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The Event That Winds Up Our Summer **Business With Great Value Giving**

In the hurry and excitement of a busy season certain lines have been overlooked or neglected and the consequence is we have greater quantity of goods to hurry out than usual at this time of the year. Everything bought to sell during the Summer season must be disposed of within the next few days. Ordinary methods might not be strong enough to accomplish this, so we have resorted to extraordinary methods.

We Have Reduced Prices to An Unusually Low Point, The Lowest We Have Ever Attempted For every dollar you spend you can count on getting in return many times its usual worth. Here are a few of these great values as many more await your coming. Many of our new Fall lines are now complete. We invite an early inspection.

Now Ready for Your Inspection Complete Line of New Fall Woolen Dress Goods

Now is the opportune time for prudent women to select Woolen Dress Goods for Fall and Winter needs. We have gathered together this season an unusually large stock, that women of good taste will appreciate. Fabrics that will give long service and cannot be excelled in style. The variety of pretty designs and colorings has never been so great, and quality considered, prices are as low as it is possible to make them. We invite your inspection.

New Faustina Satins at \$1.65

A beautiful all wool fabric, perfect in weight and weave, rich satin finish, comes full 54 inches wide, shown in all the latest

Piece-Dyed Serges at \$1.25

A special display of piece dyed Novelty Serges in self-colored novelty stripes in any wanted shade. A splendid weight for early Fall wear. 54 inches wide.

All-Wool Cloakings at 98c

A special offering of all-wool, 54-inch Cloakings of double weight, many kinds to choose from, in a large assortment of the newest designs and plain shades

New Kersey Cloth at \$2.00

Genuine English Kersey Cloth, strictly all pure wool, extra heavy weight, shown in solid colors in every wanted shade; other stores are selling this same quality cloth at \$2.50 a yard.

New Black Fabrics, \$1-\$1.25-\$1.50 For this week's selling we call your particular attention to our

showing of Priestley's and Wm. F. Read's Celebrated Black Fabrics; among the new weaves are: Wool satins, satin soleils, satin, ottoman, wool reps, wool bengalines, poplins, epingle, French and English prunellas, diagonal serges, unfinished worsteds, ocean serges, etc. We know of no other store that places before you such a splendid line of black dress goods at such



New Novelty Fabrics at \$1.00

and shown in all the new

shades of gray.

At this price we are showing 44 to 50-inch self-colored striped Serges and hard-finished Worsteds in an endless assortment; fine, pure wool fabrics that cannot be bought elsewhere at less than \$1.25 to \$1.50 a yard. We purchased an unusually large line to sell at this price as a special leader. Not a wanted shade

Golf-Red Cloths at \$1.50

An unusually attractive showing of the new Golf Red Cloth for children's coats; comes in double weight, full 54 inches wideone of the most fashionable fabrics for the new season.

New Broadcloths in every desirable color and black, in qualities that cannot be duplicated at the following prices-\$1.00, \$1.50,

Double Weight Kersey Cloths in golf red, strictly all wool and 54 inches wide; extremely fashionable fabrics at popular prices -\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00,

Sale of Embroideries and Laces

NEW EMBROIDERIES, BEST 75c VALUES.

Just received-an immense shipment of new Embroideries direct from one of the largest manufacturers in St. Gall. The lot consists of about 10,000 yards; pretty eorset cover and flouncing embroideries on good quality swiss, nainsook and hamburg. They come full 18 inches wide and are best 50c, 65c and 75c values. Specially this sale29c



40c EMBROIDERIES, SPECIALLY PRICED

Another great lot of Embroideries, consisting of embroidery edges, bands and insertions in all the latest patterns. The edges come 4 to 10 inches wide and bands and insertions 11/2 to 5 inches wide. Regular 25e to 40e values. You can't afford to miss this bargain. Specially priced... 10c

ALL-OVER EMBROIDERY 98 Cents

An extra special offering of 500 yards beautiful All-over Embroidery shown in very handsome designs. Choice patterns to select from. Regular \$2.00 to \$2.75 grade. Specially priced for this sale

BEST 18c VALUES...... 10 Cents

sale of 100 dozen Women's Embroidered Stiff Collars in pretty embroidered or eyelet patterns. Neat designs. come in all sizes from 12 to 15 and are regular 18e values. Specially priced for this sale.....

VALENCIENNES LACES. 7 Cents

Another great offering of Valenciennes Lace in diamend, round or double-thread meshes. It comes full 34 to 11/2 inches wide and is shown in all the latest patterns and prettiest designs. The only val. lace made that will stand real hard wear. Regular 121/2c to 18c quality-sale price......

Ready-to-Wear Garments For Women and Children PRICED FAR BELOW REAL WORTH.

Ready now in our Domestic Section-New Fall lines of Cotton Goods-Immense purchases from the best mills in the country at prices low enough to insure our patrons the best possible

values-Here are a few of the offerings: NEW OUTING FLANNELS-A great showing to choose from, plain colors in all the best shades and fancy styles in light, medium and dark colors—the best quality to be had

anywhere, at, per yard..... PRETTY NEW FLANNELETTES-of excellent quality and perfect finish; they come full 27 inches wide and are shown in an unlimited variety of neat designs in medium . 121/2C and dark colors-our price, per yard

La Follette Begins to Make Ready for Re-election.

HIS LIEUTENANT ACTIVE

Herman L. Ekern Resigns as Deputy

Insurance Commissioner, Making Attempt to Belittle Significance, but Struggle Is Forecasted.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Politically, perhaps, the biggest event of the week was the resignation of Herman L. Ekern as Deputy Insurance Commissioner. While an attempt has been made by Commissioner Beedle and Mr. Ekern himself to attach little if any significance to the resignation, it is known that the relations between the two have been very much strained since it was learned that Ekern would be a candidate for the office held by

While this may have contributed something to Ekern's determination to quit office at this time, it is said his real object is to make it possible for him to devote his entire time to the La Foliette campaign. Ekern and La Foliette have been political cronles for many years and it was Ekern who managed the Presidential campaign of the senior Senator at Chicago last

That Ekern would cut off his connection with the state administration thus early is significant, and is indi-cative of La Foliette's conviction that he will have a hard fight next Summer he will have a hard fight next Summer to main his hold of the Senatorship. A factor that foliticians of both parties in Wisco, sin must reckon with, but which has been given scant attention up to this time, is the position the Society of Equity will take toward individual candidates. Except its officers, no one in the state knows the real strength of the organization, but that it is a power in certain sections of the state, especially in the Northwest, is admitted.

BEQUEST IS CONTESTED

Pacific University Claim Taken to Supreme Court.

ALBANY, Or., Aug. 28 .- (Special.)-Pacific University must contest in the State Supreme Court for the bequest it received from Robert McCullough in 1892. Attorneys for the defendants to-

notice of appeal to the higher tribunal in the case of the President and Trustees of Pacific University and Tualatin Academy vs. Emma A. Keene, et al. The value of the bequest is said to be between \$1500 and \$2000.

When McCullough died in 1892, he devised his Linn County farm to his wife for her life, and provided that upon her death it should go to the Forest Grove school. Mrs. McCullough died in 1900, and in the meantime the devise had become entangled by a number of deeds and mortgages covering portions of the farm.

This suit was filed here Avenue 15

This suit was filed here August 16, 1906, to quiet the title to the property, and it was strenuously contested by the numerous defendants until April l last, when Judge William Gallo-way rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiffs. The land given to the uni-versity is valuable, but a number of mortgages must be paid and other claims settled before a clear title is secured under the decree, and the exact value of the bequest cannot be accu-rately determined.

SPOKANE PLUMBERS ISSUE NEW WORKING RULES.

Employers Assert They Will Declare Open Shop Before Accepting Demands.

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 28.—(Special.)— As a result of communications containing working rules, which were sent yester-day afternoon by the Journeymen Plumbers & Steam & Gasfitters' Union to the master plumbers of this city who employ union help, the masters may decide to

declare for the open shop.

The masters declare that the old order has changed; that the employes are now laying down rules to the bosses. The innocent pleces of pasteboard which were received by the masters yesterday are the sensation among the plumbers of

The masters assert that if they are obliged to obey the rules to the letter they will be unable to make good on the contracts they now have in hand. It is rumored today that two of the largest shops of the city which now employ union help will declare for the open shop

as soon as conditions permit. The rules, 29 in number, relate to the tours of work, wages and the use of cols. The rules supplient the working agreement which was entered into be-tween the journeymen and masters on April 1 and broken by the journeymen

than the conditions of that agreement Lucerne is to be sole airetip station for Switzerland, and a station house is to be erected at a cost of 700,000 frames. It is hoped soon to establish regular communication between this town and Priedrichsbafen.

Declares Dreamlike Methods Hamper West.

"UPLIFT" HE SAYS BOSH

Maintains Farmers Are Insulted by Recent Movement-Raps Conservation and Holds There Is No Danger Timber Giving Out.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28 .- Common sense has been displaced by visionary theories, already proved unsuccessful in the problems of the West development, according to Ormsby McHarg, assistant secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor, who is outspoken in the declaration that too much "dreaming" has been indulged in in dealing with the Government irrigation projects and forest conservation policies in the West. Mr. McHarg handled vigorously the sub-ject of the uplift movement, declaring that to have directed a government of "uplift" among the farmers was an insult to the finest element in the country's body politic and the "absurdest of absurd dreams.'

Mr. McHarg in an interview flatly con-tradicted the assertion of the forest serv-ice that the lumber supply of the country will virtually be exhausted in another generation if the present rate of cutting is not curtailed.

"There is enough timber standing in the state of Washington alone to supply this country for 50 years," he declared. Vast supplies remain in other states, said the secretary, sufficient to maintain a supply for a much longer period, which could not and need not be estimated. The abundance of the forests was such that the alarmists' statements as to the approaching exhaustion of the supply was utterly unfounded, he asserted.

"Furthermore," said Mr. McHarg, "the forest service has been put in possession of facts and figures proving the truth of what I say, and it has failed to make them public.

"Methods too dream-like are being pursued in our forest administration. It is attempted to designate what tree the logapril 1 and broken by the journeymen several weeks ago. The masters say that the work which they now have on hand was figured on under the working agreement and that the rules which now have been laid down are much more stringent than the conditions of that agreement. present methods of forest conservation.
"Out near Cheyenne recently, a woman settler went on a forest reserve and cut rails for a small corral. The forest service have had her indicted for this heinous crime. What do you think the attitude

of every man in that community is toward the forest service? That's the feeling you encounter throughout the

"Leave the West alone. Let it go ahead and develop. Let the red-blooded men out there do this work. It won't be long when the East will be the back door of the Nation."
Mr. McHarg said there was much com-

plaint in the West against the reclama-tion service as it has been conducted. "Extravagance and incompetency are the charges that have been made," he explained, "and these are now being in-yestigated, I am informed, in the present tour of the West by Secretary of the In-terior Ballinger and the Senate commit

Mr. McHarg said he knew of engineer ing projects in the state of Washington where it had been assured settlers that the cost would be no more than \$35 an

"The cost is already \$75 an acre," said assistant secretary, "and the end is

SPOKANE COURT TOO BUSY IN SEPTEMBER.

Gordon Trial Must Also Go Over Be cause of Crowded Condition of Docket.

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 28 .- (Special.)-J. H. Schively, State Insurance Commis-sioner, will not be called to trial in the Superior Court of Spekane County at the September term of court. Schlvely is under indictment in two cases growing out of grand jury investigation of the Pacific Livestock Association, one for emberslement of about \$2500 of the funds of the association, and the other for perjury before the grand jury. before the grand jury.

The Schively cases, and likewise those against Judge Gordon, ex-counsel for the Great Northern Railroad, will not be reached for the reason that the prisoners detained in full, including the defendants in three houselfs, were must be tried. in three homicide cases, must be tried first. The criminal docket for the Sep-tember term is full and the Schively and Gordon cases could not be reached. The prediction is made that Insurance Commissioner Schively will have a harder fight before a jury in Spokane County than he had in the Senate at Olympia. In one of his visits to Spokane Schively said that the grand jury inditments in the Livestock case worried him a great deal more than the impeachment proceedings.

Give Esquimalt to Dominion.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 28 .- Commander Crawford, senior naval officer at Esquimalt, has received orders from the Admiralty to turn over the Esquimalt naval station to the Dominion Government as soon as the official appointed by the Dominion arrives.

New York State has 15,000 uniformed and equipped citizen soldiers, yet Governor Hughes manages to get along with a star of 15 officers.

Girl Says She Is Beaten and Robbed by Thugs.

IS ON WAY TO CEREMONY

Tells Tale of Attack by Robbers After Being Picked Up by People on Street Who Find Her Unconscious-Police Dubious.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 28.-(Special)-Knocked down and beaten by thugs and robbed of her savings on the eve of her marriage was the fate tonight of Pearl E. Ax, according to the girl's own story. Miss Ax, who is 18 years old, was to save been married tonight to James H. Miller. She says while walking on Asylum avenue just at dark this evening she was stopped by two rough-looking men and ordered to hand over her money. When she resisted, she was knocked flown and beaten and left unconscious or the sidewalk.

She was picked up by passers-by, placed on a streetcar and brought to the City Hall, where she discovered that her pocketbook, containing \$15.85 was She can give no description of her

The girl has been employed at the hom of S. P. Kimball, a prominent fruit-grower living near West Salem. In the application for the marriage license she states that she is an orphan, has no relatives and no guardian in this state. She is not seriously injured. Miller, the girl's flance, is the son of an old newspaper man, formerly employed on a Sa lem paper. The wedding has been post-

The police are somewhat skeptical, but are making a thorough investigation.

Eugene Residence Burns.

EUGENE, Or., Aug. 28 - (Special.)-The Harper home on West Eighth street, owned by Mrs. M. E. Miller, was de-stroyed by fire tonight. An old woman and a friend were alone in the house at the time. Origin of the fire is a mys-tery. The loss is \$1500 with \$800 insurance.

Lovers' Pact Destroys Sight. NEW YORK, Aug. 28 .- "The blindness of love" will be a sad truth for the young Brooklyn couple who attempted to leave this life through a suicide pact. The builet which was fired into Florence Wood's head will cause her to lose her sight in at least one eye, and the other bullet has a similar fate

While Williamson declares that he shot the girl before shooting himself, the police believe that Miss Woods fired the shot at herself, and then William son took the weapon from her and, in endeavoring to fulfill the agreement between them, shot himself. One bright spot looms up out of the tragedy, and spot looms up out of the tragedy, and that is that both will recover, and as each declare an undying love, it is likely that they will marry "and live happily ever after."

CESSPOOL YIELDS BODY

Logger Meets Death While in Epileptic Fit.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The body of F. A. Greeley, a logger, who disappeared early Monday morning from the camp of the Chehalls Lumber Company, at Littell, was found this morning in a cesspool near the

bunkhouses. Greeley was subject to fits and the presumption is that he fell into the hole while sick. Coroner Sticklin was called but decided an inquest unnecessary Greeley's hody was taken to Centralia, where his parents reside. He was about 35 years old and unmarried.

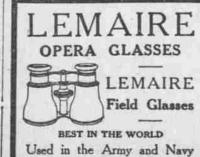
Officer Heir to Fortune.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Aug. 28.-Quartermaster Handiside, of the U. S. S. York-town, lying in this harbor, has just fallen heir to a plantantion in Hon

Those Corpuscles

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in store for her sweetheart, Frank | 000. The senior Handiside died recent-Williamson. man-o'-warsman. Today the sallor deeded to his brother, a sallor on the war-ship West Virginia, as a wedding present, the residence on the plantation. The brother weds next week in Scattle, and takes his bride to the Central American abode. Handiside quits the Navy at the expiration of his present enlistment to live on the plantation. He has approximately \$2000 in the ship's bank, and has served 12 years in



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