

# Just Because

We're located in our new store in the "Old White Corner" Don't think we're all "swelled up" and are going to raise the price of our goods, for we're not. We promise the same low prices with a much larger stock to choose from than before. We promise, too, the same courteous treatment and fair dealing that has made our store so popular heretofore.

## Holverson's THE BIG BARGAIN HOUSE OF SALEM



Do You Wear a Pair of Our Glasses? IF NOT GIVE US A TRIAL.

With our latest scientific instruments, we are certain we can fit you better than you have ever fitted before. We give each individual case particular study and attention and furnish you glasses only when we are satisfied they are what you want. If medical treatment is necessary we will tell you so. We can recommend you to fifteen hundred customers who have been fitted by us and are satisfied.

C. H. Hinges, Scientific Optician 296 Commercial St.

Don't be Deceived When Buying a Refrigerator, Buy a

# NATIONAL

And have one that can be easily taken apart and cleaned as if it were an ordinary box. The great fault with most refrigerators is that the ice chamber is non-removable, hence it is impossible to thoroughly cleanse the interior. The ice chamber in the National is removable. The circulation is perfect. The shelves are of galvanized iron. The panels are hand-carved and the prices are right.

F. W. Hollis & Co. The Low Priced Furniture House.

## Hartford Bicycles, \$30 and \$35

LIGHT, STRONG, SPEEDY. Hartford, Cactus, G & J or Danlos Tires.

WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO FIT COLUMBIA HUB, OR A. B. C. COASTER BRAKES ON NEW OR OLD WHEELS.

OTTO J. WILSON

## THE FAIR STORE

274 Commercial St. Salem Ore. Dealers in Everything Shoes, Coats, Furnishings, Dry Goods, Notions, Tin and Granite Ware, Trunks, Valises, Oil Cloth, Bags and Baskets, Everything at Lowest Retail Prices.

DABNEY & GILLMORE

## Land Enriched

Two car loads Nephel Utah Land plaster just received. New stocks of fence posts, Lath, Shingles etc. Giant Cement and Roche Harbor Lime.

D. S. BENTLEY & CO. Phone 301 319 Front St.

## NO TROUBLE TO PLEASE



...OUR CUSTOMERS...

WITH THE LINE OF

## WALL PAPER....

WE ARE NOW SHOWING. THE PRICES ARE LOWER THAN EVER. GOOD WORKMEN TO DO THE PAPERHANGING.

BUREN & HAMILTON The Low Price House Furnishers.

## NEW WHITE CORNER SHOW WINDOWS BURN

Large Plate Windows and Most of Display Destroyed.

## Quick Sharp Work of the Salem Fire Department Saves the Block.

Fire Monday evening did considerable damage in the new store of J. C. Meyers & Sons, corner of Court and Liberty streets. While the flames were confined entirely to the display windows, the damage from the blaze and the water cannot be accurately estimated until investigation is completed by the management. The origin of the fire is not known but is supposed to have been caused by a defect in the electric wiring. The stock of goods was insured for \$39,000 while the building, which is owned by E. P. McCormack, was also insured. The fire was discovered about 8:45 o'clock by D. A. Dinsmore, an employe of the firm, who gave the alarm, the fire department reaching the scene and having water upon the flames in the creditable short space of three minutes.

The highly inflammable material of which the window displays consisted, proved ready fuel for the fire which in an instant spread like a flash through all the windows between the Court and Liberty street entrances. Eight of the large plate glass windows had been shattered by the heat when the department arrived and within a very few minutes the blaze was entirely extinguished. Peter Graber, a member of the department, was denied admission to the store by the management. He carried a Babcock extinguisher with which he intended fighting the fire from within and preventing its further spread.

Relative to criticism of the department by parties for throwing water into the interior of the store, Chief Eckhardt this morning said: "No water, whatever, reaching the interior of the department were interfered with in their work by bystanders. E. W. Holman, one of the force of clerks, while at work in the upper part of the building, became overcome by the dense smoke and required medical attendance before being restored.

The fire was an unfortunate and expensive disaster to the very enterprising firm of Meyers & Sons. By the excellent work of the department a serious conflagration was narrowly averted. Had the flames penetrated the thin partitions of the display window they would have found an immense stock of dress goods and other inflammable materials and the costly building but newly rebuilt would probably have been gutted, despite the best efforts of the department.

The White Corner has suspended its retail trade pending an adjustment of the loss. The firm of Joseph Meyers & Sons suffers a severe blow in the development of their trade in a new location which they have fitted up regardless of expense. They are entitled to the sympathy of the community in their untimely loss.

F. L. Pound of Aumsville was probably the first to see the fire start, as he stated in the second window from the corner. A towel hanging near incandescence caught from the wire and that burned and fell burning into the mass of materials below.

The fire was exactly three months from the opening night. Meyers & Sons expect to have another opening as soon as the loss can be adjusted and stock replaced. Insurances adjusters are at work today.

The proprietors express themselves pleased with the very prompt and efficient response of the fire department.

The general opinion of all who saw the fire is that a trained metropolitan department could not have done better.

## UNFORTUNATE STRANGER COMES TO HIS DEATH

EVERETT, Wn., April 30.—An unknown man was found last night north of Marysville with his forehead crushed and brains oozing from a deep wound on the head. The man was about 40 years old and was well dressed. Nothing by a way of identification was found.

## A PETITION FOR LUHRMAN'S PARDON

Friends of J. G. Luhrman are busy circulating a petition for his pardon, and it is expected that it will soon be presented to Gov. Geer with the signatures of a large number of prominent and respectable citizens.

## MARION COUNTY PROBATE COURT

J. A. Givinn was today appointed administrator of the estate of his de-

ceased father, the late Norman Givinn, who left an estate valued at \$1000. Objections having been withdrawn by parties interested, the final account of Henrietta Parrish, guardian of the estate of N. O. Parrish, an insane person, now deceased, was allowed and the balance of \$716.44 belonging to the estate was ordered turned over to the administrator.

General Alejandro, a possible successor of Aguinaldo has surrendered. Padre Aglipay, ex-Communicated Filipino priest, who preached the doctrine of Holy war against the United States, has also surrendered.

## HOUSES ON "MADE" GROUND

The Reason They Term With Malicious and Noxious Gases. Good gravel has so largely come into request that many suburban lands with that valuable substratum are quarried to a considerable depth before being sold on building leases. But it is essential to restore a level surface, as even the most speculative builder would hesitate to run up "best villa residences" in deep holes. The owner frequently gets over this difficulty by allowing urban refuse to be shot into the excavation; in many cases he even exacts a small sum for every load tilted on his ground. The surface being thus leveled, a year or two are allowed for the soil to sink and become compact. Occasionally grass is sown to give a natural appearance to the spot.

All is now in readiness for the builder, who proceeds to lay the foundation for his "terraces," "avenues" and "gardens," which he subsequently advertises as "on gravel soil." So they are, but between their ground floors and the gravel lies a thick stratum of partially decomposed rubbish, teeming with malaria, and not for many years will the deposits cease to give off noxious gases.

But the tenant, coming from a different locality, knows nothing of the "making" process to which the plot has been subjected. When, therefore, ill health dogs his family, he puts it down to defective drainage or some other structural deficiency and spends money freely on remedial measures without the least benefit. All this misery might be prevented if it were legally prohibited to build human habitations on decomposed refuse until the soil has acquired a wholesome character.—London Globe.

## The Time to Break the Rule.

There is an anecdote in some volume of French theatrical memoirs narrating an experience of Mlle. Clairon. The great tragic actress, with a pupil of hers, a girl of strong natural gifts for the histrionic art, but far too frequent and too exuberant in her gesticulation. So when the pupil was once to appear before the public in a recitation Mlle. Clairon bound the girl's arms to her side by a stiff thread and sent her thus upon the stage.

With the first strong feeling she had to express the pupil tried to raise her arms, only to be restrained by the thread. A dozen times in the course of her recitation she was prevented from making the gestures she desired until at the very end she could stand it no longer, and in the climax of her emotion she broke her bonds and swung her hands to her head.

When she came off the stage, she went humbly to where Mlle. Clairon was standing in the wings and apologized for having snapped the thread. "But you did quite right!" said the teacher. "That was the time to make the gesture, not before!"—Brander Matthews in Harper's Magazine.

A Chinese Mother-in-law Story. "The Experiences of a British Pharmacist in China" was the title of an address by Mr. Frank Brown, who was introduced as the government analyst at Hongkong.

As illustrating the Chinese regard for filial piety the lecturer told an interesting mother-in-law story. A man and his wife maltreated the husband's mother. As a punishment the scene of the act was openly cursed, the active agents were put to death, and the mother of the wife was bamboozled, branded and exiled for her daughter's crime. The house in which the offenders lived was dug up from the foundations. Moreover, the scholars of the district were precluded from attending public examinations, and even the magistrates were deprived of their office. These drastic measures were designed to center the empire's ill-luck on London News.

## The Good Man's Joke.

Two gentlemen of the cloth were standing on a corner the other day. Evidently they were talking about extra services to be held during the week. "I anticipate a great awakening in my church," said the first speaker. "My people never go to sleep," said the second.

"Ah, there comes my car," replied the first, and they parted company.—Albany Journal.

Ten Well Disguised. "After all," suggested the cheerful one, "it may be a blessing in disguise." "If so," returned the disgruntled one, "I may say that I never saw a more perfect disguise."—Washington Post.

## STOCKS GO CRAZY ON NEW YORK MARKET

Most Terrible Rush Ever Known in Trade Circles.

## Heaviest Hour's Business Ever Recorded in American Stock Markets.

New York, April 30.—The restlessness of buying orders was poured into the stock market at opening this morning, marking an additional stage in the progress of the speculative craze which seems to have rushed upon the American people. Thousand share blocks seemed to be the normal unit of business and they ran up from that to 5000 and 6000 share blocks.

After a violent congestion at the opening, dealings continued on an enormous scale, and the price movement was violently erratic.

Dealings in the first hour were far in excess of any single hours business in the history of the New York market.

## BRITISH TAXES ARE HITTING HARD

Tories Redouble the Protest Against Sugar Tax.

Salvation of the Masses Does Not Lie in Jam and Marmalade.

New York, April 30.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says: The shipping and many industries are settling down to the conviction that only concession which can be expected from the treasury is the exemption of the contracts for a short period from the export duties on coal, and candidly admit that agitation has been pitched too high and that the mines will not be closed or ships driven from the sea by the new methods of taxation. Contractors now assert that foreign natives, like the French will be forced to pay the export duty on Welsh steam coal and that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's forecast that the tax will fall upon the foreigner may be fulfilled in the course of time.

Liberal protests against sugar duties have been met by Tory ridicule of the old-time Gladstone doctrine that the salvation of the industrial and agricultural classes lay in cheap marmalade and jam.

The Chancellor's hold upon Tory affections is increased when proof is offered that he is running counter to Gladstonian principle.

## NOT PUBLISHED ELSEWHERE NEWS

His Eminence won the Kentucky Derby.

The contract was let for the Juneau-Skaguay cable.

Boycott is declared against moral crusaders in Astoria.

General Fine, Filipino leader in Abra Province, has surrendered.

Troops will not be withdrawn from China until the indemnity question is settled.

Joseph E. Widener, of Philadelphia, who was dangerously injured Saturday by the overturning of a trolley coach, will recover.

O. P. Austin, bureau of statistics, Treasury Department, sails for Europe today to collect statistics on the foreign commerce of Europe.

The National Steel Company will soon remove its office from New York to Youngstown, O., where its most important plant is situated.

At Seattle revenue officer seized in various hotels, restaurants and saloons upwards of 150 cases of imported wines for alleged violations revenue laws.

At the War Department efforts are being made to have the reorganized standing army fully officered and equipped and enlisted to the strength of 75,000 by August 1.

At Manila, trial of Captain Jas. C. Reed, ex-Depot Commissioner, charged with soliciting and receiving bribes and with other official misconduct, is being fiercely contested.

An extensive nihilist plot has been discovered in Russia-Poland. Six hundred arrests were made, of which number two hundred were transported to the Warsaw citadel.

## Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Correspondent wanted in every city town and village in America. Newspapers and other work. Experienced and long New York. Good remuneration, insurances wanted. For particulars, news and stories Bulletin Press Association address The

Bring your lawn mowers to Shipp & Hauser and have them sharpened and overhauled for the spring season. 3-4 tf.

## PERSONALS

J. C. Johnson has returned to Jefferson.

William Spaulding has returned from Portland.

W. G. Allen, of the Allen Canning & Evaporating plant, is in Eugene.

Ray Goodhue has gone to Lyons to manage the Geo. Goodhue creamery.

Carey F. Martin has returned from Seattle, where he went on legal business.

Mrs. J. H. Lunn will return Friday afternoon from an extended visit in California.

B. H. Herrick, county surveyor, has returned from Gervais, where he has been surveying a new road.

Hon. W. H. Hobson came down from Stayton today en route for Sumpter. He goes to Portland this evening.

M. Klinger returned today from Woodburn. Today is the last day that town will have a licensed saloon for a year at least, the newly-elected temperance administration entering upon its duties Wednesday.

J. Forbis of Woodburn is a Salem visitor today. He says the saloonmen are to blame that the town has gone dry. One or two well regulated saloons they could get along with, but not four the way they were run.

## TRIBUTE TO A HUMBLE WORKER

How a Poor Minister Helped a Marion County Town.

How He Built up One Little Country Church.

Rev. Brouillette and family of the first Presbyterian church left Tuesday for their future home at Newberg, Oregon. Their household effect proceeded Monday. Rev. Brouillette and family has been among us five and one-half years. The family was a numerous one and contributed largely to the financial interests of the town. His salary of something like \$600 a year was entirely spent among us and by his children a large sum was drawn to the public school fund. During this time the church has increased wonderfully in membership and was instrumental in adding 94 persons to the membership in his several places of worship.

The church building and parsonage have been greatly improved, largely at his own expense. Mrs. Brouillette has been an active worker in church affairs and has done much valuable and conscientious service in all branches of the church work, and is for the second time President of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbytery, of Oregon.

What Shall We Have for Dessert? This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling; no baking; simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocer's today. 10 cts.

## Weather Report

Tonight and Wednesday partly cloudy, with probably light showers Wednesday.

## Wheat Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 30.—Cash \$1.00 CHICAGO, Ill., April 30.—May, 73 1/2.

## GOLD DUST FLOUR

MADE BY The Sidney Power Co. SIDNEY OREGON

Made for family use, ask your grocer for it. Bran and shorts always on hand.

## A. T. WALN Agent

TURKISH BATHS WILLAMETTE HOTEL

Entray Notice. Notice is hereby given that I have taken up and impounded the following described animal found running at large within the City of Salem, to-wit:

One sorrel horse 16 hands high, white stripes on face two white feet, weight 1200, shot all round.

The owner of said animal can have the same by proving property and paying the legal charges and expenses of taking up and keeping, etc., and in default thereof for five days, I will proceed to sell the said animal at public auction as provided in ordinance No. 30 of the aforesaid city.

Dated Salem, April 30, 1901. D. W. HIBSON, City Marshal.

Entray Notice. Notice is hereby given that I have taken up and impounded the following described animal found running at large within the City of Salem, to-wit:

One sorrel mare, 16 hands high, a dim spot in forehead, shod all round, weight 1200.

The owner of said animal can have the same by proving property and paying the legal charges and expenses of taking up and keeping, etc., and in default thereof for five days, I will proceed to sell the said animal at public auction as provided in ordinance No. 30 of the aforesaid city.

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## SEED CORN

We have a complete stock of all the well-known varieties, including Early Oregon Yellow Dent, Early Oregon White Dent, Early Learning, Pride of the North, Champion White Pearl, Early Canadian Flint, King Philip Flint, Stowells Evergreen Sweet Fodder, etc. Prices from 3c a pound upwards.

BREWSTER & WHITE FREEDMEN AND SEEDSMEN Phone 1781. 91 Court St., 4-25-2\*

## Friedman's Big Clothing Sale

Is a Cracker Jack and No Mistake And no wonder for he is selling a coat, vest and pants for \$1.00, well worth \$5.00. And the \$4.00 Suits are just going like hot slapjacks. The \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00 suits are the biggest bargains ever offered in Salem or any other place. Hats and Caps at prices that beat all. Come early and save cash, to

## FRIEDMAN'S NEW RACKET

Cor. State and Commercial Sts., Salem Ore.

## Great Reduction Sale

Having purchased a choice dry-goods stock at 65c on the dollar I will give my customers the benefit of my purchases, by disposing of the goods, at the same average reductions from regular prices. Large size bed spreads, well worth \$1.00, now 75c. Marseilles bed spreads, well worth \$2.75, now \$1.85. Lace Curtains, well worth \$1.25 a pr. now 85c a pr. A few pieces silks in bright colors, worth \$50 a yard, now 28c a yard. Lawns and calicoes now 4c a yard. Percales a yard wide only 7 1/2-2c a yard. Gingham, the Zephyr brand, worth 12 1/2-2c, our price 9c a yard. Table linen, all pure linen, for 25c a yard. Corsets, the 50c ones for 38c, the 75c ones for 60c, the \$1.25 ones for 75c. Also any corset in the store, size 18 for 40c. Dimities, dainty patterns worth 12 1/2-2c yard for 7 1/2-2c a yard. Dimities, the 25c to 35c grades for 18c a yard. Dimities for 12 1/2-2c per yard that is regular 20c goods and these are all this spring's styles and patterns. An assortment of spool silk, 100 yards, 4c each. An assortment of spool twist, 10 yards, 1c each. Thimbles 1c each, any of the skirt bindings 4c a yard. Velvet baby ribbon, the best quality, 25c a bolt. Fleischer Knitting yarn worth 30c for 20c a hank. Ribbons, laces and embroideries at 65c on the dollar. Silk veilings 8c per yard. Dress bindings, brush or corduroy 4c yard. Ladies' fast black hose regular 15c now 10c a pair.

## Greenbaum's Dry Good Store

First door south of Post Office.

## SEED CORN

We have a choice lot of field seed corn, of the following varieties, which we are selling at 3 1/2 cents per pound.

KING PHILIP, PRIDE OF THE NORTH, EARLY CANADA FLINT, EARLY WHITE FLINT, CHAMPION WHITE PEARL, EARLY WHITE DENT, WHITE CAP DENT, EARLY LEARNING.

We get testimonials every day from our patrons, who planted our seed corn last season, it is the best in the market, and the best is always the cheapest. Remember that we do not sell cheap seed but we sell more good seed for the money than you can buy anywhere else.

## SAVAGE & REID

Seedmen, Salem, Oregon.

## The Crystal Ice Works Creamery Co.

A new and modern creamery is opened in connection with the Crystal Ice Works at Corner 19th and State Streets, where all the products of a first-class creamery will be kept. When you are in need of pure, sweet cream, ice cream or a first-class article in the butter line, be sure and give us a call. Also butter milk delivered to any part of the city.

J. MAGUIRE, MGR. Telephone 2071 Main.

## BOCK BEER

The Capital Brewery's famous Bock will be on hand in all Salem and country saloons on and after

APRIL 6, 1901

Try it and be happy. It's the best ever turned out. We also put up our Bock Beer in bottles.

## New Arrivals

Of fine goods are a common occurrence at our grocery. Inferior food products are never cheap, no matter how low priced. All our lines have the true cheapness of prime quality. Staples and fancy; green, dry and liquid; domestic and imported, it's all the same; our store is the place to do fine things for yourself.

M. T. Rineman 132 State Street Phone 13

Dr C. T. Knowlton The eye specialist from San Francisco has opened an office for two weeks in the Eldridge Bldg., over Post Office. Those having defective vision headache and nervous troubles should improve the opportunity to have their cases diagnosed by a competent specialist. Consultation free. Office hours 1 to 4 p. m. 4-25-2\*

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