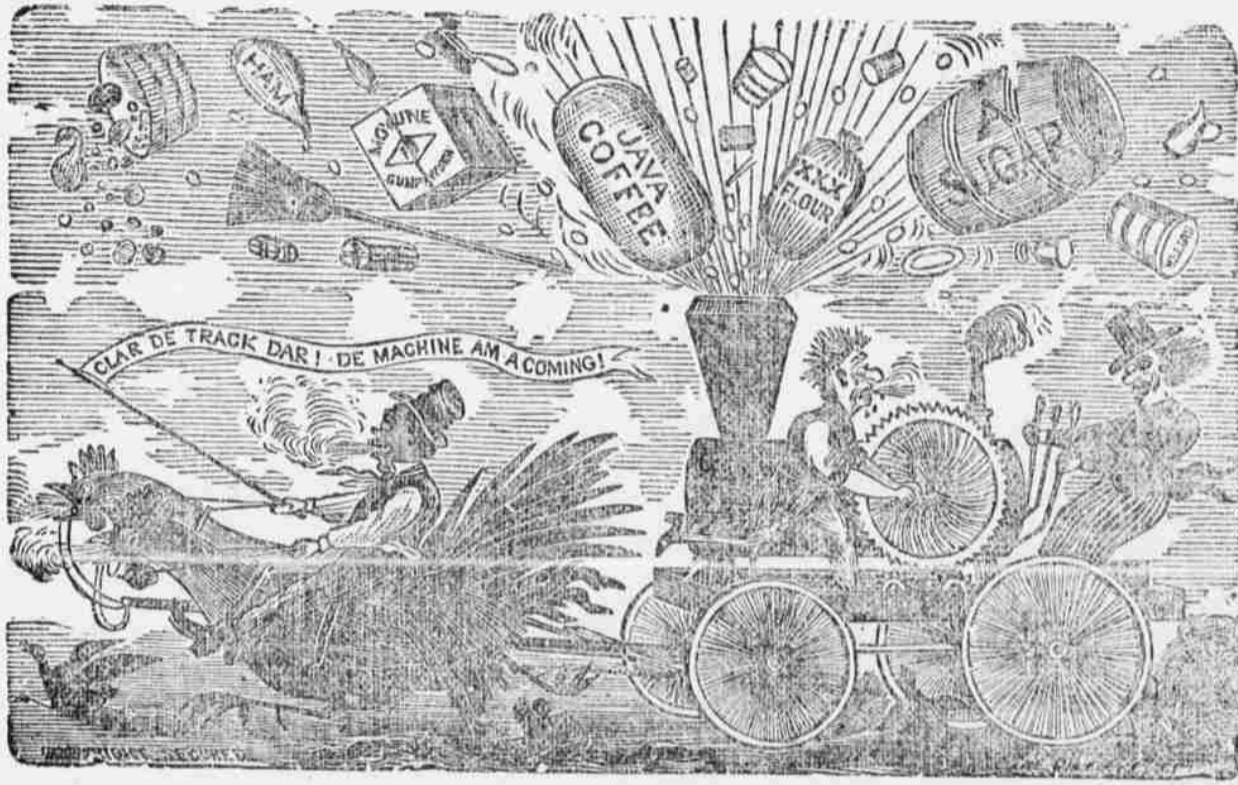


# CONROY, SON & COMPANY

## OUR ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

Will commence January 1 and continue the whole month. Great Bargains will be given---Sweeping Reductions in all lines. We offer our entire stock during the month of January at prices that must be appreciated. This will be a rare chance for bargains. Below we give you a few prices:



- All our Men's Underwear at 25 to 50 per cent discount.
- Boys' Suits, age 5 to 7 years, from 90c to \$1.35 each.
- Job lot Men's Storm Rubbers at 50 cents per pair.
- Balance Men's Suits at \$4.29 each.
- Balance Men's Single Coats at \$2.19 each.
- Balance Men's Vests at 99 cents each.
- Corsets, 45 cents each and up.
- All Patent Medicines and Dyes 20 to 25 per cent. discount.
- Vaseline—Regular 10 cent size, 5 cents, regular 20 cent size, 10c.
- All our ammunition at 10 per cent discount.

- Best Whole Roast Coffee in Toledo, 8 pounds for \$1.
- Flour and Feed at Cost while the present stock on hand last.
- Balance Prize Baking Powder on hand, 42 cents per can.
- 2-oz. packages Tobacco, 25 cents.
- 3-oz. packages Tobacco, 25 cents.
- All our Christmas Goods left over at 25 per cent discount.
- Men's heavy 9-oz. Overalls, 40 cts. per pair while they last.
- Our Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps will be slaughtered.
- All our Rubbers and Oil Clothing at 10 per cent discount.

**REASONS WHY---**Our business for the past six months has doubled our expectations. We intend to locate permanently, and previous to our stock taking, which will commence February 1st, we wish to make a general clean up and prepare for spring business.

**Terms as usual---Strictly Spot Cash.** All mail orders given prompt attention. Come early before the stock is broken. **CONROY, SON & CO.,**

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Speaking of country schools: Has it ever occurred to you that the brave young women who teach are miserably paid? The politicians, who do no good for anybody, generally get fat salaries when they strike office; but the school teachers, who are doing more good in the world than all the politicians in the world could ever think of doing, receive paltry wages, ridiculously out of proportion to the value of their work. The monthly wages might be reasonable if received every month, but for several months in the year the teacher is out of employment. In order to qualify herself for the position of teacher she has to study very hard and submit to rigid examinations; and when she gets a school her task is a dreary, thankless one, and its monotony is maddening. She is teaching the children who may some day be the great authors, poets, painters and statesman of the country—and receives the wages of a chambermaid. So long as cheap politicians can draw \$100 per month for holding down unnecessary offices, and teachers get about \$30 a month for six months in the year; we ought to sing low about the school houses, the "bulwarks of our liberties." —Walt Mason.

"We don't want much of this weather at this time of year," said a prominent fruitgrower of Multnomah county yesterday; "we are likely to have a cold snap in February, which will catch the fruit trees after the sap has started, and then we will have a short crop of fruit again. Of course, if the weather man is going to continue this warm temperature through February and March, etc., all right, but otherwise we fruit men would rather get our frosty weather now. There's no use borrowing trouble about it, but I don't like to see the new leaves coming out an inch long in January, nor the pussy willow buds lengthening out like they usually do in spring." In the meantime, the grass is growing so fast in the parks that the scythe will have to be used in cutting it back, and the poor man's woodpile is holding its own, to the disgust of wood and coal dealers.

The stockmen to the east of us are feeling in most excellent spirits. In fact they have been feeling good for a year. In most markets beef has been higher than for several years past and prices realized have given a handsome margin over the cost of production. The bulk of them have sold at from five to ten dollars more per head greater than a year ago and some of them up to as much as three times the prices realized when they were at the lowest notch. Some idea can be gained of the immense profit of a stockman when we talk of Montana which shipped one hundred and fifty thousand head of beef this year and put it at the small sum of ten dollars more per head than in 1897, two years ago, this makes a million and one-half dollars allowed for the increased sum that finds its way into the stockman's pocket. It has not been an uncommon thing at all this past year for stock to bring over five cents per pound on foot and some have gone up to 6 and 7 cents. What Montana has been doing Oregon and Washington have also

been doing, that is even giving better profit. This is one of the reasons there is such a demand for improving the breeds and the next ten years will see the greatest movement in the line of beef cattle that has ever been known.—Pacific Northwest Farmer.

**Notice of Final Settlement.**  
In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lincoln. In the matter of the estate of Ely Dommey, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that Isaac Martin, as administrator of the estate of Ely Dommey, deceased, has filed his final account as such administrator with the clerk of the county court of the above-named county and state, and that the judge of the said county court has fixed Tuesday, February 6, 1900, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, in the county court room at the courthouse in Toledo, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections to the said final account, if any there be.  
ISAAC MARTIN,  
Administrator of the estate of Ely Dommey deceased.

**Notice For Publication.**  
United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, December 1, 1899.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as amended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Eric Johnson, of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4125, for the purchase of the W<sup>1/2</sup> NE<sup>1/4</sup>, SE<sup>1/4</sup> of NE<sup>1/4</sup>, and NE<sup>1/4</sup> of SE<sup>1/4</sup> of section No. 21 in Township No. 28 south, Range No. 8 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon on Wednesday, the 14th day of February, 1900.  
He names as witnesses: Eric Roman, of Dallas, Polk county, Oregon; Arnt Hanson of Woodland, Cowitz county, Washington; Nils Johnson, of Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon; and Axel L. Johnson, of Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 14th day of February, 1900.  
CHAS. B. MOORES, Register

**Notice to Creditors.**  
In the county court of the State of Oregon, for Lincoln county. In the matter of the estate of Julia Dommey deceased.  
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court above-named administrator of the estate of Julia Dommey, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file them in the office of J. F. Stewart, County Judge, within six months from the date hereof. All claims must be duly verified as by law required.  
ISAAC MARTIN,  
Administrator of the estate of Julia Dommey, deceased.  
Siletz, Oregon, November 24, 1899.

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