

"Off With the Old, On With the New"

Spring Fashions and Fabrics are uppermost in every woman's mind. Not a great many signs of Spring to be seen out of doors, we'll admit, but within this store spring stocks are blossoming forth, for we always like to be first in showing new goods.

A look through now will show you many pretty new things.



Spring Waists

New styles in our superb collection of dainty and elegant shirt waists made by the famous



No use to attempt descriptions. See them as they are. Hundreds of newest creations to choose from. You'll like the variety, the styles and the little prices attached to one, as you are sure to find just what you want and at just what you want to pay.

The newest are delicate articles of wear that cannot be excelled for daintiness; made of sheer lawns and finest linens, also a fine showing of those dainty Jap silk in beautiful effects.

SECOND FLOOR.

Shoes

Men's advance spring style shoes coming in. Ladies' shoes expected this week.

Newest, Nabbliest Styles.

WEDNESDAY ONLY

WEEKLY BARGAIN SPECIAL NUMBER 317.

Beginning Wednesday morning at 8:30 we offer rich,

AMERICAN CUT GLASS

Consisting of Nappies, Water Bottles, Sugar and Creamers, Spoon Holders, Olive Dishes, Plaques, Etc. Every article a gem of the cutter's art and skill. Our unusually low prices on this ware has made quite a host of friends. For Wednesday only.

25 PER CENT OFF

No telephone orders received. None sold until 8:30 Wednesday.

Embroideries

Our Own Importation

They are the embroideries you want right now and later. Made of Cambric, Nainsook, Swiss and Maderia. The best values and prettiest values ever shown in this city. There is such a host to choose from that you can not help but find something you want.

Accompanying the shipment of embroideries was a full line of the newest Valenciennes, Torchon, Allover, Nets and Embroideries.

The price, in every instance, is lower than you'd expect to pay for the quality.

Muslin Underwear

Unusually favorable conditions aided us in the securing, and resulted in our getting them at prices which are extraordinary low, considering the high prices that are now ruling the cotton market. Such dainty, womanly, underwear—such generous fulness is evident throughout—and withal such astonishingly low prices. Figure out for yourself the present cost of muslin—the time it would take you to make the garment yourself, and see what fine values we have.

Gowns, Drawers, Skirts, Corset Covers.

In regular and out sizes. SECOND FLOOR.

THE LADIES HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS

MOST SATISFACTORY PAPER PATTERNS MADE—

We have just installed a complete assortment of these patterns now on sale in our pattern department. Guide Chart with Each Pattern—Style Book Free.

Jos. Meyers & Sons
SALEM'S GREATEST STORE
THE "WHITE CORNER" (TRADE MARK)



Men's

Distinguished Clothing

This clothing stock of ours will meet your requirements. If it is style—we have it. If it is fine work—we have it. If it is a certain fabric—we have it. If it is quality coupled with low prices—get it here. Clothes made by America's foremost manufacturers, which insure correct style and workmanship—they are here.

Cecilia Willy, of Portland, returned to their home yesterday, after visiting Miss Helen Calbreath, of this city.

Mrs. Alfred Thayer, wife of one of the star reporters of the Salem Statesman, left Saturday night for her former home in San Francisco, to remain until warm weather.

Theron Lyon, after visiting relatives and friends here, has returned to his work in Portland. He was formerly drug clerk of the J. Haberly drug store here, and is at present with a Portland firm.

POLITICAL OPINION.

Rollings Logs.

Log rolling is the principal business of the state legislature.—Albany Democrat.

Just the Same.

It is the business of the United States government to make the river navigable at Oregon City just as much as at the mouth of the Columbia.—Albany Democrat.

Many Foolish Bills.

A good many foolish bills have been introduced, which men, of only average sense ought to know cannot pass.—Albany Democrat.

This Is Unkind.

One of the Oregonian editors has just been telling the university students how to make a modern newspaper. Now some one should whisper the same information into the ears of the Oregonian management.—Eugene Guard.

All But Two.

The present legislature seems to be determined to cut off two normal schools—those of Ashland and Drain, thus giving Oregon two first-class institutions, one at Monmouth and one at Weston. If this is done the legislature can afford to deal liberally with the remaining two schools and give them every facility for meeting the keen demands made upon them.—East Oregonian.

The Salary Grab.

An advance of the salaries of congressmen and senators from \$5000 to \$7500 per year has been voted by the house. It will doubtless be concurred in by the senate, and become the law. In his two years term, an Oregon congressman receives \$10,000 salary, \$2400 clerk allowance, \$1400 mileage, \$250 in stamps and possibly other perquisites. Of the 24 months in one term, he spends about nine at Washington in the service of his district, a service which costs the government more than \$14,000.—Corvallis Times.

Partizanship Dend.

During the past few days there has been widespread editorial comment on the late General Robt. E. Lee, the great leader of the Confederate armies in the Civil war, the 100th anniversary of his birth having just been observed in numerous places throughout the country. Almost without exception those editorials have been filled with praise of the remarkable kindness and personalities, as well as the great military genius of General Lee. General Frederick D. Grant, son of the late General U. S. Grant, contributes a similar article to the current issue of Collier's, in which General Lee is accorded the highest praise for his charming personality and his extraordinary military ability and leadership. All this goes to show that the era of bitter partizanship is past and that personal worth is more than ever being accorded its due recognition.—Roseburg Review.

Just as Much Good.

The legislator who helps prevent bad legislation does as much for his constituents as if he introduced a lot of worthless bills.—Albany Democrat.

Rest Half the Time.

At the end of the first two weeks, the Oregon legislature will have been in recess as many days as in session.—Albany Herald.

Will Help Some.

Perhaps, Mr. Bryan in his talk on the initiative and referendum before the Oregon legislature did some good. Perhaps it will now dawn on some of the legislators that if they pass a law obnoxious to the people, the referendum will be invoked; if they fail to give the remedial legislation demanded, the initiative will be invoked.—Albany Herald.

A Great Asset.

William Jennings Bryan is one of America's greatest assets. He has been the watch dog of the public treasury and his many friends hope some day to see him president of this great nation.—Astoria Budget.

But Will He?

Speaker Davey should seize the opportunity to introduce in the house, and President Haines in the senate, a resolution providing for changing the constitution so as to permit the people to elect presiding officers of the two branches of the legislature.—Albany Herald.

A Little Annexation.

It looks now like there was nothing to prevent the annexation of the northern part of Grant county to

Baker county. The leading members of Baker county are in favor of it and that they have declared themselves on the subject is just what Senator Hart and Representative Moore desired and they will be accordingly.—Baker City Democrat.

They All Do It.

Of course Speaker Davey has led off the committees. President Haines did also, including Democrats in the deal. Mr. Vawter and Hodson, defeated candidates, did the same. It's the way candidates are elected. It's a bad way. The constitution should be amended so that people can elect speaker and president of the senate.—Albany Herald.

He Is a Democrat.

The state board can be trusted to appoint the men who have changed the 1500 state's unfortunate insane asylum, or can safely have four millions of the school funds nobody but the governor knows to select a board of railroad commissioners. The governor is a Democrat.—Pendleton Tribune.

Nobody Objects.

There certainly can be no valid objection in the legislature to Representative Settlemyer's bill prohibiting issuance of liquor licenses to persons convicted of selling liquor to minors, or violating Sunday law or permitting minors to frequent saloons.—Woodburn Independent.

The overweening generosity of president of the senate and speaker of the house, in awarding three-fourths of the commission chairmanships in the Oregon legislature to men from that county, is a correlative element of responsibility upon the metropolitan centers the critical interest of state upon that delegation. As desired legislation shall emanate either to the gratification or disappointment of the people at large, will the measure of credit or blame fall to the city of Portland.—Albany Herald.

Birthday Surprise.

A surprise party was given Saturday evening, January 26th, in honor of Miss Vida McMillan's fourteenth birthday. A very pleasant evening was spent in games and plays. Vida was the recipient of some nice gifts. One especially was a book of Whittier's Birthday by five of her schoolmates. Light refreshments were served. Those present were: Emma Minton, Edna Tait, Lillie Glens, Emma Miller, Katie Wise, Vida McMillan, Edna Tait, Lillie Glens, Emma Miller, Madge Arnold, Vera Walling, Wright, Johnnie Leets, Clifton Floyd Davis, Lester Watson, Brewer Wilber McCracken, Irish, Mark Elliott, Claud Hill, Mary Morris, Clara Vibbert, Lila Cracken, Russel Colby.

Teachers' Contest.

The voting contest of the Co. Bakery is progressing nicely. The close next summer, and the cast to date are as follows:

Miss Mellen	Miss Kramer
Miss Gleason	Miss Savage
Miss Phoe	Miss Fischer
Miss Krause	Miss Martin
Miss Marlette	Mrs. L. Weniger
Miss Swafford	Miss Stowell
Miss Lena Miller	Miss Bean
Miss Lick	Miss Bellinger

CITY NEWS

A Collection of Important Paragraphs for Your Consideration.

New Abstractor Here—

Mr. W. O. Boyer, a new member of the Salem Abstract & Land Co., has arrived in Salem with his family from Minnesota and has assumed his duties as secretary of the company.

Some Potatoes Frozen—

Reports from the surrounding districts give information that the recent cold spells have damaged the stock of potatoes in some places.

Studying Woollens—

Roy Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bishop, is in the east studying the manufacture of woollen goods in some of the big factories.

The Rose Maiden—

The Philharmonic and First Methodist church choir under the direction of Professor R. A. Heritage will give the cantata, "The Rose Maiden" at the church about the first of March.

W. P. Stranborg Marries—

W. P. Stranborg, a well-known,

ECONOMY VS. EXTRAVAGANCE

On the word of one of the wisest philosophers of the age, you may set it down as the truth—that a man can better afford the most economical of extravagances than the most extravagant of economies.

It is extravagant economy to wear your old glasses if they are not exactly suited to you.

We can show you whether they are, and it will cost you nothing to know.

BARR'S JEWELRY STORE

State and Liberty Sts., Salem

accomplished and popular reporter on the Portland Telegram, was married last Saturday in Portland to Miss Ernestine Coughran, also a member of the Telegram staff. Mr. Stranborg came to Salem during the first week of the legislative session for the Telegram.

Is Out of Danger—

Mrs. J. H. Scott, who is at the Salem hospital, having undergone a serious operation, is reported very much improved today, and entirely out of danger.

Fit the Ladies—

Miss Hummel, of Portland, will be in Salem, at Mrs. Brown's boarding house, at the corner of Liberty and Chemeketa streets, where she will be prepared to fit ladies with corsets, and will have a complete line of ladies' furnishing goods. Unusual shapes and sizes of corsets made to order. Call Tuesday between 11:30 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

"Where Rolls the Oregon"—

Professor H. C. Tillman will give his lecture, "Where Rolls the Oregon" in the chapel of the Willamette University Tuesday evening.

Penitentiary Entertainment—

The inmates of the state penitentiary will give an entertainment at the prison Wednesday evening beginning at 7 o'clock.

Came Home Sick—

Former Policeman John J. Long came home from Bay City sick. As soon as he recovers he will return to the coast.

Poisoned a Dog—

Some unknown miscreant poisoned Claud Gatch's beautiful Irish setter.

Probate Matters—

Three of the four children of Charles Pearce have filed a petition in the county court asking for the appointment of Charles H. Bussey as administrator of the estate.

Wallawa County Expenses—

Wallawa county's statement of expenses was filed with the secretary of state this morning, showing the total expenses of that county for the year 1906, exclusive of roads and highways, was \$25,150.94.

Fractures Collar Bone—

T. B. Jones while engaged in hauling hops from his farm at Mission Bottom was thrown from his wagon and sustained a fracture of his collar bone. He was brought to Salem Saturday night and at present is resting easily.

Meetings Largely Attended—

The evangelistic revival meetings that are in progress at the First Presbyterian church, under the leadership of Messrs. Steele and Hoppy, are drawing large crowds, and creating a great deal of interest. A splendid choir has been organized, and the musical features are very attractive.

Suffrage Meeting.

There will be a women's suffrage meeting at the W. C. T. U. hall, corner of Perry and Commercial streets, on Tuesday, the 27th, at 2:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to be present. By order of the superintendent of the suffrage department.

Going to Hood River.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adolph left this morning for Hood River, where Messrs. Hamilton and Adolph will engage in the confectionery business. Both young men and their wives are well known in Salem, and leave for their new home with the best wishes of their many friends.

To Talk Taxation.

Chas. P. Strain, the assessor of Umatilla county, who has become an expert on matters of county revenues, is in the city to appear before the committee on assessment and taxation this evening. During the past four years the amount of taxes paid in his county has gone up from \$155,000 to \$216,000, as compared with a raise of from \$118,000 to \$158,000 for the four years preceding. The propensities of the taxpayer to grow a more voracious appetite does not seem to be confined to Marion county.

ASTORIA.
The Kid You Have Always Bought
Salem, Oreg.
J. H. H. H.

Personals

R. H. Doe went to Portland today.

A. L. Brown went to Jefferson this morning.

Arthur C. Boschen left this morning for Portland.

H. W. Wiprut went to Portland this morning on business.

George Rudolph left this morning for Jefferson on business.

Fred Legg visited his family in this city over Sunday.

Jefferson Myers came up from Portland this morning.

F. A. Holmes went to Portland this morning on business.

Rev. G. O. Oliver came down from Jefferson this morning.

Dr. W. T. Williamson, of Portland, is in the city on business.

Mrs. A. McGill has returned from visiting friends in Portland.

A. King Wilson, a well-known Portland attorney, is in the city.

Mrs. Ray Gilbert has returned from a brief visit in Portland.

Frank Harriett returned this morning from a visit in Portland.

Miss Blanche Brown has returned from a visit at the reform school.

Orten Roby and brother left this morning for Aumsville on business.

Mrs. Fred Watrous and little son, of Forest Grove, are visiting in the city.

Leo Wood, of Stietz, is in the city visiting friends and transacting business.

Mrs. E. Churchill, of Albany, is visiting relatives and friends in the city.

Will Evans, of Portland, spent Sunday visiting Salem friends and relatives.

Ben Tamplin returned to Portland this morning, after an over-Sunday visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gabrielson and daughter, Miss Ruth, went to Portland today.

Mrs. Cornell has returned from visiting her sister, Miss Pauline Looney, in Jefferson.

Miss Frances Howard, after an over-Sunday visit with relatives in this city, returned this morning to Chemawa.

Misses Clarissa, Margurite and

..MONEY TO LOAN

Over Ladd & Bush's Bank, Salem.

Norwich Union Fire Insurance

Office with Wm. Brown & Co., 129 Commercial street.

NEW TODAY

For Rent.—The store room at Court street occupied by Moore, after February 1st. Wagner, 549 Cottage street.

Wanted to Buy.—Heavy draft horse weight 1400 pounds and up. J. Conner, Willamette hotel.

For Sale.—A five and a half house, with from one to two with each, well located in Salem. Good bargains. Schenckfeld, 21st and Marine.

Lost.—Gold filled watch, Klinger Grand theatre and street, on Center. No. of meat 1,147,046. "H. D. C." gravied on outside of corner ward if left at Journal.