

# IT'S WORTH GOING MILES TO

This Is What Hundreds of Satisfied Customers Said Yesterday

## THE ENTIRE STOCK

Of the Oldest and Best Known Dry Goods and Furnishings Store on Hood River Heights

IS NOW ON

# PUBLIC SALE

Nothing Reserved--Every article in the Store represents some value and it

**MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE FOR THE MONEY IT WILL BRING**

WOMEN

PRICES AGAIN SLAUGHTERED

MEN

50c Ladies' Gloves ..... cut to 19c  
 10c Handkerchiefs ..... cut to 3c  
 15c Children's Hose ..... cut to 7c  
 25c Ladies' Hose ..... cut to 11c  
 35c and 50c Neckwear, Jabots, etc. cut to 17c  
 50c Corset Covers ..... cut to 19c  
 50c Knit Underwear ..... cut to 19c  
 \$2.00 Ribbed Union Suits ..... cut to \$1.09  
 \$1.25, \$1.50 Flannel Night Gowns cut to 69c  
 \$2.00 Petticoats ..... cut to 99c  
 \$1.50 Corsets ..... cut to 98c  
 6c and 7c Calico ..... cut to 3 1/2c yd.

15c Gingham ..... cut to 8 1/2c yd.  
 12 1/2c and 15c Outing Flannel ..... cut to 7 1/2c yd.  
 10c Lace and Embroidery ..... cut to 3c yd.  
 15c and 25c Towels ..... cut to 11c ea.  
 75c and \$1.00 Table Linen ..... cut to 49c yd.

**All Muslin at Cost**

Every pr. Lace Curtains in store, cut to 69c pr.  
 75c Children's Plush Hoods ..... cut to 39c  
 75c and \$1.00 Ladies' Shirt Waists cut to 29c  
 \$4 Ladies' and Girls' Sweaters ..... cut to \$1.98

\$3.00 Misses' Shoes ..... cut to \$1.29  
 4.00 Ladies' Shoes ..... cut to 1.39  
 3.00 Boys' Shoes ..... cut to 1.29  
 3.50 Men's Work Shoes ..... cut to 1.89  
 4.00 Men's Dress Shoes ..... cut to 2.29  
 3.00 Boy's Long Pants ..... cut to 1.29  
 2.50 Men's Pants ..... cut to 1.29  
 Every Man's Hat in store ..... cut to .89  
 \$3.50 Men's and Boys' Sweaters cut to 1.69  
 1.50 Quilts ..... cut to .79  
 3.50 Wool Blankets ..... cut to 2.49

10c Canvas Gloves ..... cut to 6c pr.  
 10c Handkerchiefs ..... cut to 3c  
 15c Men's Socks ..... cut to 6c  
 15c Men's Work Sox ..... cut to 7c  
 15c Men's Collars ..... cut to 9c  
 50c President Suspenders ..... cut to 19c  
 50c Silk Ties ..... cut to 19c  
 50c and 60c Work Shirts ..... cut to 39c  
 \$1.25 and \$1.50 Dress Shirts ..... cut to 29c  
 50c and 75c Underwear ..... cut to 39c  
 \$1.50 Wool Underwear ..... cut to 98c  
 50c Leather Gloves ..... cut to 19c

Nothing Reserved. Other Goods Marked Accordingly. Everything Must Go.

We discovered another lot of goods upstairs which have been brought down and placed on counters, marked in plain figures and will be handed out to the Public Wholesale and Retail and in many cases NOT ONE-THIRD OF THE WHOLESALE COST WILL BE ASKED. *No, Never Again* will the people of this county have the opportunity to buy first class, reliable merchandise at such prices. *Come Early and Avoid Crowding.*

**A. L. CARMICHAEL'S STORE, : : Hood River Heights, Oregon**

**ECONOMICAL MANAGEMENT FREES COUNTY FROM DEBT**

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poses was 3.9 mills and the sum raised was \$38,062.35. From this amount the current expenses for road building and repairing have been met and in addition the debt of \$17,864.86 carried over from last year has been wiped out.

That the financial condition of the county is above criticism is further indicated by the fact that practically no interest is being paid on any bonded or other indebtedness. Last year the total amount paid as interest on registered warrants was \$600.32. This year, with the removal of the indebtedness, not over \$200 will be paid as interest.

Complete publicity is given all expenditures made by the county court under the present methods. Detailed monthly statements are published in both local papers. These give all bills allowed by the county court during the preceding months except the salaries of the county officials, which are fixed by statute. It is said that the county court has failed to comply with the law in not publishing semi-annual statements. While it is true that these statements have not been published, the inference drawn therefrom is unfair. Such statements would of necessity be more formal and much less detailed and intelligent than the monthly statements made under the present arrangement and would consequently give a less, rather than a greater, publicity to the expenditures of the county court.

The News believes there is but one conclusion to draw from these figures, which can be substantiated by reference to the books of the county clerk and county treasurer. This conclusion is that the county's business, as conducted under the methods now in use, is bringing the desired results as found in a judicious and economical expenditure of the county funds. Reports filed by the county clerk and sheriff covering the first six months of the present year are on file at the courthouse and give the above information in more detail. The News fails to see any need for a change in the administration of the county's affairs and for that reason advocates the retention of County Judge Caster in the office.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Rose of Vancouver, Wash., spent the past week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Coolidge.

**PUBLIC UTILITY ACT OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO HOOD RIVER COUNTY**

The average citizen of Hood River should take a great deal of interest in the vote upon the Public Utility Act, known as the Malarkey Bill. It is really of more advantage to him than any other community in the State. In the first place, the Act proposes to place under control of the State Railway Commission all street railroads, electric light and gas plants. Supposing the average citizen of Hood River wanted to file a complaint against the Gas Company. All that he would have to do would be to file a complaint in regard to the rate charge or the service rendered, or any other feature that came within his rights. In other words, this commission will perform all the service of a local commission and have more authority than could possibly be granted to any local body. The authority of City Councils is limited to the wording found in the charter granted by the State of Oregon through its legislature. Usually charters are limited in their power, and, generally speaking, city councils have no right to regulate the rates charged by the public utility in operation here. In other words, if a city council wanted to reduce the price charged for gas or electricity or for anything else, it can only be accomplished through long litigation, examination by experts, and then possibly not know whether the true facts have been arrived at. With a state commission in operation, every statistical fact pertaining to the public utility will be on file. All of its books will be open to inspection and a uniform system of accounting must be established. This, coupled with the physical valuation which must be made at a public hearing, gives the citizen an opportunity to know just what he is getting for his money. This bill would have been a law a year ago had it not been held up by a bunch of politicians from Portland who invoked the referendum.

**When marking your ballot see to it that you put an X before 314 YES.**

(Paid Adv.)

**A good investment--an adv. in the News**

**First Christian Church.**  
 Regular services at the Christian church next Sunday as follows: Sunday School at 9:45. The superintendent invites all to be present on time and help swell the attendance to the limit.  
 Communion and preaching follow at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Unanswered Prayers, and Why." These services will be of special value to those who are interested in the welfare of this city and valley. Come and worship with us and get acquainted, for you will receive the glad hand of welcome at all times.  
 We cannot help what men want in the way of a saloon, but we can do our part in keeping out of this town and country the thing that tends to disgrace everything that it touches. Men, be patriotic and not so partisan. The patriot is the man who will fight the evil at home and abroad; the partisan is the man who will support party and suffer the greatest evil that this country ever experienced.  
 Lime and Spray--Kelly Bros., phone 227-M.  
 If you want insurance in companies that pay losses promptly and in full, call on A. W. Onthank.

Bluestone for sale by the Davidson Fruit Co. Hood River apples--the world's best.

**Is Your Wife or Mother Competent?**

Do you desire to go on record as maintaining that your wife or mother is not sufficiently intelligent to know whether the people of your community wish pure or foul food and water, clean or filthy streets, good or bad schools, honest or dishonest laws, temperance or intemperance, peace or war, corrupt or incorruptible legislators. If your wife or mother can judge for themselves in these matters let them have a chance.

**VOTE X 300 ON THE BALLOT**

Portland Equal Suffrage League, Mrs. Solomon Hirsch, Pres.  
 (Paid Adv.)

**Just Arrived**

New pack of Green and Ripe Olives  
 Mince Meat Apple Butter  
 Preserves Jellies  
 Canned Goods Heinz Pickles  
 Pure Maple Syrup  
 Home Made Sauer Kraut

at  
**THE STAR GROCERY**  
 "GOOD THINGS TO EAT"  
 PERIGO & SON

**Spokane Apple Show**

Excursion Fares  
 Via The North Bank Road

Round trip tickets will be sold by The North Bank Road November 10 to 16 inclusive, 1912, to Spokane from Underwood for \$12.20, White Salmon \$12.10, good to return until November 20.

Spokane trains leave Underwood 11:17 a. m. and 8:27 p. m.; White Salmon 12:04 p. m. and 9:33 p. m. daily.

**R. W. KESSELL, Agent,**  
 White Salmon, Wash.