

We Carry Over 150 Models in Royal Worcester and Bon Ton Corsets--Exclusive Portland Agents, Price 50c Up

The Ladies' Home Journal Patterns are sold here. We have the exclusive agency Prices **10¢** and **15¢**. Summer quarterly Style Books on sale at Pattern Department. Price, including a free pattern **20c**

Dinner Sets--50 Pieces--\$3.25

More bargains brought forth for Wednesday from our splendid sale of Dinnerware. The bargain mentioned in the headline is on a white semi-porcelain ware, 50 pieces, regularly worth \$4.45, for **\$3.25**

60-piece set, regular price \$5.60, for **\$4.15**
100-piece set, regular price \$8.70, for **\$6.65**

SEMI-PORCELAIN DINNER SETS, with small floral spray and green shading decoration. 50-piece sets, \$6.30 value, for **\$5.00**
60-piece set, regularly \$8.00, at **\$6.35**
100-piece set, regularly \$12.45, at **\$9.20**

HAVILAND FRENCH CHINA, pink spray decoration with gold-traced handles and knobs. 60-piece, special for this sale **\$20.50**
100-piece set, special for this sale **\$29.90**

HAVILAND CHINA DINNER SETS, neat spray decorations, solid gold handles and knobs. 60-piece, special only **\$30.23**
100 pieces, special for this sale at **\$44.50**

ODD HAVILAND CHINA DINNER SETS, quite a goodly number in the lot, closing out at one third less than regular price. We are showing new lines of Decorated Semi-Porcelain Dinnerware, open stock patterns. We are showing new Alcohol Cook Stoves, Trays, Sugar and Creamers, Chafing Dishes, Kettles and Stands, in the mission effect, in both nickel and copper.

\$1.50 Shirts for 79c Ea

Plain or pleated bosom Golf Shirts for men, coat styles, in dark or light patterns and a splendid assortment to make your selection from; all sizes and sleeve lengths, good quality, fast color, materials in the most wanted of prevailing styles, separate or attached cuffs. Regular value up to **79c** \$1.50. Special for Wednesday only **79c**

Olds, Wortman & King



Fancy Ribbons

Embroideries and Accessories for Wednesday

EMBROIDERIES—Special lot of Swiss and Nainsook materials from 4 to 18 inches wide. These have just been received and they're handsome patterns. There are also some Embroidered Bands to match the edges. These are very desirable for the new flounce skirts. Two lots—values up to \$1.00 at **49¢** the yard, and values to 75¢ at **39c**

RIBBONS—Novelty Ribbons of extra fine quality silk in the newest spring colorings and designs. There are fancy stripes, plaids and Dresden effects, and they come from 3 1/2 to 6 inches wide. You'll wait a long time before there's another ribbon bargain like this, so supply your needs now. Regular values up to \$1.00 the yard at **59c**

15c Ruchings 8c

Neck lengths in all kinds and colorings, net chiffon or mousseline de soie, values up to 15c at **8c**

Hair Ribbons 25c

Six inches wide and all silk, just the right weight and widths for hair ribbons. Special, the yard **25c**

\$2.75 Belts \$1.98

Persian or Tinsel Belts, fitted with good quality buckles, values to \$6.00 at **\$3.98**, and to \$2.75 at **\$1.98**

Lace Bands 48c

Also Colored Dress Trimmings in all the new shades, values to \$4.00 at **\$1.98**, to \$2.00 at **98¢**, and to \$1.00 at **48c**

Silk Gloves 85c

Two-clasp style Gloves in all the new shades, wistaria, mais; rose, etc, to match spring gowns, pair **85c**

\$1 Laces 29c Yd

Venise Lace Edges and Bands, Oriental Edges and Bands and Net Top Laces, values up to \$1.00 yard **29c**

Kid Gloves 79c

Odd sizes in one-clasp style Cape Gloves for women, also two-clasp Kid Gloves, values to \$1.50 the pair **79c**

20c Kerchiefs 10c

Pure Irish Linen, sheer quality, with 1/4 or 1/8-inch hems, worth to 20c each. Special Wednesday **10c**

Underwear Elastic Ribbed Underwear for summer—Pants, Vests or Union Suits. Vests are low cut and without sleeves; pants are knee length, with tight or umbrella knee; union suits are knee length, lace trimmed low cut and sleeveless. Values up to \$1.00 **48c**

Child's Hose There are lace effects or plain 1x1 ribbed Stockings. There are fast black or fancy colors in cardinal, sky, pink or tan. There are all-over laces and boot laces. There are the regulation child's hose and those with full fashioned leg and foot. All at one **17c**

Children's Dresses at 69c



Slightly Dresses of fast color, good-wearing gingham, in Buster Brown, French or fancy effects; checks, stripes, etc. Sizes 1 to 4 years. Prices as follows—
Reg. 85c values, each **69¢** \$1.50 and \$1.65 val. **\$1.19**
Reg. \$1.00 val., each **87¢** \$1.75 values, each **\$1.39**
Reg. \$1.25 val., each **98¢** \$2.00 and \$2.25 val. **\$1.68**

Waists at Half Price

A lot of about 200 very smart White Waists offered for tomorrow at half their real worth. Stylish bodices of good quality material. Originally marked at prices that were none too high—the low prices that have helped make this department the bargain center as well as the style center of the northwest. Plain tailored, embroidered tailored and embroidered lingerie effects, pleated or tucked, regularly worth from \$1.50 to \$6.00 each. Choice for Wednesday at **HALF**



The Towel Sale Is Tremendous --- Bargains

Every one with towels to buy should come promptly, for large as the assortments are, immense quantities are being sold, and if you wait, we may have to tell you that the towels you came especially to buy are all sold. Our customers tell us these are the very best towel bargains we've ever given, and former records for values at these April sales are hard to beat.

Hand Towels Special at 5c

Good quality of white Hand Towels, with hemmed ends, 100 in the April sale; special 5c for today at, each **5c**

Huck Towels Special 10c

Good heavy weight Huck, made with hemmed ends, splendid for hotels and rooming house. Special at, each **10c**

Bath Towels Special at 17c

Bath Towels, heavy bleached, with hemmed ends, large size, special sale price **17c**

Huck Towels Special 12 1/2c

Large Hemmed Huck Towels, with red border; special for today's selling, each **12 1/2c**

Trimmed Hats Fourth Less

Special Table at \$3.95

Note special bargain table of smart hats at this low special price.



An exciting special that takes in a superb assortment of smart Trimmed Hats, regularly worth up to \$20.00. There is a wealth of choice in trimming, in color, in shape and in general effect. Jaunty, piquant affairs of distinctive elegance and decided originality. For Wednesday's selling we offer you about 200 trimmed with flowers, wings, quills, silk or ribbon, etc. Regularly worth from \$3 to \$20 at **ONE FOURTH LESS**

LARGEST TRAIN PORTLAND BOUND

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pasco, Wash., April 20.—The largest freight train ever pulled out of this place (and Pasco is famous for freight trains) consisted of 194 cars, drawn by one engine, bound for Portland over the North Bank railroad. If anything were needed to demonstrate the supremacy

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of Portland in the inland empire territory, say those who know, this one would furnish conclusive evidence for all time.
To have hauled the same tonnage over the mountains to Puget sound would have required at least four trains with double headers over the mountain division, with crews and extra equipment to handle the extra trains. It is an easy matter to see how freight can be pulled down the river since the new road was opened up. But with all the big trains that have gone out of this place the record remained for the regular freight crew on the Portland run. Ordinary trains consist of 50 to 75 cars, while on the Northern Pacific the trains usually make up with 20 to 30 to Hillsboro, when the steep grade up the Cascades is first encountered. Then additional motive power is needed.
"Down the River" Means Little.
And "power the river" means but little to the North Bank railroad, for it is as easy to pull a large train up the river as it is to handle it going down. There is not a foot of the line that has a grade to speak of, the bed being practically level all the way from Pasco to Vancouver. Engineers say that it requires as much steam to pull down the river as it does to make the trip upward, as there is scarcely a foot of the line where the grade is heavy enough to allow a train to move without the aid of steam.
The movement of freight and of passengers has increased every day since the new line was opened, and the objective point of all the business of the line is Portland. This fall, when the movement of grain begins, will for the first time be realized something of the immense volume of business which the line will handle, and an idea will then be formed of the immense tonnage which has been diverted from the northern section of the inland empire over the mountains to Puget sound, solely because of transportation. The line was opened down the Columbia.
The largest position bridge in the world connects Colacota with Howrah.

WILL WRITE IN WORDS OF FIRE

Local Capitalists Organize to Promote Novel Advertising Device.

Local capitalists are organizing a company of which A. C. Thompson, a San Francisco business man who recently moved to Portland, is to be president and manager, for the construction and displaying of electric sign writing contrivances in 12 coast cities. The capitalization will be \$100,000. Locations for two of the contrivances have already been secured in Seattle, where they will attract the attention of visitors to the exposition. Later this season several signs will be erected in Portland and in other cities of the coast.
"Electric sign writing," said Mr. Thompson this morning, "is an invention of comparatively recent date. A keyboard similar to that on a typewriter operates electric contacts upon which print not in letters of ink but of fire. A recent improvement to the original invention makes it possible to show 10 different signs in a minute, or one every six seconds. The letters are made 16 feet high and the entire sign will be 165 feet long. The cost of such apparatus is \$5000. More than 1700 incorporation lamps are required in the operation of the apparatus. Any letter of the alphabet may be made in any letter space by touching the proper contacts. While one sign is being displayed the next is being prepared by means of a double keyboard.
The principal use to which the in-

vention has been put in the east has been in the displaying of election returns by Chicago and New York newspapers. It was found possible to display the returns from a point 200 feet above the ground so as to be plainly visible over a distance of four blocks. Four blocks in Chicago are about equal in length to seven blocks in Portland, so that it is expected to be possible to flash the signs in view of many thousands of people.
Mr. Thompson stated this morning that the work of organization would be completed at once and the installation of electric sign writing equipment commenced during the next few weeks.
A BEAUTIFUL HEAD OF HAIR IS A WOMAN'S RICHEST TREASURE. DO NOT NEGLECT IT, LET IT BECOME GRAY OR FADED. USE

Hay's Hair Health

and it will be RESTORED TO ITS NATURAL COLOR and beauty; the scalp will be clean, the hair healthy, glossy and luxuriant—something to be proud of and to be admired. Then keep it so in the future by its regular use. IS NOT A DYE.
#1 AND #2. BOTTLES, AT DRUGGISTS.
Hay's Hair Cream, pure, clean, red, and keeps the hair soft and pliable. Keeps skin soft and soft. The Argemone Seed Oil, for free hair.
Cared the Hair. "The Care of the Hair."
Philo Roy Spec. Co., Newark, N. J.
WOODARD CLARK & CO. BIRMINGHAM DRUG CO.

STEAMER RACE ENDS IN COURT

Owners of Dalles City Sue Charles R. Spencer for Damages.

The tale of a steamboat excursion and its disastrous end is being told today in the federal court. The suit is for damages in the sum of \$10,000 brought by the owners of the Dalles City against the steamer Charles R. Spencer.
On the morning of May 21, 1908, with rival bands playing, the competing steamers Dalles City and Charles R. Spencer, decked with flags, left for the upper Columbia. The Dalles City pulled out from the Alder street dock about two minutes before 7 a. m. and the Spencer left at 7, both passing through the draw of the steel bridge at the same time.
Then followed some unusual occurrences. Anxious to gain time the steamers raced down river. The Spencer was slowly but surely gaining on her rival. Passengers crowded to the guards, the excitement was intense. The Spencer tried to pass on the starboard side and failed. A second attempt was made and was about to be successful, apparently, when the Dalles City suddenly turned and crossed directly in front of the Spencer.
The crash that followed blew out the cylinder heads of the Dalles City, smashed her stern and strained the whole vessel. Attorneys Standers and Allen, for the Dalles City, are attempt-

BABY BOY SHOT BY ACCIDENT; MAY DIE

(United Press Landed Wire.)
Spokane, Wash., April 20.—Freddie Hildebrand, two and a half years old, was shot in the head and dangerously wounded today by a small boy across the street with a .25 caliber revolver. The child is the son of Gabriel Hildebrand. The police are unable to find the boy who did the shooting.
Holy Cross Church Fair.
Opening tonight, a fair will be held throughout the week at the Holy Cross church, Portsmouth station, by the women of the congregation. All kinds of fancy articles, silverware and furniture will be sold. Lunch will be served every day from 11:30 o'clock until 1:30 o'clock and dinner from 5 o'clock to 7:30 o'clock in the evening. A special chicken dinner will be on the program Saturday evening. Music will be furnished and all efforts will be made to entertain the visitors. No charge will be made for admission.

Los Angeles Today.

The Los Angeles team opens a week's series with Portland on the Vaughn street grounds this afternoon.
In the opening series the Angels captured four of the seven games from Portland.
More than 7,500,000,000 telephone messages were sent in the United States last year, the number of instruments in service having grown to exceed the 7,500,000 mark.

A new weed destroyer for gardeners combines a narrow spade with a pair of jaws, operated from the handle in such a manner as to lift weeds which the spade has loosened.

There may be some extravagance in the talk one often hears concerning the qualities claimed for certain breakfast foods.

But people who have them regularly for breakfast say that Shakespeare himself would have found it impossible to describe the "fetching" flavor and appetizing crispness of

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