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Provided You are within the Limit of Reason

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MEN'S and BOYS'

Suits, Overcoats, Hats and Caps,
Shoes, Dress and Work Shirts, Umbrellas,
Underwear, Gloves, Socks,
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Raincoats, Mackintoshes Rubber Goods.

I will refuse no reasonable price for I am making
this offer in preference to packing up the stock, as I
must positively leave here on or about the 1st.

Yours truly,

M. SMYTH

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FOREST GROVE, ORE.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. N. J. Walker was in Portland on Saturday.

—Look for the "Sign of the Red Specs."

Prof. Mary F. Farnham was a Portland visitor Saturday.

J. E. Gleason was a Portland visitor Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Baldwin was a Portland visitor the first of the week.

Miss Ollie Morley of Portland, was the guest of friends over Sunday.

Frank Emerson has moved into his new residence beyond Dr. Via's.

Mrs. Charles Hines and little son were Portland visitors over Sunday.

L. Bogan of this city was registered at one of the Portland hotels last week.

—Rex Begonias and Ferns, 25 and 50 cents. Special sale Saturday at The Book Store.

Mrs. S. A. Walker is visiting in Seattle, the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. W. Temple.

Mrs. Andy Vaughn of Portland visited with Mrs. Maud Latta of this city, and returned home on Tuesday.

—The \$12.00 values that Bailey offers in clothing cannot be duplicated. Call in and be shown.

H. G. King and wife of Thatcher, were business visitors in the Grove Saturday.

Miss Lucille Dooley, a teacher in one of the city schools of the metropolis visited the home folks Sunday.

Mr. William Williams, the insurance man, returned the first of the week to visit a short time with his family.

Fred Fritz of Hayward was in town last Friday paying The News office a visit. Mr. Fritz is employed in Portland and was on his way home to spend a few days with his family.

A surprise party was given Miss Katherine Schmeltzer, by her many friends on Monday evening to bid her farewell. Miss Schmeltzer and her mother left this morning for Kansas where they will make their home in the future in Bunker Hill.

O. W. Loyd of Banks, was in the Grove last Thursday doing business. Mr. Loyd wants the news of this county and so came in to renew his subscription, as he said "The News was the newest sheet in the county."

Frank Meresse is expected home in a few days from Des Moines, Iowa. Frank returns to us a full fledged pharmacist, having just finished his studies and received his diploma from the college of Pharmacy of Highland Park College, which is considered one of the most thorough colleges in the United States.

The students of the college yesterday celebrated Founders Day. The usual program and the same amount of class scraps were on the boards and reports confirm a big time at the University. Much of the ill feeling between the factions is due to the coming elections to morrow when the officers of the Student Body are chosen.

—Goldenrod Flour, guaranteed. Principal Bates was in Portland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stuart spent Tuesday in Portland.

George Neil and Ray Richardson have gone to Portland to work for the winter.

Miss Letha Richardson was the guest of Miss Pearl Smith of Hillsboro last week.

Lee Via and family of Portland, were the guests of the home folks over Sunday.

Miss Tressie Smith has accepted a position in the office of Jesse Caples of Portland.

Mrs. Crum Haines and her sister, Miss Suligan, were visitors to the metropolis Tuesday.

Miss Pearl McGill spent Tuesday in Portland, where she purchased a new lot of millinery.

—Our \$18.00 suits are the best we have carried. We will be glad to show you. J. E. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eilers of Portland, visited at the home of Mrs. Eiler's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Smith, last week.

Miss Bessie Mills returned Saturday evening from Portland, where she has been the guest of friends for the past week.

Miss Nellie Hughes, who has been visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. John Anderson, left Monday for Salt Lake City to visit relatives. Miss Hughes then goes east on an extended trip.

Gordon S. Odgen of Oregon City, is the new book-keeper at the First National Bank of this city. Oscar Loomis has resigned to take charge of the freight car, which will begin running the first of the week.

Dr. Katherine Rueter, the osteopath physician, has now established her office in the Holmes Business College block in Portland. Her sister Helen, who is now a professional nurse, also has her office in the same building.

Invitations are out for a meeting of the Social Union of Pacific University to be held on tomorrow evening in Philomathean Hall. Professor Rogness will present a paper, "Among the Poor in Philadelphia."

—Dr. C. L. Large reports a daughter weighing 145 ounces born to the wife of James Dilley, of near this place last Sunday. Parties desiring the services of Dr. Large in this class of cases will greatly oblige him, if convenient, by engaging his services two or three months prior to the expected event.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Bailey have gone on a two weeks trip to San Francisco to visit relatives. They will also spend a week with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. William D. Clark at Reno, Nevada, before returning. Mr. Bailey has well earned this vacation as this is the only one he has taken in the last eight years.

Miss Minnie Myers was the guest of relatives in Portland Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Butler visited the metropolis on Tuesday.

Will Shively was out from Portland, on his "usual Sunday pilgrimage."

Mrs. Walter Dimmick of Oregon City, visited her parents in this city last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Russell of Gaston, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Kertson Monday.

Moulton's barber shop is being renovated and a coat of white is improving the looks of the interior.

Charley Walker of Forest Grove has commenced giving lessons here again in music.—North Yamhill Record.

—If you are nervous, don't sleep well, have no appetite, try Dr. Morrow's Anti Lean—at Dr. Hines' Drug Store.

Mrs. L. M. Beebe and son Earl returned Saturday after spending two weeks visiting with friends and relatives in Portland and Forest Grove.—Springfield News.

—Dr. E. H. Brown, Physician and Surgeon. X-Ray and all electrical appliances in office. Calls answered night or day.

A social dance was given last Saturday evening in Vert's Hall. All who were present report a very enjoyable evening.

Chas. Mertz left last Thursday for Ada, Ohio, on receiving the sad news of the death of his father. Many people here no doubt remember Mr. Mertz' father, who spent some time here last year, during the Lewis and Clark exposition.

—See Dr. Eaton about that headache and pain in the eye. Try a pair of those famous glasses. Consultation free. Office over Paris Millinery Parlors.

Willard Wirtz has recently been added to the city reporter staff of the Portland Journal. Mr. Wirtz was news editor of the Washington County News last year and has always been a lover of journalism. Here's hoping that our "Eve" gets many a "beat" on his contemporaries.

As Forest Grove has always sent a great many young people to Portland business colleges and all of them have climbed to high places in the business world, the Behnke-Walker Business College of that city has placed an "ad" in our paper telling of their work. It is worth your attention. Since August that school has registered three hundred and eighty-one pupils. They are now working to reach the one thousand limit this year.

Rev. R. B. Wilkins and family took their departure last Saturday for Los Angeles, Calif., for a visit with Mrs. Wilkins' mother. Rev. Wilkins was transferred from the Oregon Methodist conference to that of California, and will have charge of the work at Elmonte, the coming year.—North Yamhill Record. Mr. Wilkins is well known here, having occupied the M. E. pulpit several times when he held the charge of the Cornelius Methodist Church.

Herbert Wirtz of Portland, spent Sunday in the Grove.

A. W. Johnson was transacting business in Portland Tuesday.

Evening Telegram and The News, One Year, \$5.00; Six Months, \$2.50.

Miss Katherine Myers is now taking a course in the Holmes Business College.

Miss Carrie McPherson was a Portland visitor several days the first of the week.

Miss Lepha Hawley spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Yamhill County.

Mrs. J. S. Buxton and Miss Jessie have returned from their visit with relatives at Newport.

Sunday school will be held in the Watt church on the Gales Creek road at three o'clock on Sunday. All are invited.

—See Dr. Eaton about that rheumatism, lame back, nervousness, stomach and kidney trouble and goitre.

Dr. Chas. Hines reports a son born to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Orr of Thatcher on the 12th of October.

Miss Anna Sorenson of Portland, was the guest of her sister, Miss Frances Sorenson, over Sunday.

—Black serge suits, all wool, will not fade, wear shiny or threadbare; \$14.00 at Bailey's.

Mrs. Zeriah Large, who has been living in Portland for several months, is now making her home in this city.

Mrs. T. E. Pearson of South Bend, Wash., has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Starrett.

The front of Roe & Buxton's and Nicholson & Son's stores has been put into place. The two stores give an appearance of a well city store now.

—A. Baldwin, the real estate man, has moved 2 doors west—see him for bargain of farms and city property.

Frank Allen is enlarging his store by taking the room formerly occupied by Baldwin, the real estate man.

Mr. Hoonan of near Greenville, sold his hops Friday at 14 cents. He had 106 bales. It is reported that several sales were made at 15½ cents between here and Hillsboro.

Miss Josephine Baber who has been confined to her room for several weeks is improving rapidly, and is now able to be around out of doors.

Paul Garrison has gone to Portland, where he has accepted a position with the street car companies and will hereafter be one of the motormen.

Announcements are now out for the marriage of Miss Grovaline Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin, to Mr. William Everett Prickett of Banks.

Rev. William L. Upshaw of the Mississippi Ave. Congregational church of Portland, will conduct the services at the Congregational church here in exchange with Mr. Boyd next Sunday.

—Miss Penfield is already getting in a choice line of Holiday goods at The Book Store—new pictures, hand painted china, souvenir spoons. Orders for special framing should be left early.

Mrs. Wilber McEldowny was in Portland Monday evening to hear the famous Spanish baritone singer, Signor Gorgorza. Mrs. McEldowny speaks very highly of the noted singer, and pronounced him as "grand."

The many friends of Mrs. J. N. Hoffman will please to learn the she is home again after her long illness. Though still very weak she is improving rapidly.

Mr. E. S. Pechin of Portland, is visiting with the family of his uncle, Mr. J. M. Pechin of Dilley, and his cousin, Mrs. J. B. Prickett of Gales Creek. Mr. Pechin is in the employ of the Portland fire department and is well pleased with Washington County and especially so with Forest Grove.

The friends of Frank S. Allen will be pleased to hear of the announcement of his marriage to Miss Dott Elenore Stephen of Tillamook to take place on Saturday evening, October 20.

Deputy Sheriff Kane received injuries in this city Monday evening which resulted in a sprained ankle and a bath of mud. Frank was on his way to the hotel and not knowing of the sidewalk switch is being placed on Pacific Avenue to the rear of the business houses, although a plank had been placed across the ditch, fell to the bottom. It seems that a lantern had been placed every evening to warn the pedestrians, but as the company had made the mistake of placing a new lantern, some one had the nerve to get away with it. The deputy was up the next day and it is said that his injuries pained him very much. A drummer who was in town the same evening also fell in but only reported a mud bath.

Levy's Market Will be Open Every Day Commencing Saturday, Oct. 6. Our Fall Prices.

Choice Front Quarters, 4c per lb.

Round Steak, 6c "

Choice Boiling Beef, 4c "

Nice Tender Roast, 5c "

Special Saturday before 10 a. m., 3c boiling meat, 4c roast.

Remember, open every day Naylor's Corner.

Rain! Rain!!

Makes us all think of buying an up-to-date

Cravenette

We have them now at prices ranging from

\$10 to \$18

JOHN ANDERSON'S, The Tailor

An Open Letter to the "100."

As one who loves Forest Grove, and appreciates as only the stranger within her gates can, all the courtesy and friendliness of her business community, I ask your attention, business men of our town.

Many years of intimate work among young people have made me keenly alive to the fine possibilities of every boy and girl, but keenly sensitive too, to their temptations. Hence it is impossible to let pass without earnest protest an action of which many of you stand on record as approving.

Pained surprise at moral shortsightedness, commercial surprise at business shortsightedness quite overwhelms at sight of the names on the list of one hundred recently placed before the council.

I understand you wish a saloon in Forest Grove for the sake of some money—said money to be used in street repairing and increased water mains.

Have you reflected that if you put a saloon in Forest Grove you will have something to repair beside roads and sidewalks? They'll be broken hearts, and broken heads, and broken bolts, and many a "dead broke" in the city jail! I've put broken hearts first, because the moral aspect appeals to me. I've made money the climax because that seems to appeal to the 100.

Let us take up the question then on a merely commercial basis. Your credit page of \$1000 license may look large and fair. But how does the debit page balance? Maintenance and care of City Jail, Constable's salary, Fire service, Night Patrol, City liable to damages. These items now are covered by a small sum.

Take the Jail item alone—It occurs to me that in my home city, Springfield, Mass., a city of 80,000 inhabitants, even the opponents of prohibition had to admit the figures on the city books showed a greatly decreased prison list and far less disturbance on the streets.

Then, who is going to pay that \$1000 license? The saloon-keeper? No! You are going to pay it twice over right out of your several pockets, and every honest business and professional man or woman in the city will be forced to help you pay it. The money that ought to buy bread and clothes and furniture and schooling will pay that license.

Your business credit page will be short. Your debit page will have such items as: "To House entered by drunken gang," "Barn set fire to," "Plate glass window broken by drunken man," "Doctor's bills for wife or child irreparably injured by drunken man," "Contributions to public institutions to offset the influence of the saloon."

Isn't this rather strange bookkeeping to deliberately plan for? You can't deny that from the records in every clean town as compared with every saloon town, these facts are indisputable. As one earnest citizen to another, I ask you, are you truly willing to stand on record for such a business policy as you would not tolerate in your personal business?

"United we stand, divided we fall" has not outlived its day. As an outsider who has lived half her lifetime in the east and traveled a good bit about the world, I can see splendid possibilities for Forest Grove, but not with the train of evils the saloon never fails to bring.

Working together, earning our money honestly, and gladly paying our fair share toward the common good as many of this 100 are doing today, encouraging instead of grumbling, being

patient with our little city's growing pains, we can mend our roads and sidewalks and do much also for the public good, which after all, selfishly considered is each man's own good without any license money.

A stirring anti slavery orator urged men to take their part with the perfect and abstract right, and trust God to see that it should prove the expedient. Has the saloon ever proved anything but a concrete wrong?

EMMA B. PENFIELD.

Business Locals

Also Wanted, For Sale and Lost.

5c per line each insertion.

—Dr. Eaton, headquarters for the best glasses in Washington county.

—COOK WANTED: Inquire at The Laughlin.

—Man, or Man and wife, Wanted—To do chores for winter. Must be able to milk. Good wages. Inquire at this office.

Wanted—Return to this office, new umbrella, taken by mistake from I. O. O. F. Hall, last night.

—Money to loan on farm security. W. H. Hollis, Forest Grove.

—Goldenrod Flour, buy it, try it.

—If you are in need of a suit examine the line we carry at \$16.00. J. E. Bailey.

—WANTED: Traveler for established house. \$12.00 per week. Expenses advanced. References. Address, with stamp, Jos. A. Alexander, Forest Grove Oregon.

—WANTED—Salesmen. Many make \$100 to \$150 per month, some even more. Stock clean; grown on reservation, far from old orchards. Cash advanced weekly. Choice of territory. Address Washington Nursery Company, Toppenish, Washington.

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FINE WORK DONE CHEAP — PRICES

White shirt	10c	Drawers	8c	
Soft	10c	White Waists	10c	
White Skirts	10c	50 Underskirts	15c	
Undershirts	8c	Stockings	25c	
Handkerchiefs	2c	Collars	20c	
Men's White Vests	15c	Pants	15c	
Coats	10c	20c	Dusters	20c
Towels	20c	Dox. Napkins	20c	

The following articles 50c per doz. Pillow Cases, Bed Sheets, Table Cloths, Night Gowns, Women's Drawers, Underwear, Aprons and Corset Covers.

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Tender, Juicy Meats—Just
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All kinds of Fish and Vegetables in Season. Groceries
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