



FINAL WEEK of our Annual Year-end Clearance and White Goods Sale.

Your last opportunity to purchase everyday needs and replenish depleted wardrobes at decided savings, closes SATURDAY. We're making a determined effort to clear all decks for Spring, and you'll be surprised at the unusual values and excellent assortments which are offered at such little prices.

TOMORROW our 675th Wednesday Surprise!

Women's Umbrellas, two lots---your choice, 89c and \$1.15 each

Those who desire good but inexpensive umbrellas will welcome this sale. Exceptionally well made umbrellas with good grade covering and neat handles. There's lots of rain ahead. Get one or two, they're handy to have, and the cost is really insignificant. Tomorrow only---two lots---89c and \$1.15 each.

See the window display Sale opens at 8:30.

Beautiful Muslin Garments Priced Extremely Low Dainty Embroideries, Don't fail to supply your needs Final Clearance, Women's Suits, Coats and Dresses Misses' and Children's Garments, all at special prices . . . Save on Linens this Final Week . . . Save on Dress Goods and Silks this Week Bedding, Draperies, Cut Glass, entire lines reduced Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes, buy this week



Going Out of the Men's Clothing Business. - Suits and Overcoats Selling at Less Than Cost

Capital City Brevities

Dr. F. L. Utter, dentist, Masonic bldg. Dr. Mendelsohn fits eyes correctly. U. S. Bank building. Chop suey and noodles. City restaurant, 420 Ferry street, near Liberty. Drs. Darby and Burton, dentists, second floor, U. S. Bank building. Fine printing: Fuller Printing Co. Phone Main 3179. Regular dinner 20c. Scott's restaurant, 187 South Commercial. Hon. J. E. Steelhammer, of Silverton, was in the city yesterday on business. W. B. Hubbs, a prominent Lebanon citizen, was in the city yesterday consulting with Dr. H. E. Clay. H. C. Bybee has gone to Seattle on business. Mr. Bybee is the proprietor of the South Commercial street poultry market. No matter how gloomy the day, or how dark the night, the world looks bright to the man who sees it through the smoke of a Tashmon 12 1/2 cigar. The funeral of the late Mrs. Ella L. Hancock was held at Hayesville yesterday. Rev. C. L. Lawrence conducted the services. Miss Ethel M. Jones, of this city, is being visited by her brother, C. Jones, of Canada. Miss Lulu Jones, a sister, will arrive soon from Seattle. Claude M. Gerigg was buried in the Meonite cemetery at Pratum yesterday, the funeral being held from the Meonite church and Rev. Mr. Baumgartner officiating. Members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in their hall at 2:30 each afternoon this week for special prayer. All interested in a "Dry Oregon" are invited to attend. A tea for the benefit of the Scholarship Loan Fund will be held at the home of Mrs. E. C. Patton, corner Court and Summer streets, Wednesday, January 28, from 3 to 5 o'clock. Admission 25c. Committee from Woman's Club.

Mrs. Herbert Fawk, of Bickreall, who has been ill in this city for a week, is reported to be getting along nicely. Are you familiar with all the latest song hits? Visit our store and try them out for yourself on one of our superb Packards or Ludwigs. You are welcome. The Wiley B. Allen Co., R. F. Peters, mgr., 521 Court street. The man with a clear conscience is the man who provides good storm blankets for his horses when they have to stand out in the cold rain. The best ones are sold by Shafer, the saddle and harness man, 187 South Commercial street. Did your wife get peeved because you forgot to bring home the groceries she phoned you about this evening? Avoid it hereafter. While you are waiting for the car, step in to the Sunset grocery, and we will remind you. South Commercial street, at No. 121. If you want your panekakes to taste right and want an article that reaches the consumer immediately after manufacturing, call for Tip-Top Selfrising Panekake flour, composed of wheat flour, phosphate, salt and bi-carb-soda, made by Cherry City Mills. Several different complaints were filed in the circuit court yesterday against the city of Silverton to clear title to certain property in which interest is alleged to be claimed by the defendant. The plaintiffs are: H. B. Shalstead, E. R. Hage et al., E. S. Johnson, J. P. Hunt, A. Kautson, G. M. Ostrand and Martha Jackson. Each plaintiff filed a separate complaint. The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on February 21 an examination will be held at Marion, Oregon, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Marion, Oregon. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$307 for the last fiscal year. The following judges have been chosen for the state prohibition criminal contest to be held April 20: A. DeLacy, President W. T. Foster, of Bend college, Royal Metcalf, an attorney of Portland, M. A. Miller, internal revenue collector; judges on conviction, Dr. John Boyd of the First Presbyterian church of Portland and President Campbell of Oregon university and Dr. Hinson of Portland. L. Galbraith, a witness in the Kennedy case, yesterday afternoon received a reprimand from Judge Galloway when he took the stand and testified that he violated the trust of one of Mrs. Kennedy's friends, Mrs. Fisher, by holding a letter the latter gave him to mail and later turning it over to the defendant, Mr. Kennedy. Judge Galloway told the witness that he had no right to violate such a trust imposed by anyone much less a woman and that he was greatly in error in not mailing the communication to Mrs. Kennedy as he promised to do. After hearing testimony from several other witnesses, Judge Galloway continued the hearing over until next Saturday. Many Woodburn and Gervais people are taking great interest in the proceedings and the court room has been crowded with visitors for the past three days the trial has been going on.

LANE GETS AN OFFER OF REDUCTION PLANT FOR RADIUM ORES

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 27.—An offer of a well-equipped plant for the public reduction of radium-bearing ores was telegraphed today to Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane by Stephen J. Lockwood, who ten years ago, in an experimental plant here, extracted the first radium in this country. Lockwood's telegram said: "To aid the government in preventing the monopoly in radium, I offer you the use of the reduction plant here free of charge for any reasonable time. The plant is fully equipped for the reduction of 30 tons of corronite ores or concentrates a month. Dr. Holmes, chief of the bureau of mines, has made personal examination of it. It was shut down in 1910, because we could not at that time obtain corronite ores in a sufficient quantity to keep it in profitable operation. "We also have a large quantity of radium containing sulphate residues, which contain three to four milligrams of radium to every 100 pounds, which are free to any one who will bear the expense of refining, and will devote the resultant radium to science."

COMMERCIAL CLUB GETS ITINERARY OF FARM TRAIN The Southern Pacific company's farm demonstration train will arrive in this city Thursday, February 5, at 7:30 p. m., and will remain until 9:30 p. m., according to the itinerant book just received by the Salem Commercial club. It is more than likely that the train will be pulled down the switch to the intersection of Trade and Commercial streets where the people will have an opportunity of viewing the practical demonstrations and scientific instruction in dairying and hog raising. The farm on wheels will carry the following well known speakers and demonstrators: Prof. Ralph D. Hetzel, director of extension service; Dr. Jas. Withycombe, detector experiment station; Prof. R. R. Graves, dairy husbandry; Prof. E. L. Potter, animal husbandry; Prof. E. H. Fitts, animal and dairy husbandry; Prof. G. R. Samson, animal husbandry; Prof. W. A. Barr, dairyman; C. E. Robinson, herdman. Mr. Wilbur K. Newell, Mr. J. M. Dickson, Mr. Will Schulmerich, Mr. E. Carey, Mr. Chris Myhre.

KENTON SAYS HIS BILL WOULD GIVE LOOTERS STRIPES [UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Washington, Jan. 27.—"Had my bill, now pending in the commerce committee been a law at the time the 'Frisco railroad was looted," said Senator Kenyon today, commenting on the interstate commerce commission's report in explanation of the system's insolvency, a number of men would be facing the penitentiary at present, if not already wearing stripes."

The senator added that he intended to push the measure. It calls for the approval by the interstate commerce commissioner of interstate railroad stock and bond sales, and provides prison terms for railroad officials who profit by transactions in which their roads are involved. The interstate commission's report concerning the "Frisco" gave, as among the underlying causes for the line's bankruptcy financial operations which included the acquisition of other lines through syndicates which profited more than \$5,000,000, and those syndicates, it was stated, "various officials of the 'Frisco, including B. J. Younk, chairman of the board of directors," were subscribers.

MAY SEND HER TO SCHOOL. [UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Pemberton, N. J., Jan. 27.—The family of Miss Deliah Bradley, who was arrested recently in Mobile, Alabama, with J. M. Foster, son of the millionaire president of the International Correspondence schools on white slavery charges, today thought of sending her to a reformatory. It was said that Miss Bradley had shown no intention of abandoning Foster.

IDENTITY OF ENGLISHMAN BELIEVED ESTABLISHED [UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Marysville, Cal., Jan. 27.—Attorney Lewis, counsel for the defense at the Wheatland hopfield riot cases, today produced in court a letter signed "A. Kimball," in which it was asserted that the hitherto unidentified young Englishman killed in the fight on the Durst ranch last August was Arthur Lyons, a member of an excellent though not rich family, and a British naval academy cadet, who was in California for his health.

INSANITY IS DEFENSE San Francisco, Jan. 27.—Miss Reah Alexander, who, on October 18, shot and killed D. J. VanVanden, an advertising solicitor went on trial here today before Superior Judge Dunne. Questions asked the talesman indicated the defense will be based on temporary insanity.

BIRTHS. MUSSER.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Musser, at Silverton, Oregon, January 24, 1914, a nine-pound boy.

DAVIS. To Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Davis at their home, 260 North Fifteenth street, Monday, January 26, 1914, an eight-pound daughter.

NUBAUM. To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nubaum, Monday, January 26, 1914, at the Salem hospital, a daughter.

PAINTERS ATTENTION. Local union No. 724 of the B. of P., D. and P. of A. cordially invite all wall paper and print dealers, painters, contractors and journeymen painters in the city to attend a social meeting to be held Thursday evening, January 24, at 8 p. m. in union hall, over Patton's postcard hall, on State street. Come and get acquainted. Refreshments served.

DEATH NOTICES. MANN. News has been received here of the death of Miss Hattie Mann in Phoenix, Ariz., last Saturday. Miss Mann is well known in Salem, having been chief clerk in Recorder Elgin's office for some time, and formerly a student at the Chemawa Indian Training school. She was 23 years old and leaves a father and mother at Chemawa. Mr. Mann being the superintendent of the blacksmith shop at the school. The remains will arrive at Chemawa tomorrow and funeral announcement will appear later.

THE EDISON TALKING PICTURES. Announcement that Thomas A. Edison's latest mechanical rival of the stage, the Kinetophone, is now working successfully before the large audiences, has stirred the theatrical and moving picture world. It is declared by stage managers that the machine really works and is not a mere "approximation to an ideal," such as was exhibited in all parts of America not many years ago. The Kinetophone is one more step in the process by which the world is becoming a better place merely to exist in. The Edison talking pictures will be seen here for a second appearance at the Grand on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, with a special Saturday matinee.

Minimize scandal in the home of your neighbor and pulverize it in your own.

MONEY TO LOAN On Good Real Estate Security. THOS. K. FORD Over Ladd & Bush Bank, Salem, Oregon

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Household Worry Is 99 Per Cent Wash Day Good Riddance by the Laundry Remedy. Linen, blankets, curtains apparel—all come back beautiful when we do your work. Salem Steam Laundry 136 South Liberty Street Phone 25 Dry Cleaning. Ask the Driver

Special Today! 20 1/2 acres, all in bearing fruit, modern buildings, \$14,000. 14 acres on car line, \$10,000. 5 acres in clover, house, \$1250. 30 acres, 10 cleared, improved, \$2500. 64 acres Howell Prairie, improved, to trade for Salem property, \$8600.

Several good buys in Prune Ranches, Hop Ranches and Berry Tracts We have cigar stores, pool rooms, grocery stores, shoe shop, hotel, rooming houses, blacksmith shop, restaurant.

City Lots in all Parts of Salem 10 acres, close in, \$2500. 7-room house three lots, \$5000. 10-room modern house, \$2300. Snap. 160 acres, well improved, \$6000.

Expert Public Stenographer in attendance SEVERAL STOCK RANCHES CHEAP. WHAT HAVE YOU TO TRADE? LIST YOUR BARGAINS WITH US. WE SELL FIRE, LIFE, ACCIDENT INSURANCE. 4, 5, 6-ROOM HOUSES, INSTALLMENTS.

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When to Consult an Optometrist

When your eyes tire and when print blurs or becomes dim after reading; when you involuntarily frown or partly close the eyes when looking at an object; when the eyes smart, ache or water; when they get inflamed frequently, or when there are pains in the eyeball or orbit; pains in the temple, forehead or at the base of the brain, that cannot otherwise be accounted for.

We would be pleased to have you call and let us explain how such conditions can be relieved with properly fitted glasses.

Miss A. McCulloch Optometrist 291 N. Com'l St. Phone 925 Hours 9 to 5 Ground Floor

Isn't eight hours a day entirely too long for public employes even to pretend to work? Wouldn't four hours and double pay be about right for the patriots?

NEW TODAY. TWO CENTS a word for each insertion.

FOR RENT—February 1, a modern 7-room residence, two blocks from court house; rooms rent well. John H. Scott, over Chicago Store.

LOST—Thursday, January 23, carved white ivory panny pin. Phone 2703; reward.

NORTHWEST RUG REPRESENTATIVE—Carpets woven into fluffy rugs. Notify S. A. Dobner. Phone 2480W.

WANTED—A first-class shoe repair man. No other need apply. Second door south Liberty street.

Electric vacuum carpet sweeper for sale; bargain. Phone Main 224.

FOR SALE—New range, heater and other household goods. Mrs. R. A. Richmond, first house west of Commercial on Hansen avenue, Salem Heights.

\$5.00 REWARD—For lost Angora cat, blue with white throat. 555 North 24th and A.

FOR SALE—Young Jersey cow, fresh, halber calf. 1135 Broadway.

SEWING MACHINES—If you need a sewing machine come and get one now, as we are going to make a cleanup sale. No reasonable offer will be refused. 640 State street.

FOR SALE—Dressed goats, 5c per pound. Call Main 1137; 1656 Mill street.

FOR RENT—Small, modern bungalow, North Cottage street. Phone Carey F. Martin.

FOR TRADE—House and seven lots for 100-acre farm or more. Phone 2485M.

TYPEWRITERS—Ten per cent off this week. 11 Murphy block.

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room bungalow, permanent tenant preferred. Fred A. McIntyre, 1705 South Commercial. Phone 1483.

Homedale Straight Whiskey 4 YEARS OLD \$2.95 PER GALLON WE PAY EXPRESS F. Zimmerman & Co. PORTLAND, OR. SEND FOR CATALOG

Just tell your doctor you want to take your prescriptions to Schaefer's drug store, and he will know it is put up right.

MONEY TO LOAN I have a client who will make short loans on household goods and other personal property. John H. Scott, over Chicago store.

WOOD AND COAL in any quantity. Prompt delivery our specialty. Falls City Lumber Company, 273 North Commercial street. Phone Main 812.

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