some of his advisers urge him to resist them. He conferred yesterday with W. C. Bristol, attorney for the surety company, without reaching an agreement. In the conference with the depositors' committee he was represented by W. B. Ayer, who also reached no settlement.

WHAT CAUSES INDIGESTION

To Be Cured Weakness of Stomach Muscles Must Be Overcome.

The chief cause of indigestion is weakness of the stomach muscles and lack of gastric juices.

By taking Mio-na stomach tablets the stomach muscles will be stimulated and strengthened and the flow of gastric juices will be increased. Mio-na does not do the stomach's work; it makes the stomach strong enough to do it, and in this way completely cures the weakness so there is no further need of medicine.

No matter how severe a case of stomach trouble you may have, Mio-na will cure it by strengthening your digestive system so that both the stomach and bowels do their work as they should.

Hull's drug store sells Mio-na in 50 cent boxes and guarantee to refund the money if the remedy does not cure.

A CURE FOR MISERY

"I have found a cure for the misery malaria produces," says R. M. James, of Louellen, S. C. "It's called Electric Filters and comes in 50 cent bottles. It breaks up a case of chills or a bilious attack in no time and it puts yellow jaundice clear out of commission." This great tonic medicine and blood purifier gives quick relief in all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, and the misery of lame back. Sold under guarantee at W. A. Kuykendall's drug store.

RANK FOOLISHNES

When attacked by a cough or a cold, or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery," says C. O. Eldridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have used New Discovery for seven years, and I know it is the best remedy on earth for coughs and colds, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. My children are subject to croup, but New Discovery quickly relieves every attack. Known the world over as the king of throat and lung remedies. Sold under guarantee at W. A. Kuykendall's drug store. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

EVERY SALOON IN GEORGIA CLOSES TONIGHT

Atlanta, Dec. 31.—At 10 o'clock tonight every saloon will close permanently, or until the prohibition act is repealed, unless the injunction proceedings now being considered in the United States court restrain the enforcement of the state act.

WEEKLY REPORT OF EUGENE MARKET

Chittim bark—6 @ 6 1/2 c.
Wool—20 @ 21c.

Poultry, Eggs, etc.

Eggs—Per doz., 25c.
Dairy butter—Per roll—50 @ 55c.
Creamery Butter—Per roll, 60 @
Hens—Per lb., 9c.
Frys—Per lb., 9c.
Geese—Per lb., 7c.
Ducks—Per lb., 9c.
Turkeys—Per lb., 12 1/2 c.

Fruits, Vegetables, Etc.

New Potatoes—60c per cwt.
Onions—Per lb., 2 1/2 c.
Lemons—Per case, \$4.50.
Oranges—\$2.

Livestock Market.

Steers—Per lb., 3c.
Good cows—2 @ 2 1/2 c.
Good prime dressed veal—5 @ 6c.
Mutton on foot—Per lb., 3 1/2 @ 4c
Fat hogs—4 1/2 @ 5c.
Fat hogs, dressed—6c.

Grain and Feed.

Flour—\$4.25.
Oat hay—\$16.
Cheat hay—Per ton, \$15.
Timothy hay—Per ton—\$15.
New oats—Per bu., 42c.
Brass—Per ton, \$22.
Mixed feed—Per ton, \$26.
Shorts—Per ton, \$28.
New Wheat—Per bu., 75c.
Rolled barley—Per ton, \$35.
Chopped feed—\$31 per ton.

PORTLAND MARKET REPORT.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 1.—Very little business has been transacted in the wheat market this week. The holiday sentiment pervades the trade in general and everyone is waiting for the opening of the new year. Prices are more or less nominal as a result, but the undertone of the market continues quite firm. The farmers who still have possession of their crops have entire confidence in the future of the market and are making no sacrifices. In the trade a more or less bullish view is also taken. The overall condition of the American crop is relied upon to have its effect later.

At the moment, the news from Argentina is the leading factor in the market. The harvest has not progressed far enough to make anything certain in that country, and even with normal exportable surplus, it is figured that with market conditions as they exist in other parts of the world, values must be remembered that while the harvest may have commenced in the extreme northern edge of the wheat belt, it will not be finished in the southern provinces before the middle of January. A great deal of the crop is still in the milk and will not be out of danger for some time. The situation in Argentina is just as it is in the country when Texas commences to harvest in June, and the remainder of the Winter wheat belt has its most dangerous season before it.

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He declared that many officials of the navy, including himself, had notified the department of these faults.

CONTRACT MADE FOR UNBORN CHILD.

Salt Lake, Utah, Dec. 30.—To carry out her part of a contract on record at the county offices here and in Portland, Mrs. A. A. Bird, wife of Dr. Bird of Murray, near here, left today for Seattle. When she returns she will bring with her a baby girl born December 7. The mother of the child is Mrs. Mary Owen of Portland.

The consideration is that Mrs. Bird pay all hospital expenses of Mrs. Owen during sequestration. The contract is signed in the presence of W. Davis and A. L. Rix, and was drawn up by E. H. Rix of Portland.

Dr. and Mrs. Bird have a family of their own.

CLYDE PAYNE ACTING PRESIDENT OF NORMAL

Salem, Or., Dec. 31.—The executive committee of the state normal schools has elected C. E. Payne, of the department of science at Ashland Normal, to serve as acting president for the remainder of this year in the place of B. F. Mulkey, resigned.

Mr. Payne is a University of Oregon graduate and a star athlete while here.

NORMAL SCHOOL OFFERS SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES

The Southern Oregon State Normal school at Ashland offers special opportunities for teachers to review for the teachers' examinations in February and August, and to take work in pedagogy and special methods in teaching the various grades of the training school. Since the public schools of Oregon are calling for teachers who can teach manual training, many are taking advantage of the industrial work lately installed in the school. Expenses of board and lodging and tuition nominal.

The State Normal School at Ashland is enjoying the largest appropriation of state funds ever granted a normal school in the history of Oregon. Catalogues sent on application to the president. J31

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Eugene, Or., Jan. 1, 1908.

The following letters remain in the Eugene, Or., postoffice, uncalled for:

Bingham, Bell.
Bolin, Mrs. Olive.
Clover, Ray.
Colby, Nellie.
Cornwall, Dud.
Currie, Mrs. W. W.
Deinkhard, J. J.
Edwards, Wm.
Einfeldt, Frank.
Fitzpatrick, E. C.
Gowdy, Reid.
Harry, Wm. T.
Hickey, J. F.
Hunt, Alma.
Huron, Dane.
Jones, F. R.
Mesplie, August.
Miller, Jake.
Roes, H. H.
Sampson, R. E.
Seawall, Chas.
Wallan, M. P.
Warn, W. M.
Williams, Neil.
Wood, F. N.

Parties calling for the above will please say "advertised."

J. L. PAGE, P. M.

EIGHTH GRADE EXAMINATIONS

The eighth grade final examinations for the public schools will be held

January 23, 24,
May 14, 15,
June 11, 12.

Teachers who have pupils ready for the examination should notify me of the number of questions wanted and the name of the person appointed to conduct the examination at least 15 days before the date for which the questions are wanted.

W. B. DILLARD,
County Superintendent.

RESUME WORK ON SPRINGFIELD LINE VERY SOON

President J. O. Storey and Vice President A. Welch, of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern railway, arrived up from Portland this afternoon to look after the company's affairs here. To a reporter Mr. Welch stated that the company expects to resume work on the electric line to Springfield in a very short time, although no definite date has been set. It is thought by the opening of spring that cars will be running into Springfield, if the bridge is completed by that time.

RAILROAD COMMISSION FILES ANNUAL REPORT

Fifty-five and one-half miles of new railroad was built in Oregon during the year closing last night. The longest piece of new track laid was 14.24 miles, built by the Malheur Valley Railway Company, from Malheur to Vale. The remainder of the new construction consists of small pieces of track, part of which was built by logging roads. The total railway mileage of the state is now 2122.31 miles.

These figures are given in the first annual report of the railroad commission of Oregon to the governor. The report recites the work of the organization during the last year, telling of the complaints filed against the railroads of the state and the work accomplished in bettering conditions on the railroads of Oregon during the year.

No recommendations are made in the report, the commission deeming it best to withhold recommendations until the next legislative year. The report says in this connection: "In view of the fact that there will be no regular session of the legislative assembly for more than a year, and also that the railroad commission act has been in effect for comparatively short time, we think it advisable not to make any recommendations as to the amendment of the railroad laws of the state until our next annual report."

Fruit-growers Attention.

A mass meeting of fruit growers and other citizens will be held January 4th, at the county court house. Prominent men will deliver short addresses on various subjects of interest to you. But to make the meeting still more interesting, you are requested to send in some questions or questions which you would like to have the speakers answer. You are requested to send these in writing without delay to Mass Meeting Department, Commercial Club, Eugene, OREGON.

THE COMMITTEE.

No sitting up with the Petaluma incubator. You light the lamp—it does the rest. All sizes at Chambers Hardware Co.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Timber Land Act, June 3, 1878—United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Dec. 20, '07.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878 entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Augustus E. Whitaker of Waiilatpu, county of Lane, State of Oregon, filed in this office his sworn statement No. 8785 for the purchase of the SW 1-4 of Section No. 32, in Township No. 19 south, Range No. 7 West, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Eugene, Oregon, on Friday, the 6th day of March, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Henry Hinkson of Alma, Oregon, Clair Hinkson of Alma, Oregon, William H. Salter of Alma, Oregon, and Sidney Porter of Waiilatpu, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 6th day of March, 1908.

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Now Is The Time.

An early start and a definite plan goes far toward assuring success to the young man or woman starting out in life.

No need of being "stingy," neither should you be a "spender."

The sensible and easy means of creating a fund for your future needs is to open an account with this bank; deposit whatever you can each week or month.

Stick to it, and in time your success will be assured.

Begin now, with the new year, and you will never regret it.

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W. E. BROWN, President. F. W. OSBURN, Cashier.
D. A. PAINE, Vice President. W. W. BROWN, Asst. Cashier.