James Steel of Portland Secures Franchise From City Council.

(Special Disputch to The Journal.) Albany, Or., Aug. 15.—James Steel of Portland, a brother of the State Treasurer, has been granted a franchise by urer, has been granted a franchise by the city council to construct a gas plant. Within the city of Albany. The charge is not to exceed 7s cents per thousand. It is stipulated that should the city see fit to purchase the plant within five years from the date of its building and introduction, the holder of the franchise will be obliged to sell to the city.

Mr. Steel agrees to have the plant in operation by the first of December, and says that the introduction of gas for heating and light will greatly lessen the cost of fuel and have a tendency to lower the prices paid for heating purposes.

IMMUNITY BATH FOR HARRIMAN AND ALTON

Magnete Cannot Be Criminally Prosecuted as Contemplated

by Landis.

(Journal Special Service.)

New York, Aug. 15 .- The Chicago & Alton Railroad company and E. H. Harriman are immune from federal prosecution for rebating, directed to be brought by Judge J. K. Landis, when he imposed the fine of \$29,240,000 upon the

Imposed the fine of \$29,740,000 upon the Standard Oil company.

In directing the district attorney at Chicago to place the evidence against the Alton railroad before a special grand jury, Judge Landis acted without knowledge of a deal made by the department of justice with the Alton. Judge Landis, of course, placed the prosecuting branch of the federal service in an embarrassing position. Explanation of the failure to proceed becoming necessary, an authoritative that facts has been made coming necessary, an authoritative statement of the facts has been made

public.

Former District Attorney Morrisson, of Chicago, now employed by the government as special counsel in the St. Louis case against the Standard Olicompany, prepared the rebating suits in Chicago which resulted in the big fine. In order to get from the Alton evidence he considered necessary, Mr. Morrisson, with the approval of former Attorney General William H. Moody, guaranteed the Alton corporation and its efficers immunity from prosecution upon any evidence used upon the Standard Oll. Acting upon advice the Alton furnished the government with its most valuable evidence at the trial of the Standard Oil company in Chicago.

When Judge Landis ordered that the Alton be brought to bar, the latter's counsel called the attention of the department of justice to the promise of immunity.

Attorney General C. J. Bonaparte has

partment of justice to the promise of immunity.

Attorney General C. J. Bonaparte has locked into the facts and the promise was made in good faith. The promise of immunity is regarded by the government officers here as unfortunate, as it prevents an opportunity of going after Harriman.

CRISIS OF STRIKE

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ployers are practically helpless. The companies, however, refuse to recede from their position, and the strikers declare that they are not anxious to re-

clare that they are not anxious to return to work.

Comparatively few of the strikers are unemployed now. Many of them have seff the city and are working at different trades throughout the state, while others have secured positions in the city, pending the settlement of the strike.

Efforts are being made by the Western Union and Postal companies to handle their business over the wires of the telephone company. Relay men working for the telephone people threaten to strike at 6 o'clock this evening unless these efforts are discontinued at once. The relay men make the connections for all calls, and in the event they strike communication with the outside world will be entirely out off from Chicago.

(Journal Special Service.)

New York, Aug. 15.—"So far as we are concerned the strike is over," said Colonel Robert C. Clowry, president and general manager of the Western Union Telegraph company, today. The official explained that the strikers had been discharged and that their places are being permanently filled by non-union men. Officials of both companies declare they have the strikers heaten. union men. Officials of both companies declare they have the strikers beaten. Strikers here are more confident than ever. They declare that both companies will be forced to recognize the union and believe that President Small will issue a general strike order upon his arrival at Chicago this afternoon. There have been no desertions from the strikers' ranks and most of them have found other employment.

Boston, Aug. 15.—It is probable that the printers in this city will strike tomeht unless the newspapers refuse to hah as messages sent over Western Union and Postal wires. A conference is being held now and the result will be known some time this afternoon.

Members of the telegraphers' organisation have asked the typographical union to forbid its members from setting up copy which comes over the telegraph wires manned by non-union operators. Many of the printers are in favor of such a move, although it is hard to tell whether the balance of power lies with this faction or not.

ASCERTAINING VALUES OF SPOKANE ROADS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Spokane, Wash., Aug. 15.—The state
is gathering data for the purpose of
establishing the value held by the railroads in Spokane county.

The following persons are in attendance at the conference, which is being held at the chamber of commerce
rooms: Commissioners Fairchild, Lawrence and Jones, Secretary J. Will Lysons, Stenographer W. L. Fenstermacher and Assistant Attorney General A. J.
Falknor. The Northern Pacific and the
Great Northern are represented by
Judge Merritt and J. Gordon and the
O. R. & N. by A. C. Spencer of Portland. Experts put the holdings of the roads here at \$7,577,797.04.

AGE AND BEAUTY

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completed to have the ceremony per-formed immediately upon the arrival of Miss Deu Pree, and the latter was es-corted to the Buckingham as soon as she alighted from the train. The Rev. E. M. Hill, pastor of the Taylor Street Methodist church, officiated at the wed-ding, which was witnessed by Miss Ethel Deu Pree, a sister of the bride, who came west with her, the latter's aunt, auss Ortha Markley, and Mrs.

Boasts of His Merve. Nelson and his bride intend to remain in Portland for a time at least to bear out the brunt of any future scandal which may arise. Nelson says he has a truer eye and a steadier hand than any man in Oregon and tells with extreme pride of his expert shooting which, he says he may have occasion to bring into play again.

Today notification was served on the

LEWISTON WILL PAVE TTS BUSINESS STREETS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Lewiston, Ida., Aug. 15 .- City Engieer Guilland will tonight present estimates of the cost of paving the business mates of the cost of paving the business district of the city to the city council. The specifications will provide for pavement with either bitulithic, asphalt or vitrified brick, as may be selected by the council. Based upon the bitulithic estimates, the contract will mean an expenditure of at least \$165,000, while the asphalt would cost about the same. The brick paving would cost \$227,000, but is claimed to be of longer durability than either of the others. It is expected

PLEAD FOR CANTEEN

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Bricks for New Asylum.

Origno, Ida., Aug. 18.—Three hundred thousand brick have recently been burned here for the new insane asylum buildings, to be erected here by the state at an early date. The foundations for the new structures have been laid and work will begin as soon as men can be employed to do the work. On secount of the big harvest and so much railroad work going on, workmen are scarce at the present time.

Leading East Side Department Store CORNER GRAND AVENUE AND EAST ALDER STREET

In Less Than Three **Weeks We Will Remove** to Our New Store

At the Southeast Corner of Union Ave. and East Morrison St.

REMOVAL SALE

With Cut Prices in Every Department

ADVANCE STYLES Black Panama Dress Skirts

At Removal Sale Prices Very swell new Skirts of splendid qualities and workmanship. Splendid \$5 values at..\$3.65 Splendid \$7 values at..\$4.95

Women's \$2.00 White Canvas Oxfords \$1.19

Very fine turned sole, plain toe Oxfords, finest material, large

Percale Wrappers \$1.50 Values at 95c

Choice of any \$1.25 or \$1.50 Percale Wrappers at 95¢

50c Bleached Table

Linen 37c Full bleached Table Linen, 58 inches wide, handsome new "Monarch" \$1.00 Golf Shirts 78c

Monarch and Standard \$1.00 Golf Shirts all go at this price. All splendid new patterns.

Men's Best \$2.50 Stiff and Soft Hats at \$1.68

Black and Colored Soft Hats and Black Stiff Hats. This season's choicest styles.

Men's 75c Negligee Shirts 39c

Choice new light patterns in Men's Soft Collar Shirts.

Boys' \$1.00, \$1.25 Canvas Shoes at 75c

Sizes up to 5, good Canvas Lace Shoes with leather soles.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children-Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea-The Mother's Friend.

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Greatest Value-Giving Sales!

7c Dress Binding 3c Yard

Valveteen Dress Binding in all the best shades, both plain and corded; usual 70 grade—3C specially priced, BARGAIN 3C FRIDAY, at.



5c Tar Scap at 25c Cake

sold at to a cake—spe-cially priced, BAR- 2%C GAIN FRIDAY, at.... 2%C

405th BARGAIN FRIDAY

Thousands of Dollars Worth of Bright, New Merchandise At a Fourth, a Third or a Half Below Its Real Worth!

The people of Portland and vicinity are learning to know these Bargain Friday Sales, and the selling this year so far has nearly doubled the selling of a year ago. Portland people are as thrifty as other folks—they want to get as much as possible for their money, but they don't want trash at any price. Our Bargain Friday Specials are always GOOD MERCHANDISE UNDER VALUE, and this fact has never been better illustrated than right now by the splendid merchandise offered at such great savings in cost.

No One Familiar With Current City Prices Can Ignore Our Irresistible Friday Offerings

Another Great Sale in the SUIT ROOM

A great sale because the quantity involved is enormous; the qualities and styles the very best, the prices decidedly in your fa-vor. Therefore this event should and will prove of absorbing interest to all knowing, economical and particular women. THESE ITEMS WILL STAND THE KEENEST SHOPPERS' TEST FOR QUALITY

Children's Hats, 50c and 65c Values for 25¢

To close out entire stock of children's headwear we will offer tomorrow, Friday, choice of any hat in the house, including Duck and Linen Sailors, Tams and Yachting Caps; formerly sold at 50c and 25c

Sunbonnets, 25c Grades, for 15¢ These are Blan's Bonnets, which are the best made. Choice of all the best colors and all sizes for women, misses and children. Bargain Friday only..... 15c Lawn Kimonos, \$1.00 Values, for 68¢ These are full length Kimonos made from extra fine lawn in pink, blue, white and layender, with large floral designs. These are the best \$1.00 garments we have ever offered. Bargain Friday only.. 68c Sateen Petticoats, 85c and \$1.00 Values for 69¢

For Bargain Friday only we will offer ten dozen Petticoats made from good quality black sateen, having 9-inch flounce, fin-ished with small ruffle and fagoting. 69c Children's Bathing Suits, \$1.75 Values for \$1.00

Four dozen only for tomorrow's selling.

These Suits are made from good quality serge and neatly trimmed with several rows of narrow braid. All sizes from 6 to 14 years. Bargain Friday only 1100 at.....\$1.00 Shirtwaist Suits, \$3.50 and \$4 Values for \$1.98

These are two-piece Suits, made from fig-ured percale and white lawns. The skirts have deep flounces trimmed with embroidery insertion. Choice while Lawn Shirtwaists, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Values, for 85¢ Several styles of pretty white lawn Waists will be offered tomorrow, "Bargain Friday," at considerable reduction from regular price. Most of these waists are trimmed with all-over embroidery, insertion or laces.
Others are neat tailored effects.
85c

Another Great Sale of Sample Curtain Ends Three Lots to Choose From At 25c At 35c At 45c

We have just received another shipment of Sample Curtain Ends from one of the best known manufacturers in the country. These Curtain Ends are sample patterns of the new fall designs sent to us by the maker, from which we select our regular stock. They come from 134 to 2 yards long and from 42 to 60 inches wide, in both white and ecru; are most desirable for small windows, panels, glass doors, transoms, etc. Full size curtains of the same quality and designs would sell in the regular way at \$4.00 a pair. Tomorrow, Bargain Friday, you have choice of 25c three lots at, each, 45¢, 85¢ and... 25c

Women's Lace Lisle Stockings Reg. 25c and 35c Grades Friday Only at

(SEE WINDOW DISPLAY)

This Unmatchable Stocking Offering Will Heighten the Enthusiasm of Fri-day's Bargain Selling.

We've been selling two unusually fine grades of Women's Fine Lisle Lace Stockings at the unusually low prices of 25c and 35c a pair. Friday morning a lot of these, only about 150 dozen, will go on sale at 12½ a pair.

The stockings are of fine Lisle Thread, absolutely fast black, seasonable weights in a great variety of pretty up-to-date

lace patterns; come in all sizes, extra good values at regular prices. All to go at one price—Bargain Friday, while they 12½0

Immense Clearance Sale of Women's and Children's Knit Underw'r and Hosiery

In order to make room for our enormous stock of Winter Weight Hosiery and Underwear, which is arriving daily, we must close out our entire stock of summer goods at once, to do this we are offering many extraordinary values. These great reduc-tions for Bargain Friday will insure speedy clearance. Come tomorrow, let us help you to save money.

WOMEN'S STOCKINGS, OPER LENGTH-BEST 75c VALUES 18¢. Tomorrow we place on sale for the first time a special underpriced purchase of Women's Opera Length Stockings in colors, black, pink and blue; also black lace effects, made to sell regularly at 75c pair; especially priced for Bargain Friday 18c

WOMEN'S PANTS, 35c VALUES 15¢. Special clearance tomorrow—Women's fine Jersey Knit, bleached cotton pants, umbrel-la style, neatly trimmed with Torchon Lace, always sold at 35c. Bargain Friday 15c INFANTS' STOCKINGS, BEST 25c VAL UES AT 10¢.

A special lot of Infants' fine lisle thread Stockings in colors, pink and light blue, reinforced heel and toe, sold everywhere at 25c a pair; specially priced for Bar- 10c CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, BEST 25c VALUES AT 1246.

Half-price is all we ask for these goods tomorrow—Children's fine liste thread Vests and Pants, in all sizes; also fine cotton union suits neatly lace trimmed, all are splendid values at 25c; specially priced for Bargain Friday at..... 122c WOMEN'S VESTS, 25c VALUES, 121/4 Tomorrow you can buy Women's Sleeve-less Vests, fine Jersey ribbed, full bleached nicely trimmed yokes, best 25c values; special tomorrow, Bargain Friday, 122c at........

Reduced Prices Tomorrow

Dress Goods and Silks

These offerings comprise many belated lots of summer goods. They are all fresh and clean and all in just as good styles as the new goods now arriving for fall and winter trade. But they must move and give their successors the room they occupy. And successors the room they occupy. And there is no time to be lost, either. The new arrivals are already clamoring for proper recognition. Prices have been reduced like this:

WASH PONGEE—Reg. 65c Values; Special at 89¢—American pongee, full 32 inches wide, in natural color; specially priced for this sale.

NOVELTY PONGEE—Reg. 50c Values; Special at 196—Novelty pongee, full 27 inches wide, comes in black, cream, cardinal and brown; a great value at this price. TAFFETA SPECIAL—Just one thousand yards of Swiss finished black taffeta, full 19 inches wide, with deep rich finish, guaranteed pure silk. Specially priced 48c for our Bargain Friday Sale at..... NOVELTY SUITING—Reg. 65c Values; Special at 25c—Novelty suiting, full 36-38 inches wide, in a large assortment of checks and colors, fully half wool. Specially priced for this sale.

MOHAIR SICILIAN—Reg. 75c Values; Special at 48¢—Mohair Sicilian, full 50 inches wide, warranted pure mohair, high lustre, comes in different shades of red, blue, green, brown, grey and black; a great special at this price.

COLORED CHALLIES—Reg. 40c Values; Special at 25¢—Challies full 28 inches wide in a great assortment of small dainty pat-terns in good fast colors; specially priced for this sale.

CREAM SERGE-Cream colored storm serge, full 38 inches wide, made of the finspecially priced for Bargain Friday 58c

MANY GREAT BARGAINS IN THE DOMESTIC SECTION

Friday's Bargain Sale has proven an event that interested hundreds of economical housekeepers, as good values such as we quoted certainly should. For tomorrow we offer splendid values—doubly remark-able in view of the present high prices on all cotton goods—that deserve wide recog-

FINAL CLEARANCE OF WASH GOODS, MARKED REDUCTIONS IN PRICES—15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 35c Values All to Go Friday at 10¢—Hundreds and hundreds of yards, all this season's styles in medium, light and dark colors—French Or-gandies, Silk Mulls, Taffetas, Batistes, Marcelenes, Madras, Voiles, etc., bright, new wash goods; excellent values at our regular prices—15¢, 18¢, 20¢, 25¢ and 35¢ values—marked for immediate clearance. 10c Your choice per yard Friday only...10c Unbleached Muslin, Best & Grade at & About 50 bolts Unbleached Muslin, extra wearing quality, nice soft finish, three-quarter width, splendid value at &c a yard; specially priced Bargain Friday at 6c Huck Towels, Best 121/2c Grade, Se-White Huck Towels of good quality, made with hem end and selvedge edge, finished with fast colored borders, absorbent and durable; best 121/2c grade, Bargain 8c

Extra Special Offerings

Undermuslins, Aprons and Rompers CHILDREN'S ROMPERS-50c GRADE FOR 85%. Just the garment for the little ones to wear during these dusty days. They are made from good quality cheviot in invisible blue checks. All sizes, from 2 to 12 years. Bargain Friday 35c



MUSLIN DRAWERS, 50c VALUES FOR 38¢.

CORSET COVERS, 35c AND 48c QUALITIES FOR 25¢. Greatest bargain of the season-50 dozen to close out tomorrow. There are eight or ten styles to select from; some are trimmed with several rows of lace insertion and edge. Others have embroidery trimmings. These corset covers are perfectly made and of good quality material. Bar-25c gain Friday special......

GINGHAM APRONS, 35c QUALI-TIES FOR 19¢.

Another of those Apron bargains tomorrow. Made from best Amoskaeg
Ginghams in blue and white check;
with wide ruffle all around. The
Gingham off the piece cost considerable more than we ask
you tomorrow for the Apron. 20 dozen only, Friday..... 19c

BARGAINS MEN Tomorrow we offer you these bargains. Will you miss such a chance? These form but a very meagre list—only mentioned as illustrative of how low are the prices generally in this popular section. GLANCE AT THE ITEMS THAT FOLLOW.

Four-in-Hand Ties, Best 35c Grade at 10c Extra special-Men's four-in-hand ties, made

sorted shades of blues, tans, greens, browns and heliotrope; very specially priced for this Men's Kerchiefs, Best 15c Grade 10c Extra special-Men's plain white 'kerchiefs,

French fold and two inches wide; come in as-

hemstitched; made from extra fine quality cross barred cambric. Specially priced for

Men's Bathing Suits, Best \$3 Values \$2.49 Extra special-men's all worsted Bathing Suits, made in two pieces, quarter length sleeve; comes in navy blue with red or white stripes. A great value at this price.

Men's Negligee Shirts, \$2.50 Vals. \$1.98 Extra special—Men's negligee Shirts with soft button down collar and two-button sleeves, cut extra full size, made from the finest quality of mercerized Poplin; come in tan and white; apecially priced for this sale.

Men's Silk Shirts, best \$3.50 Grade \$2.50 Extra special—Men's all-silk Negliges Shirts with button der collars and two-button sleeves; come in cream and white, a gravalue at this price.