

SEARCHER FOR TRUTH SACRIFICED HIS LIFE

Late J. H. Fisk Went on Pilgrimage to Syria to Learn From Abdul-Baha Abbas New "Thought" Presented by the Persian Leader.

J. H. Fisk, who recently died in a hospital in Naples, might by his co-religionists be considered a martyr to his cause. It was formerly Mr. Fisk's boast that he was a slave to no religion, and he professed disbelief in Christianity openly.

About a year ago he became interested in a new "thought" presented by a Persian leader, and so fully did it enlist his sympathies and so determined was he to learn the truth that he started on a pilgrimage to Syria, where the leader, Abdul-Baha Abbas, is in exile.

There, after months of association with the great teacher, he was taken ill in a little hospital and was ministered to every day by the teacher. As he regained part of his strength he started home, and in Naples had a relapse and died there in a hospital.

Teachings Interesting.

The teachings of Abdul-Baha are interesting, so it is said, in that they do not conflict with any other religion. A year or more ago a man by the name of Fitzgerald came to Portland and explained the teachings of the Persian master. He gathered a company of some 24 believers, who meet every Friday evening at 833 Yamhill street. Fitzgerald claims for Abdul-Baha that he is the second appearance of the Messiah, and the Persian is greeted by the names bestowed on the Christ of the Bible.

The epitome of his teachings is divine unity between God and man, which manifests itself in the brotherhood of mankind. This is being brought about, he teaches, not by attacking the different religions, but by confirming them and showing that this new revelation is but another outpouring of the divine truth which in different epochs has appeared in different forms of belief. Heaven and hell, he believes, are conditions of the soul.

In 1844 there appeared a teacher in Persia calling himself "Bab," meaning door or gate, who proclaimed himself the forerunner of another. After six years he was martyred by the Mohammedians for heresy. Shortly after Baha Ullah appeared as the one whose coming he had foretold. He was exiled to Turkey, and later to Acre, in Syria. He died there, and declared that his mantle should fall on his son, Abbas Effendi, who has since been known as Abdul-Baha Abbas, or Abbas, the servant of God.

There was nothing of the lowly about his coming for he lives in wealth and luxury, and from all over the world receives emissaries from the "assemblies" who follow his teachings and shower him with costly gifts.

Work Heavy Gifts Abound.

Mr. Fisk carried from the Portland assembly many gifts and letters of greeting, and one gift from his little granddaughter was sent to the children of Abdul-Baha's household and brought forth a beautiful letter from the "master" to the child.

The believers hold that Baha Ullah, from whom the believers take their name, Bahais, is the central point about which the movement centers itself, even though the revelation has come through three teachers. The same spirit of divinity is supposed to fire them all.

A point of interest is that the Killers, a well-known sect in New York years ago, set the date of the second appearance of the Messiah on the same day which later turned out to herald the birth of the Persian teacher. The Bahais claim therefore that the Killers started with divine inspiration, but were sidetracked in the wrong direction.

FAMOUS HOOD RIVER ORCHARDS SCORE ANOTHER GREAT VICTORY

Oregon apples, the product of the famous Hood River orchards, have scored another victory and at the same time added to the generous advertising which the fruit has given to the state.

From faraway England a few days ago came a request for trees, such as are given the famous Hood River orchards in international fame. The request followed the eating of some of the delicious fruit which had been shipped all the way across the Atlantic to meet the fastidious appetites of British subjects.

A number of weeks ago Frederick Egbert, of the shoe firm of Egbert-Young and company and owner of the Egbert orchard at Hood River, shipped a consignment of Spitzenberg and Jonathan apples to England. Between the layers of fruit were mat sheets with the firm's name stamped upon them.

Soon after the big red apples reached their destination Mr. Egbert received a letter from a man in England. The

letter asked that some small apple trees be sent him that would raise the same kind of delicious fruit, expressing the fear, however, that the trees might not do so well on the British isle.

The little trees were shipped and last week word came back that the trees were flourishing and that within a few years the new owner expected to raise Hood River fruit in England.

Another letter was received by Mr. Egbert from a young lady in Edinburgh, Scotland, at about the same time. She wrote that any country which could produce such excellent fruit as she had just eaten must necessarily be a fine place in which to live and she asked if there were means of livelihood for her in the famous apple country. This letter was also answered in an encouraging manner, and it is not improbable that within a short time, Hood River will add one more to its rapidly growing population as a result of this shipment of its estimable products.

EAST OREGONIANS STORING UP FUEL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pendleton, Or., June 29.—Wood dealers in the Blue Mountain district are not fearing a wood famine this fall. They gave as their reason the fact that nearly everyone is fearing a shortage of fuel, and many are laying in supplies of wood and coal this summer. About four or five carloads are being shipped from Meschan and Kamet, at the summit of the mountains, daily and much inferior wood is also being sold.

The dealers claim it is impossible to

Wasco Tribe's Officers.

The Dalles, Or., June 29.—Wasco tribe, No. 16, I. O. R. M., has elected the following officers for the six months beginning July 1: Charles Bohner, sachem; E. L. Nelson, senior sagamore; Matt Schoren, junior sagamore; John Mitchell, chief of records; Frank Menefee, keeper of wampum; A. Kauffman, prophet; Nick Blaser, delegate to the great council; Matt Schoren, alternate.

PRESIDENT STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.



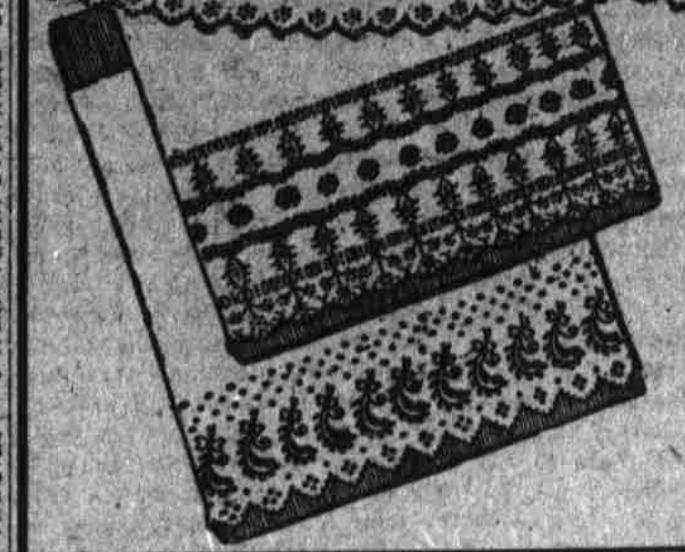
Miss Aphie L. Dimick, who is president of the Oregon State Teachers' association, which meets at Salem this week, is one of the foremost educators in the state. She was graduated from St. Mary's Academy in 1873, and since that time has taught constantly and all the time in the Portland schools except for a three months term in a country school to meet the requirements of experience needed to get into the Portland schools. She is a prominent member of the First Unitarian church, and has for many years been president of the St. Mary's Alumnae association.

Miss Dimick began her work with the infant class at the Harrison street school. She was promoted for each successive year for six years, and in 1888 became assistant principal of the Park school. She is now principal of the Brookline school. She is a prominent member of the First Unitarian church, and has for many years been president of the St. Mary's Alumnae association.

Cipman, Wolfe & Co.

Good Merchandise Only—Quality Considered Our Prices Are Always the Lowest.

Sale of High Class Embroideries



100,000 yards of high-class Embroidery for this big, sensational sale—not the kind that is usually bought for sale purposes, but broken sets taken from our regular stock. In some instances we have two widths to match and often insertion to match, but not any full sets, therefore these immense reductions in prices. Dainty embroideries of every description for undermuslins, lingerie dresses, infants' and children's wear, etc.; newest and choicest patterns, from regular stock, reduced as follows:

- Vals. to \$1.00 for 37c
- Vals. to \$1.50 for 47c
- Vals. to \$2.00 for 67c
- Vals. to \$2.50 for 78c
- Vals. to 25c for 12c
- Vals. to 40c for 19c
- Vals. to 75c for 25c

All Parasols Reduced

Every Parasol in our superb stock reduced for this great sale, including white linen, white taffeta, embroidered styles, eyelet work and plain hemstitched, colored taffetas of every description; solid colors, plaids, checks, stripes and dots.

White Linen Parasols with embroidery edge and insertion, regular \$1.50 values, for only **95c**

White embroidered Linen Parasols, with one and two rows embroidered, natural wood and enameled handles; regular \$3.50 and **\$1.95** values, for only **\$2.75**

White eyelet embroidered Linen Parasols, very nobby effects; regular \$4 and \$5 values, for only **\$2.75**

Special Purchase Sale of Valenciennes Laces

10,000 Dozen—120,000 Yds.—1-2 to 3 Inches Wide at Half Price

This great money-saving Lace event is made possible by the purchase through our New York establishment of the entire surplus stock of one of the largest wholesale houses in New York, importing direct from the lace centers of Europe. The entire assortment is placed on sale Monday at a mere fraction of its value.

- French and German Val. Laces and Insertions, 1/4 to 1-inch wide, values to 50c dozen.
- French and German Val. Laces and Insertions, 1/4 to 1 1/4 inches wide, values to \$1.00 dozen.
- French and German Val. Lace and Insertion, 1 to 2 inches wide, very fine and exquisitely conceived patterns, values to \$2.00.
- French and German Val. Lace and Insertion, 1 to 3 inches wide, extraordinarily beautiful and exclusive designs, very fine.

Last of Our Great SUIT SALES

60 Tailored Suits

Values to \$40 at \$9.75

Last sale of the season, cleaning out our summer Tailored Suits at far below cost of materials alone. Just 60 Suits in this lot of new summer Suits in pony, Eton and jacket styles, made of black and colored Panama cloth and fancy suitings. The skirts are made in the newest plaited styles. A great opportunity to buy a stylish and serviceable suit for less than cost of making, to say nothing of the materials. Sold regularly up to \$40.00. Monday sale **\$9.75** price.

See big corner window display—None C. O. D. or on approval

250 Lingerie Waists—Values to \$2.25 for 98c

While they last Monday, 250 White Lingerie Waists that will create a veritable buying sensation when the full significance of this great offer becomes known. Made of white lawn, some with embroidered and insertion fronts, others with Maltese lace and pretty medallions and varied styles that are exquisitely dainty. Whatever waist you select, you secure values that cannot be duplicated elsewhere for less than double our sale price. Sold regularly to **\$2.25 Monday..... 98c**

None on Approval, No Phone Orders. See Window Display.

Annual Vacation Sale Suitcases and Bags

- New Straw Suit Cases, very light and durable, shirtfold, patent locks and bolts, extra well made, 24 and 26-inch size; regular \$4.00 values, **\$2.98** for only
- New Straw Suit Cases, hand-woven, some with straps, with shirtfold, patent locks and catches, \$5.50 values, for only **\$4.19**
- Straw Suit Cases, extra large, with straps all around, shirtfold, patent locks and catches, leather sides, \$7.50 values **\$5.48**
- Pegmoid Leather Suit Cases, shirtfold, patent locks and bolts, 24 to 36-inch, light and dark shades, special **\$1.59**
- Cowhide Suit Cases, with straps, shirtfold, patent lock, extra heavy canvas, \$9.00 values, **\$6.98** for only
- Solid Cowhide Suit Cases, with shirtfold, straps all around, patent locks, extra well made, \$12.50 values, **\$8.98** for only
- Leather Hand Grips, with patent locks and well made, \$2.50 **\$1.48** value for
- Leather Grips, 16-inch, with patent locks, etc., \$3.50 values for **\$2.19** only
- Straw Grips, very light and waterproof, leather sides, fancy linen lined, 14, 16 and 18-inch sizes, for only **\$3.97**
- Imitation Alligator Grips, with patent locks and catches, 16-inch size **\$1.00**
- Solid Cowhide Grips, dark or light shade, 14-inch size, leather lined, \$7.00 values for **\$5.23**

Hammocks at \$1.29

Heavy fishnet hand-woven Hammocks, just the hammock for camping or outing, remarkable value at our **\$1.29** Monday sale

Also fancy woven double twine Hammocks, with spreader, valance and upholstered pillows, in light or dark colors, as follows:

- Reg. \$3.00 Hammocks; Special **\$2.39**
- Reg. \$2.00 Hammocks; Special **\$1.59**
- Reg. \$1.25 Hammocks; Special **98c**
- \$1.75 Comforters at \$1.39**

500 Silkoline Comforters, filled with good quality white laminated cotton, covered with pretty silkoline.

MAIL AND PHONE IN JOSEPHINE COUNTY

Four Free Mail Routes Give Daily Service Practically to All Phones Everywhere.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Grants Pass, Or., June 29.—Josephine county now has four rural mail routes. Two have been in service for the past year, one covering the Jump-Off-Joe and Louse creek sections, from Grants Pass, and the other the Rogue River country below the city. The two new routes established will cover practically all the remaining settled portion of the county. One of these routes will be in the Illinois valley, from Kerby to Holland, and the other on Applegate river, from Murphy. The Illinois valley route will force the abandonment of the post-offices at Holland and Althouse and the latter being practically the same as that of the rural mail.

Extra special values in camp and cottage supplies Monday and Tuesday. Lace curtains, comforters, blankets, towels, table linens, as well as all summer wash goods, parasols, linen suits, skirts, muslin underwear, waists, corsets and gloves at tremendous reductions. By all means get our prices before you buy. McAllen & McDonnell.

PENDELETON ACADEMY ELECTS MISS INGRAM

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pendleton, Oregon, June 29.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the board of trustees of Pendleton academy, Miss Elizabeth D. Ingram of Washington Agricultural college at Pullman, was elected teacher of domestic science for the ensuing year. Miss Ingram comes highly recommended.

PENDELETON BANK'S CAPITAL INCREASE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pendleton, Or., June 29.—The increased capitalization of the First National bank will go into effect July 1, the increase being from \$70,000 to \$200,000. The action has been approved by the comptroller of currency. This increase is declared to be in accord with the volume of business transacted. Besides giving the bank a much better standing it gives the local stockholders a larger percentage of the stock. With the new regime one entirely new stockholder comes in with a substantial holding. This is G. M. Rice, cashier of the bank.

GREAT SPECIAL SALE.

Camp and Cottage Supplies at Reduced Prices.

Why Not Travel?
Why not go east while the rates are low? Cheaper to travel than to remain at home. A trip via the Canadian Pacific can be made with comfort and safety. No dust across the continent route.

Just Arrived BY EXPRESS

Tan and Patent Pumps

Champagne Kid Oxfords, Blue and Pink Canvas, Oxfords to match your gown.

\$3.50 & \$4

The style shop that proves

Marks Shoe Co.

291 Morrison St., near Fifth

A Genuine Millinery Sale

AT LE PALAIS ROYAL

Now going on. The quality of our goods is too well known to the ladies of Portland to require any recommendation. All trimmed and untrimmed Hats, Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons, Braids, etc., are included in this sale.

Lot 1—\$35.00 Hats at... \$18.75	Lot 7—\$8.50 Hats at... \$3.95
Lot 2—\$25.00 Hats at... \$11.95	Lot 8—\$6.50 Hats at... \$3.95
Lot 3—\$20.00 Hats at... \$9.95	Lot 9—\$4.00 Hats at... \$1.95
Lot 4—\$15.00 Hats at... \$6.95	Lot 10—\$2.00 Hats at... 98c
Lot 5—\$12.50 Hats at... \$5.95	Lot 11—\$1.50 Hats at... 69c
Lot 6—\$10.00 Hats at... \$4.95	Lot 12—\$1.00 Hats at... 49c

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