

CHICAGO STORE HAS OPENING

Doubles Capacity and Has an Elegant Equipment for a Growing City.

The McEvoy department store, in its new and enlarged quarters, was thrown open to the public Monday. After a short career of seven years in business in this city, from very humble beginnings, James and Michael McEvoy find themselves settled in a fine double store with about 21,000 square feet of floor space, and their sales this year are already over \$18,000 over any previous year, and not much more than half of the year is gone.

The new storeroom adjoining the Chicago Store, on the Corner of Commercial and Court streets, with cement concrete basement and large warehouse, has been entirely refitted at a cost of \$8000. Their double store now has 85 feet front and is 175 feet deep, with two deck floors. The counters and shelves are all of Oregon fir, with plate glass showcases throughout. The chandeliers are of gold-bronze, and fitted with the most beautiful Tungsten lamps. Throughout the double store can be heard the sound of continuous music playing in the distance. This is accomplished by having two electric pianos concealed in a musical vault between the two stores.

The Chicago Store is an institution the rapid growth of which is a source of pride to every booster in this city, and claims to carry the most extensive line of ladies' dress goods and silks kept by any store in the Willamette valley, outside of Portland. Whether McEvoy Bros. can make good this claim can only be determined by a personal visit and inspection of their large stock.

The cloak and suit department of the Chicago Store is equipped with large glass cases, triple mirrors, and carries a complete arrangement for tailoring and fitting ladies' suits. Here may be found a large stock of the best manufactures in ladies' imported tailored garments, ready-made silk and lace party gowns and the latest cuts in street wear. The millinery department is the largest and most complete up-to-date stock outside of Portland. One room is devoted exclusively to the mysterious art of manufacturing ladies' hats. An upper floor contains a clothing department, readymade suits for men and boys. There is a big stock of all kinds of trunks and valises. Here is one of the most complete gents' furnishing stocks in the city. About 100 feet of shelving in the new part of the double store is taken up with silks and suitings, while a similar extent of space in the old store is devoted to the complete carpet department, with a fitting room, in which experts are employed. The infantile department is on one of the upper floors, where everything in the way of children's clothing, from hats to shoes, slips and dresses, long and short can be found. The housekeeping department is very complete and contains everything for furnishing a home, like lace curtains, bed spreads, blankets and bedding, tapestries and portieres. The shoe department, down stairs in the new store, is as complete and modern as can be found in New York City. One of the most progressive shoemakers in Salem is always in charge. In a wet climate umbrellas are a big item of commerce, and more of these useful implements, for male and female, automatic and self-closing, from the cheapest to the most expensive, can be found here. As before stated, an immense reserve stock of dry goods is kept in the moth-proof concrete basement. Besides two cash boys, there is a complete modern system of conveyors, making change while the goods are being wrapped up. The Chicago Store conducts a strictly cash business. The large salesrooms are well lighted from the outside, and yet every window is protected by an iron fireproof shutter. The building being practically fireproof, cool in summer and warm in winter, is a delightful place to trade. The Chicago Store is brilliantly lighted at night with 250 incandescent electric lamps; and 10 large arc lights. The friends of the Chicago Store have certainly great occasion to congratulate the proprietors on their policy of expansion, in keeping with the splendid growth of the Capital City. McEvoy Bros. are certainly doing their part to bring trade, and hold it for the Capital City. They are ambitious to do the largest trade in their line in the Willamette valley, and have made great strides in that direction for the short time they have been in business.

Besides the proprietors, James and Michael McEvoy and Mrs. James McEvoy, the following persons are employed in the different lines of work in the Chicago Store: Nellie Hargrove, Amelia Schirmer, cashiers. Mrs. Aldrich, Miss Goode and Miss West, suit department. Mildred Baker and Anna Stenstrom, domestic department. Abbie McBride and Miss Parsons, notions. Miss Rock, ribbons. Lou Anna Brown and Lois Simpson, silks and dress goods. Miss Anderson, laces, patterns and corsets. Mrs. Curtis and Miss Carrothers, millinery department. Miss Turner, The Milliner. Miss Price, Mr. Anderson and Miss Poland, gents' furnishing goods.

Otto Irvin, buyer and manager shoe department. Masters Anderson, cash boys. The employees are paid every Saturday night, and the pay roll amounts to about \$300 per week.

THREE WEEKS COMING THURSDAY NIGHT

The play dramatized from the darling book of that name written by Eleanor Glynn is causing much speculation in this city. It has had a run for the money of San Francisco for the past two weeks and drops off at Salem before a week's engagement at the Bungalow in Portland. Manager Meredith is at a loss to know how it will be received at Salem. The company is a fine one, the scenery must be gorgeous to match the descriptions in the book, and if Beryl Hope is half as pretty as the heroine is described or as she is pictured in the press matter she is out, she alone will be worth going to see for the price of admission. It is not often so up-to-date a play is dropped off at a town the size of Salem and our people may not be ready for it. Mr. Meredith is afraid some of the young men may be scared out of taking their best girl, but wishes to assure the lovers of good plays that the piece is perfectly proper and will not shock the young lady the least bit if she musters up the courage to attend. It will probably be a repetition of the sentiment emblazoned on the shield of the Knights of the Garter, of old, *non solum quod malis yense.*

BRYAN WANTS SENATORS ELECTED

[United Press Leased Wire.] Lincoln, Neb., July 13.—Suggesting that a constitutional amendment providing for the direct election of United States senators by the people be submitted to the states for ratification at the same time they are asked to pass upon the income tax, W. J. Bryan today addressed a letter to President Taft.

Bryan referred to Taft's speech of acceptance of the Republican nomination for president in which he said that he was personally inclined to favor such a change and asks if this is not an opportune time to present the subject to congress.

Concluding his letter Mr. Bryan pledges himself to give whatever assistance he is able toward securing the ratification of both amendments.

A HORSE SHOTS HIMSELF

[United Press Leased Wire.] Butte, Mont., July 13.—A saddle horse belonging to W. Jackson, a stable man, is the victim of one of the most unusual accidents on record. The horse shot itself through the side on Main street today, puncturing one of the large arteries under the body. The animal almost bled to death before a veterinarian could be found.

The horse stepped on a ball cartridge as he was jogging along the street, exploding it. The bullet passed through the horse's body and narrowly missed Jackson's leg.

MAYOR OFFERS TO FURNISH CHEAP GAS

At the city council meeting last night Mayor Geo. J. Rodgers sprung a surprise by offering to supply this city with gas at \$1.50 per thousand cubic feet and make money at it. His offer was not accepted by Manager Page, who said he had no authority to act in the matter. Page says his company is preparing to put in a large holder and has acquired nearly the entire block of property where the gas works are located and expect to get a franchise down Front street and move their car barns over there. The record for gas manufacture at Salem is not very encouraging, it having cost \$2.27 per 1000 to make gas during February, 1908, and the cost of making gas at Salem during the whole year was \$5000 greater than the receipts. Mr. Page has got the cost down during the present year to following figures: January \$1.44, February \$1.41, March \$1.47, April \$1.73, May \$1.57 per 1000 cubic feet.

Mayor Rodgers is a man who can organize syndicates to handle real estate and has made some big deals go through. He may take a notion to buy the gas plant and make good on his statement to the city council last night.

KILLED THE GIRL, THEN SHOT HIMSELF

[United Press Leased Wire.] Livingston, Mont., July 13.—Helen Wells, 16 years old, and John Roach, aged 40, are dead near Friedly today because of the refusal of the girl to entertain Roach as a suitor. The double tragedy occurred yesterday when Roach called the girl to him and when she was within a few paces emptied the contents of a shotgun into her breast, killing her instantly. With the body of his victim at his feet the despondent lover turned the weapon upon himself and sent the remaining charge into his body, dropping dead.

How Does It Happen? There has been some remark that Hal Patton, Fred Waters and Col. Hofer are wearing suits off the same pattern. It is explained that they are probably obliged to wear their old last year's clothes.

SUPREME COURT OPINIONS

Ten Decisions Handed Down Today—Election Case in Union County of More Public Interest.

An important and interesting opinion was handed down by the supreme court today among several others of less public interest, in the case of Julius Roesch against J. C. Henry, county judge of Union county, and the county commissioners, J. W. Slider and Ben Brown, respondents, in which the supreme court holds that a failure on the part of the sheriff of a county or any other official whose duty it is to post notices of election to do so, does not render an election void because one precinct has been overlooked in posting the notices, and in the case at hand the decree in the circuit court of Union county dismissing the suit in which Roesch, the appellant, seeks to enjoin the county court from declaring the results of an election held in LaGrande on June 1, 1909 for the purpose of determining whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage should be prohibited, is affirmed.

The appellant, being a brewer of LaGrande, held that the election was not valid owing to a district containing 88 legal voters being overlooked when the notices of election were posted. In an opinion written by Chief Justice Moore, it is held that inasmuch as one precinct was possibly omitted, it contained no more than 38 votes and no system of calculation can so change a registration of 38 voters so as to overcome a majority of 690 votes in favor of prohibition, and that such a defect as alleged could not have possibly changed the election results.

In a concurring opinion written by Justice McBride, the following is cited: "I do not suppose it will make any great difference whether LaGrande citizens of Union county get their supplies at licensed saloons, as they have been wont to do these many years, or are compelled to adopt the inconvenient methods frequently practiced in so-called 'dry counties,' but the principle involved here is far-reaching. Local option elections are not the only special elections in which citizens are likely to be required to participate. Special elections to fill vacancies in office may be called by proclamation of the governor, and I hesitate to adopt a rule which will say that the citizens of a state or county or even a precinct, may be disfranchised by the failure of a careless or fraudulent officer to post a single notice." Justice Eakin also concurred in Chief Justice Moore's opinion.

In a dissenting opinion by Justice Slater, and which was concurred in by Justice King, it is held that they think the notice required is imperative according to law and that an injunction should be issued restraining the respondents from declaring the results of the election. The case stands, however, in favor of the county officials of Union county and prohibition still reigns.

Nine more cases, principally in equity, were also decided today. Charles F. Johnson, respondent, vs. Sam Iankovetz, appellant, appealed from the circuit court of Multnomah county, J. B. Cleland, judge; motion to dismiss the appeal denied, opinion by Chief Justice Moore.

E. B. Seabrook, respondent, vs. Coos Bay Ice and Cold Storage Company, appellants, appealed from the circuit court of Coos county, J. W. Hamilton, judge; petition for rehearing denied; opinion written by Justice Eakin.

Mrs. W. Ryneanson and Bart Oweley, respondents, vs. Union County, Ore., appellant, appealed from the circuit court of Union county, H. J. Bean, judge; affirmed; opinion by Chief Justice Moore.

J. E. Laughlin, appellant, vs. L. Connors et al., respondents, appealed from the circuit court of Baker county, William Smith, judge; affirmed; opinion by Justice Eakin.

Albert Obel, respondent, vs. Coos Bay, Roseburg and Eastern Railroad and Navigation Company, appellants, appealed from the circuit court of Coos county, J. W. Hamilton, judge; reversed and remanded; opinion by Justice Eakin.

Floyd L. Officer, appellant, vs. Finlay Morrison and C. C. Guernsey, respondents, appealed from the circuit court of Grant county, George E. Davis, judge; reversed and remanded; opinion by Chief Justice Moore.

James Ferrari, a minor, by Rosa Ferrari, guardian of his person and estate, respondent, vs. Beaver Hill Coal Company and Daniel Maher, appellants, appealed from the circuit court of Coos county, J. W. Hamilton, judge; affirmed; opinion by Justice King.

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tion Company, plaintiffs and appellants, vs. John Castlack et al., defendants and respondents, appealed from the circuit court of Union county, J. W. Knowles, judge; reversed; opinion by Justice Slater. George W. Anderson, respondent, vs. Theodore McClellan et al., defendants, and George Bowsman, appellant, appealed from the circuit court of Grant county, George E. Davis, judge; affirmed; opinion by Justice McBride.

B. P. O. ELKS WILL ELECT EXALTED RULER TODAY

[United Press Leased Wire.] Los Angeles, July 13.—As the hour for election of exalted ruler and his subordinate officers of the B. P. O. E. assembled here in convention draws nearer, indications point more and more to the election of August (Garry) Hermann of Cincinnati, O., when ballots are cast and counted this afternoon. Several nominating speeches for both sides are scheduled and reckoning in the time for casting of ballots, it is improbable that the result will be in before late this afternoon.

The first disappointment of Hermann's leading antagonist, J. U. Sammis of Iowa, came with the announcement of the absence of Chas. E. Pickett, Sammis' chief supporter. Nearly every official of the grand lodge is against the election of Sammis, and many Sammis men have expressed the conviction that the election of the Iowa man would surprise them, although they are not abating their work in his behalf.

TAFT WILL VISIT YOSEMITE VALLEY

[United Press Leased Wire.] Washington, D. C., July 12.—President Taft will spend three days in the Yosemite valley when he goes to the Pacific coast this fall, according to an announcement made today.

The President asked Congressman Needham, of California, to make all arrangements for a stage and saddle horses for the trip. He said two days would be devoted to a ride in a stage and one-third he would travel on horse back.

The exact date of his trip through the Yosemite is not known, and will not be decided until the entire western itinerary is mapped out.

SALEM DAY AT THE SEATTLE FAIR

Salem day at Seattle is to be observed with a grand demonstration Monday, July 19. Commissioner Albert wires the Board of Trade that there will be a grand reception conducted by Mrs. Gatch and the commissioners at the Oregon building at which there will be music and refreshments. Mr. Albert says the commission will pay the express charges on all fruit sent for distribution on that occasion. There has been great difficulty on the part of the Board of Trade getting excursion rates for Salem day, the Northern Pacific showing no disposition to co-operate with the other railroads.

Notice of Intention to Improve a Portion of Twelfth Street.

Notice is hereby given that the common council of the city of Salem, Oregon, deems it expedient to improve and propose to improve at adjacent property, Twelfth street in said city, with Warren Brothers' special bituminous pavement, from the north line of Court street, to the south line of Ferry street, in said city, including intersections. Said portion of said street shall be improved by grading the roadway thereof; by establishing concrete curbs where not already established, and by paving said roadway in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the common council and on file in the office of the city recorder, and by doing all things required in said plans and specifications.

Remonstrances may be filed against said improvement in the manner and within the time provided in the charter of said city.

Date of the first publication of this notice July 13, 1909. By order of the common council, W. A. MOORES, City Recorder.

A book on Rheumatism, by Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis., tells some plain truths, and in a plain and practical way. Get this booklet, and a free trial treatment of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy for some disheartened sufferer in your vicinity. Make a grateful and appreciative friend of some one who is discouraged because of the failures of others to help him. Help me to make this test and I'll certainly help your suffering friend Capital Drug Store.

Grand Opera House THURSDAY, 3 P. M.

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Forty choice lots in McCoy's Addition to the City of Salem, located at intersection of Capital and Market streets, will be put on the market THURSDAY JULY 15, 10 O'CLOCK

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