

August Sensations IN PRICE-MAKING AT THE PEOPLES STORE

THE SUMMER GOODS remaining here have served their purpose and served it well. They now must bid us farewell, and do it in a hurry. This is the time of year that we make room for new fall goods by making prices that will make the goods go, regardless of desirability or cost. READ THESE PRICES, EVERY ONE OF THEM.

Oxford Shoes.	
\$1.50 White Canvas Oxfords now	75c
\$2.25 " " " "	\$1.15
3.50 Tan " " " "	2.39
Ladies' and Children's Sun Hats	
50c to \$1.00 Values now	25c
All Men's Straw and Crash Hats at Half Price.	

Ladies Long Gloves	
85c Long Lisle Gloves now	59c
\$1.25 " " " "	89c
1.50 " " " "	98c
1.75 " " " "	83c
1.50 " " " "	98c
1.75 " " " "	1.18
All Sizes in Our Summer Glove Stock.	

Ladies Silk and Wash Suits Half Price and Less

\$19.00 Silk Shirt Waist Suits	\$9.25
20.00 " " " "	9.98
22.50 " Jacket " "	11.75
35.00 " " " "	17.50

\$5.00 Wash Suits	\$1.25
3.50 " " " "	1.45
4.00 " " " "	1.98
4.75 " " " "	2.25
5.00 " " " "	2.45

Come Early as These Goods Cannot Remain Long at These Prices

The People's Store

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LA GRANDE, OREGON

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A HOME COMPANY 34,000 MEMBERS
\$28,000,000.00 INSURANCE IN FORCE
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WASH COLLARS—WHITE TIES
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—ADAMS AVENUE—

Notice for Bids.

Notice is hereby given that the city will receive bids until 4 o'clock, August 22, 1908, at the recorder's office, for the following rough lumber, delivered:

- 13,825 feet 4x12x16 select red fir.
- 4608 feet 4x12x16 select red fir, beveled on one edge to an angle of 20 per cent.
- 14,400 feet 3x12x16 select red fir.
- 9600 feet 3x12x16 select red fir and beveled on one edge to an angle of 20 per cent.
- 9440 feet 4x6x16 common fir and tamarack.
- 10,000 feet 1 1/2x3x15 select yellow pine.
- 1120 feet 4x4x16 common fir and tamarack.
- 2560 feet 2x6x16 common fir and tamarack.
- 5600 feet 4x6x16 common fir and tamarack.
- 1120 feet 4x4x16 common fir and tamarack.

W. N. MONROE,
Chairman Street Committee.

An inventor in Algeria has patented a prous tube which is inserted among the roots of a tree to give them air and moisture.

MEN FROM EAST HERE

Several days earlier than they contemplated, James M. Irvine, editor of the Fruitgrower of St. Joseph, Mo., and William P. Stark, president of the Missouri state board of horticulture of Louisiana, Mo., arrived in the city yesterday and left last evening for Hood River. They spent the day here looking over the fruit districts of this side of the valley, and conferred with members of the Commercial club and with local fruitgrowers. The men are taking this trip to acquaint themselves with the methods of raising fruit and the subsequent process of shipping it by western people. They had planned to go to Cove, but the unsettled weather frustrated this action. They went away highly pleased with the fruit they saw and stated that it is in a class by itself of anything they have thus far seen on their trip.

COUNT TORTURES BEAUTIFUL WIFE

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Two years later the wife and child disappeared. The count gave no explanation. The police investigated and visited the count's house, and by breaking a tightly sealed door leading to the attic chamber, they found the countess chained to the wall. Her features were distorted by her intense suffering and her hair had turned white, and her once beautiful form was reduced to almost a skeleton. The child was in a worse condition lying on a pile of rags in a corner, half dead from hunger.

When questioned, the servants confessed that the mother and child had been held prisoners in the attic during the entire year and had been fed on nothing but bread and water. The only defense the count had to offer was that his wife had been paying attentions to a navy officer.

IN THE JUSTICE COURT.

Business Good Today in Judge Stewart's Court.

The first case to occupy the attention of the justice court this afternoon was one wherein Mrs. Ella Curtiss sought to recover rent money and payment for some 48 dozen eggs from Roll Walker. After listening to the testimony and reading the documentary evidence, the court found in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of \$58.10 and costs.

Several other minor matters were disposed of.

Late in the afternoon a suit was instituted by the O. R. & N. company through Attorney George Cochran, to replevin a couple of suit cases from one designated in the complaint as John Doe. In this case it appears that the said John Doe had contracted with an employment agency in Portland to go to Palmer Junction and work for the Palmer Lumber company. He was given a pass to Palmer Junction and his baggage was checked to that point. All went well until he reached La Grande this morning. Here he suddenly discovered that La Grande was good enough for him, and that Palmer Junction had no attraction. Of course, he needed his baggage, and as his checks called for the said suit cases at Palmer Junction, he felt under the necessity of taking the baggage from the platform without the knowledge or consent of the railway company. This he decided to do, and being a man of action, with whom to think is to do, he simply attached himself to the above mentioned baggage and departed. The officials discovered the loss of the baggage and the man, and instituted the replevin suit. While the court and attorney were busy preparing the proper papers, the man and baggage were busy making his way to La Grande. Faulk has been arrested, but up to this point the officer has not been able to locate the man.

Two More Fighters.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 14.—Naval constructor Robinson, with a large force of assistants, is today completing the original plans and specifications for the two big new battleships Florida and Utah, that are to be added to the navy within the next two years.

Portland Business College

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References: Any bank, any newspaper, any business man in Portland.

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GRANDY THE ICE MAN

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