

J. L. STOCKTON

THE WHITE CORNER

BLANKETS FOR MONDAY

FULL ELEVEN QUARTER SIZE

\$1.25 Values For 98c

Look out, beware of Jack Frost, he is a tyrant. In the dead of night he creeps in through the key hole or open window and stabs people in the back. For 98c we will sell you a shield which is a positive protection. One shield is large enough to protect two persons.



More New Long Gloves

Another shipment of long gloves came yesterday. Our glove business has more than doubled in the last few months.

Price and Quality Did It



Velvet Grip Hose Supporters

Every style of the famous velvet grip supporter is shown by us. The pad front belt supporters like this cut

23c a pair

HANDKERCHIEFS

We have just finished stocking away a big shipment of kerchiefs. We think they are wonderful values and we know a good thing when we see it.

15c SPECIALS

One hundred dozen to sell at 15c may seem like a big lot. But they won't last long with us because they are actually equal to most stores' 25c kerchiefs.

5c Assortment

Linen, Lawn and dainty Mercerized in plain and fancy.

35c Assortment

This line compares with 50c values. The patterns are all new. Different from ordinary kinds.

25c Assortment

Fifty dozen in this lot and every one is a gem.

75c Assortment

Extra high grade linen kerchiefs, embroidered French Plaids, etc. Imported designs.

Special 25c

Colored embroidered and trimmed kerchiefs, values up to 75c reduced to 25c

Ladies' Suits, Coats, Skirts

Reduced for This Week

When we say reduced we mean cut the price in an honest way. We mean to give you the garment for much less than the actual selling price. Don't buy until you have seen our lines.

Grand Opera House

JOHN F. CORDRAY, Mgr.

Five nights, starting Friday Oct. 25.
Rowland & Clifford's
NEW BIG DRAMATIC HIT!

Thorns and Orange Blossoms

By Lem B. Parker

A Play of the Better Sort
Novel Plot, Strong Climaxes
& RARE HEART INTEREST
Prices—50c, 30c, 20c, 15c.
Box office open Friday 9 a. m.

KLINGER-GRAND THEATRE

WEEK COMMENCING OCT. 21.
Don't fail to see

Maj. J. A. McGuire

—AND—
Miss Annie Olen

World's champion swordsman and swordswoman. Last week of Whiting in another comedy. Two performances nightly.

10c and 20c

X-RAYS

An insane man in Baker City says he went to hell and when he got tired the devil brought him back to the hotel in Bourne. He didn't like the change and then he was charged with being crazy.

The Hague conference is ended and respectable telegraph wires will no longer be insulted with the mental sheep dip and moral hog wash sent out by that galaxy of mutual admirationists.

Monday's Albany papers reached Salem this morning. When there are four mail trains a day from that interesting little city, it does seem that Uncle Sam's postal department could beat 23 miles in 40 hours—but it doesn't.

The latest billboard advertisement says: "Cheer up, 'Checkers' is coming," and that is surely reason enough for looking cheerful.

VETCH AND CHEAT SEED

We have a limited amount of each on hand, and if you will need any better put your order in early, as the supply will not equal the demand.

Tillson & Co.

151-161 High Street
Phone 139 Salem, Or

SMILES

By all means buy fake directories put your advertisements on placards that no one sees, and pay your money to non-resident peddlers. That's the way to build up the town.

The Farmers' Congress asks for fifty millions annually for waterways.

Salem real estate will move. It is moving. It is moving in the right direction—upwards.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded, 50c.

It would be a good thing for Salem to have a band on the streets every night in the week, playing a few tunes after supper; have all the business streets brilliantly lighted; all the shops open until 8 o'clock; all the residences on the principal streets lighted up, and the city alive with business, music, light, life, crowds and activity. The city at night has a too dead appearance. Too many houses are dark. Too many stores and places of business are dark and deserted-looking. Don't open so early in the morning, and give the working people and their families a chance to get out evenings, spend their money, buy school books, pay their bills and enjoy themselves a little. After the theatre opens at 8:30, is time enough for everybody to get off the streets and put the lights out, and have the town take on the siber solemnity of a graveyard. The go-to-bed-with-the-chicken plan of running a city is a relic of the dark ages.

No person that keeps the food canal clean and healthy can have appendicitis. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea removes and protects you from disease. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. For sale at Dr. Stone's store.

OREGON SUPREME COURT

Kunz, administrator, vs. O. R. & N., suit for damages. Court below non-suited plaintiff for carelessness. Ralph Duniway and Arthur C. Spencer appeared in oral argument.

Roots vs. Boring Junction Lumber Company, involving construction of contracts for sale of timber. Ralph Duniway and C. H. Dye and H. E. Cross appeared in oral argument.

In a Polk county case, Davidson vs. Richardson, the court declares the law enacted in 1893, fixing dower interest at one-third, applies to contracts made while that law was in force. It was formerly the law that a woman had a one-third dower interest in her husband's property. Under this law Davidson borrowed money. After borrowing the law was changed increasing the dower interest to one-half. The money was not repaid, judgment was obtained. Davidson died, and the court holds it was a change of contract by legislation, and hence the woman was entitled to only one-third.

Small Pay of Austrian Army Officer. In the Austro-Hungarian army budget for 1908 there will be included a sum of nearly £400,000 for increasing the scale of pay of the officers, 84 per cent of which will be appropriated for the benefit of lieutenants and captains.

The Austrian officer, especially of the lower ranks, is very poorly paid, his colleagues in France, Germany and even Italy being much better off in this respect. In Austria the cadets usually enter the army at about the age of 20, and as lieutenants receive the annual pay of £70. They remain at this figure for six or seven years, when they are advanced to £85, the highest rate for lieutenants.

By the time the officer reaches the rank of captain he is generally 37 or 38 years old. As captain of the second class he receives just £100 a year, rising to £125 when he is promoted to the first class. A captain he probably remains for ten or twelve years, and here, at the age of 50 or so, many officers end their military careers and retire upon pensions calculated upon this very moderate rate of pay.

Even in the higher ranks the Austrian officer's pay compares very unfavorably with that in other countries. A major receives £167 a year, a lieutenant colonel, in two classes, £225 and £250, a colonel £300 and major-general £475.

With such a low scale of pay it is small wonder that the Austrian officer is not permitted to marry unless he or his bride have independent means and can deposit the necessary "caution" money with the government, the amount varying according to the rank of the prospective bridegroom.—Vienna Letter in Pall Mall Gazette.

Many Children Work in the Bay State.

"Twenty-five thousand children between 14 and 16 years of age in the state of Massachusetts are not at school," was the statement in the caption of the charts made from the report of the commission for the industrial exhibit in Boston.

To every one that goes into an occupation which is worth while more than four enter a cotton mill or don a messenger suit or wear a cash girl's uniform. They seldom receive over \$5 before they are 17, and they reach the height of their power before they are 20, with an income possibly of \$8 to \$10. Were we to study for a few moments the wages of these juvenile earners we should find that those who receive over \$8 at 17 or 18 are very few in comparison with those who receive \$5 to \$8. If such employment means development and apprenticeship no cause for consternation would exist; but the time is past when one is required to urge upon the public the evil effects on the highways.

THE O. K. GROCERY



Between Low Prices and High Quality

In groceries you would surely choose quality. But if you trade here you don't have to choose, for you get a combination of both. QUALITY GROCERIES. QUALITY PRICES. Make this store the favorite among women who know grocery values as well as we do. By dealing here you can save money without sacrificing quality in the slightest degree. That is real economy.

A. A. ENGLEBART, 12th street. Phone 123

W. A. IRVIN SPEAKS WORDS OF PRAISE

Having purchased the interest of my partner, Mr. E. Anderson, I take this method of extending a word of sincere appreciation for the excellent patronage the store has enjoyed at the hands of Salem people.

I beg to remind you also that the change will in no way make the store unworthy of future favors from you, in fact we shall put every effort to make ours the store of all best to your liking.

W. A. IRVIN

Corner Court and Commercial Streets.

mature worker of mill life; of errand running, of messenger and of cash service. That the true apprenticeship in skilled industries for the child who has completed the grammar grades would not be better than the technical school training is not so easily proved, but that the low-grade industries are schools for vice and dishonesty rather than for virtue and honor, and for retrogression rather than development, needs no longer be argued.—Susan M. Kingsbury in *Charities and the Commons*.

Importing Disease to Persia.

In Tabriz, Persia, the increase of pulmonary disease is alarming foreign physicians. This is due to the introduction of western ways of living. Heretofore the housing problem has been a simple one. The adobe furnished material both cheap and convenient. Every family had its own little house and court. The door and the hole in the roof were open at all seasons. Even in winter no attempt was made to heat rooms. An open fire, or what might be called a foot warmer—a pan of ashes containing a few red coals—was all.

To make a visit on a Persian in mid-winter, when the snow was falling, was something like taking a sleight ride indoors. The doors and windows were wide open. Host and guest sat on cushions, a wool filled comforter tucked around them, with their feet toward the foot warmer. No boisterous crowd were found in the city streets—they were dark and deserted. No one sat up by artificial light or lay abed when the sun was shining. Now that the comparatively prosperous Armenian and Mohammedans are building houses like ours and trying to heat them with wood stoves and light them with lamps, a change is beginning to take place in all this. Fuel is scarce and expensive, so every crozier for fresh air has been closed, lest any of the precious heat escape. The result as far as health is concerned has been just what might have been expected.—Elizabeth Easton in *Charities and the Commons*.

The old Pennsylvania Dutch Dunkard recommends "Hickory Bark Cough Remedy." Guaranteed to cure your cough, and guaranteed to be pure. Made from the bark of the shell bark or white hickory tree. For sale by dealers everywhere.

The Future of the Pacific.

It is generally conceded, I believe, by the best and most far-sighted minds, that the greatest world trade of the future is to be across the Pacific. For centuries trade centered in the Mediterranean, with the result that the largest and most important cities of that time were formed on the shores of southern Europe and northern Africa.

The discovery of America, then a wilderness centered trade later in the Atlantic, and the most important cities of the world then grew up on the shores of western Europe and eastern America. So the cities of the Pacific coast of America in time will probably be in proportion to the trade across the Pacific, and the trade across an ocean, other things being equal, is in proportion to the number of people who live along its borders.

Today the Pacific coast of the United States has about one-twelfth

as many people as live along the Atlantic seaboard; yet the shores of the Pacific are many times richer in natural resources than are those of the Atlantic. There is hardly any comparison between the sterile hills of New England and the garden valleys of Washington, Oregon and California. California alone is, broadly speaking, two-thirds the size of France, and is easily capable of supporting 20,000,000 people. France supports 40,000,000. Along the lower half of the western sea coast, for hundreds of miles, there is but one world harbor—San Francisco. This fact alone insures to the Golden Gate a city as large as Paris, or even larger. The growth of this city—or of any of the other cities on the Pacific coast, will not be sudden, but it will be in exact proportion to the pressure of population in America, the awakening of Asia—as Japan has awakened—and the development of other Pacific shores.—Chauncey Thomas in *Success Magazine*.

The Other Ox Is Gored.

When a few San Francisco hoodlums tormented a Japanese restaurant keeper and broke a few panes of window glass, the mild-mannered Orientals kicked up an international row over the occurrence. The entire Japanese nation assumed that all America was engaged in the affair, and dire threats of war were heard. It was, of course, very far fetched to make an international affair of the incident, but it has perhaps established a precedent which will lend interest to another outrage. This was the looting of an Indian village on Allak bay, and the incident has just been reported to United States Consul Smith at Victoria. The report as printed in the *Victoria Colonist* says:

"The looters landed from their schooner, which called for water early in the summer, and broke open the houses right and left. All manner of things were dragged from the houses. Some rifles and other personal property of the villagers, including two or three gold watches and other valuables, were carried away. Doors were torn from the hinges, windows broken and other denudations committed. The few old men who remained were too feeble to interfere and the raid went on unhindered. What food there was in the houses was taken, in fact every manner of article considered worthy carrying away was looted."

It was not the Americans that engaged in this looting, and it was not a Japanese village that was looted. Instead it was the crew of a Japanese sealing schooner which had been raiding American sealing preserves in Behring sea. The loss fell heavily on the poor Indians, whose sole means of existence was the earnings of the men of the village during the summer fishing season, in which they were engaged at the time the raid was made. Of course there will be no jingoism or war talk over this outrage because the victims in this case are wards of the United States instead of Japanese. The incident, however, will not be forgotten when Japan sets up another international howl because some of her obstreperous subjects have their feelings hurt on American soil.—Portland Oregonian.

Winter Shoes

Storm Rubbers and Rubber Boots

If you are looking for good winter shoes that will give you good service, come in and see my stock. With every pair of shoes sold I give a pencil box, containing pencils and ruler, free.

Jacob Vogt

345 State Street