

The Blain Clothing Company's 60th Anniversary and January Sale ends Saturday, January 24, at 9 p. m.

With better than \$70,000 worth of goods to sell and only until Saturday night in which to sell them, we greet the people of Linn county with the most startling figures that ever appeared on good clothing and furnishings.

Suits at \$13.60, \$17.60 and \$21.60
Overcoats at \$17.60, \$21.60 and \$26.60

The following prices are our last effort to sell everything down to nothing—within the next few days.

One lot of Shirts, with stiff collar to match, \$2.25 values	\$1.85	One lot of Felt Hats	2.60
One lot of Shirts, \$1.50 and \$1.75 values, 2 for	2.60	One lot of Hats including values at \$5 and up	3.60
One lot of odds and ends in Shirts	.60	One lot of Hats including values at \$6 and \$7.50	4.60
Fancy wool Shirts, \$4.50 to \$6 value, including Pendleton virgin wool	3.60	One lot of men's Caps, values to \$3	1.60
Boys' Knickers, all sizes and patterns, \$2.25 values	1.60	Leather work Gloves	.60
Boys' Knickers, broken sizes	.60	One lot of men's black dress Shoes, calf and kangaroo, \$5 to \$9 values	3.60
Boys' Knicker Suits, broken sizes	6.60	Boys' dress Shoes, black or brown	2.30
Boys' Knicker Suits, all good patterns, mostly with 2 pair knickers	8.60	Youths' sizes	2.60
Ladies' silk Hose, white or brown	.60	Boys' sizes	1.60
Choice of any \$1 Tie	.60	One lot of odds and ends in Shoes	1.60
One lot of Sox, black, gray and brown	.18	Choice of any of our \$5 and \$6 six-inch work Shoes	3.60
One lot boys' fancy slipover Sweaters, \$2.50 and \$3 values	1.60	<i>Every pair of Shoes in our Shoe department is REDUCED</i>	
One lot of men's cloth and felt Hats	1.60	One lot of Sox, fancy drop stitch and clocked	.35
		Men's Unionsuits, all sizes, medium weight	1.60

These are only a few of the many bargains that await you. Avail yourself now of these bargains that won't be available after the whistle blows at 9 p. m. January 24.

Quality
Style
Service



"Dress Well and Succeed"
Sixty years in business on First street.

Albany
Oregon

JUSTICE BURKE



John Burke, treasurer of the United States under President Wilson, who was elected to a place on the bench of the supreme court of North Dakota.

AMBASSADOR KELLOGG



Frank B. Kellogg, former senator from Minnesota and present ambassador to Great Britain, who has been named secretary of state.

BASKETBALL GAME

Friday, Jan. 23, 1925, 8 p. m.

Halsey High School
vs.
Oakville All Stars

Admission 15 and 25 cents

Coming Games
Scio Feb 6, 1925
Philomath Feb. 20



SWEET THOUGHTS

When you pass Clark's think of how appreciative your sweetheart or wife, mother or sister would be if you sent her a box of strictly fresh chocolates or a box of fruity sweetmeats. You'll have cause to thank us for this suggestion, because we know how it has worked in other cases.

Clark's Confectionery

TORRANCE

Reconditioning Shop

Raybestos Hi-speed Brake Service Station

212 East First st., Albany, near the skating rink
Phone 379

HALSEY RAILROAD TIME

North		South	
No. 32, 3:20 a. m.	No. 17, 12:09 p. m.	No. 18, 10:48 a. m.	No. 33, 7:11 p. m.
No. 34, 4:25 p. m.	No. 31, 11:34 p. m.	No. 14, due Halsey at 5:02 p. m., stops to let off passengers from south of Eugene.	
Nos. 31 and 32 stop only if flagged.			
Nos. 31, 32, 33 and 34 run between Portland and Eugene only.			
Passengers for south of Roseburg should take No. 17 to Eugene and there transfer to No. 15.			
Halsey-Brownsville stage meets trains 18, 17, 14, 34 and 33 in order named.			

News Notes

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The state board of control at its second meeting since reorganization on January 5 ousted W. M. Henderson of Portland as commandant of the old soldiers' home at Roseburg. Judge G. W. Riddle of Roseburg, ex-commandant of the home, was reinstated and resumed his duties at the home Tuesday.

Public officials and representatives of seven Oregon, Washington and California lumber ports, meeting in Portland, proposed that legislatures of the three states address memorials to congress urging appropriation of \$20,000,000 for the development of five lumber ports in Oregon, one in Washington and one in California.

As a result of the refusal of Dr. Thomas Ross of Portland to relinquish the office of state fish commissioner as demanded recently in an executive order, Governor Pierce has announced that he will cause quo warranto proceedings to be filed in the supreme court, requiring Dr. Ross to show cause why he should not be retired.

The widow of the late Harvey McDonald, who died recently at Walla Walla, Wash., will be compelled to pay an inheritance tax on the Oregon estate of her husband, according to a legal opinion handed down by the attorney-general. The opinion was sought by State Treasurer Kay. Mr. McDonald left Oregon property valued at \$22,000.

The state highway commission has awarded the contract for grading and resurfacing on the John Day highway south of Condon, Gilliam county, to Campbell, Barr & Tobin of Coitax, Wash., on a bid of \$97,510, the lowest of 19 bids. This contract calls for the grading of 5.5 miles of the highway and the resurfacing of eight miles of the same stretch.

The study of power farming from the standpoint of the farmer, taking particular notice of the selection, care, repair and adjustment of equipment on the farm, will be taken up in five one-week short courses in farm mechanics at Oregon Agricultural college. One course started Monday and the others are scheduled for January 26, February 2, 9 and 16.

There were three fatalities in Oregon due to industrial accidents during the week ending January 16, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission. The victims were: Daniel F. Corkey, Glenwood, car loader; John Swanson, North Bend, piledriver, and Charles Vanvandt, Oakridge, laborer. A total of 497 accidents were reported.

Five boys, students at the Lincoln high school in Portland, were suspended by school authorities following an investigation that brought out the fact that they had supplied a small quantity of wine which was used at a school party given at a private home. Four high school girls who partook of the wine which the boys had obtained were censured by school authorities.

Representative Stanott established a record in congress in forcing the passage of 23 bills of which he was sponsor. Three of them were Oregon bills. One devoted to the state of Oregon certain lands in Lake county for fish hatchery purposes. Another extended for three years the time for making final proof on desert land entries, and the third reserved certain rights for the government and entrymen in the settlement of national forests.

CUT FLOWERS AND SHEET MUSIC

HALL'S Floral and Music Shop Albany

GLOBE ALBANY

Sunday—Monday—
—Jan. 25—26

GLORIA SWANSON

in
WAGES OF VIRTUE

Watch for Don't miss it

SO BIG

Coming soon

Halsey Happenings etc.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Harding were Eugene visitors the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Prineville arrived Friday to visit J. S. Taylor and family.

One of L. L. Swan's bills in the legislature would require the signatures of twelve citizens of a school district outside incorporate limits before a license for a dance hall could be obtained, together with the posting of a bond for the proper conduct of the place.

Producers around Lebanon are contracting fruit and vegetables enough to keep the cannery going this year on promise by the company of the current price for their products and fair gradings and the management of the cannery predicts that will become "one of the greatest fruit districts of the west."

Mrs. Steinke and little son went to Eugene Friday. The boy's injured eye will probably be as good as ever.

John Pharesaiah paid about \$10 damages for the windows he broke at Brownsville and \$45 fine for that job. At Stayton he paid \$250 for taking liquor there in his car and then breaking out of jail, and it is not certain whether he will get his car back or not. Thus he has set-

ted up, ready for a new start. Booze has been costly to him.

Albany's fire loss during 1924 was \$26,367.12.

More than 100 babies were examined at a state board of health baby clinic at Albany.

J. B. Patrick of Detroit, while hunting several days ago bagged one of the largest lynxes ever seen in this territory. The cat was found to measure 52 inches in length.

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Hughes Says We're Safe From League

Secretary Denies War Debt Settlement Imposed Obligations on United States.

Washington, D. C. — Secretary Hughes issued Monday a formal statement asserting that the agreement reached in Paris at the conference of the allied finance ministers imposed no obligation, "legally or morally," on the United States and that this country remains as free from commitments in European matters as it ever was.

The statement said the full text of the agreement signed by Ambassador Kellogg and the other American representatives would be made public as soon as it was received here.

Mr. Hughes' statement was said by White House officials to have the full approval of President Coolidge, who it was said had been fully advised of all angles of the controversy.

The resolution asking for a copy of the agreement, proposed by Senator Johnson, republican, California, is pending in the senate with the approval of others of the irreconcilable veterans of the Versailles treaty fight. From these and other quarters the state department has heard charges that the Paris agreement signed by Ambassador Kellogg, the secretary of state designate, had drawn the United States officially into an involvement against which it had been guarding itself ever since the close of the war.

HOOVER DECLINES TO SHIFT

Prefers Present Position as Head of Commerce Department.

Washington, D. C.—Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover has declined a suggestion of the president that he transfer from his present post to be secretary of agriculture after March 4, he announced.

"I appreciate deeply the confidence the president has shown in me," Hoover said, "but I have told him that I believed it would be to the best interests for me to decide against the suggestion, which I have done."

Hoover said Mr. Coolidge thought the present need of the department of agriculture was for an administration in which emphasis should be given to the solution of farmers' marketing problems and that, therefore, the president had asked him to become secretary of that department.

He added, however, that he believed he could serve far more, to more effect, by attempting the solution of problems affecting the whole distribution system of the country, industrial and commercial, as well as agricultural, as he now is doing as the head of the department of commerce.

Chief Justice of Idaho Dies.
Boise, Idaho.—Robert N. Dunn, chief justice of the Idaho supreme court, one of the most widely known and highly respected jurists in the state, died here. Death came following an illness of a year.

Would Abolish Liquor Export Houses.
Victoria, B. C.—Liberal members of the British Columbia legislature have drawn up a resolution to petition the Ottawa government to abolish the liquor export houses throughout Canada.

University Chancellor Reinstated.
Topeka, Kan.—Chancellor Lindley of the University of Kansas, ousted by the state board of administration under the regime of Governor Davis two weeks ago, was reinstated.

Nursery Stock

If you want trees, shrubs, etc., at the best price for first-class stock see H. W. CHANCE, Halsey.

Cal Would Catch Big Rum Runners

Washington, D. C.—Declaring diversion of alcohol the chief problem of prohibition enforcement, James J. Britt, counsel for the prohibition enforcement unit, has recommended to the senate investigation committee two amendments to the Volstead act designed to remedy the situation.

One amendment would limit denaturation plants to alcohol distilleries and to distillery premises and the other would give the enforcement agency complete supervision of the denatured alcohol until it goes to the consumer.

Roy A. Haynes, field marshal of enforcement since early in the Harding administration, seems likely to be replaced by someone who heretofore has viewed the government's prohibition activities from a distance and who will bring to the service enforcement opinions of his own.

Meantime it has been revealed at the White House in the most authoritative manner that President Coolidge would like to see federal agents give their major attention to bootleggers and not to hip-pocket flasks and that he does not favor a bill reported by the house judiciary committee making it mandatory for courts to impose jail sentences on those convicted of breaking the Volstead act.

Stone O. K'd by Senate Report.

Washington, D. C.—A favorable report on the nomination of Attorney General Stone to be an associate justice of the supreme court was ordered Monday by the senate judiciary committee. Action on Stone's nomination had been deferred after James Owen presented the record of the Morgan litigation, several senators desiring to inquire into all the facts.

FOR SALE

Holstein Cow

Fresh in March

Heavy Milker

and gentle. Inquire S. Wells, near Brownsville.