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PATTERN HATS REDUCED

Two lots of them. The acme of Parisian style—all worth every cent of the regular marked price. This sale will enable many ladies to have a more bonnet for a neat saving. Don't miss it.

24 Pattern Hats: \$5.00
45 Pattern Hats: \$3.98
values to \$7.50

A ROUSING SILK SALE

Printed Foulards, Indias & Liberty Silks

Silks desirable in every particular—the kinds you want. The chance of the season's best silks. It's worth your while to buy for future needs. Next season you'll find them even more popular than now, but at higher prices.

Values: 50c to \$1.00
now now now now
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White Goods Sale
600 yards placed on sale yesterday to continue this week. Lace striped lawns, checked India laines, plisse weaves, dotted Swisses, and plaid, striped and checked nainsooks.

Men's Underwear Opening
Lightweight Summer lines now complete in Dairbrigan, Merino, Cashmere, Silk and Lisle, Silk and Linen, and Linen

SPECIAL THIS WEEK—
Suk finish hairbrigan elastic suspenders and drawers; extra good 50c value, now 35c ea

Note Our Shoe Offers
CHILDREN'S TAN SHOES—SIZES 11 to 2, cloth or kid tops; regular price, \$1.25; this sale \$1.08 pr

LADIES' LEGGINGS—Of canvas or lightweight cotton; regular price, \$1.25; this sale 39c pr

LADIES' SHOES—Black or tan vici kid, worth \$1.50; now \$1.68 pr

BICYCLE SHOES—Black or tan, 14-inch toe; values \$2.50; now \$2.98 pr

GLORIA \$2.50 SHOES—Are revolutionizing the shoe business. They are a manufacturer's direct style, perfect-fitting comfortable shoes that look and wear as well as you'd pay \$4.00 for.

Hammock Time Now
An elegant line on our fourth floor. Spreaders, pillows, valances, etc., ranging from 75c to \$4.00 each. Topia Chair Hammocks, \$4.00 each.

Lipman Wolfe & Co.

ANOTHER SURPRISE

Tailor-Made Suits

It will be a difficult thing to surprise the public again by a tailor-made suit transaction, for we have done a good deal of that kind of thing in the past few weeks, and the most startling price reductions have become the Lipman-Wolfe matter-of-course. But we think these tailor-made suits will surprise you at their prices, whatever your past experience. There are 85 of these tailor-made suits, made in the latest styles and of the most approved materials, and of finest workmanship. We have sold quantities of suits exactly like these at \$20.00, \$22.50 and \$25.00, and called them splendid values—which they were. Take these at

\$14.50

EACH

ON SALE TOMORROW AND FRIDAY ONLY

MEIER & FRANK CO.

HUNDREDS TURNED AWAY

EAST SIDE REPUBLICANS HELD A BIG RALLY.

ANNUAL SPECIAL OFFERINGS OF TOILET ARTICLES

A very remarkable event is this Annual Occurrence in Toilet Goods. It has attained a popularity that is unique. To the multitude of observing shoppers who, in past years, have participated in its bargain benefits, nothing need be said further than that the sale will commence this morning.

To those who are strangers to this event we say that attendance will easily convince them that it gives beyond any contradiction

PORTLAND'S GREATEST PURCHASING OPPORTUNITIES IN TOILET ARTICLES

- #### SPECIALS IN BRUSHES
- 5000 Tooth Brushes: Usually 10c each, Special 7c; Usually 12c each, Special 10c; Usually 15c each, Special 12c
 - 1000 Bath Brushes: Usually 25c each, Special 19c; Usually 30c each, Special 23c; Usually 35c each, Special 26c
 - 2000 Nail Brushes: Usually 15c each, Special 12c; Usually 20c each, Special 16c; Usually 25c each, Special 20c
 - 1000 Hand Scrubs: Usually 4c each, Special 3c; Usually 5c each, Special 4c; Usually 6c each, Special 5c
 - 1500 Cloth Brushes: Usually 25c each, Special 19c; Usually 30c each, Special 23c; Usually 35c each, Special 26c
- #### ASSAULTED WITH STONES.
- Murderous Attack by Longshoremen on Two Foremen.
- Al Young and James Kennedy, foremen for Brown & McCabe, were terribly assaulted yesterday by some longshoremen working under them. Patrick Kneel and William Bennett met Young on Second and Burnside and without warning beat him brutally in the face with their fists, and after they had him down, kicked him in several parts of the body so as to cause severe bruises.
- #### GETTING READY.
- Freight Piling Up for Cape Nome at Ainsworth Dock.
- Ainsworth dock is a lively place these days. Heavy mining machinery, boilers, engines, etc., are rapidly accumulating for shipment to Cape Nome. Twenty or more men are handling the freight, and they are actively hustling. The dock office of the California & Oregon Coast Steamer Company was full of men yesterday preparing freight to the Cape Nome district, and another crowd was being sent to the Washington street ticket office. There has already accumulated 100 tons of Government freight for the Yukon River steamers. This will be distributed to the several Government military posts.
- #### WANTED VERSATILE TALENTS
- Application for "Female Help" That Is a Curiosity.
- This week the Home for Unemployed Women received the following application, evidently written in good faith. It is published just as received, the name only being omitted.
- A middle-aged, single gentleman would like to find a respectable, healthy young lady, who can cook, sew, and read music. If needs be, either a young lady who has never been married, or a young widow, with daughter, and no other dependents, neat, genteel, and able to appear refined in good society, and church, or any refined place. I know of a good home for such as the above.
- P. S.—There might be one or two others in the family, or not, as agreed upon. To be at the remainder of day week, including the Saturday matinee, which promises to be another record-breaker.

MITCHELL KNIFE IS OUT

SLAUGHTER OF THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET BEGINS.

Pierce Mays Indorses Straight Republican Candidates to Smooth the Way for Himself.

The Mitchell-McBrideletes have already begun to knife the hybrid county ticket. Proof of this has been furnished by no less a person than Franklin F. Mays, one of the ex-Republican nominees on the so-called Citizens ticket. In a speech before the West Portland Republican Club, Saturday night, Mays made statements which show that the knife is out, and out, too, for every nominee on the ticket except Mays.

At the outset of the campaign the Mitchell-McBride crowd aimed their fight at Donald Mackay and J. Thorburn Ross, two of the regular Republican nominees for state Senators, and planned to accomplish this by concentrating their vote as much as possible upon R. D. Inman, Bryan Democrat, and Dr. Andrew C. Smith, Republican. The great strength developed by Senator Mackay and Mr. Ross rendered a change of plan imperative, and Pierce Mays was pitched against the hybrid ticket. The Mitchell-McBrideletes for Mays arises from the fact that he is their ardent and especial champion. He pulled the wires for them in 1898, and again in 1899, and now as a reward for his fidelity to their interests is made to shoulder the burden. They figure that if they elect Mays they will have won a famous victory. No matter what Republicans are slaughtered in the effort, they want Pierce Mays for Senator.

How the ambitious Mr. Mays came to be at West Portland is a mystery. It is a secret known only to himself. A regular Republican rally had been advertised, and as Mr. Mays is not a regular Republican he was not on the cards for a speech. John K. Kollock and George L. Story, Republican nominees for Representatives; J. G. Mack and William Showers, Republican candidates for County Commissioners, and Douglas M. Pipes, Republican, were invited to address the club. The driver took them by way of Sylvan, and it was 9 o'clock when they reached the meeting place. Charles H. Carey, a Mitchell leader of renown, and Carl Brandes, a deputy clerk of the State Circuit Court, were already on hand, and Mays had taken time by the forelock and distributed his election cards. Mr. Davis took in the situation at a glance and acted promptly. Calling aside Ed Wood, president of the club, he said that he and his associates had come to West Portland as Republicans to address a Republican gathering, and he would object to Mays or Carey being called upon for a speech. Mr. Wood said they should not be called upon. The meeting began. Messrs. Davis, Kollock, Mack and Showers made addresses for the Republican ticket. Mr. Kollock said, among other things, that he had come to West Portland to roll up a majority as big as Mount Hood, to show the people of the United States that Oregon is a Republican state. The meeting appeared to be at an end, but some one gave it a fresh start by calling on Carl Brandes for a speech. Brandes arose and blandly answered that he was not a talker, and would decline in favor of "my friend, Mr. Mays." The Citizens seized the opportunity for a rhetorical display, taking his cue from Mr. Kollock's expressed wish for a big Republican majority next month. He did not say that he would give Mays the nod, but he meant as much. He, too, was interested in Republican success in June, and he hoped that the majority would be bigger than Mount Hood. Mr. Mays, however, Mr. Mays professed to be, he made no promise to get off the ticket that is doing its utmost to destroy the Republican majority in Oregon. As an excuse for his being on the ticket, he said the Republican way of conducting its affairs and the method of collecting taxes were unsatisfactory to him. Messrs. Kollock and Story, he said, are good men, and he has no objection to them. Doubtless this compliment, well meant as it was, will not meet the approval of Heltekemper, Holcomb, Ericson, Tarpney, et al., against whom Kollock and Story are running, and whom Mays is honor-bound to support. Continuing his bouquet-throwing, Mays said that Messrs. Mack and Showers are good business men, and would make good County Commissioners. There is no doubt of this, but Mr. Mays is pledged to support the Citizens nominees for County Commissioners, and Messrs. Showers and Mack are not on the ticket. The Citizens candidates are J. W. Shattuck, of Gresham, who was nominated in the Democratic city and county convention as being "as solid as ever St. Paul," and Ludwig Wilhelm, "who has been a resident of Portland for 30 or 40 years, and pays taxes to the amount of \$700 or \$800 or \$900 a year. He is a German; he speaks the German language fluently, and is very popular among the Germans. He is a strong prober, and has two or three bicycles in his family. Shattuck and Wilhelm cannot be blamed if they call Mays to account for his showing indorsement of their Republican opponents. The money that Wilhelm has saved by nailing up his own election cards will be lost if Mays continues this frightful slaughter.

The Mitchell-McBride knife is unsheathed, and it will be out until election day.

MR. BOOTH IN A CAUCUS.

An Inquiry as to Whether He Has Defined His Course.

ROSEBURG, Or., May 20.—(To the Edi-

tor.)—It is generally reported here that R. A. Booth, Republican candidate for Joint Senator in Douglas, Josephine and Lane Counties, has communicated to his friends a decided view on the Senatorial question. They are substantially that he has a choice for the Senatorship, and if it appears likely that he cannot succeed, he (Booth) will not go into caucus; or, if he did go in and some other were to succeed, he would lead a bolt against the nominee. It seems incredible that any candidate would before election of a certain Democratic candidate for the cause of any particular Senatorial aspirant; and, second, that he would take an attitude as to a caucus, likely to give offense to many supporters. I am not venturing too much when I declare that the Republicans in this district as a whole think the Senatorial contest should be settled by Republicans in a Republican caucus. Large numbers of our Legislature should thus determine his course before the time comes when the merits of the several candidates may be properly considered by the voters. I am not venturing too much when I declare that the Republicans in this district as a whole think the Senatorial contest should be settled by Republicans in a Republican caucus. Large numbers of our Legislature should thus determine his course before the time comes when the merits of the several candidates may be properly considered by the voters. I am not venturing too much when I declare that the Republicans in this district as a whole think the Senatorial contest should be settled by Republicans in a Republican caucus. Large numbers of our Legislature should thus determine his course before the time comes when the merits of the several candidates may be properly considered by the voters.

OFFICIAL BALLOT PREPARED.

Names to the Number of 152 Constituent Multnomah's List.

County Clerk Holman has prepared the form of the official ballot, and yesterday a number of candidates called and proffered their names to the clerk for the office of the Supreme Court, is unlikely No. 12, and his opponent, Judge Volverson, will, of course, have a complete walk-over.

R. E. Sewall, District Attorney, is No. 24, and Judge M. C. George 24.

The Legislative candidates consume No. 27 to 85, inclusive. Sheriff Frazier is the coming candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court, is unlikely No. 12, and his opponent, Judge Volverson, will, of course, have a complete walk-over.

Professor Robinson has No. 113, Surveyor John A. Hurlburt III, Coroner Rand 120, Justice Kramer 122, and Mayor Rowe 123. The city ticket takes in Nos. 129 to 149, and the Constitutional amendments, etc., 152 to 158, inclusive.

TO ARRANGE CELEBRATION.

Business Men Will Meet Tonight to Plan for the Fourth.

Every firm in Portland is expected to have a representative at the meeting to be held at 8 o'clock P. M. in the committee-room of the City Hall, to discuss the Fourth of July celebration. The time for arrangements is short, and immediate action is absolutely necessary. This year's arrangements must be conducted without the usual canvases and long preparation. As business men are united in the purpose that Portland shall not permit the day to pass without a celebration, the occasion will be a test of the spontaneity with which firms will come forward and do their duty.

As a celebration is discussed there are many features of attractiveness and interest that appear within reach of the management. Captain Maitz, of the Bomber Cavalry Troop, is said to be willing to bring his men to the city by the Fourth and then wait the intervening days until the beginning of the excitement, July 7. The presence of the Seventh Infantry, to be stationed at Vancouver, may possibly be had. All of the Third Regiment, O. N. G., is on the ground, and it is possible that other commands could be arranged for. This is merely relative to the military part of the programme, and shows what can be produced if work is commenced. In other classes of attractions abundance of material also seems at hand. All that is necessary is for the citizens to hold a big meeting this evening, have everybody represented, and all go forth from the meeting prepared and ready to do a proper share of the work. Neither General Sumners, who calls the meeting, nor any other individual, will shoulder the burden. All of the firms must cooperate, and that with all possible haste. By this means the celebration can be made such a success as the city will feel proud of, and the expense and trouble will rarely be felt.

THE FASTEST TIME.

The fastest time from the Pacific Coast to Chicago is 70 hours. This time is made only by the O. R. & N. Co.'s trains, the "Chicago-Portland Special" and the "Atlantic Express." These two trains, one leaving in the morning and the other in the evening, are equipped with the new safety devices, and are steam-heated and gas-lighted throughout. Another train, the "Spokane Flyer," leaving Portland at 6 P. M., carries through equipment for the East via Spokane and the Great Northern. This train will land you in St. Paul in 60 hours, or hours ahead of any other train.

Ticket office, 20 Third street, corner Oak

Specials in Cloak Dept.

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE SUITS
All our regular \$25.00 and \$32.50 suits, in assorted styles; and the following materials: Homosapien, covers, English Cheviots, and Venetians, in black, blue, brown, tan, camel and green. Our catalogue for \$15.50.

LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS
Black and blue cheviot serges; our regular \$5 lines, each, \$3.55

PETTICOATS
Ladies' Black Saten Petticoats, accordion pleated, ruffled or double flounced; regular \$2.50 lines; each, \$1.78

WRAPPERS
Ladies' Percale Wrappers, light and dark colors, neatly trimmed with braids or embroidery, ruffle over shoulder and full flounce; regular \$2.50; each, \$1.82

Bargains in Ladies' Trimmed Hats

A magnificent assortment of the latest styles at the following reduced prices.

All of our regular \$12.50 Hats: \$9.25 each
All of our regular \$8.00 and \$9.00 Hats: \$6.50 each
All of our regular \$7.00 Hats: \$4.95 each
All of our regular \$5.50 Hats: \$3.75 each

Silks and Dress Goods

High-class Novelty Foulard Silks; regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 value; per yard, \$1.19

Black Striped Taffeta, 40 in. wide; per yard, \$1.19

Verailles Serges, stripes and plaids; pastel colorings, 44 inch wide; per yard, \$1.19

Ladies' Gowns

Moslin and Cambric Night Gowns, handsomely trimmed in crepe and satin; every; regular price, \$2.50; each, \$1.93

Summer Goods

Dimite Satin Rays, a new silk striped fabric, light, medium and dark colors; regular price, 65c per yard; special price, 50c per yard.

BICYCLE SUITINGS
54 inches wide in black, blue, brown, tan and Oxford; per yard, \$1.50

Ladies' Oxford Ties
Tan or black, with fancy silk vesting regular price, \$1.87; special price, \$1.23

Embroidery Specials
1 and 1 1/2-inch insertions, cambric and nainsook; per yard, 9c
Cambric Embroidery, 1 1/2 inch widths; per yard, 9c

LADIES' HANDBAGS
Hemstitched and Lace trimmed; each, 10c

CHILDREN'S WHITE DRESSES
Sample line, sizes 6 months to 3 years; regular price, \$1.75; each, \$1.98

Basement Specials
Decorated Haviland China, Cup and Saucer, 23c
Silver-plated Fruit Knives, per set of six, 54c
Cut-glass Olive Dish, \$2.37
Eric-a-Brac Dusters; each, 11c

CRUQUET SETS
We are showing 12 different styles of Croquet sets, among which are:
Good 4-ball sets at \$1.85
Good 6-ball sets at \$1.00
Good 8-ball sets at \$1.35

Of Interest to Men

Men's All-Wool Fancy Flannel Outing Suits, \$9.50 to \$12.50 a suit.
Men's Lawns, Tennis suits, Pure wool, White Flannel, or Fancy Flannel, \$10 and \$12.50 a suit.

BICYCLE SUITS
Men's and Boys—A good assortment of patterns, \$5, \$6.50 and \$7.50 a suit.

BICYCLE TROUSERS
\$2.25 to \$4 a pair.

BICYCLE CAPS
Cloth or Linen, 25c, 50c and 75c each.

LEATHER BELTS
All styles and colors; prices, each, from \$1.50 to \$2.50

BICYCLE HOSE
All the latest effects, per pair, 50c to \$1.50.

SWEATERS
Pure Wool in various weights and colors; prices from \$2.50 to \$5.00

SPECIAL
Men's Ballbrigan Underwear, double-seated drawers; per garment, 39c

BOYS' SAILOR SUITS
\$1.75 to \$3.50 a suit.

BOYS' WASHABLE SUITS
Crash and Percale; sizes 2 to 10 years, 50c, 60c and 75c a suit.

SPECIAL
Boys' All-Wool Knee Pants, black and navy chevots; sizes 4 to 15 years; a pair, \$1.00
Each given with all Boys' Suits.

HAMMOCKS
Woven cord, linen finish Hammock; size 38x50 inches, with valance, head and foot spreader; each, \$1.00
Canvas Weave, 60x80 inches, with pillow and spreader; each, \$1.35
Extra heavy 2-ply warp Hammocks, with wide valance, pillow, etc.; size 6x 84 inches; each, \$3.50
See our new woven steel wire Hammocks. They will not rust.

MEIER & FRANK CO.

Great Special on Man-Tailored Suits

For Wednesday and Thursday Only

Fine Man-Tailored Suits, made in the Eton-jacket and tight-fitting effects, in the finest materials, such as Venetian, Cheviot, Covert, Serges and Broadcloth. The jackets of these suits are lined in Taffeta Silk, and the skirts are made in the newest effects.

These suits we sell regularly at \$17.50 and \$20.00.

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reserved for women. The galleries here had been decorated with flags of all nations, and festooned with bunting, and the hall surpassed the appearance it made in its palmiest days, when it was the resort of the wealth and fashion of Portland. Mr. Clinton will be furnished by solos, quarets and a full brass band, and some of the songs on local election topics will be found very much to the point. The speakers will be: D. Solis Cohen, M. L. Pipes, Major J. P. Kennedy, and others well worth hearing.

OPEN-AIR MEETING.

Republicans Will Carry the War Into Egypt.

The First and Second Ward Republican Clubs will hold a unique open-air meeting at the corner of Twentieth and Sawyer streets on Thursday evening, May 24. The speakers who will address the crowd will be: H. S. Rowe, D. Solis Cohen, George W. Stapleton, and S. C. Spencer. Oregonian will furnish the music, and it is expected that all of the candidates on the Republican ticket will be present. The speeches will be short and entertaining. A station near the corner will be used for the speakers. A good time is promised. This will be the last grand rally at North Portland. Everybody is cordially invited.

Republican Speakers.

The Republican State Central Committee has made the following announcements of speakers:
Judge M. L. Pipes will close the campaign at Astoria June 2. Preparations are being made for a great rally.
Walter L. Toose, of Woodburn, will speak at Astoria May 28.
Hon. S. M. Yonah of Eugene, has gone to Eastern Oregon to fill dates in Gilliam, Sherman and Morrow Counties. He may visit Wheeler County.
Hon. J. D. Lee is making a canvass with county nominees in Josephine County.
George W. Stapleton will address the Republican Club of Independence at 1 P. M. Saturday.
Wallace McCamant will begin a campaign tour of Wasco and Crook Counties Friday. He will speak at Dufur, Antelope, Prineville, Haystack and probably one or two other places.

Direct Primary Nominations.

A. S. Dresser, of Oregon City, Republican candidate for Joint Representative for Multnomah and Clackamas Counties, was in Portland yesterday. Speaking of direct primary nominations, he said: "The campaign in Clackamas County the Republicans have been in favor of a law providing for direct primary nominations. I have given much study to the plan, and I heartily indorse it. Our people want something simple and practical, that will meet present and existing conditions. I am in favor of an effective and practical primary law, and of any legislation that will improve the conduct of elections."

Linton Sound-Money Republicans.

The Sound-Money Republican Club of Linton, at its biennial election, elected the following officers: President, W. J. Miller; vice-president, Leroy Carr; secretary, Elwood Quay; treasurer, Clarence F. Bevens.

This club was organized in 1896, in the interest of sound money and good government. After the election nine new members joined the club. The gold standard was indorsed by a rising vote, which was unanimous. The sentiment of the club was in favor of expansion, and the retention

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