

WE INAUGURATE THE COMMENCEMENT OF SPRING TRADE WITH A VERY PLEASING ASSORTMENT OF SPECIAL VALUES

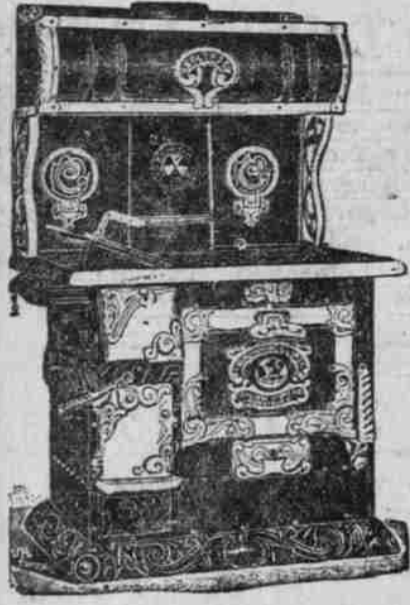
Great Special Sale of Lace Curtains
A Timely Offering for Early Spring

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One Life Everlasting
The Incomparable "Eclipse"

Extra Special, While They Last, All
Broken Lots Dining Chairs at Half

Sample Stock Chairs—there being but one and two of a kind.

- 68-2—Chair in solid oak (1 only), regular \$1.50, 1/2 price **75c**
- A 158-2—Chair in solid oak, golden oak finish (2 only), regular \$2.25; 1/2 price **\$1.15**
- 491-1—Weathered Oak Dining Chair, cane seat (1 only), regular \$4.00; 1/2 price **\$2.00**
- 432—Solid Weathered Oak Dining Chair, regular \$4.00; 1/2 price **\$2.00**
- A 41—Weathered Oak Carver, regular \$5.00; 1/2 price **\$2.50**
- A 41—Same as above, only with cane seat, regular \$5.00; 1/2 price **\$2.50**
- 152-1—Fumed Oak Dining Chair, leather seat (1 only), regular \$6.00; 1/2 price **\$3.00**
- 500—Weathered oak, Mission style; leather seat, regular \$6.50; 1/2 price **\$3.25**
- 532 1/2—Solid quartered oak, genuine leather seat and back (1 only), regular \$7.00; 1/2 price **\$3.50**
- 898—Dining Chair in golden oak, leather seat, regular \$7.50; 1/2 price **\$3.75**



Introductory Spring Specials—Sale of
Carpets, Rugs and Linoleums

- 75c Japanese Fiber Carpets, yard... **49c** (Sold out off.)
- All new patterns, in many colors; an excellent Carpeting, especially desirable for Spring and Summer.
- Washable Fiber Rugs, size 9x12; special **\$11.00**
- New shipment just received, all good colors, excellent patterns. Fifty of the rugs go on sale Monday morning.
- 75c New Ingrain Carpets yard **39c** (Sold out off.)
- All 2-3 wool, extra heavy weight and fast colors. 18 patterns for your selection.
- \$1.65 Inlaid Linoleum, yard **90c**
- In new Granite effects; very desirable for offices, bathrooms and public quarters. Three days only, this special price, yard **90c**



NAME YOUR OWN TERMS—YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD AT GEVURTZ

125 Pairs Lace Curtains in
3 Separate Lots All at Half

- No. 4349—32 pairs Corded Nottingham Lace Curtains, \$2.25 values; special, pair **\$1.00**
 - No. 12778—85 pairs regular \$1.50 Nottingham Laces; spl. pair. **75c**
 - No. 6335A—Fine Nets, in two-tone pattern, regular \$4.50 values; special, pair **\$2.25** (12 pairs only.)
- Finest stock Draperies and Drape Materials in the city. Modern "Cut to Order" Department. Second Floor—West.



Very Special Reductions on New
Dressers, and Your Own Terms

- No. 235 1/2—Genuine Mahogany \$40.00 Dresser; special **\$29.00**
 - No. 618—\$60.00 Dresser in birdseye maple; special **\$39.00**
 - No. 240 1/2—Genuine Mahogany \$65.00 Dresser; special **\$49.00**
 - No. 634—Genuine Tuna Mahogany \$45.00 Dresser; special **\$39.00**
 - No. 207—\$25.00 Oak Dresser, best quartered finish; special **\$19.50**
- Note—These Dressers are strictly high grade, new and modern.



Monday Wash Day Needs
On Sale in the Basement

- No. 8 all-copper Boilers, best 14-oz. metal, regular \$4.00; Monday Wash Day **\$2.85**
- No. 8 copper-rim Boilers, regular \$1.75; Monday Wash Day **\$1.25**
- No. 8 copper-bottom Boilers, regular \$1.50; Monday Wash Day **\$1.15**
- No. 1 heavy galvanized Tubs, regular 90c values; Monday Wash Day... **60c**
- The Home of Fine China, Kitchen and Cookery Needs.
- No. 2 heavy galvanized Tubs, regular value \$1.10; Monday Wash Day... **70c**
- No. 3 heavy galvanized Tubs, regular value \$1.10; special Wash Day... **80c**
- 50c Glass Washboards... **40c**
- 50c Brass Washboards... **40c**
- 50c Enamel Washb'ds... **40c**
- 75-ft. Wire Line, sp' 25c
- 40c 12-qt. gal'ized Pail **25c**
- Extra Special—Best \$1.50 No. 8 Copper Teakettles, each **90c**

LARGEST AND BEST SELECTIONS ALWAYS FOUND AT GEVURTZ

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Spring Styles Now Ready
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Special Showing Advance
Spring Styles Ladies' Suits
Dep't on Ground Floor

FIRST ON YAMHILL SECOND

INCREASE IS LARGE

Oregon's Fruit Packing Industry Growing Rapidly.

FOSTERED BY RAILROAD

C. A. Malboeuf, Southern Pacific's District Freight Agent, Gives Interesting Statistics Concerning the Results Accomplished.

Phenomenal interest in the fruitpacking industry throughout the State of Oregon was made during 1907. Under the direct encouragement of the Southern Pacific Company, the number of canneries has increased and the acreage given over to fruitgrowing to supply the canneries has increased accordingly. This has been due largely to the efforts of C. A. Malboeuf, district freight agent for the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon.

It is Mr. Malboeuf's plan to foster the packing of small fruits in this state until this shall become a very great industry. All conditions, he says, are favorable to the success of this plan. Meetings of fruitgrowers have been held under Mr. Malboeuf's direction, throughout the Willamette Valley and a great impetus has been given to make Oregon a great fruit-growing state. The movement has had the endorsement of the newspapers and the active assistance of commercial organizations throughout the valley.

The interest of all sections in fruitgrowing is shown, not only by the commercial bodies, but by practical fruitgrowers and the increase in the acreage of fruit and vegetable, grown only for packing purposes, is remarkable. In 1906 there were only four fruitcanneries in the Willamette Valley. The annual capacity of these plants was 65,000 cases of fruit. In 1907, as the result of development work done by the Southern Pacific, three additional canneries were put up, making a total capacity of 75,000 cases.

In 1908 there will be built, or under construction, three additional canneries, making a total of ten big fruitpacking plants in the Willamette Valley, with a minimum capacity of 120,000 cases. Two of the canneries built last year have done so well that they will double their capacity in order to take care of the coming season's crop. Canneries are now in operation, during the fruit season, at Astoria, Grants Pass, Eugene, Salem, Yoncalla. New canneries have been built or are being built at Medford, Monmouth and Newberg. Canning companies have been established and will build plants in

time to care for the season's crop at Corvallis, Dallas, Woodburn and Monroe. In all probability Roseburg and West Seio, too, will build and equip canneries this year.

In the vicinity of Salem hundreds of acres have been set out in cherries, berries and other small fruits. Fruit tracts are in greater demand than ever before. Lane County is going to make a specialty of growing cherries, and hundreds of acres are being set out in the vicinity of Eugene. Several hundred acres of tomatoes will be planted in the vicinity of Grants Pass and in the Umpqua Valley, which is one of the best tomato-growing sections of the state. The tomato acreage will be greater than ever this year. A tomato cannery is established at Roseburg.

The total number of cars of canned fruits shipped from Oregon in any one season has never been over 100. Under ordinary crop conditions, shipments will easily reach 50 cars this year, says Mr. Malboeuf, and the number will increase from year to year as the value of the industry is demonstrated and the increased fruit acreage comes into bearing. Mr. Malboeuf believes the state will be sending away 100 cars within the next few years.

Special rates have been made by the Southern Pacific Company on canned goods and on tin and all-canned supplies and all possible encouragement is being given the industry with a view to fostering and developing it to the fullest extent.

JAPANESE REPULSE YAQUIS

Employees on Mexican Ranch Attacked by Indians.

NOGALES, Ariz., Feb. 28.—News just received from Guaymas, the terminus of the Sonora Railroad, gives further details of the Yaqui descent on the ranch of Luis A. Martinez, a prominent banker and merchant, near Wednesday night. The ranch is worked by Japanese, who made a determined resistance and finally drove the Yaquis away. The latter are estimated at 50 in number. Two Japanese were killed and six wounded.

It is not known if any Yaquis were killed, as they always carry their dead and wounded away. One Japanese escaped to a neighboring ranch and telephoned to Guaymas for assistance. Within two hours Colonel Aduna and a body of troops started in pursuit. There is yet no word from the troops. The entire country in that part of the state is terrorized. The Yaquis are more vindictive than usual on account of the Mexican government having lately deported 1200 men, women and children to Yacatan. More trouble is feared.

Favorite Sons.

Louisville Courier-Journal.
Pennsylvania Indorses Knox, Indiana Indorses Fairbanks, Illinois Indorses Cannon, New York Indorses Hughes, Ohio Indorses Taft, and the Possun and Taters Club of Brownsville Indorses Foraker.

FIND BOISE HAY DEALER

R. M. WRIGHT UNDER ARREST AT EL PASO, TEX.

Alleged to Have Defrauded Idaho Farmers Out of Large Sums of Money—Officers After Him.

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Word was received here this afternoon that R. M. Wright, the defaulting hay dealer, who left here just a week ago, was captured this morning at El Paso, Texas. Wright, the message states, refuses to return to Idaho without regulation papers, and Deputy Sheriff Bud Driscoll immediately armed himself with the proper papers and left for that place tonight.

Wright, who had lived a number of years in Boise, where he had been engaged as a ticket broker, later going into the grain, hay and produce business, is charged with fraudulently getting hay from a large number of farmers and ranchers through this section of the state and selling the hay for a less price even than he paid for it, for the purpose of changing it into ready money, after which he skipped out.

Meridian people were hit hard by him, but those people, by rushing to Portland, where the stuff had been shipped, managed to get part of their money by attaching the hay and by attaching money due Wright from the dealers to whom he had sold. The total amount that he is alleged to have defrauded ranches in this way runs up into the thousands of dollars, having been estimated at between \$50,000 and \$75,000.

He had kept some money in banks here and had paid a part of his bills, thus establishing confidence, but it is charged, just before leaving he bought very largely at fancy prices which he had promised to pay and then sold at less figure than he had purchased at.

After making two attachments on hay that had been sold to a wholesale dealer in Portland, and also securing several carloads of hay that had not been delivered to buyers, Frank Taylor, one of the victims of the alleged swindler, returned yesterday from Portland.

Mr. Taylor had a contract to supply Sampson, the Portland dealer, with 300 tons of hay a month, and says that he

had shipped 300 tons in 28 days. Taylor expects to recover \$700.

Irrigation to Counteract Frost.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Orchardists in this valley believe they have found a cheaper and more generally effective means of defeating the disastrous work of late frosts than the fat-pot in use so extensively in California. They will turn on the irrigation water during the cold nights of March, when frost is threatened, and thus prevent, they believe, the damage from that capricious source.

Municipal Court Receipts.

The receipts of the Municipal Court for the month of February in fines, costs, and forfeitures of bail, amounted to \$273.50. The months of January and February show a profit to the city of \$1165. over all expenses. This is a noticeable increase.

EIGHT FEET HIGH—SCENIC PHOTOS. See them at Kiser's, 218 Alder st.

SCHOOL FAIR IN YAMHILL

EXECUTIVE BOARD ORGANIZED AT M'MINNVILLE.

Exhibits of Pupils' Handiwork Will Be Made in the Fall—Much Interest Manifest.

M'MINNVILLE, Or., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Upon the call of School Superintendent Belt a large delegation of school officers and teachers met here today and organized the Yamhill School Fair Executive Board, which will consist of permanent officers and one delegate from each of the 31 school districts in the county. J. E. Dodson, of Dayton, was chosen president; Barnett Y. Roe, of Gaston, vice-president, and H. F. Wilson, of McMinnville, secretary. There are 524 children of school age in the county, and it is hoped to have the majority of them make exhibits in cooking, sewing or other handicraft, or in agriculture, at the fair to be held here during the coming fall, which, judging from the interest manifested thus early, will surpass in magnitude any school fair previously held. For the past two years the people of McMinnville have given the greater number of prizes, and last year expended more than \$1100 for the school fair. The business men of this city expect to do equally as much for the fair this year, and in addition to this every school district will be expected to give prizes to its own pupils for competitive exhibits, of which there will be two classes, namely, those made by pupils under and those over 12 years of age.

ARMY RIFLE RANGE NEEDED

Unless Portland Provides One Vancouver Post May Be Removed.

That the barracks at Vancouver will eventually be removed from that point unless a suitable target range is provided in the neighborhood of Portland, was the opinion expressed by members of a joint committee consisting of officers of the state militia and members of the Commercial Club at a meeting held last night. Reference was made to the fact that it is well known that Seattle is making every effort to secure the removal of the headquarters of this department to that city and that Tacoma is also desirous of having a military post located in that vicinity. These facts made it imperative that action in the matter of a rifle range be taken immediately.

The delegation from the National Guard reported that it has secured an option on a tract of land about six miles from Portland, which is eminently suited for a rifle range. It was desired that the

matter be brought to the attention of the other commercial bodies of the city in order to acquire the tract.

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ATTRACTIVE CIRCULAR ISSUED BY EUGENE COMMERCIAL CLUB.
The Eugene Commercial Club has issued an attractive circular, with the above illustrations, under the title: "Taken From Life: A Story With a Moral." The circular will be widely distributed and has already attracted much favorable attention.