

### WHITE SHALE STRATUM REVEALED IN OIL WELL

Positive Indication, Says Head Driller

### OIL IS BELIEVED NEAR

Carlos J. Reeves and Workmen Enthusiastic Because of Discoveries Here

Ninety feet through a stratum of white shale has convinced Carlos J. Reeves, head driller of the Guaranty Oil company, drilling in Eugene, that after more than two years of work, he is close to oil. Whether the stratum is 100 or 500 feet thick, the head driller will not venture to say, but from all indications, comparing the findings in this well with those of California fields, it may be from 300 to 400 feet through.

The Guaranty well is more than 2800 feet deep at present and Mr. Reeves and his crews are working 24-hour shifts.

**Well Bailed Out**  
Work of bailing out the well was started shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and continued until 6. This is not an unusual procedure, as the well must be bailed out periodically to free it of the fine sediment caused by the huge drill needs. The process aroused considerable interest yesterday, however, because of the formation of the shale that was revealed. Pure white when dry, the shale is said by geologists to have been made by a sea animal in eons past. This shale, Mr. Reeves said, has been a positive indication of oil in California, Oklahoma, Texas, Wyoming and other fields.

The material when brought to the surface is in a liquid form from the constant pumping of heavy steel and the mixture of water. On the surface is a foam that is claimed to be another positive indication. This foam will show peacock colors when distributed.

The drillers average about six feet through the white shale every 24 hours, casing the hole as they go. The entire well is cased for 2800 feet at present.

**Workers Enthusiastic**  
Mr. Reeves and his companion workers are extremely enthusiastic because of the recent findings and the head driller, who has been in the oil well game for many years, is certain that the well will "blow in" shortly. Precautions have been exercised on all sides to prevent accidents, death or injury to workmen in case the expected oil shoots suddenly, as was the experience with gas and water about five months ago. While there were no casualties then, the water and gas shot nearly 100 feet above the derrick.

### ELKS' MEMORIAL TODAY

TRIBUTE WILL BE MADE TO DEPARTED BRETHREN

Program of Annual Event Is Made Souvenir for Public Attending Ceremonial

With the spirit that engraves on men's hearts the virtues of their fellows, and writes their faults on the sands that they may be washed away by the sea, Eugene members of the Elks lodge will gather at the local temple today to pay homage to departed brethren.

As is the usual custom, the ceremonial will be open to the public and there will be an address of fitting tribute to those who have passed through "the veil of tears." The memorial service will begin at 2:30 o'clock with a ritualistic program conducted by the exalted ruler and other officers of the lodge. Souvenir programs have been prepared for the event and will be given to all those in attendance. Eleven members have died in the last year and 131 have passed on since the order was started in Eugene.

Following is the program:  
Processional . . . . . Elks orchestra  
Overture . . . . . Elks orchestra  
"America" . . . . . Smith  
Opening ceremonies. Exalted ruler Harry H. Hobbs  
Invocation . . . . . Chaplain Rev. Frederick G. Jennings  
"The Singing in God's Acre" . . . . . Brackett  
David John Jones  
Roll call of departed brothers. . . . . Secretary George E. Wood  
Overture . . . . . Elks orchestra  
Altar service . . . . . Lodge officers  
Memorial address . . . . .  
"Brother Gale S. Hill, Albany  
"Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" . . . . . Pounding-Fearis  
David Jones  
Closing ceremonies. Lodge officers  
Doxology . . . . . Chaplain Rev. Frederick G. Jennings  
Recessional . . . . . Elks orchestra

### ODD FELLOWS SEEK BOY

GEORGE CROW OF GOODING, IDAHO, IS MISSING

The local Odd Fellows' lodge has been requested to locate, if possible, George "Bud" Crow, 15, height five feet, eight inches; weight 115 pounds.  
"Bud" is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Crow, a member of Gooding lodge, Gooding, Idaho, and is believed to be, or to have recently been in this vicinity. The mother is prostrated with grief at the disappearance of the boy who left home August 18. Mr. Crow is a member of the I. O. O. F.  
The missing boy is of a fair complexion, has dark brown hair, a small round face and pleasing personality. There is a small disfigurement or scar under the left jaw and a very faint scar across the neck in front.

Local Odd Fellows said yesterday that if Bud should see this he should write home immediately and relieve his mother's anxiety.

**Don't Forget**  
Bob's Beauty Shoppe has moved to larger and better quarters at 877 Willamette, upstairs next to Wade Bros. Phone 555. 10-23-25

**O'Day's Top Shop**  
In new location, 146 Park street. Tons, cushions, glass, and trappings. Awnings made and repaired. 11-26-12

**Old Time Dance**  
Every Tuesday night, W. O. W. hall. Public invited. 11-30-1 mo.

VISIT THE ENLARGED TOY SECTION—ODDLES AND ODDLES OF INTERESTING THINGS—2nd floor.

# Schaefer's Bros

AX BILLY DEPARTMENT STORE

LADIES HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS WILL SOLVE YOUR DRESSMAKING PROBLEMS. Latest Styles Are Here.

## THE STORE OF HOLIDAY CHEER

Christmas Post Cards 1c And Up!

House And Bedroom Slippers For All!



If In Search Of Unique Gifts Visit The Japanese Booth —2nd Floor

The Show Windows Offer Many Suggestions For The Gift Seekers

**WOMEN'S AND MISSES' EXQUISITE Christmas Handkerchiefs Special At 3 For \$1.39**

An interesting assortment of 50c to 65c handkerchiefs which one could feel proud of giving. Each specially priced at 48c.

**WOMEN'S Pure Linen Handkerchiefs 10c**

The price in this instance should be no hindrance in owning linen handkerchiefs when offered at such a low figure. Perfectly bleached, with neat self-striped border.

**35c Handkerchiefs 3 For 98c**

A special lot of milady's gift handkerchiefs in a host of pretty colors and styles. MILADY'S



**New Gloves Reveal Novelty Cuffs—So Giveable!**

If you would be smart, complete your costume with a pair of lovely new gloves. There's such an intriguing jauntiness to their briefness, (cuffs) and the smartest reach barely to your wrist. Particularly fetching are those with novelty cut-out gauntlets though decidedly abbreviated in length.

—Soft, pliable kid gloves in black and white, tan, or brown of a high grade at, pair \$3.25 to \$4.25.  
—Splendid quality chamoussade slipper gloves in tan, pair \$1.65 and \$1.75.  
—Fancy cuff fabric gloves in beaver, brown or mode, the pair \$1.25.



**Ivory—A Gift That Charms**

—Something for her dressing table—the prettiest new patterns in white and amber-tone toilet sets. Powder boxes, combs, trays, brushes, picture frames, manicuring things, etc., etc.

—A pleasing form of giving is that of buying a fine ivory set piece by piece, so that a few Christmases finds your friend, sister, wife or mother supplied with a complete ivory set of enviable quality.

—Two-Toned Mirrors, \$1.98 and \$2.75.  
—Two-Toned Brushes, \$2.50.  
—Two-Toned Combs, 50c.  
—Two-Toned Nail Files, 45c.  
—Military Brushes For Men, \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$6.50.  
—Shaving Mirrors For Men, \$2.39, \$3.50, \$5.75.

## "A Gift A Day"—Suggested For The Early Christmas Shopper

**Silverware With An Air Of Dignity**

Gifts That Last

—Rich gleaming silverware is a perfect tribute to a charming hostess. Few hostesses ever have too many. They lend a sparkling air. It denotes true friendship when you give sparkling silverware.



—29 Piece Buffet Set In Exquisite Beautiful Bird Of Paradise Pattern, Community Plate—\$12.50.

—Set Of Six Salad Forks In The Following Popular Patterns: "Anniversary," "Bird Of Paradise" Or "Grosvenor"—\$7.00.

—Baby Spoons In Straight Handle, "Grosvenor" Pattern, Each \$1.00.

—Straight Handle, Baby Spoons, Each 65c.

—Baby Spoons With Curved Handle At 65c.

—Very Special — 26-Piece Set "Stratford" Plate Silverware, Guaranteed To Give Satisfaction For 29 Years. Nicely Packed In Pretty Cabinet—\$12.98.

**Note These Greatly Reduced Prices On White Ivory Mirrors**

—\$7.50 VALUES \$3.69  
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—\$8.50 VALUES \$4.50

—While they are listed as slightly irregulars, you'd look a long time to detect the slightest imperfection—maybe a slight indentation in the ivory or some like irregularity. But in no way impairing their usefulness. Several unique shades.

**Tremendous Chicago Purchase Sale Still Going Big At Eugene's Own Store—Telling It With Values. Come!**

**Give A Box Of Bobolink Guaranteed Silk Hose, PACKED 3 PAIR TO EACH BOX \$3.75**

—Women's "Bobolink" thread silk hose need no further introduction as its so favorably known to the hundreds who wear Bobolink's.

THE BIG FEATURE IS THEY'RE FULLY GUARANTEED TO GIVE ENTIRE SATISFACTION. 30 SHADES TO CHOOSE FROM. SOLD BY THE PAIR AT ONE DOLLAR AND A QUARTER.

**Women's \$1.25 Pure Thread Silk Hose 95c**

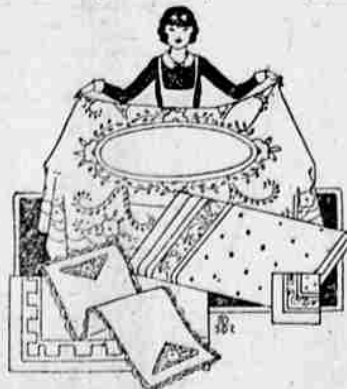
—At the exceptionally low price ("Chicago Purchase Sale" made this possible) of 95c the pair it behooves one to give a box of three pairs. First quality, reinforced at points of strain, ravel stop top. Choice of the following shades, atmosphere, gunmetal, fleckles, gray, harvest, peach, sandalwood, sunset and, of course, black.



**Bobolink SILK HOSE \$1.25 a pair**

**What Could Be More Giveable Than Nice Linens?**

—It reflects a true Christmas spirit and thoughtfulness on the part of the giver. Then, too, nice linens last a long time and because of their frequent use the recipient can't help but have pleasant memories of the giver.



**Linen Guest Towels, \$1.00**

—And others at \$1.50. There's always a place in her linen closet for extra guest towels. Daintily hand embroidered and hemstitched, in natural and colors. Wrapped in a festive holiday box, makes an ideal little gift.

**Linen Pattern Cloth, \$5.75**

—Of splendid Irish linen, size 70 by 70 inches, a big value at the above low price. Acceptable gifts.

**Linen Pattern Cloths, 20% Off**

—A special lot selected to sell at one-fifth less than regular prices.

## A Truly Sensational SILK SALE

Chicago Purchase Sale Makes It Possible To Sell These \$1.95 To \$2.39 Grades At, The Yard

# 98c

—Right at the height of the holiday (Christmas) season when silks are used for so many purposes—to be fashioned into lovely frocks. Not to overlook the one big idea of making dainty gifts for Christmas which are in the making.

**Taffetas — Messalines And Other Usable Silks To Select**

—A great array of vivid, dark and pastel shades in this special selling.

### Express Your Thoughtfulness In Giving Bedspreads

A Gift Surely To Be Appreciated

**Rayon Bedspreads, Set \$10.00**

—In the very height of fashion. So lovely, so silk-like and highly lustrous. Delightful colors of gold or blue. Consisting of spread and bolster.

**Honeycomb Bedspreads, \$8.75**

—Spread and bolster in the set. These "Santa Fe" are beautiful gifts. Rose blue or orchid band stripe making pattern. Good heavy weight and nicely finished.

**Krinkle Bedspreads, A Big Value At \$4.50**

—72 by 108 inches, in blue, rose, lavender and gold stripes.



**\$11.75 All Wool Blankets, \$10.00**

—Of high grade, fleece wool, these blankets are delightfully cozy and warm. Their cheery soft plaids make them a welcome addition to the bedroom. Indeed ideal for Christmas gift giving. Buy an extra pair for yourself. "Chicago Purchase Sale."

**\$9.25 Wool Blankets, \$7.69**

—Credit is due! Practically three-quarters wool enter the construction of these comely plaid blankets in soft tan and pink colorings. Size 66x80 inches. "Chicago Purchase Sale" is making it possible to sell for less.

**Exquisite Novelty Cover Blankets \$4.69**

—Credit is due "Chicago Purchase Sale" in having them marked at the low price of \$4.69. Cold printer's ink proves inadequate in giving them glowing attribute as to their prettiness in patterns. Sizes 66x80 inches and very soft.

**"Esmond" Bathrobe Blankets \$5.95**

—In the heading you'll note "Esmond" is getting first recognition because they stand for quality and broadcasted as such in the important periodicals. You quickly think of Esmond, in being soft as rabbit skin, thickness, too, in cortex finish. Size 72x90 inches, large enough for a full size bath robe. Underpriced at \$5.95. "Chicago Purchase Sale."

**HIGH-GRADE Imported Linen Luncheon Sets, \$9.95**

—She will love an exquisite and superlative quality colored luncheon set as they are very much in vogue. She will love to have a set like this for the luncheon she's giving the week after Christmas. A set with 40 by 60 inch cloth and half dozen napkins, all nicely finished, ready for use. Beautifully hemstitched, too.

64x54 inches, Price \$5.75

60x60 inches, Price \$6.75

**Gayly Colored Linen Luncheon Sets**

—They're imported, these gay patterned cross barred (red) and check weave sets. Consisting of cloth and six napkins.