

BABY'S VOICE

Is the joy of the household, for without it no happiness can be complete. How sweet the picture of mother and babe, angelic smile at and commend the thoughts and aspirations of the mother bending over the cradle. The ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so full of danger and suffering that she looks forward to the hour when she shall feel the exquisite thrill of motherhood with indescribable dread and fear. Every woman should know that the danger, pain and horror of child-birth can be entirely avoided by the use of **MOTHER'S FRIEND**, a scientific liniment for external use only, which toughens and renders pliable all the parts, and assists nature in its sublime work. By its aid thousands of women have passed this great crisis in perfect safety and without pain. Sold at \$1.00 per bottle by druggists. Our book of priceless value to all women sent free. Address **BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.**

MOTHER'S FRIEND



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From Twilighttown to Sleepyville
Is a long, long way, I guess,
But the fastest train in the world,
I mean,
Is the Drowsyland Express!
There's a kiss for fire and a song for steam,
And Love to manage the train;
Just a moment's stop at the City of Dream,
And it's on through the night again.
Then, it's O, my little one,
Ho, my little one,
Sweet of the tawny tress!
It's off and away
At the close of day
On the Drowsyland Express!
—Helen R. Greer.

NOW, FOR THE PORTAGE.

The portage railroad will be built. The people will build it themselves. No secret influences can hinder it. Millions in reserve for opposition and delay will have no effect. The obstacles now holding back the construction of the road, whatever they may be, will not interfere with the people's determination. The state portage commission is absolutely honest, but it is handicapped. The people of Oregon, and especially Portland, will raise that handicap and enable the commission to proceed.

The estimates of the portage show that it cannot be built and put in operation for the \$165,000 appropriated by the state. At least \$40,000 more will be needed, which amount has been pledged by Portland's moving spirits. Nothing is now more certain than that the portage will be constructed. The 1905 wheat crop of Oregon and the Inland Empire will get the benefit of it. The people have taken the matter in hand. This is a sure guarantee.

And there is ample reason why it should be built. The Inland Empire sends at least 18,000,000 bushels of wheat to export annually, the average cost of transportation under present conditions being 9 cents per bushel, to Portland. With river transportation and boats plying on the upper Columbia and the Snake, as they will, after the portage is constructed, the cost of transporting wheat from the interior farms to Portland will be reduced to five cents per bushel, at the outside.

This means a saving of 4 cents per bushel on 18,000,000 bushels in one year, or \$720,000 left in the pockets of the Inland Empire from one crop. This amount will build four portage roads and it can be saved in one year in the Inland Empire by a portage. Freight rates on wool can be reduced 400 per cent by river transportation. The rate on salt from Portland to The Dalles is now \$1 per ton, a distance of 88 miles with river transportation. The rate on the same salt from Portland to Arlington, a distance of 142 miles, without river transportation, is \$9 per ton.

The freight on a combined harvester from Pendleton to Moro, 200 miles, is \$130. The rate on a combined harvester from Stockton, Cal., to Moro, 800 miles, is \$127.

Four barrels of Portland cement shipped around Cape Horn from Birmingham, England, 17,000 miles, cost in Portland, Ore., \$11.25. The freight on these four barrels from Portland, Ore., to Umatilla, 183 miles, is \$9.25. The portage road will certainly be built. The people can afford to build it by public subscription.

As long as the river is obstructed there is no urgent necessity for branch rail lines to tap the interior. The profits are great enough now. With a reduction of freight rates by the construction of the portage, a strenuous activity in railroad building will begin, in order to reach and create more business. Everybody will profit by the portage road.

"CIVIC PURITANISM."

All Pendletonians and thousands of Oregonians remember Judge Lowell's eloquent lecture on "Civic Puritanism."

In it, he traced the rigid religious conscientiousness of the Puritans and their sacred regard for morals and law. He pictured the passing of the Puritanism in religion, into statecraft and politics.

He portrayed the nobleness of high ideals in politics and government, as being as worthy as the high Puritan ideals of religious duty. It is a thought that gets away from modern citizenship. Too many men feel that it is only necessary to be honest, clean and sincere in religious matters and that the same man can be a rascal or a charlatan in politics. Civic Puritanism says nay.

Cleanliness and sincerity are just as commendable in the duties to the state as to the deity.

Trickery and hoodlumism and bribery

A BAREFOOT BOY.

Blessings on you, little man; Barefoot boy, smile while you can. 'Tis and chance in your cot (Thanks to expert Dr. Rott). Smile before an iron crown Shall your tender brow weigh down. Princes you are and never can be what's called republican. You have all that wealth can buy, Yet of ease you'll 'er be shy. For your born unto a throne Under which the masses groan. 'Tisward war, a bomb as toy, Blessings on you, barefoot boy. —Seattle Star.

GENERAL NEWS.

A request will be made by the Inter-parliamentary Congress at St. Louis, to President Roosevelt to call a "peace" congress for all the powers of the world, in a short time.

Thomas E. Wagoman, a prominent real estate dealer and treasurer of the Catholic University of Washing-

ton, D. C., has failed and filed a petition in bankruptcy.

A final vote by New York building trades decided Wednesday, that all the trades not now on a strike or lockout, will at once join the general strike. Over 150,000 will be effected by the order.

The livestock sanitary board, which met in St. Louis, Wednesday, declared that tuberculosis can be transmitted from cattle to man, in spite of the opposite view of Dr. Koch, the eminent German scientist.

Forty-one seizures by customs officials, were made on the United States transport Solace from Manila to San Francisco, Wednesday. The goods seized included silks, cigars, Japanese ware and other high-priced goods being brought in contrary to law.

Russia has set aside a sum amounting to \$1,500,000 for the purpose of forming an inalienable relief fund for landless Finlanders. The Finlanders once owned their land, but Russia took it. The expense of

maintaining the czar's household is \$1,000,000 per year, and the Finlanders feel that this contemptible offer is not made in good faith, but to placate them.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Salem may pipe the Santiam river 12 miles for a city water supply. The La Grande beet crop is expected to reach 20,000 tons this year.

Charles Hort, of Seattle, is accused of smothering his 7-month-old babe to death.

The first August rain to fall in San Francisco in 40 years, fell Wednesday in that city.

Mrs. Mary Paulsen, aged 79, of The Dalles, was thrown from a buggy Wednesday and her spine broken.

Thorvald and William Nelson, of Hood River, are under arrest for maliciously killing cattle near that place.

Wilford Agers, a 16-year-old boy, was burned to death in Spokane Wednesday in a fire which destroyed his residence.

Eugene is preparing to build a \$10,000 Carnegie library for which she has pledged herself to raise annually \$1000 for support.

The big gambling houses of Portland are running in defiance of the order of the sheriff and will be subjected to a monthly fine, it is thought.

W. W. Trimble, an Oregon City dockman, attempted suicide Wednesday, by drinking carbolic acid in his whiskey, but was prevented by a companion.

Thyge Thygesen, of Seattle, committed suicide Wednesday, by swallowing carbolic acid on his door step, after his wife had refused him admittance for drunkenness.

El Paso delegates to the American Mining Congress are offering to trade Portland the next session of the National Irrigation Association if Portland will assist El Paso in securing the next meeting of the mining congress.

MOVING

We are moving our stock into our new room, where we will be in better position to display our splendid line of new goods. Our rule has always been to sell lower than competitors, and we will continue the policy. In moving we find we have some odds and ends of various different lines which we will sell at cost and below in order to clean up our stock.

In our new store will be found a large, bright, fresh assortment of furniture, mattresses, springs, couches and rockers, chairs, etc.

WE WANT YOUR STOVE TRADE, and can furnish you with a better and more satisfactory heating or cook stove than any store in Pendleton. Come in and be the judge.

A carload of new goods just in.

V. STROBLE
210 Court Street

The East Oregonian is Eastern Oregon's representative paper. It leads and the people appreciate it and show it by their liberal patronage. It is the advertising medium of this section.



ONLY TEN DAYS MORE OF THE

Great Closing Out Sale

Sale closes September 1

Have you taken advantage of it? If not you cannot afford to miss it

DAILY ARRIVALS:

New Fall Dress Goods
New Fall Cloaks
New Fall Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits
New Fall Wash Fabrics

Come in and see the largest and most complete stock at the lowest prices ever offered in Pendleton

Cotton Piece Goods

Good quality light or dark Outing Flannels, during this sale 4c
LL 36-inch unbleached muslin 5c
10,000 yards nice standard dress prints—not the thin, lacy kind, but grades that sold as high as 7c per yard 4c
Simpson's blacks and grays, Turkey oil prints, 7½c values 5c
Good apron checked ginghams, all size checks and colors 4c
Amoskeag apron checked ginghams—the best in the market, worth 7½c, go at 5c
One lot extra quality heavy dark outing flannels, 10c grades 6½c
Extra heavy, light or dark outing flannels, 10c and 12½c values, at 7½c
Lonsdale Hope bleached muslin, the best 10c value on the market, 12 yards for \$1.00
Fruit of the loom muslin, the regular 12½c kind 9½c
French dress ginghams, 12½c and 15c quality 9c
36 yards good bleached toweling for \$1.00
Turkey red table Damask, the regular 40c grade 22c
Best dress percales, nice dark colors for dresses 8c
9 14 bleached sheeting, nice fine quality 20c

Notions

2 yards of silk baby ribbon for 1c
100 ladies' belts worth from 25c to 75c, each, choice for 15c
100 gross fancy metal dress and trimming buttons, worth from 25c to 50c per dozen, choice per dozen 5c
Large or small safety pins, per dozen 1c
Cannon's celebrated guaranteed toilet articles and colognes, one-half price.
Please bear in mind that these toilet articles are fine goods and the best in the market, the same kind you buy at the drug stores at double the price.
1000 yards No. 5 all silk ribbon, worth 6½c, at 4c
Our entire line of No. 7 silk ribbons, worth 10c, go at 2c
Aluminum thimbles 1c
Good scratch tablet 1c
Pins, per paper 1c
Child's school handkerchief 1c
Wire hairpins, 20 for 1c
Slate pencils, 3 for 1c
Pearl buttons, per dozen 3c
144 agate buttons 4c
Needles, per paper 4c
Child's school companion, filled 3c
400 page scratch tablet 5c
Curling irons 75c
Kid curlers, per dozen 5c
7-inch metal back horn comb 8c
A sample lot of dress shields, 30c kind, at 15c
Alarm clocks 75c
Sample lot of ladies' kid gloves, worth \$1.25, at 75c
Ladies' white cambric handkerchiefs, six for 25c
Ladies' white all linen handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c
Ladies' linen hand-drawn handkerchiefs, 2 for 25c

Ladies' Wash Suits

Any in the store at half price.
Choice new ladies' wash suits, worth \$4.50, now \$2.25
Ladies' choice new wash suits, worth \$5.00, go at \$2.50
Ladies' choice new wash suits, worth \$7.00, go at \$3.50

Furnishing Goods

25 dozen men's extra quality working shirts, reinforced and good fitters, regular price 65c, during this sale they go at 45c
Men's fine dress shirts, nicely made, with or without collars, regular price 85c, during this sale 65c
Men's fine flannel, lightweight, silk striped, the best gift shirt we have ever had at \$1.25, during this sale 90c
Men's fancy halbrigan underwear, regular price 75c, during this sale 40c

Fine Clothing At Manufacturers' Cost

Kuppenheimer celebrated, guaranteed, shape-retaining suits.
Baube, Cobb & Co.'s celebrated "Kant Bust Em" clothing for boys and the little fellows.
Boys' good quality, all wool knee pants, during this sale 38c
50 men's odd coats and vests, regular price from \$1.50 up to \$5.00, choice of the lot \$1.98
A chance to save just about half and get the very newest styles and most satisfactory garments. This is undoubtedly the best clothing of the year you have ever seen made.

SUITS AT \$14.90.

Your choice of all our men's fine suits in plain, black or fancies, that sold for \$22.50, \$20 and \$18, during this sale \$14.90

SUITS AT \$11.50.

Your choice of all our \$16.50, \$15 and \$13.50 suits, including a beautiful line of spring novelties, during this sale \$11.50

SUITS AT \$8.75.

500 men's suits, strictly high grade goods that sell regularly at \$12.50 and \$10.00, your choice during this sale \$8.75

SUITS AT \$6.75.

Men's all wool cassimeres and worsted suits, new spring patterns, also full line of black clay worsted suits, prices range \$10, \$9 and \$8.50, during this sale \$6.75

BOYS' CLOTHING AT A BIG DISCOUNT.

Boys' \$10.00 suits, now \$6.98
Boys' 7.50 suits, now \$4.98
Boys' 6.00 suits, now \$3.50
Boys' 5.00 suits, now \$3.50
Boys' 3.50 suits, now \$2.50

BOYS' KNEE PANTS SUITS.

The celebrated Kant-wear-out suits at a special discount.
Boys' \$6.00 suits, now \$4.48
Boys' 5.00 suits, now \$3.98
Boys' 4.00 suits, now \$2.90
Boys' 3.50 suits, now \$2.50
Boys' 2.50 suits, now \$1.80

SHIRT WAISTS.

In all the latest and most up-to-date styles, tailored by the leading manufacturers of the United States.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments

WOMEN'S WEAR BARGAINS—Tailored Suits at One-Half Price.

We offer, until all are sold out, 40 of this season's best suits at just one-half their former price. This means that you get a tailored suit for less than cost of making.

LADIES' NEW DRESS SKIRTS ONE-THIRD PRICE.

Ladies' new walking skirts, worth \$4.50, go at \$3.00
Ladies' new walking and dress skirts, regular \$5.00 goods, at \$3.50
Ladies' new walking and dress skirts, \$7.50 values, go at \$5.00
50 ladies' last season's tailor made suits, just as good as this season's styles excepting the style, worth \$15 up to \$20, your choice for \$5.00
The cloth and linings in them worth double the price, not saying anything about the making.
100 ladies' last season's dress and walking skirts, just half price
\$ 1.00 skirts go at \$1.50
\$ 5.00 skirts go at \$2.50
\$10.00 skirts go at \$5.00
500 ladies' fall cloaks, last season's styles, worth from \$8 up to \$20, choice of any of them for \$5.00
This is an opportunity of a lifetime to lay in your supplies.

\$4.50 suits for \$3.00
\$5.00 suits for \$3.50
\$7.50 suits for \$5.00
\$10.00 suits for \$7.50
\$15.00 suits for \$10.00
\$20.00 suits for \$15.00
\$30.00 suits for \$20.00
\$50.00 suits for \$35.00

Dress Goods and Silks

Organzies, 20c values, during this sale 10c
Silk lawns, plain and fancy colors, 75c values 35c
500 yards fancy silks and silk flannels. A snap, which we purchased at 50c on the dollar, worth from \$1 to \$1.25 per yard. During this sale the entire lot, your choice at 50c
Double width brocade worsteds, nice styles, and all the leading colors, worth 20c per yard, during this sale they go at 12½c
500 yards double width twilled half wool serges worth 20c per yard, during this sale 12½c
500 yards 36-inch Henriettas, worth 35c per yard, all colors, during this sale 15c
200 yards satin berber black brocades, full 38 inches wide and good value at 50c, during this sale they go at 29c
Our entire line of silk finish all wool, 38-inch henriettas, including blacks and all colors, worth 75c per yard, during this sale they go at 45c
Our entire line of fancy worsted dress goods, in some of the newest and most up-to-date goods, worth 50c, during this sale at 25c
Our entire line of fancy new spring style dress goods, worth 75c per yard, during this sale 45c
Our entire line of new fancy dress goods, worth from \$1.00 to \$1.25 per yard, during this sale 75c
38-inch black silk warp Lansdown, worth \$1.25, during this sale at 85c

Shoes

BEST MAKES IN THE COUNTRY—EVERY PAIR IN STORE AT COST—AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED S-T-A-H SHOES.

Your money back for every pair that does not give satisfaction. We carry them in celebrated Blue Ribbon shoes for girls, boys and children. The White House shoes for ladies, men and boys.

No. 8194—Children's Queen City box calf shoes made of medium weight fine box calf, with heavy extended sole, not a heavy, clumsy shoe, but a neat dress shoe, as well as a good wearing shoe. During this sale:

Sizes 5 to 7½ go at 90c
Sizes 8 to 11 go at \$1.15
Sizes 12 to 2 go at \$1.35

Brown's 5-Star shoes for ladies and men, their leading \$3.50 shoes. Your money back for every pair that does not give satisfaction.

During this sale \$2.78
Children's 76 District shoes, during this sale, your money back for every pair not satisfactory light or heavy weight—

Sizes 8 to 12, worth \$1.50, go at \$1.19
Sizes 13 to 2, worth \$1.75, go at \$1.40

No. 6020—Ladies' fine dongola kid shoes, warranted solid leather throughout, and a hummer at \$1.50 at our regular price, during this sale only \$1.25

No. 7661—Ladies' fine dongola kid shoes, heavy extension soles, fair stitch, a very stylish shoe, and warranted to wear well; a better wearing shoe or a more stylish shoe is not known in Pendleton at \$2.00; during this sale \$1.60

No. 6022—Ladies' fine dongola kid, turned sole, mat quarter upper shoes, a beauty, during this sale \$1.60

No. 8293—Ladies' Queen City shoe, made of an extra heavy quality of fine dongola kid, fancy heavyweight turned sole, fancy trimmed soles, our \$2.50 leader, during this sale \$2.00

No. 4151—Ladies' genuine Goodyear welt shoe, no seams to hurt the feet, and the only genuine welt shoe sold in the city for less than \$3.00, during this sale, special \$2.25

50 pairs ladies' fine turned sole dongola kid Radcliff shoes, advertised in the leading journals at \$2.50, during this sale \$2.00

"Hiawatha" ladies' fine hand turned kid shoes, regular \$3.50 shoe, during this sale \$2.80

"Lily" children's fine dongola kid shoes, turned soles, if you don't say it is a bargain at the price, there never was one 50c

ODD LOT SHOES.

150 pairs ladies', misses' and children's broken sizes, odd lot shoes, some of them worth from \$1.25 to \$2.00, to clean them up 20c

150 pairs ladies' odd lot oxfords and shoes, some of them \$2.50 and \$3.50 shoes, broken lots, broken sizes and odd shapes. A big snap 98c

150 pairs men's and boys' odd lot shoes, broken sizes, but good shapes; worth from \$1.50 to \$3.00. If you find a pair to fit you, you get them at 98c

Our 5-Star shoes, ladies' and men's, the leading \$2.50 shoe of America, during this sale \$1.98

The New Great Eastern Store

B. F. NICHOLAS, Proprietor At the Old St. Joe Store Stand, 126-130 Court Street, Pendleton