

BOOK STORE REPORTED SOLD

Just as we go to press, we learn of the business transaction of the Vernonia Book & Art store from the hands of Mr. and Mrs. Esselstyn to Mr. and Mrs. J. Merle Kemper. We understand that they may take charge about the 10th of this month.

NATAL CORRESPONDENT

This district was very much surprised to hear of the marriage of El McMullen to Miss May McFarland of Vernonia. We wish them joy and happiness.

Mr. Lincoln of Portland, spent Sunday with L. A. Petersen.

Mr. and Mrs. David McMullen spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Estus in Vernonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peterson and son Richard, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed McMullen Sunday.

Mr. Holding and Joe Dhooghe were Portland visitors Friday night and Saturday.

Miss Hazel McMullen and Leona Nuert attended the freshman party at the Vernonia high school last Friday night.

DAD

They were grouped about the front door, waiting for the pall bearers to carry out the casket. There were young men, middle-aged men, and old men in that group. There were thin men and fat men, short men and tall men, but in one thing they were all alike. Each wore a white apron under his coat, a sprig of green in his button hole, and each had his hands encased in white gloves. You have already guessed it was a lodge funeral, one of the members had laid down the working tools of life and the others assembled to carry the body to the brow of a hill, where someone had cut a grave.

Everytime we attend the funeral of a man who has been a husband and a father, we think of what that home has lost. We associate the success of well-managed home so much with Mother that we are prone to lose sight of Dad. But when we stand around the yard waiting for them to bring Dad through the doorway we begin to think of him as the man who furnished the shingles over that home—as the man who held the butcher and grocer off with his weekly pay envelope—the man who mowed the grass and hauled out the ashes each spring.

Dad is the man who buys the chicken—and for all his expenses and his trouble he draws the neck and wing. Dad is the chap who wears his last summer's straw hat that mother and the girls may have new bonnets.

It was Dad who went to lodge and came home smelling like a smoke house, and rolled and tossed because he had eaten four ham sandwiches and drank two cups of coffee after eleven o'clock. Poor old Dad—he was an awful fool about the work at lodge, but with all his faults there was something that makes us sigh as they drop their sprigs of acacia into the new-made grave.

Dad was as steady as a steam roller, as constant as the drip from a loose faucet. When he sat silently rubbing his chin and gazing into the fire he was probably thinking of the price of coal. Sometimes mother had to chide him for wearing a shirt too long, or neglecting to hang his hat in the proper place. Sometimes daughter wished he wouldn't come into the living room without a collar. Sometimes the boys thought he was hard on them and tight with them. But now that he is gone, they will miss him sorely and understand why he went without a new overcoat to pay that premium on his life insurance. And when you come back from the place where you laid him, and all the brothers of the lodge have

gone back to their own homes, and the undertaker has gathered up the folding chairs and removed the crepe from the door, you are going to miss that sober presence that stood between you and so many outside annoyances.

Never go back on Dad.
—Kirksville (Mo.) Journal

For delicious sandwiches that will retain their freshness, use *Mother's Bread*, in the sandwich loaf size.—Adv.

The Boy Scout Pledge.

Every boy upon becoming a scout takes this oath: "On my honor I will do my best, 1. to do my duty to God and my country and obey the scout law; 2. to help other people at all times; 3. to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight."

If we could put more quality into our bakery goods, we would do so. Let us do your baking for you—we know that we can please you—Vernonia Bakery.—Adv.

Our guess is that Spanish co-operation in Morocco will consist largely in saying "Atta boy" to France

In wet haying seasons, Norwegian farmers hang their hay up on fences to dry.

WANT ADS

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—TWO NICE MODERN apartments in the Cherry Tree Apts., for rent. Repass Bros.

VERNONIA

If you are looking for an investment where your money will bring good returns, we have it. An apartment house of 9 apartments, all strictly modern in every detail, very best location in the heart of our thriving little city. Income \$240 per month. Good terms if desired, for particulars see Repass Bros., owners, Vernonia, Oregon.—Adv. 8-1t

I HAVE FOR SALE—A MODERN 4 room house with bath, good garage, graveled street at curb in. can sell you this on easy terms J. M. Clark. 8-1t

APPRECIATION.

I wish to thank the people of Vernonia and the surrounding country and the men in the various camps for the splendid support given me in the Eagle subscription contest which enabled me to win second prize. THELMA OISEN.

L. R. Gilchrist and Lester Sheely spent Wednesday in Centralia.

Riffians Comparing Their Booty



Here is the first picture taken within the lines of the Riffl army in Morocco that has reached the United States. It shows two Rifflan soldiers comparing the saddles, belts and other booty they had captured from French troops.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK—

By E. R. WAITE, Secretary, Shawnee, Okla. Board of Commerce.

That a city-booster radiates optimism.

That the real booster makes each step a forward constructive one.

That the pessimist feels that the trend of his city is backward

That the booster never feels that way. He is too full of the progress spirit and knows that where there is a will there is a way and he has found the way, and that way is forward.

That people radiating the spirit of optimism, and progressiveness are those who build towns into cities and keep the wheels of industry moving at a rapid rate.

That nearly everyone can combine business with pleasure.

That it is both business and pleasure to take an active part in the upbuilding and betterment of the home community.

That to follow the leaders in city-building is a good policy.

That most cities lead because they have the leaders and the people as a whole stand behind the leaders.

Some cities fail to go ahead, not because they have not good leaders, but on account of the indifference to their city's welfare on the part of the majority of it's citizens.

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Give the children a fourth meal at 4. They are growing and need it and *Mother's Bread* will supply that energy and vitality which they need.

Fill that lunch bucket with tasty and wholesome sandwiches made with *Mother's Bread* and know the joy of a really good lunch.—Adv.

Don't pass up a real treat—those chocolate eclairs which you will find at the Vernonia Bakery on Saturday are delicious.—Adv.

Dry Goods and Shoes, Rain Weather Goods, Working Mens Wear. All

New Goods Received

This week-----Big surprises in prices and quality
MERCHANDISE

Our store is re-arranged to take care of stock and we have determined to pass it out if the high quality and low prices will do it. Come in and look over the various lines. You can get what you want at the People Store. Here are some Regular Prices in our—

GROCERIES

- Sugar, 100-lb. \$6.29; 10-lb. 69c
- FLOUR—
- (Olympic Flour, 49-lb. sack \$2.55
- Drifted Snow or Crown Flour—
- 49-lb. sack \$2.55
- Corn Meal, 9-lb. sack 49c
- Golden West Coffee, Hills. Bros., & M. J. B., pound 56c
- Hershey Cocoa, can 22c
- Bakers Chocolate, 1/2-lb. bar 22c
- Ghirardelli, 3-lb. can, ground chocolate, prepared 95c
- Domino Tomatoes, No. 3 can, can 15c
- Butter, (Forest Grove) lb. 55c
- Macaroni, 3-lb. for 25c
- Melomar Syrup, 1-pt. jars 35c
- Palace Car Mustard, jar 14c
- Kerr's Jelly (all kinds) 6-oz. jar 12c
- Crimson Rambler Cane & Maple Syrup, 2 1/2-lb. jar 69c
- Tomatoes, per box 60c
- Monopole Tomato Catsup, 1g. bottle 25c
- Snyder Tomato Catsup, large bottle 32c
- Soap White Wonder, 6 bars for 25c
- Ivory Soap, large, 3 bars for 25c
- White King Washing Powder 54c
- Lighthouse Cleanser, 3 for 25c
- Jar Rings, rubber, 5-doz. 25c
- Argo Gloss Starch 12c
- Argo Corn Starch 13c
- Rinso, package 9c
- Lux, 2 for 25 cents, each 13c
- Milk, Bordens, can 11c
- String Beans, in can for 19c
- Sego Peas, 2 cans for 25c
- Country Boy Corn, 2 cans 25c
- Cigarettes, \$1.25 carton—Camel, Chesterfield, Lucky Strike
- Corn Flakes, 3 for 25c
- Headquarters for Fresh Vegetables

The Peoples Store

M. MURRAY, Mgr.

Across Street from Bank



We Must Work Together



EVERY thoughtful citizen of this community is interested in its development and progress. There's no question about that! We all want our children to enjoy better homes, better schools, better parks—more agreeable surroundings and greater comforts.

We all want our town to keep step with its neighbors, to take the lead in civic affairs. So there is only one sound plan for us to follow:

We must work together to increase the wealth of this community by doing everything we can to encourage local business.

When you and your family patronize our advertisers—the stores and banks of our town—and keep your money in circulation right here at home, there is no power on earth that can prevent our progress.

Read the Ads in this Paper and save yourself money by trading at home

GRAVEL

Delivered any place in town any time. Good screened and crushed gravel for all purposes.

Put at Al Parkers Place.

RAY REASONER

Vernonia, Oregon