

THE QUALITY STORE STOCKTON & CO

THE OLD WHITE CORNER

Keep your eye on this hustling, bustling store of ours. This week will be a lively week with us. Each day we will offer some line of goods at startling unheard of reductions.

Watch the Papers

MONDAY will be **CORSET DAY**

50c corsets\$ 35
75c corsets 50
\$1.00 corsets 65
\$1.25 corsets 83
\$1.50 corsets 98
\$1.75 corsets 1.10
\$2.00 corsets 1.35
\$2.25 corsets 1.65
\$3.00 corsets 2.00



Style 448 Royal Worcester **CORSET SALE MONDAY**

Silk Satin Girdles 40c each

Special attention will be given to corset customers, and our best efforts will be exerted to please. **We Guarantee Fit and Satisfaction**

Only a Few More Days For Those New 50c Dress Goods

DON'T FAIL TO AVAIL YOURSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE THE VERY LATEST MOHAIR NOVELTIES, ETAMINES, ALBATROSS AND HENRIETTAS—NOW ON DISPLAY IN OUR COURT STREET WINDOW.

New Today

New goods keep coming in. We announce today the arrival of

- LADIES' SHOES
- INFANTS' SHOES
- MEN'S CLOTHING
- MEN'S SHIRTS
- MEN'S TIES
- COVERT OVERALLS
- WORK SHIRTS
- LADIES' WAISTS
- MORE DRESS GOODS
- MORE WASH GOODS
- SHEETINGS

Many big consignments of new goods are still en route from the East.



50c Shirts

Golf and negligee shirts the very best styles just received.

58c Shoes

Children's solid leather shoes—built like a battleship.

65c Shirts

Men's fancy dress shirts, formerly sold for \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, reduced to **65c**

New Edison Theatre

R. P. Starkey, Manager.
Week commencing Monday, February 20, 1905.
Startling Vaudeville.
Hyland & Grant, the Clever and Versatile Eastern Artists.
The Precious, Mexican Magicians, Direct from City of Mexico.
La Tosca, Happy Hooligan a-wheel.
Harry Moyer, Singing: "Where the Southern Roses Grow."
Marvelous Edison-o-scope—Views of timely interest.
Matinees Saturdays and Sundays. Grand Matinee Washington's Birthday. Change of Acts Thursday. Admission, 10 cents.

AMUSEMENTS.
TONIGHT, Edison—Vaudeville.
COMING ATTRACTIONS. Grand—Paul Gilmore in the Mummy and the Humming Bird.
New Edison Theatre. As usual, Manager R. P. Starkey has

arranged another excellent program for Edison patrons this week. It smacks of a variety that is sure to please, but as performances at the popular Edison are pleasing one can go any time, and be sure of seeing the best.
Hyland & Grant, the versatile sketch team. Baby Hyland, the youngest baton twirler in the world. Pericados, clever Mexican magicians. LaTosca, or Happy Hooligan a-wheel. Harry Moyer, Salem's sweet singer. To get the best seats come early. Grand matinee Wednesday, February 22d, Washington's birthday.

MARRIED.
HENSON-MULLER—At the home of the bride's parents in North Salem, Sunday afternoon, February 19, 1905, Miss Lola E. Henson to Mr. F. J. Muller, both of Salem, Rev. Hornschuh officiating.
The ceremony was performed in the presence of a small family party. Both the young people are well and favorably known in this city. The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Henson and a very estimable young woman. The groom is a barber in Evans' shop on State street. They will begin housekeeping in their new home at 340 Church street.

NEW TODAY

Dry Wood—For sale. Stove wood at \$4.50; cord wood at \$3.50. Call on S. C. Kightlinger or phone main 51. 2-20-3t

Prof. Jameson—Renowned Scientist, treats all diseases successfully, using Electro and Pinzen's light X-Ray method. Eldridge building, rooms D. E. and F. 2-20-1f

Wanted—To rent a five or six room cottage, close in. Inquire at Theo. M. Barr's plumbing shop. 2-20-3t

Wanted—Lady or gentleman of fair education to travel for a firm of \$250,000 capital. Salary \$1072 per year and expenses; paid weekly. Address with stamp, J. A. Alexander, Salem, Oregon. 2-20-3t

For Sale—Dry wood, State and 19th streets. Phone 2606 Red. M. P. Dennis. 2-3-1m*

Wanted—To buy a second-hand store, counters and shelving, also billiard or pool tables. Geo. Griswold. 2-18-3t*

For Sale—Onion seed, Yellow Danver, Oregon grown, guaranteed to grow, 75c per pound. Come while it lasts. C. Dillman, 326 Commercial street. 2-17-3t*

Wanted—Canvassing agents at \$2.50 per day and commission added that runs from \$5 to \$10 per day. Traveling agents wanted, \$3.50 per day and all expenses. C. W. Pearce, general agent, 126 High street, 3 to 8 p. m. 2-16-1wk*

For Sale—An A1 fresh Jersey milk cow, very gentle and easy to milk. Inquire at T. A. Livesley's office. J. C. Pettyjohn. 2-16-3t*

W. H. Dalrymple—Contractor and builder. Estimates given on all kinds of carpenter and mason work. Box 242. Residence 18th and Nebraska. 2-14-1m*

Cab War Still On.
Cab hire to any part of the old city limits, to or from the depot, 25 cents. All orders, day or night, promptly attended to. All other orders at reasonable rates. Club Stables. C. W. Yanako. 2-15-4f

KANSAS STRIKES OIL

Opposes Transfers to the Big Octopus

Legislature Passes Six Bills as Result of Frenzied Revolt

Topeka Kan., Feb. 20.—The Oil Producers' Association has engaged Senator Fitzpatrick and Representatives Beekman to go to Washington to oppose the transfer of the Foster leases in Indian Territory to the Standard Oil Company. The Kansas delegation in congress will be asked to oppose the transfer.
A Topeka special says: The state of Kansas, with \$400,000 and a stiff-backed population, has set about the task of fighting Standard Oil, with \$400,000,000,000, and tentacles spreading all over the United States and foreign countries. The battle between the Sunflower state and the greatest of all monopolies and its ultimate outcome will be worth watching.

Back of the state of Kansas are powerful influences which have not yet appeared upon the canvas. The people of the state have appealed to Thos. W. Lawson, of Boston, who has already paid his sarcastic compliments to Standard Oil, to take the generalship of the fight, but it is doubtful if he will accept. However, it is figured he may be relied upon for any friendly counsel.

In six days the Kansas legislature has passed the anti-trust legislation: Anti-discrimination bill—Aimed at Standard Oil.

Maximum freight rate bill—To prevent railroads favoring Standard Oil. Railroad commission bill—To prevent Standard Oil dominating state railroads.

State refinery bill—To compete with Standard Oil.
Anti-gas pumping bill—To prevent use of artificial power, thus keeping Kansas gas within her borders.

Pipe line common carrier act—Throws open oil conduits to all competition.

Delegations of hundreds of stalwart and determined men swarmed up to the state capital today from the oil fields and positively demanded that the bill pass. It is also true that not all of these men were oil producers. In their ranks one could see many speculators—men who have invested in "wild-cat" oil schemes. These men are anxious that the stock they purchased at 10 cents on the dollar should become worth a trifle more than the paper upon which the certificates are written.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET

Selling Lower and Preparing to Hold Corner

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Gates brokers in selling side wheat pit this morning, May sold at \$1.19 1/4 to \$1.19 1/2.

A Chicago special says: The great wheat corner now being run by John W. Gates and his crowd has been given a sedative. Bromides in the shape of buying or selling will be administered from day to day as occasion demands. Just now the vital point is to quiet the market and prevent the foreign shorts taking alarm.

The heavy slump in the market Friday and Saturday had a two-fold purpose. The first was to quiet the market the second to shake out the swarms of "pickers," the little fellows who obstructed the field of battle. They have been thoroughly shaken out, and the issue may now be clearly witnessed.

It is proposed to steady and pet the market along until the second week in May, when fireworks of the most lurid character may be expected. It will then be too late to import wheat.

To the studious onlooker it seems to be a battle of Gates and his party with J. Ogden Armour and his party. The best-informed persons say Armour is not in deeply enough to get hurt. The trap has been laid for him, but he can snatch all the bait and not lose more than one finger—two at the utmost.

Strange as it may seem, the men manipulating the market must use extreme caution not to run the price too high—before the second week in May. If wheat goes to \$1.20 or above, it will bring in enough foreign supplies

CHICAGO STORE

PEOPLES BARGAIN HOUSE

The People's Choice

Is the

Chicago Store

for fine

Silks and Dress Goods

JUST ARRIVED \$5000 WORTH OF THE SWELLEST DRESS GOODS AND SILKS THAT WERE EVER SHOWN IN SALEM. THEY ARE THE LATEST PRODUCTION OF THE BEST AMERICAN, FRENCH AND ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS. SEVERAL OF THE LINES WE SHOW ARE EXCLUSIVE AND CANNOT BE FOUND IN ANY OTHER STORE IN SALEM. WE WILL SURPRISE YOU AT THE SMALL PRICES WE ASK FOR THOSE BEAUTIFUL GOODS. READ ON:

Fine Silks

- 95c Plaid and Clau Silks, yd. 50c
- 75c Silk Dot Pongees, yd. 39c
- 85c Fancy and Plain Pongees, yd. 49c
- 75c Fancy Dress Silks 59c
- \$2.00 Ombre Plaid Silks, yd. \$1.25
- 95c Colored Taffeta Silk, yd. 65c
- 39 Wash China Silk, yd. 25c
- 45c Kai Kai Crystal Cord Silk. 25c
- 95c Crystal Silk, all colors, yd. 65c
- \$1.35 Crepe Silks, all colors, yd. 85c
- \$1.00 Foulard Silks, yd. 69c
- 75c Black Silk Taffeta, yd. 48c
- \$1.35 Black Silk Peas de Soie, yd. 85c
- \$1.50 Black Lace Stripped Silks. 85c
- 85c Colored Lace Stripped Silks. 49c
- 75c Black India Silks, yd. 48c
- \$1.50 36-in black Silk Taffeta, yd. 95c
- 45c Fancy Mohairs, yd. 25c

Fine Dress Good

- 75c French Novelty Mohairs, yr. 49c
- 75 Crepe de Chine, yd. 49c
- \$1 Siellian Pin Dots, yd. 65c
- \$1.50 46-in. Cream Silk Lustre, yd. 85c
- 75c Siellians in navy, brown, black and white, yd. 49c
- 85c Imported New Dove-colored Covert Cloth, yd. 65c
- \$1.25 Panama Voiles in all colors, 46 inches wide, yd. 75c
- \$1.50 Silk Eolienne, black, brown and cream, 46 in., yd. 89c
- \$2 Black Draid d'Ete, 46 in. yd. \$1.35
- \$1.25 French Serges, black, navy and brown, 46 in., yd. 75c
- Dress Trimmings in the latest Persian and French novelties.

Salem's Fastest Growing Store

McEVoy BROS. Corner of Commercial and Court Streets

to swamp the entire structure. Russia and Argentina wheat is now on the basis of 90 cents in Liverpool. With prices at \$1.30 in Chicago, the supplies could be shipped from Liverpool or the Mediterranean, paying the export duty of 25 cents, and allowing 5 cents for transportation and handling.

In this connection it is interesting to note that Gates and his party have twice attempted to manipulate the western grain market, and both times they have been badly benten. Last fall Gates framed up a most elaborate corner in corn, taking on, it is said, between 30,000,000 and 40,000,000 bushels. But the extraordinary weather broke the corner. Two years before he ran the price of corn up to 90 cents. But Armour kept piling millions of bushels upon them at the top figures, and the corner was dropped.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Cash wheat, \$1.01 1/4 @ 1.01 3/4; corn, 47 1/2 to 47 3/4 @ 1/2

NEBRASKA FREIGHT RATES

Lincoln, Feb. 20.—Representative Campbell this afternoon introduced a maximum freight rate bill, cutting the tariff 15 and 20 per cent. The railroads, fearing drastic legislation, had previously secured the introduction of a ten per cent reduction.

DR. GUNN'S ONION SYRUP
CURE FOR COLIC, COLDS, HOARSENESS & CROUP.
Solely for Children. Pleasant to take and no danger from overuse. The old remedy known as "Onion Syrup" is now made in large bottles for 50¢ and 100¢ bottles for \$1.00. Philadelphia, Pa.

DIED.
BRONSON.—At the family home at McCoy, Saturday afternoon, February 18, 1905, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bronson, aged 3 1/2 months. The little child had been sick for only a few days of pneumonia.

Good Axle Grease

We have an axle grease for wagons that will save the wagon, the team and the driver.

Dixon's Graphite Grease

Is something that once used is never discontinued. It depends on the graphite which it contains for lubrication, as graphite is a natural lubricant, and bearings so treated never heat. Try a box. Money back if unsatisfactory.

Deerhake's Castor Oil Grease

For those who want the other sort. It is the best in its class. All sizes.

F. A. Wiggins'
Implement House, 255-257 Liberty St. Farm Implements, Wheels, Automobiles, Sewing Machines and Supplies.

To the Country People

When in town take your meals at the Star Restaurant, 339 Court Street, adjoining Wade's hardware store. Meals at all hours, 15 cents.

Money to Loan
THOMAS K. FORD.
Over Ladd & Bush's Bank, Salem, Or.

Prices Cut Deeper than Ever

Solid gold spectacle frames \$3.00. Rogers 1847 knives and fork \$3.00. Table and teaspoons \$3.00. Watches, charms, chains, lockets, buttons, earrings, solid silver flat wear, cut glass and silver plated ware, hand painted china, at such cut as we have not yet made. Our fixtures are sold and we are liable to close the entire stock out in a lump most any day. Miss it and you'll regret it.

CHAS. H. HINGES
88 State St. Next Door to Ladd & Bush Bank

For 12 Days Only

At the Hilke Millinery Parlors any **HAT** in the house for \$2.00. A nice lot of tailored and hand-made VELVET HATS MRS. C. M. HILKE, Proprietor.