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With no fear of contradiction, or question, with no shadow of exaggeration, we pronounce our present assemblage of ready-made garments without previous or present parallel in the whole Northwest. Absolute in its completeness, metropolitan in character, gigantic in magnitude, practically limitless in variety, it represents the very height of present fashion perfection. Garments are here whose richness of material and elegance of make are eclipsed only by the subdued gorgeousness and originality of their trimming; regal gowns, masterpieces of design and color blending, down to the very smallest detail; models, bewildering in intricacy of design, but bewitching in effect; trimmings, whose multiplicity of materials—embroideries, laces, velvets, silks, buttons, bugles and beads—ingeniously combined, produce a richness of result hitherto undreamed of; quaint cuts, dainty little finishes, surprising adaptations of new materials, charming color touches, impart a completeness and individuality to these gowns, equal to any French productions. Wraps of silk and pongee, massively trimmed in heavy laces, chic Monte Carlos, jaunty jackets, dressy waists, handsome street suits, that betray a wonderful deftness in tailor work, separate silk waists and delightfully fresh shirtwaists—no class or kind of garment neglected or slightly selected. The utmost care has been exercised in every instance to provide in all our offerings, the very best in make and material its price will justify. Our lowest priced garments have style and character and wear in them.

The public is invited to a general inspection of our showing.



A One-Week Slipper Special

Dress Slippers, all sizes, and this season's newest styles reduced from \$1.50 and \$1.75 to only **98c**

Special Sale Nurses' Hospital Shoes

Comfortable and quiet, with Elk sole, rubber heel, soft kid. Were \$2.50, this week **\$1.98** only

Special Sale Boys' and Youths' School Shoes

In the new Spring lace styles, made specially strong for school wear, box calf, extra heavy soles. Prices: Sizes 11 to 13... \$1.23
Sizes 13 1/2 to 2... 1.38
Sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2... 1.68

Colored Petticoats

Our Spring and Summer line of wash Petticoats is now open. They are well made, nicely shaped and in attractive colors. Prices, **\$2.50** to 65c to.

Black Petticoats

In all the new styles and light-weight materials. Ask to see the "Elite" petticoat, especially adapted to stout figures. Made without tie-strings, Elite petticoats can be adjusted to any size waist and absolutely will not bunch at waist or hips.

Fine Undermuslins

Extra Large Size Last week brought us a shipment of extra large size undermuslins. These include gowns, drawers, corset covers and skirts. **Children's Hats and Bonnets** Pretty, neat and picturesque, our gathering has no rival.

Ladies Moslin Drawers, Gowns and Skirts

The last shipment we received makes our showing in all grades positively unmatchable. They are absolutely faultless in every detail of make and trimming. Prices moderate in the extreme.

Children's White Dresses

The Daintiest Creations for the Little Ones Sizes 1 to 3 years. Some in the long French waist effect, some with low neck and half sleeves, all of fine material and charmingly trimmed. Up to **\$25.00**

Confirmation and Christening Dresses For Misses, Children and Infants

From the simplest to the most elaborate all are specially selected and most appropriate. Up to **\$30.00**

"Shushine"

Demonstration Sale Continued

Our demonstration sale of this splendid polish proved so popular the past week, we have decided to again place it specially before the public. Anyone desiring to learn the merits of this polish is cordially invited to see the demonstration on our main floor.

Something New

2-Piece Wrappers

Very neat and smart morning gowns. Ask to see them at the wrapper counter.

New Shirtwaists

More strikingly handsome shirtwaists just in, along with them another lot of the new embroidered linen that are priced as low as **\$7.00**

W. R. DUNBAR IS DEAD

WAS REGISTER OF LAND OFFICE AT VANCOUVER.

Teacher, Business Man, Soldier, Legislator, Servant of People—Kind-Hearted Citizen—Was Long Ill.

YANCOUVER, Wash., March 29.—(Special.)—Hon. W. R. Dunbar, Register of the United States land office in this city, died at his home here at 12 o'clock this morning, after a long illness from Bright's disease. He had been confined to his room for some time, and had not been in the office for several months.

Judge Dunbar, as he was familiarly called, was born in Illinois, in 1829, and came West overland with his parents in 1846, locating in the Waldo Hills, near Salem, Or., where he grew to manhood, working on his father's farm. He secured a rudimentary education and finally began teaching school in the district in his neighborhood. After a few years he went to Dallas, Or., where he engaged in the mercantile business. In 1868 he entered the First Oregon Infantry, being the first man to enlist. He was made Second Lieutenant of Company A. He served at various points, among others at Vancouver Barracks. During 1868 and 1869 he was stationed at Siletz blockhouse, on Yaquina Bay.

He left the Army in 1866 and entered the Indian service as teacher and clerk. He gave excellent satisfaction to the Government in all his work. For a number of years he was grant chief inspector and lecturer of the grand lodge of the Oregon Good Templars, and in 1870 served in the Oregon Legislature from Marion County. In 1879 he removed to Goldendale, in Washington Territory, where he made his home since that time, with the exception of the time he has been at Vancouver, since 1888. From April, 1882, until January, 1888, he was Probate Judge, but this office being abolished in that year, he was appointed United States Commissioner, which place he held until 1888, when he was appointed Register by President Roosevelt in 1882, having given excellent satisfaction in the office.

Judge Dunbar was a prominent member of the Oddfellows, having served as grand master of the order, past grand master, and for six terms was representative to the grand lodge. He is a brother to Judge R. O. Dunbar, of the Washington Supreme Court. He was a Republican, and always a tireless worker in the ranks. He died poor, comparatively, always being free-hearted and freely giving to charity. He leaves a wife, but no children, a son having died in Goldendale some years ago. Judge Dunbar was universally respected by a large circle of friends all over the Coast. He was connections to the last, and was cheerful during his long illness. Funeral services will be held at the house on Tuesday at 2 P. M. The remains will be taken to Salem for interment on the train which leaves Portland at 8:30 on Wednesday morning.

AFTER DUNBAR'S PLACE.

Two Candidates for Register of Vancouver Land Office.

YANCOUVER, Wash., March 29.—(Special.)—The death of Register W. R. Dunbar, states an appointment of his successor at once. It is claimed that Dr. McCullough, of Goldendale, is an active applicant, also Senator E. M. Randa, of Vancouver.

Local politicians think the appointment will be made before Wednesday. The matter may also settle the selection of a postmaster here. Some are of the opinion that Congressman Cushman may be allowed to name the postmaster if the Senator names a successor to Dunbar.

OLDEST MAN IN OREGON.

General J. H. Stevens Passes Away at La Grande.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 29.—(Special.)—General John H. Stevens, who died at La Grande this morning, is said to have been the oldest man living in Oregon for many years. He was 97 years old at the time of death, and, except for blindness, was in full possession of all his faculties. He was born in Jamaica, Windham County, Vt., March 28, 1806. After an academic education, he became a school teacher and later a merchant in Boston. In the Civil War he was a Brigadier-General of the Michigan State troops. He crossed the plains to Oregon in 1852, and two years later went back via the Isthmus of Panama. Returning with his family to Oregon, he conducted a hotel at Champano and later at La Grande, where he was Land Office Receiver during President Grant's term. He was a member of the last Territorial Legislature, and in 1882 he was chief packer under General Stevens, in the Yakima Indian War. His last active work was stockraising at La Grande, where he is survived by a son and daughter, Mrs. Nellie Kelly and Jasper H. Stevens. He was married twice and outlived both wives.

Funeral of Late Major McCammon.

YANCOUVER, Wash., March 29.—The funeral ceremonies of Major William W. McCammon, retired, United States Army, who died here last Friday, took place from the family residence in this city today. In the imposing military cortege which followed the remains of the dead soldier to the military cemetery were General Frederick Funston and members of his staff and other officers at Vancouver Barracks and their families. The funeral casket was escorted by the Seventeenth Infantry Band, eight companies of infantry and two squadrons of artillery.

Japanese is Drowned.

WEISER, Idaho, March 29.—(Special.)—A Japanese in the employ of the Pacific & Idaho Northern Railroad was drowned in the Weiser River last night, about 30 miles north of here. The river is very high, and he was keeping driftwood from settling around the railroad bridge that crosses the Weiser at that point. He was in a boat, when it capsized. He was unable to swim, and the river being very swift at that point, he was carried out into the stream and disappeared. Searching parties have been out all day to look for the body.

Death of Mrs. Jennie S. Pond.

CORVALLIS, Or., March 29.—(Special.)—Mrs. Jennie S. Pond, aged 72 years, and for the past 23 years a resident of Corvallis, died at the home of her son in this city this morning. Her malady was bronchitis. She was born in New Jersey in August, 1833, and came to Oregon 23 years ago.

Funeral of William Edgar at Astoria.

ASTORIA, Or., March 29.—(Special.)—The funeral of the late William Edgar was held from the family residence this afternoon, and the interment was in Ocean View cemetery.

Fine Hotel for John Day.

JOHN DAY, Or., March 29.—A modern hotel, with all the appointments of an up-to-date hostelry, is one of the contemplated improvements in the town of John

Day that has assumed definite form. The building will be of fine brick and stone structure, 65 feet by 85 feet, and either two or three stories high. The cost will be \$10,000.

Found Hanging by His Neck.

RAINIER, Or., March 29.—(Special.)—Word was received here yesterday of the death of Fred Clark, a prominent young man of Clatskanie, by suicide. He owned a small house on his ranch, a few miles out of Clatskanie. He had attached one end of a rope to a crossbeam on the porch, and fixing the noose around his neck, it is supposed he jumped off. No inquest was held, as the authorities were satisfied that it was a case of self-destruction.

TO ARRANGE BROTHER'S AFFAIRS.

Demented Swede at Aberdeen Has Large Estate.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 29.—(Special.)—Karl August Lofton arrived yesterday in Aberdeen from Sweden. Mr. Lofton is the brother of Lars J. Lofton, who was committed to the asylum some months ago, and for whose estate J. C. Cross was appointed guardian. The immediate reason for Mr. Lofton's coming to this country is to straighten out his brother's affairs. About two months ago an application was made to the Superior Court by John Carlson and other friends of Lofton to have Mr. Cross removed as guardian and to have Mr. Carlson appointed in his place. This the court declined to do, and on learning of this action, Karl A. Lofton, the brother, decided to come over from Sweden and straighten matters out himself. The estate of the insane Mr. Lofton is valued at about \$20,000, and about \$1800 of this is cash. Mr. Lofton comes to this country armed with an order of the Swedish court appointing him guardian of his brother. He will take his brother home with him.

WILL WASH OUT GOLD.

G. W. Dart, of John Day, Starting Up an Extensive Work.

Grant County News, March 29.—Placer mining promises to be an important industry in this vicinity during the coming season. Several miners have already commenced getting things in readiness for the summer's run. What promises to be an excellent paying proposition is the placer mine of G. W. Dart, which will be worked for the first time this season. Mr. Dart has leased the pipe, granite and all the mining material belonging to the Humboldt Mining Company, and at present has a force of men laying this pipe and getting everything in readiness for the summer's run, which will commence tomorrow. The mine is situated on the west side of Canyon Creek, between John Day and Canyon City, and nearly opposite Long Gulch. Water will be used from the Humboldt ditch. The ditch will be in charge of Bert Stone. It is the intention to operate the mine 16 to 18 hours a day, according as the length of the days permit. Two shifts of men will be employed.

Berlin Off the River.

ASTORIA, Or., March 29.—(Special.)—The tug *Tatonah*, which arrived in this evening, reports that the vessel that is off the mouth of the river is a full-rigged American ship in ballast. She is supposed to be the *Berlin*, en route from San Francisco to load cannery supplies for the Alaska Fishermen's Packing Company's cannery at Bristol Bay, Alaska.

TOWN OF LYONS BURNED

FIRE DESTROYS ALL THE BUSINESS HOUSES.

Incendiary Is Supposed to Have Started the Blaze—Losses Said to Be Covered by Insurance.

SALEM, Or., March 29.—(Special.)—Roy Goodhue, who returned this morning from a visit to Lyons, Linn County, reports that on last Friday night all the business houses in that town were destroyed by fire. The principal property destroyed was as follows:

Hotel, valued at about \$100, and owned by Colonel Reed, of Roseburg. The furniture in the building, including the equipment of a barber shop, was also a total loss. A store valued at \$50 and small stock of merchandise, owned by J. C. Lyons. A number of buildings owned by Henry Lyons and used as warehouses, valued at \$500.

The fire is supposed to have been set by an incendiary. It is understood that the loss was fully covered by insurance. The Goodhue creamery is at some distance from town and was not injured.

DRESSER'S GOOD NAME.

Oregon City People Quick to Testify in His Behalf.

OREGON CITY, March 29.—(Special.)—The announcement in this morning's Oregonian that A. S. Dresser would receive the appointment of Register of the Oregon City land office early this week was surprising to many, and expected by few. Ever since The Oregonian said that ex-Senator Simon had the President's promise to be allowed to name Register Moore's successor, and that his choice was George A. Steel, a great many people have been trying to figure out how Mr. Dresser could land the plum. They did not believe that Roosevelt would break his promise to Simon, and while many of them would have liked to see Mr. Dresser named, at the same time they were unable to see just how the cards could be turned. When it came to a question of the qualification and ability of the two men, Mr. Dresser is eminently the better man for the position. He has a well-balanced legal mind, and is a lawyer of considerable ability.

Senator Mitchell has been quietly working for Dresser's appointment, and while prominent politicians here that they need not be uneasy; that the appointment would be made in due time. About the middle of last week a wire was received from Senator Mitchell that charges had been made against Mr. Dresser's character, and asking that these charges be refuted by his home people. Accordingly some of his friends went to work and secured the signatures of a number of the most prominent people in the city, irrespective of their political belief. The charges were so absurd that the clergy went on record to testify their faith in Mr. Dresser's good citizenship, and these testimonials were all wired to Senator Mitchell.

MILL UNION AT SELLWOOD.

Textile Workers Start Out With Good Membership.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 29.—(Special.)—Organizer J. H. Howard, of the American Federation of Labor, accompanied by President G. H. Marcy and Secretary M. J. Gleason, of the Textile Workers' Union, of this city, and about 15 members of the Textile Workers, went to Sellwood last night and organized a Textile Union among the employes of the Sellwood woolen mill. Thirty signed the charter list. Another meeting will be held next Saturday, and permanent organization will be effected as soon as the charter arrives. Organizer Howard considers the prospects bright for the new union, and says 30 members at a start is a good showing for such a small mill.

Women's Club Convention.

ASTORIA, Or., March 29.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the Women's Club held last evening the following were elected as delegates to the State Federation of Women's Clubs, which meets in Astoria in June: Mesdames P. A. Stokes, W. O. Barnes and H. G. Van Dusen.

True Bill Filed Against Lynch.

ASTORIA, Or., March 29.—(Special.)—District Attorney Allen filed true bills in the

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ENTIRE CONTENTS of our great BASEMENT reserve rooms must be sacrificed this week

Scarcely any trace of water on the goods, but three weeks in a damp, watery basement has made the merchandise unwelcome to our regular stock

400 CASES OF MERCHANDISE, embracing every line of dry goods must be closed out this week. The basement reserve rooms must be emptied at once

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Mr. Dresser is a prominent member of the First Baptist Church, and his daily life is above reproach, and his friends had no difficulty in getting people to pledge their signatures to this fact.

ILLNESS OF Mrs. Miles.

NEW YORK, March 29.—It is learned to-

Circuit Court last evening, charging Paddy Lynch and Theodore Tolman with the crime of kidnaping. This takes the question of fixing the amount of the bail out of the hands of the Justice Court.

Lewis and Clark Woman's Club.

OREGON CITY, Or., March 29.—(Special.)—Mrs. William Galloway will address the women of Oregon City next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Willamette Hall on "The Lewis and Clark Expedition." It is her desire to organize a Lewis and Clark Woman's Club here, after which she will go to Woodburn, Salem, Albany and other portions of the state.

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NEW YORK, March 29.—It is learned to-

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Purifies the blood, gives strength to the nerves, and brings color to the cheeks. Ayer's Pills regulate the bowels, cure constipation and biliousness, and aid the digestion. Two grand family medicines. Sold for 60 years.

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Tutt's Pills Cure All Liver Ills.

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A Known Fact. An absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, malaria, sour stomach, dizziness, constipation, bilious fever, piles, torpid liver and all kindred diseases.

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