

# NEWS OF THE GREATEST POSSIBLE INTEREST TO ALL

## 50 Men's Coats and Vests

Worth \$8.50, \$9.00 and \$10.50.

In chevots, finished and unfinished worsteds, strictly all wool, on sale during this Great sale at

**\$4.85**

## THE FAIR'S ENTIRE STOCK OF READY MADE GOODS

CONSISTING OF LADIES' SUITS AND GOATS, MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S COATS AND DRESSES, MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS, AND LADIES' SHIRT-WAISTS AND HATS, AND NUMEROUS OTHER ARTICLES OF ABSORBING INTEREST GO ON

**SALE FOR TEN DAYS ENDING DECEMBER 14**

## 22 LADIES' FLANNEL WAISTS

All of this season's best and newest waists in all colors, plain and in plaids, extraordinary values at

**\$1.50 and \$1.75**

Your choice during this sale at.

**\$1.25**



## LADIES' SUITS COATS AND JACKETS

Sweeping reductions, phenomenal values, unequalled opportunities

For those who have suit or coat needs, we might say the opportunity of a lifetime, for never before were strictly new and up-to-date suits offered at such prices. Don't hesitate, don't doubt, don't take OUR word for it; come and SEE. Your expectations will be more than fulfilled. There are suits of all kinds. Suits of all kinds, suits for all people—no reserve—every suit and coat in our mammoth stock included in this great sale.

\$ 9.50	Suits for	\$5.78	\$10.00	Coats for	\$7.29
12.50	"	7.79	12.00 and	\$12.50 coats	8.19
13.50	"	8.59	13.50	Coats for	8.39
15.50	"	10.49	9.00	"	6.59
15.00	"	12.39			

25 Children's Sackies, choice 98c

Special Lot of Misses' Plaid Worsteds Dresses 98



## MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Again The Fair is doing things in the men's clothing department. We carry the Kirschbaum guaranteed line of men's suits and overcoats. The line is second to none in the market, made in their own factory (the largest in the world) by competent workmen, and warranted free from imperfection in goods or make.

Note Prices--We make them less than you can obtain for Sweat Shop Goods.

1 lot regular \$10 Suit	\$7.35	\$7.50	Over Coats	\$5.95
\$12 and \$12.50	\$9.95	8.50	" "	6.95
\$15.00	\$11.95	\$12.00 and \$12.50		9.95
\$16.50	\$13.25	13.50	" 14.00	10.75
\$18.00	\$14.40	16.00	Over Coats	13.50
\$20.00	\$15.95	18.00 and 8.50		14.95

\$10.50 Coat and Vest \$4.85 Reg. \$6.00 Over Coats 3.98

## BOYS' SUITS AT UNMATCHABLE PRICES

Our Boy's Suit Department has been brimful of bargains all fall, but for the next ten days it will be running over with phenomenal values. Get the boy a Xmas suit now.

\$6.00 Boy's Suits ages 3 to 8 good assortment to choose from in all wanted material, this great sale

\$3.65	\$3.65
\$4.00 and \$4.50 Suits, ages 3 to 8	3.19
\$5.00 to \$5.25 Suits	1.98
\$5.00 Long Pants Suits	3.45
\$6.00 " " "	4.95
\$7.50 " " "	5.95
\$8.00 " " "	6.40

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## All Ladies' Hats Half Price

When we say all, we mean every hat in our stock. When we say HALF PRICE it means less than you can buy the same hats for anywhere in the country as we never have figured within 25% of regular milliners prices on our ladies hats.

## LADIES' UNDERWEAR VALUES OF GREAT MERIT

Half Wool Ladies' Underwear the suit this sale	\$1.10
Non-shrinking Pants and vests, this sale	58c



## LOT MEN'S FANCY VESTS

in single and double breasted, neat and dressy patterns, worth regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 choice

\$1.00 Men's Wool Underwear	79c
\$1.25 Men's Shirts	48c
\$1.25 Men's Wool Underwear	98c
\$1.50 Men's Wool Sweaters	98c
50 and 60c Men and Boy's Caps	39c
25 and 35c Men and Boy's Caps	19c

## LADIES' WAISTS

All at saving prices—look, and price where you will—these prices have never been matched.

Special lot, 50c to \$1.75 waists	25c
Special lot \$1.50 to \$2.00 Flannel Waists this great sale	75c

## BOYS and YOUNG MEN'S OVERCOATS

Boy's Rufus regular \$3.50 to \$4.25 values, this sale	\$2.48
\$5.00 Overcoats	2.40
\$5.00 " "	3.95
\$6.00 " "	4.80
\$7.50 " "	5.95
\$8.00 " "	6.40
\$9.50 " "	7.60
\$12.00 " "	9.95

We do not ask you to trade here because you love us but it is your duty to yourself, to your family and to your purse to trade where your dollar will do you the greatest good. A careful comparison will prove to you that you can save money if you trade with us.



IS MADE BY TAKING ADVANTAGE OF BARGAINS Especially through the Holidays

Our stock is replete with handsome desks, comfortable rockers, dressers, sideboards, iron beds, rugs, etc., all combining with beauty and usefulness

## Pictures and Mouldings

Charles Dana Gibson has ceased to produce those fine drawings for which he was noted, we have a number of his handwork in stock. Rembrandt water colors and Carbon Aristotypes make handsome ornaments. Framing done here that is just as artistic as the pictures themselves.

Eldridge and New Royal Sewing machines are carried here

**ADCOCK & HARRIS,**  
ADAMS AVENUE

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The whole of the President's message contains about 25,000 words; but long as it appears it deals with vigor the multitude of important subjects now attracting the attention of the people and on which they expect congress to act at this session, and in language so plain that any citizen can understand exactly what he wants congress to do. In pursuing it the interest of the reader is so thoroughly engrossed that he forgets its length. The most exacting critic can not find a surplus sentence or a word that could have been omitted without detracting from its clearness. The determination to be understood by every body seems to have been the controlling one in framing his sentences and in the choice of the words he used.

The portion published in this issue of the OBSERVER is a fair sample of the style, and shows as plain as English words can that the President has made no back down from his former position on railroad rates.

## OREGON LAND

According to the records of the United States General land office, Oregon has received 5,053,395 acres of land from

the United States. The largest of the several grants was for common schools which aggregates 3,529,706 acres, the second in size is the quantities given the state to build wagon roads, which totals 777,096 acres. The bulk of these lands have been disposed of but there are many thousands of acres of state land yet unsold. It would be an unpleasant job to attempt to show what Oregon now has to show for all these acres.

There is a splendid opening in La Grande for a business college. A good school would not only have the Union county field but would draw considerable from Wallowa county.

The Dalles Chronicle has just become a member of the Scripps News Association. It will certainly please its readers, as it is the best afternoon service on the coast.

It is to be hoped that the next Oregon legislature will be composed of men who are not sent there for the sole purpose of voting for a particular person for the United States Senate. The state has many interests that deserve attention, but they have been sadly neglected in the senatorial squabble of the past. It is of more importance to our people to have good country roads and schools than any man, however pleasant to hear talk, as United States senator.

Senator Depew states the report that he intends to resign his seat is absurd. He spoke the truth that time. It is absurd to so much as dream that a man of his class would think of resigning because of having been exposed. Those men never resign; they always desire to hang on the skirts of respectability until shaken off by the inexorable turning of time. It is said of Depew that he finds a very cold atmosphere in Washington. Whereas he was formerly sought after, he is now left out. The fact that this must gall him was no doubt the cause of the origination of the report that he would resign; but those starting the report had not made sufficiently careful study of the breed.

The President's message contains over 25,000 words equal to 20 columns of the OBSERVER. We give that portion of the message in full referring to corporations and railroads, which is receiving the undivided attention of the people and will throughout the present congress.

Did you ever figure up how many handlings are required to get a sack of wheat to the nearest railroad station from the wheat farm in Union county to Liverpool, England? If the wheat does not go into a warehouse or dock but is loaded direct from train to train or from car to

ship there will be six handlings. If it goes into a warehouse at Portland and another at New York city from which it has to be trucked, there will be four more. As much of the wheat goes into such ware houses the bulk of our wheat is handled ten times to get it onto the Liverpool wharves.

## Always Accommodating

You will always find us accommodating. Try us and see if we are not ever ready to oblige, and our prices are right. A. T. HILL, prescription druggist

## Ready For Business

WITH A FULL LINE OF FEED, HAY AND GRAIN

We are ready to buy all kinds of hay and grain, and pay the highest market prices.

**A. V. OLIVER**  
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## To the Ladies of La Grande and Vicinity

Kindly ask our phone your grocer, and have him tell you about that **BLUE STEM PATENT FLOUR**

It can't be better. Just try a sack and if you don't say it is the best yet, it won't cost you anything. We will stand the loss and see that you get your money back or more flour. Made by the

**LA GRANDE MILLING Co.**

# WHITE ROSE FLOUR

Is milled with the idea of pleasing every dealer's high-class trade—customers who appreciate quality. The name of the Pioneer Flouring Mill Co. guarantees reliability and highest grade in every sack of flour bearing the White Rose brand.

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