

HOLVERSON'S!

Dress Goods : : : : **Silks** : : : : :
 Fall stock now arriving. Don't fail to see our 25c line of two tone overcoat broadcloths.
 Our line of Parisian novelties, Bayader fancies, All wool plaids, checks and mixtures.
 Beautiful lines of blacks in broadcloths and plain. The best ever shown in Salem.

Over 200 new pieces of Dress Goods have arrived. And they are not all here yet.

CASH STORE **HOLVERSON'S** CASH STORE

OUR BIG REMNANT SALE

lasts until every remnant in the house is gone. To make it a quick clearing affair
All Remnant Prices Are Cut One-Half
 Some four and five yard lengths, enough for a skirt, at one-half cost. Don't wait until they are all picked over, but get some of the plums of this sale.
All Summer Goods Less Than Cost.
J. J. DALRYMPLE & CO.

GREAT REDUCTIONS!

Strong's famous New York Ice Cream reduced to 25c a quart. Ice Cream with cake served at 10c. At Strong's restaurant.

CALL A MESSENGER and have your notes and packages delivered, to collect a bill, to go on errands for you. Ask for special rates on merchants' packages. Charges reasonable. Bicycle service. Ring Blue boxes or telephone 40. Lockwood Messenger System, Central office No. 288 Commercial street.

GEO. C. WILL has removed his music store to 231 Commercial street, opposite Bush's bank.

Salem Local.

Tonight and Thursday fair. S. L. Jones the San Francisco candy man left for Eugene today. E. Cook Patton took the local for Newport today for a visit with his family. Geo. B. Williams returned to Portland this morning after a day spent in Salem. Mrs. E. C. Cross and Mrs. A. I. Wagner were passengers to Portland this morning for a short visit.

HOW FAR Will a dollar go? This is the great everyday problem with buyers in every line. You will never know how far you can make your dollars go until you bring them here. Our shoes, hosiery, underwear, laces, ribbons and notions are better than you'll expect at our prices.

Osborn's Racket 249 Commercial street.

Tan Shoes And Oxfords Are the proper thing to wear during the summer weather. Ours are nearly all gone and to make a clean sweep we will make a discount of 25 per cent on all our tan shoes and oxfords during the month of August. Step lively now before your size is sold out. **L-4 coll.**

Summer Underwear. We have the best stock in Salem. We have a good assortment yet. Ladies' summer suits, 35 cents. Ladies' vests 5 to 50 cents. Men's undersuits 50 and 90 cents. Children's all sizes and prices. R. & G. CORSETS, FERRIS WAISTS, IRON CLAD HOSE, 81 KID GLOVES, KANT IRON SOX, STANDARD PATTERNS. **WILLIS BROS. & CO.** CASH DRY GOODS AND SHOES. September "Standard" now in.

ASSESSMENT BEING CLOSED UP

County Assessor Hobart and Ten Deputies Hard at Work. County Assessor J. W. Hobart is industriously busy these days with about ten deputies working on the county tax roll preparing the same for delivery to the county board of equalization. He has asked the county commissioners' court to give him until the last Monday in September, to have the bond roll ready for equalization, and hopes with his present force to be able to accomplish the work by that time. If this is accomplished the roll can be turned over to the county clerk the first Monday in October. This will give that officer ample time of sixty days to prepare the copy for the state board of equalization. The county board has several times in the past equalized from the loose blanks, but they will probably not be necessary as the work is now progressing. The military roll is already completed, and can be turned over by the county clerk at an early date. The amount of mortgages and other securities will probably be about the same as last year.

AT MARION COURT HOUSE.

Proceedings at the Various Departments of the Capital County Seat. E. J. Chambers, administrator of the estate of Mrs. J. Chambers Tuesday, filed an appeal from the decision of Judge Terrell allowing the widow \$13 a month besides a pension of \$12. The appeal will be heard at the October term of Department No. 2, circuit court. One lone deed was filed today by John Hofer and Casper Zorn to B. M. Smith part of claim 93, sec. 2, t. 4 w. w. d. Marion Co. w. d. \$50. Mrs. Geo. W. Jones, county superintendent of schools, Tuesday awarded certificates to the following persons, who took teacher's examination, but who lived outside the county: F. W. Hadley and Anna M. Gordon, first grade; Laura Whitney, second grade.

CITY COUNCIL ADJOURNS.

Out of Respect for Alderman Buren in His Bereavement. Last evening being the time for the regular semi-monthly session of the council, a quorum was present, and in the absence of the Mayor, Recorder Edes presided. Upon coming to order Alderman McTew presented the following resolution, and upon adoption of the same the council adjourned: "Whereas, we deeply sympathize with Alderman Buren in his bereavement, through the death of his estimable wife, be it

Resolved, That, out of respect to Alderman Buren, this council do now adjourn."

Jubilee and plantation songs is what pleases the mass of the people and when it is by the colored folk there is nothing that can equal it for an evening's entertainment. There is a natural charm in the voice of the negro that is highly pleasing. Come to this opera house Friday night and enjoy the best. Admission 25 and 15c.

In Police Court. John Due and Ed Long are boarding with Recorder Edes for five days on account of drunkenness. Felton Victor was arrested for ransacking the streets at an early hour this morning. He is a Frenchman and claims to be bound for French prairie where he has work.

Don't fail to hear the Oureka Colored male quartet at the opera house Friday night in their original Chinese song. Every lover of music can enjoy a humorous farce and the old plantation kind, and Zan Edwards' Tennessee students can cause you to laugh. General admission 25c. Back seats in gallery 15c. Auspices of Y. M. C. A.

Almost an Accident. Almost an accident is the substance of many news items in some of our papers but there is no accident about the popularity of Geo. Bros. 15c meals. Everyone eats them.

Has Lost His Crown. While Alphonso may lose his crown the Salem public will gain towards to lose their La Corona 15c cigars. Fry them.

Some Summer Cuts! 20 per cent reduction on all tan shoes. 20 per cent reduction on oxfords. 25 per cent reduction on gray enameled ware. When you recall that our racket prices to begin with are much lower than regular, you will understand that our cut prices mean an immense saving. When it's in our ad it's so. Our prices are all marked in plain figures and you can do your own figuring on discounts. NEW Val laces, 180 dozen yards up. Some fine ones for handkerchiefs. Hair nets for every one. Hag gloves and harvest gloves for men and women. Sweaters from 46c up. Good heavy worsted ones at 88c. **THOSE BIKE BARGAINS.**—Two more of them snapped up Friday. Some wheels only slightly used at big saving in prices. Lamps from \$1.00 up that'll keep policemen a block away from you.

WIGGINS' BAZAAR! RACKET PRICES.

Mysterious Murder.

Daughter of a New York Contractor Killed.

She Was Robbed of Her Jewelry and Money.

New York, Aug. 17.—Emiline C. Reynolds, a young unmarried woman, about 21 years of age, was found murdered in the Grand hotel, at Twenty first street and Broadway, this city, today. Her death had evidently resulted from repeated blows on the head with a piece of lead pipe. The crime had been committed some time between midnight and 3 o'clock this morning, but the police have not as yet been able to definitely determine whether the motive was one of robbery or otherwise, though they are inclined to the former belief.

After some hours of investigation and upon statements given by the mother of the dead girl, Dr. Samuel J. Kennedy, a young dentist of this city, was arrested and is being held on suspicion of the murder. The fact that not only the murdered woman was robbed, but another robbery was committed on the same floor, incline the police to the belief that the woman was killed in an attempt to prevent the robbery.

The girl, who was 20 years of age, entered the hotel, accompanied by a man, who registered as E. E. Maxwell and wife, and was shown a room. Later the girl was seen walking with a man, apparently 35 years of age. About 7 o'clock the couple left the hotel, but the time of return is not known. The girl's mother says her daughter had drawn \$300 from the bank in the afternoon, and was to use part of it in having work done on her teeth. Theodore Vail, chief of police of Atlanta, who occupied a room next to the girl's, said he was robbed of \$180 during the night. The case is a very mysterious one, and the police have no clue.

A search of the clothing of the woman was made and revealed a check on the Garfield National bank for \$13,000, made out to "Emma Reynolds" and signed by "Dudley Johnson." At the bank it was said that the check was no good. Nine dollars in bills was found under the woman's corset. One of the diamond earrings was found, but the right ear showed that the other earring had been roughly torn away.

CAMPERS! GET Canned Meats, Canned Vegetables, Pork and Beans, Condensed Milk, Condensed Soups, and in fact everything for comfort in camp life. **SONNEMANN** The Grocer. 124 State at Telephone 51

WIGGINS' BAZAAR! RACKET PRICES.

DID NOT RUN AWAY.

He Was Authorized to Quit Manila by Permission of His Government.

MADRID, Aug. 17.—Sagasta, on leaving the palace this afternoon, denied that Blanco and other generals were opposing the government's policy. It is now known the government knew yesterday that Manila capitulated on Saturday, after General Jaudemes had turned over the command and Augustin had been authorized to quit his post and embark on a foreign warship for Hong Kong. Manila apparently capitulated because of lack of food, the population and garrison having suffered the greatest privations.

Delaware Poisoning Mystery.

DOVER, Del., Aug. 17.—There were no additional developments in the direction of a clearing of the mystery surrounding the death of ex-Representative Pennington's two daughters, Mrs. J. P. Dunning, formerly of San Francisco, and Mrs. J. F. Deane, of this city. The first steps in obtaining an analysis of the candy were taken, when a portion was placed in the hands of State Chemist Wolfe, at Newark, Del.

A report was in circulation that there was a doubt about the candy having been mailed in San Francisco. This is erroneous. There is no doubt, whatever. The package bears the postmark of that office. The box did not come as third-class matter, but was mailed at letter-rate postage, hence the use of the postoffice mark, which it is understood is not usually placed on mail matter stamped with the lower rates.

At the coroner's inquest this morning Dr. Wolfe, state chemist, of Delaware college, testified that he had analyzed three pieces of the candy sent to Mrs. Dunning, and found that it contained large quantities of arsenic. One piece of the arsenic, he stated, was as large as a pea, and he added that there was enough of the poison in the three pieces of candy to kill four persons. The jury rendered a verdict of death from poison at the hands of some persons unknown. The state authorities will begin an investigation tomorrow.

Havana Tranquil.

HAVANA, Aug. 17.—The city remains entirely tranquil. Everybody has resumed his ordinary duties, and all are thinking only of how to recover something of what has been lost. Conservative natives, and particularly Spanish residents, realize the necessity of such steps as will save the social interests of the island, avoid future insurrections, and prevent a complete annihilation of the wealth partly saved from revolution and war. There is no agitation. The report that an attempt was made to shoot the British consul is entirely without foundation.

Murdered.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 17.—A telephone message from St. Antoine, Ill., says that Hon. W. W. Wall, ex-state senator and a prominent banker and real estate dealer of that city, was shot and killed yesterday afternoon. A coalman named Sehadleich, a tenant of Wall's, is charged with the crime. The shooting arose over a trivial matter. A later message says that three men were implicated in the murder. A special train with officers and bloodhounds on board has left Liehfeld for the scene of the murder, where the excitement is great.

Not Shot.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Marinette (Wis.) dispatch stated a few days ago that Alex La Duke, a private of the Second Wisconsin volunteers, had been court-martialed and shot for killing another soldier during a drunken quarrel at Ponce. Brigadier-General Gilmore cables that this was an error, La Duke being sentenced to life imprisonment.

Ordered Out.

SANTIAGO, Aug. 17.—Shafter has ordered the Second Volunteer regiment of immunes to leave the city and take up camp in the hills. The men have indulged in liquor and their acts have verged on license. To relieve this unruly regiment, Shafter has ordered the Eighth Illinois volunteers (colored) into quarters in the city.

Want to Repair Cable.

HONG KONG, Aug. 17.—Officials of the Manila Cable Company here are anxiously awaiting permission to repair it and a cable steamer is now at Singapore awaiting instructions.

Sentenced.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 17.—Marshall S. Van Alstine, a former resident of Saratoga, Cal., convicted of bigamy, has been sentenced to ten months' imprisonment.

WAR NOT ENDED!

Our war on prices is not ended. Our general clearance sale closed Saturday, but this week we will offer special drives in various lines.

5c. Only a few left. Our 8, 9 and 10c wash goods all go 5c.
10c. All our lawns, dimities, lappets, swisses, organdies, etc. 15, 18 and 20c values at 10c the yard.
4c. Ladie's sleeveless vests at 4c, a good value at 8c. Large line in all colors, 12 1/2c.
43c. Camping blankets in gray, white and Vicuna, good values at 67c 88c, \$1.15 and \$1.35.

LARGE LINE NEW AND NOBBY GOODS JUST RECEIVED!

If you are after bargains call on us,
257 Commercial St.
 The Bargain House of Salem

NEW MACHINERY BUILDING. Contract to be Let This Afternoon by Sec. Gabelson. The bids for the new machinery building at the state fair grounds were opened today at 2 p. m. and the contract will be let to the lowest bidder this afternoon. The building is to be an addition to the old machinery hall just west of the pavilion and is to be 45x95 feet. It is to be finished on or before Sept. 12, or ten days before the fair opens. Following is a list of contractors, submitting bids and the amount of their calculation:
 A. W. Dennis \$345 00
 F. B. Southwick 319 50
 H. B. Hummer 293 00
 John Gray 360 00
 E. T. Denham 315 00
 Moore & Gilliam 457 20
 The lowest bidder satisfactory to the management will get the contract and work will be commenced at once.

BURNED UP HIS FENCES. A fire was started on the farm of Perry La Falloit on Mission Bottom Tuesday by some person attempting to burn out a bee tree. The fire spread to a lot of dry brush and from there to the stubble fields, burning the fences and stubble on the farm. The energetic efforts of a score of neighbors and the timely shifting of the wind saved a large pile of stacked grain, besides several stacks of qu-threshed grain.

TEA MATTING FREE To every person who wishes for a bonnet in the hop yard, by purchasing at our store coffee, teas, spices, extracts etc. to the amount of 20 cents or over. **YOKOHAMA TEA STORE.** You get tickets the same.

HOTEL WILLAMETTE. Among arrivals today were following: W. P. Lord, Salem; B. B. Tuttle, Portland; J. H. Brooks, Portland; F. Norman, Chicago; W. J. Kenney, Portland; Mrs. S. B. Emery, Salt Lake City; H. H. Wain, N. Y. W. A. Beruhim, S. F.; B. W. Fryer, S. F.; N. Demuhila, Los Angeles; E. C. Demuhila, Los Angeles; Henry Lang Portland.

Right in Front of Their Eyes. On the faces of contented people you will see a pair of my spectacles. Happy, because the frames are fitted properly and the lenses absolutely correct. If your eyes are failing in any way consult me it costs you nothing. **C. H. HINGES, D.R.,** Expert optician. New location, 206 Commercial street. 3 doors south of postoffice.

Our New Building. COME AND SEE US **Shingles, Shingles, Lath, Lath, Fire Clay, Fire Brick, Lime and Cement.** Etc. Etc. Terms reasonable. Now is the time for dryers. **D. S. BENTLEY & CO.** 314 Front st. Successors to Salem Improvement Co. 7231

CASTORIA. The Kid You Have Always Bought. **WOLFE & MESSICK,** 371 Commercial St. **ASTORIA.** The Kid You Have Always Bought. **WOLFE & MESSICK,** 371 Commercial St.