

January Clearance and Stock Reducing Sales Continue With Unabated Interest

Special Sale Prices on Everything--Nothing Reserved

Commencing Tomorrow, Thursday Morning

Added surprises in our great Shoe Clearance. Those who bought shoes at the beginning will be interested as well as those who have not attended this event. Hundreds of unbelievable shoe bargains have been placed in bins for your selection--sizes marked--Come and pick them out--It's a real shoe bargain event.

- A monster assortment--Ladies' Shoes--your choice \$1.00 pair
- Another big lot Ladies' Shoes, your choice \$1.95 pair
- A third collection of Ladies' Footwear, your choice \$2.45 pair
- A big lot of durable Boys' Shoes, your choice \$1.00 pair
- Another assortment Misses' and Children's, your choice \$1.00 pair
- A surprise bargain value, Men's Shoes, your choice \$2.45 pair

This store has been known for 36 years as the "Good Goods Store" of Salem. Again we say the best is none too good for our patrons. We have no room for bankrupt stocks or trashy merchandise. A common saying (and a true one) when one wants good, reliable, standard merchandise, "Go to Meyers, the House of Quality."

THE HOUSE OF QUALITY



All Around Town

Dr. Mendelsohn, specialist, fits glasses correctly. U. S. Bank Bldg.

Willis E. McElroy of Portland, well known in hand circles in this part of the state, is here today on business.

Very popular--The Spa's special lunch, 11 to 2.

The Frauen Verein, the ladies' society of the German Lutheran church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Butte, 2020 Lee street.

Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

Charles B. Coppick fell from a car at the Spaulding Logging company this morning, striking the ground on his forehead. Fortunately, the wound was not serious.

Electric baths and massage under your physician's directions. N. N. Imus, 218 Hubbard Bldg. Phone 555. 1f

The Salem fire department was called out at 9:25 last night to a chimney fire at the residence of G. C. Ostrin at 19th and Trade streets. No damage was done. This was the third alarm turned in at the fire department yesterday.

Dr. Stone's drug store.

A brick fell out of the cornice of the building on South Commercial street adjoining the Ladd & Bush bank yesterday morning and a few hours after wards carpenters were busy putting up a scaffold, getting ready to do some repairing.

Don't miss the concert tonight by the Metropolitan Opera company.

The Swedish Ladies' Aid society meeting held yesterday in the Swedish church was well attended. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Mattie Johnson of Macleay. The next meeting will be held in the church in charge of the Eric Hedius family, Tuesday, February 15.

Have you tried The Spa's special lunch, 11 to 2?

Michael Mosey Joudy is shipping in a large stock of general merchandise in dry goods and gent's furnishings, and will occupy the building on the corner of Commercial and Court street, formerly known as the Boston store. Mr. Joudy was born in Syria, but spent the greater part of his business life in New York city.

All kinds of dry wood, sawed of 4 ft. lowest prices. Prompt delivery. Sta. Wood Co., Phone 428, 16th and Oak. Jan 15

A committee of Elks were out today visiting members of the lodge and arranging for the excursion to McMinnville Thursday evening. The officers of the Salem lodge will put on the work of initiating several ambitious McMinnville citizens who have shown a proper desire to belong to the organization. The excursion tomorrow evening is a special and will leave Marion square at 6 o'clock.

I never saw such shirt waists as are being made and hemstitched for \$1.00 to \$1.50 at the Hob Nob. This is January price. Materials furnished or not. All work guaranteed. Just investigate, please.

The following Fraternal Aid officers were installed last evening at the lodge rooms in the Hurst building: President, Mrs. W. B. Gilson; vice-president, Mrs. Caldwell; past president, U. G. Lehman; chaplain, Mrs. Eugenia Gillingham; guide, Mrs. Helen Southwick; treasurer, Mrs. A. Miller; inner guard, Arthur Welsh; outer guard, Charles Davis.

Dr. C. Hartley, specialist, inflamed, bleeding gums and pyorrhea. 416 U. S. Bank Bldg. Phone 186.

The basketball game will be over in time for the Skovgaard concert.

Corns, bunions, ingrowing nails treated without pain. Also moles and warts, by Dr. Nelson, the expert chiropodist, 25 Breyman Bldg. Phone 269.

"Comision Reguladora Del Mercado De Henequen de Merido", is the business firm of Yucatan, Mexico, writing the commercial organizations of the country suggesting that now is the time to consider Mexican business. The letter also suggests that in order to get part of the business from Mexico, this country should buy as far as possible what Mexico produces. It urges reciprocity in business.

Special services, Beginning Thursday evening, January 13, the United Brethren church, corner Seventeenth and Nebraska Ave., is to engage in a series of evangelistic meetings under the direction of the pastor, Rev. R. B. Dorris. A cordial invitation is extended one and all. Bring a friend.

The Salem Woman's club is interested in the employment of a visiting nurse for the city, and in order that a nurse may be employed as soon as possible, made the offer to the directors of the Salem Social Service Center to provide a stipulated sum each month. The offer was considered by the directors at their recent meeting and a committee was appointed to co-operate with the Woman's club.

Automobile tires may advance. Indications point to a possible advance in tires very soon, and we take this means to let our customers know that they may protect themselves by placing their order with us now for any tires they may need in the future. We can furnish any make you prefer. On account of the volume of this business we do we are in a position to offer you the best proposition that can be had. Wick Bros., 260 N. High street.

Hector MacPherson of the Oregon Agricultural college was in the city yesterday and notified O. H. Luch, manager of the Commercial club that he would speak before the farmers at the meeting to be held Saturday, January 29, on "Co-operation in Marketing Produce." Prof. Arthur C. B. Bouquet of the O. A. C. will also attend this meeting and speak on the raising of vegetables and the marketing of produce. George Weeks is chairman of the committee that has charge of this work.



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church next May at Saratoga. The delegates met for the discussion of topics of interest that will come before the general conference, including church government, the election of bishops, the union of the church with the Methodist Episcopal church, south and the matter of the appointment of district superintendents. Dr. Steeves will attend the general conference as a lay delegate from this district.

The old saying about an ill wind that blows, etc., has proven true in Salem. The frequent changes of the weather have caused an epidemic of influenza and lots of Salem people have had colds. "But" said a Salem merchant this morning, "Let 'er snow. I sold twenty dozen handkerchiefs yesterday."

PRESIDENT OPPOSED TO MILITARY PLAN

Compulsory Service not Wanted By Country, He Tells Home Leaders

Washington, Jan. 12.—President Wilson is opposed to compulsory military service, Chairman Hay, of the house military committee today told the body.

Wants Coast Defense. Washington, Jan. 12.—Secretary of War Garrison today urged a house appropriations sub committee to arrange for expenditure of \$80,000,000 in the next four years on coast fortifications. In detailing the administration's plans for strengthening these defenses, he announced that they included increases in San Francisco bay, Los Angeles harbor and other Pacific coast points. Insufficient ammunition reserves, and not enough men to man the defenses, he said, stand as one of the weakest points in our present coast system.

Portland Experiences Genuine Winter Storm

Portland, Or., Jan. 12.—After the coldest weather in several years, Portland awoke this morning to find herself blanketed with six inches of snow, and the white stuff still falling.

Cold in Washington. Spokane, Wash., Jan. 12.—The coldest weather of the winter was registered here this morning when the mercury dropped to 8 degrees below zero.

Storm Is General. Chicago, Jan. 12.—Ice pavements, resulting from a steady blizzard were responsible today for one death. The storm impaired wire and rail communication throughout the middlewest.

Blizzard in Iowa. Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 12.—With the worst blizzard of the season raging here today, a temperature of 25 below is predicted for tonight. A farm hand, blinded by snow, was killed by a train today.

Schmidt's Attorney Move For New Trial For Convicted Dynamiter

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 12.—When M. A. Schmidt came before Judge Frank R. Willis today to be sentenced to life imprisonment for helping dynamite the Times building, his chief counsel, Nate Coghlan of San Francisco, demanded a new trial. His grounds were technical, the principal one being that the jury was impeached in violation of the law which excludes property owners from duty in cases where prejudice exists. The arguments seemed likely to last some time. If Willis refuses a new trial, the case will be appealed.

Sophomore Team Wins Over Freshman Girls

The girl freshmen basketball team of the high school played its last game yesterday with the sophomore basketball team, losing on a score of 11 to 2. Now that Salem has the junior high school system, the freshmen class will go out of existence with the close of this term. G. R. Bonell refereed the game and David Bruce, of the Washington junior high was umpire.

The snow seems to be staying on the mountains and hill sides, as the river is falling, the gauge today being 5.3 above low water mark.

CONSCRIPTION BILL WILL PASS EASILY

Opposition to Measure Grows Less Serious As Progress Is Made

London, Jan. 12.—The government's bill compelling "slackers" to respond to the call of "your king and your country need you" whether they wish to or not, seemed likely to meet to second reading today with flying colors.

Do Not Believe Ford and Bryan Will Accept

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Salem Bridge Plans Keep Engineers Busy

further authorized the department to prepare construction specifications for the Salem bridge and supervise the erection.

Cantine's Report

The annual report of Chief Deputy Cantine will be issued about January 17, according to his report to the commission yesterday. As for the progress of the work on roads in this state during the month of December 1915, he reports as follows:

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LINENE HANDKERCHIEFS 6 FOR 25c

Regular 2 for 25c quality: pure linene, soft finish, ready for use. While they last— 6 FOR 25c

MEN'S TROUSERS
\$2.50 kind at \$1.98; \$3.50 kind at \$2.68; \$4.00 kind at \$2.98; \$5.00 kind at \$3.38; \$6.00 kind at \$4.48.

MEN'S SHOES
Packard Shoes for men are recognized standards. We have them in black and tans, lace or button, and the prices are \$2.48 and \$3.98. You never bought such shoes for these prices.

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