

Another Chapter of the Monster Bargain Volume Opened for the Week by Portland's Reliable Store

A BRIEF RESUME OF CHAPTER 1, PUBLISHED IN SUNDAY OREGONIAN. ROUSING SPECIALS FOR ALL THE WEEK.

A Matchless Sale of Thanksgiving Linens Every piece of Table Linen in the store ruthlessly sacrificed in price.

An Incomparable Sale of Newest 1904 Silks Actual \$1.25 and \$1.50 values... 83c and 69c the yard

An Unparalleled Sale of Absolutely New Dress Goods Not the leftovers and hangers-on of past seasons...

Beautiful New Embroideries at Half Price 15c values for 7 1/2c; 25c values for 12 1/2c...

The Annual Sacrifice Sale of French Pattern Hats Prices shattered to a semblance of their worth.

Beautiful Ostrich Plumes Go to the Bargain Counter Magnificent feathers and plumes not shorn of a whit of beauty...

EVERYTHING IN KITCHEN FURNISHINGS at Special Sale Prices all the week.

Magnificent November Displays in the Woman's Salons of Dress... Second Floor.



Portland folk have gotten to know our stocks as simply incomparable. Direct connections with the fashion centers of Europe, Paris, Berlin and London...

Our Suit and... Cloak Stocks Are Complete in Every Particular and Unequaled in Any Showing on the Coast.

In spite of our continued and tremendous selling for weeks past, you will now find our stock at its height, due to a constant influx of the newest and latest creations...

Rousing November Bargains

PLUCKED FROM HERE AND THERE ABOUT THE STORE. Thanksgiving Preludes That Bear the Intonation of Worth in Bargain-Giving.

REGULAR \$1.00 VALUES IN WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR FOR 75c—Nonshirring Swiss ribbed merino Vests or Pants...

WOMEN'S 75c PEELER COTTON UNION SUITS, 59c—In cream tints, pants ankle length, shirts with long sleeves...

Hosts of other unusual and remarkable values in the Underwear and Hosiery Shop.

A COUNTER-CROWDING RIBBON BARGAIN—Unreel and wrap-nimble fingers will be kept busy all week...

GIVEN AWAY FREE! At the Art Store, 2d floor—Brainerd & Armstrong's Blue Books or Workbook Manuals of Instructions for Embroidering...

\$5 "BON TON" CORSETS, \$3.87—At Royal Worcester Corset Salon—Medium long under arm, long over hip...

Ladies' fine muslin Gowns, high and V necks, yoke of tucks or embroidery insertion between clusters of tucks...

Stamped and tinted Cushion Tops, with plain backs, in floral and conventional designs—regular 19c values to 50c...

Fine all-line 24-inch Stamped Center Pieces, designs in poppies, carnations, forget-me-nots, apple blossoms, wild roses, hollies, Cal. poppy, chrysanthemums...

Ladies' plain white, pink and blue or fancy striped flannel Gowns, all sizes—regular \$1.25 values, this week at 98c.

The great Slaughter Sale of FASHIONABLE SHOES continues all this week at bigger than ever price reductions—further price mentions tomorrow.

Home Decorations for Thanksgiving Fetes

Beautiful new Curtains and Draperies in almost endless variety on 4th floor. All the latest effects in Curtains, including Brussels Point, Renaissance, Point de Arab, Marie Antoinette, Duchess and Irish Point—up from \$4.00 pair.

Portieres and Couch Covers In immense assortment. Portieres, including all the newest Tapestry and Velour weaves, \$2.50 to \$40 pair.

Oriental Rugs New arrivals of these antique beauties, every size from the single door mat at \$2.25 to the large carpet sizes.

Special Sale of Blankets Splendid all-wool Scarlet Blankets, usual \$3.25 grades, go in the November sale at \$2.75.

LAMINATED COTTON FILLED COMFORTS, warm, smooth, even and heavy, silkline covered, \$1.35, \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Special Smyrna Rug Bargain A value for our November sale that is a trade bringer to the House-fitting Section.

TREMENDOUS BARGAIN ADVANTAGES to BED BUYERS Another week of price reductions on our unsurpassed line of elegant white enameled and brass trimmed Beds.

Table listing various items and their prices, including blankets, comforts, and rug bargains.

FIRE AT THE VATICAN

Pope Pius Brings Order From Wild Confusion. The pope gave his audience and which is adjacent to the famous pinacoteca or gallery of pictures.

CALLS ON ROMAN FIREMEN

Mayor and Minister of Justice Enter Doors of Palace and Take Personal Charge of Flame-Quenching.

ROME, Nov. 1.—Fire broke out at 8:30 tonight in that portion of the Vatican containing the hall of inscription, where the pope gives his audience...

Strenuous efforts were made to control the flames and the firemen of Rome were called to lend their help.

The first intimation of fire was had when smoke was seen issuing from the apartment of M. Marie, which is located above that of the librarian, M. Marie is a celebrated French restorer of ancient manuscripts and illuminated books.

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MRS. BOOTH-TUCKER'S FUNERAL

Great Congregation Weeps in Sympathy With Commander. NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Funeral services for the remains of Emma Booth-Tucker, consul of the Salvation Army in America, were held this afternoon in Carnegie Hall.

The services, which were conducted by Colonel E. J. Higgins, chief secretary of the Salvation Army in America, were most impressive, and consisted of a musical programme made up of the favorite hymns of the dead woman and by eulogies of her life and of the good she had done for mankind.

General Wellington Booth, of the Volunteers of America, did not remain for the memorial services. According to his secretary, he had endeavored to arrange for a family gathering and short private services in Carnegie Hall before the public funeral took place.

Herbert Booth, his brother, who was formerly Commander-in-Chief of the Salvationists in Australia, at the request of the General, remained to represent the family, and if possible to say a few words to the audience.

Commissioner Eva Booth was to have spoken, but was too overcome by grief to do so. At the close of the services, however, she rendered a prayer. Catechisms were read from General William Booth and Chief Bramwell Booth, of the international headquarters, London, at the funeral.

The ceremonial partook somewhat of the character of a military funeral. The procession moved down the aisle, led by two standard-bearers carrying white surtouts, and followed by the members of the general staff.

After the Carnegie Hall services the relatives were taken to the Salvation Army barracks, where the regular Sunday night memorial exercises were held.

ARMENIAN FACTIONISTS' PLANS ARE REVEALED BY A MISTAKE

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The Press Association today learns that a plot for the removal of Armenian members of the Hunchakist Revolution Society was arranged at a meeting held in New York seven months ago of the Alfarist, or social force, faction of the society, and revealed to the Hunchakist section through an error in sending a report of the meeting to a branch at Seiford, which had been secured to the Hunchakists.

The Boston and Lausanne attempts at murder were outcomes of this plot. Sagatol Sagouni was the third man to be killed, and the fourth intended victim at the family and the taking precautions to protect himself.

How to Break Up a Cold. "Every time I sell a bottle of any of Chamberlain's remedies I make a permanent customer for the remedy," says T. H. Bell, of Westobolia, Ala. "I use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy myself and in the family and know that it will certainly break up a cold and relieve the lungs. I heartily recommend it to the public." For sale by all druggists.

SHOCK IS TERRIBLE

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WRECKS RAILROAD YARDS

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Two cars of dynamite which exploded in the Pennsylvania yards was the cause of the excitement. Hundreds of Pennsylvania Railroad employees are at work searching for the dead or injured. The entire west yard of the road is a complete wreck.

Men at work a mile away were thrown from the track. In the downtown portion of the city there is not a building that has not suffered considerable damage. Many persons who were on the street were cut and otherwise hurt by flying glass and numerous women are in a serious condition from shock and concussion.

All of the physicians of the city are at the scene of the explosion to assist those who may be found injured. The sidewalks are littered with the glass from the shattered panes.

All the churches were holding services when the explosion occurred. Doors were blown off and windows smashed in many of the buildings but the full extent of the loss to property will not be known for many days. It cannot be learned until daylight whether there has been any loss of life.

The wrecked cars are burning. The explosion was plainly heard 50 miles away. All the switching crews of the Pennsylvania yard have been accounted for. There are 30 tracks in the Crestline yards, all of which have been more or less damaged. The main tracks are piled 16 feet high with dirt, bent rails, car trucks and other railroad machinery.

Felt Ten Miles Away

MANFIELD, O., Nov. 1.—A terrific explosion threw this city into an uproar tonight and shattered hundreds of lights of glass in the buildings of the town. Residents ran into the street fearing an earthquake and everything was confusion for a time.

VICTIM OF BIG FOUR WRECK

William Bailey, Purdue Football Player, Is Sixteenth to Die. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 1.—William Bailey, of New Richmond, Ind., substitute player on the Purdue University football team, died this afternoon from internal injuries sustained in the Big Four wreck yesterday. His father arrived before he died.

Fourteen dead bodies were shipped to their homes today and the body of Joseph R. Howell, of Corpus Christi, Tex., will be sent home tomorrow morning. Services were held this afternoon over the remains of E. C. Robertson, of East Helena, Mont., by Dr. J. Cumming Smith, before the body was shipped home.

LAND THEFT LIGHT

Secretary Hitchcock Authorizes a Statement. WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The following statement of the conduct of the investigation into public land frauds in the Pacific Coast states was prepared at the Interior Department and given out with Secretary Hitchcock's approval:

"Nearly a year ago a report reached the Secretary which indicated that frauds of a serious nature had been and were being perpetrated against the Government under what is known as the forest reserve land act of June 16, 1897, by a combination of land speculators on the Pacific Coast. The information and indicated frauds were of so grave a character that the Secretary at once directed a thorough investigation to be made.

"This investigation was commenced last June and had been conducted by those in charge of the actual work with great care and with the most possible speed and thoroughness. The investigation has proceeded step by step without interruption, under the Secretary's personal direction and every clue to wrongdoing has been quickly followed to its source, with the result that it is the confident belief of those in charge that the guilty ones will be apprehended and speedily brought to justice.

"It has been the determination of the Secretary from the beginning that the matter should be probed to the bottom regardless of the apparent influential character of some of the men involved and the inquiry has been conducted throughout along these lines. The work is now nearing completion, and the whole matter at an early date will be in shape for defense and appropriate action against the offenders.

"While several hundred thousand acres of public lands are involved in the illegal transactions brought to light, the number of acres to which patents have been obtained by the perpetrators of the fraud is comparatively small. It is proper to say also that some of the statements in regard to the matter which have appeared in the newspapers recently, both in the East and in the West, are more or less exaggerated, and others are mere surmises.

"The statements widely circulated to the effect that five United States Senators and a large number of Representatives were implicated and the land involved will reach in value \$15,000,000, are without foundation. It can be positively stated that they did not originate in the Interior Department. The details of the investigation are known to few.

"At the proper time a full statement will be made covering the results of the entire investigation and the whole matter will be given to the public, but for obvious reasons it is not deemed expedient that a detailed statement of the facts should be given at the present time.

"The work of the investigation has been conducted by Arthur B. Hugh, assistant attorney in the Interior Department, and William J. Burns, of the secret service of the Treasury Department. Mr. Burns was called into the case last May and since that time has had entire charge of the secret service features of the work, while Mr. Hugh has attended to its legal phase. The Secretary of the Interior is highly gratified with the service rendered by the officers in the matter."

HELD FOR RANSOM

Messenger Offers Millionaire Wentz' Release for \$100,000. BRISTOL, Tenn., Nov. 1.—Robert L. Brown, president of a prominent company in Wise County, Virginia, is quoted tonight as having said that on Friday afternoon the Wentz family received tidings of Edward Wentz, the missing young Philadelphia millionaire.

A shrewd-looking young man, it is stated, appeared at the Wentz mansion at Big Stone Gap, Va., and requested a conference with Dr. John E. Wentz, father of the missing young man. He was admitted to the house.

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Acquitted of Stealing Wire. PUEBLO, Colo., Nov. 1.—Archuleta and his partner, Emanuel Gomez, charged with having received wire stolen from In-

JAPAN IS FOR PEACE

Feeling That Inevitable Conflict Will Be but Delayed. TOKIO, Oct. 14.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—The correspondent of the Associated Press has received information from some of the leading diplomatic authorities showing that the gravity of the Russo-Japanese situation has not been exaggerated in cables from Japan.

There is prevalent, however, a strong desire in Japan to preserve peace if only that course be made possible. Without divulging the names of the authorities who have communicated their views on the situation, it may be said that the idea of the existence of a "war party," so called in Japan, is wrong, and that the Cabinet and his advisers are all in favor of an honorable compromise of the difficulty.

It is argued that the conflict between Russia, which has been described as the "new America," and Japan for the mastery of the Pacific must assuredly come and must inevitably leave a greater forthcoming conflict between Russia and the United States, unless some halting ground of Russian expansion be found. Japan is convinced that the first halting ground should be Manchuria, and, failing that, that it must be Korea.

There is undoubtedly a strong feeling in Japan that if Russia be allowed to overrun Manchuria and also overrun Korea the knell of the empire will have been sounded. Thereupon, while willing to compromise on a basis for the permanent open door in Manchuria, the retention of Manchuria by China as an integral part of her kingdom, and the absolute integrity of Corea, Japan is not prepared to go further.

The present prospects are for continued negotiation, but in the outlying district the situation is liable to get out of hand and a hostile crisis be precipitated at any time. In the meantime disturbing rumors of Russian movements, following nonobservance on October 8 in defiance of the treaty, continue to unsettle trade.

The Japanese authorities have taken precautions to be in readiness for any possible contingency, while holding conferences with the executive departments and at the same time refraining from such aggressive action as characterizes the operations of Russians at the front.

MINERS ON STRIKE AT THE TOMBOY

TELLURIDE, Colo., Nov. 1.—One hundred miners, employed at the Tomboy mines, have struck, pursuant to an order issued by the Miners' Union. The strike was from his then purpose of preventing the resumption of operations at the Tomboy mill with nonunion men on a 12-hour scale.

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