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FOR A LIMITED NUMBER OF DAYS I OFFER MY ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S AND BOYS' HIGH-CLASS CLOTHING at an enormous reduction—in many instances GREATLY BELOW COST. This is the first time in the history of this store that I have offered any merchandise BELOW COST. Everyone KNOWS that every statement in my ads is LITERALLY TRUE. It is therefore needless to enlarge upon the subject, or give my reasons. Sufficient to quote prices and reductions. REMEMBER, for a limited time only.

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These Suits are BETTER than any \$65.00 Tailor Suits in Portland.
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\$30.00 SUITS REDUCED TO.....\$20.00
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\$50.00 OVERCOATS REDUCED TO.....\$35.00
Equal to any \$75.00 Tailor Overcoat.
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Equal to any \$60.00 Tailor Overcoat.
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\$30.00 OVERCOATS REDUCED TO.....\$20.00
\$25.00 OVERCOATS REDUCED TO.....\$16.50

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BOYS' \$15.00 OVERCOATS.....\$9.85
BOYS' \$10.00 OVERCOATS.....\$6.35
BOYS' \$8.50 OVERCOATS.....\$5.35
BOYS' \$5.00 OVERCOATS.....\$3.50
BOYS' \$3.95 OVERCOATS.....\$2.50

BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS

Two-Piece Suits—in Plain Knee Pants
BOYS' \$12.50 KNEE PANTS SUITS.....\$7.50
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BOYS' \$7.50 KNEE PANTS SUITS.....\$5.00
BOYS' \$6.50 KNEE PANTS SUITS.....\$4.00
BOYS' \$5.00 KNEE PANTS SUITS.....\$3.50

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EXTRAORDINARY REDUCTIONS ON MISSES' MAN-TAILORED COATS

BEN SELLING LEADING CLOTHIER

ROSEBURG LIGHT PLANT FLOODED

High Water Disables Electric System and Plunges City Into Darkness.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Roseburg, Or., Dec. 26.—Roseburg was in darkness after 11 o'clock last night; the high water flooding the electric light plant and putting it out of commission. The plant is still inundated and it is probable that there will be no electric service for several days. The water is at the highest stage it has reached this season. There was a heavy downpour all night and it is still raining today. It is feared that great damage will be done to the electric plant unless the water recedes soon.

SAILORS ARE WRECKED ON DESERT ISLAND

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Christchurch, N. Z., Dec. 26.—An intensely dramatic story of shipwreck and hardship is told by the crew of the

PUT AWAY PICKLES

Mathematician Figures Out the Food Question.
If anyone requires a clear head it is the teacher of mathematics. He must reason in the abstract as it were, and full concentration of mind is necessary for correct results are to be forthcoming.

An Ohio man writes: "I am a teacher of mathematics and for 15 years prior to four years ago, I either took a lunch composed of cold sandwiches, pickles, etc., to school or hurried home and quickly ate a hot dinner. The result was I went to my afternoon work feeling heavy, dull of brain and generally out of sorts. Finally I learned about Grape-Nuts and began to use it for my noon-day lunch. From the first I experienced a great change for the better. The heavy, unpleasant feeling and the loss of concentration were gone. I was able to work with more ease and vim in my afternoon work, feeling entirely new to me. My brain responded promptly to the requirements put upon it, and what is more important, the results have been lasting and more satisfactory, the longer I have used Grape-Nuts as a food."

"My wife had been suffering from weak stomach accompanied by sick headaches nearly all her life. She is invariably relieved of these when she takes Grape-Nuts, either eaten dry or with milk. Her stomach has gradually grown stronger and her headaches less frequent since she began to eat Grape-Nuts. There's a Reason. Name given by Postum Cok, Battle Creek, Michigan. Read the booklet, 'The Road to Wellville,' in packages."

BRITISH BARK DUNDONALD, WHICH HAS JUST BEEN LANDED HERE, AFTER BEING RESCUED FROM AN UNINHABITED ISLAND OF THE AUCKLAND GROUP, BY A SCIENTIFIC EXPEDITION.

The Dundonald left Sydney on February 7 last for Palmyra, with a cargo of wheat, and was wrecked on March 6 on Disappointment Island. Captain Thorburn, his son and 10 of the crew were drowned, but 16 of the crew managed to scale the steep overhanging cliffs from the top of the bark's masts. The mate, who was one of these, died a few days later from exposure. The men lived on the island for nearly five months, their only food being seabirds, seals and roots. On July 31 they put to sea in a canvas skiff which they constructed from sailcloth, sewing the cloth with bird bones for needles, and shaping the wooden parts with fire. They searched for the government provisions depot on the Auckland Islands, but failed.

LODGEMEN HUNTING FOR NEW MEMBERS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pendleton, Or., Dec. 26.—An active county campaign for membership was started at a meeting of Pendleton camp of the Woodmen of the World last night when the following committees were appointed to assist Organizer A. G. Saunders in securing 300 new members in the county this winter. Thomas Fitzgerald, A. J. Gibson, Dr. L. B. Idleman, W. B. Hale, J. P. Earle, C. A. Cole, Y. Stroble, A. J. Owen, T. Howard, A. J. Lang and A. Zeiske. The six camps in the county are to unite in a monster initiation in this city in February.

RANCHERS TO POISON COYOTES IN OREGON

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pendleton, Or., Dec. 26.—Plans for the coyote-poisoning campaign in January are now complete in this county and not only sheepmen but farmers will join in the poisoning. During the past few years, notwithstanding increased settlement, coyotes have largely increased in the range districts and cause hundreds of thousands of dollars losses in livestock and poultry every year in the eastern Oregon counties. It is hoped to reduce the number of the pests by at least 65 per cent by the poisoning campaign of January.

Meeting of Texas Teachers.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Houston, Tex., Dec. 26.—Christmas day kept back some of the visitors to the Texas teachers' convention, but by this evening a half-thousand or more educators are expected in the city. The holiday season has been chosen in order to get a large attendance. Mayor Rice will greet the visitors at the formal opening tonight, and the response will be by Mrs. K. H. Daffan of Dallas. President S. M. N. Marrs of Terrell will preside and the principal address of the evening will be made by State Superintendent John H. Hineman. The regular order of business will be taken up tomorrow morning. A well-attended meeting was held today by the association of principals and superintendents.

NORTH BANK TOWNS ARE PROGRESSIVE

New Telephone System to Be Installed by People at White Bluffs.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Kennewick, Wash., Dec. 26.—The steamer Mountain Gem has just taken a load of poles to White Bluffs to be used in the installation of a telephone system at that point.

The installation of the pumping plant of the Hanford Irrigation & Power company at Coyote Rapids is reported to be well under way, and it is expected that the plant will be completed and turned over to the company ahead of the contract time. H. N. Nagle of Ringold Bar is installing an irrigation system to water a large acreage on Savage Island, about four miles below Hanford, on the Columbia river. Mr. Nagle is one of the early settlers in this district and he already has a large body of land under irrigation at this place. Practically every man who owns a team and scraper in the Kennewick valley is at work leveling land and preparing it for spring planting. Reports from the local agents of outside nurseries indicate that several hundred thousand trees and vines are to be planted here next spring.

Educators at Lexington.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Lexington, Ky., Dec. 26.—A large number of prominent educators are here to take part in the eighteenth annual meeting of the Southern Educational association. The initial session will be held in the State college chapel this evening. The program will include welcomes and responses and the annual address of the president, Superintendent R. J. Tighe of Asheville, North Carolina. The announcement of committees will be made tomorrow morning and the gathering will close Saturday with the election of officers. The papers, addresses and discussions that make up the program will deal with every phase of educational work in the south.

Father of the House of Lords.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
London, Dec. 25.—The earl of Leicester, the "Father of the House of Lords" and one of the most remarkable figures in the British peerage, was 85 years old today. Lord Leicester has principally distinguished himself by having married twice and begotten no less than 18 sons and daughters, of whom 15 survive. His eldest son, Viscount Coke, is 60 years old, while his youngest son, the Honorable Lovel Coke, is only 14 years old.

Commercial Travelers Meet.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 26.—The convention of commercial travelers in session here today is one of the largest and most important gatherings of its kind ever held in this country. The convention consists of delegates representing the principal commercial travelers' organizations in America. The

object is to form a permanent central organization to be known as the Commercial Travelers' congress. In addition to perfecting an organization the convention will discuss a number of matters of general interest to the commercial men, including hotel accommodations, the parcels post bill, transportation and freight, and unity of interest. In addition to the "drummers" it is proposed that the congress shall include its membership representatives of boards of trade, chambers of commerce and other commercial organizations throughout the country.

TO ORGANIZE FARMERS' UNIONS IN PALOUSE

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Garfield, Wash., Dec. 26.—James Walters, the pioneer farmer and Farmers' union organizer, who has been east for several months, has returned and will at once organize unions among the

farmers in every town and hamlet in the Palouse country.

Tuesday Mr. Walters attended a meeting of the union at Pullman and reports a good time and an enthusiastic meeting. Mr. Walters said: "There were delegates from every part of Whitman county. The state organizer, Mr. Elmore, a young man recently from Oklahoma, was present and had charge of the meeting. Mr. Elmore informed me that he was at a convention in Louisiana last fall where the press reports of what we as a union did in Farmington last season, were read, and the convention went wild over the affair."

Grants Pass Factories Resume.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Grants Pass, Or., Dec. 26.—After a temporary suspension due to the scarcity of ready coin, both box and door factories have resumed work with complete crews. They have more orders than can be filled during the day shift, thus requiring night work. The products of

the factories are shipped to all parts of America and to foreign ports. A number of the orange groves of southern California derive their box supply from them.

On account of the wet weather and bad roads the mills operating in the mountain districts around Grants Pass have closed down for the winter.

FIGHTING BOB SENDS THANKS TO ASTORIA

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Astoria, Or., Dec. 26.—On the eve of the departure of the battleship fleet from Hampton Roads for the Pacific coast, Mayor Wise sent a telegram to Rear Admiral Evans wishing him and his officers and men a pleasant trip. Mr. Wise has received a letter acknowledging receipt of the telegram as follows: "Hampton Roads, Dec. 15.—Admiral

Evans directs me to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of this date and to thank you, and through you on behalf of himself and the officers and men of the fleet, the people of Astoria, for your very kind wishes. By direction of the commander-in-chief, J. H. Chandler, Lieutenant-commander, U. S. Navy, Aids."

ALWAYS WAS SICK.

When a man says he always was sick—troubled with a cough that lasted all winter—what would you think if he should say—he never was sick since using Ballard's Horehound Syrup. Such a man exists. Mr. J. C. Clark, Denver, Colorado, writes: "For years I was troubled with a severe cough that would last all winter. This cough left me in a miserable condition. I tried Ballard's Horehound Syrup and have not had a sick day since. That's what it did for me." Sold by all druggists.

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