

# ... Industrial and Commercial Review ...

SHARING A PROSPERITY TIDE—KEEPING STEP WITH PROGRESS—THE VARIOUS BUSINESS CONCERNS APPEARING IN THIS REVIEW  
EDITION RESPECTFULLY SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE WHEN IN EUGENE.

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## Eugene Dyeing and Cleaning Works.

Conducts at 829 Willamette St., Eugene, the Leading Dry Cleaning Establishment of Eugene and Has a Large Patronage Over This Section of the State. If You Are Not Near an Agency, Send the Goods by Parcel Post.

Since this well known firm has been in operation it has enjoyed an ever increasing patronage because of the reasonableness of charges, the general excellence of work and reliability. This establishment is popular with all who have tried it and that they put forth their best efforts is shown in the satisfaction in each case. The establishment is splendidly equipped for all classes of dry cleaning and no work is too difficult to handle in the most satisfactory manner. A specialty is made of cleaning ladies' garments, while they have a list of men for whom they do this same class of work that includes almost every man in town, who cares anything about his personal appearance. Their pressing of garments is always correctly done and promptly called for and delivered.

The dry cleaning system used not only cleans your clothes, but thoroughly renovates them in the most

sanitary manner. It also turns them out in the most approved styles without the disagreeable odor that accompanies the work of so many cleaning establishments. The latest cleaning and renovating machinery in their plant makes it possible for them to handle the most delicate fabrics and turn them out so that they look like new.

One of the features that recommends the service to anyone is that the government has recommended the conservation of the woolen supply and it is a well known fact that the modern dry cleaning plants such as this one saves wools to a large extent.

We are pleased to compliment Mr. C. Marx, the proprietor, upon the satisfactory service that they render and urge all of our readers that as regards cleaning and pressing their work do no better than to turn their work over to him.

## The Price Shoe Co.

Conducts a Modern Shoe Store at 782 Willamette St., Eugene, Which is Known as the "Home of Better Shoes for Less Money" and a Center of Correct Styles of Shoes for All Members of the Family and Enjoys an Extensive Patronage—Under the Direction of J. C. Price, a Shoe Expert.

It is quite proper that in this review of the business interests of the county we mention this prominent and progressive shoe store.

The reason so many people suffer with sore feet is because they do not wear the right kind of shoes. The difference is in having a man fit your feet who knows just exactly what you need. If you will let them furnish your footwear you will always be correctly, stylishly and at the same time comfortably shod. This is one of the well known exclusive shoe stores of the county. They do not sell clothing or anything else but footwear and they know this business "from A to Z."

As is generally known, they handle Hanan, Bostonian, Selby Arch Preserver and other well known brands that are standards of quality

throughout the country. But success in the shoe business does not always rest in furnishing in real quality. One must know how to fit shoes and it is this feature that has made this store so popular. Special attention is given to seeing that your foot is properly fitted. It is not necessary to sacrifice neat appearance and style for comfort if you consult with them. You can enjoy foot ease to the greatest degree and at the same time be stylish and correctly shod if you trade there.

Mr. J. C. Price, the proprietor, is one of the leading and well known business men of the community who has always taken an active interest in the city's onward progress. He is a valued resident whom we wish to compliment upon his modern store and the admirable policy followed in its direction.

## The Eugene Storage Battery Co.

Willard Service Station.

At 83 7th Ave. East, Eugene, is a Willard Storage Battery Station and it is an Efficient Electrical Establishment Having at All Times a Line of Service Batteries for Every Make of Car.

In the entire state there is not a concern that gives the people the metropolitan service that is afforded the public at the storage battery station of this popular house.

They realized at the start that to make a battery station most efficient it was necessary to install the best machines, and then to employ the most competent experts. This they did, are thoroughly conversant with, and as a result their battery station has attained a high state of efficiency. They know every feature of the trade and can take your batteries apart and completely rebuild them if you desire.

The Willard organization recognizes the ability of this firm in this line by making this establishment their service station for this section. Therefore they are prepared to equip your car with the famous "Still Better Willard," which represents the

last word in storage battery efficiency by reason of the threaded rubber insulation; distinctively a Willard feature. This insures longer life and the most regular efficiency in the Willard battery, for which this is the recognized agency. The insulation has a life as long as the battery, and by reason of this fact the life of both is much longer than that of any other make. While they make a specialty of Willard, yet they look after work on all makes of batteries. The Springfield Garage is the "Willard" representative at Springfield and The Gibson and Nelson Motor Co. are the representatives in Junction City and vicinity.

Mr. D. G. Preston, the proprietor, has always been a booster for the community and has merited the leading position that he now occupies in the business world of this section of the state.

## Wade Brothers.

Hart, Schaffer and Marx Clothing

Located at 873 Willamette St., Eugene, is One of the Foremost Clothing and Men's Establishments in This Section, Serving the "Big Man and Little Man" of All the Surrounding Territory With the Highest Grade of Goods at Reasonable Prices.

There is nothing so important to the commercial development of the smaller city as an up-to-date establishment where the men of the community can satisfy their demands for clothing and haberdashery. This is the day and age when men, both old and young, must be neatly attired, in clothes of distinction and quality. If they have to do their shopping along these lines in some distant city, the home community suffers accordingly.

In this part of the state the needs, desires and demands of the male population are more than satisfied at this well known store. This progressive establishment is strictly modern and up-to-date and is stocked with a class of goods that would be a credit to a much larger city. It features nationally famous Hart, Schaffer and Marx clothes for men and young men, which, in itself, is proof of their wisdom, for these lines are found only

in the leading establishments. Just at present they are well prepared to serve men of all ages and ideas with an immense stock of all the newest and most attractive designs.

The clothing department is one of the very popular features of the establishment. Here you find that the excellent material and the expert workmanship indicated into their work, will render your apparel that of distinction and quality. That individuality which is so desirable and so hard to obtain has won for their garments a fame that is ever increasing in their patronage.

A full line of haberdashery, including collars, ties, shirts, handkerchiefs, hats and undergarments, is carried in stock.

Mr. L. D. S. Wade in charge is one of the well known business men of the community who has merited the leading position attained and the large patronage received.

## The Sweet-Drain Auto Co.

With Headquarters at 1042 Oak St., Eugene, is Giving Its Patrons Full Value For Its Money and is Enjoying an Extensive Patronage, Being the Sales Agent for the Studebaker Motor Cars.

We wish in this review to call your attention to an agency that has proven its value to this community in many ways, among them that of offering the people a real car value at a very nominal cost and a superior service.

Few cities of like size in the nation can boast of such a modern and up-to-date garage as this immense and modern establishment.

The Studebaker is a car that has for years been a leader in its price class and has always had an enviable reputation, constantly striving to give satisfaction. The Studebaker company has survived all hardships of the pioneer motor car life, and is offering a car that will surprise even the most skeptical in the way it will perform. This agency invites inquiries and is more than pleased to demonstrate this wonderful car to the public.

When the Studebaker company started to build the Studebaker they determined to put on the market a car that would answer all the requirements of the more expensive car at a cost that was reasonable and could be reached by the average citizen. That they have accomplished this desire is evidenced by the great popularity that this car attained at the start, and has always kept in the time that it has been on the market.

The Sweet-Drain Auto Co. has proven that they have at all times had the interests of the community at heart and are endeavoring to give the people value received for their money. Therefore, we are pleased to compliment them upon the public spirited policies they have carried in their business and suggest that you give them a trial when in need of anything in the motor car line.

## The McMorran & Washburne, Store.

Located at 8th Ave. East and Willamette St., Eugene, They are Rendering the People of This Section a Valuable Service in Offering Merchandise of Superior Quality, Dry Goods for Men, Women and Children, at Reasonable Prices.

This firm has become known to the people in this section as one that is helping in combating the high cost of living by offering quality merchandise at most reasonable figures. The wonderful success they have had is due to the fact that they satisfy the customers.

Their location is at Eugene and here will be found one of the largest stocks of high grade merchandise there is in the city. Here every department is complete and it is possible to satisfy the needs of the entire family under one roof. In the dry goods department, this store has all the latest fabrics and colors, comprising everything from muslin and calico to the imported silks and laces. In addition to this they carry all those little accessories of dress, such as hose, corsets, lingerie and the thousand and one little articles that go to make up the attire of a lady of the period.

Particular attention has been given in selecting a stock that will satisfy their customers. The ladies of the surrounding section will find every thing that characterizes the attire of

the modern woman and in their ready-to-wear department only the newest creations, materials and the most approved styles are offered. These garments are offered at prices that are most reasonable and it is possible to make great savings by trading here. The misses' department has been given the most careful attention and in fact that part of the store that is turned over to dry goods and ladies' specialties is complete in every detail.

The men of this section may also equip themselves at this store and a visit there will convince the most skeptical that it is possible to obtain good garments at reasonable prices.

The entire establishment is most complete and our suggestion is that you pay this store a visit and be convinced of the savings offered. It gives us great pleasure in this review to commend this store and the proprietors, Mr. George McMorran and Mr. C. G. Washburne, to all our readers and refer to it as one of the establishments in this section that is making a conscientious effort to give the people value for their money.

## The R. A. Babb Hardware Co.

At 711-Willamette St. Eugene, Has One of the Leading Stores in This Section, and Enjoys an Extensive Patronage Over all Adjacent Territory.

It is without doubt necessary that an immense stock of goods be carried by the dealer to be successful and keep pace with the demands of his customers. In this present day of hurry and rush the patron demands that his call for a nail or a screw be given as careful attention as though he were outfitting his home. At this popular establishment particular attention is given this feature. They will be pleased to welcome all patrons. As the store has a stock that comprises thousands of successful articles, it can be readily seen that hundreds of people are continually visiting their store.

The goods carried have been found to be always of the very best quality consistent with the price at which each article is sold, and here you will find standard makes of the world's best manufacturers.

The stock is composed of the very highest grade of merchandise and by purchasing in select quantities and

being a discriminating buyer is able to offer those wonderful values to the public. He does not try to make all of his profits on one sale, but counts on small profits and a large volume of business, and here you will find hundreds of articles, which in many other establishments would cost you several times as much.

The management is in the hands of men who thoroughly understand the business in which they are engaged and have won their success through commendable method. That this store is a feature of the country's commercial life goes without saying. The proprietor, R. A. Babb and assistants are prominent and well known in business and are progressive boosters for their home community. The institution over which they have direction is one of the leading commercial establishments of this section and we are pleased to compliment them upon the metropolitan service and public spirited policies.

## The Linn Drug Co.

Located at 764 Willamette St., Eugene, is One of the Most Modern and Up-To-Date Pharmacies in This Section of the State—The Leading Prescription Druggists and Carry a Complete Stock of Drug Sundries.

Since this well known firm has been engaged in the drug business its popularity has grown until it is known to practically everybody in this section and has won for itself a well-merited reputation for honest and fair dealing with all its fast increasing list of patrons.

The first requisite of any successful business man must be courtesy; then quality at the right prices must be offered. This has been the above concern's idea in conducting its business to the end that their store might be headquarters for anything in the apothecary line.

For the convenience of the public they have secured products that are known the world over and recognized by every one as being without a peer for excellence. These famous lines embrace toilet articles of every description, as well as a number of household remedies that have found their way into the homes of so many persons in this section.

In the prescription department only the purest of drugs are used and the prices charged are reasonable considering the unstableness of the drug market at the present time. The Kodak department occupies a large space and is well stocked with all types of cameras and supplies. Their printing and film development service is the best in this section.

In this review we wish to compliment Mr. S. R. Stevenson and assistants for the manner in which they conduct their business and predict for them ever-increasing patronage.

## C. H. Worthen, Exide Battery Service Station

Located at 822 Park St. Eugene, Has Attained a Well-Merited Reputation for Being a House of Efficiency—Being Sales and Service Station for the Exide Batteries.

Superior to the vast majority of battery establishments and surpassed by none, either in general excellence of work or superiority of materials used, this well known firm has continued its successful career, because the manager and assistants are among the most efficient automotive electricians in this part of the state.

By dint of hard labor and unflinching determination to master every detail of their calling they earned a training in the intricacies of the profession that constitutes them an authority on all subjects pertaining to this very difficult trade. Well versed in all technical theory of the business, they have merited the position that they hold by actual experience, so no matter what problem you may have in battery work, they can work out the solution which will operate to your best advantage.

The establishment has been selected as the sales and service station of the famous Exide battery, which is probably the foremost storage battery of today. They have a complete stock on hand at all times, for any make of car. Besides the Exide battery they have a complete scientific equipment for the repair and recharging or rebuilding of any battery. Their work includes all features of starting ignition and lighting. One might devote much space to further description of their modern place and high grades stock, but let it suffice to say that you will find there just what you would expect to find in the quarters of such an establishment as they maintain. We are pleased in this business review to compliment Mr. Worthen and assistants and suggest that the reader take them into his consideration when making purchases or desiring work in the battery line.

## T. L. Ohlsen Tire Co.

At 71-9th Ave. W., Eugene is One of the Largest Tire Establishments in the County, Featuring the Kelly-Springfield Line of Tires and Enjoying an Extensive Patronage Over the Surrounding Territory.

This establishment is a latter-day business house that determined that when they opened their doors to the public, they would see that motorists in this part of the country were given all the advantages of metropolitan tire service and there can be no question but what they have succeeded. Through this section of the state the Ohlsen Tire Depot is known as one establishment where high grade tires, accessories and supplies are sold at very reasonable prices. And hundreds of motorists have marveled at the wonderful values offered.

Another special feature is the stock of tires. Thoroughly abreast of the times they have secured for the trade some of the very best tires on the market today. They carry the well known Kelly-Springfield tires, and let us remark right here that this firm has become a recognized headquarters in these parts for tires, and whatever you may need in this line they have. They are always willing and anxious to give all information about tires. This firm is prepared to do the very best work in repairing, vulcanizing and retreading tires, and their work is absolutely guaranteed.

Such an establishment is a real asset to Eugene and the surrounding territory. Mr. Ohlsen and his assistants are well known and progressive business men, who are experts in the tire business and you can depend upon the information and advice they give you. In this business review we wish to advise all our readers that it will pay them to call upon them when in need of tires and supplies. We are pleased to compliment them upon their up-to-date establishment and their very reasonable prices. It is such business men as they that make for a wide-awake and progressive county.

## WONDERS OF AMERICA

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### THE LARGEST BRICK BUILDING

THE Pension Office Building, Washington, D. C., is often referred to as the largest brick building in the world. That statement is easy to believe when one learns that 15,500,000 bricks were used in its construction. It is four stories high, exclusive of the basement, 400 feet long, 200 feet wide and contains 175 rooms.

The court contains eight columns, each eight feet in diameter at the base and 75 feet high. Each column contains more than 55,000 bricks and 1,449 square feet of plaster, all beautifully colored in representation of many historical scenes.

First occupied during the year 1885, this building was constructed as a memorial to the brave soldiers and sailors who had so well served their country during the Civil War, as well as to house the employees and records of the Pension Bureau.

The corridor accommodates 18,000 people and it is here that the presidential inaugural balls have been held.

Precious indeed are the records which are filed away in this great structure. In passing, it is interesting to note that the report of the commissioner in charge for a recent year, shows 748,147 pensioners on Uncle Sam's pay roll and the total disbursement as more than \$165,000,000.

## Luckey's Jewelry Store.

Established in 1869.

Located at 829 Willamette St., Eugene, has a Very Complete and Up-To-Date Jewelry Store—A Choice and Complete Stock is Offered and the Prices Charged are Very Reasonable.

The gift season is always on and the jeweler receives his share who makes possible the wisest selection of presents for all occasions. An up-to-date jeweler is indispensable to every community of taste and refinement and he whose work shows marked skill is sure of liberal patronage. The people of this community are in no way behind in this respect and the generous patronage extended to this popular jewelry firm shows how this community appreciates their efforts.

The stock has been selected with rare judgement and includes everything necessary to conduct a modern and up-to-date store. Here will be found the leading makes of watches, diamond rings, pins, studs and ornaments; novelties in silverware, clocks of handsome design and an extensive variety of jewelry.

Particular attention is paid to fine

watch repairing and there is no watch too complicated for them to adjust or repair. They also do general jewelry repairing and if you have any piece of jewelry that you thought useless because a clasp was broken or a part missing take it to them and it will be repaired to your entire satisfaction.

We take particular pleasure in directing our readers to this establishment and point to it as one of the business enterprises of the county that is aiding in making this a more progressive place in which to live. The proprietors, W. W. Bristow and C. C. Carter, are well known and are men in whom the public can have every confidence. We are more than pleased in this review to compliment them on the character of their establishment and the quality of merchandise they offer the public.

## West and Son's Motor Co.

At 195 9th Ave. East, Eugene, Conducts One of the Most Valuable Agencies in This Section, Offering the Public the Willys Knight and Overland Motor Cars.

One will have to look far and wide to find an automobile concern that is offering the public more real values than can be found in the salesrooms of this popular sales company. They have provided a line of cars that will satisfy the most fastidious, whether they demand the more expensive car or will be satisfied with one cheaper. If they require speed or extreme power the car can be found here.

It is impossible to go into extensive details as to the construction of these cars, but let us enumerate in brief some of their best points for comparison with other cars in their class.

The Willys Knight car is a car of very striking and pleasing appearance, and has been one of the pattern cars for the whole automobile industry. The Willys Knight's good features do not stop with being a car of beauty as they have proven their value in their ability to stand up and give the best of service under the most trying circumstances, hence the Willys Knight has not only won fame as the leader in body designing but also in motor construction. It is the Willys Knight sleeve valve motor

which provides this tremendous mileage. Study the design. No tappets; no valve heads to check the inrush and exhaust of gas; no clicking springs to weaken; no cams to hammer and wear out.

The Overland is one of the foremost light cars this country produces and the manufacturers of this car have therefore learned a great deal about motor building that is impossible to learn other than by actual experience. They have produced a line of cars that is looked upon as one of the best cars on the market today and we can assure any purchaser of a car that they will always be satisfied and realize that they could have done no better in their selection.

The Overland is a car that has always been a leader in its class and one that has always given the best of service in the way of performance and low upkeep cost. After many years of service it still leads in its price class.

We take pleasure in this review in referring our readers to this agency, and the distributor, J. W. West and Sons, assure them that they can more than satisfy their motor wants here.