

E. W. Mellien & Co

COMPLETE HOUSEFURNISHERS :: OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE

Announcement is now made of the *Most Remarkable Sale of Housefurnishings, Kitchen and Miscellaneous Goods* that has ever been submitted to the Clackamas County Public. Accompanying cuts show the diversity of selection. This is not a price reduction on a few articles--the sale covers most everything you use around

the home, such as HOUSE FURNITURE, LINOLEUM, MATTING, CURTAINS, KITCHEN FURNITURE, CUPBOARDS, TABLES of all kinds, IRON BEDS, COUCHES, ROCKERS, DISHES, GLASSWARE, CROCKERY of all kinds, COOKING UTENSILS, ENAMELED and TINWARE, PICTURES, and a great variety of MISCELLANEOUS Goods

It's The Big August Clean-up Sale!

The only favor we ask is that you *Compare Prices and Goods* with any you have ever seen before. *Read the Red Tag Prices!* You don't have to ask what the prices are, for they are marked in plain figures on *Big Red Tags* all over the store. All we ask of you is that you come in, use your eyes and your good native judgment, and say for yourself whether we are right or not.

During the sale we offer 18 neat couches to the first comers at the uniform price of **\$5.00**
Come in time to get one of these

TO THE FARM TRADE
We wish to say that our principal object in pushing out goods at little or no profit at this time, is to prevent our fall stock piling up on goods already on hand. But in addition to this we do not recognize the common claim that AUGUST must be a dull month in the housefurnishing business. The PRICE ought to be incentive enough to cause buyers to purchase now instead of waiting till fall. Business comes with a big rush in the fall, because the harvest has brought in plenty of ready cash. We prefer to sell now and receive payment when the crops have been disposed of. If you can buy an article now for \$12.00 that will cost \$15.00 six weeks later, isn't this the time to buy it? Then get these goods out of our way. We will lose nothing by it and you will be far ahead on the deal. There will be all the customers we can take care of at regular prices in the fall.

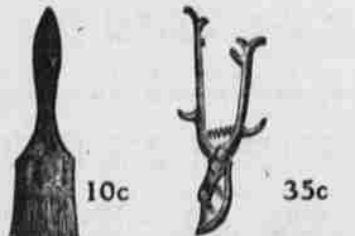
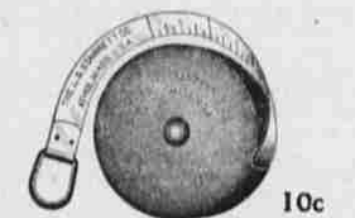


We have on hand about two dozen Morris chairs. They are the Mission pattern, with Boston leather cushions. Some of the cushions are wool, some silk floss and some combination of wool and excelsior, these are offered at from **\$6.50 to \$9.50**
Mission furniture is not the "craze" as it was a short time ago and our price of these chairs is somewhat below wholesale

SALE PRICE IRON BEDS \$2.50
For the \$3.25 Style and a similar reduction on nine different patterns. Two or 3 patterns will be quoted at less than Wholesale cost.

This well-made nicely finished **ROCKER** Regular value \$3.25, Sale price **\$2.50**
About 50 Rockers of various styles and prices are to be closed out at like reductions

24 Solid Oak Dressers
Made in one of the oldest and largest Massachusetts factories, which guarantees their style workmanship and finish, go now for **\$13.50** and **\$15.00**. They have large French bevel plate mirrors and are worth regularly \$17.50 and \$20.00. We are simply unloading surplus stock, for by the time these are out of the way our fall stock will be demanding room.



Enamel Ware
We have an overstock of one certain line of the highest grade of Enamel ware. It is known as the "Standard" and includes Tea Kettles, Coffee Pots, Stew Kettles, Preserving Kettles, Etc. It is beautiful "blue and white" triple coated ware and the pieces are about one third deeper than any you have ever bought.
This will go during the Summer Sale at a uniform discount of **20 per cent**
In this ware large Coffee Pots **70c**
Other articles in proportion

PAINT--\$1.15 Per Gal.
About 75 gallons of the best Mixed Paints made. Gallon, half gallon and quart cans. There is not enough of any color to fill a large order but if you want a few gallons there is a saving of **40c to 50c** per gallon for you.
Barn Paint, Per Gal., 80c

NAILS All Nail larger than Eight penny go at 25c EIGHT POUNDS FOR	ROPE! 3/4-inch, per pound 12c Inch, " " 12c 400 lbs to be closed out at this price
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Matting--17 1/2c per Yd.
This is a good quality Chinese Matting. It makes a durable floor covering, and for bed rooms is a satisfactory and inexpensive substitute for Carpets.

IF YOU ARE IN DOUBT ABOUT THE GENUINENESS OF THE BARGAINS WE OFFER, give us the benefit of the doubt until you have an opportunity to come in and become acquainted.

HARDWOOD Extension Table \$7.00
This is a well made neatly finished Extension Dining Table. We are long on them and have made a big cut in the price for our summer clean-up Sale. Buy a Dining Table ahead of actual needs while price is only **\$7.00**

GLASSWARE
Our August Sale Price on 7-piece Berry sets--large berry bowl and six individual dishes--is **40c**
Butter Dish, covered; Sugar Bowl, covered; Spoonholder and Cream Pitcher, 4-piece set **40c**
7-piece Water Set--large brilliant glass pitcher and six tumblers **50c**
Water Glasses, six for **20c**
We are unloading a Year's Accumulation of Glassware--It must go now--price is a secondary consideration.



WE SELL
PIANOS
Singer Sewing Machines
Stoves and Ranges
The Famous Semi-Malleable Range is in a class with the high-priced Malleables. We have been able to sell it at a price close to that asked for the ordinary cast tops

After all, comparison of price and quality is a true test of value. Whether you buy or not, we appreciate having you examine our merchandise. For this sale we have marked our prices in plain figures on Big Red Tags.