

DISHES

Just arrived. Good Prices. Good Quality. Come in and look them over.

Also
CONGOLEUM RUGS 9x12 for \$17.00

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All work done promptly and reasonably. Phone No. 269

Fresh and Cured Meats

Quarters of **BEEF** for canning purposes at canning prices
C. H. FALK

A Modern Barber Shop
 Laundry sent Tuesdays
 Dyeing, Cleaning and Pressing

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Shropshire Rams and Ewes

For sale. Purebred. 60 ewes, 12 rams, 35 lambs.

Dr. J. W. Cook, Brownsville.



Alluringly Attractive

The Newport "Fashion" Frame

The dark or cherry tone on the crystal frame. Ask to see the samples.

Meade & Albro,

Optometrists, Manufacturing Opticians
 Albany, Oregon

Albany Directory

This is good advice: "If you live in Albany, trade in Albany; if you live in some other town, trade in that town." But in these automobile days many residing elsewhere find it advisable to do at least part of their buying in the larger town. Those who go to Albany to transact business will find the firms named below ready to fill their requirements with courtesy and fairness.

Albany Bakery, 321 Lyon street,
 Best one-pound loaf of bread made. 7 cents; 3 for 20c. Wedding cakes to order.

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ALBANY GARAGE, "Studebaker" and "Star" automobiles. General repairing and supplies. G. T. Hockensmith—Lloyd Templeton.

BRUNSWICK PHONOGRAPHS
WOODWORTH'S

Eastburn Bros.—Two big grocery stores, 212 W. First and 225 South Main. Good merchandise at the right prices.

Films developed and printed. We mail them right back to you. Woodworth Drug Company, Albany, Oregon.

Flood's dry goods store is the best place in Albany to buy dry goods, furnishings and notions. Service is our motto.

FORD SALES AND SERVICE
 Tires and accessories
 Repairs
KIRK-POLLAK MOTOR CO.

Fortmiller Furniture Co., furniture, rugs, linoleum, stove ranges. Funeral directors. 427-433 west First street, Albany, Oregon.

Holman & Jackson—Everything for your table except the linen. Highest quality and prices reasonable. Phone 41. Opposite Postoffice

Men and money are best when busy. Make your dollars work in our savings department. **ALBANY STATE BANK.** Under government supervision.

Miller Motor Sales
 Oakland and Jewett cars
 Supplies and accessories
 First and Baker Sts. Albany, Oregon

Morton & Speer Service Company
 Headquarters for good tires
 Phone 65 First and Lyon

ROSCOE AMES HARDWARE, the WINCHESTER STOKE
 322 W. First st.

Specialized shoe repairing. Good-year welt sole sewing. White's Shoe Repair Service, Opposite Hotel Albany.

S. S. GILBERT & SON
 China ware and gift shop
 330 West First Albany

STIMSON THE SHOE DOCTOR
 Second street, opposite Hamilton's store.
 "Sudden Service."

Waldo Anderson & Son, distributors and dealers for Maxwell, Chalmers, Essex, Hudson & Hupmobile cars. Accessories, Supplies. 1st & Broadalbin.

Metzger's SHOE SERVICE
 Shoes that cost less per month of wear

FURNITURE AND FARM MACHINERY
 bought, sold and exchanged at all times
BEN T. SUDTELL
 Phone 76-R, 123 N. Broadalbin st., Albany

FARM LOANS
 We are making five-year loans on Linn county farms at 5 1/4% plus commission. Call on
BRAM LAND CO.,
 133 Lyon St., Albany, Ore.

Why suffer from headache?
 Have your eyes examined
S. T. FRENCH
 Optometrist, with
F. M. FRENCH & SONS
JEWELERS—OPTICIANS
 Albany, Oregon

Amor A. Tussing
LAWYER AND NOTARY
 HALSEY, OREGON

Jots and Tittles

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The Rector home has been repainted.

C. F. Chastain has bought J. W. Rogga's sixty-eight-acre farm, eight miles west of Harrisburg.

The shingle mill at Lebanon was burned Friday. Loss \$5000 or more. It is to be rebuilt at once.

The cement pavement from Halsey to Harrisburg is finished. In thirty days it will probably be opened for travel. It requires that length of time to set.

The attempt of the game commissions to postpone the opening of the season for deer was blocked by the courts. Season opens next Monday.

Clarence Campbell and Ella Campbell from Arlington, Ia. were here last week visiting Clarence's niece, Mrs. George Starr, for a few days.

Mrs. Ida Gage fell down stairs a week ago and broke a rib and sustained bruises. She was taken to a Corvallis Hospital where a niece of hers is a nurse.

The Scio milk condensary, one of the important industrial concerns of Linn county has put in apparatus to burn coal oil as fuel whenever there is a shortage of wood.

Lucas H. Wheeler of Eugene, with Mrs. Wheeler and Bryan, a son, passed through here Sunday on a trip to Corvallis. They looked in on Editor Wheeler of the Enterprise, Lucas' brother, as they passed.

In the building of Albany's city hall the jail portion has been speeded up, as the swollen contents of the old jail had been slopping over into the county institution for involuntary boarders.

There was a lucky accident at the Frum warehouse about quitting time Monday evening. Tons of baled hay came from far up to the driveway floor, near the entrance, with a crash and a tumble. Men were in the building, but none happened to be in the way of the falling bales or there might have been some funerals.

One more change comes to the Brownsville Times. Mr. Brownlow, the editor, has tendered his resignation and Mr. Loomis, the owner, is expected to take possession Sept. 1. and devote his entire energies to the interests of the Calapooia City. He proposes to install a phototype as soon as the factory can fill his order and have an up-to-date printing office. Mr. Brownlow's plans for the future are unannounced.

A commendable live-and-let-live spirit is manifested among business men in this part of the moral vineyard. It is shown in a new card issued by Dad's and Mam's restaurant, where the two local garages take each a page of advertising space side by side. When giving orders for advertising in Halsey, the Murphy Seed store, Bartcher & Rolerbaugh and other Albany firms ask: "Are any Halsey houses handling this line? If so, I don't want to take their trade away." This is a mighty decent part of the world to live in—made so by the people who live in it.

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FARM LOANS
 I can make both **FARM and CITY LOANS** at a very low rate of interest. From 5 to 10 years. Write me for particulars.
G. W. LAFLAR,
 Salem, Ore. 410 Oregon Bldg.

DELBERT STARR
Funeral Director and Licensed Embalmer
 Efficient Service. Motor Hearse, Lady Attendant.
 Brownsville.....Oregon.

W. L. WRIGHT
Mortician & Funeral Director
 Halsey and Harrisburg
 Call D. TAYLOR, Halsey, or
 W. L. WRIGHT, Harrisburg

out of the building I'll drop a handkerchief or something, and off you go!"
 "Off I go where?"
 "Follow him, of course, silly! What do you think of the idea?"
 "Sort of thing one reads about in books. People will wonder what I'm up to. Anyway, it will be rather a lark."

They met by arrangement the following morning and proceeded cityward. Tommy remained on the opposite side of the road while Tuppence plunged into the building.

Tommy strolled slowly down to the end of the street, then back again. Just as he came abreast of the building, Tuppence darted across the road.

"Tommy! The place is shut. I can't make anyone hear."

"That's odd."
 "Isn't it? Come up with me, and let's try again."

Tommy followed her. As they passed the third floor landing a young clerk came out of an office. He hesitated a moment, then addressed himself to Tuppence.

"Were you wanting the Esthonia Glassware?"

"Yes, please."
 "It's closed down. Since yesterday afternoon. Company being wound up, they say. Not that I've ever heard of it myself. But anyway the office is to let."

"Thank you," faltered Tuppence. "I suppose you don't know Mr. Whittington's address?"

"Afraid I don't. They left rather suddenly."

"Thank you very much," said Tommy. "Come on, Tuppence."

They descended to the street, where they gazed at one another blankly.

"That's torn it," said Tommy at length. "Cheer up, old thing. It can't be helped."

"Can't it, though?" Tuppence's little chin shot out defiantly. "Do you think this is the end? If so, you're wrong. It's just the beginning!"

"The beginning of what?"

"Of our adventure! Tommy, don't you see, if they are scared enough to run away like this, it shows that there must be a lot in this Jane Finn business! Well, we'll get to the bottom of it. We'll run them down! We'll be sleuths in earnest!"

"Yes, but there's no one left to sleuth."

"No, that's why we'll have to start all over again. Lend me that bit of pencil. Thanks. Wait a minute—don't interrupt. There!" Tuppence handed back the pencil, and surveyed the piece of paper on which she had written with a satisfied eye.

"What's that?"

"Advertisement."

"You're not going to put that thing in after all?"

"No, it's a different one." She handed him the slip of paper.

Tommy read the words on it aloud: "Wanted—Any information respecting Jane Finn. Apply Y. A."

The day of disillusionment had been a Wednesday. On Thursday the advertisement had duly appeared. On Friday letters might be expected to arrive at Tommy's rooms.

He had been bound by an honorable promise not to open any such letters if they did arrive, but to repair to the National gallery, where his colleague would meet him at ten o'clock.

Tuppence was first at the rendezvous. She ensconced herself on a red velvet seat until she saw the familiar figure enter the room.

"Well!"

"Well," returned Mr. Beresford provokingly. "Which is your favorite picture?"

"Aren't there any answers?" Tommy shook his head with a deep and somewhat overacted melancholy. "I didn't want to disappoint you, old thing, by telling you right off. It's too bad. Good money wasted." He sighed. "Still, there it is. The advertisement has appeared, and—there are only two answers!"

Tuppence snatched the two precious envelopes from him unceremoniously, and scrutinized them carefully.

"Thick paper, this one. It looks rich. We'll keep it to the last and open the other first."

"Right you are. One, two, three, go!"

Tuppence's little thumb ripped open the envelope, and she extracted the contents.

"Dear Sir:
 "Referring to your advertisement in this morning's paper, I may be able to be of some use to you. Perhaps you could call and see me at the above address at eleven o'clock tomorrow morning."

"Yours truly,
 "A. CARTER."

"27 Carshalton Gardens," said Tuppence, referring to the address. "That's Gloucester road way. Now for the other letter. I'll read it:"

"Dear Sir:
 "Re your advertisement, I should be glad if you would call round somewhere about lunch-time."

"Yours truly,
 "JULIUS P. HERSHEIMMER."

"Ha!" said Tommy. "Do I smell a Boche? Or only an American millionaire of unfortunate ancestry? At all events we'll call at lunch-time. It's a good time—frequently leads to free food for two."

Tuppence nodded an eager assent. "Now for Carter. We'll have to hurry."

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Greenland Bride Must Never Seem to Go Willingly to the Arms of Her Husband.

Marriage by capture thrives sturdily among the icebergs of Greenland. The Greenland bride-elect must appear unwilling, and the bridegroom must obtain her by force, genuine or counterfeit. The girl's relatives seldom interfere on her behalf, but still less must they seem glad to part with her. Indifference is the acme of Eskimo good form.

Some Greenland Eskimos, with exceptionally delicate minds, do propose for or to the maiden of their choice, but their proposal is never accepted. For a girl in Greenland to accept an offer of marriage is to shame herself and lose caste beyond the power of any penance to reinstate her.

An Eskimo selects a woman for his wife chiefly for her strength and health, that she may aid him in the endless toil which the cold climate and barren environment compel. It is a common thing for two Eskimos to trade wives.

HALSEY

Cream and Produce Station

Cash paid for

Cream, Poultry, Eggs and Veal. M. H. SHOOK.

Wasted Money A great deal of effort and a great deal of money is wasted every year by business houses in trying to attract trade by sending circulars, handbills and broadsides through the mails.

Cost is Heavy A good deal is paid for paper and printing, some more for the labor of preparing the printed sheets for the mail and one cent apiece for postage.

Few People Read Them Finally the postmaster or the rural route carrier passes it along to the addressee, who are about pestered to death with propaganda by mail. Half of it is thrown away as soon as its nature is discovered. The rest is laid one side while the letter mail and newspapers are read and probably not more than one in ten of those thus laid aside ever receive attention again.

Newspapers Read First After letters, the newspapers receive the first attention when the mail arrives. And while reading the news the eye catches advertisements printed alongside. Some of these are read at that time. Others, only noticed then, are seen in the next issue and more people gratify their aroused curiosity by reading them. By the time the advertisement has appeared four times consecutively nearly every reader of the paper has received its message.

Run Ad Several Times It is good policy ordinarily to run an advertisement four times or more, or to retain the signature and the general form while changing items.

The Cheapest Way An offer of something especially seasonable, or the quotation of attractive prices, is especially effective.

All Read the Papers The cost, to reach the same number of readers—we don't mean addresses—through a newspaper is only a fraction of that through circulars. You have no postage to pay, no labor and expense of mailing, no printer's bill. Pay the publisher for his space and he does the rest.

Use All Newspapers Advertise in all the papers in the territory you want to cover and you will reach practically every resident, for the families in this country who do not take one or more newspapers are a negligible few.

August Outing Suggestions

THERE'S no better time for your outing than August, though it be for a day, week end or longer. The days are flooded with sunshine. The trails are at their best. The weather conditions are sure to be pleasant. Southern Pacific trains will transport you in comfort with safety to the place of your choice.

Let us suggest:

- Newport and Tillamook Beaches
- Crater Lake National Park
- Oregon's Marble Caves
- Oregon's Mountain, Lake and River Resorts
- Portland—the City of Roses
- San Francisco Los Angeles San Diego

And many other places
 Your local ticket agent will gladly give you further particulars. Ask him or write
JOHN M. SCOTT,
 Assistant Passenger Traffic Manager,
 Portland, Oregon

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American Eagle Fire Insurance Co.

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C. P. STAFFORD, Agent