

Emmott & Culver

VERNONIA MEAT MARKET

Choice selections of fresh killed
Steer Beef, Fancy Veal and
Grain Fed Hogs

Specials For Saturday

Beef Boils10c-12 1-2c lb.	PURE, OPEN KETTLE RENDERED LARD
Choice Steaks25c lb.	10s \$1.85
Pot Roasts 15c lb.	Bulk 20c lb.
Fresh Hamburger15c lb.	Fresh Whipping Cream 35c pt.
Pure Pork Sausage20c lb.	Kipperd Salmon30c lb.
Weiners and Bologna18c lb.	Fresh Dill Pickles3 for 10c
Salt Pork22c lb.	We Handle all Kinds of Fancy Cheese
Home Cured Bacon35c lb.	

We carry a large variety of Luncheon Meats

EAGLE FEATHERS



The airplane is 21 years old and in speed, highflying and recklessness it comes up to about what we would expect of that age.

Most any Vernonia auto driver will tell you that sometimes the biggest nut holds the steering wheel.

Uncle Sam says he will put 30,000,000 silver dollars into circulation. That's going to create a brisk market for suspenders.

An Ohio woman lost 20 pounds during her campaign for public office. So we suppose all the women in the country will soon be going in for politics.

So far as Vernonia is concerned it's a race between the seed catalog and spring hats as to which is the real forerunner of an early spring.

One thing about the radio, it never broadcasts family troubles. The party-line telephone still looks after that.

An eastern doctor says "a man is as strong as his stomach." It's a good thing some of them are not as strong as their breath.

If you want to see something funny see the Vernonia man who has dug up an old cimonposition book he used at school and see how proud he is of himself.

The average woman believes that when her husband begins to preach economy around the house he has been doing something he shouldn't have done.

Right now our idea of getting-rich-quick scheme would be to have 10,000 hens and each one of them laying an egg a day.

Most Vernonia citizens realize that family trees are no different from the other kind. They all need pruning occasionally.

It may be that a girl's face is her fortune, but that doesn't mean that she is twice as rich if she's two-faced.

We certainly hope that we'll have everlasting peace, so we can go ahead and spend the balance of our lives paying for the war.

The average Vernonia boy's idea of a square deal is usually about ninety per cent the best of it.

If all kisses lasted like the first one most of the courts in this country would close up and stay closed.

Men are supposed to be superior to women, but you never saw a woman standing on a street corner cleaning her ears with a match.

Our idea of a waste of time is listening to a Vernonia man tell of the old days when he could get a big meal at a hotel or restaurant for a quarter.

HOW MERCHANT SUCCEEDED

A few years ago we had a meat market and grocery in a good location that was neglected by the owner who became disgusted and sold out to a veterinary. The new owner purchased a regular space in my paper and every week he advertised specials for Friday and Saturday. Today he and his partner and five other clerks are on the jump from morning until night. His sales for 1924 were around \$120,000 and in a town of less than 1000 with nine stock of groceries. One Saturday alone, he sold over 1,200 pounds of beefsteak and could have sold more but ran out of that kind of meat. This merchant tells me to my face that he knows advertising pays even though he uses less than a \$6.00 space each week.

About 15 years ago two brothers came to our town with \$1,000 which they invested in groceries and a little tin ware. One brother was a good storekeeper and the other just loved to write attractive ads. They now operate the largest store in town, own a fine home, drive a big car and have their cottage at a nearby lake. They still carry a big attractive ad each week in the paper. These things teach me that there is something wrong with the man

Skaggs United Stores

No. 225
VERNONIA, OREGON

Another reason for the growing popularity of Skaggs' Stores is the distinctive unvarying pleasant service receive another list of seasonable items at unhave certain ideas and ideals about merchandising which is reflected in their daily work. This week we have another list of reasonable items at unusually saving prices.

PRICES IN GROCERY DEPARTMENT

CEREALS	MISCELLANEOUS
Mother Oats (premium)..... 35c	Prunes, 10 pounds..... 95c
Carnation Oats (premium)..... 40c	Snowdrift, 4 pounds..... 98c
Car'n. Wheat Flakes (premium) 43c	Snowdrift, 8 pounds..... \$1.95
Shredded Wheat, 3 for..... 35c	Cheese, full cream, 2 lbs..... 45c
Roman Meal (Health Food)..... 38c	
Aunt Jemima Hominy Grits..... 15c	Soaps and Washing Powders
Large Pk. Quick Quaker Oats..... 29c	Chipso, in 35 c pkgs..... 28c
	White King, per pkg..... 53c
CANNED GOODS	Citrus, 2 pkgs..... 48c
Large cans Peaches..... 25c	Clean Easy Soap, 11 bars..... 50c
String Beans, 2 for..... 25c	Per case, 100 bars..... \$4.25
Hand Packed Tomatoes, 2 for..... 25c	Fels Naptha, 10 bars..... 69c
Per case \$2.95	Pastry Flour, 49's..... \$2.55
Gallon tins Peaches..... 75c	Big K Hard Wheat Bleached
Gallon tins Pumpkin..... 55c	Flour, per bbl..... \$10.60
Gallon tins Spinach..... 65c	

MEAT DEPARTMENT

GOVERNMENT INSPECTED MEATS

SATURDAY FEATURES

Tender Pot Roast of Beef per pound, 12 1/2c to..... 15c	Wholesale prices on Armor Star Hams, per lb..... 31c
Nice Rib Boiling Beef, per lb.....10c	Picnic Hams, per lb.....20c
Tender Juicy Steaks, per lb.....25c	Best Grade Shortening 2 lbs for 35c
Hamberger, per lb.....15c	Sauer Kraut and all kinds of Pickles
All Pork Sausage, per lb.....20c	

SKAGGS UNITED STORES

USED CARS

PRICES AND TERMS WITHIN REACH OF EVERYBODY

- 1924 Willys Knight Touring. Lots of Extras
- 1924 Oakland Sedan. New Car—Guaranteed.
- 1923 Overland Touring.
- 1922 Ford Coupe.
- 1921 Chevrolet Baby Grand Touring.
- 1918 Ford Touring.
- 1917 Buick 6 Touring.

—TRADE INS. ACCEPTED—

Don't Forget We Sell All Our New Cars On 18 Months Plan If You So Desire.

Willys Knight Chevrolet. Oakland. Studebaker.

GILBY GOOD

Motor

CO. CARS

NOTICE

To Auto Owners

FILL YOUR TANK WITH

New Shell Gas

—AT THE—

SQUARE DEAL GARAGE

AND NOTICE THE DIFFERENCE. YOU'LL BE THE JUDGE

If you like it buy a Scrip Book and save a cent on a gallon

SQUARE DEAL GARAGE

"Service Is Our Motto"

RED CROSS REPORT

February 1925

Pupils weighed and measured.....1409
Schools visited..... 18
Pupils inspected 213
Pupils seriously underweight..... 87
Pupils seriously overweight..... 14
Classes, Home Hygiene..... 6
Home visits 4

NINA H. LITTLE, R. N.
Red Cross Nurse

Old friends and acquaintances of W. A. Gressman were pained to hear of his sickness this week. The first of the week word was received of Mr. Gressman's illness. Rev. Mathis went to Eugene Monday to see him. The following telegram will explain Mr. Gressman's condition the best we can: "Mr. Gressman very sick man. Operation for brain infection. Conscious occasionally. Eight days since operation. Has chance for recovery, but slim one. We are hoping he may make it." E. V. Stivers. Tuesday another telegram states: "Gressman slightly improved. Recognizes me, but cannot talk. C. R. Mathis.

NORTHWESTERN INVENTORS

The following patents were issued last week to northwestern inventors: Montana—Peter Arena, Whitefish; shoe attachment for vehicle wheels. William E. Crawford, Havre; valve or well capper. Edward L. Skinner, Lewiston. fishing tool (sold). Idaho—William G. Coby, Wallace; sanitary water glass. Louis G. Chamberlain, Setters; wrench. Oregon—George Geisendorfer, Warrenton; attachment for deflated pneumatically-tired vehicle wheels. Charles F. Wetzel, Sherwood; spark

plug. Washington—Albert C. Klein, Edwal; spool rack. Ernest Law, South Bend; choker hook. Clarence P. Lee, Wenatchee; automatic fruit elevator. Any of our subscribers or readers may obtain a complete copy of any of the above patents, including the drawings, by sending ten cents, the actual cost, to our correspondents, D. Swift & Co., Patents Attorneys, Washington, D. C.

Last week, while in Portland, Mrs. Spencer, Patriotic Instructor, visited the Ainsworth School and heard the Washington's Birthday program. Mrs. Spencer never misses an opportunity to gain new ideas and inspirations for her work.

Wednesday's freight train left 41 empty freight cars in Vernonia to accommodate Vernonia shippers. We are informed that they will last about three days.

LET'S BE CAREFUL

"March makes all doctors cringe," declares a Michigan physician in a newspaper article that has just come to our desk. And then he goes on to explain that our blood gets thinner in the change from the cold the warmer months, and that colds are more easily contracted than at any other season of the year. He declares that a large per cent of deaths would never occur if people realized that the common cold is apt to develop into a fatal malady over night. This warning should be heeded by everyone in Vernonia and strict attention given to warding off colds during the next few weeks, the most dangerous weeks in all the year according to medical men. Don't trifle with a cold. Don't be content to believe that it will be gone tomorrow. Listen to those who know more than you do about colds—get right after it the minute you feel it coming on.

Thursday Feb. 26th W. R. C. held an all day social meeting at the home of Mrs. Rogers. They enjoyed lunch together and spent the afternoon in sewing for the Soldiers Hospital.