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MADE IN AMERICA

If the German war lords think the allies will tire of war...

The following is taken from a resolution adopted at the convention of the National Electric Light Association...

We recognize as the one great menace of the future the possibility of an inconclusive peace...

With a realizing sense of the stupendous sacrifices involved...

We are tired of war. We never invited war. But we are not so tired...

Because we are tired of war, because we abhor war...

The raising of the age limit is welcomed. Many of those who before thanked their lucky stars...

Defeat is something unknown to the American people. Though the body be weary...

This war is not an American war—it is 'made in Germany'...

Robert A. Brodie, of Eugene, has taken charge of The Springfield News. In his first issue...

WHAT WOULD WE DO?

The question has, no doubt, been asked many millions of times during the past year...

Being a purchaser instead of a seller, we wish the merchants would base their prices upon the prices paid...

It is a recognized factor in business that prices must be based upon the cost of replacement...

Suppose, for example, that instead of going up, wholesale prices should be cut in two...

Suppose that one merchant had put in his stock at the old prices...

Most certainly not. We would insist upon prices being based upon the cost of replacement...

Suppose that we are raising chickens, and that we put in our poultry supplies in the fall...

doubles. Do we sell our eggs at the price that prevailed when we bought our feed...

Suppose we bought a piece of land that doubled in value because of some factory being located near it...

This argument might be carried on indefinitely, but these examples are sufficient.

Merchants of Cottage Grove are selling some goods, in some cases nearly the entire stock of merchandise...

Some time the market is going to drop. Then the retail merchants are going to be caught with a lot of high-priced goods...

Merchants and other business institutions are being hit hard in the war game, but are doing their patriotic duty without complaint.

The spirit dominating the entire American people is well illustrated in the circular letter of instructions sent to the employees of the Bell Telephone Company immediately after its operation was taken over by the government.

FOOD PROFITS

As a result of agitation started in Eugene, Food Administrator Ayer made an investigation of prices in that city for wheat substitutes...

A comparison of these prices does not show any unreasonable profit, but there never has been any charge that the retailers were making an exorbitant profit.

Mr. Ayer's reply is not satisfactory. From his reply we have no assurance that too large a profit is not being made somewhere.

The people do not say that something is wrong, but they do greatly fear that something may be wrong, and that profiteers are fattening off of the patriotism of the people.

One good thing about the war is that it is putting the newspapers upon a business basis. With the rising costs they are finding that they can't carry dead-head names on the list...

They are complaining in Eugene because horses and dogs have been drinking from the bubble fountains. As between some people and the lower animals referred to we would say that the preference favored the latter.

The secretary of war wants Chesapeake bay fortified, calling attention to the ease with which hostile warships could come up the Potomac and put congress out of business.

Cottage Grove, Ore., Aug. 5.—(To the Editor)—There is no use in mining matters relative to the road proposition on Silk Creek.

There's quite a difference between hypocritical and hypercritical, but not much improvement.

To make a long story short, there is

August Specials for This Week and Next Week, to and Including Saturday, Aug. 17

A clean-up of all odds and ends of Summer Merchandise at extraordinary reductions. An unusually busy season resulted in many broken lines and incomplete sizes.



WASH DRESSES AT CLEAN-UP PRICES

Nothing but a determination on our part to entirely clean up our stock of summer tub dresses could induce us to make such noteworthy reductions as those mentioned below.

\$1.00 and \$1.50 values go at...\$2.95

\$5.00 to \$8.00 values go at...\$3.95

SILK BLOUSES IN A SPECIAL REDUCTION SALE

When such pretty blouses as these can be secured at so little cost, a purchase of one or more is evidence of good judgment.

\$6.50 and \$7.00 values now...\$4.95

\$3.50 values now...\$2.69

NEAT SERVICEABLE WAISTS AT SPEC'L CLEAN-UP PRICES

Remarkably low prices that permit unusual economy, linked with attractiveness, make these waists one of the greatest values we have ever offered.

\$1.35 values at...98c

\$1.50 and \$1.75 values...\$1.23

\$1.95 and \$2.25 values...\$1.79

\$3.00 and \$3.50 values...\$2.69

DRESSES FOR THE LITTLE MISS

Cute little dresses well made of sturdy fabrics that are absolutely fast color. You couldn't begin to duplicate them at these prices...

\$1.00 and \$1.25 values go at...79c

\$1.50 values go at...98c

\$2.25 values go at...\$1.79



Store Closes at 5:30 Except Saturday Until September 1st

WASH HATS 35c

including values at 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c to \$1.25. You have not seen such another bargain in many days.



Remnant Sale!

CANVAS SHOES

including all white canvas rubber, solid shoes, with heels and without, for women and children.

\$2.50 values at...\$1.99

\$1.75 values at...\$1.25

\$1.25 values at...80c

\$1.00 values at...69c

Half One-Half Regular Prices Half

This big lot has been gathered from all over the store and includes remnants of silk, wool coating, wool dress goods, cotton wash fabrics...

WASH SKIRTS IN AN END-OF-THE-SEASON SALE

Although 'end-of-season' prices are quoted, there are still many weeks of service to be obtained from these splendid skirts before the summer season is entirely past.

\$2.75 values, special...\$1.98

\$2.95 values, special...\$2.39

\$8.50 silk skirt special...\$4.95

\$9.50 silk skirt special...\$5.95



Clearance Sale of Summer Silks and Wash Goods

Summer silks and wash fabrics must go; every yard will be disposed of and we're going to see to it that prices are low enough to close them out quickly.

One big lot cotton wash goods the yard...17c

One big lot cotton wash goods the yard...19c

One big lot cotton wash goods the yard...23c

One big lot cotton wash goods the yard...39c

One lot silk and cotton wash goods the yard...69c

One lot 36-inch silks the yard...\$1.69

SPECIAL REDUCED PRICE ON PARASOLS

There are a good many warm days still coming this summer when you will appreciate one of these parasols. These reduced prices for quick clearance make it easier for you to purchase a new parasol now.

\$2.25 parasols now...\$1.69

\$2.75 parasols now...\$1.98

\$3.00 parasols now...\$2.39

\$3.50 parasols now...\$2.69



SPECIAL SALE OF OXFORDS, SHOES AND PUMPS

including black, tan, lace and button styles. This special clean-up includes many broken lines in this year's styles for entire family at low prices which will surprise you.

\$2.50 values at...\$1.99

\$1.75 values at...\$1.25

\$1.25 values at...80c

\$1.00 values at...69c

SEE THEM TODAY

SPECIAL SALE OF MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS 79c FELT HATS \$2.75

We are making way for fall stocks and regardless of rising market prices we deem it good business policy to offer these broken sizes and lots in shirts and hats for men at these special reduced prices.

\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 values in dress shirts at...79c

\$3.00 and \$3.50 values in felt hats at...\$2.75

just one person who is the 'push' behind the opposition, actuated by purely private selfish interests.

The humble boarding house hash has ably demonstrated that it is possible to come back.

The preacher with a small salary doesn't believe so very much in silver-tongued oratory.

Labor has not yet refused to use capital letters.

The man who gets highest up falls hardest when he does fall.

It is sometimes wise not to remember everything you know.

The soft drink is sometimes hard on temperance.

A news story tells of a man who found twelve pearls in his oyster soup.

If he'd kept on looking he might have found an oyster—and that would have been worth while.

When a man gets into a corner he can see things from a different angle.

Cold cash often burns a hole in the man's pocket.

Trying to get around as lively as the youngsters is what makes some people feel old.

When a person proposes something that is going to be of inestimable benefit to humanity you can be sure he figures he is about half the population.

A Massachusetts politician got married because the ladies declared they would work against him if he didn't.

Some bright, unehivalrous paragon will be mean enough to remark, 'Anything for office.'

It takes only two kinds of people to make a world—men and women.

When a man fools himself he is simply making a fool of himself.

Cottage Grove Witnesses

The Names of Cottage Grove Persons Familiar to All.

Who are the witnesses? They are Cottage Grove people—Residents of Cottage Grove who have had kidney backache, kidney ills, bladder ills...

One Cottage Grove resident who speaks is Mrs. F. C. Ralston, 447 S. Third St. She says: 'I have tried different kidney medicines, but they have never done me a bit of good.'

Kidney Pills is the only medicine that keeps my kidneys in good order. Any one troubled with backache or other symptoms of kidney complaint should try Doan's, for I know they are reliable.'

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Ralston had, Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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