

REV. F. E. J. LLOYD WILL WITHDRAW

Episcopal Bishop Coadjutor-Elect Recalls Letter of Acceptance.

ELECTION CAUSED PROTEST

Telegram is Sent to Rev. George B. Van Waters That He Will Not Accept the High Position.

CHRONOLOGY. June 17—Convention of Protestant Episcopal Church, diocese of Oregon, in annual session elected Frederick E. J. Lloyd, D. D., bishop coadjutor.

Rev. Frederick E. J. Lloyd, recently elected bishop coadjutor of the diocese of Oregon, after having visited Portland, accompanied by Mrs. Lloyd, formally filing a letter of acceptance of the place to which he had been chosen, and the highest within the gift of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the state, has wired to Portland pastors the information that a letter is on the way canceling his acceptance.

Dr. Van Waters stated, in response to inquiry of The Oregonian, that he did not feel at liberty to make any statement until the letter is received, as the matter is in statu quo.

Protest Against Election. The following day a counter protest was made public, bearing signatures of a majority of those who composed the convention at which he was elected.

Would Accept at Sacrifice. It has been known generally among leading clergymen that Dr. Lloyd would accept the bishop coadjutorship of the diocese at considerable personal sacrifice.

AFFIDAVITS IN TRAIL SUIT

Shows Present Amusements of the Highest Merit. Affidavits in the suits of concessionaires at the Exposition who desire the trail kept open on Sunday, were filed yesterday in the State Circuit Court.

Settle on Fifty-Per-Cent Basis. ARDEN, Wash., July 19.—(Special.)—At the last meeting of the County Commissioners, County Treasurer Taylor was instructed to accept from several large landowners in the county 25 per cent of the face value of their taxes in the town of Westport fronting on the Pacific Ocean. In one instance a tax of \$152

had increased to \$218 by penalty and interest and a compromise was suggested by the commissioners at \$74. Rebates on taxes have been allowed in the past, but the bondholders at Westport school district protest against the proposed reduction or rebate in taxes and declare their intention if a settlement is made according to the instructions of the commissioners, they will begin suit against the County Treasurer to compel him to pay the balance out of his own pocket.

CANNON CAUGHT IN CANADA

SALT LAKE CITY, July 19.—Chief of Police here has been notified of the arrest at Lethbridge, Canada, of John Q. Cannon, ex-secretary of the Utah Louisiana Purchase Fair Commission, on the charge of forgery and uttering fraudulent paper.

REPLY TO REBATE CHARGE

Railroads Say They Obeyed Decision of Commission. CHICAGO, July 19.—Western railroad officials are said to be somewhat at sea relative to the announcement that the Government is about to bring suit for violation of the Elkins law by paying rebates to terminal railroads here.

GOOD PROGRAMME AT FAIR

Chamber of Commerce Has Charge for Merchants' Day. Merchants' day will be celebrated at the Exposition today. At 1 o'clock luncheon will be served at the American Inn to about 200 invited guests of President W. D. Wheelwright, of the Chamber of Commerce.

End of Bennett Will Case.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 19.—The account of the Philo S. Bennett case, as filed by W. J. Bryan an executor, was accepted by Judge Cleveland, notwithstanding objections made to certain items by counsel for the residuary legatees.

Illinois Society Meeting.

There was an interesting meeting of the Illinois Society of Oregon at the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium last night. A special musical programme was listened to, short talks heard and light refreshments served at the close of the programme.

COLUMBIA RIVER STEAMER

Leaves This Morning and Every Morning This Week 8:30 A. M., Arrives Back at 5:30 P. M. The Regulator Line splendid steamer "Ball's Queen" makes daily trip to the Columbia to the celebrated Cascade Locks, passing en route the grandest scenery in creation.

DAY BOAT FOR ASTORIA

Connections for Ocean Beaches. Itah peep Salt chuck wawa Ats Kopet Konaway Sun. The above lines were sung by an Indian brave to his sweetheart long ago, and translated as follows: What are the wild waves saying Sister the whole day long.

SPECIAL PANTS SALE

At the Brownsville Woolen Mill Store. We have gone through our entire stock and have taken every odd pant out which we have put on a separate table, and for a pants leader we will sell the pick of the lot for only \$2.50.

VANCOUVER TRIPS.

For an enjoyable short ride on the Columbia River to Vancouver, take steamer "Thudon" at Taylor-street dock, leaving as follows: Leave Portland at 8 A. M. and 1:30 P. M. Leave Vancouver, 10 A. M. and 4:45 P. M. Fare, 25 cents each way.

The Meier & Frank Store Portland's Largest and Best Store Principal Agents Butterick Patterns Aug. Delineator 15c

We Place on Sale Tomorrow \$3 All-Over Embroideries 89c Yd.



Another one of our sensational All-Over Embroidery Bargains is announced for tomorrow—Just as good values as any previous offering; the only complaint we have to make is that we can't say 5000 yards instead of 650 yards—Swiss and Nainsooks in beautiful assortment for waists, dresses, trimming, etc.—Latest designs of English and French—

Large and small patterns—Values up to \$3 the yard—Your choice tomorrow at the low price 89c Better plan to be here early.

Navajo Rugs at 1/3 Off Third Floor.

The attention of Tourists is called to an unusual bargain in genuine Navajo Blankets, suitable for Rugs or Couch Covers. Magnificent specimens in all sizes. Values, \$6.50 to \$30.00. Your choice at ONE-THIRD OFF reg. prices.

THE MEIER & FRANK STORE'S 814TH FRIDAY SURPRISE SALE \$11 Covert Jackets for \$5.85 Each New \$1.50 Shirtwaists for 98c Each



Two great special offerings in Portland's Leading Cloak and Suit Store comprise this week's Surprise Sale Bargains—A fortunate purchase made by the garment buyer in New York City—Lot 1 consists of 150 handsome Tan Covert Jackets, fancy cloth strapped, satin lined, collarless, finished at the neck with stitched band—Leg-o'-Mutton sleeve with cuff—A coat every woman can make good use of, Spring, Summer or Fall—All sizes—Every garment in the lot \$11.00 value—Your choice tomorrow at, each \$5.85

Lot 2 consists of 2000 New White Lawn Shirtwaists in a big variety of styles—Round yoke of lace and embroidery, solid tucking and row of embroidery and lace below yoke, square yoke dot waists, front of six large tucks and clusters of small tucks—Button in front—All sizes—Every waist regular \$1.50 value 98c See Fifth-Street Window Displays Today

Clearance Sale Men's Outing Suits



Today we commence our Annual Midsummer Clearance of Men's Outing Suits—Entire stock is included—Every well-known maker is represented—Stein-Bloch Outing Suits; Hart, Shaffner & Marx Outing Suits; The Washington Outing Suits; Etc.—Newest fashions and materials—Single Round-Cut Sacks, Double-Breasted Sacks, Fancy Tweeds, Fancy Homespun, Fancy Chevots, Fancy Flannels and Worsteds—Splendid assortment for your choosing—Prices every economical man is interested in

Misses' and Children's Shoes

Misses' Tan or Black Kid Blucher Oxfords, all new, desirable footwear; great special values—5 to 8, 92c pair; 9 to 11, \$1.02 pair; 12 to 2, \$1.12 pair.

Hot Weather Toilet Articles

Fine hard milled Bath Soaps; popular brands; great special value today, at per cake 4c Toilet and Bath Soaps, suitable for guests' rooms, hotels and boarding-houses; extra special at, dozen cakes 25c

WASH GOODS REMNANTS ON SALE TOMORROW AT Half-Price

Tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock we will place on sale our entire stock of Wash Goods Remnants—Organdies, Dimities, Lawns, Swisses, Nets, Gingham, Percales, Voiles, etc.—In all lengths. This season's best styles and materials in immense variety; Friday only, remember; your choice at—ONE-HALF PRICE.

\$2 Ruffled Swiss Curtains at \$1.29

100 pairs of new Ruffled Swiss Curtains go on sale today at a price far below real value—Stripes, dots and figures; best quality Swiss with good, full ruffles; every pair in the lot regular \$2 value; buy all you want at, pair \$1.29

The Great July Sale of Fine Shoes for Women Continues All the Week

\$3.50 Oxfords \$2.45 Pair Cousins' \$4 Shoes \$2.25 J. & T. Cousins' famous Shoes for Women, vici kid with kid or patent tip, hand-turned lace shoes; \$3.50 and \$4 values, for, pair \$2.25

One-Half-Price Sale of Children's Apparel

Phenomenal bargains in children's ready-to-wear apparel—cleaning up stock in a thorough manner—Very decided reductions on our best garments—Every mother having a young lady to attire should investigate these special offerings



THIRD FLOOR SPECIALS

35c Basket Telescopes.....25c 45c Basket Telescopes.....35c Japanese Parasols, 15c and 25c German Flags at low prices.

Men's Hot Weather Underwear

Special purchases from prominent Eastern mills enable us to offer the following extraordinary bargains in men's underwear—Best styles, weight, all sizes; shirts, drawers

WOMEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR SPECIALS

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests; low neck, no sleeves; pink, blue and white; all sizes; best 35c values.....25c

Women's Neckwear Sale

Introducing the best bargains in the most seasonable and stylish neck pieces—Every woman is interested—White silk Automobile Ties; large and small polka dots in all colors, with Persian ends; 49c