

Extra Values in Fur Sets

\$9.00 set of furs. Muff and collar, new 1910 goods, strictly up-to-date, latest models, satin lined. extra good values at regular price. One day you can save \$1.50 per set. Wednesday we will sell any one of these \$9.00 sets for \$7.50 each.

Remnants From All Over The Store at One-Half Price

Wool remnants, black, white and colored. Wash goods of almost every description are included in this 1/2 price sale. Pick out as many as you like, there's no restriction. There all marked plain. cut the price in two, you pay half no more

You Cannot Get Along Very Well

These days without an umbrella. Our assortment is large and varied.

We have them for Children at \$1.00, 75c and 50c
Larger ones for the older members of the family at \$7.50, \$6, \$5, \$4, \$3.50, \$2.50, \$2, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1 and 75c



Simplex Folding Umbrella

An indispensable article for one who travels; can be folded so small as to be carried in an ordinary suit case. So simple a child can operate it. Come in and let us show one to you—we'll not urge you to take it. They cost \$3.50



Simplex Folding Umbrella

Persian Silks

In a great assortment every few days. New patterns, new combinations of colors, charming, exquisite shades, very tempting; wonderfully priced at the yard \$1.25

New Plaid Silks, with Persian effects; come in a beautiful combination of colors; come in waist lengths of four yards. The pattern \$5.00

Gordon Furs Have Stood the Test

Of thirteen years.

We handled this make of furs all these years, can recommend them to our many patrons because we know they are right. Is our experience worth anything to you? We will guarantee every piece that leaves the store. Get your Furs of us. THEY WILL BE SATISFACTORY.

Muffs \$2.50 to \$40.00
Neck Pieces \$2.50 to \$40.00



You May Never Have Thought

As having anything to do with maintaining quality in merchandise; but if you get poor stuff in clothes, you have only yourself to blame.

If you are willing to pay the price of having all-wool clothes, and then get, and wear, a cotton mixture, it is your own fault. You can just as well have all-wool.

Hart, Schaffner & Marx

clothes are all-wool, and when you find their mark in a garment you know, without asking any questions, that you're getting the best clothes made.

It's such an easy way of being sure of quality, it's a wonder everybody doesn't adopt it.

We sell Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits at \$20.00 to \$40.

This store is the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes.

OUR BOYS' CLOTHING THE MOST DURABLE

Having the three best and busiest stores in the three best towns in the best county of Oregon, and doing such an enormous business, we are able to handle the best clothing made in such large quantities as to obtain the very lowest prices. Selling these for CASH ONLY, we make lower prices, give better quality, than is possible to obtain elsewhere. Try us for your boys' clothing next time and be convinced. Good serviceable school clothes for boys of 6 to 14 years at \$3.50. Better qualities at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.50

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COTTAGE GROVE

HAMPTONS

WHERE
CASH BEATS
CREDIT

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ABRAHAM BREAKS OUT AGAIN

Albert Abraham, of Roseburg, who helped Jay Bowerman assembly candidate, to secure the nomination for governor, by running against Judge Dimick and thus splitting the anti-assembly vote, and who is now engaged in openly assisting the assembly candidates, whom he pretended to oppose before the primary, is out in a letter to the morning paper attacking the editor of The Guard for alleged inconsistencies. He says:

"You virtuously profess to be against corporate rule and against judges and legislators who can be controlled by them. Then why do you support Hamilton, president of a national bank, for years vice-president of the National bank, friend of the Southern Pacific company and Oregonian Publishing company, corporation lawyer, one of the promoters of the water and light trust a few years ago in Roseburg, and the very incarnation of everything you condemn, as against Benjamin F. Jones, republican nominee, a poor man, who has all his life been a champion of the plain people?"

Judge Hamilton may be president of a national bank, but it is the first time we have known of the banking business being alluded to as something to be ashamed of. In fact, we had always supposed that a man could be a banker and be just as honest and as good a citizen as a merchant or even a peanut politician like Abraham and his protegee, Jones. Judge Hamilton has never sought to conceal this fact, and so far as we can see has as much right to invest in bank stock as another has to buy real estate, make mortgage loans, or engage in merchandising.

As to Judge Hamilton's connection with the Southern Pacific, or any other corporation, that is just an ordinary falsehood. His record on the bench speaks for itself; it is a record of fair, impartial and honest decisions, based on the law and evidence. The members of the bar in this district know it, and it is Judge Hamilton's dislike of pettifogging methods of practice that has caused a little band of small calibre lawyers in Roseburg, of whom Abrahams is one, to make an attempt to defeat him at the polls.

This man, Ben Jones, who is a plain man of the people, according to his friend, Abraham, has never practiced law enough to entitle him to good standing in justice court. He is a professional politician who used to hold office over in Lincoln

and Benton counties as a democrat. Then he flopped and managed to keep on sucking public pap as a republican. He was just recently appointed to a position in the Roseburg land office. He may be a poor man, as Mr. Abraham says—we don't know—but if he had possessed the least business sense, or been more temperate in his habits, he has drawn salary money enough to become rich and the owner even of bank stock.

Mr. Abraham, in his letter, accuses the editor of The Guard of being a democrat in disguise. Well, we are not worrying much about what kind of a political brand is placed upon us—democrat, socialist, republican or mugwamp. What's in a name, anyway? There are certain political principles and ideals that we propose to advocate; one of them is the right of the people to govern themselves through the direct primary; another, when we have an able, honest judge on the bench to keep him there, regardless of the howls of the party bosses who would grab even the sacred place of the jurist, in order to give the salary which accompanies it to some petty but active politician.

Mr. Abraham was hopelessly beaten for governor in his own home county, where he was born and raised, and the people there know that his opposition is an excellent reason for re-electing Judge Hamilton.

THE ENTERPRISE OF EUGENE PEOPLE

The Medford papers have a habit of belittling every other portion of the state. They refer to the Willamette valley as being peopled with "mossbacks," and profess to believe that Oregon has no enterprising citizenship outside of Jackson county.

As a matter of fact, can Medford's record for enterprise be compared at all favorably with that of Eugene? Let us see.

During the past three years Eugene has paved six miles of streets, and paid for it without issuing any general bonds, and only a small amount against the individual property owners; has built and is operating fifteen miles of street railway for which it was necessary to raise some \$50,000 in subsidies; has built a hotel with local capital which called for a total investment of \$175,000; erected and paid for in cash a \$50,000 Y. M. C. A. building, and purchased and improved county fair grounds, involving an expenditure of probably \$30,000.

During the same period two million dollars were expended in building operations by individuals, while the school district has built two large modern schools, and the city has purchased the water system for \$140,000 and is expending \$160,000 on an electric power plant.

This is the record for enterprise, public and private, which no city of similar size in the Northwest can excel, and, indeed, few others can equal it. The people of Eugene are laying broad and deep and permanent the foundation for a city of first-class importance. They have faith in the future and that faith is fully justified by the trend of events.

No city in the Northwest is the center of more active railroad operations than Eugene, and railroads contribute more than any other one factor to the building up of cities. A vast territory of wonderful natural resources is tributary to this

city, location makes it a logical railroad centre, and its educational advantages attract the best type of citizenship.

The day of the "mossback" in Eugene is past; the people feel that the future holds in store great possibilities of growth and prosperity, and are doing all in their power to hasten the development and to secure those things essential to metropolitan importance.

OREGONIAN AND PARTY HARMONY

It was not very many weeks ago that the Oregonian said editorially:

"Republicans of Oregon intend to repudiate Statement One. They intend to suggest in assembly or convention candidates, for the principles, AND WILL PUT THE KNIFE INTO EACH AND ALL WHO DECLARE FOR STATEMENT ONE."

Now it seems, however, that the Oregonian editor has laid aside the habiliments of war, washed off the war paint, sheathed the big knife that he proposed to use for slaughtering Statement One Republicans, and is preaching peace and harmony and brotherly love.

Why this change of heart? Is it because the head of the ticket, Jay Bowerman, is an assembly, anti-Statement One man, and that every effort must be made to pull him through at the polls, along with a lot of assembly candidates for the legislature? If this is the game, quite likely the Oregonian will be doomed to disappointment, because Oregon Republicans are intelligent and independent. They cannot be fooled all the time, and they are in favor of the direct primary and against the assembly. They will record their votes that way next month, and if Mr. Bowerman suffers by it, he will be wise enough, no doubt, to understand why the people lack confidence in him.

This talk about harmony should come from some other source than the Oregonian, which was so lately filled with threats about sticking the knife into good Republicans who believed in the direct primary and Statement No. 1.

ONLY EQUALITY OF ASSESSMENT DESIRED

There are really but two essential points in this controversy over the assessment of Lane county property: Is the assessment valuation on the same classes of property uniform, and is the valuation on a level with that in other counties of the state?

If all are being assessed equally, according to the actual valuation of their property, then whether that valuation is high or low makes little difference because there is only so much money to raise and a high valuation means a low tax rate, and vice versa. Still, if Lane county's assessment valuation is higher than corresponding classes of property in other counties of the state, we will necessarily pay a greater proportion of the state tax than should by right be charged against us. This matter is supposed to be looked after by the state tax commission, whose principal business is to equalize assessments.

The committee appointed Saturday, therefore, has principally to look into the matter of the uniformity of assessments in Lane county, and would do well to inquire into the actual work along the line of equalization being done by the tax commission at Salem.

PREMIUM LIST

AT EUGENE APPLE

SHOW, OCT. 20-22

Number of Fine Prizes to Be Given to Number of Exhibitors

Following is the premium list of the Eugene apple show, October 20, 21 and 22:

First special grand prize—gold watch given for best five boxes, not more than two varieties, grown in Lane county.

Gold watch trophy donated by A. C. Rulofson, Pacific Coast representative Pearson Company, of Boston, Monadnock building, San Francisco.

Second special grand prize—\$25 cash, given for best three boxes, not to exceed three varieties, grown in Lane county.

Prize given by merchants and Commercial club of Eugene.

Third prize—\$15 cash, given for best two boxes of Spitzbergas.

Fourth prize—\$10 cash, given for best two boxes of Spitzbergas.

Fifth prize—\$10 cash, given for two boxes best Yellow Newtowns, grown in Lane county.

Donated by the Churchill-Matthews Company, of Lorane orchards, Portland, Oregon.

Sixth prize—\$10 cash, given for two best boxes of Baldwin's, grown in Lane county.

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Seventh prize—\$5 cash, given for one best box of Brother Jonathans, grown in Lane county.

Eighth prize—\$5 cash, given for one best box Rhode Island Greenings, grown in Lane county.

Tenth prize—\$5 cash, given for one best Northern Spys, grown in Lane county.

Eleventh prize—\$5 cash, given for one best box Kings, grown in Lane county.

Twelfth prize—For one best box Winter Nellis pears, an annual subscription to the Daily and Semi-Weekly Register, value \$7.50.

Additional prizes may be announced later.

After Shaving

use Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve. I will prevent the face getting sore. I destroys germs and prevents contracting any disease. 25c. Sold everywhere, and by the Dillon Drug Co. in Eugene.

What Every Woman Knows.

Carpets correctly cleaned are done by Moore & Zimmer, sanitary carpet cleaners. Portable vacuum cleaner. Phone Black 7991.