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Portland's Leading Cloak Store Clearance Sale of Silk Waists



Our entire stock of fine silk Waists on sale this week at greatly reduced prices—Fancy and tailor-made novelties in taffetas, radium silks, messaline silks, peau de cygnes, crepe de chine, chiffon cloths—Beautiful styles trimmed in lace, embroidery and small tucks—Very large showing in plain colors, checks, stripes, plaids, white, pink, rose, gray, green, lavender, purple, black, navy, etc., long or short sleeves—Values from \$5.00 to \$90.00, all at special prices

\$ 5.00 Silk Waists at \$ 3.98—\$6.50 Silk Waists at \$ 4.85
\$ 9.00 Silk Waists at \$ 6.85—\$7.50 Silk Waists at \$ 5.45
\$10.00 Silk Waists at \$ 7.45—\$8.50 Silk Waists at \$ 6.45
\$14.00 Silk Waists at \$10.85—\$12.00 Silk Waists at \$ 9.45
\$18.50 Silk Waists at \$13.85—\$21.00 Silk Waists at \$15.45
\$22.50 Silk Waists at \$16.85—Waists to \$90.00 are all reduced

\$45.00 Suits Only \$31.25

Special lot of 40 women's high-grade tailored Suits in navy blue, black, rose, Alice blue, reseda and grays; very best styles; tight fitting, pony, Eton or semi-fitting jackets—plain tailored or fancy trimmed novelties, stitched or self-strapped; circular or gored skirts; all sizes; regular \$45.00 values, at..... **\$31.25**

\$9.00 Silk Etons at \$5.85

Women's black Taffeta Silk Eton Jackets, fancy guimpe and button-trimmed; also lace trimmed, with fancy collar and cuffs to match; satin lined throughout; very attractive, serviceable garments, all sizes; regular \$9.00 values, on sale at this..... **\$5.85**

\$8 Silk Petticoats \$4.95

Another great special bargain in Silk Petticoats, 300 of them secured from one of our favorite houses at a price far below regular value—Made of superior quality taffeta silk; deep flounce with stitched ruffle or accordion plaited flounce with ruche—Colors are pink, navy, green, red, blue, light and dark grays, blacks and a big assortment of changeable colors—Petticoats that are well made and finished and full width—Reg. \$8 val., on sale at this very low price..... **\$4.95**



\$15 French Hand-Made Waists \$7.45

Special lot of 40 beautiful, dainty French hand-made lingerie Waists, hand-embroidered and lace trimmed—waists we have sold hundreds of at \$15 each..... **\$7.45**

College Waists

Complete stock of the new College Waists, plain or embroidered linens; low cut, soft attached collar; the popular hot weather and outing waists; all sizes, \$3, \$4 each—2d Floor—Mail orders filled

Women's Tailored Suits Are Reduced



Women's High-Grade Tailored Suits at great special reductions all this week—A sale of unusual importance to every woman having need for new, up-to-date apparel—This season's very best models in serges, voiles, Panama cloths, homespuns, shepherd worsteds—Eton styles, fancy gimp or button trimmed and circular skirts—Pony, semi-fitting or tight-fitting jackets, self strapped or stitched—Colors include grays, rose, reseda, navy, Alice blue, black, checks and fancy mixtures—All sizes and an immense variety to select from—Matchless values at the following low prices:

- \$20.00 Tailored Suits \$14.85
- \$27.00 Tailored Suits \$19.85
- \$32.00 Tailored Suits \$21.85
- \$50.00 Tailored Suits \$36.45
- \$55.00 Tailored Suits \$38.25

Mail orders for the above suits will be carefully filled

2000 Men's Four-in-Hands, \$1 Values, 55c



Sale extraordinary tomorrow of 2000 Men's High-Grade Four-in-Hands, all new goods, made of the finest silks, new shades and patterns, three inches wide and made French fold, plain colors, self figures, fleur de lis, plaids, etc., in immense assortment, beige, red, grays, white, black, green; also striped crepes, plain reps, etc., every tie in the lot worth \$1.00—Buy all you want of them at this wonderfully low price of—Each..... **55c**

See the Morrison street window display today—Mail Orders promptly and carefully filled—Every well dressed man in town is interested in this very special offering—Buy very liberally.

Women's Knit Underwear Bargains

Women's imported Swiss ribbed light weight silk Vests, high neck and long sleeves; handsomely made and finished; all sizes; regular \$1.50 values, for..... **\$1.23**

Women's pure white Swiss ribbed Corset Covers; high neck, long sleeves; perfect fitting; regular values for..... **59c**

Women's low neck, sleeveless Vests with hand-crocheted yoke or V-neck yoke and edge, all sizes; the regular \$1.50 values on sale at the special low price..... **59c**

Women's fine ribbed, lace-trimmed Umbrella Pants, all sizes; best 40c values, on sale at this low price..... **29c**

Women's fine ribbed cotton lace-trimmed Umbrella Pants, all sizes; great special value at, pair..... **19c**

Drug Sundries

"Bathasweet" Soap and Powders, special..... **19c**

"Danderine," the great hair-grower, special..... **19c**

Royal Tooth Powder, special, a can..... **8c**

Witch Hazel Soap, great value, cake..... **4c**

Gold frame Stand Mirrors, values up to..... **59c**

\$1.75 each, on sale at, each..... **59c**

Egg-Tar Soap, in cases, special value..... **19c**

Nickel-plated Toilet Paper Holder..... **19c**

Blue, white and green Atomizers for, each..... **19c**

Souvenir Ash Trays, great values at, each..... **5c**

Silks! Silks!

3,000 yards of high-grade black and colored Taffeta Silks, all the leading shades—A quality of taffeta you are asked to pay \$60 a yard at other stores. Tomorrow for \$50.

2,000 yards of beautiful Crepe de Chine in a large assortment of designs, Dresden effects, new colorings, handsome for waists and gowns; \$1.00 value, for, yard..... **69c**

Rajah Silks 79c Yd

The celebrated "Rajah" silk, on sale for a few days at an exceptionally low price; very best shades, gray, pink, red, brown, reseda and Alice blue—makes handsome summer waists and suits; very unusual value at this low..... **79c**

500 yards of fancy Alpaca, in light and dark effects, desirable for skirts, suits, etc.; good assortment of patterns; regular..... **87c**

\$1.35 value, for, yard..... **79c**

Splendid line of fancy English Mouselines, in stripes, checks and mixtures, light and dark colorings, desirable for summer waists, suits, etc.; \$2.50 value..... **\$1.25**

Greatest Shoe Sale of the Year

25,000 pairs of women's, men's, boys', misses' and children's footwear go on sale tomorrow at decided reductions from the regular selling prices—shoes of standard style and quality—This season's product of the leading Eastern manufacturers—Family footwear needs should receive the attention of every economical buyer this week—nearly all sizes and widths at all prices.

700 pairs of J. & T. Cousins' Shoes for women, lace and button styles, turns and welts, patent-leathers and vici kid patent tips; shoes selling regularly at \$3.50 and \$4.00 a pair; your choice of this lot at this low price, per pair..... **\$2.85**

500 pairs of Johnson Bros. Lace and Button Shoes, in vici kid, patent tip and kangaroo calf; broken lines in good styles—shoes selling regularly at \$2.50 and \$3.00 a pair; your choice at this phenomenally low price, per pair..... **\$1.70**

400 pairs Women's Comfort Shoes, lace and congress; great value, a pair..... **\$1.20**

Women's Oxfords

1000 pairs of women's tan Low Shoes, in Russia calf and chocolate vici kid; this season's best styles, in all sizes and widths; regular \$3 values..... **\$1.95**

1000 pairs of women's tan Low Shoes, Russia calf and chocolate vici kid; this season's best styles, from the leading manufacturers; regular \$3.50 values, in all sizes and widths, special, pr. **\$2.45**

Women's Dress Slippers

Women's fancy Dress Slippers in patent leather, kid, beaded and plain effects, French heels; regular \$4 to \$6 values, on sale at this low price, pair..... **\$2.50**

Women's fine Dress Slippers, 300 pairs, in all the very best styles; French heels; regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 values, your choice at this low price, pr. **\$1.75**

Fancy Dress Slippers at reduced prices



Misses' and Children's Shoes

Misses' and children's Strap Slippers, pink, white, blue; 1 to 2, \$1.50 val., 90c; 8½ to 11, \$1.40 val., 80c; 5 to 8, \$1.25 val., **70c**

Misses' and children's vici kid Oxfords, all sizes; 5 to 8, pair, 80c; 8½ to 11, pair, 90c; 12 to 2, pair..... **\$1.00**

Misses' and children's vici kid Lace Shoes, all sizes; 5 to 8, pair, \$1.05; 8½ to 11, pair, \$1.15; 12 to 2, pair..... **\$1.25**

Big girls' Shoes, spring heels, sizes 2½ to 6½, pair..... **\$1.45**

Bargains in Men's Footwear

French Shruier & Urner's famous Shoes for men—patent colt, vici kid and box calf, very best styles, all sizes; regular \$5.00 values, on sale at this low price, pair..... **\$3.65**

300 pairs of men's tan Low Shoes, \$3.50 values, pair..... **\$2.55**

500 pairs boys' Shoes, sizes 1 to 5½, vici kid, box calf; \$2.50 values, pair..... **\$1.85**

Little gents' Shoes, in patent leather, box calf and vici kid, sizes 11 to 13½; reg. \$1.75, \$2 vals., pair..... **\$1.35**

Laces and Embroideries

Manufacturers' ends of Embroideries and Insertion in Swiss and nainsook from 3 to 8 inches wide; very large variety of best patterns, 4½ yards in a strip, values up to \$2.50 on sale at, strip..... **89c**

2000 yards of allover Embroideries in Swiss and nainsook; values up to \$1.75 a yard; very attractive designs; extraordinary value at, yard..... **98c**

5000 yards of Swiss and Cambric Embroidery and Insertion, 2 to 9 inches wide; pretty designs; values up to 30c yard, for..... **12c**

5000 yards of Swiss and nainsook Embroidery, 9 to 13 inches wide, fine patterns; values up to 85c yd, on sale for, yard..... **39c**

Round-thread Val. Laces and Insertion, in dainty designs; values up to \$1.50 dozen yards; marvelous values at this special price, doz. yds. **59c**

Great special lot of white and cream Net Top Laces, Baby Irish Lace and Venice Bands, edges and appliques, in the very best styles; values up to \$1 a yard, on sale at..... **42c**

Great Lace Curtain Sale

500 pairs of white Madras weave Lace Curtains, with plain or scroll centers, heavy Brussels effect borders, 10 new patterns to select from; 50 in. wide, 3½ yds. long, reg. \$3.25 val..... **\$2.45**

Mail orders will be carefully filled. Order today.

400 pairs of cable Net Curtains, in both white and Arabian color; plain centers, with Cluny and Renaissance pattern borders; the very best effects in good variety; 50 inches wide, 3½ yards long; \$3.25 values at this low price, per pair..... **\$2.45**

1000 pairs of Madras Curtains, ecru grounds, with colored cross stripes—styles suitable for the beach cottage; will wash and hold their color; big variety; grand special value at, pair..... **90c**

WHAT HAPPENED YESTERDAY ON THE BIG EAST SIDE

Determined opposition has developed in Central addition, a part of Montavilla, to the idea of being annexed to Portland. The people of Central addition say that they do not want to be taxed as heavily as are the Portlanders; that they now have all the benefits of living in a city with none of its disadvantages. The residents of Montavilla and Mount Tabor take a contrary view. The Montavilla board of trade and Improvement League propose to go to Central addition next Monday night and reason and argue with their recalcitrant neighbors and try to convince them of the error of their way.

J. E. McCaslin, a Montavilla merchant, said: "I can't understand why anyone living in Montavilla or Mount Tabor can oppose annexation to Portland. The water question has become such a serious one with us that we must do something to overcome it. Annexation to Portland is the only solution that I can see. If we once get into Portland we can demand water, and they will have to give it to us. Not only this, but we may expect some police protection, and after a while they will give us a fire station. I think after we talk to those who oppose annexation that they will be more reasonable in the matter."

It is the general understanding in both Montavilla and Mount Tabor that 75 per cent of the people favor coming into Portland at the earliest opportunity.

ing trouble. A narrow strip along the entire east side of the fill has receded about two feet in the past 48 hours. The contractors were of the opinion that a solid foundation had at last been found for the fill to rest upon, but in this they seem to have been mistaken. It is now feared that as the weight of the fill increases more alarming and extensive sinking may ensue. If the worst is over, however, a few hundred yards of earth will remedy the existing trouble. The contractor has removed the spur track that was used in making the fill, and quantities of earth has been dumped into the latest sink. The work has been going on very rapidly and satisfactorily, and if no more sinking takes place it will be but a few weeks until that part of Grand avenue will be a solid street.

Will overcome indigestion and dyspepsia; quiet the bowels and cure liver and kidney complaints. It is the best blood purifier and invigorator in the world. It is purely vegetable, perfectly harmless and should you be a sufferer from disease you will use it if you are wise. R. N. Andrews, editor and manager Cosan and Rockledge News, Cocoa, Fla., writes: "I have used your Herbine in my family and find it a most excellent medicine. Its effects upon myself have been a marked benefit." Sold by Woodard, Clarke & Co.

and the nauseating slough and dangerous trestle a thing of the past.

Work on the 20-inch water main projected from Mount Tabor to Piedmont and the northeastern part of the city has progressed as far as East Forty-Eighth street and Villa avenue. This main will when completed supply Woodlawn, Piedmont, Alberta street and a part of Union avenue and Highland with Bull Run water. The old Piedmont and Woodlawn water plants will then go out of commission. It is understood that the city water company will buy out these plants.

A petition is being circulated among the property-owners on Garfield street asking the city council to grade this street from Alberta to Shaver streets. Sidewalks and curbing will also be asked for.

The residents on Beach and Fremont streets are loudly complaining of the impassable condition of those streets. It has become almost impossible for those living on either of these streets to take to the cars on Union avenue.

Ina Park and Fox's addition, in the Vernon tract, on an extension of Alberta street, are experiencing an unusual building boom. A large number of small cottages are going up in this district.

The Portland Railway company is preparing to raise the car tracks on East Ankeny street, between East Twenty-fourth and East Twenty-sixth streets, to conform to the grade recently established by the city. The street car track on these blocks is in places two feet below the street level.

The grading of Skidmore street has been finished from Union to Williams

avenues. Lumber is being delivered for the sidewalks and curbing on this street. One of the benefits derived from the extensive street improvements now in progress on the east side is the large amount of house building going on in that part of the city.

Special round-trip excursion rates have been named by the Northern Pacific to points east. Full information can be had at the ticket office, No. 155 Morrison street, corner Third, or by letter to A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent, Portland, Oregon.

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parents in South Africa. She is a brilliant pianist and a charming story teller. This program begins at 3 o'clock, and is free for men only.

Special Rates East. On May 24, 25 and 26 and on June 4, 6, 7, 28 and 29, and various other dates throughout the summer, the Canadian Pacific will sell round trip tickets to eastern points at very low rates. For descriptive matter and full particulars call on or address F. R. Johnson, F. & P. A., Portland, Oregon.

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We have this week booked a large number of orders for private residences—many of them elegant—and several more of the soon-to-be begun "big buildings" are almost ready to sign up with us. Indeed it is coming our way right along. It comes our way because we make it profitable for our customers, in that

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