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Embroidered Flannels

See display in our Court street window. For the first time in the history of Salem you can have the privilege of selecting from a complete range of patterns at prices much less than you expect.

Stork Sheetting and Diapers

We have them direct from the makers.

Rubber Sheetting

All widths and prices. Sizes 1 to 4. Considered the best on the market.

Infant's Dresses

A full new stock of all sizes and prices.

Velvet Ribbons

New browns, blues, greens and blacks, just received.

New Ostrich and Feather Boas

We received the ones you are waiting for at last. Three-strand ostrich in white, blue, pink and gray.

\$10 to \$19.50

Feather boas in brown, white, pink and blue.

\$3.50 to \$5

New Bearskin Coats

For Children

Another shipment just received. Priced reasonable.

Closing Out Our

Boots

Men's \$2.00 calf boots and extra full stock calf skin boots, sizes 6 and 7, worth \$3.50 and \$4 Boys' calf boots, worth \$2.25, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2

Priced to Close Out

More New Clothing

Our clothing department is growing in popularity every day, because we give better values for less money than any other store.

\$3.98 Long Black Coats for Ladies \$3.98

Just to stir things up we will offer for this week a line of 50 and 52-inch black coats for ladies at \$3.98 each. NOW'S YOUR CHANCE.

Grand Opera House

JOHN F. CORDRAY, Mgr.

Wednesday, Oct. 30

Turn of last season's big success by M. Blossom's Great Racing

Checkers

Story of love and luck. This is only company presenting this

Prices—50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50. Sale at box office Wednesday 9

SLINGER-GRAND

THEATRE

Week Commencing Oct. 28

THE GOULDS COMEDY SKETCH

THE MYSTERIOUS.

ETIETTE RUTH AND ACROBAT.

PICTURES.

ILLUSTRATED SONGS.

J. A. COOPER, Mgr.

"THE THREE OF US."

Best Play and Best Played Play Ever in Salem.

was not an ideal night for attending the theatre, for the first rain of the season was falling, and there was a sloppy condition of sidewalks and lawns, so last night there was a small audience at the Grand Theatre when the curtain went up on the initial scene of "The Three of Us," but from that moment until the end of the play, the audience was one of the best, if not the best ever put upon a Salem stage.

There is not a stilted line or phrase in the play, no silly sentimentalism, no silly suffering woman, no silly complaining and weeping, no weight of woe upon her, no fortune has heaped upon her, and Rhy Macchesney is a warm, fresh and blood girl, both mother and daughter.

Pure minded and sweet as a garden rose, she does not stop to think how her actions may be mis-

construed, and seems to stoop to deceit or falsehood to satisfy social critics, or even her lover. She flings aside all subtleties, does what her heart prompts her to do in the defense of her brothers and herself, and demands and compels of her lover implicit trust and faith.

Rachael Crothers deserves the thanks of all theatre-goers for the creation of so delightful a character. She carved from flawless marble the beautiful figure of a perfect woman, but it remained for Mabel Cameron to breathe upon it until it lived. In the third act, where the man she loved doubted her, and the man who tried to win her love, refused to explain the situation, as he could easily have done, Miss Cameron took the audience by storm. The stillness of the house was almost oppressive as the fascinated spectators, as if feeling an impending tragedy, listened breathless to her scornful rebuke to both her lovers, and when, in a torrent of words, she poured out her hot indignation and utter scorn; when she, with heaving bosom and dilated eyes, hurled at the cowering men her defiance and contempt, and when with the final words: "My honor and my good name are in my own hands, and I will take care of them," swept like a lithe lioness from the room, there was a moment of utter stillness and then a storm of applause broke loose, and broke again and yet again, and would not be appeased even when the uplifting curtain had three times shown the actress who had so moved them. The support was excellent, but Mabel Cameron so dominates all else that one only realizes that there was support. She is great, splendid, magnificent, and makes one feel the utter inadequacy of words to express feelings in trying to write of her.

John P. Barrett Dead.

San Francisco, Oct. 29.—In the death of John P. Barrett, news editor of the Examiner yesterday, the newspaper world of the coast loses one of its most active and brilliant workers. Barrett was a young man of great ability in newspaper work.

To Cure Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

Eugene ministers have declared war on the violations of the local option law in that city.

Napoleon Bonaparte

showed, at the battle of Austerlitz, he was the greatest leader in the world. Ballard's Snow Liniment has shown the public it is the best liniment in the world. A quick cure for Rheumatism, Sprains, Burns, Cuts, etc. A. C. Pitts, Rodessa, La., says: "I used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family and find it unexcelled for sore chest, headache, corns, in fact for anything that can be reached by a liniment." Sold by D. J. Fry.

All but one-half block of Salem streets have resumed their normal condition.

A Criminal Attack.

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels; 25c. at J. C. Perry's drug store.

A movement is starting up to pave Court street to Nineteenth. It will be the most beautiful boulevard in the state.

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.

Colonist Rates in Effect Until October 31.

The extremely low rates from all Eastern points to Oregon are still in effect until October 31. Any one wishing to take advantage of the low rates can save time and money by calling on our local agent, O. L. Darling, and secure prepaid orders on any agent in the United States.

From Missouri river common points, \$25.00.
From St. Louis, \$30.00.
From Chicago, \$33.00.
From Washington, D. C., \$48.25.
WM. McMURRAY,
10-17-12t G. P. A. S. P. Co.

TELLS US HOW TO MAKE IT

Directions to Make the Best Kidney Remedy Right At Home

To make up enough of the "Dandelion treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore weak bladder and rheumatism; get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, once ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties almost instantly. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

A well-known local druggist, who is in a position to know, asserts that this prescription, wherever it becomes known, always ruins the sale of the numerous patent medicine rheumatism cures, kidney cures, etc. It is a recipe which the majority of patent medicine manufacturers, and even certain physicians dislike to see published. Few cases, indeed, which will fail to fully yield to its peculiarly soothing and healing influence. Being composed of common everyday ingredients, which can be had from any druggist, it makes up a good, honest and harmless remedy and at nominal cost.

Improving the Avenue.

A new electric light is to be strung on Asylum avenue. The employees in a very enterprising manner raised the money to pay for installation. Now there is a movement to get the people on that street some fire protection. There is not a hydrant on the street, and as a matter of fact no fire protection. Property is advancing all along the street, and hydrants would be the proper caper.

TEA

You can have it good you want to.
Or bad if you don't take care.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him

PUBLIC UTILITIES CHARTER

(Continued from page one.)

Popular Loan Plan.

The bonds issued under the provisions of this article shall be payable in gold coin of the United States, and shall be issued in denominations not less than \$25, and not greater than \$1000 upon a popular loan plan at a rate of interest not to exceed 4 per cent per annum: Provided, that all bonds remaining unsold at the end of the year, when the subscription books for the sale thereof shall have been duly closed, shall be sold upon the open market at par to the highest and best bidder, bidding for all of said bonds so remaining unsold as aforesaid.

Exempt From Taxation.

The bonds so issued shall be exempt from all taxation for municipal purposes, and among equal bidders, preference in the sale and allotment thereof shall be given to the bidders residing in the city of Salem and state of Oregon for the smallest amounts and lowest denominations in due sequence: Provided, that the council may grant and allow the use of streets and alleys of the city to any person, company, or corporation who may desire to establish works for supplying the city and inhabitants thereof with such water or light upon such terms and conditions as the council may prescribe.

Duration and Compensation.
Section 65. No franchise, lease or

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Only 35 cents per bushel for fancy clean cheat seed, while it lasts.

Put in your order quick.

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right to use the water front, ferries, wharf property, land under water, public landings, wharves, docks, highways, bridges, avenues, streets, alleys, lanes, parks or any other public place, either on, through, across, under or over the same, nor other franchise, shall be granted by the city to any private corporation, association or individual except as in this charter otherwise provided, for a longer period than 25 years nor without fair compensation to the city therefor, and in addition to the other forms of compensation to be there-in provided the grantee may be required to pay annually to the city such percentage of the gross receipts arising from the use of such franchise and of the plant used therewith as may be fixed in the grant of said franchise. Every grant of a franchise shall fix the amount and manner of the payment of the compensation to be paid by the grantee for the use of the same and no other compensation of any kind shall be exacted for such use during the life of the franchise, but this provision shall not exempt the grantee from any lawful taxation upon his or its property, nor from any licenses, charges or impositions not levied on account of such use.

Franchises—Acquiring of by City.

Section 66. If by virtue of the terms of any grant or franchise and as set out in section 65 of this charter any plant or property shall become the property of the city of Salem the city shall have the option at any time then or thereafter either to take and operate the same on its own account, or to lease the same or any part thereof together with the franchise or right to use the highways, avenues, streets, lanes and alleys or other public property in connection therewith for periods not exceeding 25 years under such rules and regulations as it may prescribe, or to sell the same to the highest bidder at public sale.

No Franchise Monopoly.

If on the other hand the city of Salem shall elect that it will not acquire the plant and property so valued, and application be made by some corporation, association or individual other than the holder of the expiring franchise for a franchise in lieu of the expiring franchise, and the corporation, association or individual holding said expiring franchise desire and make application for a new franchise in lieu of the franchise so expiring, and a new franchise in lieu of such expiring franchise is granted, such new franchise shall be granted to the corporation, association or individual holding such expiring franchise at the compensation fixed to be paid the city therefor, unless such other application therefor shall in addition to the compensation to be paid the city for such franchise pay to the city in trust for the holder of such expiring franchise the fair and equitable valuation made of the plant and property of the holder of such expiring franchise on, in above or under the streets, avenues and other public places of the city, excluding therefrom in arriving at such valuation, any value derived from franchises or rights.

Arbitration Provided For.

The valuation herein provided for shall be fixed by arbitrators, one to be appointed by the owner of the expiring franchise, and the other by the council, and in case of a failure of said arbitrators shall elect an umpire, and in case of a failure of said owner of said expiring franchise to select an arbitrator or of a failure of said arbitrators in a reasonable time to select an umpire, then the council shall appoint both such arbitrators and umpire, and the decision of a majority of such arbitrators shall be final and binding as to the valuation aforesaid.

J. A. Sellwood is in Portland on business.

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.

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Without Pain, Cutting or Surgery—Instant Relief.

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There is just one other sure way to be cured—painless, safe and in the privacy of your own home—it is Pyramid Pile Cure.

We mail a trial package free to all who write.

It will give you instant relief, show you the harmless, painless nature of this great remedy and start you well on the way toward a perfect cure.

Then you can get a full-sized box from any druggist for 50 cents, and often one box cures.

If the druggist tries to sell you something just as good, it is because he makes more money on the substitute.

Insist on having what you call for.

The cure begins at once and continues rapidly until it is complete and permanent.

You can go right ahead with your work and be easy and comfortable all the time.

It is well worth trying.

Just send your name and address to Pyramid Drug Co., 95 Pyramid Building, Marshall, Mich., and receive free by return mail the trial package in a plain wrapper.

Thousands have been cured in this easy, painless and inexpensive way, in the privacy of the home.

No knife and its torture.

No doctor and his bills.

All druggists, 50 cents. Write today for a free package.

Simpson-McDonald.

County Clerk Allen yesterday issued a marriage license to Otto G. Simpson of Alirle, aged 22, and Adae McDonald of Woodburn, aged 22; V. C. Bradeson, witness.

Julius Caesar

was a man of nerve—but sickness left its mark and he became aged before his time. Sickness is often caused by a torped liver. Herblin will regulate your liver and give you health. Mrs. Carrie Austin, Hollon, Kan., writes: "I consider Herblin the best medicine I ever heard of. I am never without it." Sold by D. J. Fry.

Appointed Administrator.

County Judge Scott has appointed Ernest Martin administrator of the estate of L. J. Martin, deceased, with bonds fixed at \$3000. John H. Farrar, Louis Steelhammer and Silas Fletcher have been appointed appraisers of the estate.

Specialists are going back to nature's remedies as being the best. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has been nature's remedy for thirty years. Recommended and used by specialists. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. For sale at Dr. Stone's store.

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