

### WOMAN ELECTED TALENT COUNCIL

The Talent city council met recently and elected a new member to fill the vacancy caused by the failure of John Robinson to qualify. Talent was the first town in Oregon to elect a woman for recorder and it kept its lead by choosing Mrs. Minnie Vogel as councilman. Mrs. Vogel has been prominent in civic and other activities of Talent and will without doubt make good in the councils of the town fathers and mothers.

The work of constructing a pump house for the municipal waterworks will commence soon. The work will be done by the day, the city furnishing the material. It is reported that J. G. Hart of Ashland, has been secured to take charge of the work.

It is expected that work will begin on the main in a few days, now that the weather has apparently settled.

### KELLY, METHODICAL BURGLAR, IS HELD

Frank Kelly, who kept books on the amount of loot he stole from local merchants, and who also had a splendid idea of the value of his pickings, was bound over to await action by the grand jury by Justice of the Peace Taylor today.

Kelly's hearing was brief as he made no attempt to free himself, having waived examination.

### BOY BOUND OVER ON THEFT CHARGE

George Hudson, 18, was bound over to await action by the grand jury on a charge of larceny, by Justice of the Peace Taylor Thursday afternoon. He was arrested and brought back from Milton, Ore., on complaint of L. E. Black.

Hudson is said to have stolen a watch and ring from Black. A peculiar circumstance in the case is the fact that when Hudson was first arraigned Black vouched for his appearance.

Yesterday at the preliminary hearing Hudson was bound over.

### ROAD SURVEY OVER SISKIYOU ORDERED

The county court has ordered T. W. Osgood, county surveyor to make preliminary surveys through the Siskiyou, as soon as the weather will permit, for the purpose of locating a suitable grade over the summit of Siskiyou mountain on which to build a new road on a grade that will make it much easier for loaded vehicles and automobiles to travel upon.

Mr. Osgood has studied the situation from contour maps and believes a good grade can be obtained east of the present toll road.

### KELLAHER MOVES TO ABOLISH LEGISLATURE

SALEM, Feb. 7.—Senator Kellaher today presented his threatened resolution to abolish the state legislature.

After a preamble which recites that the legislature of Oregon has lost its usefulness, it calls for appointment of a committee of eleven to frame a constitutional amendment for submission to the people, abolishing the legislature and substituting a commission form of government for the state.

Senator Kellaher proposes that the legislature submit the question to the people in 1914. The resolution was sent to the resolutions committee without comment.

#### Christian Church Meeting

The meeting at the Christian church was up to the standard of interest last night. Mr. Purlee delivered a very interesting sermon on the parable of the wheat and tares. He showed how the great enemy of souls takes advantage of the lazy, indifferent condition of the mind and heart, and "while they slept" he sows the seeds of sin in every form, the end of which is death.

A question box has been placed at the door and all are invited to place such questions there as will be of interest to the audience. This bids fair to become a very profitable feature. The large chorus is rendering excellent music to the delight of all. A cordial invitation is extended each evening to all who enjoy an intellectual and musical treat. Song service begins at 7:30 each evening.

### ROGERS IN CHARGE OF DARROW CASE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 7.—Pale and drawn, his eyes sunken and lines of suffering about his mouth, Earl Rogers flouted the advice of his physicians today and appeared in court to conduct the cross examination of George N. Lockwood, witness for the prosecution in the trial of Clarence Darrow, on a charge of bribery.

Rogers wasted no time or strength in preliminary skirmishing, but went direct to his attack on the witness. After establishing through Lockwood who at various times has been constable, deputy sheriff or peace officer since 1881 and eliciting the information that he and Bert Franklin, star state witness, have been deputy sheriffs together, Rogers made Lockwood admit that he was now employed as watchman at the hall of records, a job secured for him by District Attorney Ford.

### MILITARY GRANT IN KLAMATH COUNTY SOLD

KLAMATH FALLS, Feb. 7.—One of the biggest land deals in the history of Klamath county was closed when there was recorded at the county clerk's office, a deed transferring all the Oregon military road land grant between the northern boundary of the Klamath Indian reservation and Crescent Lake, at the northern line of the county.

In all there are 48,350 acres, and the consideration as set forth in the deed filed today is \$176,477.50. The deal has been pending for two years.

The transfer is made by the Oregon Military Land Grant company to the Oregon Land corporation. This latter company is said to include a number of wealthy Minnesotans.

The tract follows the old military road, and extends three miles to either side of this highway. There is but little timber on the tracts, jack pine being the only variety.

#### Senator Cullom Seriously Ill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Senator Cullom, dean of the legislators on congress, is ill at his home with a severe cold which, because of his advanced age, 84, is causing his friends apprehension.

## "Bills-Bills-Bills-& for BUTTER!"

*Mrs. Housewife*, we'll tell you how to save some household expenses. Butter is the bugbear on your monthly bills and, with butter at present high prices, it's really extravagance to use butter anywhere except on your table. *Discard butter from the kitchen, and use Cottolene.*

Cottolene is better than butter for cooking; it is richer and will go one-third farther; it costs much less than butter; it will give just as good or better results. Why not, then, try the experiment?



## Cottolene

is a vegetable fat — made from the purest and choicest cotton oil. It contains not an ounce of hog fat. Cottolene makes delicious pastry — crisp and flaky. For frying, it can be heated to a much higher temperature than butter or lard and forms a coating which prevents the absorption of the fat.

Buy a pail of Cottolene today and convince yourself by trying this recipe:

**SPICED CLOVERS**  
Sift together two and one-half cups of flour, two-thirds cup of sugar, one teaspoon salt, two teaspoons cinnamon and four teaspoons of baking powder. Chop into this one-half cup Cottolene and moisten with milk until almost as soft as biscuit dough. Roll out one-third of an inch thick and sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar, well mixed, then cut into tiny rounds. Place in three like clover leaves in pans and bake in moderately hot oven. Serve warm with butter, honey or marmalade.

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## Sale Starts Saturday, February 8, at 9 a. m.

AND ENDS SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15 AT 10 P. M. AFTER THAT DATE WE WILL POSITIVELY NOT SELL ANY GOODS TO ANYONE AS THIS BUSINESS IS TO BE DISCONTINUED. OUR STOCK CONSISTS OF OVER \$10,000 WORTH OF NEW AND DESIRABLE MERCHANDISE. WE WOULD RATHER ACCEPT 60 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR FOR OUR GOODS, THAN TO PAY ENORMOUS FREIGHT RATES TO ANOTHER LOCATION. NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

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- Every 50c Article in the Store, 35c
- Every 25c Article in the Store, 19c
- Every 15c Article in the Store, 10c
- Every 10c Article in the Store, 7c
- Every 5c Article in the Store, 3c

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## McGuire's 5 and 10c Store

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