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Let Our Decorative Dept. Submit an Estimate on Papering Your Rooms—Principal Portland Agents Famous Vudor Porch Shades

Attention, Men!

In Tomorrow (Tuesday)
Morning's—Oregonian
Will Appear

The Greatest News For Men We Ever Printed

Don't Fail to See It!

Will Your New Easter Corset bea Mme. Irene?

SECOND FLOOR, NEW BUILDING.

ORDER BY MAIL.

THE Madame Irene Corset is unique—it is a Corset for every occasion and an up-to-date requirement.

First there is the tailored model with long lines and medium high bust. Then there are the Corsets for afternoon and evening wear, made of soft materials and cut low bust effect—to give an uncorseted appearance. (The latter are worn with dainty bust confiners.)

For stout women a splendid new model has been designed—well boned and with sufficient reinforcement over abdomen and hips to hold the flesh in restriction and bring out the new lines Fashion demands.

Among the latest arrivals in Madame Irene Corsets are the New Elastic Corset and Elastic Hip Confiners, also models with new girdle top and long hips. Prices range from \$6.50 to \$25.00.



Our Great Across-the-Sea Sale!

SHARPLY at eight this morning begins our great "Across-the-Sea" Sale—a fete internationale the like of which has never before been seen in Portland!

Every department which handles foreign merchandise will be represented! The store is brilliant with foreign flags and emblems, and the show windows display a wealth of goods from over the seas. Moreover, splendid reductions are in force on all wanted merchandise—compelling economies on everything for Eastertide! Read on!

Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Fine Jewelry
Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Fine Hosiery
Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Leather Goods
Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Lace Curtains
Great Across-the-Sea Sale New Dress Goods
Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Oriental Rugs



Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Fine Neckwear
Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Chinaware
Great Across-the-Sea Sale of New Ribbons
Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Fine Millinery
Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Muslinwear
Great Across-the-Sea Sale of Embroideries

Across-the-Sea Sale Infants' Wear

SECOND FLOOR, NEW BUILDING.

ORDER BY MAIL.

DIRECT from France, the daintiest hand-painted Toilet Articles, little dresses with countless stitches and filmy laces, besides a score of other charming things for the wee ones—all at the big "Across-the-Sea" Sale savings!

Infants' Toilet Boxes, hand-painted, beautifully lined with satin. Some complete with toilet articles of all sorts. \$6.50 and \$7.50 boxes, extra special at \$4.98 this week at 1/4 Off

Infants' \$7.50 to \$16 Hand-Made Skirts, 1/4 Off this week at 1/4 Off

Infants' \$7.50 to \$50 Hand-Made Dresses, of finest French Batiste, lawn and handkerchief linens. Made with beautiful little yokes; some finished with a neat hem, others with lace-trimmed ruffles. This week 1/4 Off
Infants' \$7.50 to \$16.50 Hand-Made Pajamas, 1/4 Off this week at 1/4 Off

Infants' Hand-Embroidered Flannel Skirts, of best quality flannel, beautifully finished in hand-scalloping and embroidery. Worth from \$5 to \$6 each. Special Across-the-Sea 1/4 Off Sale this week
Beautiful Assortment of Easter Novelties for the baby now ready—Baby Books, Rattles, Balls, Novelty Toys.

On Basement Bargain Square Men's and Women's Sweaters \$1.59

SAVINGS of half and more on men's and women's snug, comfortable Sweater Coats in a great variety of styles! Always need for one of these—Portland's cool, crisp evenings demand them, the morning walk is more pleasant with them, and right at the beginning of the season such savings are possible!

Both plain and fancy weaves, in solid colors and color combinations. All with V-shaped neck. Both wool and worsted grades. Best \$3 and \$3.50 Sweater Coats, extra special in Basement Square at low price, each \$1.59

Boys' and Girls' \$1.50 Wool Sweater Coats in splendid choice of solid shades and combined colors. All sizes are in this fine lot. Today, choice 98c

Special Demonstration of Double-Service Garments

THROUGHOUT this week an expert demonstrator from the factory will be here to show you the superior merits of "Double-Service" Garments!

A very good idea of the extreme practicality of this style may be gained from the illustration on the right. As a dress they are complete—really a four-in-one garment, comprising skirt, waist and 2 aprons.

Materials are sturdy, tubable percales and ginghams in pretty solid colors and neat combinations of checks and stripes. Made in princess effect with low collars and square necks.

Do not fail to see these Dresses while the special factory representative is with us. Prices \$2, \$2.25 and \$2.50.



Second Floor
Main Building

PIONEER IS NOW 93

F. X. Matthieu Celebrates Beginning of 94th Year.

"OLD-TIMERS" AT "PARTY"

Early Days of Oregon Recalled by Sole Survivor of Famous 1842 Champoe Convention Which Saved State to Union.

Reminiscences of Oregon's early days and of the time when Portland consisted of a scattering of a few rude huts on the shores of the Willamette River were recalled at the "birthday party" given yesterday to celebrate the beginning of F. X. Matthieu's 94th year.

The affair took place at the home of the pioneer's son, S. A. Matthieu, at 251 Eugene street, where numerous friends called to pay their respects and to wish the veteran many more anniversaries.

"I am not celebrating my 93d birthday," Mr. Matthieu was particular to explain. "I am celebrating the year that is coming. No use to celebrate for anything that already has passed."

As he sat and talked with his friends he planned extensively for the future with the same degree of confidence and enthusiasm as a man in the prime of life. He cast a prophetic eye into the years that are yet to come and saw a much larger city grow up in place of the present-day Portland and a rapid development of the state.

"Portland was not much when I came here," he remarked, "only three houses east of the river and not many more on the other side. But the town today speaks for itself. It has grown much since those early days, but it will grow still more."

Oregon to Share Growth.

"Oregon, too, will share in this development, as it must if Portland is to grow, and I believe that my children will live to see the day when Oregon will be the greatest state in the Union."

The "party" was somewhat in the nature of a reception which continued throughout the day and the early part of the evening, having its climax in the luncheon served at 5 o'clock by Mrs. Matthieu. A birthday cake was one of the principal items on the menu. Among those who were guests at the table were S. C. Matthieu, a brother of the veteran, who is 73 years old; Captain Thomas Sullivan Mountain, aged 89; C. W. Bryant, aged 84; George H. Himes, librarian of the Oregon Historical Society; ex-Governor Geer and members of the family. W. J. Clarke, wife and daughter, called in the afternoon. Christian Stouth, also a pioneer, paid his respects early in the day. Mr. Matthieu is well known in Oregon as the sole survivor of the con-

vention of May 2, 1842, at Champoe, which stood to make the Oregon country a part of the United States. He was born in Canada and came to Oregon in 1842, being a continuous resident of the state from that time. Until a few years ago he lived on his farm near Butteville. During his residence in the state he has successfully engaged in mercantile as well as agricultural pursuits.

Pioneer's Part Dramatic.

Mr. Matthieu's part in the famous meeting at Champoe was somewhat dramatic. The new convention was made up of 162 persons, and it required 52 votes to decide the question of establishing civil government in the territory. On first motions but 50 voted in favor of it. Finally two others swung over to the side of the Union, and out of this movement Oregon became a part of the United States. Those two men were Etienne Lucier and F. X. Matthieu, and it was through the persuasion of the latter that the other man agreed to vote with the supporters of the Government. Etienne died about ten years later. All the others who composed that convention have passed away. Mr. Matthieu alone survives.

Some of his guests yesterday also have played important parts in the development of the state. Captain Mountain was a member of the Wilkes expedition of 1841, and on that trip visited Governor Abernethy in his log cabin at Salem. The party made the first survey of the Willamette River on this occasion.

S. C. Matthieu has been a resident of Oregon since 1856 and took a prominent part in the early-day history of the state.

Mr. Bryant came here in 1853.

OREGON PIONEERS VISIT SOLE SURVIVOR OF CHAMPOE CONVENTION ON HIS NINETY-THIRD BIRTHDAY.



C. W. BRYANT, 84; S. C. MATTHEU, 73; F. X. MATTHEU, 93; CAPTAIN T. S. MOUNTAIN, 89.

LOW PRICE SCOUTED

Local Meat Men Think Hogs Will Not Be 4 Cents.

MOTIVES ARE IMPUGNED

D. O. Lively Calls Attention to Fact That Patrick Cudahy Is Heavy Livestock Speculator—Local Market Held Promising.

The announcement coming from Patrick Cudahy, the Omaha meatpacker, that pork prices will drop to 4 cents a pound before the end of the year, has caused Portland meatpackers to question the cause of such a prediction. That the reasons given by Cudahy for a general slump in packing products are based upon flimsy conjectures is the belief of local meatmen. In regard to conditions on the Pacific Coast, there will be little change from present prices, they say, and in the Eastern States there will be no warrant for

such a pronounced reduction in prices. "It is a well-known fact that Cudahy is a speculator and he has made and lost large sums of money by speculating," said D. O. Lively, of the Union Stock Yards, yesterday. "His prediction that hogs will be selling as low as 4 cents in December is given out for a purpose and no one who is well informed on the conditions of the market will take any stock in such a statement."

"I do not look for much of a change in hog prices in the Northwest this year. If the Chicago and Omaha packers will attempt to force down the price, I do not believe we will feel the effect much here. The farmers in Oregon and Washington should have a very satisfactory year in hog raising. Within the next two years, I believe that the production of pork in the two states will increase at a great rate and we will have reached a point in our progress that we will be shipping pork east instead of bringing the product out here for consumption. In the past six months 50 carloads of brood sows have been imported to this territory. That means that 2500 brood sows will be bearing pigs for Oregon and Washington farmers before the end of the year. If these sows produce four pigs each, on an average, we will have 10,000 head in addition to the regular supply for the market next winter and spring. The people of the Northwest are awakening to the importance of the hog industry and it will not be long until they will be able to supply other parts of the United States with pork, with a substantial profit to themselves."

C. C. Colt and O. M. Plummer, of Portland, are also of the opinion that the price of hogs will remain firm and they predict a good year for the hog

DANCE ENDS IN RIOT

In Brawl at Lents Fists and Beer Bottles Are Used.

FIGHT IS WAGED IN DARK

Eight Arrested After Deputies Have Sharp Combat With Belligerents—Women Seek Aid at Kelly Butte.

Lents was terrorized early yesterday morning by a series of free-for-all fights that started at an all-night dance about 2:30 A. M. and ended at the electric railway station an hour later when a posse of deputy sheriffs that hastened to the scene in an automobile, routed the brawling belligerents and arrested six of the leaders. There was no shooting or knifeing, but scores of bloody noses, black eyes, bruised faces and lacerated scalps told the story of the fight that had been waged with fists, beer bottles and other handy missiles.

While 150 people were in the dance hall the fight started. Lights went out and there was wild slugging in the dark. Constable J. H. and Deputy Sheriff E. L. Raber were called, but the situation was beyond their control. A message was sent to the Sheriff's office for assistance, and Hall and Raber arrested two of the leaders. While waiting for help a member of the gang slipped behind Raber and dealt him a blow on the head that sent him reeling and caused him to relinquish hold of the prisoner. The man escaped.

Deputies Rush to Scene.

Most of the belligerent crowd left the dark hall and assembled on the platform of the electric railway station to await the first train into the city. Another fight started. Blows were being struck right and left when an automobile bearing Deputy Sheriffs Harry Bulger, A. J. Scullbury, Bob Phillips and A. L. French dashed up and the fighters ran. The officers captured R. E. Smith, Albert Budwell, E. E. Smith, Charles Smith, Anton Wagner and Vernon Bristow. They were sent to the County Jail, and an hour later R. E. Givans and C. J. Strickland were arrested. One woman was sent to the jail with these two prisoners to be held as a witness.

While these fights were in progress an automobile carrying 15 drunken men and women who had been taking in roadhouses, broke down in front of the schoolhouse, and the occupants added to the uproar with loud curses and defiance hurled at citizens who protested.

Rocky Hurled at Women.

Two young women who slipped out of the dance hall when the fight started and tried to make their way home, were

set upon by two young men. The women ran all the way to Kelly Butte rockpile to escape their assailants and remained under protection of the officers there till morning, when they went home.

Incidental to the free-for-all slugging the street lights were extinguished and the town was in darkness. Beer bottles and missiles hurled in the dark missed their allotted targets and crashed through windows, breaking glass adding to the din that had the whole town in an uproar. One man who was knocked out remained unconscious ten minutes and it was thought he had been killed.

The eight prisoners will be taken to Lents this morning and arraigned before Justice Tobin. A charge of disorderly conduct and perhaps rioting may be placed against them.

RAILWAY MEN MAY JOIN
Movement Begun in Oregon to Affili-
filiate With Union Labor.

Leaders of organized labor report that encouraging progress is being made in the movement to affiliate with the American Federation of Labor in this state the various organizations of railroad employees.

It is estimated that there are in the state about 7000 organized railroad employees. The present membership of the Federation of Labor in Oregon approximates 14,000. The consolidation of these two forces of organized labor would effect a strong organization.

The plan for effecting an affiliation by the railroad employees with the Federation of Labor was taken up several weeks ago. The proposal has been favorably received by several of the organizations of railroad men and is understood to be under consideration by the other two forces of organized labor would effect a strong organization.

Home-seekers! Chehalis, Washington.

Surrounded by largest dairy, fruit and farming country in Pacific Northwest. Acreage inducements for intensive farming. County seat Lewis County, where land is cheaper and the best. Chehalis is the liveliest inland Washington town with 14,000 people. Paved streets, electric lights, sewerage, water, gas and all modern comforts. Has \$25,000 in public improvements under way now. Visit Chehalis and see Southwest Washington's largest farming section before locating elsewhere. Chehalis has a variety of manufacturing with large monthly payroll. For details, visit Chehalis, or address Citizens' Club, Chehalis, Wash.

Funeral to Be Held Today.

The funeral of Mrs. I. W. Pratt, widow of the late Professor I. W. Pratt, will be held at the First Congregational Church at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Dr. Luther B. Dyott will preach the funeral sermon. Services will also be held at the grave in Riverview Cemetery. These will be private, but friends are invited to attend the services at the church. Mrs. Pratt died at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon of heart failure. She was 61 years old. Her husband was for 40 years an instructor in the Portland public schools.

ADMEN TO SEE FESTIVAL

EXCURSION FROM EASTERN CITIES PLANNED.

Trips to Ocean Beaches and Hood River Will Be Made—Leading Agencies Represented.

Arrangements have been almost completed for the Admen's excursion from eastern points to Portland in the week of Rose Carnival. Special invitations have been extended by the officers of the Rose Festival, Portland Admen's Club, Commercial Club and other civic organizations. The members of this excursion will be limited to advertising agencies' officers and solicitors.

It is the understanding that Lord & Thomas, Long-Critchfield Corporation, C. H. Fuller Advertising Agency, N. W. Ayer & Son, Mahin Advertising Agency, J. Walter Thompson Agency and a dozen other of the larger concerns will be represented. Among those who have decided to come are Paul E. Faust, John Lee Mahin, C. E. Fogarty and H. W. Kastor, of Chicago. Fully 100 advertising agents will be on the train which will leave at 8:35 P. M., May 28, over the Chicago & Northwestern Railway. The party will arrive in St. Paul the following Tuesday and leave for Portland over the Great Northern. It is scheduled to arrive in Spokane at 6:30, June 1. Seattle will be reached June 2. The trip will be made from Seattle to Tacoma by boat, and from Tacoma to Portland by train, arriving Saturday night in time to attend the annual banquet of the State Threshers' Association.



231 WASHINGTON ST.
PORTLAND OREGON.
MAKER OF MEN'S CLOTHES