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The Old White Corner

It is worth your advantage to do your shopping here. Everything is selling reasonable and all the goods are dependable. If anything goes wrong we make it right and by so doing we build up the confidence between our customers and ourselves.

READ'S DRESS GOODS play an important part in the success of our dry goods department. The goods are the best that can be produced and the absolute guarantee that goes with each piece gives the purchaser a confidence that makes it a pleasure to wear and own a costume made from Read's goods.

4th
of
July



Dress
Goods

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK.
Light mixed novelties and broken
plains, navy blue novelties; \$1.25
and \$1.50 values. Special.

98c yard

Remnants

Left from the very best selling
goods. Our new remnant counter
is handy and is loaded down with
goods at just

GRAY PANAMA

Our regular \$1.00 quality

89c yard.

HALF PRICE

ABOUT ENGLISH WALNUTS

The Oregon Nursery Company gave
very interesting entertainment at the
Armory hall last evening. While it
was primarily for the purpose of de-
scribing the Franquette walnut, which
is being sold extensively by this com-
pany, the views of San Francisco in
ruins were exceedingly good and thor-
oughly enjoyed by the huge audience

present. The entertainment opened
with a short address on walnut cul-
ture, giving special reasons why the
Franquette nut was best adapted for
Oregon. Several good views of a
Franquette orchard were shown, and
then a series of slides showing the
walnut planting at the company's
farm on April 14 last, gave pleasure
of a local color to the audience. The
last half hour of the evening was spent
in showing and describing views of
San Francisco, showing the effects of
the earthquake rather than the fire.
Another free entertainment by the
nursery company will draw.

Chop Boy is the fad in ice cream.
Get it at the Red Cross Pharmacy.

BUSINESS INCREASES

DURING THE MONTH OF MAY OUR BUSINESS HAS INCREASED
12 1/2 PER CENT ABOVE THAT OF THE PRECEDING MONTH; IN
SPITE OF THE FACT THAT WE HAVE GIVEN YOU THREE BIG
SLAUGHTER SALES, WHICH WERE MONEY LOSERS TO US, BUT
MONEY MAKERS FOR YOU, AND WHICH WE KNOW YOU HAVE
APPRECIATED. YOU HAVE FOUND NO RESTRICTIONS IN THESE
SALES. YOU HAVE HAD YOUR PICK FROM OUR \$3.50 AND \$4.00
LINES OF LADIES' OXFORDS; A SHOE WHICH CANNOT BE SUR-
PASSED IN STYLE, SHAPE OR WORKMANSHIP IN THE NORTH-
WEST. OUR STOCK CONSISTS, AT ALL TIMES OF THE NEWEST
AND MOST UP-TO-DATE STYLES FROM THE FASHION CENTERS

New Today

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A CONSIGNMENT OF

Ladies' white canvas oxfords
Ladies' gray canvas oxfords
Ladies' dark canvas oxfords
Ladies' nurse shoe--rubber heel

AND A MOST EXCELLENT SUPPLY OF KINDERGARTEN'S

E. L. IRVIN & CO.

PRACTICAL SHOE MEN--Acknowledged Leaders
326 State St. REPAIRING A SPECIALTY

TO AID FRISCO SCHOOLS

Suggestion Made by Supt.
Ackerman That Contrib-
utions Be Made

A circular letter has been issued by
Superintendent J. H. Ackerman to the
various school teachers of the state
relative to donations for the stricken
schools of San Francisco. It appears
that 34 school buildings were destroyed
and that it will cost about \$6,000,000
to replace them. The donations are to
make up a reconstruction fund for the
rebuilding of the schools. The purpose
is "that whatever contributions from
a given state shall reach a sufficient
amount to construct a building, to
name that building after the state
giving the money. In any event, tab-
lets showing the source from which the
building fund came will be placed up-
on the buildings, and it will doubtless
be a matter of pride for the rising
generation in their visit to the new
and more glorious San Francisco to
visit the building which stands as a
monument to their generosity and sym-
pathy."

In view of these facts, our state su-
perintendent says: "I would respect-
fully suggest that your respective
schools devise ways and means by
which contributions, either great or
small, may be made to this very worthy
cause."

Acute Rheumatism.

Deep tearing or wrenching pains,
occasioned by getting wet through;
worse when at rest, or on first mov-
ing the limbs and in cold or damp
weather, is cured quickly by Ball-
ard's Snow Lotion. Oscar Olson
Gibson City, Ill., writes, Feb. 16, 1902:
"A year ago I was troubled with a
pain in my back. It soon got so bad I
could not bend over. One bottle of
Ballard's Snow Lotion cured me."
For sale by D. J. Fry.

Heavy Losses.

Pendleton, June 1.—It is now es-
timated that the flood loss in Umatilla
county and stock in the mountains
will amount to nearly \$2,000,000. Every
hour brings reports of great damage
to cattle and sheep. The loss in Pen-
dleton is over \$50,000.

Don't Fail.

To see Miss Fisher as the country
farm wife tonight, at the Grand.

Sailors' Union Wins.

Los Angeles, June 1.—The owners
and masters of steamships plying on
the coast this morning acceded to the
demands of the sailors' union for \$5
increase monthly in wages on all ves-
sels calling at inside ports. The de-
mand was made three months ago, but
was held in abeyance on account of the
Prisco fire. Fifty vessels were affect-
ed.

The body of the late Dudley Newell,
the U. of O. student, who was drowned
at Eugene about ten days ago, was
found Wednesday afternoon by a man
named Deadwood, near the Walker
Young place, two miles below Eugene.
The body was lying face downward in
shallow water, it having been washed
ashore by the high water.

A complexion fair men like to see;
So girls take this advice,
Don't hesitate to think it o'er
Drink Rocky Mountain Tea.
—Dr. Stone's drug store.

Salem Capitalist Buys Site for Ware-
house.

Last night's Telegram says:
A. N. Moore, a Salem capitalist, has
purchased the quarter block at the
northeast corner of Thirteenth and
Overman streets from Knapp & Mack-
ey for \$16,000. The property is now
the site of old frame dwellings, but
the vicinity is being rapidly trans-
formed into a warehouse district, and
the dwellings, it is thought, will give
way to substantial brick structures.
Real estate men think Mr. Moore's made
a "good buy," compared to what other
quarter blocks have brought recently.

John M. Wampole, a prominent resi-
dent of Woodburn, died last week at
Portland. He leaves seven children.

See

Vera Byars, a society pet, tonight
at the Grand.

Mrs. A. J. Hamilton, an aged pioneer
of Hillsboro, died at her home there
Thursday.

Money to Loan

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

WHY THE BIG BRIDGE WENT OUT

Cost the Taxpayers of Salem and Marion County \$50,000

A Prominent Republican Taxpayer Tells Why Will Not Support Miller, of Linn County

To the Editor: I am a Republican
and expect to remain a member of
that political organization so long as
it holds to the principles which it has
advocated and maintained for so many
years. Whenever I can conscientiously
do so, I support the entire ticket, but
I have found that the party sometimes
nominates a man who ought not to be
elected, and to vote for whom would
be a betrayal of myself and other
citizens.

Although a Republican, and not-
withstanding that he is the regular
nominee of the party, I will not vote
for F. J. Miller, of Albany, the Repub-
lican candidate for joint senator of
Linn and Marion county. My reasons
for refusing to support Mr. Miller are
as follows:

The taxpayers of Marion county in
general, and Salem in particular, will
remember that the first bridge erected
across the river at this place went out
at the time of the high water in 1890.
That bridge was constructed by the
San Francisco Bridge Company, of
which company this man Miller was
the agent, and Mr. Miller in person
superintended the construction of the
bridge. He was the agent of that com-
pany, and was on the ground all the
time. When the bridge went out a
committee, of which Hon. A. Bush was
chairman, was appointed by the coun-
ty court of Marion county, to view the
matter, and report upon the location
of another bridge. On this committee
was also General W. H. Byars, the
well-known surveyor and civil engineer.
That committee, in a report made to
the county court at the March term,
1890, thereof, among other things, re-
ported as follows:

"In the judgment of your committee,

the bridge washed away was not con-
structed in conformity with the plans,
specifications and contract."

It is well known that the bridge was
not constructed according to contract,
and that the San Francisco Bridge
Company humbugged the city and county
to the cost of the taxpayers therein to
the amount of \$50,000. It is true Mr.
Miller was not the bridge company,
but he was the agent of the company,
the man who did the business for it
and without his knowledge and consent
it would have been impossible for that
company to have humbugged the people
as it did.

Mr. Miller was a member of the
board of railroad commissioners, and
the taxpayers of this state know that the
railroad commission was a burden to
the taxpayers, and served no other pur-
pose than to give a few men soft jobs
at public expense. So unpopular was
the railroad commission that the
Gazette and newspapers throughout the
state demanded its abolishment, and
the fact is that since we got rid of it,
we have had less trouble with the rail-
roads, cheaper fares and better freight
rates than we had while the commis-
sion held office.

The railroads at that time were fear-
ful that a maximum rate and freight
bill would be passed by the legislature.
In fact Governor Penneyer, on July 13,
1892, addressed a letter to the railroad
commission asking it to prepare a bill
of this kind, notwithstanding the bad
odor in which the railroad commission
was at that time; that board, by this
man, F. J. Miller, its secretary, replied
to the request of Governor Penneyer
in these words:

"Having full faith in the present
law, and the integrity of our courts to
enforce and support the same, we feel
it our duty to respectfully decline to
devise any other scheme looking to

legislative control in this matter.
That railroad commission before
the legislature to keep them in it,
and it was assisted by the rail-
road companies in this state. These
are notorious.

I am going to vote for Mr. Miller
the same reason that I have voted
him during the past for the school
director in this district.
Byrd has three times been school
director, not because he is a
Democrat, for this district is a
wholesomely Republican, but for
reasons that business men and citi-
zens of the schools have not
confidence in his ability and integrity.

So far as the election of a
States senator is concerned, I
do not vote for him for the reason
legislature will be overhauling
publican, and the Republican
able to elect a United States
without the assistance of a
vote.

J. E. Fry.

To the Editor: At the time
construction of the first bridge
the Willamette river I was a
and noticed the kind of concrete
was being put into the piers.
Mr. Miller, the foreman of the
pany, that it was child's play to
such concrete as that in the
wasn't the proper kind of con-
crete, there was boulders in it and
enough cement. He said, "I
what business it was of mine, I
I know about bridge building,
I replied that being a taxpayer, I
very much interested in the con-
struction of the bridge, and that I
that that kind of a mixture would
hold; that common sense was all
was necessary to teach any one
As a result of my investigation
that time, I was not at all sur-
prised that the bridge went out.

J. M. Moore

An Alarming Situation.

Frequently results from the neglect of
clogged bowels and torpid liver, until
constipation becomes chronic. This
condition is unknown to those who use
Dr. King's New Life Pills; the best
and gentlest regulators of stomach
and bowels. Guaranteed by J. C.
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housekeeping. Inquire at corner of
Marion and Cottage streets. L. U.
Jones. 5-31-3t

For Rent.—Furnished and unfurnished
rooms. Apply at 222 Commercial
street, over Journal office.

Painting Bids Wanted.—For painting
residence corner of Court and Sum-
mer streets. Specifications can be
seen at Patton's book store. 5-30-3t

For Rent.—R. B. Fleming's upper flat
on Center street; all modern improve-
ments. 5-29-1f

Wanted.—A girl to do general house-
work. Apply at Barnes' Cash Store.
6-1-3t

For Sale or Rent.—A gasoline wood
saw; one set of double harness;
heavy wagon; one gent's bicycle.
Call Mrs. A. Mosier, phone 243.
6-1-1w

That Tired Feeling.

If you are languid, depressed, in-
capable for work, it indicates that
your liver is out of order. Herbine
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aches, rheumatism and ailments akin
to nervousness and restore the ener-
gies and vitality of sound and per-
fect health. J. J. Hubbard, Temple,
Texas, writes: "I have used Herbine
for the past year. It has done

me more good than all the medi-
cine is the best medicine ever
chills and fever." See Fry.

See

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