

## SCHOOL STARTS NEXT MONDAY

Let us aid you in preparing the boy and girl for the school days, in the way of Shoes, Hosiery, Underwear, Neckties, Suits, Dresses, Etc.

We have a special line of boys Knickerbocker Suits, with two pairs of pants, just the thing for school wear.

Iron Clad Hose for boys and girls and Buster Brown Shoes for boys and girls.

# Hampton's

### OBITUARY OF JAMES A. EBBERT

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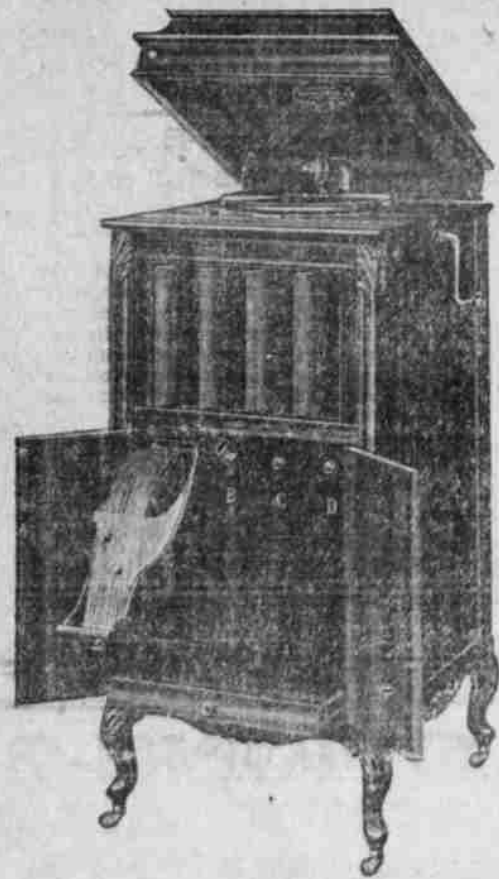
the trail, as was customary in those early days they inscribed their names and so forth at various places on rocks and bones and these writings by people going west proved a valuable

source of information for other travelers coming later.

The Brattain family did not know of this change in the plan of the Ebbert boys and their choice of Oregon instead of California, until months later traveling over the Oregon road they read their names on bones and rocks.

On coming to Oregon James

## THIS IS THE GRAFONOLA WE GIVE AWAY March 19, 1916 Value \$150



What seemed to us to be a question is now a gratifying success. It pays to be liberal with our Trade.

Since we first announced that we would give away this beautiful Columbia "Nonpareil" Grafonola to some one of our customers on March 19, 1916, our business has shown a big increase. Of course the unusual values which we are offering have helped to make this increase, and we shall continue along these lines.

Be sure and ask for your Grafonola votes with every purchase.

### ENROLL NOW

To the first sixty who enroll as contestants will be given a souvenir and 5000 votes. Come in at once and let us explain how you can win.

### RULES OF CONTEST.

- No name of contestant will be known.
- No name of contestant will be published.
- Every contestant gets a credit of \$20.00 in Premium Deposit Checks to start with.
- Every contestant gets a number.
- Standing of contestants' numbers published weekly after organization is completed.
- All Checks must be deposited on Wednesday.
- Checks can not be solicited in or about the store.
- Tie checks in packages with your number and amount on top slip only.
- Color of Premium Deposit Checks will be changed monthly and must be deposited weekly to count.
- Checks are transferrable only before depositing.
- Contestants having largest number of Deposit on-March 19, 1916, win premiums in order of their standing.
- All parties to a tie shall participate equally.
- No church, school, lodge, society, or public institution can become a contestant directly or indirectly.
- No member of the firm, employee or relative of either can be a contestant.

Beaver-Herdon Hardware Co.

A. Ebbert worked for a while near Hillsboro, Oregon then went to Rogue River where he prospected in the mines for two or three months, then back to Portland and worked for Ames King until September, 1853. After this he came to Lane county and through the influence of Paul Brattain took up a donation land claim adjoining his about a mile east of Springfield. In October of 1859 he bought the farm three and one-half miles from Springfield on which he lived until his death, September 2, 1915, at the age of 84 years, 5 months, 8 days.

He began making his fortune at the age of 16 years when he first left the parental roof and as he grew older applied himself all the more energetically to his task. He was a natural farmer and good management made the undertaking a success. He specialized in raising hogs and made a start with two shoats he bought of Walker Young for \$24. Hogs and pea-vine proved a valuable combination and his early output of bacon was taken to Potland by team to market where it sold at 25 to 30 cents per pound. Some 30 years ago he extended his activities to Whitman County, Washington where he acquired several thousand acres of wheat land all of which is under a high state of cultivation and has yielded rich returns.

In his last years Mr. Ebbert has been a very entertaining talker and has taken great pleasure in relating past experiences and telling of the hard knocks experienced by himself and wife and how misfortune here has been followed by good fortune there.

He had a wonderful memory and could recall past events, names, and dates with great facility. He loved to pore over newspapers and books and was very well posted in political matters of the day and in men and events. He was a life-long Republican, a man of strong personality and always had an opinion of his own.

He was noted for his honesty, sterling integrity and charitable qualities which extended in particular to those who deserved assistance, and this help was given in an unostentatious manner; and his memory will be long cherished by relatives, friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brattain Ebbert passed away on the 29th day of July, 1902. Her death was a great blow to him and he seemed to feel there was little now to live for.

His last illness covered a period of two or three years during which time he was a great sufferer from paralysis.

His niece Margaret Morris, daughter of A. H. and Harriet Ebbert Morris of Iowa has attended and cared for him very devotedly since the death of his wife and by her faithfulness has contributed very much to his comfort in his last years.

For a while in his early years he was identified with the Methodist Episcopal church and sometime before his death he renewed the covenant with his Heavenly Father and was ready and anxious to go to the home above. Rev. James T. Moore of the M. E. church of Springfield preached his funeral sermon to a large gathering of sorrowing friends and relatives. The text selected was from Psa. 16-11. "In thy presence is fullness of joy. At the right hand there are pleasures forevermore."

His remains rest beside those of his wife in the L. O. O. F. cemetery at Eugene, Oregon.

### HIS MISTAKE

He moved up to the city,  
When he'd made his little pile;  
Built a house and had a garden,  
Dressed his girls in city style;  
He read the city papers,  
And he ate the city food,  
His wife joined half a dozen clubs,  
His boy became a dude,  
But he left his religion in the country.

He took a dab in politics,  
The city kind, of course;  
He bought a big-powered auto,  
It was faster than the horse.  
He had a box at opera,  
And a lot of gilt-edged stock;  
Built the bank right in the center  
Of the city's finest block;  
But he left his religion in the country.

The church just 'round the corner  
Was of other brand than his;  
So he visited the movies  
Or spent Sunday at his "biz."  
He knocked the city preachers,  
And he laughed at Sunday laws,  
While his boy went to the mischief  
And his girls were lost—because,  
He had left his religion in the country.

And when he took his journey  
To the place where all men stand,

He walked up to the Golden Gate—  
As though he owned the land,  
"I know you're from the city,"  
Said St Peter, with a sigh;  
"And I'm sorry I must tell you  
This is once you can't get by,  
For you've left your religion in the country."  
REV. GEORGE S. FULCHER.

Over 500 women are serving in the Russian army.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon; September 14, 1915.  
Notice is hereby given that Richard G. Hall of Blue River, Oregon, who, on October 14, 1910, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 06670, for the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, and NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 1, township 16 S., Range 4 E. Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before I. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 25th day of October, 1915.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Steven A. Landers, of Blue River, Oregon; Albert B. Ausman, of Blue River, Oregon; William Nesbeth, of Blue River, Oregon; Peary O'Brien, of Blue River, Oregon.

J. M. UPTON,  
law-0c21 Register.

### NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF "G" STREET

Notice is hereby given to the owners of property liable for the improvement of "G" street from Eighth street to the west line of the Brattain estate, in Springfield, Oregon, that on September 13, 1915, the Common Council passed Ordinance No. 419 levying an assessment for the improvement of the said street by grading and macadam.

ing, and the said assessment was entered upon the Docket of Town Liens on the 16th day of September, 1915.

By the terms of the charter the said assessment is now due and must be paid on or before the 16th day of October, 1915, or the property will be sold for the payment thereof.

Provided, however, it shall be lawful for the owner of any property so assessed for such improvement in the sum of \$25 or more, at any time within ten days after the first publication of this notice, which ten days will expire the 26th day of September, 1915, to file with the Town Recorder a written application to pay the said assessment in ten annual instalments, in accordance with the Bancroft Act.

The ownership, description of property, and amount of assessment are as follows:

Block 104—	
Lot 1, Mary Pironi .....	\$27.56
Lot 2, Mary Pironi .....	20.01
Lot 3, Mary Pironi .....	20.01
Lot 4, (Jennie Vogl) .....	20.01
Lot 5, c/o Alberta Brattain .....	20.01
Lot 6, and Francis Brown) .....	19.51
Lot 7, Vina MacLean .....	19.50
Lot 8, Vina MacLean .....	19.51
Lot 9, W. H. Pollard and T. Sikes .....	19.50
Lot 10, c/o E. M. Parsons) .....	25.05
Block 105—	
Lot 1, Ernest C. and .....	19.26
Lot 2, Sadie A. Nicholson .....	18.12
Lot 3, Same .....	18.12
Lot 4, Same .....	18.12
Lot 5, Jesse P. Wyckoff .....	20.01
Lot 6, Jesse P. Wyckoff .....	20.01
Lot 7, George W. Ketchum .....	20.01
Lot 8, George W. Ketchum .....	20.01
Lot 9, Jacob A. Schwarzen .....	20.01
Lot 10, Jacob A. Schwarzen .....	27.56
Block 106—	
Lot 11, W. F. Wilson .....	27.56
Lot 12, W. F. Wilson .....	20.01
Lot 13, Henry Phelan .....	20.01
Lot 14, Henry Phelan .....	20.01
Lot 15, H. J. Morton .....	20.01
Lot 16, H. J. Morton .....	18.12
Lot 17, Samuel R. Scott .....	18.12
Lot 18, Samuel R. Scott .....	18.12
Lot 19, Samuel R. Scott .....	19.26
Block 107—	
Lot 11, Heirs P. J. Boller .....	25.05
Lot 12, Heirs P. J. Boller .....	19.50
Lot 13, Grace E. Maglady .....	19.51

Lot 14, Grace E. Maglady .....

Lot 15, Lloyd and Vance Howe .....

Lot 16, Lloyd and Vance Howe .....

Lot 17, Lloyd and Vance Howe .....

Lot 18, J. H. and Thoa A. Bell .....

Lot 19, J. H. and Thoa A. Bell .....

Lot 20, J. H. and Thoa A. Bell .....

All of the aforesaid lots and blocks are in Washburne's subdivision of the Springfield Investment and Power Company's addition to the Town of Springfield, in Lane County, Oregon.

Date of first publication, September 16, 1915.

HERBERT E. WALKER,  
Town Recorder.

### CALL FOR SCHOOL WARRANTS

School district No. 19 of Springfield, Oregon, hereby calls for payment all warrants of said district up to and including warrant No. 625. Interest ceases on date of this notice. Dated this 16th day of September, 1915.

A. P. MCKINZEY, Clerk.

### NOTICE

Notice is herewith given that the County Surveyor of Lane County, Oregon has filed in the Office of the County Clerk for said County, his "Certificate of Completion" of work on County Road No. 309 1/2, in accordance with Contract with Roylance and Messinger, who have completed said work and any person, firm, or corporation having objections to file, to the completion of said work are hereby notified to do so within two weeks from the date of this Notice, in the office of the County Clerk.

Dated September 2, 1915.  
STACY M. RUSSELL,  
County Clerk.

### NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization for Lane County, Oregon, will attend at the court house of said County on Monday, September 13th, 1915, and continue in session for one week.

Dated this 21st day of August, 1915.

Henj. F. Keeney,  
County Assessor.

# COX & COX

For Your

## Winter Supplies

### SHOES

Boys' School Shoes \$2.00 to \$4.00  
Boys' High Top shoes \$2.25 to 4.00  
Girls' School Shoes \$1.50 to 3.00  
Children's school shoes 75c to \$2.00  
Men's Dress Shoes, W. L. Douglas'  
Best on Earth, for ..... \$4.00  
Florsheim Dress Shoes, \$5 and \$5.50  
Solid Leather Work Shoes \$3 to 4.50  
High Top Shoes ..... \$5 to \$8  
Big Assortment of Women's Shoes from the sturdy Gun Metal at \$2.50 to the latest Hi Cut Lace Boot at \$3.50

### WINTER COATS

Warm Coats for the Little Folks, all the popular models.  
\$2.50 to \$6.00  
Misses' Belted backs and Plain Style Coats  
\$3.50 to \$10.00  
Women's Coats, all Styles.  
\$7.00 to \$18.00

### RAIN COATS

All sizes in the most serviceable Cravenette. Also slicker coats for the school children.

All Wool Mackinaws, all Colors \$5.00 \$6.00 and \$7.00

See the Popular "Riverside" Balmacaans with set-in sleeves at ..... \$12.50

### CLOTHING

We are showing a splendid line of boys' school suits, many with two pair full lined pants ..... \$3.50 to \$8.00  
MEN'S SUITS \$10.00 to \$25.00

## Groceries

20c Bulk Coffee, 2 pounds for only .....	35c
German-American Coffee 30c a pound, 3 lbs. for .....	85c
3 Packages Gloss Starch for .....	20c
1 pound Diamond W Baking Powder .....	20c
White Bear Soap, pure white Laundry soap, 6 bars .....	25c
25c package Boraxaid Soap Powder .....	20c
Booster Brand Flour, sack \$1.35, barrel .....	\$5.25
Dallas Patent, Best Hard Wheat Flour, sack .....	\$1.65,
Dallas Patent, Best Hard Wheat Flour, barrel .....	\$6.40
Jap Rice, 4 pounds for .....	25c
White Beans, 15 pounds for .....	\$1.00
1 pound Lunch Box Dixie Queen Tobacco .....	45c
1 pound Lunch Box Red Crest Tobacco .....	45c

### FRUIT JARS

Economy jars, pints .....	75c	Easy Seal jars, pints .....	80c
Economy jars, quarts .....	90c	Easy Seal jars, quarts .....	95c
Economy jars, 1-2 gallons .....	\$1.20	Easy Seal jars, 1-2 gallons .....	\$1.25
Mason jars, pints .....	45c	Closing out These!—Golden State Masons	
Mason jars, quarts .....	55c	Pints .....	75c
Mason jars, 1-2 gallons .....	80c	Quarts .....	95c

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Springfield : : : Oregon