

Trimming Laces 10c the Yard.

The greatest sale of laces that you've ever seen in Portland. We were fortunate enough to secure an entire season's surplus from a large factory...

10c

PORTLAND'S NEW DEPARTMENT STORE



ENTIRE CORNER THIRD & YAMHILL

Notions Almost Free in The Pit

So many little neeables here at absurdly low prices that we won't even try to enumerate them or tell you the prices. But we will say this: Come looking for notions while this three-day sale is on...

THREE-DAY ROOM-MAKING SALE!

Desperate Cases Require Desperate Remedies

Room We Must Have at Any Cost

Dress Goods About Half Regular

- SHADOW PLAIDS in such wanted shades as blue, green and gray, wool finished and a full yard wide, cheap at 25c the yard; sale price, only 16 3/4c. SHADOW PLAIDS, with an invisible plaid, a finely finished fabric in the swell gray mixtures, meant to sell at 50c the yard, and a bargain at that sale price, 35c. Taffeta Silk 98c. Bleached Sheets. 49c.

SUCH PRICE-CUTTING as we are indulging in now is without precedent—But the whole truth of the story is that in our zeal to secure all best bargains for our clients, we have bought more goods than our store will hold. And the only way out of it is to give YOU our PROFIT on these goods—yes, MORE than the profit—and let you carry away the goods and leave the room we need.

School Hose 17c

CHILDREN'S FAST BLACK COTTON HOSE, for school wear, heavy ribbed and made for the most strenuous kind of wear. These hose are one of the best 25c grades it is possible to buy, and for this 3-day sale they'll go at, pair... 17c.

Sale Begins Thursday Morning at 8 o'Clock

Slaughter in the Shoe Section

A lowering in price that is nothing short of startling, when the very high quality of these shoes is considered. The Shoe Department is the most overcrowded of any in the store, and to relieve this condition we make absurdly small prices on the surplus shoes that promises a speedy emptying of the shelves. WOMEN'S SHOES, in all styles and all leathers—graceful, pretty shapes and qualities that sell at regular times for \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 pair. Choose the heel, toe and leather that suits you best. Any pair in the lot... \$1.10. MEN'S SHOES, of the very best fall shapes, the very correct lasts that particular men wear and of high-grade vici kid, box calf and patent leather. Exceptionally good \$3.50 and \$4.00 val. Sale price, per pair... \$2.59.

Silk Gloves \$1.74

Don't by any means miss this sale of gloves, for where else would you find the same value? Made the finest, glossiest silk, in white or black, the popular 16-button length and easily worn. Worth \$2.50 pair; sale price, only... \$1.74. Women's Flannel-ette Night Gowns. 79c.

Men's Goods, Too

Yes, even the men share in this unparalleled bargain-giving. Supplies that all men need in this sale at a mere fraction of the regular prices. Read: MEN'S LINEN COLLARS, in all sizes and every correct shape for dressy fall and winter wear; a special lot that we were fortunate enough to secure from one of the most prominent manufacturers in Troy. Regular two-for-a-quarter styles and qualities; on sale in dozen lots only, 50c special, dozen... MEN'S GOLF SHIRTS, extraordinary good qualities and patterns; shirts that are worth to \$1.50 each in this sale at each... 93c. MEN'S HOSE, black or tan, and either color is fast, prime qualities that sell regularly for 15c the pair placed on sale for only... 8c.

Domestics and Linens Sacrificed

The premier bargain event of the year is this room-making sale of ours, and the dire need for room, the necessity for making space in a short time, is responsible for these unheard-of low prices. Supply your needs now, for months to come, for an opportunity like this does not present itself often. Take advantage of our need for room and make it your chance to save money. DRESS AND APRON GINGHAMS, thousands of yards of them, in about every design in which they are made. Good, dependable qualities that you'd be glad to buy at twice the price we ask for them while this sale is on—short lengths, but every length is a usable one—and the price for this sale is, yard... 4 1/2c. BLACKHIDE SHIRTING, a splendid twilled shirting, 36 inches wide, a grade that will wear like iron. This goods is absolutely fast color, and this is a grade that sells regularly for 15c the yard. 3,000 yards for this sale at, yard... 9c. SATIN TABLE LINEN, bleached, 64 inches wide and a regular \$1.00 grade, on sale for three days at, yard... 65c. 72-INCH SATIN DAMASK, the finest goods you've ever shown in any store, in all the pleasing designs made to sell for \$1.75 the yard and up; sale price, yd... \$1.39. OUTING FLANNEL, in light or dark colors, soft, warm and just the right weight and colorings for the making of winter night robes and shirts, worth 12 1/2c yard... 9c.

Women's Suits Less Than Cost

At least a great deal less than the regular cost, and a great deal better than the regular quality. We have 100 suits that have just arrived, in very smart mannish effects, made of all-wool worsteds, silk and satin lined, and in all ways very superior grades and exceptional styles—suits that other houses would ask you \$35.00 and \$40.00 for—and so would we if we had time to make a profit on them. Choice during this sale for... \$12.98. WOMEN'S COATS, made of mannish plaids and checks, trimmed with a splendid grade of velvet, modeled on the ultra-stylish lines, and superb garments in every sense of the word—coats that should and DO sell for \$25.00 each. Sale price... \$12.00. WOMEN'S DRESS SKIRTS, samples bought from one of the best manufacturers in the garment business. Made with the extreme care that is necessary in order that a garment shall pass inspection by the shrewdest buyers. Come in black, browns, dashing plaids and with regular \$9.00 to \$30.00; \$12.98. WOMEN'S SILK PETTICOATS, made in the most careful manner and finished with exquisite taste. Skirts that add just the finishing touch needed to an otherwise perfect outfit. Plain colors and rich plaids, worth every one of them \$10.00; sale price... \$4.98.

Save on These Everyday Needs Sale in the Basement

Bargain-wise housewives will lose no time in attending this sale and selecting from the basement list of bargains all that they need in these lines. Common sense and former shopping experiences tell you that you have never seen equal values before, and remember we guarantee the qualities on all these goods to be all that you could ask, even at a much higher price. CUPS AND SAUCERS of white semi-porcelain, in a dainty pattern, something that you can use at all times, and the plain white can be used with plain or decorated dishes of other sorts. Regularly these cups and saucers are \$1.00 for the set of six each, but we need the room they take, so six of each for... 54c. DINNER PLATES of white semi-porcelain, set of 6, selling for three days at the very special price of, the set... 54c. 50-PIECE SET of white English semi-porcelain, very pretty shapes, worth \$6.75 the set, special \$4.49 for... 4.49. COVER KNOBS for, each... 1c. CLOSET HOOKS, the dozen, sale... 8c. GAS MANTLES that sell regularly for 20c and 25c each go in this sale at, each... 14c. BUTCHER KNIVES, with wooden handles and good steel blades, worth 35c each, for... 14c. FELS-NAPTHA SOAP, selling while 3-day sale lasts, special, 6 bars for only... 25c. WASH BOWL AND PITCHER of white stone china, good size and first-class quality, the reg. \$1.25 grade; sale price... 98c. WHITE CHAMBERS, covered, fancy shape, reg. 85c val.; sale price, each, only... 64c. GRANITE TEAKETTLES, best grade, usually sold for \$1.00, the No. 80 size, that will fit any size stovehole; special... 69c. WATER SETS, pitcher and six glasses, 20 patterns to choose from, val. up to \$3.00 ea.; special for this sale, any set, for... 1.89. TOILET SOAP, special, box of three cakes, in this sale for... 14c. GOLD DUST, for cleaning of all sorts, 25c package; sale price... 19c.

\$2.00 Lace Curtains for 98c the Pair

Such charmingly pretty curtains and superb qualities should not be sold for so little, even in this time when room is of more consequence than profit; but that is the edict from headquarters, so these splendid curtains, 3 1/4 yards long and full width, made to sell for \$2.00 each, sell for, pair... 98c.

TWO MILLINERY SPECIALS

Matchless in their bargain worthiness and incomparable in their slightly attractiveness. What woman in Portland is there that cannot use at least one of these offerings, if not both of them, when the price for three days is lowered to this apologetic amount? TRIMMINGS, including wings, pompons, feathers, quills and breasts, exquisitely colored and chosen with the greatest care for their correctness for this season's modes. Regularly they sell for up to \$1.00. Sale price, choice... 19c. VELVET DRESS HATS, extremely modish affairs, modeled after the best designs for the fall and winter styles, constructed of a splendid grade of velvet, embellished with wings, breasts and pompons. Worth \$7.00 to \$8.50. Sale price, choice... \$4.89.

HINMAN IS NAMED ST. JOHNS MAYOR

Veteran and Popular Business Man Is Chosen to Succeed Fred W. Valentins.

ELECTION COMES AS SURPRISE TO PEOPLE

After Consultation of Half Hour Councilmen Vote Unanimously in Hinman's Favor, Ignoring Candidates Previously Mentioned.

Short Hids Department.

Contrary to popular expectation and to the complete surprise of himself, E. W. Hinman, an old soldier and well-known business man, was elected mayor last night by the St. Johns council to succeed Fred W. Valentins. Soon after the council was called to order by Chairman King a motion was made for a long drawn out contest. President King announced that a blind ballot would be taken for mayor. Six bits of paper were written in the hat on each of which was dropped the name, "E. W. Hinman." President King announced the unanimous election of Mr. Hinman. This was quickly and quietly ended a contest that promised a week ago to make additional trouble for the already overburdened municipality of St. Johns. The new mayor is a man of means, proprietor of the Chicago lodging-house and otherwise interested in the welfare

of the peninsula city. Mr. Hinman was formerly a resident of Eugene. He will be sworn into office this afternoon by Recorder Thornlyke. It was said last night that Mayor Valentins' selection by the council met with the unanimous approval of St. Johns' citizens.

Prior to the selection of the mayor the council transacted a large grist of routine business. A report was read from the Portland General Electric company, stating that it had 19.42 miles of wire strung within the city limits. The Pacific States Telephone company reported 66 miles on its lines in the city.

The council voted to return the chemical engine, bought on approval, to the A. G. Long company. The reason given for this action was that the city charter forbade the council to contract debts beyond a certain limit, which had been reached.

Councilman Hewitt created quite a stir by introducing a resolution denouncing a story published in a Portland afternoon paper in which friction between ex-Mayor Valentins and the council was said to be the cause of much of the local strife. The council adopted the resolution of Mr. Hewitt and adopted another demanding a retraction of the story.

When the bids for the construction of the city hall were opened but one bid was submitted, George Walker of Portland offering to do the work for \$14,400, which was \$3,400 in excess of the amount on hand for that purpose. The bid was rejected. The council will either have to have entirely new plans drawn or have the present plans so altered as to come within the \$11,000 city hall appropriation. An earlier attempt to get satisfactory bids failed.

While discussing the reports submitted by the Portland General Electric and the Pacific States Telephone companies, giving the number of miles of wire owned by each within the city limits, it became evident that the council is determined to force the public utility corporations operating there to pay a license fee for the privilege. These corporations have heretofore indicated their intention to resist the payment of such fee.

An urgent recommendation that the bid of the Standard Construction company for a reinforced concrete bridge across Sullivan's gulch at Grand avenue be accepted will be made by a committee from the East Side Improvement association to the executive board this afternoon. At the meeting of the association last evening O. O. Alexander, the engineer of the company, explained the advantages

of such a structure, laying sketches and plans before the property owners present. The lower part of the gulch is reported to have an arch and a steel bridge would need four piers driven to great depth in the mud. In the concrete bridge this difficulty will be circumvented by an arch 160 feet long reaching from the south bank to the level of the O. R. & N. track. It was declared by the engineer that reinforced concrete arches 160 feet long are common in the east, and in Germany, where this material first came into use. The longest concrete arch is 384 feet long.

Dr. C. H. Rafferty and several other members of the association have favored something more substantial than a steel bridge for a long time, and will plainly tell the executive board that it is a concrete bridge they want. W. L. Boise, H. H. Newhall, F. S. Fields and Dr. C. H. Rafferty will call on the board. The bid of the Standard Construction company is \$25,000, while the lowest of the six bids for a steel bridge is \$61,375. It is possible that the executive board will reach a decision and award the contract for the bridge this afternoon. If that is done the scores of different controversies over a Sullivan's gulch bridge which have been going on for years will be ended for a time. It is the hope of property owners in the vicinity that a bridge may be constructed at Union avenue, one block away, soon after the Grand avenue structure is completed.

The street railway company has abandoned its franchise on Grand avenue, but with a substantial structure there it is probable that it will ask the city for the right to cross that bridge. It is that case the company must pay one fourth of the cost. The O. R. & N. company must also pay its share for the construction of a bridge over its right of way. W. L. Boise, H. H. Newhall, Dr. C. H. Rafferty and others expressed the hope that the mayor would not veto the East Side Improvement association's plan. ABSCESSES, with few exceptions, are indicative of constipation or debility. W. H. Harrison, Cleveland, Miss., writes, Aug. 15, 1926: "I want to say a word of praise for Ballard's Snow Liniment. I stepped on a nail, which caused the cords in my leg to contract and an abscess to rise in my knee, and the doctor told me that I would have a stiff leg, so I bought a bottle of J. F. Lord's Snow Liniment, and I am cured by it. I am now in Denver, Col." He recommended a bottle of Snow Liniment; I got a 10c size, and cured by it. It is the best liniment in the world. Sold by Woodard, Clarke & Co.

SEVEN ILL WITH TYPHOID FEVER

Sisters in St. Mary's Institute at Beaverton Suffering From Dread Disease. IMPURE WELL WATER BELIEVED THE CAUSE

Samples Will Be Analyzed Immediately by Dr. Matson, State Bacteriologist—No Cases Reported Among Children in the School.

Seven sisters of St. Mary's institute, which has charge of the orphanage at Beaverton, have been stricken with typhoid fever and are seriously ill. Impure well water is believed to be the cause. The cases have been reported to the health officer of Washington county and by him to the state board of health. Samples of the water which has been used at the orphanage are expected to arrive today and they will at once be analyzed by Dr. Matson, state bacteriologist. The institution is a boys' orphanage, but no cases of typhoid among the children have yet been reported. The sisters who conduct the orphanage also have in charge the girls' school at St. Mary's, a station on the west side line, not far from Beaverton. They form a local order called the Sisters of St. Mary's institute.

CLOSE OF BEACH SEASON

Steamer Potter Makes Last Trip West Saturday. Saturday, September 18, the popular excursion steamer T. J. Potter will make her last trip of the season to North Beach point. An exceptionally low rate of 12 has been made for the round trip, and tickets will continue on sale at this rate until September 20, with a final limit of October 15. The T. J. Potter will leave Ash street dock as follows: September 18, 9:30 a. m.; September 19, 11 noon. From Ilwaco: September 12, 1 a. m.; September 14, 1 a. m.; September 14, 7:30 p. m. Tickets at O. R. & N. ticket office, Third and Washington streets.

Hansen Residence Burns

Eugene, Or., Sept. 17.—The farm residence of Frank Hansen, an Spencer creek, seven miles southwest of Eugene, was destroyed by fire Monday together with all its contents. The loss is over \$1,500 with no insurance.

For good bread let this name be indelibly stamped upon your mind

BUTTER-NUT

Ask for it at your grocers and accept no other

The wells and all kinds of infection will thus be carried down into the water. Taking the usual figures for the value of a person's time and for the value of his life out short by death or sickness, it is estimated that the water has lost \$180,000 this year through typhoid fever. All over Lane county typhoid fever has been reported. During last month there were 30 cases and one death.

WILL ASK ADOPTION OF NEW HEALTH RULES

An official request that the Portland school directors adopt the sanitary regulations and suggestions of the Chicago schools will soon be made by the board of health on the board of education. Dr. Wheeler, city health officer, was ready to appear before the directors yesterday afternoon, but they were up to their eyes in the controversy over the unfilled schoolhouses and the sanitary conditions. Monday evening at the regular meeting he was unable to be present. The rules of the Chicago schools go into the details of a pupil's daily life. He is not allowed to wear gum or candy and pencils must not be exchanged. The teachers must see that the child is more or less clean before he joins his class.

Harvest Festival Tomorrow

A grand harvest festival will be held at the Salvation Army hall, 288 Davis street, tomorrow evening. There will be special music and a program and also an auction sale of contributions which have been made to the army by merchants and others. Clothing, groceries and a little of everything will be disposed of to the highest bidder. "Dr. Thayer's" Health Oil is the best remedy for that annoying little ailment, our family oil. It is the only one that is safe for the whole family. It is the only one that is safe for the whole family. It is the only one that is safe for the whole family.