

Today Only

The Big Store offers at its 429th Wednesday Bargain Surprise Sale, 15 cases of full-weight, quilt size, 72x84, Cotton Batts that are well worth 75c each. Every one is made of carefully selected, clean, sanitary cotton; on sale at 8:39 while they last at the small price of

47c each

Deliveries made to all parts of the City.



Tailored Suits and Fancy Gowns

You'll find on sale in our large ready-to-wear section Spring and Summer Suits, Evening and Afternoon Gowns and costumes, tailored in the new empire and princess effects in all the wanted shades, also fancy silk waists, walking skirts, pleated and plain gored, at special reduced prices.

HEMINWAY'S SPOOL SILK, warranted 100 yards, black, white and colors 5c Spool

Millinery Reduced 25 Per Cent

Tomorrow only the Millinery Section offers any hat in the department at 25 per cent off regular selling price. TODAY ONLY. McNeel Sisters—Second Floor

H. W. & M. L. Meyers
GOOD GOODS

CITY NEWS

Weather Forecast—Showers tonight, Thursday probably fair and warmer.

Zinn's Chocolate Creams—And ice cream at Zinn's. 27-21

Cottage Undertaking Parlor—Cottage and Chemeketa sts.; calls day or night; J. C. Sill. Phone 724.

Notaries Appointed—N. J. Judah, Astoria; Melmus W. Thompson, Eugene; Porter J. Neff, Medford; Robert Macgill, Portland.

Rummage Sale—The ladies of the First Congregational church have started a rummage sale at 328 North Commercial street. Any one having rummage will please send to the above address or phone 866.

Notice—The management of the Cottage Undertaking Parlor wishes to state to the public that they make no charge for use of hearse and embalming, making a saving of from \$20 to \$40 on the cost of funeral. J. C. Sill. 4-27-31

Fruit Tracts—Five and ten-acre tracts on the Oregon Electric railroad, monthly installments. See Derby & Willson. 4-14-31

Chocolates and Bon Buns—At Buckingham's Palace of Sweets, Red Cross Pharmacy. 4-3-31

Fine Maple and Ash Wood—For sale, cheap, for immediate delivery. Apply Krebs Bros., Bush-Bryman building. Telephone Main 724. 2-13-31

Just Received—Direct from the growers in Pennsylvania, a large shipment of pure maple sugar and syrup. We guarantee it to be absolutely pure. Damon & Foster. 4-26-31

This Means Dollars—To you. Two of the greatest inventions of modern times on exhibition in Dorcas Bros. Shop Office. Greater money maker than telephone. Call and see them; free demonstration. 2-31-31

Notice to Public—The city ordinance providing that every pole situated in the city shall be painted, is going to be enforced by the city officials, and parties having poles are requested to attend to the matter at once. By order of Chief of Police. 4-18-31

Try Crystals—For the breath. For sale at: Meyer's barber shop, Ricketts's, Waters' cigar store, Adolph's cigar store, Dick Madison's, The Spa, Williamson Hotel, The Conch, Takington's.

Fresh Strawberries—Are the best; try them Zinn's. 4-27-31

Doors and Windows—We just received a carload of doors and windows, and can fill orders promptly and at right prices. Vogel Lumber Co., South 14th street. 4-24-1w

Had to Come Back—Tommy Fromader, formerly a Salem young man, but of late being employed in San Francisco, arrived this morning from the Bay City, and will visit his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Fromader for a few weeks. Tommy has been engaged in one of the big department stores in "Frisco."

Just a Marriage License—County Clerk Allen again took on the broad smile this morning, owing to a young man standing by the counter fondly eyeing the marriage records. The result of this young man's evident desire was that County Clerk Allen issued a marriage license to him. The lucky man was George M. Elgin, aged 37, of Grand Ronde, and his bride-to-be was Miss Mabel E. Cleveland, age 21, of Salem. George is a brother of Charles Elgin, the good-natured deputy city recorder. Now, don't say anything about watches.

Kick at O. R. & N.—A complaint has been filed with the Railroad Commission by the Enterprise Commercial Club, which alleges that the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company are charging too much for shipments over their line running from La Grande to Elgin and Enterprise, Oregon. The complaint states that the railroad company has a through rate from Baker City to La Grande, but on their branch line from La Grande to Elgin the rate charges.

When Thirsty Go to Zinn's—For a good lemonade. 4-27-31

Notice to Public—The Cottage Undertaking Parlor has a new process of embalming without the use of instruments or mutilations of body by the chemical process of absorption. The Cottage Undertaking Parlor also furnishes a fine black broadcloth or any colored plush casket, including new burial robe, free use of private chapel, hearse, embalming, and one carriage for the mourners, and furthermore up-to-date service, all for \$75, making a saving of from \$20 to \$30, under other funeral directors' prices. We mean to do as above stated, and are here to back up our promise. We still have chamber caskets if wanted, black velvet caskets, including burial robe, free use of hearse and embalming as low as \$15.00. Our place and method of doing business is up to date and we don't hesitate to say that our place is the most up to date on the Pacific coast, having some "Cottage Undertaking Parlor," 291 N. Cottage Street, Phone 724. 4-27-31 mo

Every farmer can be his own weather prophet. If he will keep his tools under the shed, and his stock in the stable during bad nights.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS CONVE

The state Sunday school convention will hold its first session this evening. Large numbers of delegates from all over the state have been arriving for the past two days and interesting sessions are expected.

The program for this evening is as follows:

- 7:30—Service of song, Convention Leader D. T. Thomas.
- Opening prayer, Rev. Davis Errett, Salem, ex-committee member.
- 8:00—"We Are Glad You Came"
1. Hon. A. M. Crawford, attorney general of Oregon, representing Governor Benson.
2. Mayor Rodgers of Salem, in behalf of the city.
3. Rev. Philip Bauer, for Ministerial Association of Salem.
- "We Are Glad to Be Here"
1. Mr. A. A. Morse, vice president, Portland.
2. Mrs. Stephen A. Lowell, vice president, Pendleton.
3. Mr. Geo. F. Billings, vice president, Ashland.

Special music.
8:40—Address, "Recent Progress in Sunday School Work," Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner of Chicago. Committee on arrangements, Benediction.

BRYAN MAKES BID FOR PROH VOTE

[United Press Licensed Wire.] Lincoln, Neb., April 28.—Today's issue of William J. Bryan's Commonwealth upon congress the advisability of enacting legislation forbidding the issuance of federal liquor licenses in prohibition states and communities. The plea has the enthusiastic support of the prohibition element of this city and state.

DECIDES AGAINST JOHN A. BENSON

[United Press Licensed Wire.] Washington, April 28.—Judge Gould today denied the motion of the defense of John A. Benson, of San Francisco, to be acquitted of charges of having bribed clerks in the government land office, without the case being placed in the hands of the jury. The court held that the jury must decide the case upon its merits.

Gould held that it is for the jury to say whether the \$500 paid land office employees by Benson was for past services or for divulging secrets of the government.

ALL KINDS OF MUSCLE IN A BIG TUSSE

A great tusseling match is expected tomorrow night when the young braves from the Chemawa Indian Training School meet the students from the Corvallis Agricultural College on the stage of the Grand opera house. Although the wrestlers representing both institutions are far from being professional, several of catch-as-catch-can sport, several active and intelligent wrestlers will compete. The Chemawa men have been training considerably of late, and have all kinds of confidence, and think they also have the muscle.

FOOL DUTCHMAN MARRIES ANOTHER FOOL

Paris, April 28.—Miss Marie White, daughter of Henry White, American ambassador to France, was married today to Count Hermann Scherr-Thoss. The ceremony was performed in the Mairie of the Eighth Arrondissement by Major Roger Allen.

The civil ceremony was witnessed by all the members of the immediate families of the bride and groom, with the exception of Mrs. White, who was reported to be too ill to attend. Wedding gifts valued at thousands of dollars were received.

TAFT MAKES SOME NOMINATIONS

Washington, April 28.—President Taft today made the following nominations to the senate:
United States district judge for Hawaii, George W. Woodruff of Pennsylvania; associate justice supreme court, Hawaii, Antonio Perry of Hawaii; second judge, first district, Hawaii, William L. Whitney, of Hawaii; chaplain, with rank of major, John A. Randolph, Sixth infantry, postmaster, Dunsmuir, Cal.; Manson M. Cochran.

UNCLE SAM SALUTES THE NEW SULTAN

Washington, April 28.—The United States will immediately recognize Reuch as the lawful sultan of Turkey, according to an announcement made at the state department here today. A formal notification of the de-thronement of Abdul Hamid was received here today from John G. A. Lohman, American ambassador to Turkey.

OIL BARGE WILL POUND TO PIECES

Sacramento, April 28.—Hopes of floating the oil barge Reddyck Dike, which is stranded on the rocks off Napa Barge, was abandoned today. The barge will probably pound to pieces on the rocks and be a total loss.

Wrecking steamers and tugs which were sent to the scene of the wreck to attempt to float the Dike have returned to this city, deciding that the case is hopeless.

Y. M. C. A. SOLVES THE STORY OF APRIL 27

The minstrel show given last night by the Y. M. C. A. attracted a large audience, and scored a distinct success, as indicated by the continuous and hearty applause that followed each number and the frequent encores.

The program was a long one, but it had been carefully staged and rehearsed, and was gracefully rendered, and laid a strong foundation for its repetition on another occasion.

The musical portion of the entertainment was singularly pleasing, in both vocal and instrumental features.

As indicating the possibilities in physical development, the trapeze work of Physical Director Charles Carter, of the Y. M. C. A., was a revelation. The comedy sketch "A Busy Day in the Studio" also caught on well, and was rewarded with much laughter and applause.

To make any comment on the special features of the entertainment would exhaust all the Journal's space, and much of the reader's patience, for it was all so good that any special mention would be detrimental to the other things just as good.

THE AFTERMATH OF ATTEMPTED ROBBERY

A J. Smith, the man who made the foolhardy attempt at holding up the jewelry store of Chas. H. Hinges yesterday near noon, was arraigned before Judge Wiley A. Moores, ex-officio justice of the peace, and after Deputy District Attorney C. L. McNary had read over the indictment charging him with the crime of assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to kill and rob, Smith asked for time in which to plead, saying he wished to find out what he actually did yesterday. He was then placed back in the city jail to appear again tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The law in this case carries severe punishment and takes in three points on which cases of this kind can be prosecuted. In the first, place the assault with a dangerous weapon is to be considered, second, his intent to kill, he being within reasonable distance of his victims, and the third his attempt at robbery. The punishment for a crime of this character is not less than five years in the penitentiary nor more than 20.

Smith was nervous last night, but when brought before the court this morning he appeared composed and appeared not to know what he had been doing or where his crime was committed.

The two men who captured Smith after he ran from the store, T. H. Wilhelm and E. Taylor, received a reward of \$50 each for their efforts, this amount being paid by the Jewelers' Security Alliance.

Real Estate Transfers.

A. and C. Snyder to J. and H. Eltere, 59.44 acres in section 24, T. 6 S., R. 3 W., W. d. \$4794.

A. and C. Snyder to C. A. and E. Golze, 9 1/2 acres in T. 6 S., R. 3 W., W. d. \$950.

W. D. Matthews to C. F. and R. J. Scofield, land in T. 9 S., R. 2 W., W. d. \$650.

Theresa Wehling to W. S. Reynolds, lots 2 and 4, in Waldo Hills fruit farm, tract No. 3, W. d. \$2890.

G. W. and A. Needham to D. J. Fry, part of block 13, in the city of Salem, W. d. \$100.

Sophia Englehorn to J. R. and E. M. Wilcox, lot 3 in block 1, in Elwell's add to Woodburn, W. d. \$950.

O. H. Rosenbaum to G. W. Jones, lot 4, in block 6, Southwest add to Salem, W. d. \$900.

J. W. Harritt, et ux., to L. M. Purvine, et ux., lot 1 in blk 2, University add to Salem, W. d. \$190.

H. H. Smith, et al., to Luis Prunk, et ux., lots 4 and 6, in block 1, Willamette add to Salem, W. d. \$200.

F. J. Lady, et ux., to A. F. Hofer, et ux., land in T. 7 S., R. 3 W., W. d. \$10.

M. and F. Chapelle to M. B. Minde, land in Marion county, W. d. \$30.

C. G. and E. Pliny to A. M. Laske, land in Marion county, W. d. \$400.

Edith Golden, et al., to Carl Ziecke, et ux., lot 3, in blk 6 Southwest addition to Salem, W. d. \$1100.

J. W. Elwell to T. Bogard, lot 3, blk 1, Elwell's add to Woodburn, W. d. \$150.

The Donald Town Lot & Land Co. to Clara E. Vandandique, lot 1, blk 2, in town of Donald, \$55.

Agnes Yergen to John Pugh, 62.26 acres in T. 4 S., R. 1 W., W. d. \$1860.

J. J. Wilson, et ux., to S. G. and S. Smith, 221.58 acres, in T. 10 S., R. 2 W., W. d. \$2500.

H. H. Smith, et al., to Mrs. M. E. Pugh, lot 5, blk 1, in Willamette add to Salem, W. d. \$10.

H. and M. E. Hawk to J. F. Harp, lots 3 and 4, blk 2, in Walnut Grove add to Salem, W. d. \$600.

J. L. Coombs, et ux., to E. A. Sharp, land in T. 7 S., R. 2 W., W. d. \$100.

R. S. Marshall, et ux., to Clyde T. Bonner, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, blk 5, city of Gervais, W. d. \$450.

Capital Lumbering Co. to C. K. Seabright Lumbering Co., land in Marion county, W. d. \$10.

Frightful Fate Averted.

"I would have been a cripple for life from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Strawberry, Reddick, Minn., "without Backlund's Arnica Salve, which soon cured me." "I fell into the sawed logs and brush, and saw my knee, Burns, Scalds, Old Sores, Blisters, Skin Eruptions, Wounds, cuts, etc., cured by J. C. Perry's Arnica Salve for Dysentery and Indigestion taken occasionally will soon relieve you of all the simple stomach ailments that you now have, but which may be more serious later. Sold by all druggists."

Here Is An Opportunity For You Mr. Homeseeker

160 acres, 3 1/4 miles from Newport, Oregon, on Yaquina Bay. It can be said without fear of contradiction that nowhere in Oregon is the climate so mild as on Yaquina Bay. Ten acres under plow, young orchard, 40 to 50 trees, good 6-room house 24x30; woodshed 12x14, root house 12x16, warehouse 12x14, split board barn 40x50; 3,000,000 fir, 1,000,000 alder timber; fir timber mostly second growth; \$2750.

LEE WILLIAMS
Newport, Ore. Inquire at Journal Office

J. C. SILL AND THE NEW PROCESS OF EMBALMING

The old and well-known Cincinnati College of Embalming, headed by Prof. J. H. Clarke, the master and father of embalming colleges in the United States, has just recently issued to J. C. Sill, manager of the Cottage Undertaking Parlor, of Salem, Or., one of their new diplomas on embalming, without the use of instruments; simply by a chemical process of absorption. This is a new system, and should be appreciated by the many bereaved families compelled to call on the undertaker for his services, to know that their dear ones can be handled by an experienced embalmer with modern ideas and modern methods, instead of the crude arrangements of the long ago. We understand from the management of the Cottage Undertaking Parlor that their prices are at least one-half less than other undertakers' prices, judging from the appearance and surroundings and the large and up-to-date stock of funeral goods the above firm has on hand. They have come here to stay, and make good their promise to the people.

SEVENTH WARD LEAGUE ALSO GETS BUSY

The Seventh Ward Improvement League met last night at Townsend's hall, and, among other things, organized a volunteer fire company. The committee on street improvements filed a report recommending the improvement of Miller street at once.

The committee on Lincoln school grounds recommended the laying of a walk around the grounds. Flowers and shrubbery were donated by the ladies of the district.

SOMEBODY WILL SPANK LITTLE WILLIE

A 15-year-old youth on Court street not far from the court house has devised a brand new device for the annoyance of pedestrians and the edification of his mamma, who has a weird conception of humor. Armed with a garden hose the merry lad, ostensibly sprinkling the lawn, turns the water up into the heavy foliaged trees over the sidewalk, thus keeping a steady down-pour on the walk. The pedestrians have to take to the street, crossing the parked border between the walk and the curb. The sweet child thoughtfully wets this first and the peripatetic citizen spoils his shine and the suffragette bedraggles her skirts. All this to the radiant merriment of his mother in the window.

If a number of muttered curses mean anything there is likely to be a record spanking pulled off in the vicinity soon, and the observant servant who chances to be there when correction overtakes the nuisance will be able to see whether mamma's smile is the storied grin that "won't come off," or whether the deserved spanking is of the same kind. It should be posted on.

A PLEASANT LITTLE SOCIAL GATHERING

On Saturday afternoon of last week the ladies of the G. A. R. and a number of veterans of the Civil War met at the home of J. R. Neer, on the fair grounds road.

It was one of those social gatherings tending to strengthen the cordially existing in this organization. There was every indication of enjoyment on the part of the ladies in the interchange of thought on matters of general interest, and the "Old Boys," in relating their experiences in connection with the great struggle for the nation's existence, carried us back in thought to the time when the all-absorbing question was the life of our country.

Got a Life Job.

[United Press Licensed Wire.] Irvine, Ky., April 28.—Beach Harris was found guilty today the murder of his father, Judge James Harris, the famous feudist, and sentenced to life imprisonment.

DR. H. S. STONE, D. C.

Chiropractor
Spine and Nerve Specialist
Rooms 4-5-6 B. Army Building
Phone Main 87. Salem, Or.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Julia Harper returned to their home in Portland this morning after a week's visit here. Jay H. Steinberg left this morning for Portland, to look after business matters for a few days.

Frank Bell returns today from a week's fishing trip at Elkhorn. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schultz left today for Albany to visit friends and relatives for the remainder of the week.

Wm. Allen, of Silverton, was looking after business matters here today, returning to Silverton this afternoon.

J. J. Patterson, a prominent real estate dealer of Seattle, is in the city looking about. Mr. Patterson is thinking of making a few purchases before returning to Seattle.

Miss Helen Achison has returned to her home here after visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry McCormbs, of Grants Pass, for the past week.

C. A. Whale, of Portland, returned to his home today, after attending to legal business here.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Baker City—James R. Ruggles and family, Thomas Bush. Gervais—O. B. Murphy and wife, Seattle—Robert Holmes. Mills City—William Turner, P. J. Keets.

Roseburg—Mrs. Clara Willingham D. R. Worth.

Tacoma—Mrs. Al Smith.

Tillamook—Robert Hensley and wife.

Chico, Cal.—Enos I. McAllister and family.

Portland—A. A. Dickson, Samuel Hobart and wife, Mrs. Ruby Welch, Carl Plutner, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conaway, T. H. Beach and wife, Roseburg—A. L. Cauffman.

Norwich Union Fire Insurance Company

Frank Meredith, Resident Agent
Room 13, Ladd & Bush, Bank Building.

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Over Ladd & Bush's Bank, Salem, Or.

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tuning, polishing, repairing. Ph#608

NEW TODAY

For Rent—3 rooms, nicely and newly furnished. Electric lights and telephone; splendidly equipped bath and toilet, on second floor; call in afternoons at 715 Center street, corner of Cottage. 4-23-31

Twenty Years' Experience—Painting and paper hanging. Have a fine line of 1909 wall papers. Will submit samples and make low estimate on your work at any time. Horace W. Smith, painter and decorator. Phone 706, 545 North High street. 4-26-31

Wanted—A girl for general housework; small family and no washing; good wages. Call 295 N. Summer street. 4-26-31

For Sale—All household goods, at 288 North High street. 4-28-31

For Sale—My barn. Inquire at northeast corner of Church and Court streets, or at room No. 22, Bryman block. Mrs. M. E. Bryman. 4-28-31

Notaries Appointed.

List of notarial commissions issued in and for Oregon April 26:
E. M. Andrews, W. W. Shupe, Frank E. Alley, Roseburg; Mary E. Leonard, Kirby; L. Barnum, Iroquois; Samuel Olson, Chas. C. Otto, C. M. White, Agnes J. Goffney, Portland.

"California Raisin Day"

California invites all the world to eat California raisins on April 28—every day, or that matter, but particularly on April 28—which has been added to the calendar of festival occasions as a day of rejoicing. Eat California raisins on "California Raisin Day," April 28. 4-21-35