

# ABOUT MEN'S CLOTHES

YOU MAY NOT CARE TO SAVE THE PRICE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN READY-MADE AND MADE-TO-MEASURE CLOTHES. SOME MEN WOULD RATHER NOT ECONOMIZE THERE. THEY THINK THE ECONOMY SHOWS. WELL IT USUALLY DOES. WE'RE NOT ASKING YOU TO ECONOMIZE, EXCEPT THE REAL ECONOMY OF GETTING THE BEST QUALITY AND MOST OF IT FOR YOUR MONEY. YOU'LL PAY \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00 OR \$30.00 FOR ONE OF OUR

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### - THE PEOPLE'S STORE -

#### LEAGUE WANTS QUICK TURNOVER

#### MAKES RECOMMENDATIONS TO SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

#### Wants Moneys Turned Over at the End of Each Week Hereafter.

One of the measures passed by the Taxpayers' league yesterday—and it was unanimously, too—related to the manner of handling tax money. The resolution was drafted and signed by P. S. Norris, George Miller, John Shaw, D. McDonald, W. D. Paddock, Henry Chambers, W. S. McMillan and T. B. Johnson. As passed by the convention yesterday, the resolution reads: Whereas, under the laws of the state of Oregon, Lord's Oregon Laws, section 3674, it is made the duty of the sheriff acting as tax collector, to pay over to the county treasurer on every Saturday, all tax moneys received by

the sheriff during the week to be credited to the different funds and to be applied by the county treasurer in the payments of indebtedness and the redemption of warrants, outstanding, and the stopping of the interest thereon, and

Whereas, the records of the county show that this law has been violated by the sheriff, and the tax money of the county held by the sheriff for six weeks, till the sum of \$43,180.64 had accumulated before such turn over was made to the county treasurer, and that during that time county warrants were drawing interest against the county, and increasing the burden of taxation on the taxpayers,

Be It Resolved, that the Taxpayers' league of Union county do hereby demand that the same shall be applied on outstanding warrants, and interest stopped on such warrants as there are funds to pay, regardless of the amount, that the officials who are elected and paid by the taxpayers a definite salary for their services have no right to withhold the public moneys of the people from the proper channels.

#### COMMITTEE FAVORS BITULITHIC

#### Patent Process to Be Recommended to City Council.

In a report to be submitted to the city council at its meeting next Monday afternoon, the members of the committee on streets and public ways, including Councilman Belland, Knobloch and Curtis, and City Surveyor L. C. Rogers, will unanimously recommend that the bitulithic type of pavement be used in the extensive campaign of street paving to be carried out on about 26 streets of Astoria this year.

The members of this committee have all arrived at the conclusion that bitulithic is superior to all other kinds of paving, and is better suited to the needs and conditions of this city than is asphalt.

The committee decided strongly in favor of bitulithic, following a trip of investigation of various types of paving used on the streets of Portland and after ascertaining the experience of numerous other cities with bitulithic, Hassam, asphalt, wood block,

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stone concrete, macadam, Westerlite and other kinds of paving.—The Morning Astorian, Astoria, Oregon.	on capital stock ..... 200,000.00
It is said that President McAleer is having trouble in signing up some of his Red Sox stars including Tris Speaker and "Buck" O'Brien. With Tris out of the lineup you could write your own ticket on the Beansies.	Commissions and salaries paid during the year ..... 924,482.91
SYNOPSIS of the annual statement of the Manhattan Life Insurance Company of New York, in the State of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1911, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:	Taxes, licenses, and fees paid during the year ..... 107,159.21
Capital. Amount of capital paid up ..... \$ 100,000.00	Amount of all other expenditures ..... 309,460.71
Premiums received during the year ..... \$2,209,918.08	Total expenditures ..... \$3,086,457.55
Interest, dividends, and rents received during the year ..... 1,945,529.37	Assets.
Income from other sources received during the year ..... 84,578.30	Value of real estate owned ..... \$ 750,000.00
Total income ..... \$3,310,025.75	Value of stock and bonds owned 4,660,234.70
Paid for losses, endowments, annuities and surrender values, \$1,976,545.29	Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc. .... 431,000.00
Dividends paid to policy holders during the year ..... 210,817.39	Cash in banks and on hand ..... 479,452.55
Dividends and interest paid on capital stock during the year ..... 16,000.00	Premiums in course of collection and in transmission ..... 493,502.88
Commissions, agency supervision, branch office expenses, medical fees, and salaries paid during the year ..... 373,779.68	Interest and rents due and accrued ..... 38,454.83
Advertising, printing, stationery, etc. .... 22,873.39	Total assets ..... \$9,832,645.96
Taxes, licenses, and fees paid during the year and repairs and expenses on R. E. .... 210,225.33	Less special deposits in any state (if any there be) ..... 131,808.00
Rent ..... 60,408.79	Total assets admitted in Oregon \$6,720,837.96
Amount of all other expenditures ..... 45,457.32	Liabilities.
Total expenditures ..... \$2,931,106.18	Gross claims for losses unpaid ..... \$ 178,553.52
Market value of real estate owned ..... \$5,817,959.00	Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks ..... 3,278,727.22
Market value of stocks, and amortized value of bonds owned ..... 7,718,021.00	Due for commission and broker-
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc. .... 7,931,690.71	
Premium notes and policy loans ..... 3,734,379.17	
Cash in banks and on hand ..... 323,157.89	
Net uncollected and deferred premiums ..... 167,859.24	
Other assets (net) ..... 289,886.53	
Total assets ..... \$21,982,853.54	
Less special deposits in any state (if any there be), amortized value ..... 10,580.00	
Total assets admitted in Oregon \$21,972,273.54	
Liabilities.	
Net reserve ..... \$19,156,577.00	
Total policy claims ..... 135,702.80	
Amount to provide for any possible depreciation or other liability ..... 25,000.00	
All other liabilities ..... 366,087.27	
Amount held subject to contingencies for survivorship Divd. Policies ..... \$1,711,272.64	
Contingent Reserve Fund ..... 588,214.03	
Total liabilities ..... \$21,982,853.54	
Total insurance in force December 31, 1911 ..... \$68,630,595.00	
Business in Oregon for the Year.	
Total risks written during the year ..... \$ 141,804.00	
Gross premiums received during the year ..... 48,256.65	
Losses paid during the year ..... 10,302.00	
Losses incurred during the year ..... 10,902.00	
Total amount of risks outstanding in Oregon Dec. 31, 1911 \$1,529,241.00	
THE MANHATTAN LIFE INS. CO.	
By M. W. Torrey, Vice Pres.	
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age	5,762.64
All other liabilities	99,970.64
Total liabilities	\$3,563,014.02
Total insurance in force December 31, 1911	\$673,373,806.00
Business in Oregon for the Year.	
Total risks written during the year	\$2,526,839.00
Gross premiums received during the year	47,968.42
Premiums returned during the year	8,155.21
Losses paid during the year	12,330.23
Losses incurred during the year	11,566.12
Total amount of risks outstanding in Oregon Dec. 31, 1911	\$4,199,376.00
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## Choice Suburban Property

A few of my many choice exclusive listings. If you are in the market for this class of property you are not doing yourself justice in not permitting me to show you these and many others.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FOUR ACRES.</b></p> <p>Lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, block 5, Home Investment addition. This tract contains four acres, with small house, barn, chicken house, fruit trees, berries, four water shares, note the price; only \$1850. \$1000 cash required, balance on four years at 8 per cent.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>A REGULAR HOME.</b></p> <p>Lots 2 and 3, Honan's addition, two acres set to fruit containing 5 room plastered house with closets, pantry and bathroom, not plumbed. Basement with cement walls and floor. New house, barn, chicken house and park, windmill. Nicely located and nice home. Price \$2700 and worth every dollar of it.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>EASY TERMS ON THIS.</b></p> <p>Lots 3 and 4, Honan's addition. Two acres with 7 room house, barn. All fenced. City water can be connected. Part of lot in alfalfa. Splendid soil. Price \$2700.00. The terms are very reasonable. \$500 cash, balance \$20 per month. Interest semi-annually.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ACRE TRACT NEAR SCHOOL</b></p> <p>Lot 2, Pleasant Home addition. This property can be divided, the part containing 4 room house is priced at \$1500.00. The east half at \$500.00. Sidewalk all the way to city. Water right, phone and electric lights in house.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>TWO ACRE TRACT.</b></p> <p>Two acres in New Haven addition now in alfalfa. No improvements. Streets on two sides of property. Here is an opportunity to get a foundation for a home. Will sell both acres or single acre to suit purchaser.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>A WELL KNOWN HOME</b></p> <p>Seven acres in South La Grande. 6 room house, stone foundation, barn, fruit trees, new chicken house, spring, well and city water. The price on this is \$3750. This is one of the pretty home places.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>A MONEY MAKER.</b></p> <p>Acre tract well improved, a pumping plant besides water right. Fruit trees just coming into bearing, good barn, out-buildings, berries, five room house, water inside; this place is close to the city and is a very desirable property. Price \$2200 reasonable terms.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>HERE IS A SNAP.</b></p> <p>Two acre tract on Cove avenue, close in. All set to trees with an electric pumping outfit, just put in last season. Let us show you this tract. Set to the best varieties of fruit. Small three room house. This place will grow into greater value. Price \$1500.00.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>WELL IMPROVED ACRE.</b></p> <p>Just outside city limits. Sidewalk to city near school house. Good five room house, good barn chicken house, fifty fruit trees. Splendid soil. This is a bargain. Price \$1500. Come in and I will tell you why this property can be sold at this price.</p>

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