

OLD, WORKMAN & KING

TODAY—HATS AND BONNETS

For baby's dainty head,
ONLY 16c EACH
Many kinds of mull, chiffon and straw, with all the pretty, seasonable kinks of making. Our usual prices 35c to 90c. They are cheap. (2d Floor)

CHILD'S 25c HOSE

TODAY, 14c PAIR
Here's comfort at small cost. Fast black, silk finished lisle hose, seamless and reinforced. Sizes, 5 1/2 to 9 1/2, all at the one price today, 14c pair.

DECORATED HAVILAND CHINA DINNER SETS

.... Much under price
If there's anything more attractive than Haviland China, it's Haviland China underpriced. These are our

REDUCED PRICES FOR THIS WEEK

A Haviland new shape and decorative set.
60-piece dinner sets, \$21.25
100-piece dinner sets, \$29.50
112-piece dinner sets, \$32.95
117-piece dinner sets, \$39.00
FOR SALE HERE ONLY

Hundreds of homes are being benefited by our

GREAT TURKISH RUG SALE

Ours is a handsome stock of genuine Antique Rugs, such as only the best stores in the land show. There is no quality risk in any rug we offer, as we never touch poor Oriental Rugs that are made for price jobbing. All sizes reduced. From \$15.00 Rugs, at \$12.00, to \$135.00 Rugs, at \$110.00

MILLINERY REDUCTIONS

Two special prices for goods that should have prompt attention.

ROUGH STRAW SAILORS

Knox shape, white, with red, blue and black bands, 75c grades, also SHIRT WAIST HATS, of rough straw, with pointed or low crowns, untrimmed 65c grades, ALL 35c EACH

TRIMMED SHIRT WAIST HATS

White, navy or navy and white combination straw. A variety of nobby kinds that were \$5.50 and \$6.00.

TODAY, \$1.50 EACH

Commencing Tomorrow--Friday

We will sell the remainder of four lines of MEN'S SHIRTS, WORTH TO \$1.50 AT 39c EA. Have stiff, short and ventilated bosoms, or silk fronts. The smallness of the number left, tells of their popularity.

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

LADIES' FINE KID GLOVES

Two of our best \$1.50 and \$1.60 grades that have been pruned down by continual selling. 2-clasp pique and 3-clasp overseas. All sizes represented in these colors. Black, white, pearl, mode and gray.

Only \$1.15 pair

ONE CONSOLIDATION STEP

CITY OFFICES TO BE COMBINED AT PORTLAND AND PUGET SOUND.

Union Pacific and Southern Pacific to Be Represented at Each Place by Single Local Staff.

Another step in railroad consolidation is reported to take place in Portland, Seattle and Tacoma on the first of September. This will be no less than consolidation of the city offices of the Union Pacific (O. R. & N.) and the Southern Pacific. The general offices of the two companies in Portland are not yet to be disturbed.

The joint city office in Portland will be at the southeast corner of Washington and Third streets, the present O. R. & N. location. That location is deemed better than the city office of the Southern Pacific at the corner of Third and Alder. V. A. Schilling will be the agent and he will be assisted by C. W. Stinger and J. L. Slipp, from the Southern Pacific office. Agent J. B. Kirkland, of the Southern Pacific, it is understood, will be taken care of elsewhere. George Schalk and George B. Maxwell, of the O. R. & N. force, will remain undisturbed. This consolidation will save the salary of one agent and office rent, etc. On the same date it is said the offices of the two companies at Seattle and Tacoma will be consolidated in each place. This consolidation will be effected by putting all the business of both lines in that field in the hands of the present O. R. & N. agents, who will thereafter represent the interests of the Harriman group and not merely the separate Union Pacific.

Wherever known, this announcement is interpreted as a precursor of consolidation of the Portland offices in Portland. The impression is strong that General Freight and Passenger Agent Markham, of the Southern Pacific, will be made general freight and passenger agent for both lines, and that Traffic Manager Campbell and General Passenger Agent Craig, of the O. R. & N., will hold the same offices in the consolidation. Thus the traffic staff will be Campbell, Markham and Craig, and they will have charge of O. R. & N. and Oregon & California business. No date is yet set for this merger of general offices, but it is believed that it will not be postponed beyond the first of the coming year.

NOT SO LENIENT AS OREGON

California Imprisons Confirmed Thieves for Life.

California courts give confirmed felons much heavier sentences than do those of Oregon, according to Detective Joe Day, of this city, who cites the cases of Frank Enright and Henry Fabry, just sentenced in Sacramento, as illustrations. "Both of these worthies have records in Oregon and Washington," Mr. Day said yesterday. "and they have now been sent to San Quentin for life, though each has pleaded guilty to robbery and the state was saved the expense of prosecution. Enright on this occasion, cursed Judge Hart and cried out that he hoped to — the judge would get paralyzed the next time he said 'life.'"

to shoot in arresting for burglary. All three of these worthies drifted to California after having been liberated from the prisons of the Northwest.

"In California, after a man has been once convicted of felony, he must be sentenced for life on the next conviction. Three times a petty larceny thief, is sufficient to shut the culprit up for life, should he be convicted of robbery afterward. Superior Judge Hart, of Sacramento, has a record for hitting confirmed outlaws hard. In '98 he sentenced James Seagrath and Charles Leroy for life for robbery. The booty they received did not amount to much, but they had broken into the house of Superintendent of Streets Crowley, with intent to rob, and Crowley being awakened, was shot and severely wounded. Judge Hart a few months after, gave Karl Rolf 25 years for robbing a Japanese. If Oregon judges would give confirmed felons such doses as this, it would prove a good lesson to the fraternity and teach them to stay away. As it is, the convicted ones are let off with a year or two, and regain their liberty in a short time to prey on the public as usual."

VETERAN NOW IN LUZON.

Major Harry L. Bailey, Who Was Well Known in Northwest.

Many residents of the Pacific Northwest well remember Harry L. Bailey, who was Lieutenant in the Twenty-first United States Regular Infantry here in the '70s and '80s. He was stationed for several years at Vancouver and Fort Townsend, and went through the hard field service connected with the campaign against hostile Nez Perces and Bannock Indians. As a Captain he campaigned in Cuba for the past two years has been in the Philippines as acting Major, with prospects of immediate promotion to that grade.

Word from Antimon, June 20, to a friend in Portland, Major Bailey says: "Our regiment has been doing a good deal of 'hiking' across the country, off and on, and after effects have caused some sickness. The past two years have been very active ones for the Twenty-first, and the regiment has had its sacrifices. There has been much hurry hereabout for some weeks, but I think that it is now about over, as many hostile Ladrones have been killed. I have had to add 21 new prisoners to my already crowded guardhouse. We arrived here in a Spanish coasting ship, putting in 23 days coming around the southern end of Luzon. There was only Spanish speech and Spanish food on the ship, and I found my Spanish very lame."

"Many members of the old Twenty-first look forward with pleasant anticipations to the time when they may return to that beautiful land of plenty, the Pacific Northwest."

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Sale of Seats for Chauncey Olcott Will Open Tomorrow.

The sale of seats for Chauncey Olcott, in "Garrett O'Magh," will open at the Marquam Grand Theater tomorrow, Friday, morning at 10 o'clock. Mr. Olcott will appear Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, August 12, 13 and 14, presenting for the first time in this city his latest and greatest success, "Garrett O'Magh." The play is a comedy of the period of 1800, and the scenery and costumes are very attractive. It gives Mr. Olcott an excellent chance to exploit his charming personality and consistently to introduce new songs that are always an important factor in any performance wherein he figures. The production will be given with the same cast and scenery that marked Mr. Olcott's run of five months in New York.

Harris Trunk Co. for suit cases.

Lipman, Wolff & Co.

\$7.00
Tucked and Hemstitched
BLACK TAFFETA
SILK WAISTS

at \$3.95

The headlines tell the whole story, except that they don't tell of the excellence of the silk used, and the truly superb style and workmanship, and perfect finish of these waists. It's wise to come early on such occasions as this.

BY EXPRESS—

More of those pretty, dainty 15c ea
Novelty Lawn Ties

The coolest and most attractive Summer neckwear shown this season. Shown by us exclusively.

Sale of our Turkish Towels

At 10c, 14c, 16c, 20c and 25c each.

the buying of a Piano or Organ at this time for the reason that we are getting ready for the "AIDS CAMPAIGN" and are clearing the decks for action, so are offering some EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD VALUES in both high-grade and medium-priced pianos, ranging from \$150 to \$400. Everybody knows what our pianos are and when they see the name

KNABE STECK
HARDMAN FISHER
PACKARD LUDWIG

that ends all controversy as well as competition. We have been in business here in Portland for over 20 years, and during all that time nothing but praise and satisfaction from all our customers. Let us add you to our list—we want to add your good will to our present reputation.

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Refrigerators and Ice Cream Freezers at the very lowest prices. (Basement)

Meier & Frank Co.

By express—The latest in Ladies' Walking Hats—handsome creations—(second floor).
New arrivals in Striped and Figured Muslin Curtains—latest effects.
The "McGee" Adjustable Yoke Skirt—Fall styles have just arrived.

Tomorrow 632d Friday Surprise Sale

600 Stylish Petticoats of Mercerized Sateen 79c

A NOTHER important purchase by our cloak buyer now in the Eastern market. He took advantage of an opportunity to help a large petticoat manufacturer clean house by purchasing his entire stock of fancy Mercerized Sateen Skirts in the most desirable styles at about half price. The result—Another great offering for the 632d Friday Surprise Sale. About 51 dozen Mercerized Sateen Skirts in black and white stripes, narrow-plaited and corded ruffia. Fancy Mercerized Sateen Skirts in dots and figures, accordion-plaited ruffia—blues, red, black and purple—not a skirt in the lot worth less than \$1.25. Your choice 79c each. (See window display)

Bath Towels
Unusual values offered during the "August Linen Sale."
Unbleached Turkish Bath Towels, 18x43 8c
Bleached Turkish Bath Towels, 17x36 9c
Extra heavy bleached Turkish Towels, 22x48 18c
Muslin Underwear
Special lot of pretty Corset Covers, low neck, embroidery trimmed—all sizes; big value 35c
A great lot of \$1.50 Gowns in a variety of six styles, lace or embroidery trimmed, all sizes; your choice \$1.19
Toilet Articles
Big Bath Sponge 11c
Good Face Chamols 5c
Hudnut's Florida Water—best made 50c
Eastman's Toilet Water—violet, rose or carnation; reg. 50c size .38c
Borated Talcum Powder—per can 5c
8-in. Rubber Comb 12c
Solid back, pure bristle Hair-brush 88c

The "August Linen Sale"

Continues to interest scores of housewives, boarding-house and hotel-keepers. There are many opportunities for money-saving.

Table Damask
60-inch all-linen bleached Table Damask—big variety of patterns; one of the best values ever offered 46c yd
64-inch bleached Sateen Damask; handsome patterns 76c yd
60-inch half-bleached Sateen Damask; big variety of patterns 62c yd

Napkins
Bleached union linen Napkins; 18x18 inches; good patterns; at dozen \$1.10
All-linen, bleached Damask Napkins, size 22x22; at dozen \$1.96
All-linen, bleached Damask Napkins; size 22x22; best patterns, dozen \$2.20
Heavy double satin Damask; 36x36 inches; big variety of patterns, dozen \$3.55

Towels
Special August values at 9c, 11c, 16c, 18c.
Largest and best line of 25c Towels to be found in the West. Sheets and Pillow-cases at low prices. Bedspreads reduced.

Traveling Necessities
Trunks, Traveling Bags, Suit Cases, Telescopes, etc. Largest variety and the lowest prices. Trunk store, third floor.

Oriental Rugs
A superior collection at greatly reduced prices. There's Carpets, Hall Runners, small, medium and large-sized Rugs. Window display will give you an idea of the splendid variety to be found here.

Hammocks
Your choice of the entire stock at prices down to cost. Big variety of the best close-woven Hammocks with wide valance and pillow. (Third floor)

Wash Fabrics
At surprisingly low prices. All remaining Summer goods have been marked at figures to interest you—Dimities, Lawns, Gingham, etc.

MEIER & FRANK COMPANY

are frightened, and buildings defaced. I shall fine each of the defendants \$5 for assault and battery, and \$15 for defacing the buildings, and I advise those young men to use more circumspection the next time they desire to go to St. Johns and find a street-car bound in an opposite direction."

THIRTY HORSES BURNED.
Details of the Oregon Livery and Feed Stable Fire.

Twenty-two dead horses were taken from the ruins of the Oregon livery and feed stable, Sixth and Couch streets, yesterday and hauled to the city crematory. John Kerr, who ran the stable, says 30 were destroyed. The building was closed when the fire broke out, and none of the animals within escaped. What carcasses were not taken out yesterday will have to be destroyed with the rest of the scorched timbers when the lot is cleared of debris. This must be done at once, otherwise the stench will become unbearable. Mr. Kerr was suffering from an injury to his side, and a strained ankle, last evening, and had not yet itemized the lost horses, most of which were boarders. He has no theory as to the origin of the fire, and does not know the man whom the police arrested yesterday on suspicion of having set the fire.

Dr. Brown in China.
Former Portland Minister Writes Interestingly of His Journeys.

Dr. Arthur J. Brown, former pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Portland, has written to friends in this city from the interior of China, where he has gone on a missionary tour. Mr. Brown says: "Ichouan, China, June 22—Here I am, in the interior of the Shantung Province, the home of the Boxers and the Holy Land of China. Ten days ago I stood on the sacred mountain, Tai Shan, and last Tuesday I came home and the grave of the great Confucius."

In this region the first foreigners were persecuted, the English missionaries, and Fathers Heale and Nies, the German priests, but, though great crowds silently stare at us in every town, no hostility is manifested, and the officials show us all possible respect."

Mrs. Brown is in Che Foo with Mrs. Nevins, as no ladies are yet allowed in the interior. I am traveling in a male litter, which is quite equal to a Pullman car, and I am sleeping in Chinese inns, which are hardly as comfortable as the Hotel Portland. But I am having a splendid trip, nevertheless. My health is excellent and the open-air life, the strange scenes, the loving welcome of our persecuted Chinese Christians, and the great problems upon which I am getting light combine to make the journey a memorable one for me. Eleven Chinese soldiers are escorting me, but so far I have seen no reason to be afraid of them."

This morning I presented the letter of the North Pacific Board to a congregation of the Chinese Christians. A missionary, Dr. Johnson, interpreting, I wish the ladies could have seen the faces of those poor women as they heard the message of love from their sisters in America. I expect to reach Che Foo tomorrow, and go with Mrs. Brown to other parts of China.

HOODLUMS HEAVILY FINED.
Two Young Fellows Plead Guilty to Two Charges.

C. J. Harford and George W. McMahon were each fined \$50 by Judge Cameron yesterday, having pleaded guilty to assault and battery and defacing a building. The case was investigated Tuesday when the defendants pleaded not guilty, but the evidence proved to be so overwhelming that their counsel thought it wiser to withdraw the plea and let the matter of penalty rest with the court.

Judge Cameron said he regarded the cases as of more than usual seriousness. "Two young men, who have the appearance of gentlemen," he said, "attack J. C. Marks, the motorman of a street-car, because the car does not happen to be going in the direction they desire. The motorman is obliged to flee and is pursued by these men, who break into the dwellings where the pursued takes refuge. Innocent women and children

kindly give me the history of this cherry? Have you named it? Also please give me a description of the fruit and tree. Another person I should like to receive specimens of fruit for model and painting to place the variety on record in this office. I should be pleased to have you let me know at about what time the cherry ripens in order that boxes and franks may be sent to bring specimens free of postage to this office."

Dr. Fynn's wife put in jars most all the cherries this year, and they promise to be all that is claimed for them. They resemble the Black Republican, but do not leave the dark stain. Even the liquid in which they are put up is not colored, but is quite clear. Next season if the conditions are favorable there will be a larger yield, and the value of the new cherry can then be better determined.

Circulating Petition.
The committee appointed by the Clinton Kelly Sub-Board to circulate a petition to the School Directors for repairs of the school ground began work yesterday. In order to facilitate the work, the time being short, the district was divided up so that the members of the committee could secure signatures in their neighborhood. In this way all the territory can be covered easily. The committee will also supplement the efforts of the citizens' committee to get Mrs. Jennie Hines reinstated in the Clinton Kelly School. A petition containing

175 signatures, asking for her reinstatement, has already been filed with the School Clerk. This committee and a considerable delegation will call on the Board of Directors at their meeting next Monday evening.

The fine new cherry, developed by Dr. M. A. Fynn, at his home on East Washington and East Eighth streets, has attracted attention abroad. He received the following letter yesterday from G. B. Hackett, pomologist of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C.: "I have been interested in reading accounts of a very fine and promising cherry you have originated. Will you

kindly give me the history of this cherry? Have you named it? Also please give me a description of the fruit and tree. Another person I should like to receive specimens of fruit for model and painting to place the variety on record in this office. I should be pleased to have you let me know at about what time the cherry ripens in order that boxes and franks may be sent to bring specimens free of postage to this office."

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