

FIFTEEN DAYS MORE TREMENDOUS PRICE-SLASHING

Fire Sales Have No Comparison to Our Price Reductions

TOMORROW WILL BEGIN THE GREATEST PRICE-WRECKING EVENT THE CITY HAS EVER KNOWN. SALES ARE REIGNING THROUGHOUT THE CITY, AND WE REALIZE THAT IN ORDER TO RAISE LARGE AMOUNTS OF CREDITORS' DEMANDS WE MUST NOT ONLY MEET OUR COMPETITORS' PRICES, BUT FALL SO FAR BELOW THEM THAT THERE WILL POSITIVELY BE NO MISTAKE OR DOUBT IN RAISING AMOUNTS TO SATISFY THE EASTERN MANUFACTURERS. LET NO PREVIOUS ADVERTISED PRICES OR PUBLIC SENTIMENT INTERFERE WITH YOUR ATTENDANCE AT THIS SALE, OR YOU WILL REGRET MISSING THE PURCHASING OPPORTUNITY OF YOUR LIFE.

PRICES IN THE STORE THE SAME AS HERE ADVERTISED

Ladies' Suits, Skirts, etc.

Great clean-up of only 18 Ladies' Suits in Mohair and Panama; colors black, gray and brown, and in only odd sizes. Values from \$15.00 to \$35.00, your choice. **\$5.00**

LADIES' SKIRTS

Ladies' beautiful Skirts in Panamas, voiles and cashmere, in colors black, brown, blue, maroon, light and dark fancy stripes and checks, elegantly taffeta-trimmed, pleated or plain; all full widths and all sizes, worth up to \$4.00 skirts, sale price **\$1.00**
\$5.00 Skirts Sale Price **\$1.95**
\$7.50 Skirts Sale Price **\$3.85**
\$10.00 and \$12.50 Skirts Sale Price **\$4.95**
Ladies' Heatherbloom Drop Skirts, \$3 vals.; sale price **95c**
Black Silk Drop Skirts, \$7.50 to \$10 values **\$2.95**

LADIES' WASH SUITS

Values up to \$7.50; choice **\$1.00**

LADIES' WAISTS

Entire lot of Ladies' fine waists in lingerie, lawns, mulls and full lace waists; beautifully trimmed yokes and fronts, short and long sleeves, also black and brown taffeta, all sizes; sold at less than half the cost prices:
\$1.00 to \$1.50 value Waists Sale Price **50c**
\$2.00 to \$3.50 value Waists Sale Price **95c**
\$4.00 and \$5.00 Waists Sale Price **\$1.85**
\$6.00, \$7.50 to \$10.00 Waists **\$2.95**
\$6.50 Taffeta Waists, black and brown **\$1.95**

LADIES' COATS AND JACKETS

Long Coats in broadcloth. Colors brown and black **\$15.00** Coats Sale Price **\$5.95**
\$18.00 Coats Sale Price **\$6.95**

LADIES' JACKETS

Semi-Fitting Jackets, in brown, blue and gray stripes **\$5.00** Jackets Sale Price **\$1.85**
\$7.50 Jackets Sale Price **\$2.35**
\$10.00 and \$12.50 Jackets Sale Price **\$3.95**

Miscellaneous Specials

LADIES' HOSIERY, 75c quality Hose, all colors and sizes; sale price **18c**

Ladies' full fashion black lace Hose, 50c values; sale **10c**
Children's black lace Hose, 25c values; sale price **5c**

LADIES' UNDERMUSLINS—Corset Covers and Drawers; beautiful lace trimmed, values \$1.25 and \$1.50; sale **35c**

LADIES' MUSLIN GOWNS, lace fronts, embroidered yokes, \$2.50 values; sale price **85c**

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS, embroidered and plain, 15c to 25c values; sale price **5c**

LADIES' SILK UMBRELLAS, beautiful handles, \$2.50 to \$4.00 values; sale price **1.50**

LADIES' SHOES and OXFORDS—The very latest styles and best quality; all sizes and widths.

\$2.50 Shoes **\$1.25**
\$3.00 Shoes **\$1.50**
\$3.50 to \$5.00 Shoes **\$1.75**

TABLE LINENS AND BED FURNISHINGS

Pillow Cases, 25c to 35c values; sale price **10c**
Bed Spreads, full size; best patterns; \$1.50 vals.; price **75c**
11-4 Double Blankets, colors white and grey; regular \$1.00 values; sale price **50c**
Heavy Fleece Blankets, \$2.00 values; sale price **95c**

Miscellaneous Specials

MEN'S SHIRTS—Monarch Dress Shirts, \$1.25 values; sale price **45c**

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—\$1.25 to \$1.50 val; sale **45c**

BANDANA HANDKERCHIEFS—10c values; red and blue; sale price **1c**

MEN'S KHAKI OVERALLS—Reg. \$1.25 vals.; sale **75c**
MEN'S OVERALLS, good quality, 50c and 75c values; sale price **25c**

CORDUROY PANTS—\$2.50 to \$3 values; sale price **\$1.00**

MEN'S HOSIERY, black and brown, 25c values; sale **9c**

LISLE THREAD HOSE, 35c to 40c; sale price **12 1/2c**
300 DOZEN WORK and DRESS SHIRTS, \$1.25 values; sale price **25c**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR, good colors, light weight, \$1.00 values; sale price **15c**

REGULAR \$1.25 UNDERWEAR—Light and heavy weight; sale price **39c**

SUSPENDERS—35c vals, sale **10c**—50c President, sale **19c**

Men's Suits and Pants

MEN'S SUITS, fine tailored suits in worsteds, tweeds and chevots; beautiful shades and colorings and perfect in style and fit at following prices:

\$10.00 Suits Sale Price **\$2.50**
\$12.50 Suits Sale Price **\$4.50**
\$15.00 Suits Sale Price **\$5.50**
\$18.00 Suits Sale Price **\$7.50**
Any suit in the house **\$11.85**

Men's Pants

800 pairs all-wool pants, values up to \$4; sale price **\$1.00**
300 pairs dress pants, all-wool worsted, fancy striped; values up to \$6.50; sale price **\$1.95**

Men's Hats

Your choice of our entire stock of \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 values; sale price **\$1.00**

Boys' Suits

Boys' all-wool Suits, best styles, well made and all sizes; \$3.50 Suits Sale Price **\$1.00**
\$5.00 Suits Sale Price **\$1.95**
Your choice of Boys' Suits **\$2.95**
680 pairs sample Children's Shoes, all sizes; values to \$2.50; sale price, pair **75c**

Men's Shoes

All leathers, styles and sizes
\$2.00 Shoes Sale Price **95c**
\$3.00 Shoes Sale Price **\$1.50**
\$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes Sale Price **\$1.85**

TO MISS THIS SALE WILL BE POSITIVELY A LOSS OF MONEY TO YOU. BRING THIS ADVERTISEMENT WITH YOU AND MEET YOUR FRIENDS AT THE STORE. COME MORNING AND AFTERNOON EVERY DAY.

THE BOSTON STORE

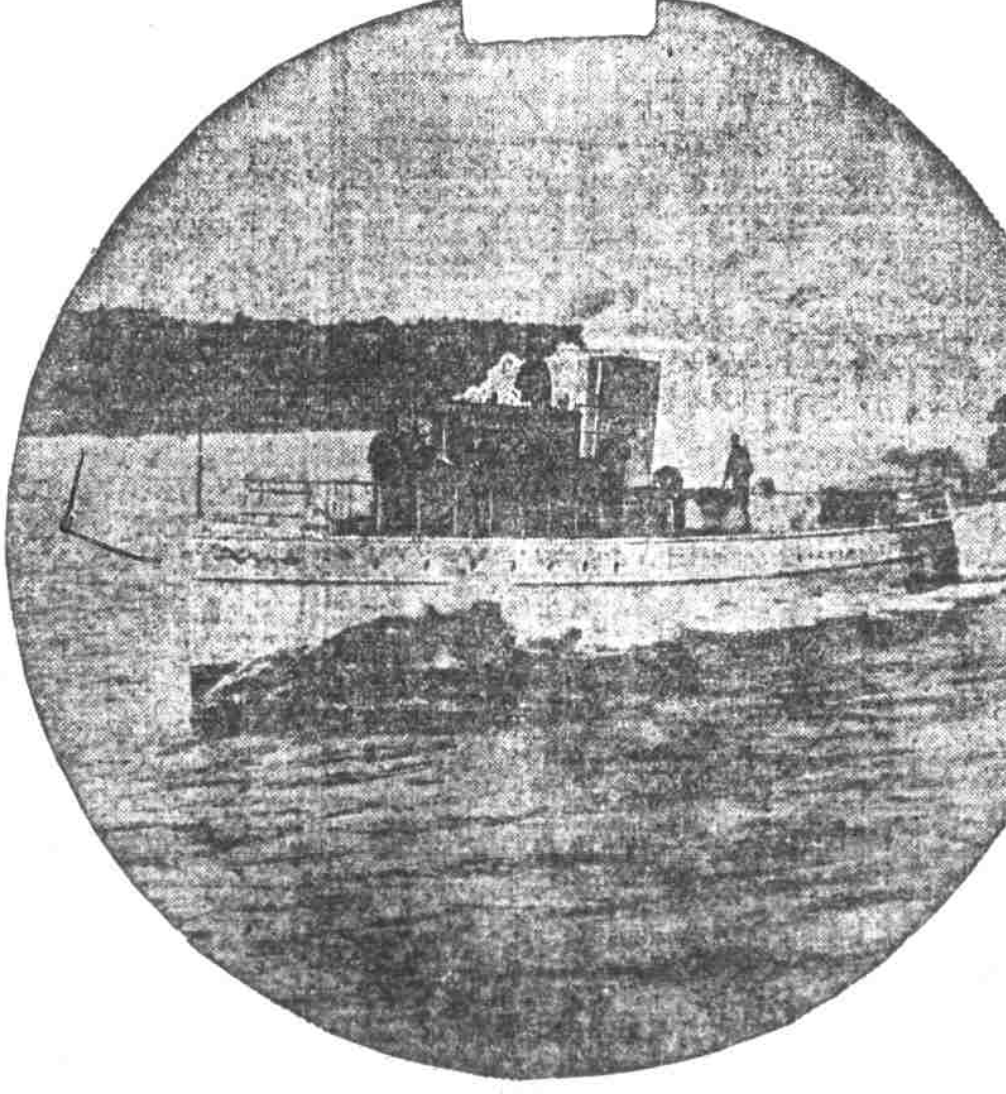
CORNER FIRST AND SALMON STREETS

LEWIS BROS. & CO., MANAGERS

BEVERLY B. TILDEN DIES AT SAN JOSE

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)
San Jose, Cal., Aug. 1.—Beverly B. Tilden, soldier of fortune, famous in the world of art and opera, and 18 years ago the hunted pet of English nobility, is dead at Inniavale, his beautiful country home near Alamo Rock Park. Death came as a welcome relief to the man, whose ill-health has made him an invalid for the past seven years and forced him to retire from public life to seek seclusion in this peaceful valley far from the scenes of his glories and his triumphs.
The life of Tilden was crowded with romance and adventures such as come to few men. His father was the late Colonel William Tilden of New York, a millionaire. Beverly Tilden, though born in New York, spent most of his life in England, where his wealth and talents along operatic lines speedily brought him renown. For seven years he was the Beau Brummel of English society, being taken up by the Duke of Cambridge and the present Princess of Wales. It was he who introduced Lillian Nordica to the concert world. The dead man had numbered among his associates Frederick the Great, the King, Sarah Bernhardt and Sybil Sanderson, and the walls of the Tilden mansion at Inniavale are covered with auto-

THIS YACHT COST TWO LIVES.



At Least Two Lives Were Lost When the Steam Yacht "Arrow" Blew Up in New York Bay. The "Arrow," a Picture of Which is Shown Here, Was at One Time the Fastest Craft Afloat. She Belonged to Charles R. Flint, but Was Afterward Sold to Edward Whitney.

graph photos of the world's most famous celebrities, most of them inscribed to "My dear friend Bob Tilden." Mrs. Nordica's photo bears the interesting inscription, "In memory of my first success." Tilden was formally presented to Queen Victoria at the occasion of her golden jubilee by Antanasas, King of Roumania.
Mr. Tilden at the time of his death was 47 years of age and unmarried. It is related that he was engaged to wed Sybil Sanderson and the date for the nuptials had been formally announced. The night before the wedding Miss Sanderson disappeared, leaving England in the afternoon of the same day, and never to be seen again. Seven years ago Tilden left New York in company with C. H. Geldert, a friend and the date for the nuptials had been formally announced. The night before the wedding Miss Sanderson disappeared, leaving England in the afternoon of the same day, and never to be seen again. Seven years ago Tilden left New York in company with C. H. Geldert, a friend and the date for the nuptials had been formally announced. The night before the wedding Miss Sanderson disappeared, leaving England in the afternoon of the same day, and never to be seen again.

UNIONS WANT BOND ISSUE WORK KEPT IN PORTLAND

Local labor bodies are acting jointly for the purpose of confining to the local field as far as possible all the labor required in carrying out the extensive improvements contemplated by the recent large bond issue.
Very much of this work, such as the making of the pipe for the new Bull Run pipe line, the production of the iron work for the new Madison street bridge and doubtless much other material of lesser magnitude in connection with the boulevard and park work that might be contracted for in other cities, owing to lack of proper equipment here, it is thought, should be retained in the local field and can be if a proper sentiment is assumed to that end.
It is confidently stated by the labor bodies that local firms will equip for this work if there is a show of getting work from other places the same as improvement will be permanent, and thus new enterprises will be established for all time, and Portland, instead of giving to other places the same as water mains, bridges, hydrants, etc., will be in a position to bid for such work from other places the same as her work is now being bid for by other places.
It is argued by the workmen that money thus taken from the taxpayers and circulated in their own local field will return to them in a way that will more than offset the loss occasioned by any slight difference in cost were the money all spent in a distant city.
Some time ago the local iron trades council memorialized the city authorities, asking that the contracts for fire hydrants be kept at home. It was shown at that time that previous orders for fire hydrants in the east had brought goods that were rejected because faulty, while hydrants made in Portland were entirely satisfactory and a very superior article.
The delay in having the defective hydrants corrected, together with the loss in suffering the money to be auctioned in another city, it was concluded, more than offset the slightly higher cost of the home-made hydrants.
Keep Work Here.
It is argued, also, that the principal cities likely to bid for the Portland work are such as have unorganized and hence unprotected labor, and that the lower wages forced upon the workmen owing to reason of that fact are largely the reason of whatever saving will be experienced in the way of lower prices on the part of the contractor.
In line with these thoughts a committee of six, representing the local boilermakers, structural iron workers and the building trades alliance, met in Drew building on Friday night last and resolved to act in motion a movement for the creation of public sentiment in behalf of keeping this work as far as possible in Portland.
The New York-Cincinnati party has just returned from Portland. Portland is tonight for the Yellowstone. The others just came from the south and will go north from Portland. Portland is the Pacific coast resting place and temporary headquarters for all traveling parties of the Raymond & Whitcomb agency.
At the Lake Louise chalet in Alberta Chinese waiters are employed and it was the sight of these individuals that aroused the curiosity of the tourists now in Portland more than any other sight that they have seen. It was the New York-Cincinnati party which came to the coast on its way to Alaska by way of the Canadian Pacific. The travelers were much impressed with Council Crest yesterday.
The first Raymond & Whitcomb company tourist party to leave Portland for the east by way of the O. R. & N. departs this evening for Yellowstone, the new entrance to the national park in Wyoming. The Raymond & Whitcomb company brings hundreds of travelers to Portland each summer. There are now two parties at the Hotel Portland.
Heretofore the parties going into the Yellowstone have been entering by way of Gardiner, but since the entrance at Yellowstone has been opened, all parties leaving Portland for the government preserve will go over the O. R. & N. beginning today.
One of the parties is from New York, Philadelphia and Cincinnati and is in charge of H. A. Cameron of Boston. There are 21 persons in this party.
A Lucrative Nose.
From the Tatler.
Miss Lucia Behrend, one of St. Petersburg's most popular actresses, adds \$18 a week to her income by devoting an hour or two a day to smelling the perfumes manufactured by a leading firm of Russian scent makers.
Miss Behrend is gifted with an exceedingly delicate sense of smell, which renders her assistance invaluable when determining the proper proportions of the various ingredients in a new perfume.
Much of Queen Alexandra's favorite scent—violet—is distilled in Russia. It costs \$19 per ounce bottle, and it has to run the gauntlet of Miss Behrend's nostrils as well as those of four subordinate professional sniffers before it is passed as being correctly blended and ready for her use.
"Why, Elsie!" exclaimed the little girl's mother, "why are you shouting in that horrid fashion? Why can't you be quiet, like Willy?"
"I've got to be quiet, like Willy," replied Elsie. "He's papa coming home late and I'm yep."

HOT WEATHER HAS ITS COOLING EFFECT ON ALL KINDS OF BADNESS

Psychologists long ago declared that hot weather develops latent criminal instincts and that consequently there are more crimes in the summer months. But the monthly police report for July, just completed, does not bear out this theory.
The average number of arrests for nearly every month of the year is between 1,000 and 1,100. But in July, 1907, there were only 969 arrests made by the Portland police, while the month just closed showed an even smaller sheet, there being only 962 arrests looked. Evidently hot passes for hot weather in Portland does not stir the vicious instincts in mankind.
Drunkennes as usual heads the list of causes of arrests with 468 checked up. No arrests were made for murder, the only man to take a life being also a headless person might take warning from the fact that two arrests were made for expectorating on the sidewalks of the city, while five persons of the male gender, it is noted, were booked for using profane language.
Of 39 larceny cases reported 28 were cleared up by the detective, while nine persons were rounded up to answer to the 31 cases of passing bad checks.
This July receipts of the Portland court were \$1,366, while the expenses of the 29 prisoners sent to the Kelly built reformatory were \$12,000. All is really sought by some homeless ones is shown by the fact that 25 men were given lodging during the month.

YOUTHFUL CRITIC OF ROSE CITY GIVEN CHANCE TO MAKE GOOD

Hartman & Thompson, bankers, are looking for a young man who is writing the other day, referring to the prize article on Portland written by Miss Mabel Howe and asked that his statement of conditions in Portland be given a moment's consideration.
The letter was good enough not only to be considered but to induce Hartman & Thompson to make an offer to the writer to give him the position he has been looking for. Unfortunately the bankers are in possession of the letter-writer's name. But if he will apply at their office and if they find conditions that he has spoken of to be as represented, they want him to work for them. This is the letter, written by the young man.
Portland, Or., July 25, 1908.—Hartman & Thompson, Bankers, Portland, Or.—Gentlemen: It has been my pleasure to read the 1500 prize article on Portland, Or., by Miss Mabel Howe. It occurred to me, however, that perhaps seeing this was written by a young lady of the cultured and moneyed class, it might be fitting also to hear the impression a young man from the lower class, or common, class, has of the City of Roses. I say of the lower class because the writer is a poor fellow who for some time, one of the unfortunates who are compelled to patronize the 10 and 15-cent lodging houses that disgrace your city.
It is the common belief that the man

ACIDS IN FOOD.

Benzoates as Preservatives Are Condemned by Chemistry Chief.
In the interests of health, both benzoic acid and benzoates of soda should be excluded from foods.
This is the conclusion of Dr. Harvey Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry of the department of agriculture, after a prolonged investigation to determine the effect upon the human system of these preservatives. These chemicals were given in various kinds of foods to Dr. Wiley's so-called "poison squad," and he declares that their use is highly objectionable and produces very serious disturbance of the metabolic functions, attended with injury to digestion and health. It is pointed out that these symptoms were produced upon healthy individuals receiving good and nourishing food and living under proper sanitary conditions.
"It is only fair to conclude, therefore,"

Served Him Right.

There was a man in our town who took passage in a boat with half a dozen other folks. On a summer evening's float. Now this man above mentioned was drowned that very night; He was the chap who rocked the boat—So it served him mighty right.
—Chicago News.

Or When the Lady Wants Him.

From Philadelphia Record.
Billings—What do you consider is the proper time for a man to marry?
Cynicus—Oh, I suppose when he hasn't anything else to worry him.