BIG SAW WORKS COMING

BUT PORTLAND CITIZENS MUST RAISE \$50,000.

In Order to Get the Industry to Move West, Local Capital Must Be Invested.

Subscription books to the treasury stock of the Andrews Saw Manufacturing Company will be opened at the Merchants pany will be opened at the Merchants National Bank this morning, and it is hoped that the £0,900 which is needed to bring the large plant of the corporation to this city will be raised promptly. J. Frank Watson will act as trustee, and already some of the prominent financiers of Portland have handed in their subscriptions. One of the first was Henry W. Corbett. scriptions. W. Corbett.

The Andrews factory, owned by E. Andrews & Sons, is at present located in Williamsport, Pa., and has for some time been contemplating moving West. It will bring between 50 and 60 families with it, for all its skilled labor will come, and several cities have tried to secure in one lump so big an increase in industry. But Portland's enterprise has won, and there is practically no doubt now that the deal will go through.

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The cost of moving the plant will be \$50,000, and it is to secure this sum that the treasury stock will be sold. The company has been reorganized and incorporated under the laws of Oregon, and, wholly outside the matter of municipal and the state of the state pride, it will prove a splendid investment. On its capitalization of \$150,000 it has been paying a regular 15 per cent dividend, and it is regarded in the trade as about the best piece of property of the sort in

the country.

John T. Grayson, who has made a thorough investigation, said resterday:

"All arrangements looking to the trans-All arrangements looking to the trans-fer of the plant have been made, and all we need to do now is to raise the neces-sary \$50,000. It is a magnificent oppor-tunity which Portland cannot afford to let slip. It will bring us at least 50 famlet slip. It will bring us at least 50 families, and just the sort of families we want. The Andrews Company ranks high in the commercial world, and its products have a world-wide fame. The firm has been making the very highest class of saws for years, its factory having been originally established in Williamsport in 1852. What makes the investment so good is the company's ownership of almost priceless patterns and patents, as well as of great quantities of costly special machinery.

"We have secured three and one-half acres of land in Portland, with 210 feet of water-front, as a site for the factory, and it exactly suits the company. The work of removal will be begun as soon as the \$50,000 is raised, and we hope that will be subscribed at once. Five hundred shares of treasury stock will be offered at \$100 per share, and this will pay the cost of the transfer. It will be an ex-pensive piece of work, but it is well worth

the money."

Representatives of the Andrews Company are now in the city.

TO INSTALL OFFICERS.

High School Alumni Association to Meet Tomorrow Night.

The Portland High School Alumni Association will hold its semi-annual meeting at the High School building on Monday evening, January 19, at 8 o'clock. This is to be the most important meeting of the year, for the reason that the officers-elect are then to be installed. They are:
President, Dr. Robert Wendling; vicepresident, Margaret O'Connor; secretary,
Verdl Monroe; treasurer, Tom West; exscutive committee, Raymond Steel and
Parthenia Dukehart.
The president is expelled a member of

Parthenia Dukchart.

The president is ex-officio a member of the said committee, and, with the other two members, will then appoint permanent sub-committees, which for the next year are to have full charge of any af-fairs that may be given by the associaare to have full charge of any af-

At this meeting a reception of some kind will be arranged for the February class of 1905, which is to graduate on February 4, and if the preceding meetings for such purposes are any criterion, there will be a spirited argument in order to determine the place for the reception, the time of the reception, and the kind of a reception. Among numerous other important matters to be brought before the meeting, an

endeavor will be made to cancel on the books all back dues of any member for the year 1983. There are now over 1100 members of the alumni, and the association is in a most flourishing condition.

A question that for years has caused

much etrife was definitely settled at the last meeting, and will probably remain so for years to come. That is, all "outside girls," or in other words, all girls who are not graduates of the High School, are barred, excepting wives of graduates, and any girl who has not naid her dues is any girl who has not paid her dues is not entitled to an invitation for an escort.

CASH REGISTER IS \$6 SHY Deputy Sheriff Collects Judgment With Aid of a Revolver.

Deputy Sheriff Adkins had to bring his gun into play yesterday in enforcing a judgment summons at the saloon of the DeMartini Company, First and Madison streets. He had been instructed to collect \$3 20 and costs from the DeMartini Com-pany in the suit instituted against the latter by Otto J. Kraemer to recover \$2 20 witness fees in a case recently tried at the Circuit Court, Emmons against the DeMartini Company. A big bartender was holding up the bar when Adkins arrived, and the officer of the law said: "I've been sent here to collect \$6 judgment and costs in a lawsuit. Here are my papers," "Go to—Seattle!" snorted the bartend-

er, with indignation.
"I am an officer, and here is my star,"
insisted Adkins, showing his emblem of

"To h-l with you and your star!" snarled the bartender, suddenly gripping a

wicked-looking clubstick.

Then it was that Adkins gripped his revolver, and, shoving the muzzle dangerously near the bartender's nose, said:
"You stand away from that cash register, and if you touch me with that stick I'll let

daylight through you!"

The bartender turned pale and sneaked away two yards. Adkins, with his left hand gripping his revolver, took out the 56 with his right hand, handed the bartender a receipt for the money, lighted his cigar again and went back to report at Justice of the Peace Reid's courtroom,

NEW OREGON INDUSTRY.

The Oregon Condensed Milk Company, of which J. P. Tamiesie, M. D., is president, and Fred Schomburg, manager, has commended operations at Hillsboro. The factory located near that city is strictly modern and has the capacity to handle all the milk that can be secured in that neighborhood during the next two years. Their "Oregon Grane" brand of sterilized Their "Oregon Grape" brand of sterilized evaporated cream is guaranteed to be strictly free from any coloring or foreign matter, and will undoubtedly prove pop-lar with the discriminating public.

BRINGS CHICAGO NEARER.

Seventy Hours Is the Time East Vin "Chicago-Portland Special."

The time between Portland and Chicago via the "Chicago-Portland Special" now is 70 hours, or two hours less than three days. Train leaves every morning at \$20 o'clock. Inquire O. R. & N. ticket office. Third and Washington.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

If Baby Is Cutting Teeth, re and use that old and well-tried remedy Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children ng. It soothen the child softens the gunu all pain, cures wind colic and diarrhoea

All mail orders during January are filled at clearance sale prices.

A great sale of Trunks now in progress—Every good style and size—Third Floor.

Meier & Frank Company Meier & Frank Company Meier & Frank Company

Picture Framing to your order at clearance prices-Largest and best line of moldings.

Brass and Iron Beds-All sizes and styles marked at clearance prices. All models of "Willamette" Sewing Machines greatly reduced in price-Second Floor. "Peninsular" Stoves, Ranges and Wood Heaters at special clearance prices.

The Great Clearance Sale---Fourth Week

January Clearance Sales are logical; so are good wheat crops, but some years bring full crops and some years lessened crops. Every clearance sale cannot be equally good. Conditions make this one the best by far that we have ever held. The young wife of a busy and successful man said to a friend: "Will is such a queer man at business. Just when he's so full of orders that the poor fellow is nearly wild because his men can't deliver goods promptly, he rushes out all his salesmen to get more orders. I can't understand it." And yet success comes by just such pushing in business. Look at the store. Busy as never before because we've more merchandise, better merchandise. People of Portland and the Northwest enriched by good times. Everybody eagerly buying. The temptations---Marvelous values in every line of merchandise in our immense stock. The man or woman with money in purse is tempted as never before to buy. Clearance sale days are slipping by quickly. Don't delay shopping a single day.



1903 White Goods

About 3000 yards of the new imported white Waistings came to hand yesterday. Somehow or other the usually slow Englishman gets ahead of his American cousin when it comes to placing his product on the market early. The weaves we show you today are in our opinion far superior both in style and quality to anything John Bull has ever sent across the pond. Beautiful conceptions in Satin Damasks, Cheviots, Oxfords, Basket-Weave Vestings, plain white grounds and plain white, embroidered whites, woven whites-About seventy patterns for choosing, which is exceedingly good for so early in the season. They are worth seeing even if you have no intention of buying. Prices during the clearance sale are

23cyd, 36cyd, 46cyd, 52cyd, 57cyd, 67cyd.

The American-made White Fabrics promise to be the most beautiful ever shown. Pricing up to \$3.00 yard. If the mills keep their word we'll have them for you in a week or ten days.

We are showing about thirty styles in the new imported 1903 Fabrics in colors and fancy figured --- The advance guard.

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Carpet Department



The remarkable character of our offerings in carpets, mattings, linoleums, lace curtains and upholstering goods is causing the liveliest kind of selling in the 3d floor carpet store-Home furnishings can be bought at a saving everyone will appreciate.

Rugs at special low prices. All Mattings greatly reduced. Upholstering material low

Are bought at the lowest possible prices during the January clearance sale-You'll find our stock the largest in town. All laying satisfactorily done. Axminsters, Velvets, Body Brussels, Ingrains, Stair Carpets, Linoleums, etc., all greatly reduced.

Lace Curtain Bargains

Brussels, Nottinghams, Irish Point, Muslins, and Novelty

Odd pairs of Lace Curtains one-third off.

Curtains.							
.75	values	now \$.60	pair i	\$2.50	values	now\$2.00	pair
						now\$2.20	
1.25	values	now \$1.00	pair	\$3.00	values	now\$2.40	pair
1.50	values	now \$1.20	pair	\$3.25	values	now\$2.60	pair
2.00	values	now \$1.60	pair!	\$5.00	values	now\$4 00	pair
8.50	values	now \$6.80	pair!	\$7.50	values	now\$5.35	pair

The great "White Sale" gains new impetus today by the addition of some unusual tempting values in Corset Covers, Gowns, Drawers and Skirts, new, dainty pieces to delight the feminine taste. 75c and 85c Drawers, fine materials, daintily trimmed, lace 63c

embroidery, wide ruine, special 50c and 65c Drawers of fine quality cambric, embroidery trimmed, big full sizes, exceptional values

A big lot of 35c Drawers, while they last 23c pair.

\$1.65, \$1.75 Night Gowns, variety of styles, best materials, lace or embroidery trimmed, all sizes, bargain \$1.25, \$1.40 Night Gowns in many styles, lace and embroidery trimmed, well made throughout, big value . All the \$1.00 Gowns in best styles and trimmings 83c.

Corset Covers, thousands of 'em. special 19c, 23c, 29c, 43c, 47c, 69c.

All \$1.00 Perticoats, special at 83c. \$1.50, \$1.75 Petticoats, big values at \$1.19 each. \$2.00, \$2.25 Petricoats, great values at \$1.68 each.

All the best styles and leathers at very special prices during the Clearance Sale. Elevators to Third Floor.

Basement

These are bargain days in

the basement store-Thous-

ands of useful things in

China, Glassware, Cutlery,

Cut Glass, Kitchen Goods,

etc., at exceedingly low prices.

6-qt. granite covered sauce

8-qt. granite tea kettle 80c.

Good chopper, family size,

Good chopper, large size,

Nickel lamp with white

dome shade-complete for

Christie bread knife 36c.

sterling silver tops, 16c each.

Glass salt and peppers,

Asbestos mats for 3c each.

Decorated Jap tea pots 12c.

Odd dishes less than cost.

Great bargains in silver-

ware, cut glass and lamps.

"Peninsular"

heaters-50% more heating

and cooking capacity than

any other-many models-

every one at clearance prices.

Gendron"

Baby carriages and go-

carts - best made, special low

prices during the clearance

sale. -3d floor.

Stoves, ranges and wood

\$1.60.

\$1.40.

Machines Stoves

During the Clearance sale we're offering all our Willamette Machines and Penin'lar Stoves very low

inens---Cottons



Don't let the Clearance Sale slip by without supplying a year's need in Table Linens and Cottons-Prices are at low tide and stocks at their best-Here you find John S. Brown & Sons' fine Table Linens, best made and unequaled in style and patterns-Sheets, Pillow Cases, Bed Spreads, Towels, Toweling, Wash Fabrics, etc., all at surprisingly low prices-Buy this week.

For Men, Women and Children-every good style one may want-every pair at big saving during the clearance sale.

Men's Slippers

Too many men's slippers on hand so the price pruning knife is again y brought into action. About 1500 pairs all told, in every new styleevery good leather, monkey, lizard, seal, walrus, tan calf, patent leather, vici, dongola, The celebrated Banister make.



STUPENDOUS VALUES IN HIGH-CLASS

We've cut deep into the cost of every one or our nigh-class Novelty Garments, Evening Costumes, Carriage Wraps, magnificent Street Wraps, Etc.-An opportunity to buy a beautiful garment at little cost:

One Opera Coat of red broadcloth, trimmed, tassels, and lynx fur, a \$75 \$46.00 wrap at the low price of ... One beautiful French velour Coat, trimmed with Persian lamb and tassels, \$88.00 garment now

One silk Peau de Soie Coat, braid and ermine trimmed, also lace applique, a \$98 coat reduced to \$60.00 One Opera Coat of fine black broadcloth, trimmed with applique and chiffon, a \$92 coat now One Opera Coat of fine green broadcloth.

lace and velver trimming, accordion plaited, \$90 coar One Opera Coat of fine French broadcloth, trimmed with buttons, panne velvet, lace draped, \$68 value \$40.00

One Parisian Costume reduced from \$145.00 to \$98.00. One magnificent camel's hair Parisian Costume re-duced from \$90.00 to \$65.00. handsome Parisian Evening Gown reduced from

\$120.00 to \$76.00 One India Mulle Evening Dress reduced from \$68.00

One handsome Crepe de Chine Evening Gown reduced from \$100,00 to \$58.00. \$75.00 Crepe de Chine Gown now \$46.00. £50.00 Pt. d'Esprit Gown now \$33.85.

Waist Reductions



Silk Waists at less than cost. \$3.75 Waists, now only \$2.67 \$4.50 Waists, now only \$3.55 \$5.00 Waists, now only \$3.55 \$6.50 Waists, now only \$4.75

Our entire remaining stock of Silk Waists

\$7.00 Waists, now only \$5.15 \$7.50 Waists, now only \$5.25 \$8.00 Waists, now only \$5.75

All our fine quality French Flannels and Prunella Waists at very low prices.

\$4.50 Waists \$3.55 \$6.50 Waists \$4.92 \$5.00 Waists \$3.95 \$6.00 Waists \$4.72 \$7.00 Waists \$5.25

Flannel Waists in best patterns and styles. \$1.25 Waists now \$.89 \$1.75 Waists now \$1.22 \$2.25 Waists now \$1.55 \$1.95 Waists now \$1.32 \$2.50 Waists now \$1.72

Garment Section

Offers rare bargains in Jackets, Suits, Skirts, Walking Suits and Skirts-A larger and better assortment to choose from than can be found anywhere else on the Pacific Coast.

Children's Cloaks

At greatly reduced prices-All high-class novelty Coats at a sacrifice-Children's Dresses and Blouse Suits less than cost.

Robes and Dressing Sacques

Eiderdown Sacques and Dressing Robes, satin trimmed, silk frogs, cord and tassel.

\$4.50 Robes, now only \$3.25 \$5.00 Robes, now only \$3.85 \$6.00 Robes, now only \$4.72 Eiderdown Sacques, all sizes,

best styles, great values at 39c, 67c, 84c, 92c.

Wrappers

Percale and Lawn Wrappers in good patterns and colorings, all sizes, 52c and 69c each.

Flannelette and Percale Wrappers, best styles, materials, \$1.25, \$1.50 values

Petticoats

Black Moreen Petticoats, silk plaiting with ruche, \$6.05 reg. \$7.50 value for

\$1.25 Sateen Petticoats \$.87 \$1.75 black sateen Petticoats \$1.32 All silk Petticoats greatly reduced Golf Vests at low prices.