

Mail Orders Very Carefully and Promptly Filled



Portland Agents for Pictorial Review Patterns 10c and 15c

# Special Saturday Bargains

These Bargains are for Saturday Only. There will be enough quantity of each item to make it last all day long—but, if you can, shop early in the forenoon as the assortment will be more desirable and the crowd will be less. Doors open until 10 P. M.

## Ladies' Tail'r-Made Suits HALF-PRICE

Tomorrow we will place on sale our entire stock of ladies' Tailor-made Suits at exactly one-half of the original price. Every suit in this offer is new and up-to-date as to the style, material and workmanship, being received by us not more than two weeks ago. But we have a large shipment soon to arrive and in order to make room for the later goods we will sacrifice what we have on hand; former prices range from \$18 to \$40...NOW ONE-HALF OFF

\$1.75 Silk Gloves \$1.28

\$1.50 Silk Gloves 98c

Ladies' 16-button length, Silk Gloves, all colors and sizes; regular price \$1.75, to-morrow \$1.28

Ladies' 16-button length Silk Gloves, all sizes, colors black or white only; regular price \$1.50, to-morrow 98c

## 25c Misses' & Children's Hose, 3 Pairs for 50c

75 dozen pairs misses' and children's fine ribbed School Hose, double toe, seamless and fast black; regular price 25c a pair, to-morrow 3 pairs for 50c

## Great Reductions in LACE CURTAINS

For Saturday's selling we offer our entire stock of Lace Curtains, without any reserve, at prices lower than we have ever quoted. Every pair in this sale is 20 to 50 per cent below the regular price. Take advantage and buy all you want while they last. Prices range like this:

49¢, 75¢, 98¢, \$1.39, \$1.69, \$1.88, \$2.19, \$3.95

## Saturday Specials in MEN'S SECTION

Men's felt and wool Dress Hats, the entire odds and ends left over from the last week's big sale, will go tomorrow at the following phenomenal prices:

Values up to \$2.00 at..... 98¢

Values up to \$2.50 at..... \$1.39

Values up to \$3 at..... \$1.89

Men's Straw Hats at..... THIRD OFF

Men's Straw Hats at..... THIRD OFF

Men's lightweight knit Underwear; regularly worth 35c, to-morrow..... 23c

Men's fancy summer Underwear, regular price 65c and 75c, to-morrow..... 42c

Hamilton-Carhartt's Overalls, the union made, standard goods that were never sold before a cent less than \$1.10 a pair, to-morrow..... 89c

Men's light silk Half Hose, in plain and fancy colors, also in checks, stripes, plaids and silk embroidered effects; value 35c, to-morrow..... 23c

100 dozen men's fine grade Half Hose, in black or tan; value 25c, to-morrow 2 pairs for..... 25c

# ELECTIONS IN TANGLE

### Recently Passed Amendment to Constitution Changing Time of General Elections Makes Time for Local Option Balloting Uncertain.

Local option procedure is very much tangled up in Oregon just at present in the opinion of lawyers and the date of the next local option election is uncertain and undetermined. Some attorneys contend that there might be another local option contest in November next. Others argue that there can be none until June 7, 1909, while still others bring logic to show that there can be no new attempt made to spread the blanket of prohibition over the state until the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November, 1910.

All the tangle is the result of the adoption by the people at the recent election of the constitutional amendment changing the time for holding the general elections of the state from the first Monday of June to the first Tuesday following the first Monday of November, 1910. It is evident that there was a desire on the part of the framers of the law to put the local option method into effect as soon as possible after its enactment, for it is further provided in the same section that following the first election all other elections should be held "hereafter only on the first Monday in June of any year." This clause was evidently intended to place the date of holding the local option elections at the same time with all other state elections.

The adoption of the constitutional amendment puts the date of Oregon's general elections in November. The amendment, however, does not become effective until November, 1910. The local option law still says that all local option elections shall be held "only on the first Monday in June of any year." It was the intention of the anti-saloon people to pick up the gauge once more in November and try out the local option question in those places where they were worsted in the recent campaign. Especially true was this of Lincoln county, where the county voted wet by a bare majority of three votes, and after it had been dry for two years.

### Strange Tangle of Dates.

The fact that the constitutional amendment, specifically provided, that the first election under the amendment shall be in November, 1910, evidently shuts the anti-saloon people out of the running so far as November, 1908 or 1909, is concerned. It also evidently allows a local option election to be called for June 7, 1909.

It is being held by some sides, however, that the adoption of the amendment will shut the local option people from the polls until November, 1910. It is argued that the framers of the local option law intended that the date of the local option elections should be the same as those of the general elections. The changing of the date of the general elections from June to November would of right and in justice take the date of the local option elections with it. Since there has just been one general election and will not be another until November, 1910, there can be of right no more local option elections until the amendment becomes active and the election of 1910 is held. If this contention should be upheld by the courts there could be no anti-saloon election in June of 1909, nor in November of 1909, nor in June of 1910.

There is strong probability that the question will be taken into the courts as an effort will undoubtedly be made to raise the question at the earliest date. Already the question is arousing much interest among lawyers and both the followers of the anti-saloon league and of its opponents have submitted the question to attorneys for their opinions regarding the present interpretation to be placed on the law.

\$1.95 a pair gives you the choice of one of the finest pairs of men's \$2.00 Sea Island white canvas Oxfords; hand-turned or welted soles; lace or button. All sizes and widths on sale at \$1.95 pair. Sample Shoe Store company, corner First and Madison.

# TWO GREAT SPECIALS



We are offering EVERY DAY in the year the two greatest lines of clothing in the United States— At

## 10 Dollars

We show hundreds of suits—the equal of any suit sold elsewhere in the city at \$15—Guaranteed in every way—Your money refunded if not satisfactory— At

## 15 Dollars

We show suits that are marked in uptown windows at \$20 and \$25—Come in and make us prove it.

WHEN YOU SEE IT IN OUR AD IT'S SO

# MOYER 3rd and Oak 1st and Yamhill

## PORTLAND ACADEMY GRADUATES CLASS

### Declamation Contest and Giving of Diplomas Tonight.

At the First Presbyterian church tonight will be held the annual graduation exercises of Portland academy, also a declamation contest. There are 87 graduates, 23 of whom are boys. A girls glee club and a mixed chorus will provide vocal music.

The exercises consist principally of the prize declamation contest, which will be judged by H. M. Esterly, Rev. Luther B. Dyott, E. B. MacNaughton, Dr. Allan Welch Smith and Principal

H. H. Herdman, Jr. Charles Joseph Robison will recite Zola's defense of Dreyfus, Alexander Gotwald Jong Jr. will give Canon Farrar's memorial address on Grant, "Robert of Sicily" is the selection chosen by Lou Constance Killingsworth, Tennyson's "Passing of Arthur," will be given by Beneta Karen Hansen, and Burke's "Impeachment of Warren Hastings," by Roland Thomas Strong.

Rev. A. A. Morrison will present the declamation prizes to the successful contestants. The diplomas will be presented to the graduates by William M. Ladd. The following named comprise the graduating class:

Robert Mintie Alton, Ralph Baird, Spencer Eddle, De Etta Jessup Brodie, George Wells Cameron, Katherine Clary, Willis Raymond Cornell, Edsall Post Ford, Leonard Franklin Fuller, Nelson Gammans, Howard Gray, Margaret Van Gemmer, Dorothy Bismutha Gilbert, Lloyd Ordway Harding, Beneta Karen Hansen, Charles Henry, Ralph Jay Harburt, Ada Gleason Kendall, David Lee, Mary Pearl Long, Edwin Ellison Merrill, Sarah Agnes Miller, Harvey Virgil Miller, Helen Gary Moore, Myrtle May Muir, Parks Beane Myers, Charles Joseph Robison, Jennie Latlin Roessler, Leslie Harrison Sharp.

Suzie Aubrey Smith, Henry Anderson Smith, William Barberry Stevens, Charles Frederick Swigert Jr., Margaret Whalley, Elsa Constance von Wintzingerode, Theodore Goodrich Williams, Margaret Elizabeth Young.

## Hood River Excursion Postponed.

Word comes from Hood River that the unusually warm weather which has prevailed this week has precipitated a most unusual condition in the strawberry industry. The berries have ripened so rapidly that it has been necessary to summon almost every man, woman and child in the community to harvest and pack the crop to keep from losing it, so that they cannot possibly do justice to the entertainment of visitors. The special train excursion advertised for next Saturday has therefore been indefinitely postponed.

\$1.00 a pair for women's \$2.00 Sea Island white canvas Oxfords; hand-turned or welted soles; lace or button. All sizes and widths on sale at \$1.00 pair. Sample Shoe Store company, corner First and Madison.

## BUSINESS MEN WILL PAY VISIT TO EUGENE

### Delegation from University Town Gets Warm Response to Invitation.

A delegation of Eugene business men who came to Portland yesterday to initiate a pleasure excursion of Portland business men to Eugene, met with hearty encouragement, and left last night for home well satisfied with the reciprocal sentiment existing here. They called upon a number of well-known men and started a list that will grow to several hundred before the date of the excursion, June 24.

The objects of the visit to Eugene are to give Portland men an adequate idea of the progress the university city has made commercially, to dedicate the new Southern Pacific passenger station there, and to attend the annual commencement day exercises to be held at the University of Oregon. The following have signed the roll of excursionists:

Charles E. Ladd, W. W. Cotton, P. Lowengart, S. C. Pier, B. Neustadter, J. A. Shepard, J. C. Ainsworth, E. L. Thompson, E. C. Giltner, H. M. Calk, William D. Wheelwright, Francis B. Clarke, Tom Richardson, John A. Keating, J. Frank Watson, E. H. McCracken, George Lawrence Jr., J. G. Mack, I. N. Fleischner, I. Lang, A. H. Devers, F. A. Spencer, F. W. Baltes, Fred Muller, Edward Ehrman, W. D. McAvenny, W. J. Clemens, T. N. Stoppensbach, Charles K. Henry, F. E. Beach, Dr. J. R. Wetherbee, R. A. Wilson, H. M. Adams, Arthur P. Tift, A. H. Averill, A. M. Smith, L. Gerlinger, F. W. Leadbetter, M. B. Wakeman, Frank Dayton, H. W. Fries, Samuel Connell, Charles B. Merrick, C. C. Chapman, W. D. Scott, J. H. McClung, F. B. Holbrook, Charles M. Gunn, A. D. Charlton, W. F. Woodward, J. P. O'Brien, G. W. Boschke, W. H. Jenkins, William McMurray.

## PARADE OF SALEM'S SCHOOL CHILDREN

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., June 12.—Two thousand school children, a large number of gaily decorated automobiles, a company from the national guard and three military bands paraded the streets of Salem this afternoon as the concluding feature of the school year in this city. By such a demonstration did the public schools of Salem close today a successful nine months. The parade was short but before the children disbanded they formed in close formation on the principal street of the city and sang "America."

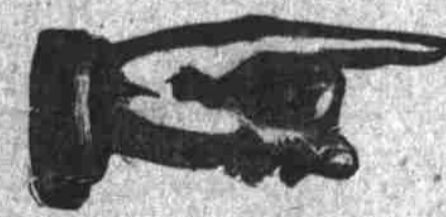
Each child carried a bouquet of roses and the parade resembled a great floral festival. After the singing the pupils and the crowd went to Marion Square, where a program was rendered.

\$1.45 for men's and women's \$2.50 and \$3 tan, black and patent leather Oxfords; popular styles. All sizes go at \$1.45 pair. Sample Shoe Store company, corner First and Madison.

# A Handsome, Heavy Gold-Plated "Swastika" Hat Pin Free



ON all packages of biscuits, crackers and cakes manufactured by us (with the exception of our packages of "Perfection" Soda Crackers which bear the old familiar "Gold Coast" labels) will be found TWO "SWASTIKA" LABELS—our trade mark—and on our "Perfection" Soda Cracker packages will be found



### TWO "GOLD COAST" LABELS

Save these labels and when you have accumulated thirty (30) of them, either or both kinds, send same to us and we will send to your address by mail

# A HANDSOME GOLD-PLATED LADIES' "SWASTIKA" HAT PIN FREE

Write Your Name and Address Plainly

This Offer Expires December 31st, 1908

# PACIFIC COAST BISCUIT COMPANY - PORTLAND, ORE.