

# THE TALK OF THE TOWN!!

## THE PEOPLE'S CLOSING-OUT SALE

**MEN'S 25c AND 50c SOX FOR 11c**

A small lot of fine quality lisle sox in a good variety of fancy colorings. While they last only **11c**

**ENGLISH BALBRIGGAN SOX FOR 19c**

About 5 dozen in this lot, which can not last very long at this price of only, per pair **19c**

You, who are in need of a coat, you, who are in need of a suit, you who are in need of dry goods, dress goods, silks, hosiery, underwear, undermuslins, skirts, shoes, etc. You, men, who are in need of clothing, furnishing, shoes, underwear, sox, etc.

### YOU! AND ALL! - - -

Think of the opportunity afforded by this great closing out sale. Yes, think! Think of the quality of merchandise offered, think of the extraordinary slashing of price, think of the thousands of dollars worth of new spring merchandise that are offered to you at about the wholesale cost and then come to

### The Peoples' Store and Supply all Your Wants Here

**35c MUSLIN DRAWERS ONLY 19c**

Fine quality muslin drawers, trimmed with tucks, lace and embroidery, regular 35c value, while they last only **19c**

**\$4.50 MUSLIN SKIRTS FOR \$1.98**

Another wonderful value, showing you how deep we are slashing prices. Beautiful skirts, trimmed with fine lace, insertion, embroideries, etc. While they last, only **\$1.98**

**INFANTS WEAR AT 1-3 OFF**

Here is a chance for mother to lay in a supply of dainty little dresses, skirts, slips, etc., at about the price of the material only. These little dainty things for baby are made of finest quality lawns, nainsook, lingerie, batiste, etc., trimmed with fine laces, insertions, tucks and embroidery. While they last for **1-3 off price**

**BOYS' 15c SUSPENDERS ONLY 9c**

A very good quality of boys' suspenders, made of double strength lisle webb, a regular 15c seller, while they last only **9c**

**MEN'S ARMOR PLATE SUSPENDERS ONLY 19c**

Merchants would be glad to pay us this price and take the entire lot. But we, appreciating the public's response to our sale, have decided to let these suspenders go to them at this low wholesale price. While they last only **19c**

**CHILDREN'S WHITE HOSE FOR 9c**

Children's white, boot-lace, made of a very fine lisle thread. All sizes and while they last for only **9c**

**\$3.50 NEW CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS \$2.29**

Here is a wonderful offer in the latest styles crepe-de-chine waists. We know they would not last very long at this price, so come early if you want to share in this bargain.

**INFANTS COLORED COTTON HOSE 7c**

A small lot of infants cotton hose in white, pink and blue. Come in sizes 4, to 6, while they last only **7c**

**16 BUTTON SUEDE LISLE GLOVES 49c**

And these were just received by express. Fine quality suede lisle gloves in white only, 16 button long. Will wash like linen, actually worth a dollar, while they last, only **49c**

**MEN'S CHAMPION DOUBLE STITCHED DRAWERS 39c**

Men's Champion double stitched drawers, fitted with webb seams, to close out for only **39c**

# THE PEOPLE'S STORE

## WITHIN THE WALLS AT HOT LAKE

By CHAS. PAULL. Hot Lake, March 14.—(To the Editor)—You have asked me to tell you sir, I see many wonderfully things,

**Phone Main 16**  
**C. J. BLACK**  
**GROCERY**

Yes, our seed line is still complete even though we have had a heavy run on them. The fact that we represent only the most reliable seed houses is sufficient recommendation. In our vegetable line, too, our stock is always clean, fresh and complete.

and learn many wonderful lessons.

When I entered the doors on my arrival I was struck by the beautiful floor of the spacious lobby. When I had run the gauntlet of the efficient office staff, I was delighted at the range of the prices for rooms which made this institution available for even the poorest. Passing into the dining room, I was struck at the excellence of the service and the reasonable cost thereof. Passing into the ball room, (the last thing I expected to find in an institution for the cure of rheumatism and allied afflictions.) I am surprised at its extent, the very splendid condition of its floor, and still more at the ten or twelve couples who are executing the Virginia reel, as if they had never known a pain or an ache in their lives; people who were brought into the institution on wheel chairs, and only came as a last resort; hoping, but not believing. I pass out to the spring room and am surprised at the heat until I learn that these springs are the hottest in the world—leading such well known springs as Bath, Carlsbad, Baden Baden and Arkansas by more than thirty degrees of temperature.

Then I understood those dancers. If, as is generally assumed, the radioactivity is in direct proportion to the heat, these waters are the most curative in the world. Imagine these springs in Europe. This enormous building would no more hold the devotees of the waters than a hen coop. But you do not, I know, want me to tell you about the sweat-baths, or the mud baths, nor to dilate on the wonderful gradation of heat that make these baths safer than an ordinary tub in one's own house. The various advertising sheets tell of all these things as well as it can be told, and after all nothing but experience will prove their merit.

I divine that the purpose of your request was that I should go deeper into the matter than the booklet writer. You want the psychological aspect of the life here.

As I have said I have learned many lessons here. I have seen unroll before my eyes the development of the entire Northwest, and the price that was paid for its development. The development of this sanatorium itself is indicative of the gradual advancement of the whole country.

First a little pool where the Indians came to bathe, before the advent of the little white man. Then the discovery by the early pioneers of the curative quality of the water, which became their doctor and druggist in one. When women began to come it

was necessary to build a small hut of rough wood to give them the requisite privacy. Soon a big man heard of the springs and almost in a night it grew too big for the population of the Northwest. Now however the people have grown in numbers and in understanding; so that the day is not far off when another new wing must be added to accommodate those coming from Idaho, Washington and California; for the fame of the springs is spreading, as the news of anything good is sure to do, and already the register shows patrons from all these states. At present the Oregon-Washington railroad is helping the institution by granting special rates to and from it, and by stopping all trains there for the convenience of the guests, so that the rush will come, just as surely as it came to Dawson. Wealth of the body is more desirable than a full purse.

This is a grand school in which to study human nature, on account of the manner in which the waters effect their cure.

At first it would seem to the sufferer that the waters are doing him no good, and he begins to look upon the

treatment as a harmless fake. He is wheeled to and from the baths and into and out of the dining room in the chair in which he arrived, which is named a Ford or a Packard according to its size.

In a little while he gets acquainted with some of the other guests and tells them his opinion of the sanatorium. It sometimes happens that he is in conversation with a man who has been in the place a few days longer than he, and to the remark that the place is only harmless he is surprised to hear that it is worse,—it is downright harmful. His companion was able to walk when he came, and really need not have come at all, but his fool doctor advised him to take the matter in time, and here he was, not as bad, but infinitely worse than on his arrival, unable to walk, and unable to write. He is quite sure that those baths are too weakening, and he is nervous about his heart.

The lady on his right overhears the conversation, and adds her own verdict to the increase in her pains. And now comes the test of the man. Some go to the doctor and relate their experiences and their fears, which are

very real, and the doctor has to explain to them with all possible tact that they are worse, than the poison in leaving the system is making a last protest, it is the sting of the dying wasp. He takes the patient into the ball room and points out among the dancers those who were far worse than he, and tells him to be of good cheer, for in three weeks he too will be dancing.

For very shame the patient says no more, but he does not believe. The doctor is a man who is an optimist par excellence. He has to do all the believing for all the patients until they themselves are cured, and then, as ever, they in turn have no patience with the sceptic.

Our friend finds in a few days that he is unable to be up at all, and the only time the doctor allows him to leave his bed is when he is to be taken to the bath-house. Once more a man is being tested. If he is made of the right stuff he grins to himself and waits, but if of poorer metal, he gives the doctor more trouble, and

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## BROOMS At Wholesale Prices

	RETAIL	WHOLESALE
"Billy Burk" 27 lb. size	\$1.00	68c
"Golden West" 24 lb. size	.80	56c
"Daisy" 24 lb. size	.75	48c
"Winner" 22 lb. size	.60	38c

ALL WE ASK OF YOU IS TO LOOK OUR BROOMS OVER AND THEN COMPARE PRICE AND QUALITY WITH OTHERS. PHONE US MAIN 700. WE DELIVER.

### Eastern Oregon Produce Co. Inc.