

"SALEM'S BIG DEPARTMENT STORE"

Playing the Game Fair

In all the 37 years of our business career, we have never used illegitimate methods or means to get business. Our policy is to give our customers a square deal, fair and reasonable prices for good merchandise. We have never attempted to fool the buying public, and we never shall.

When we have to resort to that policy to attract Customers, we shall retire from business.

YOU ARE SAFE HERE--

Should any price quoted by us, be higher than our competitors it will be due to an error, or our competitor is underpricing for a purpose.

WE SHALL MEET COMPETITION--

At all times--giving better merchandise for the same price or the same merchandise for less. Money back and every transaction made good--We shall never lower the standard of MEYERS Good Goods.

Every one of the boxes below contain extra big value for Friday and Saturday. Buy of these during the next four days and save money. It pays to read our ads.

Grid of product advertisements including: Mum kills the odor of perspiration, sale price 17c; Java Rice Face Powder, sells in other stores at 50c... 39c; Pear's unscented Soap 10c; Colgate's Talcum 11c a can; Cuticura Soap 19c; Cuticura Ointment 39c; Men's 50c Chester Suspenders 17c; Men's all 50c Neckwear 39c; All 25c Shoe Dressing and Polish 19c Box; Arrow Collars, all styles, 10c each; Kayser's 60c Silk Gloves 39c pair; Calico and Prints 8c; All 10c Shoe Blacking and Polish 8c Box; Reg \$1.25 Silk and Wool Poplins 95c Yd; Genuine All Wool Epingle \$1.59 Yd; Kaisers Marvel Stripe Silk Hosiery, \$1.25 values... 98c; \$1.50 values... \$1.15; \$2.00 values... \$1.59.

YOU CAN ALWAYS DO BETTER AT MEYERS

W. B. Meyers Butterick Corsets GOOD GOODS Patterns

PERSONALS

Arnold Crossan was in Portland yesterday. W. H. Batty, of Silverton, was in the city yesterday. Mrs. Conrad Stratton, of Dallas, is in the city today. J. C. Savage was in the city Wednesday from Waconda. Mrs. N. L. Grate, of Jefferson, was in Salem yesterday. Mrs. V. Kralchick, of Pratum, visited in Salem Wednesday. C. E. Thomas was registered yesterday at the Seward hotel, Portland. Mrs. and Dr. Ray Pomeroy were in the city yesterday from Portland. Corporal Robin, in charge of the local recruiting office, went to Albany and Corvallis today on army business. Miss Julia A. Douth left this morning for Portland and will sail tomorrow on the steamer Northern Pacific for San Francisco. Mrs. C. R. Franklin left this morning for San Francisco by way of the Oregon Electric and the steamer Northern Pacific from Flavel. George H. Hines, the Oregon historian, of Portland, was in the city yesterday to attend the loan exhibit of the ladies of the First Presbyterian church held yesterday afternoon.

The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Earl Race, city recorder. 2-12

A building permit was issued to the Associated Oil Co. Tuesday, for the erection of a distributing station, to cost \$25,000.

Oyster cocktails, none better, at Davies, 147 S. Com.

One resident of Marion county, Edward E. Muecke, of Aurora, is reported in today's cablegrams as registering at the American embassy in Berlin. He will remain in Germany however.

Try our hot coffee, it's delicious at Davies, 147 S. Com.

T. G. Bligh plead guilty before Justice Webster today for unlawfully receiving intoxicating liquors and was fined \$25 and costs.

Barrett pear orchard and alfalfa land in famous Rogue river valley, for sale or trade for property near Salem. Prune orchard preferred. Phone 825.

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GRAND CHERRIAN BALL... Given in honor of the Legislative Assembly Armory, Friday, Feb. 9 Tickets may be secured from any Cherrian, for \$1. Ladies free. Music by select CHERRIAN ORCHESTRA

Ernest E. Earl, age 18, of Rosedale, is of the opinion that for the next three years, a life in the U. S. army would put him in good trim to fight the battles of life. He enlisted yesterday at the local recruiting office and left this afternoon for Vancouver where he will be put into preliminary training before being assigned to his regiment. From 18 to 21 days is the usual time given a recruit to learn how to stand straight, walk right and other things a soldier should know.

Proposals invited--The undersigned will receive sealed proposals up to 5 o'clock p. m. Monday, February 19th, for the purchase of 5000 yards, more or less, of No. 2 crushed gravel to be delivered as required, F. O. B. Salem, Oregon. Also approximately 3 car loads of steam coal, P. O. B. Salem, Oregon, to be delivered in car lots as required.

What? Furniture auction Where? 341 N. Com'l St. When? 1:30 p. m. Sat. p. m. E. L. Stiff & Son.

Judge Alden at the armory tonight 8:15.

Promptness and neatness in watch repairing. Pomeroy and Wallace, 125 Commercial.

Don't forget, dance at Moose hall tonight.

The proceeds of the minstrel to be given tomorrow evening at the state penitentiary by the inmates, will be placed in what is known as the amusement fund of the pen. It is understood the boys have prepared a very interesting program for this second annual minstrel. The performance will begin promptly at 8 o'clock and is a shorter program than given one year ago.

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It pays to trade where things are made--The La Corona cigar is made in Salem.

For the benefit of those who read about ships of a certain tonnage and what was done to them by torpedoes and how they sank in a few minutes, it may be well to remember that the steam-

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT ATHLETIC CARNIVAL

Fifteen Hundred People Witness Exhibition at Armory Last Night

The general interest in the work of the Y. M. C. A. and the athletic department in charge of Oscar B. Ginebrich was shown last evening when fully 1,500 people assembled at the armory to witness the drilling and athletic stunts of the 350 who have been taking advantage of the physical instruction which the association offers. Governor Withycombe said it gave him great pleasure to go before so many people and say something for the Y. M. C. A. and the good work it is doing. He expressed the opinion that in the building of the manhood of the nation the Y. M. C. A. was doing more good than any other organization. He also noted the fact that when the boys went to the Mexican border, they were not forgotten by the Y. M. C. A.

The tired business man, who is given a chance twice a week to harden his muscles at the Y. M. C. A. gym, gave demonstration of his ability to play in a game of bluff ball. Captain Reinhart's team won by a score of three to one.

The human chairpot race by the senior class of boys brought the crowd to its feet in a burst of applause and the Indian club drill and other stunts were vigorously applauded. The sailors' hors pipe and the pyramids by the junior group of boys proved pretty well that the younger generation was getting proper physical training.

One of the most interesting drills of the evening was that given by the women's class in their drilling and folk dances. In fact their work is of such interest that they will be asked to repeat the drill this evening at the entertainment to be given by the Arabian Knights' club at the Masonic Temple.

The Athletic Classes Following are the names of those in the Y. M. C. A. classes who participated in the gymnastic carnival last night: Business Men James Marr, Carl Abrams, Jos. H. Albert, C. E. Albin, Geo. H. Alden, J. P. Alexander, D. H. Allen, W. G. Allen, R. C. Barth, John Bayne, R. C. Bishop, Dr. Frank Brown, L. G. Bugin, Dr. D. C. Burton, Fay H. Collins, L. H. Compt, C. H. B. Cross, W. C. Dyer, Harry Elgin, James Elvin, W. D. Evans, John H. Farrar, Dr. M. C. Findley, O. E. Franke, Frank E. Frickey, Lawrence Gale, A. E. Gibbard, Malcolm Gilbert, C. I. Green, John O. Hall, Judge L. T. Harris, Geo. Hatch, E. W. Hazard, H. J. Hickerson, C. P. Hull, O. J. Hall, W. Johnson, Chas. Knowland, A. Lee, Wm. A. Marshall, W. B. Miner, D. Misner, Ralph D. Moore, J. L. McAllister, Ivan McDaniel, Dr. R. T. McIntire, Glenn C. Niles, Rollin K. Page, Rob't C. Paulus, O. E. Price, David Pugh, G. P. Putnam, Arthur J. Reinhart, R. F. Richardson, Ward Richardson, D. R. M. Cross, Arthur Sasser, A. A. Schramm, L. L. Slipper, Walter Smith, W. I. Staley, R. W. Simeral, W. I. Needham, Wm. H. Trindle, Lee Uarub, Dr. F. L. Utter, Paul B. Wallace, Dr. J. A. Watson, Walter C. Winslow, J. A. Wright, James B. Young, Wm. A. Zossel.

High School and Senior Classes Rodney Alden, Cecil Aroola, Wm. Bradburn, Herbert Booth, Don Bradford, Armin Berger, Woleott Bureau, Robertson Brooks, Frank Brown, Virgil Busby, Clarence Bayes, Edward Clark, Miller Cooper, Harold Cook, Claude

Ladies' Class Mrs. Jos. H. Albert, Mrs. R. C. Bishop, Mrs. Wm. Burghardt, Jr., Mrs. G. G. Brown, Mrs. Curtis Cross, Mrs. F. P. Fox, Mrs. J. H. Farrar, Miss Margaret Gray, Mrs. W. T. Grier, Mrs. C. E. Graham, Mrs. R. L. Matthews, Mrs. M. L. Moore, Mrs. H. H. Olinger, Mrs. Geo. Post, Mrs. G. P. Putnam, Miss Hel on Pearce, Mrs. F. E. Shafer, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. Geo. E. Waters, Mrs. M. E. Peck, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. H. W. Meyers, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Thielson, Mrs. C. E. Albin, Anna Batts, Mrs. Arthur Benson, Mrs. Roy Burton, Mrs. J. F. Chumuck, Mrs. E. P. Carleton, Mrs. Pearl Collins, Mrs. Franke, Mrs. Finlay, Mrs. E. A. Kurtz, Mrs. Sadie Keyt, Mrs. Geo. Lewis, Mrs. D. Misner, Mrs. Blanche Morris, Mrs. J. C. Perry, Mrs. Vera Richardson, Mrs. J. A. Thompson, Mrs. Geo. Vick, Mrs. Will Welch, Mrs. Chas. Vick, Mrs. Paul Stege, Mrs. M. E. Toney, Mrs. F. P. Harlan, Mrs. Harry Ralph, Carrie Nerod.

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Then you must know that sickness leaves weakness and you should commence taking

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to put an edge on your appetite, put power in your blood, induce restful sleep and restore your nerve force. Scott's is a true tonic food which is free from alcohol.

The longest name in Michigan, if not in the whole world, is that of a Kalamazoo restaurant waiter. It is: Polub Theodore-oumounilorgotopulos But it must be still longer than that, for his front name must certainly be polysyllabus.

AUCTION SALE at

The Quick Exchange Auction Market, corner Commercial and Ferry Streets, Salem, Oregon. Saturday, Feb. 10th

At 10:30 a. m., consisting of horses, also one 12-horse 18-inch disc harrow; 1 corrugated roller, 1 5-shovel cultivator, one 1 1/2 horse power gasoline engine, one 1-horse wagon, hacks, etc.

At 1:30 P. M. Household Furniture, consisting of one Home Comfort Range, good as new, one cook stove, 2 small heaters, 3 dressers, 4 commodes, 1 library table, 2 kitchen tables, one English breakfast table, 2 stool tables, one good washing machine, 4 iron beds, springs and mattresses, 2 extension tables, one 3rd bed, springs, 4 mattresses, 4 rockers, 2 sewing machines, one 9x12 Brussels Rug, one 9x12 Ingrain rug, one 9x12 rag carpet, several small rugs and other carpets, one set dining chairs, several kitchen chairs, one high chair, 4 lamps, 3 toilet sets including wash bowls and pitchers, one large piece of linoleum, 2 good kitchen cabinets, one set of China dishes, other cooking utensils and dishes, some canned fruit, also a quantity of bedding, including comforters, sheets, pillow slips, blankets, and several pairs of pillows. Many other articles too numerous to list. Also one Savage bicycle, in good repair. Furniture sale begins promptly at 1:30 p. m.

Everybody welcome. Ladies especially invited.

N. W. WOODYR, Auctioneer. Phone 611

WANTED

Household Furniture, Woodyr the Auctioneer will pay highest cash price for same. Phone 511.

GASOLINE LAMPS

600 Candle Power \$6.50. Varney, with a search warrant in his pocket, proceeded to investigate the washing powder. Instead of enough washing powder to keep half of Salem clean, the constable found four barrels of beer in quart and pint sizes. The Marion Creamery disclaimed any knowledge of any such shipment, and as there was no one willing to claim the booze, it was taken to justice of the Peace Webster's office, where the 800 bottles have been on display. After five days, if no claims ownership, Mr. Varney says it will be legally destroyed.

Procrastination may be the thief of time, but sometimes it steals something besides time as the 12 parties who have procrastinated and waited to get their booze out of the express office stand a good chance of not only losing their firewater, but also the money that was forwarded in advance. The Wells Fargo express office now has on hand 12 packages, notwithstanding the fact that each consignee received three notices to call. While the law permits the office 30 days to ship back to the point of origin the 12 packages, the chances are they will be homeward bound within 30 hours, as Oregon is no place for a homeless unclaimed package of booze.

Mis-directed letters continue to arrive at the Salem postoffice, notwithstanding the efforts of the postoffice department in making to induce people to have a return memo on the upper left hand corner of every letter. A letter addressed to Mr. Redwind, Cloverdale, is held up for a better address and the one for Mr. F. S. Peters, 3005 East D street, only traveled as far as the "divisor" who sorts the mail as the address was a trifle indefinite. A postcard, with no address whatever, has the following on the address side: "We

Clean, Fresh, Airy Rooms HOTEL LOUVE

(Formerly Hotel Keith) 459 State St. Phone 1169 Rooms 50c to \$1.00 a Day Special Rates by the Week MRS. M. M. LAY, Proprietor

The Oregon Taxi Co.

has put on a night service with a prominent stand at the HOTEL MARION Phone 2010 or 13

SALEM TAXI CO. PHONE 700 TAXI

CARS OF ANY KIND ANY PLACE ANY TIME

POLK COUNTY SERVICE Quick, safe and a comfortable Taxi-Launch line. Modern passenger boat on our command day and night. Permanent Taxi passenger service to all points on the West Side via our new stand at West Salem depot. Phone 700, same as city call.

Use Black Silk Stove Polish

"A Shine in Every Drop" Get a can today from your hardware or grocery dealer.

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