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EVERYTHING REDUCED

10c Christmas Handkerchiefs, now **7c**

ALL FANCY VESTS NOW **1/2 Off**

ESTATE OF STEPHEN MEAD
224 STARK STREET
PORTLAND OREGON
December 9, 1908.
Messrs. Freiberg & Jacoby,
303 Washington St., City.
Gentlemen:
We beg to notify you of the expiration of your lease from the Managing Trustee of Estate of Stephen Mead to the premises now occupied by you known as 303 Washington Street. Expiration occurs on March 31, 1909. We further beg to inform you that this lease will not be renewed.
Yours truly,
ESTATE OF STEPHEN MEAD,
Frederick H. Peterson

50c AND 75c SILK LISLE HOSE NOW **37c**

CHRISTMAS SILK MUFFLERS NOW **\$1.10**

50c and 75c SUSPENDERS **38c**

25c LISLE HOSE NOW **19c**

This Letter Needs No Explanation
Rather Than Move Our Large Stock of Clothing, Hats and Furnishings We Will Make the Prices So Low That You Will Move the Goods for US.

\$1.00 Box Christmas Initial Handkerchiefs Now **78c**

25c and 35c Plain and Fancy Silk 'Kerchiefs **18c**

\$1.00 SHIRTS NOW ONLY **80c**

50c UNDERWEAR NOW **38c**

15c HOSE NOW ONLY **9c**

\$1.50 CRUSH HATS NOW **76c**

\$2.50 and \$3.00 QUALITY HATS **\$1.85**

50c CHRISTMAS SILK HANDKERCHIEFS **38c**

\$1.25 UNDERWEAR NOW **89c**

15c CHRISTMAS HANDKERCHIEFS **9c**

\$1.00 NIGHTGOWNS NOW **68c**

\$1.00 and \$1.25 UMBRELLAS **83c**

ALL CHRISTMAS JEWELRY NOW **1/4 Off**

75c to \$2.50 CHRISTMAS SUSPENDERS **1/4 Off**

\$2.50 SILK MIXED UNDERWEAR NOW **\$1.75**

CHRISTMAS SILK MUFFLERS NOW **63c**

\$1.50 to \$5.00 CHRISTMAS UMBRELLAS **1/4 Off**

\$1.50 AND \$2 SHIRTS NOW **\$1.20**

\$2.00 PAJAMAS NOW **\$1.38**

ALL CHRISTMAS NECKWEAR NOW **1/4 Off**

\$2.50 FULL WOOL UNION SUITS NOW **\$1.75**

\$3.50 Mallory Cravenette Hats, now **\$2.35**

All SUITS, OVERCOATS and CRAVENETTES up to \$27.50, NOW . . . **\$14.75**
PANTS Now One-Fourth Off
All SUITS, OVERCOATS and CRAVENETTES up to \$35.00, NOW . . . **\$18.75**
Freiberg & Jacoby, Props.
Opp. Olds, Wortman & King
TOP AND BOTTOM SHOP
303 WASHINGTON STREET
Open Evenings Until Christmas

SIDELINE STORIES OF GREAT NORTHWEST

ALLEGED THIEVES CAUGHT
Lane County Sheriff Takes Them in Custody.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Roseburg, Or., Dec. 15.—The two men who are alleged to have stolen the back and team from the Eugene livery stable last Saturday were captured about 10 miles south of here, above Canyonville, on the South Umpqua river by the constable of Canyonville. The sheriff from Eugene arrived here and took the two men back to Eugene with him yesterday afternoon on the flyer. It was learned that they had become dissatisfied with the way one horse traveled and traded him off for another at Oakland. They stopped over night in this city, having kept the team at one of the livery barns in town. It was the intention of the two men to make another trade before long.

RICH AND POOR RUB ELBOWS IN COMMON CAUSE

Westerner Says Society People Have "Nerves" From Modern Conditions.
L. T. Cooper, the man who claims that Americans have weak stomachs and who is meeting the public of this city, seems to be attracting an unusual amount of attention.
Each day New Yorkers are calling to hear about his theories and medicine in greater numbers, and for the past few days his headquarters has presented a novel sight.
A remarkable feature, to an onlooker, is the varied types of people whom Cooper is attracting. They range from prosperous-looking business men and fashionably dressed women to day laborers and their plainly dressed wives. All rub elbows in a common cause—the pursuit of health, or, as Cooper puts it, "sound digestion."
In an interview Thursday afternoon, when the striking difference in the various visitors was called to his attention, Cooper said: "Why not? Because a man has a million dollars that doesn't make his stomach any better. On the contrary, sitting at a desk all day, riding back and forth in an automobile and stuffing himself full of rich food will ruin his entire system out of order as sure as fate. Most of the men and women of this class whom I meet tell me they have been seeing nerve specialists. The well-to-do seem to attribute all their troubles to nerves. It is not their nerves. It's modern conditions that have produced the thousands of half sick people among rich and poor alike in this city, and every other city in America. It's broken-down, over-worked, stuffed-up digestive organs—that's where the trouble is. I am going to make a lot of people realize these facts before I leave New York. Many who are calling now have prominent women said she had come here because her maid told her that my medicine was doing wonders for her. She said, 'my maid is suffering from indigestion, caused by nervous exhaustion, and I have had the same trouble for

Holland, the station on the straits, where connection will be made with the steamer.
It was feared that the ice forming in the straits will prevent navigation, as there is little current in the channel. However, since the opening of the Tule lake outlet by the government, a perceptible current has been noted in the channel, and while ice has formed on the lakes and other open water, none has formed on the channel.

\$30,000 HEADGATES
California Northeastern to Improve Lake Channel.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Klamath Falls, Or., Dec. 15.—The California Northeastern Railway company is spending \$30,000 at the channel into lower Klamath lake in the construction of a gigantic headgate of concrete and rock, as well as extra tracks, warehouse, depot, etc.
The headgates are built in conformity with an agreement with the reclamation service, and are to be used in draining the vast area of waste land and Tule and Lower Klamath lakes. The depot and warehouses are being built to take care of the business while that point is the terminus, and in anticipation of the time when the moist land will be drained and settled up.

TO AMEND CHARTER
Special Commission Appointed by Silverton Council.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Silverton, Or., Dec. 14.—A commission has been appointed by the city council of Silverton to formulate plans for the amendment of the charter. The question will probably be submitted to the electors of this city at a special election in February or at the regular city election in May. The commission consists of 25 representative business men of Silverton, and L. E. Rauch, attorney at law, was elected president.

ALBANY MEN FINED
\$150 for Alleged Illegal Liquor Selling.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Albany, Or., Dec. 15.—The men arrested last Saturday for alleged violations of the local option law, appeared in court yesterday afternoon. Blackburn was fined \$100 and Patterson, his bartender, \$50.
In the case of Al Peacock, the livery stable man, the defendant pleaded not guilty and the case was postponed until Wednesday.

CONDENSERY FOR ALBANY
Local Citizens Will Construct a \$24,000 Plant.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Albany, Or., Dec. 15.—Albany is in a fair way to secure a milk condensery plant. At a special meeting it was decided to start building at once. About \$24,000 has been subscribed. The following directors were elected: Hugh G. Fisher, A. M. Hammer, Henry Lyons, D. S. Smith and W. W. Poland.

RIVER BANK INSPECTED
Retracement Is Proposed for Williamette at Albany.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Albany, Or., Dec. 15.—Major McIndoe, chief engineer in charge of the United States service in the northwest and Colonel Biddle and Mr. Haley of his

corps, arrived this afternoon by way of Corvallis, from Portland, and were met at the train by Manager Dasset of the Commercial club, Judge Stewart and others and taken across the river, where they inspected the river bank. The inspection was ordered by General Marshall of the head office at Washington with a view of an appropriation for a retracement, for the needed protection of the river.

BANKER'S APPEAL MAY BE USELESS

Supreme Court Decision Will Probably Affect the Ross Case.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Salem, Dec. 15.—A decision handed down by Justice Brandeis this morning, in the case of the state versus Ju Nun will, it is thought, have a direct bearing on the Ross case.
Ju Nun, a Chinaman, had been charged with the crime of murder by reason of an amendment of the indictment filed by the district attorney and had the amendment has no effect, except to deprive the district attorney and the amount you wish to bid for it, then mail it according to directions contained thereon. Should your bid be the highest, you will get the piano or pianola for which you bid.
These magnificent instruments are now displayed at Ellers Piano House. Ask to see them.
THESE ARE THE INSTRUMENTS.
If you want the finest upright in all the world, make a bid for the Chickering.
If you want the most beautiful, largest size, most highly improved, strictly modern, upright piano, submit a bid for the Kimball.
nomah county, J. B. Cleland, judge; motion to relax costs; denied, per curiam.
State versus Thomas Sullivan, appealed from Polk county, George H. Burnett, judge; affirmed, opinion by Chief Justice Moore.
S. S. Ayre versus Elijah Hixson and others, appealed from Baker county, William Smith, judge; affirmed, opinion by Justice Eakin.
Malheur county versus Charles Carter and Charles A. Goddard, appealed from Malheur county, George E. Davis, judge; reversed, opinion by Commissioner Slater.
S. S. Bothe versus Farmers and Traders National bank of La Grande, appealed from Union county, J. B. Cleland, judge; reversed, opinion by Chief Justice Moore.
SHIPPER COMPLAINS TO R. R. COMMISSION
(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., Dec. 15.—R. R. Bicknell has complained to the railroad commission because he alleges the Oregon Short Line has charged him double on a carload of stock from Vale, Or., to Bancroft, Idaho. At the request of the shipper the Oregon railroad commission

FINE NEW PIANOS TO BE SOLD TO HIGHEST BIDDERS

AN AUCTION SALE OF FIVE MAGNIFICENT NEW INSTRUMENTS, PROCEEDS TO GO TO Y. M. AND Y. W. C. A. BUILDING FUND.
It Costs Ten Cents to Register Any Bid, and the Instruments Will Be Awarded to the Highest Bidders—Not Necessary to Pay All Cash—Payments as Low as Eight Dollars a Month Will Be Considered.
As announced in yesterday's Oregonian, a most exceptional opportunity to secure a magnificent new piano or a genuine Cabinet Pianola and at the same time assist a worthy cause, is now presented.
On page 9 of this issue is published a blank under the heading "Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. Building Fund—Pianos at Auction." Simply fill out this card, get a duplicate from the Y. M. C. A. headquarters or Y. W. C. A. rooms, or from Mr. Gilman, the auctioneer, or at Ellers Piano House—write thereon the name of the instrument you prefer and the amount you wish to bid for it, then mail it according to directions contained thereon. Should your bid be the highest, you will get the piano or pianola for which you bid.
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If you want the most serviceable, most durable, most evenly balanced scale piano of all the many late new makes, submit a bid for the Hobart Cabinet. This make is used by over 400 music schools and teachers in Oregon and Washington alone.
If you want the best medium-priced piano obtainable anywhere for \$350, submit your bid for the magnificent English Bird Walnut Marshall & Wendell.
If you have a piano and want the means to play upon it, the world's greatest masterpiece, submit your bid for the very latest Metrostyle Cabinet Pianola, which can be attached to any piano.
Bid as much or as little as you please—agree to pay all cash or in payments, as best suits you; and, remember, the best bids secure the four new pianos and the pianola.
Ten cents must accompany each bid to show good faith. This fee will also be turned over to the association treasurer.
Submit as many bids as you please, each in a separate envelope, addressed to Mr. S. L. Gilman, account of Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. Building Fund Committee, care Ellers Piano House.
has looked into the matter and believes that Mr. Bicknell cannot recover for the alleged overcharge.
Bicknell loaded six horses at Vale for Bancroft. The rate between Vale and Bancroft—at Nampa, Idaho—Bicknell loaded four more horses into the same car. The contract of the railroad company does not provide for stopovers for reloading other stock and how the shipper in this instance obtained the stopover is not explained.
Bicknell was charged \$4.60 for the six horses from Vale to Bancroft. He was also charged \$4 for shipping four horses from Nampa to Bancroft. The charge was made the same as though the stock was in separate shipments, in two different cars, and it is against this that Bicknell protests. By an examination of the tariff books it is shown that Bicknell could have shipped the ten horses to Bancroft for \$4.60 cheaper if he had shipped the first six from Vale to Nampa then secured a new contract and shipped the entire ten from Nampa to Bancroft.
Christmas cards, New Year cards, art calendars, exclusive lines imported and domestic. The Novel Shop, 124 Fifth street, near Washington.
Eye glasses, 31 at Metzger's.