

Satisfaction Means Success!

Sample Store

6th and H Streets

We satisfy customers with better merchandise for less money—That's why we grow. We give nothing away. We do not sell at a loss. Every article is actually better for the money at the Sample Store. There's a reason why we grow.

Ladies' White Shoes

Ladies White Canvas Oxfords, rubber heel and sole\$2.78
Ladies White Canvas Pumps and Oxfords, medium and French heels\$3.25 and \$2.98
Rainskin Oxfords, Goodyear stitched, rawhide welts, leather soles\$3.98
White Kid Shoes, high heels, \$10 value.....\$5.95
Same style in poplin with welt soles, only \$3.85

Porpoise Shoe Laces, 10c per

Men's Summer Shoes

White Canvas, leather soles, only\$3.45
White Oxfords, rubber soles, per pair\$1.25
Men's brown duck work shoe, heels reinforced with leather. You have been paying \$3.50 for the same shoe\$2.98
Men's plain tennis shoes, white or brown \$1.49
Men's muleskin shoes\$2.49
Light weight work shoes are priced from.....\$3.85, \$3.98 and \$4.98 for better ones

We never run special sales to draw customers into our store. A merchant must have profit. If one article is sold below cost the profit is placed on other goods.

CHILDREN'S PLAY SUITS
\$1.25, \$1.35 AND \$1.50

MEN'S FELT HATS
\$2.95, \$3.35, \$3.65, \$4.85,
\$4.98 AND \$5.50

220 WEIGHT BLUE BIBBED
OVERALLS
ALWAYS \$2.45

Do we sell for cash? Yes.

We will give \$10 reward to any and every person that was extended credit by this store.

Cash is King.

J. B. McKinney, Manager
GRANTS PASS BRANCH

HOW GRANTS PASS GOT IRRIGATION

The board of directors of the Grants Pass Irrigation District has touched the button which starts dirt flying on the last phase of the biggest constructive undertaking carried on in the Rogue river valley since the coming of the railroad.

The contract for the installation of the gravity system has been let, and farmers in the Grants Pass district will soon have water coming to their very door-step of its own force, a constant, never-ending factor in community growth, gravity water.

Now that the vision is really in the making, however, the people in this part of the county must take off their hats to the other districts in the county. All these years Grants Pass has been going without water for irrigation; all these years the farmers in this vicinity have struggled with land that parched and browned early in the summer, powerless to aid themselves because there were so many to aid; because the problem was so vast.

Years ago, even decades ago, the records of the water master showing even as far in the past as 1856 and 1858 the farmers in other sections of the county realized the same need that has to this year confronted the farmers around Grants Pass, but through all the decades between they have had their gravity water. Their valleys were not large and their farms were not large, and there were not a large number of farmers in any one valley or section. But the few who were there needed water for irrigation, so they had a meeting. At this meeting there might have been only Henry Jones, William Smith and Pete Adams, but whoever they were, they made decisions and then acted with promptness. The decision was simply that they had to have water so they would dig themselves a ditch to bring the water from the stream. The execution was simply to draw lots for sections of ditch to go out

and dig it. Then the water ran into the ditch and onto the lands of Henry Jones, William Smith and Pete Adams; and their farms and that water have been raising crops since 1856 or 1858.

It took Grants Pass a long time to profit by that experience. For many long years we have sat around waiting for some benevolent philanthropist-capitalist (they really don't exist) to spend his fortune giving us irrigation free—no ditch work for us included, no effort expected, and some people got tired of waiting.

So today we see the results to trying out the old but successful maxim which says in effect, "Do it yourself if you want to get it done;" and William Jones, Pete Smith and Henry Adams, farmers of the Grants Pass district, simply got together and decided that since they needed water they'd better dig themselves a ditch. The job being a vast project, they hired the work done and it is now going on. Soon the water of the stream will be turned into the gravity ditch and it will run out onto their lands, and in the year 1938 or 1939 it will still be running on those lands, producing crops.

So today, Grants Pass with its vast acreage pays tribute to the irrigation methods of the rest of Josephine county; we roll up our sleeves and proceed to dig ourselves a gravity ditch; it's partly done now, the summer will see the end of it.

AUSTRIA STANDS BY ALLIANCE WITH HUNS

Kempen, Bavaria, July 24.—England's late king, Edward VII, once tried to persuade Emperor Franz Joseph, of Austria to break away from Germany, says General Conrad von Hotzendorff, former commander-in-chief of the Austrian army. The general declared in a speech here the other day that the fidelity of Franz Joseph to the German-Austrian alliance was often questioned but, in spite of many temptations, he had remained faithful to the pact. "Fifteen years ago," he went on, "when I had just become chief of the general staff, the emperor remarked to me in his peculiar way, 'Do you know that King Edward has been visiting me at Ischl and earnestly trying to wean me away from our alliance with Germany? But I refused.'"

"The emperor saw the war danger coming, but he kept true to the alliance, whose spirit still lives in our nations. What has existed for more than 30 years in peace and war will never die out. Such a country as Germany can never perish, and Austria will always stand by her side."

LABOR BOARD WILL NOT REOPEN THE WAGE CASE

Chicago, July 24.—The United States railway labor board today notified the committee representing the rail brotherhoods that the wage award case could not be reopened.

WISE SPENDING

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When in Doubt, Add 10 Per Cent.

A Wall street man was negotiating with a country tinsmith for the renewal of the rain gutters on his house. Inquiring cautiously about the cost of copper gutters, he was surprised to find that they would cost him at the rate of more than 50 cents a pound, though the metal sells in ingots around 19 cents.

"Well," said the smith, "you see the men that work the metal up in the shop get \$9 a day. The shop adds 10 per cent for the workmen's insurance and aims to make at least \$1 a day on every man. When it comes to me, I figure the cost of the materials and labor, and I have to add 10 per cent to the wages to cover insurance cost, too. Then I have to add 10 per cent to the whole thing for overhead, 5 per cent for the use of the car and 13 per cent for being a boss. So I really don't get any profit on the job at all. All I get out of it is my living, you might say."—Wall Street Journal.

Making a Lion Love a Lamb.

Mr. Bostock has told how he succeeded in making a lion and lamb firm friends.

"I placed in the lion's cage all sorts of toys of the animal variety—cotton sheep, horses, rabbits—in fact, a regular Noah's ark," said Mr. Bostock. "Then I specialized on manufactured sheep, but it took a long time for the lion to find out that they were not good to eat. Finally a live lamb was introduced. At first the lion looked surprised, and then lay down and gently pawed the stranger. The lamb did not like this, and drawing back a pace or two butted the lion in the mane. This appeared to amuse the lion greatly; he playfully rolled over on his back, while the lamb butted again. Now they are fast friends, and an insurance company would be justified in taking the lamb as a first-class risk."—F. H. Cheley in "Stories for Talks to Boys."

World's Glass Industry.

Glass factories of Bohemia are filled with orders and working at full capacity, but are likely to suffer in the future because of the competition that arose in this trade during the war. Japan is one of the largest competitors. New glass factories also have been founded in Belgium, the Ukraine, Roumania and Poland.

England's Diamond Cutters.

About 200 years ago Englishmen were the finest diamond cutters in the world, and the trade was nearly all carried on in London. Through religious persecution the cutters migrated to Amsterdam, where they have since remained.



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