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A TREMENDOUS SACRIFICE OF OREGON'S LARGEST AND BEST FURNITURE STOCKS

CARPET FLOORS MUST GIVE UP THEIR BURDEN

\$60,000.00 CARPET STOCKS SURRENDERED TO THREE-DAY CLEARANCE

YESTERDAY, when \$10,000 worth of Carpets came rolling in, even contrary to our every endeavor to cancel the order, the fate of this department was sealed, and clearance now stands in the center of the Carpet floors in absolute possession.

THREE DAYS ONLY MONDAY - TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY THREE DAYS ONLY

FINEST GATHERING OF FLOOR COVERINGS IN ALL PORTLAND AT MERE NOTHING PRICES

70 New Patterns, Best Grade "AGRA" Extra Superior Ingrain \$1.10 Carpets 150 Full Rolls Arrived in Yesterday's Shipment, Offered All at the One Price

69c Yard



The choicest assortment of patterns ever contained in one stock to sell at one price. The Carpets present a quality unexcelled—the very finest of their kind. Roll after roll piled in the very center of the Carpet Rooms for your unlimited preference and selection.

20 Patterns Regular 75c Ingrains, All Two-Thirds Wool, and Extra Heavy Grade at 49c yd. Carpets that in many stores would easily sell at 85c the yard.

Extra Wilton Velvet in Three Choice Patterns Regular \$1.85 Values, Sale Price . . . 89c yd. Pay \$2.00 a yard and you won't buy better carpets.

Excellent Grade \$1.25 Brussels, Offered in Three Exquisite Patterns, Sale Price 65c yd. There's an increasing popular demand for these carpets.

Two Pretty Selections in a High-Grade Axminster; Regular \$1.60; Sale Price 85c yd. Especially designed for parlor use.

Grand 3-Day Clearance, 9x12 Rugs, Extra Grade, Axminster and Excellent Brussels, at \$27.50 and \$18.00

Of course, there are many other grades in these 9x12 Rugs, but there are no other two so popular as these. Carpet stores about town are selling an exceptional fine grade Axminster Rug at \$50 and \$52.50.



Note—All Sale Carpets sold "cut off." Corresponding reductions on all Small Rugs and other 9x12 grades not mentioned here.

Three-Day Clearance of Portland's Most Select Lace Curtain Stocks The Values From \$7.50 to \$20.00 at Half

Strictly a sale of High-grade Curtains. Many that are shown exclusively at this place. Nowhere in the West is shown such a complete assortment of these finer drapes.

All Mail Orders Will Be Filled in Order Received No Shipments of Sale Carpets to Retail Dealers. Carpet and Drapery Section—Second Floor

All Office Furniture Under Wholesale Cost

I. GEVURTZ & SONS

Monday Washday Needs At Actual Wholesale Cost

PORTLAND'S FAVORITE TRADING PLACE FIRST ON YAMHILL SECOND

SALOONS OUT OF BUSINESS

SOMETHING AFFECTING THIRST DISPENSARIES.

San Francisco Cannot Explain Whether It Is New Year's Resolutions or Weather.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Whether New Year's resolutions, a spasm of economy or a thirst disguised by the weather are responsible for it, the fact that saloons are closing their doors at the rate of six or seven a day, stands in the books of the Sheriff's office.

PASSING OF MACDOWELL

Obsequies of Noted Composer Show Honor and Respect. NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The funeral of E. A. Macdowell was held today. As a mark of respect to the noted American composer, who died Thursday, the Philharmonic Orchestra at its concert in Carnegie Hall yesterday afternoon played the funeral march from Beethoven's "Eroica" symphony.

Watson Gilder, Horatio Parker, the composer; Wessily Safonoff, the conductor; E. C. Benedict, treasurer of the Macdowell fund; Daniel C. Francis, Howard Mansfield, Robert Underwood Johnson, secretary of the National Institute of Arts and Letters; John W. Alexander, president of the Macdowell Club; Allan Robinson, Henry T. Finck, Lawrence Gilman, Walter Cook, Henry Rutgers Marshall, William Loomis, Eugene Heffley, Dr. L. L. Danford, Dr. Coleman Cutler, Philip Schmidt, of Boston, August Lewis, James Huneker and William Steiway.

RECTORS RAISE SCANDAL

Complain of Fast Lives of Hunting Set and Are Forced to Resign. LREAMINGTON, England, Jan. 25.—A great and far-reaching scandal threatens among the hunting set, which includes many Americans who come out to ride to the hounds over this district. Two British clergymen—Obert Mordaunt, rector of Hampton Lucy Church, and Rector Tobin, of Charlecote—have resigned their livings because the Bishop of Birmingham disapproved of their campaign against "the loose living of the hunting set" to use their own term.

PASCO'S DEN'S MOST VILE

CUSTOMS OFFICIALS RAID DOZEN OPIUM JOINTS.

Chinese, Negroes and Whites Mingle Together and Children Found Breathing Poisonous Fumes. TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Sweeping down unheralded upon the opium dens of Pasco, Roy Ballinger and Fred King, customs inspectors stationed at Tacoma this week seized 17 pounds of the drug and condemned 200 opium cans. Speaking of the raid today, the customs men said they found more and worse opium dens in that little town than they had seen in any city in the Northwest. It took them 12 hours to make the rounds of the joints, and the number was so great that they lost count. Chinese, negroes and whites were found together in some of the places, and the officers ran across several children in opium rooms, breathing the poisonous fumes.

DELCASSE STIRS FRANCE

Sensation Follows Charge That German Bluffed Her. PARIS, Jan. 25.—The dramatic speech made in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday by M. Delcasse, who spoke upon foreign affairs for the first time since his retirement from the foreign ministry during the crisis of 1905, has proved a veritable sensation in Parliamentary circles. His charge that France, in a moment of panic, consented to the Algeiras Conference when in reality Germany would not have dared to make war upon her, because of her alliances and friendships, created a deep impression throughout the country.

M. Delcasse's remarks may bring a number of surprises, but a majority of newspapers advise prudence.

PHOTOGRAPH SUN'S CORONA

Flint Island Expedition Returns After Complete Success. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Five scientists arrived from Flint Island in the South Seas on the Mariposa this morning, returning from an expedition undertaken solely to get photographs of the corona of the sun during the total eclipse, which occurred in southern latitudes last month. They were eminently successful. According to the scientific description, the corona, which is a radiated aureole, which assumes a wondrous form with great equatorial wings spread to a distance of several degrees, the poles garnished with imposing tufts of light. Of this splendid spectacle the five scientists believe they have the most perfect photographs ever taken.

SHINGLE MILLS TO OPEN

MARCH 1 WILL SEE MANY IN OPERATION. Means Employment to 12,000 Men. Few Contracts Will Be Made Until Rate Case Is Settled. TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Practically all of the shingle mills in Washington will resume operation about March 1, after a shutdown of from three to six months. There are 478 mills in the state and all but about 4 per cent closed down. When these idle plants start up, employment will be given to 12,000 men. A big majority of the straight shingle mills belong to the association and a great many of the combination mills work with the Shingle Men's Association.

URGENT PATTISON FOR GOVERNOR

Democratic Friends Boosting the Mayor of Colfax.

COLFAX, Wash., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—During the past few weeks many urgent letters have been received by Mayor John Pattison asking him to enter the race for the Democratic nomination for Governor. Mr. Pattison is one of the best known men of the state. He has been a resident of Whitman County for 30 years and is known as a self-made man, having gained much prominence in the state the past few years. He has been Mayor of Colfax for the past two terms, is a leading attorney, president of the Whitman County Bar Association, and is one of the five head managers of the Woodmen of the World for the Pacific West, consisting of nine states.

BURGLARS' JOB BUNGLED

SMASH COMBINATIONS OF TWO SAFES AT ST. HELENS. Owners Unable to Ascertain Loss, if Any, Until Experts Can Arrive to Open Iron Boxes. ST. HELENS, Or., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Two robberies were committed in St. Helens last night, but whether they were successful from the burglars' point of view will not be known until the arrival of a safe expert from Portland. The safes operated on were those of the burnt district of the fire of 1905. Again, a few months ago, when the steamer America burned at her moorings, the fire communicated to the wharf and spread to within 10 feet of the store, the roof at one time being ablaze.

ABERDEEN MILLMEN SEE LITTLE CHANGE IN SITUATION.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—The conditions affecting the lumber interests in this city show no change from those that existed a month ago. Since that date the Union mill has been added to the plants closed. The American Mill Company started its plant and ran one day in order to get out some special lumber required in the cargo taken by the steamer Santa Monica. President Johnson, of the American Mill Company, says the situation is not assuring up to date. Logging camps, however, are starting up and that feature is rather more promising. There is talk of the Anderson & Middleton Mill Company and the Burrows company starting as soon as new machinery has been installed, but these concerns are making no effort to rush the work. There has been rumors that the West mill and the Blade mill would be closed, but they are still running, although the management say they are making no money, but hope by the opening of Spring business will improve and they are content to run along as they are at present in preference to closing down for a month and the management say they have plenty of work ahead, but money is not so easy to be had. As the concern employs from 40 to 50 hands, it helps out.

PITCHER TONNESON CALLED EAST.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Thomas Tonneson, Aberdeen's left-handed pitcher, was called to Chicago today by a telegram announcing the probable fatal illness of his mother.

TWO BOYS DROWN IN IDAHO.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 25.—(Special.)—Donald and Hugh Winn, aged 8 and 9 respectively, sons of C. P. Winn, living near Payette, were drowned today. The father sent them to clean up some old weeds. They had to cross a slough and in doing so broke through the ice. The bodies were discovered soon after by a Japanese.

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