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FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 1907.

Like the fruit trees of the state, wouldn't it be a good plan to spray the members of both houses of the state legislature?

Portland is trying to raise the price of saloon licenses. Not even the saloon men are complaining. Money and everything else is coming pretty easy now.

Although the city election is three long dreary months away, prospective office seekers are laying their plans to corral the plums. Official itch is the worst kind of an itch.

While there is some complaint about the recent tax levy in St. Johns, we can all be thankful that there is no occupation tax graft like that which prevails in the suburbs up the river.

Spokane has its "insane" youth. So has Seattle. For safe keeping Portland has one in her county jail. It seems strange that their impaired mental faculties are not discovered until they have committed the crime of murder.

Let a law be enacted compelling the railroads to furnish shippers cars two days after they are ordered on a penalty of being compelled to pay a stipulated sum for each day the cars are withheld. A law of this kind will do more to settle the car shortage than anything that can be devised.

The display of Hood River, Willamette Valley and Rogue River apples at the meeting of the State Horticultural Society this week ought to decide the question as to which locality raises the best apples. As Hood River is the pioneer in scientific apple culture it is a foregone conclusion that her orchards will be awarded the decision.

If a law could be passed by the present legislature curbing the avarice and greed of the horde of unprincipled legal wolves, every member of both houses would be entitled to hold office as long as he cared to. Oregon, like many other states, is bound and gagged by laws made by and for the protection of the legal robbers who style themselves lawyers.

Only another week remains in which to make the final report and accounting of the estate of the late James Johns. It is to be hoped that some of the intentions of the old pioneer as regards the disposition of his property will be carried out. So far it has served as a fund for the legal fraternity to pick at. There is ample proof that the old pioneer desired to help the cause of education by turning his property into money for that purpose. The real estate consisted of forty-two blocks of land in St. Johns. This land turned into money, and remunerative fees paid the trustees for their trouble, would have created a fund that would have corresponded with the ideas of the old pioneer. As it is now the school district stands a show to get something. Just how much cannot be ascertained until the final report is made.

The offer of the Home Telephone Co. of \$200 a year for a telephone franchise in this city should make the members of the city council who have tried to part with this valuable concession to a rival company hang their heads in shame. Un-sought the Home Telephone Co., without a wire within miles of the city, comes forward and doubles the offer at its competitors. Besides it guarantees to give telephone service. The offer also proves conclusively the claims of numerous citizens that the telephone franchise is a valuable asset as well taken. The members of the city council who have refused to be a party to giving away a valuable privilege have reason to feel proud. However, The Review believes the franchise asked for is worth more money than the Home Telephone people offer. St. Johns has already granted franchises. And there are many who regret the haste. The innocent looking documents were not examined carefully, and when the fine print was read St. Johns found she had been handed something she had not bargained for. With the past experience as a basis it will be well to make haste slowly. Find out just what is wanted and then try to get it. When the bargain is made see that the goods are delivered. Above all things do not give away something that you can obtain good money for.

Unique 9 Cents Sale!

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MONDAY, JAN. 14, TO THURSDAY, JAN. 31, 1907.

On next Monday morning at 9 a. m. our doors will open upon the Unique Nine Cent Sale, which will continue until January 31st.

Monday, January 14th

9 a. m. to 7 p. m.

Dish Pans

Fifteen one-piece dish pans, stamped from one piece of tin, large size, same as cut; only 15 and one to a person, no children. Regular price 30 cents. Now 9 cents.

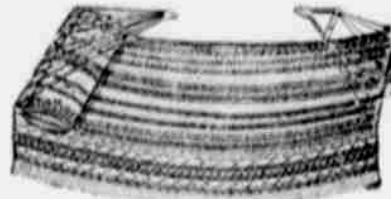


Granite Rice Cookers

Three only, unheard of bargains, sell regularly at 85 cents; made of the very best granite and just like cut. 9 cents.

Hammock

Only one—an unheard of value—sells regularly for \$1.25. Good in every way. 9 cents.



Tuesday, January 15

These are most extraordinary one-day specials. Only a few of each offered and only one to each person.

Twenty-five pairs of ladies' fine fleece lined hose, regular seller at 50 cents per pair. Today only 9 cents.

Ten pairs of boys' regular 50 cent overalls, from size 4 up to 10 years. 9 cents.

Twenty-five odd pieces of fancy dishes have been selected, running from 25c up to 75c each, now on sale at 9 cents.

Saturday, January 19th

Unheard of 9 cent values.

- 8 quart tin pails (only 10) 9 cents
- 1/2 gallon oil can (only 10) 9 cents
- 3 beautiful decorated vases (40c value) 9 cents
- 3 beautiful decorated jugs (40 cent value) 9 cents

9 Cent Sale, 9 Cent Sale, 9 Cent Sale, 9 Cent Sale!

This will be one of the most interesting as well as one of the most satisfactory sales ever held in this city. In many instances the bargains border on the phenomenal, and the offering throughout will be thoroughly sensational. 12 1-2 cent goods, 15 cent goods and 25 cent goods will pay homage to this sale by having their prices cut down to 9 cents.

Grocery Department

Goods at less than wholesale prices at this very house.

9 Cents! 9 Cents! 9 Cents! 9 Cents!

- 3 cans American sardines 9 cents
- 1 can 15 cent sardines 9 cents
- 1 can Vinton corn 9 cents
- 1 can fine tomatoes 9 cents
- 1/2 pound English walnuts 9 cents
- 1/2 pound fancy black tea 9 cents
- Big can corn beef 9 cents
- 2 packs German sweet chocolate 9 cents
- 5 bars Big Value soap 9 cents
- 2 bars Baby Elephant soap 9 cents
- 2 bars Tar soap 9 cents
- 3 boxes of Mt. Hood Yeast 9 cents
- 2 boxes of Magic Yeast 9 cents
- 1 bottle of Lemon Extract 9 cents
- 1-3 pound chocolate candy 9 cents

Thousands of fine bargains in our 9 cent sale not listed here. Big reduction in every department. Nothing excepted. Come in and see the items now on display.

5 and 10 Cent Department

We are now making preparations to purchase several thousand dollars' worth of 5 and 10 cent goods that will be added to the thousands of 5 and 10 cent items that we already have in stock. Not only will we increase our stock of small items in hardware, tinware, glassware and woodenware, but the dry goods and notions will be carried extensively. Call in our big 5 and 10 cent basement and see the thousand, yes, thousands of items for 5, 10 and 15 cents.

Decorated Vases

We have a beautiful line of these ranging in price from 25 cents and up to 40 cents. Come in and see the display. 9 cents.



Men's Black Engineer Caps

A big value, well made cap with stiff projecting bill in front. 9 cents each.

Petroleum Jelly

A first class vaseline of best make goes now at 9 cents.



YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD IN OUR FURNITURE AND STOVE DEPARTMENTS

A LITTLE DOWN AND A LITTLE EACH WEEK BUYS ANYTHING IN FURNITURE

Unique 9 Cent Sale.

- 1 can Libbey deviled ham 09
- 2 cans Rex deviled ham 09
- 1 glass Premier jelly 09
- 1 Rat Trap 09
- 2 Mouse Traps 09
- 2 tin pie plates 09
- 1 Easy Cut pie plate 09
- 4 base door stops 09
- 1 thirty cent clock shelf 09
- 1 clothes rack 09
- 1 pot cover knobs 09
- 1 set of 2 knives 09
- 1 meat pounder 09
- 1 gold band glass 09
- 2 pounds shingle nails 09
- 1 pound bulk tacks 09
- 1 folding lunch box 09
- 1 box hair pins 09
- 2 boxes hardwood tooth picks 09
- 6 pairs shoe strings 09
- 2 boxes Mason blacking 09
- 2 barrels of tacks 09
- 2 boxes doll house dishes 09
- 2 boxes Firelight matches 09
- 2 five cent lead pencils 09
- 1 bunch cotton batting 09
- 1 bunch toilet paper 09
- 1 toilet paper rack 09

Girls' Jumping Rope

Made of a good grade of rope with two nice wood handles, always sell for 15 cents. 9 cents each.

Basket Assortment of Brushes



Here is a fine assortment of brushes for you to pick from. During the 9 cent season they go at 9 cents.

Shaving Brushes

A nice line of these to choose from. Take your choice for 9 cents.

9 Cent Sale!

Cotton Thread, all sizes

A big assortment of all sizes to choose from. Your choice 2 spools for 9 cents.



Picture Values

A picture special that will clean out every picture the first day is what this offer means. Pictures from 15 cents up to 30 cents now 9 cents.

Mosquito Netting

Three bolts of this handy article that goes at 9 cents a yard. Take all you want while it lasts at 9 cents per yard.



Thurston Silver Polish

A first-class cleaning polish of exceptional quality. Box contains 10 ounces, regular price 20 cents. Special 9 cents.

Ribbons, Ribbons

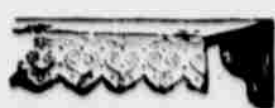
Every piece of ribbon in the house from 15 cents to 50 cents per yard go during the 9 cent sale at 9 cents per yard.

Black and Red Ink

Black and red ink and bottles mucilage all good grade. 2 bottles of any one kind for 9 cents.

1,000 First Class Matches 9 cents

Two boxes of the very best first class matches for 9 cents.



In all colors, some 10 feet to a piece, the proper thing for kitchen shelves. 2 packages for 9 cents.

Granite Dippers

Here is a bargain special that not one can afford to overlook. 2 for 9c.



Linen Tray Cloth

Only a few of these left, value 30 cents; Linens with beautiful fringe, making a very rich effect. 9 cents.

Cups and Saucers

50 white cups and saucers have been placed on sale for this occasion. 9 cents.



9 Cents Unique Sale! 9 Cents Unique Sale!

We have placed 100 of 5, 10, 15 and 20 cent items on the 9 cent counter.

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes, Shoes!



The Brown Shoe Co's ENTERPRISE SHOES for Women.

1,000 pairs of men's, women's and children's shoes; price reduced 25 per cent. Here is the biggest bargain in shoes that has been offered even in the city of Portland—not off brands, but the leading make. Every pair guaranteed in every way. Not old styles, but the very latest.



The Brown Shoe Co's OX CALF SHOES for Men.

Piece Goods

This is a beautiful piece of white goods 36 inches wide, of good grade; only some 40 yards. Regular price 25 cents a yard. 9 cents per yard.

Map Sticks

A handy thing, always needed, and of the best makes, while the supply lasts. 9 cents.

Towel Racks

Never too many of these, there is always a place for it. Made of hard wood just like cut.



Ladies' Shopping Bags

Only two dozen of these on hand sell regularly at 15 cents. 9 cents each.



Nice White Envelopes

Here is a fine goods envelope, any size up to 6 1/2 two bunches for 9 cents.



50 Pair Ladies Hose

Fifty pair of ladies' black hose of good quality, regular 15 cent, grade, now 9 cents per pair.

Toweling

A nice piece of toweling; take what you want as long as it lasts for 9 cents per yard.

Wood Clothes Pins

Perfect goods in every way. A big saving in clothes pin wants. 6 dozen 9 cents.

Sale Begins 14th

ST. JOHNS GROCERY CO.

Sale Ends 31st