PROMINENT MEN LOOK INTO COAL

General Superintendent of the Copper Queen Mine Visits Coos Bay.

Among the recent visitors to Coos Bay, drawn here by the reports of the great natural resources of this section, were two men of more than passing importance in the commercial world of the United States. They were F. N. Cameron, general superintendent of the great copper mines of the Copper Queen corporation in Arizona, and T. C. Hill, general manager of the mercantile interests of the same concern. The Copper Queen is one of the subsidiary corporations of the great Phelps-Dodge company, which has very extensive railway and mining interests in the Southwest, being owners of the El Paso and Southeastern Railway, as well as a great many extensive mines. The particular feature which attracted these gentlemen to Coos Bay was the coal deposits. They made a brief inspection and investigating trip to a few of the undeveloped coal fields, and while not expressing themselves definitely as to the results of their investigation, they manifested an interest in the matter which may develop later. They remained only between boats and did not disclose their official Identity except to one or two persons, and expressed a desire that their presence be given no publicity.

PLEASANT EVENING IS SPENT BY CALEDONIANS

Musical Program, Dancing and Luncheon are Enjoyed by Guests Of the Lads From the Land o' Burns.

Wednesday night the Marshfield Caledonian Club No. 1, composed of the descendants of the Scots, met in Redmen's hall and entertained a number of guests in a pleasant and delightful manner. A musical program of unusually high standard was enjoyed. Dancing was also indulged in and toward the close of the evening luncheon was served.

The evening exercises were opened by the Chairman Hugh Sneddon introducing E. D. McArthur, who spoks on the principles and objects of the

Following is the musical program: Comic Song "Tober Morey," Bagpipe Selection John McIsanes Scotch Song "Lochlomond,"

Miss Lillian Hall Comic Song "Rising Early In The Morning Robert Ballantyne Piccolo Solo Andrew Landles Piano Selection Prof. E. A. Todd Comie Song "Jericho,"

Robert Ballantyne Violin Solo Prof. Bonebrake Comic Song "Tober Money,"

Robert Ballantyne Bag Pipe Selection . . John McIsaacs The exercises were concluded by the club singing "Auld Lang Syne."

MAIL SERVICE IS **GETTING LAX AGAIN**

For Past Three Days Sacks Have Been Coming in Between 5 and 6 O'clock at Evening.

Due at 10 a. m. Arrived 6 p. m. Due at 10 a, m. Arrived 6 p. m. Due at 10 a. m. Arrived 6 p. m. Rather poor mail service, isn't it? Poor or rotten, which? For the last three days the mail has been coming in hours later than at any time during stormy weather, And the strange part of it is that during the past three days almost ideal weather has prevailed. The fault and blame are placed on the carriers between Sumner and Roseburg. These men, it is said, are again resorting to the perniciously lazy methods in vogue before Superintendent Vaile's reproof, of splitting the mail and leaving the sacks at Dora, a station about eighteen miles from Sumner; in this way the carriers get a day off at the cost of the much abused public of the Coos Bay country. It is not pleasant to realize, on days when one gets about three pieces of second class mail, that the shortage occurs because some mail carrier has felt indisposed to trouble himself with too much of a burden.

Tomorrow is fish day at Smith's Cafe. See the window display.

A CORDIAL INVITATION.

Is extended to all to attend the Grand Leap Year Ball to be given by the Fraternal Union of America at I. O. O. F. hall Saturday right February 29. Music by the Acme band

Today's ads. contain no "dull reading" for an alert mind.

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Beautiful America

Five Percent of All Sales Saturday Will Go to This Organization For the Beautifying There Will be a Gorgeous Display of New Spring Merchandise, and of North Bend. Special Reductions, Generally, All Over the Store.

Advance Showing of Women's New Spring Suits

Handsome Styles, Exquisite Shades, Well Tailored and Popular Priced from

\$16,50 to \$55.00.

In no previous season have the styles shown in our Suit Salon been commented upon so much as the ones we are now showing for spring and summer.

The new Butterfly styles, the Papillion designs and the Etonnettes lead, in the strictly fashionable creations. The colors most favorably thought of are Copenhagen, leather, navy and black, closely followed with browns, wines and old rose.

A feature particularly noticeable in our spring garments is the excellent tailoring. Our women's suits are made by one of New York's most exclusive women's tailoring houses. Every garment is rigidly designed to conform with the very newest creations of fashion,

A feature we closely adhere to, is that not more than one garment of a certain design and color is allowed to enter our suit department. This means much to you in buying your spring suit of us, for it assures you that no other woman in the vicinity will have a suit exactly like yours, thereby retaining an individuality every woman glories in.

Sacurday of this week offers some special advantages in selecting your spring and summer suit, and incidentally you will substantially help the Beautiful America Club in their undertakings.

Saturday's Waist Specials

Wool shirtwaists in lancy and plain colors. Nicely made up. Latest designs. Best grade of materials. All sizes, Former prices range as high as \$5.00. Special, Saturday

Wool batiste waists in plain colors and handsome plaids. Some are handsomely embroidered. New sleeves. All sizes. Regularly priced from \$5.00 to \$7.50 Choice, Saturday

only \$3.75

Handsome silk waists in pretty checks, plaids and plain colors. Best grade of silk, All sizes. Carefully made, Regular price was \$8.25 and \$8.50. Saturday special.

\$6.50 only

Sateen Petticoat Special

Another special for Saturday will be a big lot of specially priced black sateen petticoats. These were picked up by our New York buyer at a wonderfully low price, and represent values considerably above what they are being offered at, Saturday, Special

98c each, only

C. B. Schiffler, Floor Mgr.

As by magic, the Beautiful America Club has come into public notice. The results of their efforts have already been seen, and, it is a foregone conclusion that before they cease their labors, North Bend will have been transformed into a beautiful city of roses and shrubbery.

Every citizen should be in hearty accord with the work of this club, and we believe they are. The enthusiasm with which these ladies are entering upon their tasks, cannot fail to imbue in the hearts of all a civic pride.

To carry on a cleaning-up campaign, such as has been planned, it will require arge sums of money. No good and effective work can be done without money, and the more money, the more effective and thorough the campaign.

That we may contribute to the financial support of this good work, the Myers dresses, etc., Wears and washes well. Store has set aside Saturday, February 29th,. On this day five per cent of all sales Saturday will be given to the Beautiful America Club. The club will have its various committees here to meet you and assist in the selection of merchandise, as well as entertain you and serve dainty luncheon.

Many reductions have been indulged in specially for the day, to make buying

nteresting. There will also be a grand showing of our new spring merchandise.

Come, everyone, and assist in beautifying our little city.

Men's Spring Hats

Our spring styles and shades of men's hats are here, and the most nobby and comprehensive line, we believe, that was ever shown in this vicinity. Among the popular shapes shown this season will be the Harrow, the Helot, the Onatus, the Goodwin and the Pan Tourist. The colors are, principally black, with brown, ivory grey, deep olive and tan well thought of. Prices, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

There is also here a portion of our spring shipment of stiff hats. A large number of distinet blocks are shown, and practically everyone can be sulted. Prices are \$3.50 to \$5.00.

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It may be somewhat early to call attention to Fanama hats. However, we would remind you that our spring shipment is here, and every shape is excellent. We guarantee every one of our Panamas to be made of genuine Panama. You get no substitute when buying of us. The

Men's Dress Trousers

Saturday will be a good day to buy dress trousers. Our complete spring shipment will be on display by that time, and among the assortment are some of the best values we ever got hold of. If you want a good pair of trousers, let us figure with you. We have a line that is extremely popular, and very reasonably priced from \$3.00 to \$6.50

Men's Underwear

We believe it is an undisputed fact that we sell more men's underwear than all the other shops on Coos Bay combined. The vast amount of men's underwear that moves out of this store in a season is incomprehensible to the majority of persons. But there is a reason why our trade is so large in this line, and it is principally because of the excellent values to be found here at all times, and the large assortments to select from. No matter what you require, we usually have it, and, if not, we will not be slow in getting it for you. A large portion of our spring underwear for men is now here.

Wash Goods Savings

A great special Saturday will be a number of pieces of colored lawns, 25 inches wide, Comes in an array of dots floral and geometrical de-signs. Very specially priced for the

day, yard, only..... Figured organdies Beautiful floral, geometrical and ring designs. 28 inches wide, Worth 12 1/2 cents. Special Saturday

Another wash goods item for Saturday will be a large assortment of white and colored fabrics, worth up to 35 cents a yard. These come in the season's newest designs. Yard, 20c

Galatea Special

Several pieces of Galatea cloth will be disposed of Saturday. The quantity is limited, so you want to hurry. This material is just the thing for boys' and girls' waists, children's Sells everywhere at 20c yard. Special

Table Linen

All linen damask. 72 inches wide, Semi and full bleached. Dainty patterns. Regularly priced at \$1.10. 87c Special for Saturday . . Full and half bleached union damask. A wonderful value at the regular price of 75 cents, 68 inches Special Saturday, 45c

Ladies' Neckwear Special A large and beautiful assortment to select from, Handsome designs and styles, Regular prices range from 65c to \$1.00. A great neckwear opportunity. Saturday, choice,

Long Silk Gloves

50c

Ladies' long silk gioves in black and white. Double tips. Best grade of silk. Medium heavy and excellent wearers, Regularly sold at \$1.85 pair, Special Saturday only \$1.50

Framed Pictures Half Priced Saturday Only

A great special for Saturday will be our entire stock of Framed Pictures at HALF PRICE. This affords an unusual opportunity to purchase wall decorations at an extremely low price, and at a figure seldom afforded the public. Regular prices range from 35 cents each to \$12.50. Among the display there are many handpainted scenes of fascinating beauty. Special Sat-

urday, each, only .. Half Price

Corset Special Saturday

American Lady Corset No. 358. Regularly priced at \$2.50. One of the latest models. White only. A wonderful wearer. Through an error on the part of the makers, we are overloaded on this particular number. Hence we want to reduce our stock, otherwise this number could not be bought for a cent less than the regular price. Special, Satur-

day \$1.47

-- GET IN ON THE--Contest For The Hat Given away Monday, March 2

Now open 7 to 9:30 p. m. THE RINK- Saturday Afternoon 2 to 4:30 Special Rates to private parties 9:30 to 11:30 p. m. Wednesday Afternoon, Ladies Exclusively

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