

HALF-PRICE Clothing Sale This Week

We are going to sell every suit of Men's Clothing, every Overcoat and every Cravenette in this big store at HALF PRICE. The sale will continue during the entire week, ending next Saturday night. Our Clothing at regular prices is far below other dealers. All goods are marked in plain figures and you pay one-half during this sale. Regularly our Suits range from \$5.00 to \$22.50. Overcoats and Cravenettes from \$5.00 to \$20.00

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Buy any Boys' Suit, Overcoat or Cravenette in the store at one-third less than our regular marked prices.

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In the Grocery Department

Lemons, per dozen	15c
Oranges, per dozen	15c
Dates, per pound	10c
Figs, per pound	10c
Seeded Raisins, 4 pounds for	25c
Currants, 2 packages for	25c
Raisins, 3 packages for	25c

17 pounds of Sugar	\$1.00
8 pounds of Sugar	50c
4 pounds of Sugar	25c

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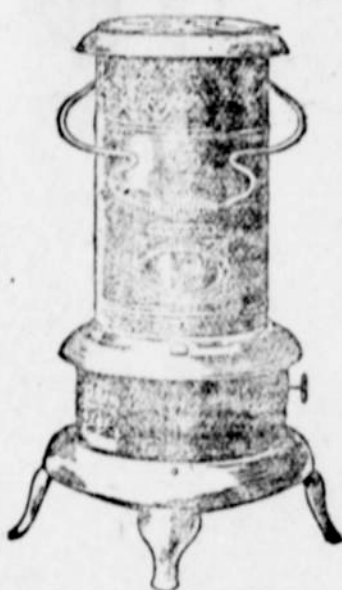
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In the Grocery Department

Canned Pie Apples, per gallon can	30c
Canned Pie Peaches, per gallon can	35c
Canned Pie Apricots, per gallon can	35c
Canned Loganberries, for table use, half gallon jar	35c
Canned Cherries, for table use, half gallon jar	35c
Canned Prunes, for table use, half gallon jar	35c
Canned Blackberries, for table use, half gallon jar	35c

That Cold Room



on the side of the house where winter blasts strike hardest always has a lower temperature than the rest of the house. There are times when it is necessary to raise the temperature quickly or to keep the temperature up for a long period. That can't be done by the regular method of heating without great trouble and overheating the rest of the house. The only reliable method of heating such a room alone by other means is to use a

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Absolutely smokeless and odorless

which can be kept at full or low heat for a short or long time. Four quarts of oil will give a glowing heat for nine hours, without smoke or smell.

An indicator always shows the amount of oil in the font. Filler-cap does not screw on; but is put in like a cork in a bottle, and is attached by a chain and cannot get lost.

An automatic-locking flame spreader prevents the wick from being turned high enough to smoke, and is easy to remove and drop back so that it can be cleaned in an instant.

The burner body or gallery cannot become wedged, and can be unscrewed in an instant for reworking. Finished in Japan or nickel, strong, durable, well-made, built for service, and yet light and ornamental. Has a cool handle.

Dealers Everywhere. If not at yours, write for descriptive circular to the nearest agency of the

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ACTUAL WORK BEGUN ON BIG POWER PLANT

Springfield, Jan. 17.—Actual construction upon the Oregon Power Company's big electrical plant for Springfield began yesterday with a pouring of cement into the forms of the heavy foundations. A large concrete mixer is requiring the attendance of half a dozen men with rock and concrete barrows, and the work has become more active than before. The work is being pushed in spite of many difficulties. The entire wooden building has been taken away and the big electrical machines are running night and day inside paper covered boxes that protect them from the elements. It is an odd looking sight and the piles of material on all sides are growing larger each day. A warehouse has been constructed beyond the mill companies office and many carloads of cement and other expensive material is being stored here. The contractors and engineers have an office arranged here which is fitted with telephone, light and other conveniences.

SAWMILL STARTS UP ONCE MORE

Springfield, Jan. 17.—The Booth-Kelly sawmill began operations again this morning after a slight shut down, said to be as a result of the cold weather. The planing mill began operations yesterday. Over a hundred men will be given re-employment by the starting of the big mill. With several construction operations taking place in Springfield and the starting of the mill there is practically no unemployed labor in the city, and conditions brighter than they were a couple of weeks ago. The shifts however are but eight hours and the work at the mill is limited. This is the only mill that the company is running and it is being handled at its smallest capacity.

W. O. HECKART BUYS SPRINGFIELD LOT

Springfield, Jan. 17.—W. O. Heckart, the Eugene contractor, to-

day purchased from a California owner, 40 feet on Main street between Sixth and Seventh streets, near the Oregon Power company's building. Mr. Heckart declines to mention the price but is said to be quite low. He states that he has purchased it only as an investment and that he has at present no intentions of placing a building upon it, in spite of rumors to the contrary.

EIGHT KILLED ON THE WARSHIP DELAWARE

Washington, Jan. 17.—Eight were killed and one injured on the United States battleship Delaware, enroute from Guantanamo to Hampton Roads, according to a wireless message received at the navy department. The dispatch stated the men were burned by steam, but the details will probably not be had until tonight when the vessel will arrive at Norfolk navy yard.

The dead: Charles Henry Harp, William Morris White, Columbus Porter Watts, Herbert T. Anderson, Brewster, all firemen; Lewis Addison White and Clara DeWitt, coal passers; and Cheyenne Johnson, waiter. Walter Tender, an unknown man and Eugene Phillips, fireman were badly injured.

MAN SHOT ON HIS OWN DOORSTEP FOR BURGLAR

Long Beach, Cal., Jan. 17.—John Bowers, a photographer, postal card man, was shot and killed on his own doorstep early today by Richard Ward, an employee of Bowers, who lived with the latter and his wife. Ward says Bowers was a muffer about his face and he thought he was a burglar. Ward and Mrs. Bowers assert that Bowers left home yesterday and had been gone three days and that his return at 2:30 this morning was due to jealousy and a desire to spy on his wife. A new revolver and a box of shells was found in Bowers' clothes. Ward was arrested.

NO PARDON FOR GOEBEL MURDERER

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 17.—Governor Wilson today refused pardon for Henry E. Youthisy, convicted of the murder of Governor William Goebel.

TO AILING WOMEN A Little Sound Advice Will Help Many a Sufferer in Eugene

No woman can be hearty and well if the kidneys are sick. Poisons that pass off in the secretions when the kidneys are well are retained in the body when the kidneys are sick. Kidneys and bladder become inflamed and swollen and worse troubles quickly follow. This is often the true cause of bearing down pains, lameness, backache, sideache, etc. Urine poisoning also causes headaches, dizzy spells, languor, nervousness and rheumatic pains.

When suffering so, try Doan's Kidney Pills, a remedy that cures sick kidneys. You will get better as the kidneys are better, and health will return when the kidneys are well. Let a Eugene woman tell you about Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. J. D. Moon, 112 Lawrence street, Eugene, Oregon, says: "I am only too glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Kidney trouble caused me a great deal of suffering and I was unable to find relief until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. This preparation strengthened my back and kidneys and lived up to representations in every way."

For sale at all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

OPEN LETTER TO F. L. CHAMBERS FROM E. J. FRASIER

To the Editor:—

Those who read that "open letter" address to Rev. T. J. Wilson in Saturday evening's Guard over the signature of F. L. Chambers, must have enjoyed his acrobatic contortion and pyrotechnic filibustering in his agonizing effort to divert public attention from the main issue of the controversy between himself and the hundred or more property owners along the banks of the mill race, whose property and homes he has been continuously flooding for the past year, until the riparian owners were forced to appeal to the government for a suspension of this outrage.

Can any one guess why he selected my name, from that long list of petitioners—nearly one hundred in number—among whom were such stalwart citizens as C. S. Frank, Calvin Hanna, W. F. Osburn and wife, F. E. Dunn, G. H. Pogue, W. T. Campbell, Miss Ida Patterson, principal of the Patterson school, Volney Hemenway and many others? If you cannot guess why he selected me from that long list, when as a matter of fact, my name appeared well down toward the middle of the list, instead of at the top, as he would have you believe, I will tell you why. In his strenuous efforts to create public prejudice against the petitioners, he thought he could divert the issue from the riparian owners to a personal scrap between himself and me, and for that same reason, to create a public sentiment, he rushed into the Commercial club with the hue and cry that the water power was about to be destroyed, and under false representations, by reading one selected clause from the petition, instead of reading the whole petition, like a man, he got the club to commit itself to resolutions of condemnation, without having any idea of what the real controversy is between Chambers and the riparian owners. But with all of his cunning he cannot succeed, for the people he has so long wronged have silently suffered his oppression until they have reached the limit, where forbearance ceases to be a virtue, and Mr. Chambers must render an accounting.

If you did not read the Saturday evening Guard, get it and read that "open letter," and when you have done so, you will be constrained to believe that "The Chambers Power Company" is one of the great eleemosynary organizations of the world erected for the dispensation of charity and benevolence, and Frank Chambers, wearing an halo of glory, and standing upon a pedestal of honor, as chief dispenser of glad tidings to the oppressed public, as a public benefactor. But, if you knew, dear public, the real facts, you would see that the beautiful pictures of beneficence he so gloriously painted for "The Chambers Power Company" and brought it out in such bold relief, in illuminated letters, is really reflected from a background of misery and despair, he has caused, by the devastation of the homes and property of that struggling little colony along the banks of the mill race, during the past year.

Now, briefly stated, the facts are these: Frank Chambers and his predecessors, by ancient usage, have acquired a certain easement of the water power created by the mill race. In recent years, he has had an opportunity to sell more water power than formerly, and in order to secure more power to sell for cash—not to give away for the glorification of Eugene, as he would have you all believe—he applied to the government for a permit to place a temporary dam across the Willamette river near the head of the race, in order to divert more water from the river into the race, and thereby increase its efficiency as a water power. The permit was granted, under strict limitations and provisions—every one of which he has grossly violated. Last year he increased the height of the dam in the river, until he diverted a volume of water into the race, for in excess of its capacity. It immediately began overflowing its banks inundating gardens, lawns, and filling cellars of private homes; the people along the race protested against this abuse to Mr. Chambers, but he said: "I care nothing about your grievances; if you do not like the overflow, dike your property. I am operating under and by virtue of the United States government, and you cannot effect me." The conditions became intolerable, beautiful gardens were destroyed, lawns and shrubbery ruined and cellars of private homes filled with water. Again and again, the owners went to Mr. Chambers to plead their distress with him, but he always put up that "government" bluff and refused to afford any relief. The aggrieved owners held two public meetings and invited Mr. Chambers to attend them, in the hope that they might get him to erect the necessary head gates near the intake of the race, so he could thereby control the flow of water and keep it down to the capacity of the race, but he ignored their invitations and increased the nuisance instead of lessening it. When all other means had failed, a delegation of riparian owners went to Portland, and laid the matter squarely before Mr. McIndoe, United States engineer in charge of the Western division of the water department. Mr. McIndoe requested that a petition by the aggrieved parties be circulated and when it was signed, he would come and make a personal investigation of the conditions. Accordingly the petition was circulated by different parties and signed by nearly one hundred people. Mr. McIndoe was notified, and came to Eugene, and brought with him his assistant, Engineer Thompson, and they both carefully inspected the conditions and then took that matter up with Mr. Chambers. Now, when he woke up to a realization that his "United States" government bluff had been called, instead of going to the distressed people, he undertook to unload the fight on the Commercial club. No signer of that petition was to see the water power injured, but they all demand that Chambers or his Power Company must at once erect headgates and control the flow of water in the race, so as not to exceed capacity. If this is an unfair proposition, we must suffer the odium.

Respectfully,
E. J. FRASIER.

Real Estate Transfers

Milton D. Mitchell to Alfred T. Bennett et ux, part of lot 7 in blk 17 of original plat of Eugene city, \$10. Springfield Realty Co., to John C. Mullen, lot 1 in blk 4, of Willamette Heights add to Spg. \$10.

John C. Mullen to Fred R. Walter, lot 1 in blk 4 of Willamette Heights add to Spg. \$10.

W. F. Weiland to L. R. French, lot 5 in blk 5 of McFarland's add to Cottage Grove, \$10.

Charles H. Holden to Robert A. Lowe, lots 8 and 9 in blk 7, of Glenada, \$160.

Pearl R. Alexander to G. M. Newton, N 1-2 of NE 1-4 of NW 1-4 of Sec. 35-16-5 W 20 acres, \$850.

Idaho F. Campbell to Mary Nurre, W 15 feet of lot 2 and E. 40 feet of lot 3 of Blk 39 of extended survey of Springfield, \$1.

Charles X. McVay et ux to M. R. Flower and L. M. Travis, tract in tp. 17 3 W, \$5,000.

Robert Gano et al to Jacob R. Park et ux, lot 6 of Sec. 20-18-3 W, \$1400.

W. A. Cox to G. W. Warren, lot 9 in blk 40, of Chicago add to Florence, \$10.

NO OPPOSITION TO EDDY WILL
Concord, Jan. 17.—The will of Mary Baker G. Eddy was probated today without opposition.

BANQUET AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS HELD BY MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION

W. A. Bell Will Head Organization This Year—Work of Year Reviewed

A splendid banquet was served to the merchants of Eugene at the Hotel Osburn last night after the annual election of officers at the Commercial Club. This was the annual feed of the storekeepers, and to say they enjoyed it is putting it mildly. The best things of the season were served by Mrs. Osburn. Six courses were served and speeches were made by different members of the association. The year's work of the organization was reviewed by the officers and plans for the coming year were discussed.

The meeting at the Commercial Club resulted in the election of the following officers: President, W. A. Bell; vice president, L. R. Flint; secretary, C. F. Littlefield; treasurer, O. Roberts; trustees, G. W. Griffin, L. R. Pierce, F. R. Wetherbee, F. L. Chambers, Tom Munroe, A. W. McLaughlin.

PETER GORCHAN WANTS \$5000 FOR LOSS OF TWO TOES

Five thousand dollars is the value placed by Peter Gorchan on two of his toes, which he lost in an accident in the Booth-Kelly Lumber company's logging camp above Wendling on August 2, 1910. Gorchan today instituted suit in the circuit court against the company to recover \$5,350 damages, the \$350 being for the loss of wages while he was incapacitated for work on account of the accident.

In his complaint Gorchan says that he was helping to place a donkey engine on a sled at the company's camp on the date mentioned. He says the engineer started the engine and Gorchan's right foot was drawn between the drum and gear of the donkey. He called to the foreman, he says for assistance, but the latter started the engine again and the plaintiff's foot was ground between the drum and gear, crushing and mangleing the foot, cutting off the great toe and a portion of the second toe, besides bruising and mangleing the foot. The plaintiff alleges that the accident was caused by the negligence of the company through its foreman.

The plaintiff alleges that he is damaged in the sum of \$350 in wages lost, amounting to \$3.50 a day, and for \$5000 on account of being crippled, disabled and maimed.

EUGENE MAN DIES AFTER VISCIOUS ASSAULT

Medford, Or., Jan. 16.—Coroner A. C. Kellogg will hold an inquest this afternoon over the remains of Sidney Pittman who died early Sunday morning at the Southern Oregon hospital as the result of injuries sustained in a quarrel with Charles Robinson last Monday night. An effort will be made to secure testimony which will show to what extent Robinson was provoked by the dead man Robinson, in the meantime, sticking steadfastly to his former assertion that he only hit Pittman with a shovel after the latter had attempted to stab him with a knife.

Pittman was a former resident of Eugene. He was connected a year or two ago of boot-legging and served a term in the county jail for the offense.

If Lane county people knew the merits of Hall's Texas Wonder they would never suffer from kidney, bladder or rheumatic trouble. \$1.00 bottle a 60 day treatment seldom fails to cure. Write for local testimonials. Dr. W. E. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by all druggists.

COUNTRY EDITOR IS SUED FOR \$100,000

New York, Jan. 17.—James A. Canfield, editor of the Patchogue Advocate, a country paper published in a Long Island village, is perhaps the most "proudest" rural paper publisher in the United States. He is defendant in a \$100,000 libel suit brought by Joseph G. Robin, until recently president of the Northern Bank of New York, and a high financier. Although the case against the editor is set for trial today in the supreme court at Riverhead, L. I., it is likely to be postponed, as the plaintiff is unavoidably detained in New York. Nevertheless, Editor Canfield feels highly flattered at the idea that anybody had supposed that they might be able to collect \$100,000 from him. He declares that he feels so puffed up that at times he almost believes that he has the money, until he examines the cash box in the Advocate office.

Mr. Canfield was one of the first to "smell a rat" in Robin's financial transaction, and it was the publication of an article in his weekly paper, intimating that the trolley company controlled by Robin, was trying to pull through a "shady" transaction in connection with the franchise, that led to the \$100,000 libel suit.

DIED

At the family home at 206 Washington street, Eugene, January 16, 1911, at 5 p. m., Mrs. Margaret Myers, wife of Conrad Myers, aged 54 years, five months and seven days. Death was sudden and was caused by heart trouble. She was found lying dead in the yard by her husband when he came home from work. A few minutes before Mrs. Myers had been talking with a neighbor and she seemed to be in the best of health at that time. Her husband called a physician but he found that death had occurred some time before. Mrs. Myers was a noble Christian lady and has many friends who are pained to learn of her death. The funeral arrangements have not yet been arranged, pending the receipt of word from relatives.

At the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Labbe, on the corner of Pearl and Second streets, at 10 o'clock p. m., January 16, 1911, Ellis B. Labbe, aged 21 years, died of a tumor with which he had been afflicted for some time. Death, however, was unexpected until last evening. The young man was slightly over 25 years of age and was well-known, having clerked in the Labbe hardware store here. The details of the funeral have not yet been arranged, awaiting word from relatives. Later the funeral will be held at the Gordon chapel Thursday at 2 p. m. with interment in the L. O. O. F. cemetery. The Eagles' aerle will have charge of the services.

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