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Special lot of 300 hemstitched satin damask Tea Cloths, size 30x36 ins.; very pretty styles; the regular \$2.50 values, go on sale at **\$1.98** special low price of...

1000 large white Marseilles pattern Bedspreads, hemmed, ready for use; marvelous values at, each—take advantage. **\$1.42**

75c Belts 32c Ea.
\$1.50 Women's Hand Bags at 98c

500 women's Leather Belts in black and colors; plain and pleated effects, clasp or harness **32c** buckles, values to 75c, at **32c**

500 women's Leather Handbags, leather handles, fitted with coin purse; seal and walrus leathers; the regular \$1.50 values, go on sale at special, each, **98c**

500 women's Wash Belts, grand clean-up of the entire stock; plain and embroidery effects; all sizes and styles; vals. to 75c **19c**

3000 Yds. Veiling
75c Value 33c Yd.

In the Veiling Department, 5000 yards of high-grade Face Veilings at a wonderfully low price, the yard; fine Tuxedo nets, large and small chenille dots, hairline and Brussels nets; black, white, brown, navy, green, tan, red, lavender, pink and light blue; all new, fashionable veilings, in grand assortment of values, up to 75c the yard; go on sale at this remarkably low **33c** price, the yard.....

French Hand-Made Drawers at \$3.98
French Hand-Made Chemise at \$3.98

Lot 1—French hand-made Drawers, made of best quality Nainsook and Percale, hand-embroidered, scalloped ruffles; also lace-trimmed and hand made tucks; vals. up to \$6.50, for..... **\$3.98**

Women's fine hand-made and hand-embroidered Chemise, trimmed in laces, beading and ribbons; values to \$6.50... **\$3.98**

Regular \$4.00 and \$4.50 French Chemise at... **\$3.98**

All grand values—take advantage of this special sale.

35c Ribbons at 21c Yard
75c Ribbons at 37c Yard

15,000 yards of all-silk Taffeta Ribbons, full five inches wide; black, white, tan, red, pink, blue, brown, navy, mill, etc.; best regular 35c quality, on sale at the exceptionally low price, yard **21c**

5,000 yards of high-class all-silk Ribbons, fancy stripes and Dresden effects; full six inches wide; **37c** best 75c quality at, yard...

10,000 yards of heavy imported French Ribbons in Dresden and warp prints; 1000 pieces all new patterns and colors; anticipate your Christmas wants; regular 75c values at, the yard... **50c**

Men's Shirts at 79c

In the Men's Furnishings Section for the great 50th Anniversary Sale a marvelous offering of men's handsome white Pleated Shirts of the highest grade—3000 of them, bought from the International Shirt Co. at a great concession from the regular prices. A beautiful assortment of styles. White pleated Tuxedo Shirts, pleated Full Dress Shirts, Pleated Neglige Shirts— $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{3}{4}$ and 1-inch pleats; corded pleats, box pleats, knife pleats. The greatest values ever known in men's Shirts of equal style and quality; all sizes from 14 to 18 inclusive; economical men will buy a liberal stock of them; regular \$2 values, buy all you want of them at this marvelously low price; all well-made and finished and perfect fitting; **79c** your choice at, each.....

Men's and Women's New Coat Sweaters \$3.50 Vals. \$2.69

In the Men's Furnishing Goods Department, a great special lot of women's and men's fine quality Coat Sweaters, in solid colors of red, garnet, white and Oxford; well made, perfect fitting, large pearl buttons, all sizes; best regular \$3.50 values; take your pick **\$2.69** at this low price, each.....

Men's \$1 Underwear, Garment 79c
Vicuna Wool Underwear, Only 85c

Great special lot of men's super-weight natural wool Underwear, soft-finished garments; all sizes in shirts and drawers; finely made and finished; best regular \$1 **79c** values, on sale at.....

Special sale of men's vicuna wool Underwear, in brown; fine quality, all sizes shirts and drawers; value extraordinary, at only the **85c** garment, this sale.....

Men's fine cashmere Sox, in black and Oxford, all sizes; regular **18c** 25c and 35c values, pair....

\$2 Silk Sox for 98c

The men's Hose are also pure silk thread, black, navy blue, green, lavender, tan, brown, gray and red; all sizes; the regular **98c** values, per pair, only.....

5000 Outing Flannel Gowns, \$1.50 to \$2 Values 98c

In the second floor Muslin Underwear Store we place on sale a great special purchase of women's outing flannel Gowns, plain white with pink and blue silk stitching; fancy pink and blue stripes; yoke styles, trimmed in fancy braids and silk stitching; all sizes, great assortments; \$1.50 to \$2 values, go on sale at the remarkably low **98c** price of, the garment.....

Renaissance Scarfs \$2.50-\$4.00 Pieces \$1.48

Special lot of Renaissance Scarfs and Centers, 18x54 inches, 30x36 inches and 36x36 inches; large assortment of pretty and effective patterns; best regular \$2.50 to \$4 values, all go on sale at this special low price of, each **\$1.48**

Sale on Comforters

1000 full size silkline-covered Comforters, filled with white laminated cotton; best patterns and colorings; the greatest comforter value ever offered at this low **\$1.17** price; take advantage

1000 extra heavy satin-covered Comforters, in fancy designs and colorings; best white cotton filling; regular \$4 values, go on sale at this price, each, only **\$3.29** exceptionally low

Bed Pillows, Springs, Mattresses, etc., on sale on the fourth floor. Our prices always the lowest. We are sole Portland agents for "Ostermoor" Elastic Felt Mattresses; sold at factory prices.

Blanket Bargains

500 pairs of white Wool Blankets, with fancy borders, 10-4 size; best \$5.50 values, on sale at this special price, pair **\$4.45**

500 pairs of full-size 11-4 Oregon Wool Blankets, pink and blue borders; regular \$7 values, at this special price **\$5.89**

1000 pairs light gray Blankets, full size, colored borders; \$4 values, special, pair **\$3.45**

1000 pairs of extra large light gray Cotton Blankets, at special price of, pair... **\$1.40**

500 stamped wood Glove Boxes, at each, only... **10c**

300 Pyrographic Outfits on sale at, each... **\$2.25**

All kinds of stamped wood at very low prices.

\$1.75 Embroidery This Sale Only 79c
\$4.50 All-Overs This Sale at \$1.39

2000 yards of corset cover Embroidery Swiss and Nainsook, dainty new designs with lace edge and insertion; grand assortment styles; values up to \$1.75 the yard **79c** on sale at, special, the yard

2000 yards of Swiss and Batiste All-over Embroideries for lingerie waists; new patterns just received; regular values up to \$4.50 the yard, on sale at this special **\$1.39** price, the yard.....

2000 yards of matched sets of Embroidery Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric, for infants' wear, yard: 30c values... **19c** 60c values... **42c** \$1.25 values... **79c**

Anniversary Sale of Bargains in the Drug Sundry Dept.

"Sanitol" Tooth Powder at the low price of... **19c**

"Sanitol" Tooth Paste on special sale at... **19c**

"Sanitol" Face Cream on sale at, special... **19c**

Toilet Soaps—Buttermilk, Turkish Bath and Oatmeal, three cakes in box, for... **10c**

Sachet Envelopes, on special sale at, each... **12c**

Stand Mirrors at this special low price, each... **39c**

Hand Scrub Brushes on sale at, special, each... **3c**

Cloth Brushes at this very low price, each... **39c**

All lines of Drug Sundries, Toilet Articles, Rubber Goods, etc.

\$4 Gloves at \$2.33

Portland Glove Headquarters offers for the great 50th Anniversary Sale 2000 pairs of high-grade kid gloves at the lowest price ever quoted on gloves of equal style and quality—2000 pairs in the lot, every pair perfect—made of the finest skins and full 16-button length—black, white, tans and browns; all sizes, $\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{7}{8}$, and every pair fully guaranteed regular \$4 values, buy all you want of them at this very **\$2.33** low price, per pair....

1000 pairs of 3-clasp overseam Kid Gloves, Paris point stitching, black, white and colors; best \$1.75 values, for this sale only, at **\$1.27** the low price, per pair

40c Tapestry 29c
Sash Material 20c

2000 yards oriental stripe Tapestry, blue, green and red predominating, all new designs; 50 inches wide; best 40c quality, yard **29c**

New printed Casement Cloths and Madras, patterns taken from Scotch and English materials; 36 inches wide; the best 25c values, special at, the yard, only **15c**

Figured grenadine Sash Material, very sheer lacy patterns; borders on both sides, 30 in. wide; regular 35c quality, yard... **20c**

25c brass Extension Rods, ball ends at, each... **15c**

Boys' Suits \$3.15
Young Men's Suits \$15 Values \$10.65

500 of Meier & Frank's boys' School Suits in regular double-breasted or knickerbocker style; ages from 7 to 16 years; made of wool chevrons in neat dark overplaids, plain or fancy stripes; equal to the best regular \$5 values, your choice **\$3.15** at this special price....

Special sale of young men's single and double-breasted Suits in checks and overplaids, chevrons; large variety of patterns and colorings; well tailored, best trimmings, ages 13 to 20 years; \$15 values, at, each... **\$10.65**

\$4.00 and \$4.50 Italian Silk Undervests for \$3.69

Special lot of women's fine embroidered Italian silk Undervests in white, pink and blue; very pretty styles, all sizes; regular \$4 and \$4.50 values, on sale at this very low price, while they last at, only... **\$3.69**

One-third off on all hand-embroidered white Underskirts.

\$7 Silk Petticoats This Sale at \$3.95

Another one of our famous Silk Petticoat bargains is announced—The great 50th Anniversary Sale—1000 of them to be distributed among shrewd buyers in Portland and vicinity at a price that comes far from covering the cost of material alone. Petticoats are made of good quality taffeta silk, accordion pleats and strapped flared flounce and a splendid assortment of colors, black, white, tans, brown, red, green, purple, pink, light blue and changeable colorings; all are well made and finished, and will give equally good service as the much better grades; regular \$6.50 and \$7 **\$3.95** values, special, at....

\$3 Shoes at \$1.98

2000 pairs of women's new fall and winter Shoes to be distributed at a price below manufacturing cost. All new and up-to-date styles just received from one of the largest and best manufacturers in the land; the greatest values in standard shoes you will have the opportunity of buying this year; included will be found lace and button shoes in patent colt skin, Blucher style, dull mat kid tops or the new cloth tops, light or heavy weight soles and Cuban heels, vici kid shoes, lace, button and Blucher styles with patent tips, light weight or extension soles and Cuban heels, all sizes and widths; every pair guaranteed to give satisfactory service in every particular; reg. \$3 values, your **\$1.98** choice, per pair....

Figured Nets, Vals. to \$1.50 for 69c
Appliques, Values to \$4.50 for \$1.69

1000 yards of white and creamy figured Nets for waists and gowns, 45 inches wide; values up to \$1.50 yd., on sale at, yd. **69c**

Baby Irish and Venise Appliques and Medallions, white and cream; best regular values up to **\$1.69** \$4.50 the yd., at, yd.

2000 yards of white, cream and ceru Lace and Venise Galloons and Medallions, $\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches wide; values up to \$1.75 the yard; go on sale at this special low **79c** price, the yard, only.....

500 Pairs Curtains \$9.50 Values for \$4.95

High-class Lace Curtains at about one-half their real value is the third floor offering for the great 50th Anniversary Sale; 500 pairs in the lot; curtain bargains of the greatest importance to every housewife furnishing up or renovating the home. The assortment includes Marie Antoinettes, renaissance, clunys and souchette lace curtains in both white and Arabian; beautiful patterns made in best French nets; Marie Antoinettes with braid borders and garlands of flowers, renaissance in wide or narrow braided effects, also inserting effects with narrow borders; clunys in all latest designs, insertings and edges, also wide edges on a 3-inch hem; widths range from $\frac{2}{3}$ to 3 yards; lace curtains selling regularly at prices ranging from \$8.50 to \$9.50 a pair, your choice at this marvelously **\$4.95** low price, special, pr.

\$1 Flannels 75c Yd.
3000 Yards Eider-downs at 25c Yard

3000 yards of the newest and prettiest Waistings ever shown in the city; beautiful plaids in wonderful variety; styles and quality other stores ask \$1 for, special **75c** values at, the yard.....

3000 yards of double-faced Eiderdown, in stripes and figures, for bath robes, etc., all colors; splen- **25c** dly quality; on sale, yard...

Hundreds of pieces of new fancy Waistings, in plaids, stripes and dots, in the very best colorings; grand assortment and wonderful values, on sale at this popular price, at, the yard... **50c**

Hand-Made Gowns \$12.50 Vals. \$6.68
Hand-Made Gowns \$9.50 Vals. \$5.52

Great sale sample line French hand-made and hand-embroidered Night Gowns, beautiful styles, made with long, round or high-necks; yoke effects of hand-embroidery, also trimmed in Italian and round thread Valenciennes laces; clusters of hand-made tucks, beading and hand-embroidered eyelets drawn with ribbons; magnificent gowns; a special lot sent us by our Paris buyer:

\$10.00 and \$12.50 Gowns at, each, special... **\$6.68**

\$7.50 and \$9.50 Gowns at, each, special... **\$5.52**

Sale Table Linens

Half bleached satin damask Table Linen, very best patterns, 72 inches wide; best regular \$1.00 grades, at special, the yd. **88c**

Bleached satin damask Table Linen, 72-inch, handsome designs; regular \$1.50 quality, special, the yard... **\$1.27**

Bleached double satin damask Table Linen, 72 inches wide; beautiful designs; \$2 quality for, the yard... **\$1.69**

Bleached double satin damask Table Linen, 72 inches wide; regular \$2.50 quality, on sale at, special, the yard... **\$2.10**

Bleached satin damask Table Napkins, the very best patterns, full size; regular \$3.50 /grade, at, dozen... **\$2.98**

Bleached satin damask Table Napkins, handsome designs; best regular \$4.50 values, on sale at, dozen... **\$3.98**

Hemmed all linen Huck Towels, 1000 dozen of them, good size, exceptional value at this low **27c** price, special, each.....

Knotted fringe satin damask Towels, at special price, ea. **18c**

400 dozen good bleached Turkish Bath Towels, the greatest values ever offered at this price, each—take advantage... **18c**

200 dozen hemstitched all linen damask Towels, the best 40c quality, on sale at this unusually low **28c** price, special at, each.....

25c "Rudby" Bath Towels, on sale at low price, each... **18c**

20c H'dkerchs 11c

Women's all linen hand-embroidered Handkerchiefs, unlaundered; best regular 20c values, on sale at this low price, each... **11c**

Women's hand-embroidered unlaundered Initial Handkerchiefs, 12 1/2c values, at, each... **6c**

10,000 Pillow Cases on Sale, 15c Each
5000 Bed Sheets Sale 50c and 69c

10,000 good heavy cotton Pillowslips, size 45x36 inches; by far the best values the market offers, on sale at special low price, ea. **15c**

5000 Bed Sheets, size 66x90 inches and 81x90 inches, reinforced seam through center, good, strong, heavy quality, and exceptional value, on sale at the following **50c** remarkably low price, each...
All grades of Sheets and Pillow Cases sold here at the lowest prices. Take advantage of this showing.

WILL RIP LAND GRANT UP BACK

Federal Attorneys Ram in Testimonial Powder for Effective Charge.

When Assistant United States Attorney D. B. Townsend was shown a dispatch from Washington this morning stating that a report of his investigation of the Southern Pacific land grant would be forwarded to Attorney-General Bonaparte about October 15, he said that he had written to Washington to that effect, but added that at the best it was doubtful whether he would be able to complete his report by that time.

"There are so many details connected with the work," said Mr. Townsend, "that it is impossible to set an exact date when I can finish my report. Assistant Attorney-General McBlair and myself are working away securing data on the land grant and will rush the report as soon as possible."

WEEK OF WARMTH AND SUNSHINE PUT SWEETNESS IN LATE FRUIT

The last few days of warm weather have accomplished great good for the pruner growers and made it possible to gather and dry much more of the big crop grown this year than could otherwise have been saved. Early cold weather or stopped ripening and it was feared a large part of the prunes could not be garnered. Now, however, but 10 days remain until the last of the prunes will be in the dryers and the crop in the lowlands have already been pretty well gathered.

The prune crop has been larger than in other years and the fruit has also been of an especially fine quality. Ripening has been slow and drying necessarily slow on that account.

Grapes are ripening fast and gathering sweetness from the sunshine and the crop promises to be the best in years. At present only Concord are ready for the market, but the others would have been ripe in a few days had the warm weather continued.

The semi-annual meeting of the state board of horticulture will be held Monday, October 14. At that time an estimate of the value of Oregon fruit marketed in this state during the 1907 season, including all kinds of fruit, will be made. The report is in the course of preparation now by H. M. Williamson, secretary of the board, and Wilbur K. Newell, state horticulturist.

Members of the Oregon state board take exception to the figures given out by the Washington officials regarding the valuation of the marketed fruit crop in that state during the last year. The figures state that 2,000,000 crates of small fruit alone were marketed and that the total fruit crop sold this year will approach \$20,000,000. Secretary Williamson characterizes these figures as an effort to boost something after the Seattle methods.

In prosecuting the railway company. All doubt as to the government's intention to take action against the Southern Pacific was dispelled weeks ago by the energetic manner in which Mr. Townsend and Mr. McBlair kept at their work.

It is believed that sufficient evidence has been secured by the officials to make a complete case against the railroad. The manner in which to compel the company to hand back the lands which were granted in 1870, or to compel it to turn them over to settlers at \$2.50 an acre, is the question which has vexed the legal department of the government.

That Mr. Townsend and Mr. McBlair have solved the problem is believed to be true, but neither will divulge the course to be followed by the government. It is certain, however, that it will not be along the plan adopted by A. W. Lafferty, who brought a suit against the company to compel it to sell part of its grant to John L. Snyder, an actual settler on 160 acres in Columbia county.

Since coming to Portland Mr. Townsend has refused to discuss his work for publication and stated this morning that there is too much money involved for a hasty determination of the government's action in its controversy with the company.

In connection with the Southern Pacific grant, Mr. Townsend is still investigating the Coos Bay Wagon Road grant, which Attorney Mtnot of San Francisco commenced work on several months ago in the interest of 100 clients. Mr. Mtnot has practically turned over his case to Mr. Townsend and has aided the government in securing evidence against the owners of the wagon road grant who refuse to sell their land at the rate of \$2.50 an acre.

Larcener Off to the Pen.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Astoria, Or., Sept. 24.—J. H. Walker,

who was recently sentenced by Judge McBride to serve one year in the penitentiary for larceny, started last evening for Salem in charge of Sheriff Pomroy and Guard Max Young.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY ROYAL NEIGHBORS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Joseph, Or., Sept. 24.—At a meeting of the Royal Neighbor lodge the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Oracle, Mrs. W. L. Hewitt; vice oracle, Mrs. A. M. Johnson; past oracle, Mrs. J. C. Dodson; chancellor, Mrs. J. E. Lay; recorder, Mrs. D. H. Mansfield; receiver, Mrs. W. O. Treanor; marshal, Miss Eva Hamilton; assistant marshal, Mrs. Stella Edmond; inner sentinel, Mrs. Myrtle Duncan; manager, W. L. Hewitt; musician, Miss Maude Johnson.

DR. JOHNSON BUYS WHITE SALMON LAND

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Hood River, Or., Sept. 24.—Dr. J. B. Johnson Saturday purchased 300 acres of fruit land near White Salmon which will be cut up into small tracts and sold to parties in Minnesota for the purpose of organizing a colony to develop it. This is the second purchase which Mr. Johnson has made at White Salmon, having bought 300 acres on a former trip there in July.

JASPER JENNINGS IS SET AT LIBERTY

New Trial Ordered, But Witnesses Are Gone and Cost Would Be Great, Hence Dismissed.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Grants Pass, Or., Sept. 24.—Judge Hanna yesterday afternoon dismissed Jasper Jennings from custody. Jasper was convicted of murdering his father two years ago in a cabin near here. The trial was long and expensive to the county. After Jasper's conviction his sister Dora, who has since died, was placed on trial for the same offense but was acquitted. The supreme court ordered a new trial of Jasper on technicalities and his dismissal is due to the fact that many of the witnesses at the former trial have moved away and the expense of a new trial would be enormous. Judge Hanna's action meets with public approval.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bishop left today on a six months' tour of Europe. They will sail from New York and will include Great Britain, Germany, France, Spain and Italy in their itinerary.

WILL IMPROVE FIRE SYSTEM

Chief Campbell Visits Milwaukee and Chicago in His Quest for Tips.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 24.—Fire Chief David Campbell of Portland, Oregon, has just completed a three-days' inspection of the Milwaukee fire system and is now in Chicago, where he will make a similar inspection. Campbell was sent east to make a study of various fire systems in vogue by the Portland city council and he will take in the convention of the International Fire Chiefs' association, which will be held in Washington, D. C., in October.

Campbell expressed himself as well pleased with Milwaukee's system and gained many valuable points which he will introduce into the Portland fire system. He expects to pick up other innovations in different cities and intends placing the best in the system of which he is the head.