

# ONLY FOUR MORE DAYS

**BIGGER, BETTER BARGAINS** than ever. Six Days of unprecedented selling has **BROKEN ALL RECORDS**. But **FOUR MORE DAYS** remain of the **GREATEST SALE** ever conducted in Oregon City. Hundreds have profited by **WONDERFUL PRICE REDUCTIONS**--- If you have not, do so **TODAY**

**\$2.50 Wizard Mop**  
**Outfit \$1.50**

Wizard Triangle Polish Mop "Goes in the Corner" Cleans and polishes floors. 1 quart can Wizard Polish worth \$1.00 and one Wizard Triangle Mop worth \$1.50. Both for..... **\$1.50**



**Child's Beds**

**\$4.50 Turn Spindles.....\$3.18**  
 Same in plain.....**\$2.25**

An elegant assortment of Children's beds in white enamel and brass, trimmed at \$2.88, \$4.98, \$5.75, \$7.28 and \$7.75.



**Mattings**



This inexpensive floor covering comes in neat fancy patterns. Sale 10c. Only a limited quantity.

**Carpets**

Nothing like a new carpet to add cheer to the home; and it costs so little. We are showing a good grade Granite Ingrain at 27c; Tapestry Brussels at 37c; 55c Ingrain Carpet at 42c.

Linoleums in plain printed or inlaid, an unequalled assortment to choose from, 12 feet in width, making it possible to cover your floor without piecing. Sales prices prevail.



**A WHIRLWIND FINISH**

That Our **SALE** shall have a fitting finale and close—in a blaze of **BARGAIN BRILLIANCY**, every department has been drawn upon for its full quota of **BARGAINS** until the array is one of the most tempting ever presented in Oregon City.

**WHY WE UNDERSELL**  
**Portland Stores**

We own our commodious store building, so have no rent to pay. Our expenses are small. We are satisfied with small profits on all mer-

**We Are Going to Sell 50 Ranges**

**During Our TEN DAY SALE. Are You Ready for Yours?**



**RANGES**

Our determination to sell fifty ranges during our **TEN DAYS SALE** will give you the opportunity you've been waiting for. Some merchants will tell you this is impossible to do here in Oregon City, but just watch us do it.

We realize that it will require hard work as well as extremely low prices, these we have and the people are coming.

Today we will show one lot of ranges not shown before. These ranges are regular \$45.00 values—6 holes, 18-inch asbestos mill brace lined oven, lined firebox, guaranteed for ten years, lids and top for a life time, plain nickel trimmed; a perfect beauty, **WHILE THEY LAST** the price will be.....\$29.35

SEE OUR RANGES and let our stove man tell you all about them. Prices from \$16.00 to **THE BEST COPPER CLAD. WHY NOT GET RID OF YOUR STOVE TROUBLES. BUY DURING OUR STOVE SALE AND SAVE FROM \$5.00 TO \$15.00 DOLLARS.**

## chandise, which is mostly bought in car lots, taking advantage of all cash discounts. **FRANK BUSCH**

### BAND PLAYS AS GATES SWING OPEN AT FAIR

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best help in forcing the fields to yield him his income.

**Side Shows.**

Then there are the side shows and concessions. No fair is complete without these, and the Clackamas County fair has its pick of the best. In one tent Scheherazade Ben-Olam holds forth, and will reveal the future for ten cents, or truthfully reveal the past for two-bits. Near her augury is a moving picture show that shows the last of the wild, wild west—as it is imagined in the "movie" studios of Bayonne, New Jersey. Not so far away is "The Strangest Girl Alive," who is probably worth the price of admission; while in another gaudy-bannered tent is a mysterious collection of animals that are said to be "real and alive," and that make strange, tiny roars every time a small boy disappears under the flooring and "sits them up."

### FIREMAN RUNS AMUCK AND KILLS WIFE AND WATCHMAN

EVERETT, Wash., Sept. 18.—W. R. Schrader, a fireman, shot and killed his wife at their home here last night and then shot and seriously wounded Patrolman George Tift, who was called by neighbors to arrest Schrader. Tift was shot through the neck and his collarbone was broken. After shooting the policeman, Schrader escaped. Schrader was arrested last week on complaint of his wife. It is supposed that when he returned home last night, after serving a brief sentence in jail, they quarreled over the previous trouble.

Early this morning the body of J. Davis, a shingle mill watchman, was found, horribly burned in the fire pit at the mill. A bullet hole was in Davis' skull, and statements of people in the vicinity, who said they saw a man answering the description of Schrader running by there shortly before Davis was killed, caused the police to believe that Davis had interfered with Schrader's flight and was killed by him.

### BULLETS SHRIEK WHEN A N. G. ARMOY BURNS

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Sept. 20.—The Rev. Father Brady was shot through the hand and bullets shrieked about the ears of a thousand citizens when several thousand cartridges stored in the national guard armory, a wing of the municipal pavilion, exploded during a fire early today that destroyed the pavilion.

Police cleared the streets for blocks about the pavilion, which burned to the ground while firemen stood outside the range of the bombardment. The damages were about \$50,000.

### SULZER LOSES FIRST STEP IN BIG BATTLE BEFORE COURT

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Governor Sulzer's lawyers lost their first fight in the high court of impeachment today when the four senators challenged by the defense were permitted to retain their seats.

The vote, which was on the question of whether the court should entertain the challenges, was unanimous against such procedure. The four senators directly concerned, Pawley, Wagner, Ramsperger and Sanner, did not vote.

Immediately following the vote of the court, the reading of the long articles of impeachment was begun.

Although Presiding Judge Cullen had the right to decide the question of the qualification of the senators for holding their seats, he did not take advantage of this prerogative. He first expressed his opinion that the objections were not well grounded and then permitted the entire court to vote on the issue.

### TESTIMONY IN BLACKMAIL CASE OFFERED BY DEFENSE

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 24.—W. H. Evans, a justice of the peace at Monrovia, Cal., called by the defense to testify concerning an alleged blackmailing plot against George H. Bixby, the Long Beach millionaire, was subjected to further cross examination today.

When first placed on the stand yesterday, Evans detailed alleged attempts by girls and their attorneys to obtain money from him.

Today he was asked concerning his visits there. He said he had gone to the place three or four times in two or three months. He stated he had met Emma J. Goodman, alias Josie Rosenberg, the former proprietress, who now is serving a year in the county jail, and Cleo Helen Barker, Bixby's principal accuser in the case on trial.

"But I did not go to see the Rosenberg or the Barker girl," he said. "I went there to see Myrtle Adair."

Miss Adair was a witness for the prosecution who testified as to Bixby's visits.

The defense announced that Octavius W. Moran, an architect of Los Angeles, would take the stand to tell of alleged attempts to blackmail him and that the defendant himself probably would close the case for the defense late this afternoon.

### CALIFORNIA SUFFERS FROM EXTREME HEAT BLASTS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 18.—Southern California faced another hot day today, but the prospects, as announced by the weather bureau, was that it would not be within 10 degrees as hot as yesterday, when the mercury went up to 104, a degree short of the record.

From 5 p. m. yesterday, when the government thermometers registered 102, the temperature gradually declined until a minimum of 81 was reached at 9 o'clock this morning. At midnight 99 degrees were recorded.

There were 21 fires in the city yesterday. The intense heat was blamed for some of them. Twenty-two men who fought the fires were injured and prostrated. The fire loss, it was estimated today, would total \$200,000, and the fire department was exhausted. Nineteen buildings were destroyed.

### CURRENCY BILL HAS GONE THROUGH HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—The complete revision of American banking and currency methods proposed in the Democratic currency bill was started on its way to the status books today. By a vote of 286 to 84 the house passed the bill in practically the same form in which it was originally proposed. Twenty-four republicans and 14 progressives joined with the democrats in voting for the bill.

With this overwhelming house majority and the indorsement of President Wilson behind it, the measure was sent over to the senate. There it was referred to the banking and currency committee, before which hearings on the subject already are in progress. The committee may not be ready to report for several weeks.

### MURDERER OF PRESIDENT IS NOT HELD GUILTY

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 19.—The deaths of the late Francisco I. Madero and Vice-President Jose Maria Pino Suarez, were not brought about by a punishable crime, according to a decision pronounced by the military court today.

The investigation lasted six months. It was started by the military commandant of the federal district immediately on the conclusion of the 10 days' battle in the streets of Mexico last February which resulted in Provisional President Huerta's coming to power. The result of the commandant's inquiry was forwarded to the permanent military tribunal, which continued the examination of witnesses.

Among those called by the court to give evidence was Major Francisco Cardenas, who commanded the escort which conveyed President Madero and Vice-President Pino Suarez from the National Palace to the penitentiary. Two subordinate officers of rural guards and a number of residents in the vicinity of the jail, were also examined.

### FOREIGN LABOERS NOT WELCOMED BY AMERICANS

NORTH YAKIMA, Sept. 20.—Organized labor will not oppose the right sort of immigrants, but will fight to the limit the artificially stimulated influx of foreigners which is expected as soon as the Panama canal is opened. This is the statement of P. W. Dowler, general organizer for the United Brotherhood of Carpenters, who is here on business.

Despite the fact that both Washington and Oregon have special commissions to look up people to come over to settle on the logged-off lands, Mr. Dowler believes that the activity of the steamship companies, operating in the cities and villages is bound to flood the country with people who are not desirous of being farmers, but will compete with the working man.

"The recent strikes in the east," he said, "are an instance of what happens when a crowd of foreign workmen are gathered into a labor center."

### FORESTS ONLY SOLUTION TO LANDSLIDES AT CANAL

BIRMINGHAM, England, Sept. 18.—The Panama Canal figured prominently in the proceedings of the British Association, which closed yesterday. In the economic section Professor A. W. Kirkaldy described the economic effects of the canal, while in the engineering section Dr. Vancho Cornish, distinguished for geological research, discussed the land slips in the canal, especially in Culebra cut.

Dr. Cornish declared these slips were due to seams of coal underneath rotting, which resulted in the thrusting up of the granite and the melting away of the bank. This evil was unforeseen by geologists and could be attributed to the cutting away of forests along the canal that formerly absorbed the moisture, which now is penetrating the stratum underlying the canal.

He said that nature would continue to take this revenge until the forests were regrown, when the underground flow would cease.

In the discussion which followed Professor Kirkaldy and Sir Oliver Lodge said that without biological research the canal would have been impossible; it was only by the destruction of the microbes of malaria that white men were enabled to work there.

### FORMER CADDY TAKES GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

BROOKLYN, Mass., Sept. 20.—Francis Ouimet, of Boston, aged 20, an amateur and former caddy today won the American open golf championship by taking the play with Harry Vardon and Edward Ray, two of England's best golfers. Ouimet's total score was 72. Vardon's law score was 11 and Ray's 78.

Six thousand persons composed the gallery and they gave Ouimet an ovation at the finish. The new champion won his title from the biggest field ever started in the history of the American open game. Ouimet is the first amateur ever winning this event.

At the end of the first nine holes Ray Vardon and Ouimet were tied with 35 each.

Ouimet was born and brought up on the edge of the Brooklyn links, and has played here all his life. He recently captured the state amateur championship of Massachusetts.

The remarkable performance of the young golfer puts the nineteenth annual open tournament of the United States Golf Association in a standard with international competitions.

### JANITORS ADMIT THEFTS FROM OFFICES IN BUILDING

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 20.—Frank Arthur, janitor of the United States National Bank building, and O. W. Hendrick, a former janitor, were arrested this morning on the charge of stealing several hundred dollars from the offices occupied by the tenants in the building. Arthur confessed, saying they had been taking money from the offices of Dr. Smith and Dr. Fields, dentists, for several months. They were caught last night by means of marked coins placed in the safe.

Pines of \$1 a mile also increase the cost of living for some these speedy days.

### LOW DYKE; NOISE TO BE WORLD-WIDE

PORTLAND, Oregon, September 19.—The Pacific coast is drawing its breath ready to give a cheer that will roar from Vancouver to Colon at the instant, on October 10, that the dyke at Culebra Cut is blown up and the Pacific and Atlantic oceans are finally united.

The Portland Chamber of Commerce is preparing for Portland's share in the celebration and commercial boodies in every other port city of the coast are to do the same. Arrangements will be made to have the news flashed simultaneously to every city on the coast at the instant of the explosion that destroys the dyke and for one minute every streetcar and train is to be stopped, every bell and whistle and every other instrument that can be utilized in making the "biggest noise the world has ever heard" will be turned loose to its fullest capacity.

"I can think of no demonstration that will bring more definitely home the nearness of the time when the trade of the world is to pour to the coast through the canal, and the short time we have left in which to place our port in readiness to receive its share," said E. C. Giltner, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday.

The first ship to go through the canal will be the Fram, Nansen's famous ship of exploration, which was built on the Pacific coast from the Douglas fir of the Northwest. She will sail from Colon to the Pacific shortly after the destruction of the dyke.

### CHINK HIGHBINDER IS CONVICTED BY COURT

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.—Yee King, a Sney Sing gunman, who fired the first shot in the Sney Sing-King Kong tong war which resulted in the death of 13 Chinese before a truce was called, was convicted today of murder in the second degree and recommended to the mercy of the court. Yee killed a half-breed Japanese known as Big Frank.

### NEW HAVEN STOCK LOSSES MILLIONS BY SLUMP

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—A break of 2 1/2 points in the stock of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad on the Stock Exchange today carried the price down to 85 1/2, a new low record. At 85 1/2 the stock showed a loss of six points since the close of last week. It was 44 3/8 points under the high price of the year, reached on January 19. The depreciation in market value represented by this decline is nearly \$70,000,000.

The stock rallied a point after touching 85 1/2 and no more offerings were pressed for sale.

The long decline in the shares, extending back more than a year, grew out of the various difficulties, financial and otherwise, of the New Haven system, and the reduction in the dividend from eight to six per cent. The intimation given recently by Howard Elliott, newly-elected head of the system, that a further reduction might be deemed advisable, is believed to have been a factor in the renewed decline.

### HOME DYNAMITED AND HIS FAMILY KILLED BY BLAST

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Sept. 19.—Carefully selecting the places where he believed the most damage would be done, Mack Hurst, 50 years old, a stone mason, early today blew up his home here with dynamite, killing himself and his 17-year-old daughter, Maude, and injuring two other children and stunning his wife.

Hurst had been separated from his wife for six weeks, and yesterday she refused to take him back. It is believed that he then insanely determined to kill himself, his wife and eight children.

That the mother and daughter had changed beds for the night cost the daughter her life. Hurst, after putting a stick of dynamite under each of the three beds in the house, tied two sticks to his own body and crawled into the bed he supposed was his wife's, but in which three daughters, Maude, Fannie and Elizabeth, were sleeping.

Fannie spoke to her father. "Lie still," Hurst replied. "We will all die together."

Before the girl could move the explosion wrecked the house and aroused the entire city. The two injured girls were sent to a hospital. Four sticks of dynamite, unexploded, were found in the ruins, and the fact that only one, and that one attached to Hurst's body, had exploded accounted for the escape of the other members of the family.

### GOVERNMENT BEGINS ITS FIGHT ON PIPE LINES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The Federal government today began its fight in the United States supreme court to establish the constitutionality of the provision of the interstate commerce act making pipe lines common carriers. In his first brief as solicitor-general of the United States, John W. Davis vigorously assails the preliminary injunction issued on the ground of unconstitutionality by the commerce court, against the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission, directing pipe lines to file rate tariffs as common carriers.

Control of pipe lines by large interests with power to compel small producers to sell their oil or wells to pipe line owners at the latter's price, is the source of a monopoly, which congress aimed to strike by opening the pipe lines to the reasonable and equitable use of all, contends the solicitor-general.

"It is indisputably clear," he continues, "that the evil aimed at by congress in making pipe lines common carriers was the monopoly of the oil business by the Standard Oil company, a monopoly largely, if not chiefly, due to the ownership or control by that corporation of 90 per cent of the pipe lines."

"It is idle to suggest," argued Mr. Davis, "that individual well owners or refiners ought to build pipe lines of their own. Every farmer might equally as well construct a railroad and every cottage have its private gas plant."

The pipe lines against which the proceedings are directed are the Standard Oil company, Standard Oil company of Louisiana, the Ohio Oil company, the Prairie Oil and Gas company, the Uncle Sam Oil company and Robert D. Benson.

### RESORT OWNERS PLAN TO REOPEN BARBARY COAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—Two score resort owners, who gathered in secret conference last night decided to maintain the Barbary Coast even if it was found necessary to dispense with the sale of liquor and substitute soft drinks. The Police Commission's rule, which was adopted Monday night with the object of wiping out the Barbary Coast, is directed specifically against dancing in saloons and dance halls "where liquor is sold."

Various plans for a continuance of the resorts were suggested at the meeting. They ranged from starting a movement for the recall of the entire city administration to a general exodus to the ocean beach, where dancing in the resorts continues unmolested. It was finally decided, however, to put the whole question in the hands of lawyers for analysis and the devising of ways to save the city's famed white way.

"The 500 dance girls of the 'coast' were conspicuous by their absence from their accustomed haunts last night. The problem of what to do about these girls is engaging considerable attention from charitable organizations and women's clubs. Detectives are canvassing the district today for statistics regarding the women. Just what the data will be used for has not been stated."

### DON'T LET BABY SUFFER WITH ECZEMA AND SKIN ERUPTIONS

Babies need a perfect skin-covering. Skin eruptions cause them not only intense suffering, but hinder their growth. Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment can be relied on for relief and permanent cure of suffering babies whose skin eruptions have made their life miserable. "Our baby was afflicted with breaking out of the skin all over the face and scalp. Doctors and skin specialists failed to help. We tried Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment and were overjoyed to see baby completely cured before one box was used," writes Mrs. Strubler, Dubuque, Iowa. Huntley Bros. Co., Oregon City, Hubbard and Canby. Pfeiffer Chemical Company, St. Louis Mo. Philadelphia, Pa.