

AUTOS DUE HERE TONIGHT

Nelson Party Left Medford Eight Hours Late This Morning in Effort to Establish Lower Record Between Two Cities.

Three Hours Lost Near Sisson, When the Chauffeur Took Wrong Road in the Darkness, Wandering 60 Miles Over Lumber Trails.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Medford, Or., May 27.—Worn out from lack of sleep, dusty and begrimed with dirt, the Fernando Nelson party arrived here at 7:40 this morning in their White motor auto in the effort to establish a low schedule between San Francisco and Portland. After breakfasting they left at 8:34 for Portland, eight hours behind schedule time. They expect to reach their destination at 10:30 p. m.

Driver Bill Simmons took charge of the car here. William Wagner, who ran the car from Redding, took the morning train to Portland.

Besides Nelson there were his son, Frank Nelson, Harry Johnson, machinist, and W. D. Hodson, proprietor of a garage. The car left Vallejo at 4:15 a. m. Tuesday morning, an hour and 15 minutes late. The tourists lost an hour at Redding replacing a tire. Approximately three hours was lost near Sisson, when by mistake in the darkness the chauffeur took the wrong road and wandered 60 miles over lumber trails. From a quarter to half an hour was lost during the night at various small towns in the effort to arouse people to secure directions. There was no moonlight and the night was very dark. Occasionally a fog enveloped the travelers. The party left Redding at 1:35 p. m. Tuesday. Ten minutes was lost at the ferry.

No record of arrivals was kept at towns along the route until daybreak. The auto arrived at Cole, the summit of the Siskiyou, at 5:23 a. m. and at Ashland at 7:08. Fernando Nelson, speaking of the trip, said: "The worst stretch of road we encountered was a toll road, two miles in length, on the Oregon side of the Siskiyou summit. Next to this the worst road traveled was in the Pitt river country where a stretch of about 40 miles of bare rock wore the tires down and was very rough on the auto. At Sisson we got lost on a lumber road and wandered 60 miles out of the direct road. There were many crossroads and we could not tell which was the right one in the dark. And the thing that delayed us was a strong head wind encountered the entire length of the Siskiyou valley. And when we were here while in each town waking people up so as to secure directions. We reached Hornbrook at 8 o'clock and were there half an hour before we succeeded in working the station agent. Many roads were deep with mud and none were in very good condition. It is probable we could make the trip a second time within the original schedule. The odometer records 490 miles, showing that in excess of 60 miles was lost over wrong roads."

SPANISH DUKE COMING TO HUNT

Likewise He May Marry Heiress During Stay in America.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, May 27.—Duke of Alba is coming to America this season to shoot big game, the dispatches say, but behind the announcement is said to lie a romance which began several years ago and in which Miss Mathilde Townsend, the Washington heiress and beauty, is the other participant. The engagement of Miss Townsend and the Spanish nobleman has been reported by the young woman's friends, but that an announcement of their engagement is not the least remote development of the coming summer is not denied by those in the confidence of the couple. The duke is 32 years of age, and has a fortune in his own right.

FUNERAL OF AGED LINN PIONEER TODAY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Lebanon, Or., May 27.—Robert C. Miller, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. D. Montague, at Portland Monday evening, was one of the earliest settlers in this vicinity. He came here from Missouri in 1847, and continued to reside here until about two years ago, and was for many years one of the country's best known and most prominent citizens. He represented the county in the state legislature and held other positions of honor. He leaves several children, among them being Senator M. A. Miller of this city. His age was 82 years 4 months and 5 days. The remains will be brought to Lebanon today for interment. The funeral will be held in the Presbyterian church, and will be under the auspices of Lebanon lodge, A. F. & A. M.

New Incorporations.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., May 27.—Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the secretary of state as follows: The La Desse Mining & Milling company; principal office Portland, Oregon; capital stock, \$50,000; incorporators, P. Mackenzie, J. B. Houston and Louis Swelling. Pacific Oil and Gas company; principal office Union, Oregon; capital stock, \$4,000; incorporators, J. J. Messenger, James F. Hutchinson and L. J. Davis. Hall-Shepherd company; principal office Clatsop, Oregon; capital stock, \$10,000; incorporators, E. B. Hall, H. F. Shepherd and H. F. Shepherd. Export & Import Lumber company; principal office Astoria, Oregon; capital stock, \$100,000; incorporators, William D. Wheelwright, J. F. Quirk and H. M. Olin. The Oregon Lumber company; principal office Madras, Oregon; capital stock, \$50,000; incorporators, Francis Fernald, J. W. Ross and A. C. Sanford.



"Our Prices Are Always Less Than Others"

This is the inducement we offer you—not for today or tomorrow only, but always.

As an extra inducement to those desiring a suit of clothes, hat or furnishing goods for Decoration Day we have made extra special reductions for the balance of the week.

Our store will be open Friday evening—closed all day Saturday, Decoration Day.

The following should convince you that we live up to our motto—"Our Prices Always Less Than Others."

\$15.00 SUITS, SPECIAL \$9.75 FURNISHING GOODS
Outing Suits— $\frac{1}{2}$ Price
Special
Outing Pants— $\frac{1}{3}$ Price
Special
Standard color Shirts, regular value \$1.00, special 45¢
Neckwear, 25c and 35c values, special 20¢
Black and Tan Hose, regular 25c value 20c pair, 2 pairs 35¢
White Swiss Ribbed Underwear, regular value \$1.00, special 50¢
15c Half Hose, special, pr. 10¢

THE "LEE" \$3.00 HATS, AND THE "SPHINX" \$2.50 HAT, SPECIAL \$1.85
NORRIS-BAKER CO.
223-225 MORRISON STREET, NEAR FIRST
THE AMERICAN CLOTHIERS

HAVE NO FEAR FOR MISSOURI

Naval Officers Scoff Idea That Big Battleship Will Ground in Channel.



The Best Builders' Hardware

In town is shown on our shelves, counters, bins and showcases. Door and window fittings, nails, screws, etc., at your service at prices that will keep down the cost of house construction or alteration, and yet give satisfaction after years of use.

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(United Press Leased Wire.) Vallejo, Cal., May 27.—Naval officers here are confident that the battleship Missouri will make the trip up the Mare Island channel to the quay wall without accident and prove that the Mare Island is accessible to first class battleships, which will be a big factor in the future. Many scoffed at the idea that the Missouri might meet with an accident in coming up the

channel and cite the fact that armored cruisers of greater length drew more water than the Missouri and used the channel without danger. The battleship will proceed to the quay wall, where preparations have

been made for her. On account of the number of auxiliaries there now the space is at a premium but by shifting several vessels it has been arranged to give the battleship a prominent place. She will remain in the

drydock several weeks while a new high pressure cylinder is installed in the place of the one broken on the voyage up the coast. The cylinder is being completed rapidly by day and night shifts of workmen.

Wheeler in Control.
Modesto, Cal., May 27.—When the

state convention of the Prohibition party was assembled today to name the delegates to the national convention to be held at Columbus, Ohio, it was apparent that Fred W. Wheeler of Los Angeles, was in control and there seems no opposition to the movement to name him as California's choice for president.

Warrenton Can Forge Ahead.
Astoria, Or., May 27.—A report has been submitted to the Warrenton board of trade showing the assessed valuation of property in the town will be about three times last year's assessment. This will permit the raising of sufficient funds to pay the indebtedness and for the purchase of a fire engine and other needed improvements.

STORE OPEN Friday Evening Until 10 P. M.
Best \$3.00 Hats at \$2.20
All Styles and Colors.

W. H. MARKELL & CO.

EAST SIDE DEPARTMENT STORE
CORNER EAST MORRISON AND UNION AVE.

STORE OPEN Friday Evening Until 10 P. M.
SAMPLE HAMMOCKS
Special Cut Prices—Basement

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"BIGGEST CLOTHING VALUES IN TOWN"

and that's no dream. Our entire stock of strictly up-to-date, dependable clothing of the very best makes, at most remarkable cost prices. Come here on Thursday and Friday and you'll find better suits for the money than you can get at any other place. Go elsewhere and see, come here and buy for much less.

Men's Suits, Values to \$16, at \$9.45

Nobby Worsted and Cassimere Suits, well made, perfect fitting, stylish, satisfactory suits in fancy grays, browns, tans, etc. Look at these, try them on, and see what values these are—

Men's Suits, Values to \$18, at \$11.95

Real swell, hand-tailored Suits, made up in the last style and most approved manner. Suits that hold their shape with the best. Colors are browns, grays and fancies; the very newest patterns.

Our Very Best \$25 Values at \$14.95

This season's swellest hand-tailored suits in nifty new models. As handsome as high-class workmanship and elegant fabrics and trimmings can make them. Handsome browns, tans, grays, etc., and every one a winner.

Women's \$21 Suits at \$9.95

This season's newest style Suits, Panama weave, corded stripes; in navy, brown and Copenhagen blue; jackets are satin lined, semi-fitting style; newest style sleeves; skirt is new kilt style, trimmed with bands of same.

65c Bleached Sheets 37c

72 by 90-inch bleached Sheets, hemmed and all ready for use.

15c Pillow Tops at 8c

Bleached Pillow Slips, size 42 by 36 inches.

In the Bargain Basement on Thursday and Friday Adjustable Window Screens

35c Screens at 25c
Size 18 by 33 inches
45c Screens at 32c
Size 24 by 37 inches
40c Wash Boards 15c
Good durable full sized zinc Washboards; labor saving construction.

Men's 35c Underwear 19c

Fine French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, ecrú color; drawers have double seat, all sizes, 34 to 48.

Men's \$2.75 Shoes \$1.98

Strictly new and stylish lot of Men's Box Calf and Vici Kid Shoes, in Blucher styles, all solid leather.

"Kid Fitting" and American Lady Corsets, \$1.25 Grades at 95c

Five of the best new models in the celebrated American Lady and Kid-Fitting makes, with and without hose supporters attached.

Best American Calicos at 5c Yd.

Good assortment of colors and patterns to choose from.

Men's 75c Fancy Mesh Underwear 48c

Fine quality lace weave mercerized Shirts and Drawers; very best 75c grade, plain blue and fancy mixed colors.

25c Tin Pails 10c

Large 10-quart Tin Pails, that sell everywhere at 25c.

White Lawn Waists, Values to \$1.50 at 87c

A big assortment of White Lawn Waists prettily trimmed on lace or embroidery, that sell regular at \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Children's Romper Suits, Worth to 60c at 39c

Plain and fancy patterns in Romper Suits for children, 3 to 8 years.

75c Golf Shirts at 49c

Best colors and patterns in Madras, Percales and Chambrays, new light and medium patterns.

Boys' \$2 and \$2.25 Shoes \$1.48

Box Calf and Calfskin Shoes, all good styles, absolutely solid leather, sizes 13 to 5 1/2.

Men's \$6.00 Pants at \$3.90

Tailor-made Pants of very fine quality, handsome patterns and pure worsted fabric.

\$1.50 Yard-Wide Taffeta Silks at \$1.09

Best grade of \$1.50 yard wide Taffeta Silks, in brown, navy, garnet and black.

Best 10c Percales at 7c

Double width Percales, in a big assortment of blues, reds, blacks and grays.

Men's \$25 Values at \$14.95

This season's swellest hand-tailored suits in nifty new models. As handsome as high-class workmanship and elegant fabrics and trimmings can make them. Handsome browns, tans, grays, etc., and every one a winner.