

# J. L. STOCKTON

The Old White Corner

Just like a scholar in school, ambitious to get to the head of the class, we have toiled and studied until now we are confident that this store surpasses all others as a value-giving concern. The new goods for Fall have been purchased with a view of pleasing our customers; we have studied their tastes and profited by it.

The man who tries is bound to succeed. And any one who has ever visited this store knows full well that the salespeople tried to please them, and even though they did not buy, the management got an idea from the visit and has tried to profit by it.



### New Suits

Another shipment of the famous "La Vogue" Suits has just arrived. The styles and patterns are very attractive.

**\$15 to \$60.**

### New Fur Scarfs \$2

A fine assortment of fur neck scarfs, in the new styles. They look like \$5.00 values.

### Gordon Hats

For Particular Fellows

**\$3.00**



### \$1.25 Petticoats

50 dozen black satine and percaline petticoats, also imitation taffetas, the best values we have ever owned.

Real Hygrade Heather-bloom Petticoats—

**\$1.68**

A good line to select from Hygrade Heatherbloom Petticoats in better styles.

**\$2.25 to \$3.50**

This line includes every wanted color from black to white.

### Silk Petticoats

Those famous Waterloo Underskirts are here, in all colors, including black and white.

**\$5.00 to \$20.00**

### New Coats

Long Coats with fitted backs and princess styles, lined with satin. Excellent values.

**\$12.50 to \$35**

### Fur Sets, Scarfs and Muffs

**\$5.00**

Brown fur trimmed with heads claws.

### Barry Shoes

For Men Who Care

**\$4, \$5**

## Knit Shawls

50c to \$5

The heavy knit shawls in squares, woven in all the new patterns, plain white, cream, black, gray and mixed colors, shaded pinks and blues.

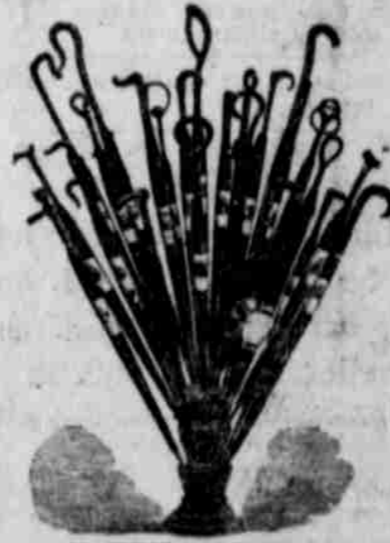
The Different Kinds

## 60c Umbrellas

Two hundred umbrellas made of twilled Cosola and cotton taffeta. Fancy handles in endless variety of patterns, such as you usually get on the \$1.00 kinds.

Our Special Price

**60c**



# AUTO ROAD TO CRATOR LAKE

## Road Commission Meets and Selects Its Officers—Auto-Mobile Highway May Cost \$500,000—Congress to Bear Half

A Medford special says: Dr. J. E. Reddy returned from Portland Wednesday morning and brought with him the cheering news that the Crater lake road commission appointed a few weeks ago by Governor Chamberlain had held a meeting in Portland and effected organization. A second meeting is to be held in Medford September 24. The following is a report of the meeting Tuesday as it appears in the Oregon Journal:

To hold a joint meeting with the Oregon Good Roads association together with the officials of the Jackson and Klamath counties for the purpose of devising ways and means to build the wagon road to Crater lake in southern Oregon was decided upon by the members of the commission appointed some time ago by Governor Chamberlain at a meeting this morning. The meeting will be held in Medford, September 24.

The road will cost in the neighborhood of half a million dollars. Of this amount the commission members believe that congress will come through with \$200,000 or perhaps \$250,000. It is believed that the state of Oregon will contribute \$150,000 for the road and that Jackson and Klamath counties and the towns and other interests in southern Oregon which will be benefited to a large amount will subscribe willingly to a large amount. All told this will aggregate \$200,000 or more, and it is thought the government will make up the balance necessary. Crater lake itself is within a government reservation and on this account the government officials will likely look upon the proposition with favor.

At a meeting of the commission yesterday the following officers were elected: C. S. Jackson, Portland, president; Geo. T. Baldwin, Klamath Falls, vice president; T. B. Wilcox, Portland, treasurer; Will G. Steel, Portland, secretary. Those who attended the meeting in addition to those elected to officerships were Judge J. H. Scott, of Salem, and Mayor Reddy and W. L. Vawter of Medford.

## Special Announcement

# Ye Liberty, ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAM....

Monday, Wednesday and Friday

Ladies' and Children's Matinee 3 O'clock Wednesday and Saturday—Doors Open Evenings from 7 to 11 p. m. Admission 10c. Seats Free.

# "OREGON," BUILDERS

ARE YOU DOING WHAT YOU CAN TO POPULATE YOUR STATE? OREGON NEEDS PEOPLE—Settlers, honest farmers, mechanics, merchants, clerks, people with brains, strong hands and a willing heart—capital or no capital.

## Southern Pacific Co. Lines in Oregon

is sending tons of Oregon literature to the East for distribution through every available agency. Will you not help the good work of building Oregon by sending us the names and address of your friends who are likely to be interested in this state? We will be glad to bear the expense of sending them complete information about OREGON and its opportunities.

**COLONIST TICKETS** will be on sale during SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER from the East to all points in Oregon. The fare from a few principal cities are:

From Denver	\$30.00	From Louisville	\$41.75
" Omaha	30.00	" Cincinnati	42.20
" Kansas City	30.00	" Cleveland	44.75
" St. Louis	35.50	" New York	65.00
" Chicago	35.00		

**TICKETS CAN BE PREPAID.** If you want to bring a friend or relative to Oregon deposit the proper amount with any of our agents. The ticket will then be furnished by telegraph.

Local agent, Salem.

WM. M. MURRAY, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon.

### ARMY RIFLE ACCIDENT ON THE NEHALEM RIVER

Louis Larson Loses Left Eye by Explosion of a Rifle Cartridge.

Astoria special: Yesterday afternoon at an early hour Louis Larson, a cousin of J. C. Rierson, of the Nehalem, and an employe on that gentleman's farm, arrived in this city with his left eye gone as the result of a bad accident in the woods near his home on Wednesday evening last. Young Larson, who is but 24 years of age, was out hunting, and in loading his rifle did not securely close the bolt, and when the hammer fell the cartridge exploded through the bolt and caught his left eye full with the charge, knocking that member completely.

Mr. Larson was unable to get to his home on the farm even though the doctors of the hospital there were several small children in his care aside from the home interests, but he was counseled by the physician to abandon the place to the custody of the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Rierson, a lad of 16 years, and seek medical assistance. He immediately ordered him to Portland for treatment, and he left up on the evening train.

### BANDON MILLS GET BIG ORDER

(Bandon Record.) This week the Bandon Woolen Mill started an \$50,000 order for a Detroit firm and the mill will be run at full capacity until it is completed. Manager Reddick stated to a representative of this paper Wednesday that it might be necessary to run at a high rate of the time so that this large order, together with other smaller ones, might be finished by June 1, 1909. The woolen mill has enough orders ahead to keep it running at full blast for a year at least. In the case, as they appear to be at present, there will soon be sufficient work to warrant the enlargement of the present plant. The local mill can weave cloth of the finest quality as was demonstrated by the fair, and the work is so excellent that the demand for the finished product is continually increasing.

Manager Reddick is very sanguine over the outlook for future business for the woolen mills and is much encouraged with the past record and the future prospects.

### NEW COMMERCIAL CLUB FOR PENDLETON

Already the movement for the revival of the Commercial association is underway, says the East Oregonian, and if the right support is only given it will not be many months until Pendleton will have a commercial club which it will be proud.

"I read the editorial in the East Oregonian last night and it was all true," said President Alexander of the association this morning.

"But the Commercial association is not going to die," he continued. "Pendleton cannot do without a commercial club. During the past eight or 10 months the association has done more than in the past. We had some splendid meetings there last spring and the meeting last Saturday was a fine one."

But the club rooms themselves are a disgrace. It is not right to ask visitors to go there, the rooms are so dirty and the furniture so poor. We must have a revival at once and remodel the rooms so as to make it a nice place.

It is now the intention of President Alexander to commence immediately upon the plans for reviving the association, for making it a new club throughout. His plan is to revise the membership list and to charge each member an initiation fee of \$5 or \$10. In this way a sum ranging from \$1000 to \$3000 can be raised and the money will be used for remodeling the refurnishing the rooms from one end to the other.

Whether or not the association shall retain its present quarters is a matter to be decided later. The present rooms will either be wholly remodeled or else a new location secured. The upper story of the association block has been suggested as a possible location for the revived club, provided the owners will make the necessary alterations in the rooms. That location would furnish the association with ample room for its various departments.

It is now the intention to move the association library to the city hall building when that structure is completed. Consequently some change will then have to be made in the present rooms and it is urged that the quarters be remodeled throughout or else a new location secured.

Already Mr. Alexander has been promised good support in the movement to revive the association and if business men and local citizens generally will help the scheme will be successful.

### FIGHT OVER SANTIAM WATER AT LEBANON

The Lebanon Paper company has filed an injunction suit against the Lebanon Lumber company to enjoin the latter from diverting the water from the Santiam into the new mill reservoir. The paper company claim the sawmill people are diverting the water from its natural course and the making of the reservoir will change the channel of the river to the irreparable injury of the paper mill.

The sawmill company has purchased a tract of land at the head of the old slough above the Kellenberger & Mayer slaughter house which was intended to be used as a mill pond for saw logs. Work has been begun on cleaning out the old slough and boom made to hold a large supply of logs and thus not use the canal for boom purposes. The paper mill people claim that by turning the waters into this old channel will change present course of the river. The mouth of the old channel is at the head of the Albany ditch which also supplies the paper mill with water and a water course for the floating of their wood to the mill. They claim the changing of the channel would turn the entire Santiam course into the mill canal and injure the plant valued at several hundred thousand dollars.

The matter will very likely be long drawn out litigation and will be a hard question for the court to settle.

### MT. ANGEL FLORAL EXHIBIT WAS HIGHLY COMMENDED

While not competing for premiums, the Mt. Angel exhibit of rare plants and flowers was highly commended by Supt. Savage and the Judges. The honorable mention was highly deserved as this was the first showing by the college conservatory, and the florist, Adelhelm Wyrach, promises to be on hand next year with a larger display and finer grown plants, although what he had this year, while lacking in the required number of specimens to complete, was far ahead of many that were awarded premiums. Visitors to Mt. Angel are invited to look up the college greenhouses, and they will find a large collection of rare and beautiful house and decorative plants.

Rev. J. H. Moore, pastor of the Christian church at Taylor's Bluffs, Pa. has been forced to resign for mentioning powder puff as being a bad for morals as playing cards.

Predictions are made that mining districts in the Philippines will prove as rich as those in Alaska.

### DOG TRIAL MEET AT INDEPENDENCE

The inaugural meet of the Oregon Field Trial club will be held in the Independence country week after next for which E. A. Parsons, secretary of the club, was here Saturday arranging the preliminaries.

These trials will no doubt bring a great many visitors to Independence. Several parties are coming from California, British Columbia and Washington, as well as one or two parties from Detroit, Michigan and Chicago, Illinois. The trials will consist of two events; a derby and an all-age stake. There have been sixteen entries in the derby and nineteen in the all-age. These dogs are now in the hands of trainers who have located near Harrisburg to prepare them for the trial. The object of the trials is to promote interest and enthusiasm in high class bird dogs, also to treat and protect one of the richest resources of the state of Oregon—Monte-golian pheasants. During these trials there are no guns permitted in the party and absolutely no birds will be killed, as the preservation of the birds is desired, not the destruction of them. Several of the dogs entered have already been in trials in Oklahoma, North Dakota and Manitoba. A cordial invitation is extended to all to witness these trials. Parties desiring to attend should bring their rigs or they can secure conveyances at the hotel by paying the same rate charged members of the club. The field trial party will leave the hotel at 7 a. m. sharp Thursday, September 24.—West Side Enterprise.

### FIRM INSURED AGAINST DEATH OF PARTNER

(United Press Special Wire.) New York, Sept. 22.—Frank T. Hoffelinger and Frederick B. Wells, president and vice-president of the Minneapolis firm of F. H. Peavy & Company, grain elevator owners, are today among the most heavily insured persons in the world, having taken out policies to the extent of \$500,000 each. In both cases the insurance is in favor of the firm.

Of the million dollar insurance \$150,000 was written by the Provident Life & Trust Company of Philadelphia, the balance standing against the Equitable Life Association.

The troubles of the Nehalem Coal Company, at Astoria, which has been principally caused by a dispute over canceled stock, are at an end, a compromise having been effected by the stockholders.