Suit Sale Extraordinary

We have 47 highly tailored suits left from last season, ranging in price from \$12.50 to \$35.00. Commencing this morning, we offer them at the remarkable price of

Styles almost identical with this season, and all the leading colors are to be found in the lot. Be prompt in your coming if you would profit by this remarkable offering.



Come and see us about your

SPRING MILLINERY

We'll outfit you in accord with these bright, cheery Spring days. Our millinery parlors are abloom with stylish headwear. reasonably priced.

Make a note on your shopping list of our

Spring Opening of Muslin Underwear

and see all the bright, catchy new things we show in ladies' lingerie. (Second Floor Annex)

IF YOU WANT TO MAKE UP

WHITE GOODS FOR LATER USE

See our new lines of Dimities, Organdies, Lace Lawns, Nainsooks, Cambrics, etc., Just opened. WHITE WILL PRE-DOMINATE THIS SUMMER.

May Standard Fashions and Designer Magazines ARE HERE

The Designer is filled with fashion hints on Spring garments of all kinds, millinery, hair dressing and fancy work, besides choice literature and attractive stories. Single copies, 10c. Subscriptions, \$1.00 year.

(First Floor Annex.)

Just the weather for our

BARGAINS IN FOULARD SILK

At pattern counter.

The favorite dress silk for Summer wear. All new patterns and best Spring colorings, in our 60c grade. THIS WEEK 47c yard

FAIR OF 1905 ENLARGING ITS SCOPE.

Chairman Long Makes a Verbal Report to Joint Committee-President May Break Ground.

rapidly, and is already reaching out for times between now and 1906, the amount California, New Mexico, Old Mexico, the could be brought up to respectable proportions, but according to the act of the and the Philippines, as measures will be taken to send agents to these different regions and acquaint the leading people has no doubt, however, about the tax of Oregon's intention to observe the cen- being voted. tennial of the occupancy of the Pacific

At the joint meeting of the commit tees from the Board of Trade, Chamber tees from the Board of Trade, Chamber arrives. This will defer the incorporators of Commerce and Manufacturers' Asso-from placing the stock on the market. M. Long's office. Chamber of Commerce building. Mr. Long stated that all the building. Mr. Long stated that all the preliminary work for the big exposition preliminary work for the big exposition had been done in the Northwestern considering the concordance of neighbor. had been done in the Northwestern considering the work that has been done in obtaining the concordance of neighborhad returned from Washington, Idaho, Utah. Montana and Colorado after having impressed the various Legislatures with the magnitude of Oregon's undertaking, he said and official recognition of \$500, which will be required to draw from before the enterprise to the considering the work that has been done in obtaining the consordering states and British Columbia. A committee was therefore appointed yesterday by Mr. Long to solicit subscriptions to a fund of \$500, which will be required to draw from before the enterprise properties. taking, he said, and official recognition had followed by the appointment of state commissioners, and memoralizing Congress for direct aid toward the enter-

"British Columbia has manifested very cordial sentiments toward the enter-prise." Mr. Long continued, but the head men up there don't want it to be given a local name. They suggested that a map be gotten up by the exposition commiser, showing the whole Pacific Coast from Mexico to Alaska, and obliterating state lines. The term 'Lewis & Clark,' while very acceptable to the people of the Northwest, will find objection across the British line, as Lewis and Clark were very instrumental in saving the Northtern States for Uncle Sam, when they might now be prosperous British colo-nies. The British Columbians have a sacred memory for a certain Scotchman, who drifted down Fraser River, about the time Lewis and Clark were paddling down the Columbia, and comparisons might therefore be odious.

"But British Columbia will be found represented at the exposition by a fine building and a mineral exhibit that will will raise some \$50,000, and then the mondazzle the eyes of all visitors, according to the calculations of the colonists now, and the Canadian Government at Ottawa will be asked for a handsome appropriation to cover the expenses, Governor Brady, of Alaska, is also enthusiastically

in favor of the exposition.
"Colorado will have a big mineral dis-play and as the people of Colorado never do things by halves, the colonists may find that there are other mining centers whose people are not afraid to show their

California has not yet been approached in regard to the exposition, because we wanted to be sure of the indorsement of the Northwest before we went South. As Governor Geer is likely to go to San Francisco to meet President McKinley next month, he will be the bearer of a message to Governor Gage, of that state, and thus the ball will be started rolling there. New Mexico and Old Mexico will

expenses while talking up the enterprise with the leading men. All he asks is transportation, which I am sure will be

"President McKinley, when he reaches Portland, will very likely break ground for the exposition, and suggest a name. Of course the exact location of the buildhas not yet been decided on, but Mr. McKinley can break ground formally in one of the Park blocks. He has been communicated with on the subject, and does not seem unwilling, if the

REACHING OUT ABROAD reception committee can arrange matters so that no inconvenience may result." Senator Corbett, who is chairman of the Oregon Exposition Commission, was present at the meeting yesterday, and made many timely suggestions in regard to the details. He thought "Pacific Oriental Centennial" would be an appropriate title, but he would like to hear from others on the matter. The President, of course, should be notified or given time to think over what was expected of him when he comes to Portland. Senator Corbett also thought that a tax of 2 mills on the assessed valuation of Portland would not be "very filling," as \$190,000 would The 1965 exposition project is expanding the tax could be levied twice or three once, as the people of Portland have to vote on the proposition in June, 1902. He

Everything is now in readiness for filing articles of incorporation, except the title of the exposition, which will perhaps not be decided on until President McKinley ciation, held yesterday afternoon, in J. and in the meantime money will be vers, H. C. Campbell and Colonel James

> Mr. Long was authorized to draw up a prospectus of the exposition, to be sent abroad, acquainting persons interested with the purposes and resources of the He will select his associates

AMOUNT OF MONEY REQUIRED.

City May Vote to Tax Itself \$50,000 for a Starter.

The Oregonian is asked to etate how much money the City of Portland is required to guarantee, in order to secure the Lewis and Clark Exposition here in The guaranty of no specific sum is required, but it will be necessary that a considerable sum of money shall be raised and on hand in order to have the fair. It is provided that the citizens of Portland shall vote, at the next June election on the question of levying a twoeyed citizens must subscribe say \$250,000 more. After this is done the Legislature then Congress will be appealed to for an appropriation for the exposition. As to ditions and markets. I cannot agree with appropriation for the exposition. As to whether the exposition will be held or not, it all depends upon the necessary amount of money being raised. The prospects appear favorable for securing the necessary amount. It would be the proper thing to levy a two-mill tax every year from now to 1905 for exposition purposes. to 1905 for exposition purposes, as this would make the raising of the money required a much easier proposition.

Superintendent Ferguson yesterday put a Sellwood man to work cleaning streets at Sellwood, who will be engaged about one week. Owing to the condition of the sidewalks, crosswalks and streets at Sellwood only the gutters and crosswalks can be cleaned, but with there. New Mexico and Old Mexico will be attended to later on.

"As to the Hawaiian Islands, the Philippines and the countries of the Orient, we have a man in view who offers to visit these places, armed with credentials from the exposition commission, and to spend geveral months, paying his own expenses while talking up the enterprise with the leading men. All he asks is transportation, which I am sure will be streets at Sellwood only the gutters and crosswalks can be cleaned, but with the movement inaugurated, there are prospects of complete cleaning up of all Sellwood. All vacant blocks are to be cleaned of rubbish, Brush and stumps are to be burned. This is under the direction of the Sellwood Sub-Board of Trade, which makes an earnest appeal to the owners of all property to co-operate in this work. Mr. Ferguson also has placed a force at work in McMillen's we should have to buy our raw material placed a force at work in McMillen's addition and will give the streets there a thorough cleaning. East Side streets generally are being cleaned up.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

If Baby Is Cutting Teeth,

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Today's Extraordinary Offering of FRAMED

We have had some remarkable picture selling in our picture store, as most people in Portland know, but we don't think we have ever equaled the picture bargains offered in today's sale-which are offered

At Half Price.

and many at a third and a quarter regular prices. From an artistic standpoint the pictures are vastly superior to all previous offerings.

500 exquisite colored pictures in white mat with gilt edge. Regular price \$2.50, special

\$1.25

1000 framed platinum pictures, over 200 selected subjects, in black and gold mat and frame. Regular price 50c, special at

25c

200 carbon platinum pictures in heavy hardwood oak frames. Regular price \$1.50, special

75c

300 framed platinum pictures in black and gold mat and frame. Regular price 40c, special at

19c

500 colored pictures, size 16x 18 in., black and gold mat and frame. Regular price, \$1.25, Special

50c

The Fallowfield-Hunt pictures. Very popular for dens and living rooms. Regular price 75c special at

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Sunny South pictures, framed in black hardwood frames. Special at

25c

200 racing pictures, reproduced in colors in black frames. Regular price 50c, special at

25c

200 large coaching pictures, reproduced in colors in black frames. Regular price 75c, special at

39c

300 English racing pictures mounted on red mats. Special

19c

Shirt Waists

All that is new in the Shirt Waist world is shown here today. A big shipment of the latest shirt waist creations will be displayed today-received by express from New York. A special offering in shirt waists will add to the interest of our display, as we offer today

100 Grass Linen Shirt Waists, with colored polka dot embroidery and hemstitched front and cuffs, and de 1

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WOOLEN MILLS CERTAIN

ALL THAT REMAINS IS TO SELECT A GOOD SITE.

Factory Will Be in Operation by Fall-Plans of the Port-

land Company. Portland's woolen mill is a surety. The oney is ready. All that remains to be

done is to select a site. The Portland Woolen Mills Cmpany, which is behind the enterprise, will begin in a modest way with a capital of \$50,000. It will manufacture goods for which experience has taught there is a market at home and abroad. It is the purpose of the pro-moters to have the factory in operation by Fall. Such was the statement of W. P. Olds, president of the company, to an Oregonian reporter yesterday. "There is no doubt that the woolen mills

will be a go," Mr. Olds continued. "To "The ing a site, and we are giving it careful consideration. We are looking at a num-ber of places in the vicinity of Portland, and will pick out the one which offers the greatest inducement in the way of economical production. Most of our machinery we have already bought from the Dallas mill, and we are negotiating for the remainder.

"I have heard it said that a woole ditions and markets, I cannot agree with this position. Still, if anyone desires to come here with \$500,000 capital I shall goods which one finds in the markets of the world. We shall manufacture what we know we can make economically and the sum of \$27,394.20 was realized at the well and sell at a profit. Among these I might class clothes for men's wear, and blankets. The experience of the Dallas

we should have to buy our raw material from the South, which is several thou-sands of miles away from us. The Pacific Coast manufacturer of woolen goods can get wool cheaper than his Eastern com-petitor for the reason that the East buys petitor for the reason that the East only its wool from the West and pays freight in addition to the original cost of raw material. In shipping manufactured goods, Coast manufacturers have the advantage over those of the East in that the ply to the court for authority to declare the court for authority for declare the court for authority for authority for authority for declare the court for authority for authority for authority for

duct at home and shipping the finished goods to the Eastern market at about the same rate that raw wool takes is an important one.

"We shall put a small amount of our stock on the market, but the control of the company will continue in the hands of those who have organized it. We hope it will not be inferred from this time that we are setting up a speculative en-terprise, or that we are trying to get \$2 for \$1. It is a plain business undertaking to be conducted by men who have given careful study to the manufacture and

land Savings Bank.

have been somewhat reduced by a recent decision of the Supreme Court of the state allowing a claim for \$41,000 which The report is very voluminous, giving a description of each asset, what it brought and who purchased it. At the time of presenting the report the receiver filed a petition asking that the sale be confirmed in all respects, and that he be authorized to execute dash. Yesterday Receiver Nixon filed with the named, as shown by the quarterly exam-

auction sale, the different kinds of as-sets realizing as follows:

Total\$27,394 20 The sale did not include some 5000 acres of timber land in Tillamook County, and some 10,000 acres in Klamath County, both of which tracts were sold by the receiver

raw material costs them less, and that the freight rate to be East on a pound of manufactured goods is practically the same as that of a pound of raw wool. The advantage of utilizing the raw pro-

come here with \$500,000 capital I shall not complain. A big mill would not hurt our enterprise. For our company, I will say that what we do will be done economically and well. We are going to prove what can be done with a woolen mill at Portland, and then if there is business in sight we shall enlarge. We are not going into business with the idea of manufacturing all the grades of woolen goods which one finds in the markets of began to execute deeds and make assign-ments, etc.

From the report filed it appears that

Academic department—Percy Cupper, Monument, Or.; Robert Brooke, Spokane; John Watson, Lancashire, England; Earl Dedrick Support Dedrick, Sumpter, Or.; Harold Ray, Portland; Edward Frame, Portland; William Burton, Portland; Wilmer McCully, Joseph, Or.; Max Smith, Portland; Charles Johnson, Portland. Preparatory department-Carl Williams, Portland; Fred Dutton, East Spokane,

ment-Eugene Loomis, Nahcotta, Wash. Max Smith, Portland; Harvey Houston, at private sale, but the proceeds of which he has not yet received. The receiver expects as soon as he can Missoula; Fred Dutton, East Spokane Leon Holland, Spokane; Victor McFar land, Portland.

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"Gendron" Carriages and Go-Carts-every style, \$4.25 to \$35.00. (Third Floor) New arrivals in Boys' Wash Suits-handsome styles, low prices.

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1000 Yards of

Store Events

Irish Point Lace Curtains,

in new and effective de-

\$7 to \$8 values at \$4.89 pr

\$8.50 to \$9.50 values at

Drawers, 25c

A great lot of plain tucked

drawers, wide hemstitched

ruffle, good material, well

Special lot of pretty gowns

\$1.25 values.

Drawers, 43c

12 dozen drawers, Ham-

burg trimmed, hemstitched

and tucked, all sizes, full

Hemstitched and tucked

petticoats, dust ruffle,

some embroidery trimmed, 83c

exception'l value _____

widths, big values, 48c.

in V-shaped and high

neck, hemstitched and

made, all sizes, 25c.

embroidery

trimmed, all

\$5.89 pr.

New All-Overs

Regular 75c to \$2.00 yd values.

For the 615th FRIDAY SURPRISE SALE, we offer one of the grandest bargains it has ever been our pleasure to place on sale-1,000 yards of handsome Cambric and Nainsook All-Overs, in lace striped, Hamburg striped and All-Over-corded and insertion effects, in a variety of 48 patterns. The very best designs and styles. This sale comes at a time when it will be most appreciated. All-Overs for shirt waists, for fronts, for sleeves and many other purposes. You are ready for them-here they are. 75c to \$2 values. Your choice at

On sale tomorrow on special counter, opposite large bargain counter. (See Window Display.)

Three Days More of

Housefurnishing Bargains



Japanned Dust Pan, 6c. 12 qt. Tin Slop Pail, 23c.

Crumb Pan and Brush at, pair, 16c. Scrub Brushes, 11c each. Granite Iron Dippers, 12c. No. 8 Wash Boilers, 79e. Wire Dish Strainers, 19c.

Never-Slip Can Openers at 7c each. Flour Sifters at 11c each. Small Coal Shovels, 3c. Wash Boards, 16c.

and 25c. Gallon Oil Can, 13c. Knife Box, 11c. Small Brushes, 3c. 4-in. Screw Driver, 10c.

No let-up in the Kitchen Goods Sale. More buyers yesterday than Tuesday - Sale seems to improve with age. you never bought household necessities so cheap, and you won't again for another six months. Here just a few of the offerings:

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Granite Coffee Pot, 33c. No. 8 Granite Teakettle,

Granite Bread Pans, 18c. Granite Stew Kettle, 32c. 5-qt. Saucepan, 33e. Challenge Wringers reduced to \$1.49. Twin Match Safes, 3c.

Willow Clothes Baskets, 72c Planet Dust Beaters at 20c

89c set. Potato Masher, 7c.

Water Glasses, 25e doz. Tin Cuspidors, 7c. Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons, at

Sharpening Steels, 16c.

Dover Egg Beaters, 6c.

Lamp Chimneys, 3c.

Pan Cake Shovel, 4c. Bread Boards, 19c. Tack Pullers, 6c each.

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Our weekly bargains in Pure Foods are growing very much in favor with Portland ladies. Groceries of every description can be bought here at a great saving, and

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Hickmott's Asparagus ... 22c
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3 for ... 25c
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Parlor or Press Matches
6 packages 35c
Log Cabin Maple Syrup
Quart cans 35c Log Cabin Maple 35e
Quart cans 35e
One-half gallon cans 65e
One gallon cans 81.25

Royal Savon Sosp, 10 bars, 25c

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a dividend of 5 per cent, and as soon as he receives the proceeds of the sale of the sale of the sale of the sale of the timber lands mentioned, which will be in from four to six weeks, he will declare another dividend, which will be in from four to six weeks, he will declare another dividend, which will be in from four to six weeks, he will declare another dividend, which will be in from four to six weeks, he will declare another dividend, which will be in from four to six weeks, he will declare another dividend, which will be in final one. Just what the size of this final one. Just what the si A GREAT SALE ON SPRING SUITS THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY

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