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We will soon remove to more spacious and commodious quarters, and for the next 30 or 40 days we will make deep cuts in prices on everything in our stock. Want to move as few goods as possible.

Take advantage of this opportunity to buy goods cheaper than ever before in Salem.

CASH STORE | **HOLVERSON'S** | CASH STORE
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Every Item Quoted is a Money Saver

Fancy Silks

A lot of choice patterns sold regular at \$1.50 the yard.
Sale Price 95c yard
Some 75c and \$1.00 values to close at 63c the yard

Fur Collarettes

Our big cuts are moving them fast. From \$2 to \$6 saved on each garment.

DEEP PRICE Cuts on all Men's Clothing. A reduction of 25 per cent given to January Buyers. Pay you to look through.

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That Will Be a Revelation.

To those whose eyes need help in either spectacles or eyeglasses, we will furnish at any time that you call upon us and have your eyes tested. We are skilled opticians, and will test your sight and make eyeglasses or spectacles from the finest French crystal or Brazilian glass, and adjust them properly at a reasonable cost. We carry a complete line of all sizes in lenses and can repair or replace any part of a gold, gold-filled or nickel frame. All work warranted.

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21 Years Experience.
206 COMMERCIAL ST.

WEATHER REPORT.

Tonight and Sunday occasional rain.



Breakfast Cereals

That make an appetizing and delicious meal we have in all kinds of preparations from oats, wheat, corn and in and outflakes, when eaten dry and combined with our genuine sugar-cured hams, bacon or sausage, and a cup of coffee made from exquisitely flavored and high grade coffee, or our fine English breakfast tea, is a treat for the gods.

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Out 178 Days.

The good ship *Crisle* has just arrived with a cargo of the celebrated Giant Portland Cement. Plenty on hand and for sale. Also 20,000 feet drain tile at reasonable prices.

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319 Front Street

WANTS TO SEE YOU!

If you have a harness that is not all right, or if you need any new work in that line, it will surely pay you to call on **F. E. SHAVER, SALEM, OREGON.**
123 State St. 1-1134

To Whom It May Concern,
SALEM, Or., Dec. 28, 1899.
All persons knowing themselves indebted to the Salem Truck & Dry Co., will please call at their office and settle immediately or their accounts will be placed with an attorney for collection. Geo. Griswold Receiver. 12-28-10

SENATOR SIMON'S INDIAN BILLS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Senator Simon recently introduced two bills that will be wholly or partly applicable to Oregon and Oregon Indians. One bill provides that all entries of land or allotments of land in severalty heretofore made to any mixed-blood Indians, of whatever degree, by virtue of any of the laws of the United States, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and said mixed-blood Indians shall hereafter enjoy all the rights of Indians in their respective tribes. All mixed-blood Indians who are one-half or less than one-half of Indian blood, who have heretofore taken allotments of land in severalty, shall at once receive patents in fee for said allotments, and all such mixed-blood Indians who shall hereafter take allotments of land in severalty, under any of the laws of the United States, shall, upon taking such allotment of land, receive from the United States a patent for the same in fee, and said mixed-blood Indians, upon receiving such patents, shall have the right to sell, convey or incumber said lands, and the same shall be subject to taxation in the same manner and to the same extent as lands of citizens of the United States are taxed.

Handball Match.
CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—James Fitzgerald, Irish handball champion, and his partner, Louis Keegan, defeated William Carney, champion of the world, and the partner, Captain Ward, three out of five games, Sunday afternoon. The games were all well contested.

Credit.
Embarrassed country dealer in a Boston wholesale grocery:
"I would like to make a settlement."
"How much can you pay?"
"Seventy-five cents."
"Very well," said Wholesale, "we will close the account."
"I suppose you will continue to let me have goods?" said Retail.
"Not a dollar's worth," responded Wholesale, and the former, discouraged, dropped into a chair.
Embarrassed retailer No. 2 stepped to the desk and wanted to settle.
"How much do you owe?"
"Five cents."
"All right," said the unembarrassed Wholesale.

"Can I have any more goods?"
"All you want."
Retail No. 1, rising:
"How is this? I propose paying you 75 cents on the dollar, and you refuse me credit. This man offers you only 5 cents, and you will trust him with all he wants."
"My dear sir," exclaimed Wholesale, "you are paying too much. You won't have any capital left with which to commence business again." Whereupon the creditless retailer went his way, wondering who originated the proverb, "Honesty is the best policy."
—New York Observer.

Urgent Deficiency Bill.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The urgent deficiency appropriation bill, the first of the important bills for the government, carries \$50,127,841, of which \$47,003,332 is appropriated for the military and naval establishments.
The house today took up this measure.

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THE 'FARMERS' WHEAT

Alleged Shortage in Junction City Warehouse of the Late Robt. Clow.
Last week Robt. Clow, the well-known miller and warehouseman of Junction City, died, and his widow was appointed administratrix of the estate.

An investigation by parties having wheat stored in Clow's warehouse aroused suspicion of a shortage and suit was brought in circuit court for Lane county for the appointment of a receiver. The parties to the suit are:
H. M. Millern, J. P. Millern, Jesse Sorenson, W. C. Washburne, Wade Dougherty and S. H. Prindle plaintiffs; Caroline Clow, administratrix of the estate of Robert Clow, deceased, Balfour Guthrie & Co., and the Portland Flouring Mills Co., Hays and Harris, defendants.

The plaintiffs allege: That Robert Clow was receiving wheat on storage and was manufacturing the same into flour under the name of the Junction City Milling Co.; that they delivered 19,000 bushels of wheat to Robert Clow and took receipts for the same.

That they believe a great amount of wheat which they stored in said warehouse has been shipped out and sold by said Robt. Clow as his own wheat to Balfour Guthrie & Co., and the Portland Flouring Mills Co., also a large amount of flour; that Robt. Clow also manufactured out of plaintiff's wheat a large amount of flour, bran, etc., which is in the mill; also a large number of grain sacks owned by plaintiffs, and the administratrix threatens to dispose of the flour and bran if not restrained by the court.

Judge J. W. Hamilton heard the motion for a receiver and appointed W. C. Washburne receiver, with \$5,000 bonds, of the Robt. Clow warehouse and the Junction City Milling Co., S. B. Eakin, surety on bond.

The Thorne Case.
Prosecuting Attorney Geo. M. Brown, of Roseburg, was in the city today. He reports that in the Thorne case B. F. Harvey who was tried yesterday, was bound over to the grand jury, and gave bonds in the sum of \$10,000. This is the only person whom the girl charges directly with having criminally assaulted her.

Hugh Patterson, the man who was in the box-car with Miss Thorne, when she regained consciousness, and who made his escape, has been captured at Albany and will be taken to Lane county for preliminary examination.

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PERSONALS

A. M. Crawford, of Roseburg, is in the city on business before the supreme court.

Miss Florence Brown, of Silverton, who came to Salem to attend the funeral of the late Max Miller, is visiting at the home of Councilman Geo. Griswold.

W. Scott and son, E. W. Scott, of Nebraska, arrived in the city today and are visiting at the home of J. P. Veatch. The senior Mr. Scott was a pupil in Mr. Veatch's school nearly 40 years ago. They are thinking of locating in Oregon.

R. J. Hershbach returned from Sumpter last night. He thinks Sumpter is all right, he prefers Baker City as a place for business. He has bought a shop at the latter place and will move there.

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HOME FROM SUMPTER

H. G. Sonnemann, the Salem Grocer, Returns From That Mining Camp.
H. G. Sonnemann, Salem's enterprising grocer, returned last evening from a week spent at Sumpter, the Baker county mining town. He reports things wide-awake there and many people flocking in, but made no investments and has not decided to leave Salem. He considers Sumpter the coming town and looks for much business there in the spring. He found many Salem people there, among them Chas. Roblin, D. E. Kenworthy, A. E. Dageny, Mr. King, R. J. Hershbach and others. The trip from Salem requires 21 hours travel, taking the narrow gauge road from Baker City. There is four feet of snow on the ground and good sleighing. Henry is quite enthusiastic over that mining region, but still cannot forget that Salem is one of the best towns on the Pacific coast.

Marion County Crops.

A Gervais correspondent reports that there is an unusually large acreage of fall-sown wheat planted, which farmers report as growing nicely, under the prevailing favorable weather conditions. Stock has wintered well, and will enter the spring season under favorable auspices.

There is nothing transpiring in the hop market, except that growers are feeling better and anticipate a market soon at reasonable prices. Few hops have been sold in this vicinity so far, and as it is an important money-making factor, times are necessarily quiet, and were it not for potatoes, there would be little, if any, loose money.

Potatoes are enhancing in price from 20 to 25 cent per bushel, sacks furnished; but dealers say the increased price does not repay losses on account of rot and blight. Dealers who had stocked up heavily report a loss of 20 per cent, and the same can be said of farmers who have their spuds buried in the ground.

A change of seed must be had, else the fame of Oregon as a potato-growing state will be lessened and the dealers, as well as the growers, be robbed of a paying agricultural proposition. The low lands, or bottoms, are worse affected by disease than are the up or rolling lands. Potatoes will prove bad keepers this season.

There has literally been no wheat shipped so far of the 1899 crop from this point. It is conservatively claimed that there is stored here fully 50,000 bushels of wheat and oats of the 1899 crop, and all of it is a choice character.

Expensive Smarner.

New Morris was arrested at Turner yesterday and brought before Justice Johnson last evening on a charge of disturbing a public meeting. He pleaded guilty, was fined \$10 and costs and went to jail. It seems that he attended a religious lecture at the Battle Creek schoolhouse and conducted himself in a manner which is too common with some young Jakes who know no better.

Casper Morris was brought in this morning on the same charge, of disturbing the same meeting, made the same plea, got the same fine and went to the same place of retirement.

China Pheasants

They are out of season now and we cannot have them on our tables, but we can all have the best thing of the season just the same by taking our meals at the **St. Elmo Restaurant.**
244 Commercial st., Salem

GEORGE BROS., Proprietors.

POLITICS AND MATRIMONY.

How an Eastern Oregon Office Holder Won a Salem Bride.
Hon. Arthur Hodges, county clerk of Crook county, and Miss Stella Gensner, daughter of Hon. Alonzo Gensner, will be married at the home of the latter in Salem on the 17th.

Following is said to be the proposal:
"My Dear Miss— I hereby announce myself as a candidate for your hand, and I shall use all fair and honorable means to secure the nomination. I know there are many candidates in the field, and I hesitated long before entering the race, but now I am in to stay. My views on love and matrimony have often been expressed in your hearing, and I will not repeat them here. You know I favor the gold standard, of love—a 100 cent dollar love—and a maintenance of the standard after marriage. If you decide to confer upon me the honor I speak of, please fix a date for caucuses with your mother. I have no objection to her acting as temporary chairman, provided it is clearly understood that I am to be chairman of the permanent organization. Should the result of the caucus prove satisfactory, we can soon hold the primaries and select the date and place of the convention."
"I have never believed in long campaigns, so if you have decided to honor me I will ask you to make the convention date as early as possible."
Devotedly Yours,

And the young lady telegraphed back:
"Caucus unnecessary. Nominations unanimous. Come at once and fix date of ratification."
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Office Improved.

Secretary of State Dunbar is back in his renovated and improved office. The room has been entirely re-arranged. A partition now runs the length of the main office and keeps the herd away from the desks.

The public can now rest its elbows on a counter and talk through a window when it has anything to say. The partition is of polished wood, ground and stained glass and the workmanship is very fine.

The Elite Studio's sepia prints, samples of which are in the street show-cases, are a revelation to the picture-loving public. In all new styles and mounts the Elite leads. 1-101

River Rising.

The river stood at 21 feet above low water yesterday morning and was falling. It has risen six inches since, and still stands at 21 feet above low water. This apparent phenomenon is accounted for by the fact of a miscalculation yesterday morning.

AUCTION SALE!

To close out the Fine Dry Goods Store, formerly Willis Bros., 1st door south of the Postoffice.

The stock consists of staple and fancy dry goods, ladies' and gents' furnishing goods, hats and caps, silks, satins, velvets and plushes, lace curtains, blankets, and an immense stock of shoes. Goods also sold at private sale.

AUCTION SALES: TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS AND SATURDAYS AT 2 P. M., ALSO SATURDAY EVENING.

Isadore Greenbaum

1st Door South of the Post Office. S. Friedman Auctioneer

FRIENDSHIP

Is sometimes easily gained and as easily lost. But our low prices make true and permanent friends.

The following are a few of our tradewinning prices:
Sugar, granulated, 20 lbs. for..... \$1.00
Sugar (do) per bag, 100 lbs..... 5.00
Mince Meat, best, per pkg..... 15c
Soda, Arm and Hammer, per lb. 5c, 6 lbs. for..... 25c
Peas, imported French, very fine, per can..... 15c
Cornmeal, white or yellow, per bag..... 10c
Mush food, fancy, wheat flakes, per package..... 10c
Flour, best standard brands, per sack..... 75c
Baking Powder—Dr. Price's Cream, and there is no better made, per lb..... 35c
Buckwheat flour—very best pure, per sack..... 35c
Gelatin—Plymouth Rock? extra fine..... 15c
Marmalade Peach, fancy quality, per can..... 12 1/2c
Apples, dried 3/4, good quality, 4 lbs. for..... 25c
Raisins, all seedless, 4 lbs. for..... 25c
Lard—pure lard—the finest we ever sold or saw, per lb..... 10c
You can buy stuff called anywhere at 10c. We want you to see this list. It is packed by T. M. Sinclair & Co. Very respectfully,

DAMON BROS.

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Second Week Special of Our ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

We quote a few prices on men's furnishing goods which were not disposed of at the auction sale last week, and which we positively will not carry in the future.
Men's heavy natural wool 50c grade..... 35c
Men's heavy fleeced 50c grade..... 30c
Men's all wool Cambr's 75c grade..... 50c
Men's extra heavy cotton mixed low 10c grade..... 6c
Men's fine suspenders 20c to 35c choice..... 15c

LADIES GOWNS
Fine muslin nicely trimmed \$1.50 grade..... 90c
Fine muslin nicely trimmed \$1.00 grade..... 60c
Flannelette gowns \$1.50 grade..... 90c
Flannelette gowns \$1.50 grade..... 60c

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The Rio Grande Western Railway, connecting on the East with the Denver & Rio Grande and Colorado Midland Railways and on the West with the Southern Pacific (Central Route) and Oregon Short Line, is the only transcontinental line passing directly through Salt Lake City. The route through Salt Lake City via the Rio Grande Western Railway is famous all the year around. On account of the equable climate of Utah and Colorado it is just as popular in winter as in summer. Send 2c to J. D. Mansfield, 253 Washington St., Portland, or Geo. W. Hinton, Acting General Passenger Agent, Salt Lake City, for a copy of "Salt Lake City—the City of the Saints."

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