

# SPECIAL NOTICE---BARDE & LEVITT'S MONSTROUS CLEARANCE SALE ENDS Saturday, Feb. 15th.--See Our Unmatchable Bargains

The general run of conversation in this store by all who have made us a visit has been, "How do you sell such beautiful merchandise at such big reductions." Never had they saw such immense bargains in Hood River. The answer is simple. Barde & Levitt never do things by halves. We put on a Clearance Sale and stock must move at once regardless of the cost. It is a plain business proposition with us---It should be with you. Call in and see the enormous sacrifice of merchandise to clean up in a hurry. Tables of Bargains. It will be a Money-Saving Event for You . . . . .

During Our Monstrous Clearance Sale We Offer Unmatchable Bargains in Men's, Young Men's and Boys' Suits, Overcoats, Shoes, Hats and Furnishings  
READ EVERY WORD OF THIS PARTIAL LIST OF OUR IMMENSE REDUCTIONS

We carry the largest and most carefully selected line of Clothing in Hood River; best of Patterns---all new. Blues, Greys, Browns, Tans and Mixtures in Worsteds, Velour Worsteds, Cassimeres and Tweeds. We want you to see these big Suit, Overcoat and Slipon Bargains. Here are our terrific Reductions now placed on Clearance Sale

\$12.50 Suits and Overcoats	\$ 7.35
\$15.00 Suits and Overcoats	9.35
\$20.00 Suits and Overcoats	12.85
\$25.00 Suits and Overcoats	15.95
\$18.00 Slipons	10.35

Big Clearance of Hats, new and staple shapes. Men buy your Hats here and save money.

\$2.00 Hats, all shapes	\$1.29
\$2.50 Hats, all shapes	\$1.68
\$3.00 Hats, all shapes	\$2.15
\$3.50 Hats, all shapes	\$2.65

Tremendous Sacrifice in Boys' Suits and O'Coats.

Boys' \$3.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$1.95
Boys' \$3.50 Suits and Overcoats	\$2.30
Boys' \$4.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$2.80
Boys' \$5.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$3.60
Boys' \$6.00 and \$7.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$4.40
Boys' 8.00 to \$10.00 Suits and Overcoats	\$6.35

Big Clearance Sale in Men's Trousers.

\$2.00 Trousers	\$1.20
\$2.50 Trousers	\$1.85
\$3.00 Trousers	\$2.15
\$3.50 Trousers	\$2.45
\$4.00 Trousers	\$3.20
\$5.00 Trousers	\$3.65

**SHOES**  
Shoes that are trade winners. Our shoe stock is complete and we carry everything that is NEW and UP-TO-DATE in all styles and leathers, as well as work shoes. See our big Shoe Bargains.

\$3.00 Dress or Work Shoes	\$1.90
\$3.50 Dress or Work Shoes	\$2.70
\$4.00 Dress or Work Shoes	\$2.90
\$4.50 Dress or Work Shoes	\$3.20
\$5.00 Dress or Work Shoes	\$3.65
\$6.50 High Cuts	\$4.65
\$7.50 and \$8.00 High Cuts	\$5.90

**FURNISHINGS**  
High Grade Furnishings during our End-Season Clearance Sale.

50c President Suspenders	29c
25c and 35c Suspenders	15c
25c and 35c Belts	18c
50c and 75c Belts	38c
15c Hose, black or tan	7c
20c Hose, 3 pr for 50c	11c
25c Silk Lisle Hose	19c

35c Silk Lisle Hose	21c
35c Wool Hose	18c
25c and 35c Neckwear	18c
25c Wool Gloves	18c
50c and 75c Wool Gloves	38c
75c Work Gloves	45c
\$1.00 Work Gloves	68c
\$2.00 Gauntlets	\$1.40
\$3.50 Auto Gloves	\$2.45
50c Work Shirts	29c
50c Fleece-lined Underwear	29c
\$1.00 Wool-fleeced Underwear	68c
50c Derby-ribbed, Medium Weight Underwear	33c
\$1.50 Union Suits	88c
\$3.00 Light Weight, Wool Union Suits	\$1.95
\$1.50 Coopers' Underwear	\$1.15
\$1.00 Dress Shirts	68c
\$1.50 Dress Shirts	\$1.15
\$2.00 Flannel Shirts	\$1.20
\$3.00 Cassimere Shirts, military collar	\$2.30
\$2.00 and \$2.25 Flannel Underwear	.89c
\$6.50 Roughneck Sweaters	\$4.35
\$8.00 Australian Wool Roughneck Sweaters	\$6.45

Blankets at Unheard of Bargains.

We Are Permanently Located Between First and Second Sts. on Oak Street East End of Hood River

## BARDE & LEVITT Hood River's New Clothing Store

Just a Word Please-- We stand back of every article sold. Money back if not as represented. We are here to stay

### Correspondence

**OAK GROVE**  
Last Thursday afternoon the Ladies Aid Society was entertained most joyfully by Mrs. Gladen and Mrs. An. draws, at the home of the latter.

Alberta Sutton spent last Friday with Miss Irwin at the Albright home.

The Oak Grove school started work last week in the new, modern-equipped brick building, of which the district is very proud.

Parents, do not forget to send your children to the Oak Grove Sunday School each Sunday at 2:30 p. m. church services immediately following.

Last Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. John English returned from their visit in Portland. The chickens were still crowing and their noble steed, Prince, still prancing, due to the daily kindness of George Gladen. Ask George about the screech owl.

Mr. Harn has moved into his new blacksmith shop.

An enthusiastic party of fifteen accompanied the Oak Grove basketball team to Odell last Saturday evening. A close, exciting game took place between the two school teams, scoring 24 to 25 in favor of Odell.

Crawford Lemmon has just returned home, having completed a special course in pruning at the O. A. C.

Miss Vinepps spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Earl. Tomorrow she leaves for other points in Oregon, California, New Mexico, Arizona, before returning to her home in Iowa.

**CENTRAL VALE**  
Will Jarvis, who has been spending the last three months with his brother Ralph Jarvis, left Saturday for his home in Minnesota.

Arthur Hansen of Pine Grove spent Sunday with his parents. He reports a lively time in Pine Grove.

Elmer Creson is attending school in Portland.

Walter Niehans went to Hood River Friday to attend the double-header basketball games played between the Dalles boys and Hood River High teams, also the Hood River and Dalles girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hansen and daughters, Bernice and Gertrude, went to Pine Grove Friday evening to attend the play, "Mr. Bob," which they report was a great success.

We are glad to see that Charlie Sheppard is home from the hospital,

where he has been laid up with a bad knee.

Mrs. Harry Furrow entertained the Willow Flat Whist Club at her home Saturday evening. Prizes were given to the winners, Mrs. George Smith of Pine Grove carrying off first prize for ladies, while Mr. Furrow, Sr., won the first prize for men. Paul Hansen, who had the least number of points, had to act as postmaster and distribute letters containing comic valentines for the guests. All reported a most enjoyable evening.

Charlie Allen went to Hood River Saturday to remain several days.

Mr. Olsen is visiting his parents in Dukes Valley.

Mr. Decker visited with the Johnsons over Sunday.

The infant child of E. Hepler has been suffering with a severe cold.

**UNDERWOOD**  
Harry Stickney returned last week from Corvallis.

Hunter Vinton left Wednesday, February 5, for Spokane after spending the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Vinton.

The students in the higher grades of the Underwood school have formed a debating society.

Miss Ruth Vinton is spending a few days with Mrs. H. M. Griener.

The little son of W. H. Galligan, who was very sick for a few days, is much improved.

H. M. Griener made a business trip to Portland Thursday.

Another Spelling Bee is planned between the Underwood and Chenoweth schools for Saturday evening, February 8. A good time is expected and the results are awaited with interest.

The contract has been let for the new high water dock at Underwood and the construction will commence at once.

H. W. Hamlin while at Corvallis was quite sick for a few days from ptomaine poisoning. He was, however, able to finish the course and has now gone to Pasadena, Cal., where he will make a stay of several weeks.

The Underwood Union Chapel Association invites everyone to hear Rev. J. L. Hershner of Hood River preach next Sunday afternoon, February 16, at 3 o'clock.

The mean annual temperature of the world is 50 degrees above Fahrenheit.

Denver is planning to hold a world's fair six or eight years hence.

Oregon potatoes are now in demand.

### THREE RATE CASES SET FOR HEARING

The State Railroad Commission will hold hearings February 26, 27 and 28. On the first date will be heard the case of O. M. Bailey vs. the Mount Hood Railroad at Hood River. The plaintiff alleges that the rates on the Mount Hood are excessive and unreasonable, and that the company does not provide adequate facilities at Parkdale.

Next the Commission will adjudicate the case of C. G. Sutherland vs. the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. This hearing will be held at the Multnomah county courthouse. The complaint is that the company has refused to carry baggage over its Estacada line. Also, at this time will be decided the complaint against the same concern, as to the adequacy of its system of fenders. This complaint is preferred by Thomas M. Rodgers, Mrs. L. Carley and T. H. Ruddy.

On February 28, the Commission will hear the arguments of the Portland Railway Light & Power Company in favor of discontinuing its line out of Oregon City to Canemah. The traction company has asked that it be allowed to make this change.

### PARKDALE NOTES

(deferred from last week)

Sleighing is almost gone but the young folks are making good use of the snow while it lasts.

Chester Clark, the village blacksmith, is making improvements on his new home.

Charles Steinhauser and wife returned last week from New York.

Miss Elizabeth London is up from Portland spending a few days at the Candee ranch.

Miss Pearl Hoover of Indiana, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hardman, left for a few months trip to Portland where she will send Miss Lucile Hardman to school.

J. W. Simmons left on a business trip to Portland for a few days.

A. C. Sallenbach left Monday for a few days' visit in Portland.

**Camps to Be Electrified**  
Marshfield: Electrically operated logging camps is the plan of the Smith Lumber Company here. The company is planning to electrify all its plants in this county. In addition to the work that is now being performed by donkey engines, each camp will be supplied with a new electrically operated saw for cutting trees.

### EXPLORERS PERISH NEAR SOUTH POLE

Oamaura, N. Z.—Captain Robert F. Scott and his party were overwhelmed by a blizzard on their return journey from the South Pole. The entire party perished.

The total number of deaths involved in the calamity is not exactly known, but it is believed 66 scientists and sailors lost their lives.

Captain Scott's party reached the exact point where Roald Amundsen planted the Norwegian flag at the South Pole. They found there the hut constructed and left behind by Amundsen's party.

These facts were recorded in the documents found on the bodies of the explorers when they were recovered.


**Boise Banker Guilty.**  
Boise, Idaho.—Edward Payne, president of the defunct Boise State bank, who was tried on the charge of falsifying the reports of the condition of the bank to the state bank commissioner, was found guilty by the jury. Eugene Payne, cashier of the bank, tried on the same charge, was acquitted.

**TELEPHONE STRIKE LIKELY**  
Employees of Bell System on Coast to Take Walkout Vote.  
Portland.—Unless the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph company—the Bell company—grants the employees of its mechanical departments an increase in wages within ten days, every lineman, switchboard man, table man, test board man, wire chief and utility man in Oregon, Washington, Idaho, California and Arizona will go out on strike, and it is possible that the girl operators will go out in sympathy.

The Bell people pay their mechanical employees \$3.75 a day, and since the first of the year officials of the company have been negotiating with a committee representing the men who are demanding an increase.

**THE MARKETS.**  
Portland.  
Wheat—Club, 85c; bluestem, 94c; red Russian, 83c.  
Hay—Timothy, \$14; alfalfa, \$12.  
Butter—Creamery, 36c.  
Eggs—Candled, 29c.  
Hops—1912 crop, 17c.  
Wool—Eastern Oregon, 14c; Willamette valley, 20c.

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