

## A FINE LINE OF Superior Carpets



We have just received a line of samples of extra high grade carpets from one of the leading mills of the country.

THESE CARPETS ARE RARELY EVER CARRIED IN STOCK, EVEN IN THE LARGE CITIES, BUT ARE SOLD FROM SAMPLES, AND ORDERED FROM THE FACTORY. IT TAKES LONGER TO GET THESE CARPETS AFTER ORDERING THAN IT DOES IF YOU SELECT FROM FROM SOME OF OUR NEW STOCK DESIGNS, BUT YOU GET THE BEST THAT IS MADE. IN ADDITION TO THESE OUR CARPET DEPARTMENT IS WELL STOCKED WITH THE NEWEST THINGS IN EVERY STANDARD MAKE OF CARPETS. SEE OUR SOUTH WINDOW TO GET AN IDEA OF THE BEAUTIFUL CARPETS SHOWN FROM SAMPLE.

**Buren & Hamilton**  
HOUSE FURNISHERS

### LECTURES ON JOHN BROWN.

Son of Harper's Ferry Hero Hears Dr. Wilson Speak.

The presence of a son of the immortal John Brown of Harper's Ferry fame at Grace Methodist Episcopal church, in Portland, Sunday night, made the evening service one of peculiar interest. Mr. Brown is an old man with silvery hair and beard, but the glow of enthusiasm lights his eye and straightens his aged figure at the mention of his father's name. He took no part in last night's service, but his appearance created more than ordinary interest in Dr. Clarence True Wilson's lecture on "John Brown," which was addressed to the two G. A. R. posts of Portland. Many veterans of the Civil and Indian wars occupied seats in the auditorium.

Dr. Wilson reviewed in detail the incidents of the life of John Brown, giving his ancestry and showing the kind of blood which flowed through the patriot's veins and urged him to the performance of his great life purpose. He laid the foundation of this purpose to an incident which happened when John Brown was a boy of 12 and visited a southern family in company with his father, who sold beef to the soldiers of the War of 1812. There he saw a slave boy of his own age to whom he became greatly attached, and was indignant at the great difference made in the treatment of the boy and himself on account of color. That was the inception of his intense and lifelong hatred of slavery.

"There were four great principles in the life of John Brown which made him the hero he lived to become," said Dr. Wilson. "The first was a forceful, strong personality, which so impressed people that they could never forget him or his purposes; the second was the sublimity of a great confidence; the third a beneficent self sacrifice, and the fourth the strength of a genuine Christian faith."

Dr. Wilson continued by "pointing out that the world is today, and always in need of characters like John Brown and extolled the abolitionists with all the powers of his eloquence.

Mr. Butterworth, of the Butterworth Concert company, rendered several solos during the evening.

### THE BANK HABIT.

Possibly you who read this have never kept a bank account. If not, let us suggest that you try the experiment. You will find it helpful in many ways. Aside from the fact that your money will be safe from theft and fire, such a habit tends to thrift, economy, discipline, and a general understanding of business principles, all of which are essential to success. It also affords a convenient method for the payment of bills; and, as the checks are always preserved and returned to you, they serve as receipts for the amounts paid.

**Salem State Bank**  
L. K. PAGE, President  
E. W. HAZARD, Cashier

## Y. M. C. A. GROWING STEADILY

Month of March Shows Great Gains Over Same Time Last Year

The board of directors of the Salem Young Men's Christian Association held its regular monthly meeting last evening, and heard the reports of the secretary for the month of March. The financial report showed that the total receipts for the month were \$131.20, and expenditures \$626.34. The payments included the cancellation of three notes that have been running for two years or more. The cash on hand is \$418.07.

The statistical report for March made a splendid showing for the association. During the month 3,109 young men and boys visited the rooms, as against 1600 in 1905; 469 boys took part in the gymnasium classes, compared with 151 in 1905; 211 men took exercises, against 119 in 1905; Bible class attendance was 46 men and 109 boys, as against 11 and 51, respectively, last year, while the total attendance at the night school was 283. There were 621 young men used the baths.

It was decided to hold an entertainment course next winter, similar to the one held the past winter. The committee was recommended to provide six numbers on the course, and to make the season tickets \$3.00. The course last winter netted the association \$144.20.

After a discussion, the board decided to remodel the present rooms so that the secretary could have bet-

ter control over those using the parlor and reading room, as well as providing better facilities for other details of the work of the building. Discussing the swimming tank proposition, it was announced that the present subscriptions amounted to \$1,400. A systematic canvass will be made in an effort to secure the needed balance of \$1250 within ten days. It is understood that if the amount is not secured within that time, the attempt to construct a swimming pool will be dropped.

### A Dandy for Burns.

Dr. Bergin, Pans, Ill., writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment; always recommended it to my friends, as I am confident there is no better made. 'It is a dandy for burns.' Those who live on farms are especially liable to many accidental cuts, burns, bruises, which heal rapidly when Ballard's Snow Liniment is applied. It should always be kept in the house for cases of emergency." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by D. J. Fry.

Last night's Telegram says: A small-sized panic that needed little to have become a disaster reigned over John Carlson's cleaning and tailoring shop, at Washington and Lowndale streets, at 7:45 o'clock this morning, when the store structure was enveloped in flames that took the men from engine company No 3 fifteen minutes' hard fighting to subdue.

Above the shop is a rooming house that extends upward three stories, where many people have quarters. They were just rising when the fumes of smoke came upward through the floors and open windows and doors.

Someone yelled "fire," and in an instant the corridors were filled with excited men, women and children, bent only on escape. From the front stairways volumes of dense black smoke were pouring upward, and the noise of the fire-fighting apparatus down the street only added to the confusion.

## Our Repair Department

Is just aching to get a chance to be of service to you. We repair the highest grades of watches that are made, with a perfect knowledge of the care they should receive. We repair glasses, no matter what the break or part missing may be.

**Chas. H. Hinges**

New Jewelry and Optical Store  
123 Commercial St. Next to Capital National Bank

### About the Strike.

New York, April 10.—The elite operators met this morning to prepare a counter proposal to prevent the miners this afternoon.



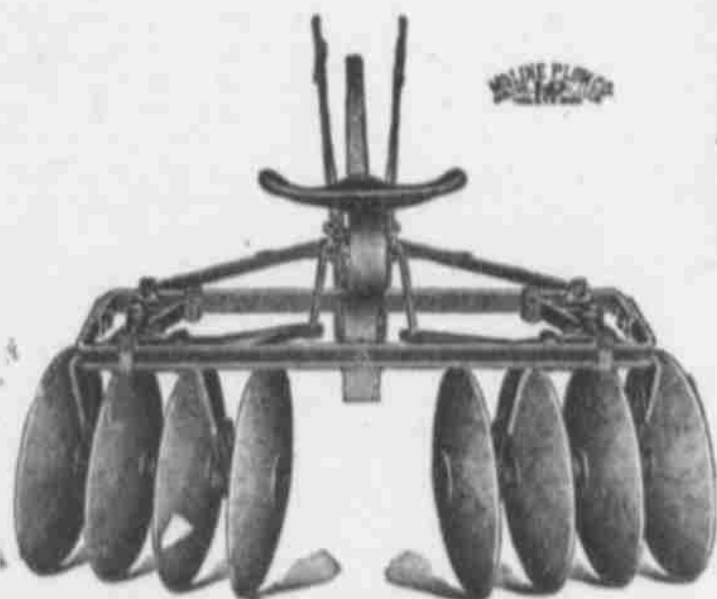
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211 South Commercial  
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## IMPLEMENTS, VEHICLES AND MACHINERY FOR SPRING

The present season finds us prepared as usual with the latest and best in Machinery, Vehicles and special lines that belong in this sort of a repository. Here are a few of them. There are too many other things to cover in one ad:



### HERE'S THAT MOLINE DISC HARROW

The favorite with the orchardist, the berry or potato grower, the field farmer or the hop raiser. Our sales this season are fairly double any previous year. They appeal to the intelligent buyer on account of their great convenience in every adjustment and their durability.

This is our THIRD SEASON and WE'VE NEVER SOLD OR REPLACED A SOLITARY PART ON THESE HARROWS, save one washer that a customer lost who ordered another to take its place.

How's that for a record?

Get your order in soon and we'll take care of you.

### THE SHARPLES \$20 LESS IN PRICE



We have now our new prices in effect, and the way the Sharple's separators are moving indicates a sale that will double last year's business and then some.

Look at this.

No. 4—450 to 500 lb capacity, formerly \$100, now price \$80.00.

No. 3—350 to 400 lb capacity, formerly \$85, new price \$65.

No. 2—275 to 300 lb capacity, formerly \$75, new price \$55.

### We Sell On Installments.

The creameries are all mighty glad to get your cream, no matter what machine separates it, although one over-zealous salesman for a competing machine, some months since, assured a prospective buyer that his creamery would not accept the product of the Sharple's machine.

Don't let that worry you. Come in and get a machine, and pay us monthly, as you get your cream checks.

If you can't conveniently call, send for literature.

There are a number of things we'd like to describe, but will tell you more in our later ads. The Superior Potato Planter, the Syracuse Garden Plow, the Pitte Harrow, etc., etc., all modern, up-to-date implements.

## Here's the Studebaker Lazer Buggy



This rig has been a standard all over the U. S. for years, and there are probably more of them in use than any other one buggy made.

The grade of woodwork, in body and gear; the quality of the leather in the cushion and top; the durability of the painting and finish; all these are brought out in the years of service these buggies render, and continue to look genuinely good.

We get them in three weights of top buggies, as well as all grades of runabouts and surreys. Call and look them over, as well as our large line of hacks, delivery wagons and special work.

### OUR \$100 CUSHIONED TIRED RUNABOUT.

Is as usual the talk of the buggy-buying public.

There's nothing else like it in Salem.

Solid wood-capped axle with dust-proof, thousand-mile spindle.

Warner wheels that are as neat as a wood hub, and as strong as a Sarven and that carry a guarantee against any sort of defect.

Body finish that would do credit to many a rig that costs 50 per cent more. Stick seat, half panel, or full panel, as desired.

Call and inspect.



### Here's a Mortgage Raiser The Petaluma Incubator

We've sold more than twice as many as last year, and still they are going. The Petaluma is made of California redwood. It is built by a man who has had more incubator experience than any man living. It is so constructed that the heat regulation is absolutely perfect, and it will bring out a hatch with less cost for oil than any machine on the market. Send for printed matter, or come and see.

### Here's a Joint of Keystone Fencing

Every crossing of the stays with the main wires is twisted just like this:

There's no slipping.

The weave is of a firm, yet elastic nature that does away with the necessity for the short kinks used in most woven fences. All heights on hand. Call and inspect.

**F. A. WIGGINS** 119 to 125 Liberty St., Salem, Or.