

J.L. STOCKTON

THE HOUSE OF SPECIALS



Great Clearance Sale

Remarkable selling during the last few weeks is indicative of the confidence the people have in our business methods. Everything is done on the square, and no person is ever lured to disappointment who comes to us. We inaugurate this sale in order to close out what's left of our fall goods.

BARGAINS WILL ABOUND THROUGHOUT THE STORE

Big Cuts in Dress Goods

Roads Rainproof Readona crepes, Serges, Mohelaines, Panamas, etc., all reduced.

Ladies' Suits, Skirts and Coats

This entire stock without reserve is cut to the quick. Profits are of no consideration.

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The busy place where they are not afraid to give a bargain.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 10

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Ireland's Sweet Singer.

ALLEN DOONE

In a Mammoth Production of Joseph Murphy's Famous Play.

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The Great Forge and Race Scene, Most Realistic Scenes Ever Produced on the Stage—Two Thoroughbred Horses and a Flock of Wonderful Trained Carrier Pigeons.

HEAR ALLEN DOONE SING HIS POPULAR IRISH BALLADS.

Prices—\$1.00, 75c, 50c, and 25c.

Seats on sale at the box office, Thursday at 9 a. m.

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PRESENTING THE

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No Dark Nights
SATURDAY MATINEE 2:30 P. M.

FRUITS, NUTS, MINCE MEAT Groceries!

In fact everything in the line of reasonable holiday goods and delicacies may be found in stock at our store. Don't overlook.

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Give us a call and be convinced of the superiority of our service.

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Coburg has organized a baseball stock company, and proposes putting out a winning valley team the coming year. Over \$500 has been raised already.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Hinges*

CURRENT TOPICS TODAY

Prepared for the Public Schools and the Family Circle.

A cold wave is sweeping over the Philippine Islands. The temperature is down to 55, the lowest in history. Natives have no clothing for such weather, and are suffering.

An effort is being made in the Missouri legislature to have two mules put on the seal of the state in place of two bears.

The new constitution of the state of Oklahoma provides for a commission to buy up all the coal and asphalt lands, to be owned by the state.

Wheat farmers in Eastern Oregon rejoice over an immense fall of snow.

One steamer landed 700 Japanese laborers at Honolulu one day this week.

The First Methodist church at North Yakima is being used for a high school, since the school building burned.

George Andrus, of Oregon City, was fatally shot while resting on the steps of the West Oregon City school building. The gun was accidentally discharged.

Into each life some sorrow must fall; Wise people don't sit down and bawl; Only fools suicide or take to flight; Smart people take Rocky Mountain Tea at night.

—Sold at Dr. Stone's store.



Our Optical Department

Will resume its normal condition again, and the best of attention will be given those who need our services. We are equipped with the latest instruments for testing the eyes, and our prices are the most reasonable.

Chas. H. Hinges.

Graduate Optician.

PAYMENT BUGABOO PROMINENT

New City Council Inaugurates First Meeting With Tire-some Wrangle on Old Subject

"Warren bitulthle" and "bituminous macadam" pavement were the magic words or term familiar to the eyes and ears of the Salem public, which were responsible for the precipitation of a spirited debate upon the street improvement bugaboo and gave the new members a taste of what is in store for them, and is only one of the multitude of troubles to be endured in the strenuous life of an alderman.

The question was brought up through a resolution offered by Alderman Gesner, calling for the pavement of Commercial street from the south line of Trade street to the north line of Union street, with "bituminous macadam" pavement. This was followed by other resolutions of a like character; two from Alderman Stockton to the effect that congress be asked to make an appropriation to improve Court and State streets, adjacent the federal building, and that the state legislature be asked to appropriate money for the improvement of these streets adjacent to the state house, and another from Alderman Gesner for the improvement of court street from Commercial to Church streets.

All of the latter resolutions were adopted without comment, but the Commercial street resolution ran up against a snag in its downward course of flight in the sluggish current of municipal legislation, and dropped anchor in the harbor of the committee on streets and public property for repairs.

There was a disposition on the part of some members to amend the resolution to read Center street instead of Union, and this question brought out another long-winded discussion until, driven to a state of desperation, Alderman Goode moved to amend the amendment to pave the street from South Mill creek to the concrete bridge.

"The motion is indefinite as to points," chirped up Alderman Gesner, "and is therefore out of order."

This put a quietus on the proposed amendment to the amendment and the discussion drifted to a spirited dissertation upon the points of the "Warren bitulthle monopoly" and "bituminous macadam," in which all took advantage of the opportunity to tell what they knew and what they didn't know about street improvement, and the resolution finally went to the committee on streets for consideration.

This was not accomplished, however, until Alderman Bayne came to the front with a vigorous protest against such harum-scarum, catch-as-catch-can legislation, and installed his patent "pell-mell gait" upon the highway of the council proceedings and called a halt. He anchored his gate so securely that the proceedings received a violent set back, and that settled the business, at least for the time being.

The Right Name.

Mr. August Sherpe, the popular overseer of the poor at Fort Madison, Ia., says: "Dr. King's New Life Pills are rightly named; they act more agreeably, do more good and make one feel better than any other laxative." Guaranteed to cure biliousness and constipation; 25c at J. C. Perry's drug store.

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At the Same Old Stand.

A. L. Harvey's

Cor. Court and High Sts., Salem. Phone 216 Main.

WINTER STYLES

THE HANDSOME WINTER STYLES IN CLOTHING THIS YEAR PLEASE ALL NEAT DRESSERS. The Coats are cut long with the loose form fitting back, straight and pointed lapels. The trousers are cut full in the hips and taper to a neat fit over the instep. Let us show you the right style to wear.

SUITS \$10.00 TO \$25.00

ROBERTS' \$3.00 HATS

There isn't anything more needed to set your appearance off in good style than a Hat. We have just received a full line of Black Stiff Hats. Roberts shape.

Salem Woolen Mill Store.

GOT CART BEFORE HORSE

It was a matter of trying to get the "cart before the horse" when the question of bids for the purchase of an additional horse and cart for the street department came up for consideration before the old council during its dying moments, when it was found that only one bid had been received, and that was for a dump-cart, but none for a horse. The bid for a cart was from Pohle & Bishop, which offered to furnish a cart of the first-class, according to illustration, for \$60, and for the second class \$55. The bid was referred to the new committee on streets.

Real Estate Transfers.

The Marion county recorder has placed on record the following deeds amounting to \$7490.

F. E. Wall to Jefferson Lodge No. 33, A. F. & A. M., land in Jefferson, w d	\$ 1
H. R. and S. Curtis to Sol Durbin, 10 acres in sec 28, t 7 s, r 2 w, q c d	1
A. P. and R. I. Wagner to E. A. Neal 170 acres in Marion county, w d	400
J. H. Albert, et ux, to Geo. F. Rodgers, lot No. 5, in block No. 12, University add to Salem, w d	100
G. E. and E. Pottratz to Henry Berning, land in sec 6, t 6 s, r 1 e, also land in t 5 s, r 1 w, Marion county, w d	1700
S. and E. Cox to City of Independence, water right	100
John and M. E. Brown to Jacob Hockett, lots Nos. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, in Yew Park add to Woodburn	1
J. P. Graves to F. W. Hacker, 107 acres in Marion county q c d	1
Trustees Jefferson Lodge No. 33, A. F. & A. M. to J. A. Weld, land in Jefferson	120
E. N. and M. N. Erickson to L. Opedal, land in Marion county, w d	2000
L. and B. Opedal to the Silvertown Lumber Co., land in Marion county, w d	37
J. C. and E. Remington to Silvertown Lumber Co., land in t 6 s, r 1 w, w d	25
J. and M. Ludovitzke to A. Brosig, lots 2 and 3, in block No. 1, Brown's add to Silvertown, w d	2000

Rev. Carlisle, P. B. Martin, L. E. D. Of Waverly, Tex., writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." Sold by D. J. Fry.

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LIVE STOCK SHOW

The Southern Pacific Makes Special Rates to Cattle Show

The Southern Pacific Company announces the following special round-trip rates to Denver on account of the annual convention of the American Livestock Association Western Stock Show, to be held at Denver,

Colorado, January 21-26. Round-trip tickets will be sold January 14 and 15 at \$65.15, going ten days from date of sale; return limit February 10, 1907. For particulars inquire of agents.

How to Cure Chilblains.

"To enjoy freedom from chilblains," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed to cure fever sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites and skin diseases; 25c at J. C. Perry's drug store.

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