

NICKLIN & NEAL'S CLOSING OUT SALE

COMMENCES

Wednesday Morning, Feb. 20

and continues until our entire stock of Dry Goods, Men's Furnishings, Hats, Shoes, etc., is entirely closed out.

We are positively retiring from business.

Every article in our store will be offered to the public at a reduction. Some goods will be sold at LESS THAN COST. Our one object is to get out of business just as soon as possible. In order to re-arrange this stock and prepare for this big sale the Dry Goods portion of

**OUR STORE WILL BE CLOSED
MONDAY AND TUESDAY**

This will not interfere with the Grocery Department which will be open and conducted by Mr. Daniel as before.

Now is the time for you to SAVE MONEY. Make your list of what you need and be on hand to take advantage of our CLOSING OUT SALE commencing

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 26th.

When we say a thing is so, IT'S SO.

Nicklin & Neal

AMUSEMENTS

Bennett's attractions are all and favorably known in Eugene. It is with great pleasure that the manager of the Eugene theatre announces the coming of their standard successes, "The Blue Bird" which is booked to open on Wednesday night.

Another who wrote that "other great success," "The Holy City" has already seen this season chosen for the action of the most romantic period in the history of Mexico, the brief reign of Maximilian. The character of Maximilian, the descendant of Napoleon, the last of a noble line, is a noble character who appeals to our imagination. The other characters of the play are equally well drawn. The specialties include the comedy element and the surroundings and the bit play in the duel scene, see-

ond act, is as pretty an exhibition as one could witness. Remember this attraction appears at the Eugene theatre tonight.

MOTHER'S KITCHEN

Seventh and Oak streets, has opened under new management. Good board and room by the day, week or month. First-class home cooking. Chicken dinner every Sunday.

MRS. S. Y. ABBOTT.

Here's your chance to make good. Special sale of boys' and girls' school shoes at Yoran's shoe store.

Pianos at factory cost at Eilers Piano House Closing Out Sale. Cash or easy payments. 24 W. 7th St.

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For Infants
The Kind You
Bears the
Signature of C.

PROMPTNESS OF DELIVERY

is as much a part of this grocery service as good qualities and moderate prices. We send your order as promptly as we take it. Try us and see how punctually we get your groceries to you. This satisfaction will not end with the prompt receipt of your things. It will grow greater as you use the groceries and think of the smallness of our bill.

M. GREEN, THE SQUARE DEAL GROCER
419 Willamette St. Phone Main 25.

THE BLUE BELL LINE TO HEALTH
MAKE YOU FEEL LIKE A BLACKSMITH

Get the new BLUE BELL Cough Syrup, Pile Remedy, Nasal Pain Linctus, or Dr. King's Croup, Croup, Nerve, Cough, Hay Fever and Catarrh, Blood Purifier, Heart, Worm, Kidney, Headache, Summer Complaint, Soothing Syrup, Family Regulator or Quinine Tablets.

RURAL LETTER

CARRIERS MEET IN CONVENTION

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING OF LANE COUNTY ASSOCIATION HELD IN EUGENE SATURDAY—M. C. DAVIS, OF SPRINGFIELD, RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT—GOOD ROADS DISCUSSED

The Rural Mail Carriers' Association of Lane County held its semi-annual meeting in this city Saturday and through the courtesy of Recorder Dorris occupied the city council chamber.

The convention was called to order by President Davis, of Springfield, at 10 a. m. Those present were M. C. Davis, of Springfield, president; A. E. Hower, Junction City, vice president; J. H. Maxwell, of Eugene, secretary; J. C. L. Wooley, Eugene, treasurer; Otis Pitney, Frank Curtis, Junction; President Davis' son and R. W. Smith, Springfield. The regular order of business was transacted at the forenoon session, and adjournment taken at 12 m. for dinner, at which repast the carriers were most hospitably entertained by Carriers Maxwell and Wooley, of Eugene.

The convention was called to order at 1 p. m. with all present. The salary question was not mentioned at this date, but the good roads question was quite thoroughly gone over by nearly every carrier present, resulting in the appointment of a committee to meet and consult with the county commissioners and such other parties as are known to be good road advocates, relative to organizing a good roads organization for Lane county or the entire state, if found practicable. The committee consists of M. C. Davis, A. R. Tower, R. W. Smith, J. H. Maxwell and Mr. Stacey. Election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: C. M. Davis, president; A. E. Tower, vice president; J. O. Pitney, secretary; R. W. Smith, treasurer. Delegate to state convention at Albany next June, R. W. Smith.

The convention adjourned at 4 p. m. to meet at Springfield on Labor Day, 1908.

WIDE INTEREST IN BOOST SERMON SERIES

Notwithstanding the many counter attractions last night, a full house again assembled to hear Rev. L. H. Trimble's fourth address in the series, "The Rural Boost for Eugene." The subject last night was "The Type of Wives and Mothers We Need." The audience listened with intense interest, a time convulsed with laughter and again moved to tears. These sermons are already attracting wide attention, the last two, "The Type of Home We Need," March 1st, and "The Type of Business We Need," March 8, will be awaited with anticipation by the Eugene people.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT EUGENE, IN THE STATE OF OREGON, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, FEB. 14, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$465,566.29
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	440.40
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	50,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	2,000.00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	224,403.40
Other real estate owned	20,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	14,946.40
Due from State Banks and Bankers	23,392.90
Due from approved reserve agents	22,456.15
Checks and other cash items	332,073.50
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	4,708.73
Legal Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	441,100.00
Legal-tender notes	1,200.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	442.30
	5,000.00
Total	\$1,038,416.18
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	25,176.17
National Bank notes outstanding	100,000.00
Due to other National Banks	13,561.16
Due to State Banks and Bankers	56,482.68
Individual deposits subject to check	1,115,079.64
Demand certificates of deposit	16,971.03
Certified checks	345.50
Letters of Credit	809.00
United States deposits	50,000.00
Total	\$1,038,416.18

STATE OF OREGON)
COUNTY OF LANE,)
I, P. E. SNODGRASS, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

P. E. SNODGRASS,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of February, 1908.

I, N. HARRAUGH,
Notary Public.

Correct Attest:
T. G. HENDRICKS,
S. B. EAKIN,

First Spring Suits are Now Coming

Our stock of spring and summer goods will be larger and better assorted than ever before. Goods are of best quality and stylish patterns, tailored by the famous MICHAELS, STERN & CO., whose brand is a guarantee of excellence. Come in and look at them.

Big reductions on all winter suits, in order to close them out and make room for new stock.

We carry a full line of furnishings for men, and our prices and styles are right.

We own our own building, pay no rent and are satisfied with a reasonable profit.

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No. 8 East Ninth Street
Eugene, Oregon

Jenkins & Starbuck

Dealers in
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We are new comers here and are in the

Real Estate
Business
To Do
Business

We have been in this business before and understand it thoroughly. At present we are in correspondence with a number of Eastern People who are going to locate in this country and if you are desirous of disposing of properties such as City, Pasture and Farm Lands, call on us. We are personally acquainted with a number of these correspondents and know they are coming west. If you want to SELL, list your property with us for there is going to be "things doing" in real estate that is Listed with us.

Jenkins & Starbuck
Rooms 17 and 18
THEATRE BLOCK

EUGENE Racket Store

Hosiery, Gloves, Ribbons, Laces, Knit and Muslin Underwear, Notions, Stationery, Etc. also a nice line of Gents' Furnishing Goods

We have just secured the agency for the celebrated PICTORIAL REVIEW PATTERNS

Acknowledged everywhere to be the leaders in the fashion world. They are perfect in every detail and with the aid of the Cutting and Construction Guides, so simple that the most inexperienced person by their use will make a fashionable and perfect fitting garment. These Guides are furnished free with every pattern. Call and look through the catalogue. Ask for a copy of the Pictorial Review Fashion sheet free.

Eugene Racket Store
35 E. 9th St., Eugene, Oregon

ANNOUNCEMENT

G. H. Irish wishes to announce that he has purchased the GROCERY stock of B. A. Allen & Co., located at 55 east 9th St., and carries at all times the best brands of GROCERIES, FLOUR and FRED. We have our own delivery wagon and all goods delivered promptly.

FRESH SUPPLY OF OAT AND VETCH HAY
WE AIM TO PLEASE
Phone Main 53 **G. H. IRISH** 52 East 9th Street

IT CUTS SOME ICE

If the store is a clean place; if the salesmen are obliging; if the service is prompt, and last, but not least if the quality of the goods is the best, the store never lacks business. Come and give us a trial order and be convinced that we fulfill all of the above principles, especially in quality and cleanliness.

We carry a complete line of staple and fancy groceries, flour and feed, and buy and sell country produce.

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Phone Black 1571 **W. J. Gibson & Son**

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Cabs Always Ready
First Class Turnouts of All Descriptions
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