

SANTA CLAUS HITS THE ROW

Talent Man Drifts Into Town With Big Supply of Coin Which He Started in to Give Away—Gets Thrown in Twice.

"Santa Claus" Wiggins of Talent hit the row Tuesday and for a time joy supreme reigned in the breasts of the muckers. Santa Claus came to town well supplied with coin of the realm and proceeded to deal it out in handfuls. The police frowned upon his habit of giving money away and jugged him. Later when he was supposed to be sufficiently sobered to know better he was released, but he went back and started in anew. He was jugged a second time.

Wednesday morning he made his final contribution. It was \$15 and went into the general fund.

Medford Printing company carry a full line of legal blanks.

BANK BUILDING OPENS SATURDAY

Saturday the new home of the First National bank will be opened for business and for inspection. Saturday morning sharply at 9 o'clock the doors of the building will open for trade for the first time. In the evening, beginning at 4 o'clock, the doors will again be thrown open in an informal reception to the public, which will serve as a dedication. The bank will then close for the dinner hour at 6 and not open again until 7:30, when visitors will be welcomed until 9:30.

Music of some nature will be given during the reception hours, and the attractive business room will be resplendent to a greater degree by the presence of flowers. No dedication services will be carried out.

OHIO ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN ASHLAND

The Ohio Association will meet in the G. A. R. hall, Ashland, Friday, March 1, at 10 a. m. All Ohioans are invited to be present with well filled baskets and Ohio appetites ready for

a good time. Dinner at noon. A fine program is being prepared. REV. J. S. SMITH, President.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 28.—Mrs. Margaret Brelling is unreasonable. Because, while she was very

IF YOU ARE A DRINKING MAN

You had better stop at once or you'll lose your job. Every line of business is closing its doors to "Drinking" men. It may be your turn next. By the aid of ORRINE thousands of men have been restored to lives of sobriety and industry.

We are so sure that ORRINE will benefit you that we say to you that if after a trial you fail to get any benefit from its use, your money will be refunded.

When you stop "Drinking" think of the money you'll save; besides, sober men are worth more to their employers and get higher wages.

Costs only \$1.00 a box. We have an interesting booklet about ORRINE that we are giving away free on request. Call at our store and talk it over.

Leon W. Haskins, E. Main.

ill her amorous husband, Theodore, played Romeo to the Juliet of her nurse in the sick room she sued him for divorce.

AUCTION SALE

Closing out the entire stock of

JEWELRY, WATCHES, DIAMONDS, SILVER-WARE, CLOCKS, ETC., ETC., to the highest bidder

Sales at 2 p. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

KELLER, The Jeweler

103 W. Main St.

No. 45.

Report of the condition of the

Farmers & Fruitgrowers Bank

at Medford in the state of Oregon at the close of business February 20, 1912

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$148,495.24
Bonds and warrants	9,820.91
Stocks and other securities	100.00
Furniture and fixtures	9,191.88
Other real estate owned	2,104.30
Due from banks (not reserve banks)	1,289.12
Due from approved reserve banks	3,704.43
Checks and other cash items	914.71
Exchanges for clearing house	693.03
Cash on hand	13,666.98
Total	\$189,986.62

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	4,900.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	259.29
Individual deposits subject to check	101,893.98
Demand certificates of deposit	598.83
Certified checks	610.71
Cashier checks outstanding	889.43
Time certificates of deposit	5,347.49
Notes and bills rediscounted	26,391.06
Total	\$189,986.62

State of Oregon, County of Jackson, ss: I, L. L. Jacobs, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. L. L. JACOBS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of February, 1912. EARL POLLEY, Notary Public.

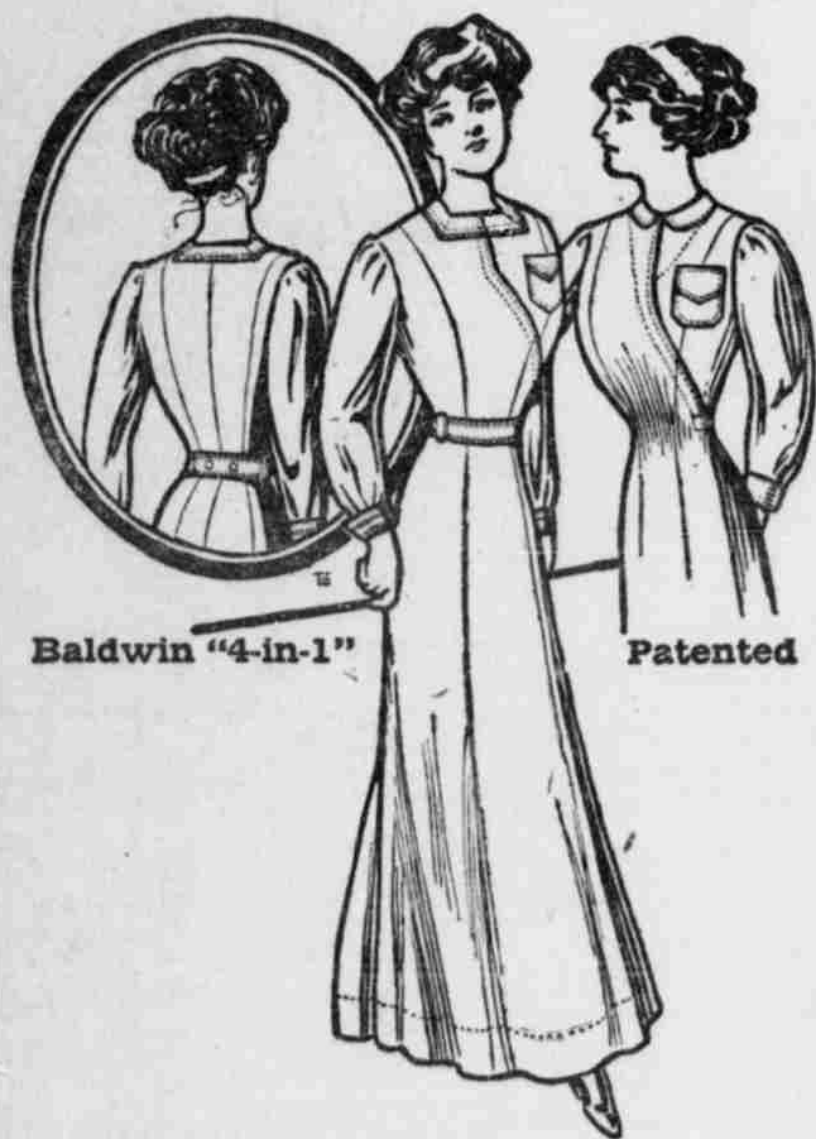
Correct—Attest: R. F. ANGLE, W. H. STEWART, Directors.

THE ONE PRICE CASH STORE

THE GOLDEN RULE

High-Grade Merchandise at Popular Prices

Doors now swing open to one of the most complete and best-selected stocks of merchandise in Southern Oregon. Our buyer has just returned from the East where, with the combined efforts of more than fifty other Golden Rule buyers, he was able to secure price concessions on quantities that no one merchant could handle. "Under-buy and undersell; the same goods for less, or better goods for the same price," is our Rule. While we always hold the price as low as it is possible to do, we never allow the quality of our merchandise to go below **standard**. You will find standard goods here at prices within the reach of all.



Baldwin "4-in-1"

Patented

We are exclusive agents for the above dress. Just one of the many good things to be had at The Golden Rule.

Our untiring effort is having its effect. Good Shoes well fitted bring our customers back.

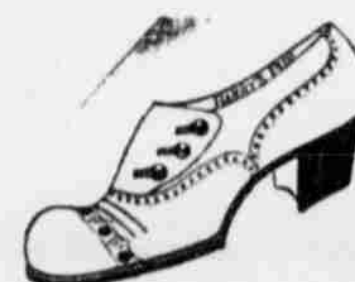
Ladies' Shoes, all widths, \$1.85 to \$4.50.

Oxfords, all widths, \$1.65 to \$4.00



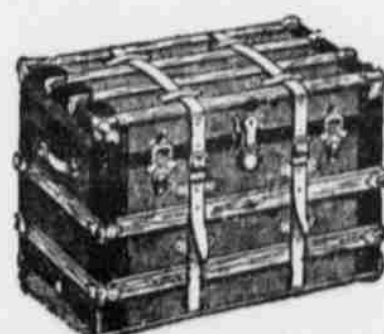
Snappy Oxfords, for swell dressers. The season's newest lasts and most popular leathers at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00.

Golden Rule Shoes are Union Made.



For Fit, Comfort, Style and wear Golden Rule Shoes are Better. They are Union made. They are solid leather.

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Trunks, Grips and Suit Cases of indescribable variety but rest assured we will have the kind you want.

Cases \$1.65 to \$15.00.

Trunks \$6.00 to \$25.00.

MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

Of exceptional values. It has never been our good fortune to secure so many rare bargains for one season.

Boys' 2-piece Worsted Suits \$2.65


Boys' pure wool Suits with two pairs pants \$3.75

Men's Pure Wool Suits \$9.50, \$10.00, \$11.50, \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$18.00

"Good for Bad Boys"

Shoes have style which will please the boys. They are made good and solid, which will please the parents---are the best kind for boys as they will stand hard wear.

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Patent Finger-Tipped Silk Gloves—50c up

Look out for silk gloves that won't wear. You want the Kayser fit and finish—the Kayser tip—the guarantee in every pair. You get them here at the price of the cheapest—all with "Kayser" in the hem.

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Can't Bust 'Em union made band Overalls..... 75c