

Annual Pongee Sale

for the balance of January, subject to stock on hand.
Extra-low prices on high-grade Imported Pongees.

26-inch PONGEE
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The best pongee buy of the season.

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An extra-good quality of Imported Pongee.

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CITY NEWS

W. Lair Thompson Candidate—

W. Lair Thompson has filed his notice of candidacy for state senator from the 17th district, comprising Crook, Jefferson, Klamath and Lake counties. He was president of the last senate, and it is supposed will again be a candidate.

The Willamette Pacific—

Marshfield people expect to be able to go to Eugene by train some time in April. The time for the trip will be five or six hours, it is estimated. Later probably quicker.

Will Have Church Market—

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will have a Saturday market at the Hamilton Department store Saturday afternoon. There will be plenty of good things to eat for sale and the ladies are hoping to

do a big business.

In Eugene—

H. R. Schultz, of Mitchell, in Central Oregon, was here on business yesterday. He went to Albany on the 1:50 O. E. train to visit old friends, that city being his former home. Register.

An Aged Affair—

Married at the age of 79 and divorced at the age of 83 is the experience of J. B. Coleman, a wealthy Eugene man. Mrs. Coleman, aged 77, retires with \$22,000 worth of property, which she will retain.

Returned from Portland—

H. F. Merrill returned yesterday from Portland, where he had been to attend the funeral of his sister, Miss Amelia Merrill. Mrs. Merrill remained for a few days. She will be accompanied home by her son Edwin, who had resided with his aunt for about fifteen years, and who will remain in Albany for awhile. He is a graduate architect and expects to make architecture his business.

Left for Idaho—

Ward Wilson, a prominent high school student, left this noon for Idaho Falls, where he will reside with his sister, and attend school.

Richardson & Talbert Tonight—

After finishing a three weeks' engagement at the Opera House last Saturday night the management of the Globe booked T. J. Richardson, Mae Richardson and Harlin Talbert to appear at the Globe theatre tonight where they should receive a hearty welcome from their many Albany friends. They will appear in a one act comedy sketch entitled: "A Crucial Test," an act that was especially arranged for them by a well known author of big vaudeville acts.

Weather Report—

The temperature for the 24 hours preceding 8 o'clock this morning was 15 to 37 degrees. The snowfall was 1.4 inches. The river fell to 10.2 feet.

Was Not Sister—

Through a mistake in communicating the news to the Democrat yesterday it was published that Mrs. L. B. Westbrook's sister died in Boston. It should have read that the husband of Mrs. Elba Ashby Brady, sister of Mrs. Westbrook, died. Mrs. Brady was well known here and the misprint brought numerous calls to Mrs. Westbrook.

Went to California—

F. E. Alexander, who was in the photographic business here up to a short time ago, left yesterday for San Jacinto, Cal., where he will make his home with his family.

Went to Salem—

C. H. Stewart, president of the Wil-

lamette Valley Exposition Association, went to Salem this morning to attend the final meeting of that body.

To Visit Old Friend—

Rev. Father Henry left this morning for Salem, St. Louis and Portland. At St. Louis he will visit an old friend with whom he came from France 12 years ago.

Daughter Ill in Portland—

Mrs. A. F. Luther, of North Albany, went to Portland this morning to visit with her daughter, Miss Caroline Luther, who is ill, in the Good Samaritan hospital. Miss Luther was operated upon for appendicitis two months ago, but her recovery has been very slow due to lapses. Up to the time of her illness she was teaching in the public school at Halsey.

Lebanon Revival—

Rev. John Lewtas, of Tacoma, who had charge of the Bible classes at Chautauqua two or three years ago, is conducting a revival at Lebanon in the M. E. church.

Returning from W. Virginia—

Mrs. J. N. Jones, formerly of Albany, is now at Courtoe, Texas, where she is visiting with a brother whom she had not seen for 30 years. For 16 months she has been visiting in West Virginia. She writes that she likes Oregon better than any place she has been in not excepting the sunny south.

Lights Went Out—

The Democrat has received a farewell pamphlet from the Panama-Pacific exposition, entitled "The Lights Go Out." It is one of the neatest things of the fair, and the Democrat appreciates the good wishes in the little note with it. Good wishes always come handy, even from an exposition official.

Robins Met—

A convention of robins was held today in some trees along the alley in block 27. There must have been nearly a thousand, their red breasts so conspicuous as to make the flock look enormous in proportions. It seemed to be an harmonious affair. A banquet was served them by some neighbors, and spectators enjoyed the sight as much as the birds themselves.

Will Close for Funeral—

Out of respect for the late J. L. Tomlinson, the stores and offices of the city will close tomorrow afternoon from 2 o'clock, during the funeral. Also all the banks. The Albany State Bank, of which Mr. Tomlinson was a director will close all day. The funeral will be in the Baptist church, beginning at 2 o'clock. Preceding the funeral the remains may be viewed by friends from 1:30 o'clock.

Expert Milliner—

Arriving last night from Chicago, Mrs. J. Charles Smith, milliner at the Worth store, brought with her the very latest ideas in up-to-date millinery, after visiting all the leading stores and wholesale houses. A fine stock of goods was ordered for the department and will be gotten ready for the Spring display, which it is probable will not be before March. Mrs. Smith is an expert with any years' experience.

Here from Corvallis—

Banker M. S. Woodcock, of Corvallis, was in the city today looking after his Albany property.

Basket Ball—

Albany College will play Pacific College of Newberg, at the Y. M. C. A. gym next Saturday night. They are going into this game to win, and with the proper lineup stand a good

Leon E. Rennells' Garage

The Handy place to buy Gasoline
212 E. First Street.
Phones, Bell 72-R; Home 1303

All Repair Work 50c Per Hour
DURING WINTER

show of doing so.

Assumed Business—

C. W. Donaca, proprietor of the Lebanon Box Cabinet Factory, has registered that name with the county clerk, assuming it as the name under which his business will be conducted.

Making Final Proofs—

Jas. H. Tolbert, John J. Kimbrough and Thos. E. Tolbert, of Foster, homesteaders of the Cascadia district, are in the city making application for final proofs on their homesteads in T. 13 R. 2 W. Walter Dorsey acted as witness in each case.

Suit to Collect—

D. Cormier has filed a complaint in Department 2 of the circuit court to collect \$6000 and interest from Jan. 10, 1916, on a mortgage given by Geo. S. Forest, et al.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Warranty Deeds.

S. Shupp and wife to R. R. Knox and wife, May 31, 1913. Lands in block 113, Hackleman's Add. to Albany, \$10.

A. V. Whitney to R. R. Knox, Dec. 20, 1915. Lands in block 121, in Hackleman's add to Albany, \$10.

Eva Davis and husband to R. L. Robertson, Feb. 23, 1915. Lands in block 40, in Hackleman's 2nd Add. Albany, \$1600.

J. N. Davis et al to Herbert C. Ames, Jan. 12, 1916. Lands in Sec. 30, Tp. 12, S. R. 1 W. 24.35 acres, \$1000.

Strychnine.

The number of plants used for medicinal purposes in the Philippines is very large. A few are recognized as sources of standard medicines, but the number having commercial value is decidedly small. From one, the *St. Ignatius* bean (*Strychnos ignatii*), the strychnine of commerce is extracted.

Patient.

Her Father—The fact is, I cannot give my daughter a dowry just at present. Suffer—That's all right, sir. I can love her for herself alone in the meantime.—Boston Transcript.

Combination Spoiled.

He—She married a fool with barrels of money. She—Then why don't she marry me? He—Marriage brought him to his senses.—Boston Transcript.

READ OUR WANT ADS

ADDITIONAL CLASSIFIED.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms for rent. Either up or down stairs. Furnished. Call 4125 Home phone, or call residence 307 E. 4th. J27-13

WANTED—Crochet work. Write box 63. J27-10

WORK WANTED—By competent woman. Will also do nursing at reasonable price. Mrs. C. Frazier, Home phone 3141. J27-11

FOR SALE—Sole leather suitable for half-soled shoes, 30c pound. Burns, hte shoe doctor. Opposite post office. J27 1274 an wk

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Home phone 2522. J26-28

FOR SALE—Airdale puppy, male, thoroughbred, well marked, makes best pet and companion, price \$10. L. C. Anderson, care Wells Fargo & Co., Albany, Ore. J26-28

FOUND—The cap of a fountain pen. Democrat office. J27-29

FOR SALE—Large grub oak wood, also McClanahan incubator, 220 eggs. Home phone 6453. J24-29*

FOR SALE—Typewriter, L. C. Smith No. 2 visible, A. No. 1 condition. Price \$25.00. Inquire 628 East 4th St. J25-27

LOST—Little white Spitz dog, chain around neck. Return to 805 Lyon St. Bell phone 5941. J25-27

FOR SALE—3 Nice young fresh cows for sale for cash or on time. F. H. Pfeiffer, Both phones. J25-11

FOR SALE—\$55 Wilton rug, 9 1/2 x 12, as good as new. Will sell for \$25, if taken soon. E. A. Schroeder, 423 W 1st. Phone Bell 312-R. J24-30

FOR SALE—Poultry equipment. Houses, wire netting, fireless brooder, 40 mens, platform scale, Iron Age cultivator and wheel hoe combined, 60 feet hoat bed sash, garden tools, bone grinder and other implements. Am leaving city and will sell cheap. A. Crooks, Bell phone 290-R. Call at 516 Elm St. J24-77

FOR RENT—6 Room house at Salem and Pine, \$6 a mo. Inquire of J. I. Livingstone, 1305, Salem Road. J22-29

To Whom It May Concern:—My wife, Christena Wood having left my home and board without just cause, the undersigned will not be responsible for debts contracted by her. J. A. Wood. J27-8

Two lady solicitors can find easy work and easy money with Albany's new industry. Corset making and teaching of corsetry. Leave your address at P. O. box 387, for particulars. J25-11

"CARMEN" PICTURE CLIMAX SUPREME AND INIMITABLE

No Prototype Anywhere on Earth Equal in Sumptons Beauty and Magnitude.

In every conceivable way, the William Fox production of "Carmen" marks an era and chronicles an epoch in moving pictures. It has no prototype in sumptuous and colossal magnitude, scenic equipment, properties, cast, costumes, lavish expenditure or extraordinary treatment. It stands single, supreme, inimitable and alone among achievements of the silent stage.

Never before in the history of moving pictures was such exact and painstaking care, such accumulated experience, such outlay of money and time bestowed upon a screen presentation. Nearly one year was required to complete it in perfection; its cost staggers belief. Theda Bara, whose portrayal upon the film for Mr. Fox has made her the most talked-of woman in the world, distinguishes herself anew in the title role of the pointing and flouting gypsy flirt. Raoul A. Walsh contrived and produced a photo-romance without a technical or artistic flaw.

Mr. Fox's adaptation of Prosper Merimee's novel has little in common with familiar, conventional operatic and dramatic versions. It borrows nothing from custom or tradition in conception or execution. The services of a total of more than five thousand persons were enlisted in its production.

The true romance of the old Spain, the Spain before the hand-organ took the place of the guitar, permeates "Carmen" throughout. A band of real gypsies were lured from their mountain retreats to lend variety. Edward Velasquez, noted Spanish artist, was brought from Seville to supervise that technical and architectural details of the Spanish cities, which Mr. Fox created at his studios. A captain of the Spanish army drilled the dragons. A bull brought from Spain for the bull fight. Over 20 acres of land were required to erect the villages of Seville and Cordova. Scores of other items in the play are produced with painstaking care.

The cast, headed by Theda Bara, is the strongest that could be procured, and such a magnificent production is put forth to the people as was never before dreamed of.

All of this lavish outlay will be presented to the people of Albany for a small admission at the Rolfe Theatre tomorrow and Saturday, with matinees both days.

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White leather fast black hose for whole family	10c	Blue wrist gloves	3 for 25c
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Silk boot hose	25c	Men's hile sox	2 for 25c
Burson hose	19c, 25c	Black or tan sox	10c
Foxy Lisle Misses hose 2 for 25c		Oshkosh overalls	75c
Century boys' hose	2 for 25c	Boys' overalls	49c
Infants' silk hile hose 2 for 25c		Boys' overalls	49c
Infants' cashmere hose	19c	Boys' 65c waists	49c
Leather faced gloves	15c	Men's work shirts	25c

EVERYTHING ALWAYS FOR LESS

THE GOLDEN RULE

83 BUSY STORES

PRIVILEGES FOR GERMANS IN CAMPS OF BRITISH.

Leniency and Thoroughness Make Confinement Comfortable.

British leniency and German thoroughness have co-ordinated to make England's enemy internment business a positive success. Five London bobbies and a ten foot fence of American barbed wire guard 750 of the Kaiser's military eligibles at Billington, North London. Inside a great central building and auxiliary structures which in antebellum days composed a municipal refuse for the poor is today a model system of self government where 750 "citizens" have worked out their own restricted salvation.

The regulation quarters in the main building consist of high walled, well ventilated rooms with from eight to fifteen sanitary cubicles. These, with general lavatories, washrooms and bathrooms on every floor, make this internment camp more like a well planned hotel. Large day rooms where visitors may be entertained, commodious yard with rain shelter, workshops, tennis courts, dining rooms and tea rooms make it unnecessary for the men to occupy their sleeping quarters during the daylight.

Afternoon tea is a daily event. Here is the routine: Arise at 8, breakfast at 8:30; work, study or diversion until noon (working is optional, but hundreds are busy at various tasks under supervision of the council of captives); dinner at 12; work or entertain wives and children until 5; tea with trimmings, 5 to 5:30; supper at 7; to bed at 9.

Other features—Unrestricted smoking except in woodworking shop; bimonthly theatricals; a weekly paper printed in English; privilege of writing two letters each week in German, to Germany or elsewhere; opportunity of leaving the premises, under guard, for medical treatment; toiletarium.

If you want your wood sawed, call Albany Stables, 34 Both phones. Brown & Simms. J27-10

Dollar Day at Corvallis—

Corvallis likes its dollar day so well it is going to have another, which will be next Saturday. Already it is being made a bargain affair. They are great drawers of big crowds.

Returned from Corvallis—

Miss Lillian Thordarson, the popular instructor in domestic science at the high school, returned yesterday from a visit with her folks in Corvallis.

15c Social—At U. P. church basement Friday evening. Refreshments. Everybody welcome. J25-28

Carmen



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CARMEN

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Cut Work Embroidery

will be taught during the afternoon of Tuesday, Feb. 1st. LESSONS FREE. The same lesson will be repeated Saturday forenoon for the benefit of those unable to be present Tuesday.

The Albany Art Craft