AS LADDER FALLS

Captain and Pipeman Thrown 30 Feet in Blaze at Ellis Home.

PLUNGE THROUGH TREE

Officer Is Seriously Hurt and "Laddy" Returns to Scene After Wounds Are Dressed--Damage Near \$10,000.

Thrown 10 feet to the ground waer a ladder on which they were mounted slipped sideways and fell, Harry Pol-lock, captain of Hose No. 6, and R. Lollack, a pipeman of the same com-pany, were seriously injured late last night in a fire which gutted the home of A. S. Ellis, a contractor, of 660 Gli-san street. Pollock was so severely hurt that he was taken to his home in hurt that he was taken to his home in the Red Cross ambulance, but after treatment in a nearby drugstore, Lollack plucklly went back to the fire.

A tree, growing in the lawn of the residence, saved both from more serious injuries. As the ladder fell it stripped the tree to the ground, and Pollock was hurled clear of it, and, after passing through the branches of the tree, fell down. Lollack was thrown into the tree and managed to keep his grip upon a branch, but he was bruised and his face badly cut by the branches.

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To the tune of "Oh. You Beautiful Doll," played next door by a party of boys throughout the time of the fire, the firemen fought the blaze, which was a stubborn one on the top half-story of a story and a half house. It is thought to have been started from an overheated chimney.

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The house is valued at about \$25,000 and is used as a residence. It was damaged to the amount of about \$10,000, a large part of the loss being due to the ruin of expensive furnishings.

A crowd througed about the house and attempted to enter. With Patrolman Moe, who turned in the alarm, Fatrolmen Griffith, Reid and White held hack the people.

OFICER DENOUNCES BRUTE

Detective Would Hang Man Charged With Degrading Woman.

Feeling ran high among the officers and attaches of the Police Court yes-terday when S. J. Mandisch appeared to answer to a charge of accepting the illicit earnings of his wife, formerly Margaret Hilliard, whom he married to escape a prison sentence several weeks ago. Detective coleman, who was engaged in the case, delivered a scathing denunciation of Mandisch from the witness-stand, over the protests of Mandisch's atterneys and the admonitions of the cent.

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"He ought to be hung or shot down," Coleman shouted.

The girl, who formerly moved in respectable circles, met Mandisch several years ago. He, it is charged, induced her to go to Alaska where she entered upon a disorderly life. Several months ago she returned to Portland and made several attempts to return to her family, but this was frustrated by Mandisch.

Mandisch was arrested, fined \$390 and sentenced to 100 days, but this sen-tence was suspended on condition he marry the girl. The girl agreed to

Saturday the girl was arrested upon a charge of stealing \$29 from Adolf Hoffman, a machinist. She was tried yesterday on a grand larceny charge, and the case was taken under advisement until April 20. The case against Mandisch will be tried later.

CHARGES DENIED BY LANE

Reports of Treachery in Political Actions Held False.

PORTLAND, April 17.—(To the Editor.)—Having been informed today that a report is being circulated in disthat a report is being circulated in dis-tant parts of the state to the effect that I "have acted treacherously to Walter M. Pierce, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator, by promising or assur-ing him that I would not become a candidate against him, thereby in-velgling and inducing him to become a candidate for said nomination," I wish

candidate for said nomination," I wish to say that the said report is false.

I neither promised nor assured Mr. Pierce, Mr. Miller or Mr. Coshow anything of the sort, nor led them to believe anything of the sort.

I did publicly decline to become a candidate after the gentlemen here named had been announced as candidates and I only finally consented to enter the race as a candidate myself after the presentation to me of petitions signed by large numbers of Democrats from all over the state, asking me to reconsider my action.

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I consented to do so without prejudice to any other candidate and at no time have I "jockeved" or attempted to do so with their rights as candidates.

HARRY LANE.

PIERCE'S NAME OMITTED

Democratic Candidate for Senator Worried by Ballot Error.

Walter M. Pierce, candidate for the

Walter M. Pierce, candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator, was considerably worried and alarmed last night by the receipt of a telegram from his agent, F. B. Currey, at Hot Lake, Or., informing him that his name had been left off the ballot in Malheur County.

"What I am afraid of," said Mr. Pierce. "is that my name may also be missing from other counties as well and also that people, on perceiving no mention of my name, may not go to the polls at all, or if they do go will not take the trouble to inquire, but vote for one of the others. The difficulty is to reach every voter in time to let him know definitely that of course I am still running. To do this notices will be sent to each voting place and messengers were being sent out to notify all election judges and workers last night."

The telegram runs as follows. Your name left off ballot Malheur County. Am arranging notice to be sent each voting place, explaining that messengers are being sent to notify all election judges and workers tonight. Think this will cause your friends over state to work harder. F. R. CURREY."

Vote for Teddy; he started the Pan-

Splendid Noonday Service and Menu in Our Seventh-Floor Tea Room - Delightful Surroundings - Orchestra Music Don't Merely Ask for Gloves, Ask for Perrin's Gloves-Mail Order Patrons, Send for Our New 130-Page Catalogue

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WEATHER: FAIR TODAY.

THE MEIER & FRANK COMPANY, ESTABLISHED 1857.

Across-the-Sea Sale of Laces and Embroideries

We've Given Out 25,000 Across the-Sea Souvenir Postcards!

ROM hundreds of miles around, we have been called upon for these valuable sonvenir Flag Postcards of United States and principal nations, being distributed during this notable Across-the-Sea Sale.

Over 25,000 eards have been given out in the last 10 days. Until Saturday night or while lots hold out, you'll find them in the various departments, where goods from the different countries are represented.

30c Silk-Striped Ginghams at 19c

A NEW lot of these beau-tiful Silk-Striped Gingwe sold over 1200 yards in a single day the last time advertised. They are 27 inches wide, of a fine wearing quality, in pretty plaids and stripes of blae, pink, lavender, green, tan, etc. Strictly tub-proof colors. Beautiful Ginghams for children's dresses, and Summer frocks. 19c Splendid 30c grade, today, yd. 19c

35c Pongee Shirtings 19c

For men's and boys' Shirts, new mannish waists for women, these fine Pongee Shirtings are in greatest demand. Blue, gray, white, cream, lav-ender grounds with various neat stripes. Regular 35e grade, 19c placed on sale today, the yard

New Heather Linens 75c

Woven like the Scotch homespuns -white, tan, brown with mottled colorings of black, blue, pink, etc. Nothing smarter for new tub dresses, suits and coats. At Meier & Frank's 75c first, of course. The yard at -First Floor, New Building.

A great special lot of dainty Platte Val. Edges, 4 to 6 inches wide; French Val. Edges, 11/2 to 3 inches wide; also Barman Lace Edges and Insertions and Venise Bands, 1 to 21/2 inch. 15c Reg. 20c to 40c grades 15c

To\$3 Lace Bands, 1.39

Handsome Venise and Ratine Bands, in white and cream. From 3 to 6 inches, for hat and dress trimmings. The heavy designs so popular. Regular \$1.75 to \$3 grades for last three days of Across-the-Sea \$1.39

The Last 3 Days Bring Forth Many New Savings

WITH Laces and Embroideries at the height of the greatest vogue in years, this great Across-the-Sea Sale carries wonderful savings on the very widths, patterns and grades so much in demand!

Our importations of Embroideries direct from the great St. Gall factories are greater than any store hereabouts. From Nottingham, England, come many of the beautiful heavy and shadow Laces. All these we own devoid of middleman's and job-

These extraordinary specials for the last

three days of the Across-the-Sea Sale:

20c to 40c Laces, 15c To 1.50 Embroid's 69c Direct from St. Gall. An immense lot of beautiful Embroidery Bands, Edges and Flouneings, in exquisite Baby Irish designs. In demand for lingerie

gowns. Regular \$1 to 69c \$1.50 grades, for 3 days To 40c Rufflingyd. 18c

Cambrie Ruffling, 5 to 12 inches wide, with rows of tucking, machine Torchon insertion and edging. Very serviceable and dainty for trimming undermuslins. The 20c to 40c 18c grades, on sale, the yard

Robe Patterns \$6.98

Lovely Robe Patterns, which may be made up with very little work. On voile and batiste, in white and colors. Pattern consist of 31/2 yards of 42-inch Flouncings and 3 yards of Banding. Worth \$8.00 to \$6.98 \$10.00, at this sale

To 30c Embroid's 10c

Over 3000 yards of pretty St. Gall Embrideries. Swiss, nainsook and Cambric Edges and Insertions, 1 to 9 inches wide, for children's wear and undermuslins, Splendid 18c to 30c 10c grades for 3 days only

Eppo Elastic Band Petticoats Fit Like a Glove

MISS BLOCK, direct from the New York factory, is here in our second floor section to tell you of the many advantages the "Eppo" has over the old-style Petti-

Made with an invisible elastie waistband, fastening at the side with glove clasps. Fits any figure closely and smoothly. Truly, the "Eppo" is an ideal Petticoat for wear with the present narrow skirts. Here only in Portland.

At \$1.22-"Eppo" Petticoats of cotton, near-silk and sateen. Flounces shirred or with rows of pin tucks. Black and

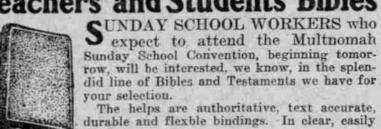
At \$1.65-"Eppo" Petticoats of cotton Epoline and Halevon fabrics. Double pleated flounces. In black and colors.

At \$5-"Eppo" Petticoats of messaline and taffeta. Flounces with tailored bands, pleating or shirred. White, black and colors. At \$6 and \$6.50—hand-some "Eppo" Petticoats of best quality messaline. Cut plain and straight for narrow skirts. Others lengthened with flounces. Plain and changeable colors.

\$5 and \$6 Eppos, \$3.65

Messalines and taffetas, in close-fitting styles with embroidered, fringed and pin-tucked flonnees. Mostly black-few Regular \$5 and \$6 colors. grades, \$3.65. -Matt Orders Filled

Teachers' and Students' Bibles



Known and favored the land over. Our price is \$2.20. Standard Teachers' Bibles with bible encyclopedia, concordance self-pronouncing. Set in long primer. Priced at \$4.50

The American Standard Bibles-in brevier. Testaments - In cloth. minion type. Priced at only 75¢ Text Bibles—In ruby type. They are a popular edition. At \$1.20

Big Ribbon Sale Continued

THOUSANDS of yards of beautiful new Ribbons in the sale—wonderful variety of patterns and colorings and at phenomenal savings

Pretty all-silk Moires, Taffetas, fancy Warp Prints, Dresdens and satin-striped novelty Rib- 19c bons in 5 and 6-inch widths

To 50c Ribbons Only 25c Only 25e for Ribbons that sell regularly at 40e and 50e. 5 and 6inch, extra quality plain Taffetas, Moires and fancy Dresden Ribbons. Also two-toned Satins and 25c 5-in. Messalines; to 50c val.

35c Ribbons Today at 19c | To 75c Ribbons Only 37c All-silk Faille and Ombre Rib-

bons with striped centers. 6 inches wide, Also 8-inch fancy Satins in all favored shades. For mil- 37c linery, sashes, etc. 50c, 75c

To \$1 Ribbons Today 67c Beautiful, 8-inch Brocaded Ribbons, 5 to 7-inch Warp Prints and Dresdens and 10-inch all-silk Taffetas. Handsome for hats, 67c etc. Lovely colorings. Price,

\$1.25-\$2White Aprons at 98c

DAINTIEST of Aprons specialed today at 98e. Includes hand-embroidered styles. Small sewing and Tea Aprons. Maids' and Nurses' Aprons, Regular \$1.25 to 98c \$2.00 grades, today only Pretty, New, Embroidered Tea Aprons, maids' and nurses' Aprons of fine lawns and nain-Some slightly soiledthat's the reason for reductions

\$2.50 Aprons at only \$1.59

Famous Fulton Blue Serge Is Used In \$15 Suits



66 MPOSSIBLE," said the big wholesale tailors when our Clothing chief first placed the Fulton Mills' Blue Serge at the top of his specifications for our \$15 line! In the end we won out-the immense orders accomplished it.

Fulton Blue Serge has heretofore been used very rarely by any maker in \$20 Suits-some even consider it costs too much to put into their \$25

Only the best long-fiber Austrian wool is used in Fulton Serge. You can easily distinguish it by the soft, silky feeling. It is guaranteed fade-

Also notable is the splendid handtailoring the fit and finish. Models for the young man, and the most conservative. You save a third and more on our Blue Serge Suits at only

The 25th Anniversary of "Onyx" Hosiery--a Sale



TODAY we continue the extraordinary sale of famous "Onvx" Hosiery for men and women, which is being held all over the country this week in celebration of the 25th Anniversary of Lord & Taylor, the makers!

Every saving is a reduction from the regular, year-around prices of "Onyx" Hosiery, in the most staple grades.

FOR WOMEN

Women's 50c Onyx Gauze Lisle Hose—Black, tan and white with "DUB-L" top, high spliced heel and double sole. Onyx An-35c niversary 3 pairs \$1, pair 35c Women's 50c Onyx Black Lisle Hose Special gauze weight with "DUB-L" top, reinforced heel, sole and toe. Finest mercerized yarn. At 3 pairs \$1, pr. 35c
Women's \$1.50 Onyx Silk Hose

-Rich, fast black with garterproof welt tops, high spliced heel and

FOR MEN

Men's 50c Onyx Pure Silk Socks -Black and colors, with lisle heel and sole. Onyx Anniver-35c sary, 3 pairs \$1, pair only Men's 50c Onyx Black Silk Lisle Socks-The best, widest-known 50c quality. Beautiful silky Summer weight. Onyx Anniversary 35c special, 3 pairs for \$1; pair Men's 50c Onyx Pancy Lisle

Socks-In scores of smart checked, figured and embroidered patterns, for Summer wear. Also silkdouble lisle sole. Onyx \$1.00 | plaited in all plain colors. 35c | Anniversary special, pr \$1.00 | Onyx Anniversary, 3 prs. \$1

Sale of Parisian Ivory

WHAT gives the boudoir a daintier appearance than this Parisian Ivory Toiletware? One can hardly have too many pieces of it.

We've just received a big shipment of the very best grade of Parisian Ivory in newest and most wanted styles. And these special for 3 days only:

NEW BONNET MIRRORS

\$4.25 Paris. Ivory Mirrors \$3.19 \$5.50 Paris. Ivory Mirrors \$3.89 \$6.75 Paris. Ivory Mirrors \$4.89 THE ROUND MIRRORS

\$2.50 Round Parisian Ivory Mirrors, on sale at only \$1.89 THE HAIR BRUSHES

\$3.25 Long Bristle, at \$2.19 \$4.00 Long Bristle, at \$2.89 \$4.25 Long Bristle, at \$3.19 \$5.00 Long Bristle, at \$3.89

PARISIAN IVORY COMBS \$.85 Parisian Ivory combs 59¢ \$1.25 Heavy Ivory Combs 89¢ PARISIAN IVORY BRUSHES

\$3,25 Ivory Cloth Brushes \$2.39

\$1.75 Ivory Hat Brushes **\$1.29** \$1.50 Ivory Whisk Broom **\$1.09** PARIS. IVORY PUFF BOXES \$4.25 large Puff Boxes with puff, French top, priced at \$3.19 \$5.00 large Puff Boxes with puff,

French top, priced at \$3.89 75c Ivory Salve Boxes at 49¢ -First Floor, New Building .- Mall Orders Filled.

Morris Supreme Hams, Lb. 17c

-Third Floor, New Building.

MORRIS SUPREME HAMS, with a national reputa-tion for their sugar-cured sweetness and old-fashioned hickory smoked flavor!

We've secured 2000 genuine Supreme Eastern Hams for today's sale. Medium size. Not over one to a customer and none to dealers. We priced them at, lb.

Save On Reliable Trunks!

ing trips.

\$10.25 Trunks, 32-inch, at \$8.70 | \$11.25 Trunks, 36-inch, at \$9.45

\$10.75 Trunks, 34-inch, at \$9.15 \$11.75 Trunks, 38-inch, at \$9.95

fold. Size 24 inches long, 6 inches deep, 13 inches wide. Extra \$5.45 strong handle, with brass lock and bolts. Low price, this sale \$5.45

\$7.50 Cowhide Suitcases-Full leather cowhide, linen-lined, with shirt-

Japanese Style Rice, 5 pounds 25¢ 60c Brooms, large size, at only 50c Raisins, 3 packages for only 25¢ Hartley's Marmalade, the jar 25¢ Canned Corn, 3 for 25c, dozen 95c String Beans, the dozen, at \$1.20 Maine Corne, the dozen cans \$1.20

Yellow Corn Meal, sack, only 25¢ | Maine Succotash, dozen cans \$1.20 Standard Tomatoes, dozen \$1.10 Cove Oysters, 3 cans for only 25¢ 25c Grape Juice, the bottle 20c Table Peaches, 3 large cans for 50¢ Table Apricots, 3 large cans 50¢ Sail Laundry Soap, 9 bars for 25¢ 10c Ivery Soap, 4 bars for only 30¢ -Basement Store, Main Building.

FERE'S just the sturdy,

you want for Summer vacation and out-

Canvas covered, water-proof Trunks, with brass trimmings, and fiber bound. Art cloth lined with two leather straps

and two large trays. All sizes at spe-cial prices for three days only:

\$9.75 Trunks, 30-ineb, at only \$8.25

-Fourth Floor, Main Building. -Mail Orders Filled.

moderate-priced Trunk

3000 Men's 25c Wash Ties



T'LL be the wise man who

comes himself or sends for at least a dozen of these pretty, new Wash Ties at today's sale price!

The manufacturer made up 3000 of them for us during his dull season-Ties which we could not buy regularly to sell under 25c.

White Reps White Piques White Madrases Fancy Woven Stripes. Neat Dots and Figures.

New Plain Colors

All 11/2 inches wide and 50 inches long. The sort of Wash Ties which are worn by men and

women alike. A big sale on the Center Aisle today. Every one a 25c Tie at 121/2c.

\$5 Lawn Mowers \$3.99

The casy-running, ball-bearing Reliance make, Number 11/2, as illustrated; 14-inch size, with three blades. Sure to give lasting satisfaction. Our regular \$5.00 Reliance Mowers today in \$3.99 this big April sale at

\$8 Mower \$6.49 The celebrated Philadelphia

make-the highest grade Mower made. No. "K" style, with five cutting blades. 10-inch-high wheels. Perfect and easy running.

factory is here to give you advice on Paints.



The popular Reliance makesplendid value even at the regular price. No. 2 style, 14-inch size, Our \$8 Philadelphia \$6.49 with 4 cutting blades. \$3.69 Mowers. Special, only \$6.49 \$4.75 regularly. Today

\$4.75 Lawn Mower \$3.69

Sale of Paints, Brushes and Supplies Timely specials on supplies needed for the renovating and freshening the home. But few of the offerings mentioned here. An expert from the

Imperial Floor Paint, 1/2-gal. 79c | 10c black bristle Varnish Brushes Imperial House Paint, quart, 49¢ Imperial House Paint, gal., \$1.69 Imperial H'se Paint, 5-gal \$7.98 Imperial Porch Paint, 1-qt., 68¢ Imp'l Porch Paint, ½ gal., \$1.22 Imp'l Porch Paint, 1 gal., \$2.24 25c Liquid Veneer, special, 19e 50c Liquid Veneer, special, 37e Japanese Oil Stains, ½ pt. 18¢
Japanese Oil Stains, 1 pt., 27¢
Japanese Oil Stains, 1 pt., 25¢
Jap-a-lac varnish-stain, ½ pt. 25¢
Jap-a-lac varnish-stain, 1 pt. 45¢

Johnson's Floor Wax, 1 lb., 39c

Imperial Floor Paint, quart, 44¢ | Johnson's Floor Wax, 4 lb. \$1.49 1-inch, special this sale at 8¢ 15c black bristle Varnish Brushes. 11/2-inch, special this sale 12¢

25c black bristle Varnish Brushes. 2-inch, special this sale at 19¢ 30c black bristle Varnish Brushes, 21/2-inch, special this sale 24¢ 40c black bristle Varnish Brushes. 3-inch, special this sale at 33¢

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