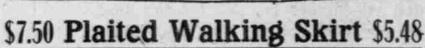
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READ CAREFULLY THE MANY GREAT BARGAINS OFFERED FOR TOMORROW

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IN THE CLOAK STORE-100 fine Sicilian Walking Skirts in black. brown, navy and tan; made in the newest plaited effects with 50 side plaits, stitched at the top forming a V-shaped yoke. Regular \$7.50; a great bargain at

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50 white Linette Shirtwaists, strictly tailormade. The front has wide box plaits with large pearl buttons and 11 graduating fine plaits on each side. The back has double box plaits, full new leg-o'-mutton sleeves with tucked cuffs, and turned over laundered collar. Very spe-



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\$4.50, \$6.50 to \$15



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New York and Paris are showing Linen Suits as the first favorites of fashion. Lipman, Wolfe & Co. are showing all the best New York and Imported Linen Suits, styles exported Linen Suits, styles exclusively controlled by them in Portland; popular prices.

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ladies' 22-inch tailormade Jackets, of finest quality tan covert cloth, made in the newest fly front shape, with notch collar. The front and back trimmed and stitched with cloth strapping; new full leg-o'-mutton sleeves with turned cuffs and all lined with tan satin. Regular price \$15.00; a great bargain at\$10.00

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Tailormade Suits, all this season's correct styles, in jacket and blouse effects; made in plain broadcloths, cheviots, Panama. cloths and a variety of fancy mixed materials. The jackets are lined with silk and fancy trimmed. The skirts are plaited and trimmed. Regular prices \$25.00 to \$18.50; a great bargain at\$12.75

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IN THE EMBROIDERY STORE-5000 yards Embroidery, 2 to 6 inches wide, and insertions 1 to 2 inches wide; all this season's newest designs; regular prices 35c to 25c.

50c Embroidery 25c

4500 yards Embroidery, 3 to 9 inches wide, Insertions 11/2 to 3 inches wide, Corset Cover Embreidery 14 inches wide, a large variety to select from; regular price 65c to 40c, a great bargain at......25¢

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Irish Point, Battenberg Cable Nets, Brussels and Nottingham effects in White and Regular price \$5.00, at.......\$4.19 Regular price \$6.00, at......\$4.95 Regular price \$1.50, at.....

 Regular price \$2.00, at
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50c Chiffon 33c

Chiffon, all silk 44 inches wide in white, cream, black including all new and staple shades; regular price 50c, a great bargain at 33¢

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See the demonstration of our famous Thespian The greatest cream on the market. Per jar, 25c and	35c
Our entire stock of 50-cent Odors in bulk; per ounce, special	25c
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75c Ultra Violette Water, special	35¢
Alma Kola Massage Cream, 50c; special	25¢
Cucumber Cream, 25c; special	15¢
Violet Deodorizing Powder, 25c; special	11¢
Witch Hazel Talcum, 15c; special	9¢
Sigma Almond Meal, 15c; special	9¢
Powder De Riz Face Powder, 25c; special	
Dorin's Imported Face Powder, 50c; special	25¢
Carter's Hair Renewer, 60c; special	19¢
Splendid Grade Egg Shampoo, 25c; special	12¢
Superior Bay Rum; 25c; special	13¢
Japanese Cleaning Compound, 25c; special	19¢
1000 sheets Toilet Paper, 100; special	5¢
800 sheets Toilet Paper, 5c; special	3¢
2000 bars of fine imported Italian Castile Soap. Regular, 45c; special	250
Regular, 45c; special	10c
Large double cake fine pure Glycerine Soap; Special	80
Vestal Violette Soap, special 3 for	19¢
Snowberry Soap, 5c; special	
Binder's Tar Soap, 15c; special	8¢
200 solid back Hair Brushes, 50c; special	
500 fine grade Combs, 25c; special	
Wright's Tooth Powder, 19c; special	
Sigma Tooth Powder, 19c; special	
Loonen's French Tooth Brushes, 35c; special	
2000 Tooth Brushes, 15c; special	

Jewelry Store

88c Bulb Syringes, special65¢

fad, in topaz, coral, crystal, ruby sapphire; special at.....35c Graduated Bead Necklaces, the greatest and latest fashion

Souvenirs

The greatest assortment of Souvenir Spoons, Calendars, Cups, Fobs, Pin Trays, Hatpins, Badges, Match Boxes, Coins in Portland for less than you can buy elsewhere.

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We have all the Trail and Exposition songs "of merit." Below you will find the "best of them all," and to introduce them 15c we offer special for three days.....

My Old Oregon Home-big hit. Dear Old Portland. Sweet Rose of Oregon. On the Willamette-"immense."

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And the biggest song ballad hit of the year at 15c special-I Never Loved Another Girl as I Love You.

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And 12 records of your own choice delivered at your home for \$1.00. Balance easy weekly payments.

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CHINESE PROBLEM A DIFFIGULT ONE

How to Exclude Laborers and Admit Others Is the Question.

TRADE RETALIATION FELT

Secretary Taft's Declaration Indicates That President Intends to Relieve Chinese Merchants

How to keep Chinese laborers out of the United States, yet to admit Chinese merchants, students, travelers, teachers and other intelligent subjects of the Celestial Empire, is a problem before the American Government, for on account of the harsh operation of the exclusion law, Chinese are about to shut out trade from this country, thus to retaliate on venders of American goods, for humiliation of their countrymen.

In consequence, diplomacy between China and America has been strained for several months, and American traders are becoming alarmed. The uneasiness is felt in Portland commercial circles as much as anywhere on the Pacific Coast. Ex-porters of wheat, flour and lumber are raising a clamor for better treatment of high-grade Chinese.

Aim of Exclusion Law.

The policy of exclusion has become so firmly rooted in American public sentiment that few or no residents of Portland. expect to see it displaced, but there is a widespread demand for amendment of the law so as to make access to this country easy for intelligent Chinese, especially of the commercial classes, and yet not let down the bars against coolle hordes.

This is the aim of the exclusion law as it stands, but on account of the system of enforcement and the numerous frauds attended by Chinese laborate to rain ontempted by Chinese laborers to gain en-trance under the guise of merchants, high-grade Chinese are subjected to de-tention at the ports of entry, humiliating

examinations, and sometimes arbitrary and insulting treatment at the hands of immigration inspectors. The exclusion laws enacted since 1882 have been "re-enacted, extended and con-tinued, without modification, limitation or condition," by an act of Congress of April tinued, without modification, limitation or condition," by an act of Congress of April 27, 1994, and by the same act those laws were applied to the "island territory un-der the jurisdiction of the United States." Those laws prohibit Chinese immigration from such territory to the mainland of the United States. Exclusion from the Hawaiten and the Politimete Islands has Hawaiian and the Philippine Islands has incensed the Chinese against Americans

Chinese Diplomats Busy.

Chinese diplomats have sought for better treatment of their countrymen through treaty negotiation, all to no avail. Last December they suffered to lapse a treaty which had been in force ten years, which ovided that "the coming of Chinese laborers to the United States shall be ab-solutely prohibited," except that "the provisions of this convention shall not affect the right, at present enjoyed, of Chinese subjects, being officials, teachers, stu-dents, merchants or travelers for curlos-ity or pleasure, but not laborers, of coming to the United States and residing

fused to renew, for the alleged reason that its terms were not lived up to in the exclusion laws find the immigration policy of the United States. By a treaty with China of 1880, the United States Government may "regulate, limit or suspend" the coming or residence of Chinese labor-ers, "but may not absolutely prohibit it"; however, the words last quoted have been amended by various exclusion laws, there-by adding to the indignation of the Chi-ness government, for it is held by that government that the exclusion laws since expiration of the treaty of 1894, are in contravention of other treaty stipulations, conspicuously those stipulations in the treaty of 1890, whereby the United States States is bound not to "absolutely prohibit" immigration of Chinese laborers.

Coolie Labor Question.

The Chinese government does not object to America's exclusion of coolle laborers; in fact, in 184, that government made a treaty with this country conceding their exclusion. But because the United States has rigorously enforced exclusion and Chinese merchants have been subscred to severe treatment on account of the frauls practiced by their humble countrymen, to defeat the exclusion laws, the Chinese are

President Roosevelt is in favor of an endment of the exclusion law, for the amendment of the exclusion law, for the benefit of high-class Chinese, and Secretary of War Taft last Thursday denounced the operation of the law in strong terms, and declared that the Pacific Coart was prejudiced on the subject and was making unreasonable demands. Mr. Taft proclaimed that "justice and courtesy" should be extended "to a people from whom we are deriving and are likely to derive such immense benefit in ly to derive such immense benefit in the way of international trade." The Secretary said further: "Is it just that for the purpose of ex-

cluding or preventing perhaps 100 Chinese coolies from slipping into this country against the law, we should subject an equal number of Chinese merchants and students of high character to an examination of such an inquisitorial, humiliat-ing insulting, and physically uncomfort-able character as to discourage altogeth-er the coming of merchants and stu-dents?"

Asiatic Association Acts.

Last week the matter was taken before the President by the American Asiatic Association, representing the cotton textile and the iron and steel trade of the United States. The association protested against such enforcement of the exclusion law as might hazard American trade in China. In its protest the Association said:

"The treatment accorded by the immigration officers of this Government to the exempt classes of Chinese visiting our country is more oppressive than either the letter or the spirit of the law requires. Moreover, the plainest principles of in-Last week the matter was taken before the President by the American Asiatic As-

the letter or the spirit of the law requires. Moreover, the plainest principles of internal conditions demand that the law shall be made more liberal, either oy amendment or the negotiation of a new treaty or by both."

President Roosevelt promised to take the matter under consideration, and to do all he could to remedy the difficulty. The

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