

White Union Linen Suits, \$1.39

For Friday we offer the remaining stock of these summer suits at \$1.39. We have all sizes in stock. The coats are 40 inches long, trimmed with large black jet buttons. Skirts are made full, in wide flare fashion. At the price we offer we would urge an early selection, as they are bound to be sold before noon.

MERCHANDISE OF MERIT ONLY

Lipman-Wolfe & Co.

Mill End Sale Outing Flannel, 8c

For Friday we place on sale Mill End lengths of Outing Flannels of 36 different patterns, in 5, 5½ and 6 yard lengths. These goods sell regularly at 12½c, but being short ends, we are able to sell them at 8c a yard.

Embroidery Values to \$1.00, 18-inch Flounces, Bands, Insertions, Friday at 25c

10,000 YARDS EMBROIDERIES, 25c NECK WEAR 1500 PAIRS OF LACE CURTAINS

We received a shipment of 10,000 yards embroideries, the surplus pieces of a Swiss manufacturer in St. Gaul. This importation was not due to arrive in Portland until about the middle of September and was intended for a monster Fall Embroidery event. These goods were received yesterday.

The manager of our embroidery department was so enthusiastic over the lot that he persuaded us not to wait until September, but to place them on sale Friday; claiming that the values were so great, and the patterns so dainty, that although it is the dulllest month in the year, this sale is bound to be a success; and that all women who share in this bargain sale will receive the greatest embroidery bargain ever offered.

In this immense shipment will be found Swiss, nainsook and cambric, 18-inch flounces, demi-flounce, bands, insertions, corset cover embroideries, in Anglaise and French effects in hundreds of pretty, artistic, neat patterns. The values of these embroideries run easily to \$1.00 a yard. Friday the entire lot goes on sale for only 25c a yard.



For Friday's big selling event at our Ladies' Neckwear Section, we offer ladies' embroidered linen Collars, novelty Tabs, Rabats, Jabots and other Neckwear Novelties. All of this season's best and newest styles. Values to 50c each, Friday 25c

In keeping with the other big sales throughout the store for Friday, we place on sale in our curtain department one of the biggest values of the year. 1500 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains in both plain and figured centers, pretty refined borders, white or Arabian colors. Come in 3 yard lengths, 45 and 50 inches wide; these curtains run in value to \$1.75 a pair, and we believe at 98c they are the very best values we have offered for many seasons. All hotels, rooming houses and shrewd housewives should take advantage of this midsummer sale. A display of these curtains will be made in our curtain department.



BELOW WE GIVE A LIST OF EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS

UND'R MUSLIN SALE, 98c



600 Ladies' Night Gowns, the biggest values we have ever offered in our Undermuslin Department. The gowns offered come in nainsook, cambric and long cloth; in slipover, open-front, "V" shaped, high and circular neck styles, with short puff or flowing sleeves. The trimmings are of dainty lace insertion, ribbon, embroidery and French banding. These gowns come to us far below their regular value. They sell regularly at \$1.50. For Friday, 98c

KIMONOS LAWN, 98c

Ladies' Long and Short Fancy Lawn Kimonos in a great variety of styles and colorings. Just the thing that you want for this hot weather. These kimonos sell as high as \$2.25 each. For Friday we have taken them all and placed them on sale at 98c

LAWN KIMONOS DRESSING SACQUES

Ladies' Short Kimonos and Dressing Sacques in lawn; in Dutch and square collar styles. Made in pretty patterns of feather-weight lawn; in light and dark grounds. Regular price of these kimonos runs to \$1.00 each. Special for Friday, 59c

JAPANESE LINEN 39c Yd.

1000 pieces of Japanese Hand-Drawn Linen, in round and square, 18x18 Battenberg centerpieces, the center of which is elaborately hand-drawn. These sell regularly at 75c each, Friday 39c. Also, another size, 12x12, regular price of which is 50c, Friday 29c

36-IN LONG CLOTH REG \$1.50 VALUE

We are also offering for Friday Bargain Day 36-inch Long Cloth in an extra soft finish ready for the needle, 12 yards to a piece. This quality is most suitable for women's underwear. For Fri., a piece \$1.08

CRETONNE DRAPERY FRIDAY SPECIAL 7½c

New designs and patterns in cretonnes. An unusual opportunity to buy this popular article at a very low figure.

GERMAN LINENS, 98c

A very special bargain is offered today in silver-bleached German Linen Table Cloths. The actual size of these cloths is 2¾ yards long by 1¾ yards wide. Have finished border on all four sides and are hemmed, ready for use. These table cloths will stand severest usage and take the place of cloths at much higher prices. This is a very special bargain.

50c Ladies' Imptd. Blk Stockings, pr. 35c

Lisle; lace, wool and all-over lace. All patterns.

50 Ladies' Mercerized Lisle S'tkings 35c

Tan, full fashioned, spliced heels, toes and soles.

AMERICAN SHIRTS 95c

2000 men's high grade tropical weight Summer Shirts in soft, madras and percale; plaited and soft bosoms, in a variety of light and dark colors. These shirts are guaranteed to be a perfect fit and finely tailored. Regular price \$1.50, special 95c at

MEN'S VESTS FRIDAY 95c

We are closing out our entire stock of men's White and Fancy Summer Vests. In stripes, figures and plain fabrics. Regular price of these vests run up to \$2.50 apiece, Friday 95c

SWISS UNDERVESTS 25c

35c Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, each Plain or fancy trimmed. 50c Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, each Extra good value, plain or fancy trimmed; silk taped. 79c Ladies' Extra Swiss Vests at, ea. Fine ribbed, handsomely trimmed. 75c Ladies' Ribbed Union Suits at, ea. Swiss, plain or trimmed yokes; umbrella style. \$1.38 Ladies' Swiss Union Suits at, ea. Extra fine, ribbed, plain or trim'd yokes. Tight knee.

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GRAPE JUICE—Quarts 39c Pints 19c

FRENCH HAIR NETS

Extra large Contour Fringe Net, made from best quality fiber; come in all shades; special 19c for Friday. 50c all around Pompadour Hair Rolls, large and fluffy, net covered, all shades; special for Friday 35c. 50c large Barettes, come in many fancy cut designs, either shell or amber. Special 29c. 50c Plain or Sculptured Back Combs, any style, shell or amber, at 33c. Switches, extra full, made from good quality of hair; all shades. Special 1.49. 65c—2000 pairs of Ladies' Stockings 25c. Samples, all imported goods; all colors, all fancy stripes and figures.

COUNTY COURT SUSPECTS TRUST

Identical High Bids in Blank Books Received From Portland Firms.

That the county court will send away from Portland for its blank books hereafter rather than be held up for what it considers an exorbitant price by local firms, evidence of what appears to be a strong combine between the local blank book manufacturers was brought to light yesterday morning. In the past six months the county court has bought its blank books for \$3.80 in 50 book lots, and never paid more than \$14.40 for single books. Yesterday when bids for 150 books were opened, it was discovered that the bidders, six local firms, would want \$14.40 per book, every bid being the same. There being no question of collusion between the bidders, the court ordered the bids rejected and the work may now be sent away from the city. A certified check covering its bid was received from an eastern firm, and the letter explained that their representative, Frank H. Beverly, would submit a bid, but the aforesaid Mr. Beverly failed to put in his appearance. Whether or not he was induced to remain away by the local bidders is something that is now puzzling the county court. The question will probably be solved by communicating with the head of the firm, which is located in St. Louis. The Portland firms, whose bids were identical, are: Howe-Davis company, Bushong & Co., Irwin-Hodson company, Glass & Prichard, Portland Printing house, Loyd & Lincoln.

WITHOUT FOOD TWO DAYS IN HILLS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) North Yakima, Wash., Aug. 18.—Fred E. Reed, who is connected with the Union Ditch company of this valley, wandered for two days in the mountains without food. He had been camping at Lake Keechelus and was lost in the woods last Saturday. For two days he wandered and several times was on the point of giving up, when finally he came out on the railroad track many miles from the lake. He was in a pitiable condition.

PORTLAND MEN TOO NERVOUS TO CARRY COFFEE ON A TRAY

Are Portland men the most nervous chaps on earth? They are, if the manager of one of the biggest cafeterias is to be believed. This man, after many years' experience in all the large cities in the United States, states that right here in Portland the young men show the unsteadiest nerves he has ever seen. He doesn't attribute it to dissipation nor ill health, but to a superabundance of energy. The whole ground of his argument lies in the fact that not one Portland man out of 500 can carry a cup of coffee across the restaurant without spilling it. "Of course the great thing about a cafeteria," he said today, "is the fact that each man is his own waiter. Looks easy, doesn't it, to pick up your tray and skidoo for a table with two hot eggs, a stack of toast and a cup of coffee. But it ain't. No, sir, not for these Portlanders. Just pipe off that chap there—see him grab that tray and skidoo away as if it was easy—there goes his coffee—never falls. "Now that fellow ain't no early rising fella imbibing chap with the dust of the Tavern road in his mouth at 6 a. m. He's a nice, well set up duck with muscles and nerves. It ain't shaky

WILL CONTEST WILL OF MRS. HILLBOURNE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Walla Walla, Wash., Aug. 19.—To break the will of his mother, H. C. Hillbourne has sent an attorney from Chicago, who will put this matter in the courts. Hill arrived here yesterday and at once took the matter up with Mrs. J. E. Berryman, who is Hillbourne's sister and the legatee of their mother. When Mrs. Hillbourne died she left all her estate to Mrs. Berryman, her daughter. Hill says his client did not first intend to take the matter up, but has now decided, a year after the will was probated, to make a fight. "The estate is worth many thousands of dollars, just how much cannot be known."

LA GRANDE PREPARES FOR COUNTY FAIR

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) La Grande, Or., Aug. 19.—La Grande and Union county are preparing to hold

their most successful fair here in October. It is estimated that there will be 400 head of the finest stock seen in Oregon on exhibition and all of this stock will come from Union and Walla Walla counties. At a meeting of the board of directors of the fair last night, committees were appointed and today actual work for securing the mammoth tent, under which the stock will be exhibited, was commenced. The fair will be held on the streets of La Grande. Heretofore all of the county fairs were held at the fair grounds, three miles from the city. An effort was made to secure the aid of Walla Walla county and hold what they would have termed a district fair, but Walla Walla declined to do this, but consented to send their exhibitors as Walla Walla county exhibits to the Union county fair. Another feature of the exposition is that of the collection of all of the old relics of the two counties. Relics of pioneer days in eastern Oregon are preferred. Already there is a very rare collection of these curios and some of them with quite a history.

New Notaries.

(Sales Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Aug. 19.—Notarial commissions have been issued to J. A. Arment and Thomas A. Hayes, Portland.

JOHN REED IS FOUND IN RIVER

Believed to Be Victim of Accident When Intoxicated.

Fished from the Willamette river about 8 o'clock today at the North Bank wharf, foot of Seventeenth street, the body of a laborer about 45 years old, later identified as John Reed, lies at the morgue. "I suppose I see 5000 men every day try that stunt, and I'll bet not one in a hundred gets the prize ring from the slided bar. Nerves, lots of 'em, good and heavy and strong. Grit, grit and get up and get all over 'em. Most of the men in the world. Fit as fiddles and prove it by spilling their coffee every time. So if you eat at a cafeteria and can't reach the table with a full cup, don't worry. It only means that you're feeling fine and need to get down to hard work and trim your nerves to the day's toll. "Early this morning deckhands on the Alhena ferry, W. S. Mason spied the body of the man floating down the river. It was later fished out of the water at the North Bank wharf by deputies from the coroner's office, who were notified by the ferry crew.

ADVERSE REPORT ON DEBT IMPRISONMENT

London, Aug. 19.—A committee of the house of commons appointed to investigate the system of imprisoning men who refuse to pay their debts reported today against the law. They claim that unscrupulous persons have long used it as a means of blackmailing friends and relatives of debtors. The committee reported that 10,000 men were jailed annually because they refused to part with their money in payment of just claims. Shopkeepers and business men are strong for the system and will fight against the law's repeal.

San Francisco \$5

Including Meals and Berth, Second Class. LOW RATES TO LOS ANGELES Train Time Equal—2 Nights to San Francisco, 3 to Los Angeles. S. S. STATE OF CALIFORNIA (L. N. ROPANDER, Master) Sails Saturday, August 21, 9 a. m. M. J. ROCHE, City Ticket Agent J. W. RANSOM, Dock Agent 142 3d St. Main 402, A-1402—Phones—Main 268. Ainsworth Dock.

AT THE THEATRES

Sale Opens Tomorrow at Bungalow.

The advance seat sale will open tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at box office the Bungalow theatre, for the sensational New York comedy success, "The Girl From Rector's," which will be the attraction at the above theatre all next week beginning Sunday night, August 22, with a special price matinee Saturday.

Comedy Act at Orpheum.

Cunningham and Marion, presenting "An Acrobatic Talker," have an extremely funny act which is all this peculiar title implies, combining acrobatic comedy, singing, dancing and a routine of clever witticisms, which alone would rank as a specialty. Orpheum matinee daily.

"Doris" at the Lyric.

Pretty Priscilla Knowles is winning hearts at every performance of "Doris" at the Lyric this week. Ask any one who has seen her. It is the greatest drama with a moral greater than a sermon, and gives the Athlon stock company a splendid opportunity to introduce its players. Matinee Saturday and every evening this week.

Cool at Pantages.

An innovation in vaudeville circles has been introduced at Pantages, where boys with drinking water pass the cool liquid to patrons during the performance, making the Stark street showhouse a popular place these warm evenings. An excellent bill is offered, including the famous Bonwell troupe and Mary Hampton company.

An Italian Nightingale.

Voices such as that possessed by

Vera De Bassini are seldom heard in vaudeville. Miss De Bassini, who is one of the hits on the big bill at the Grand this week, has a grand opera voice and has been styled with justice "the Italian nightingale." Lovers of music have been flocking to the theatre this week to hear the phenomenal voice.

Tabernacle Choir.

The famous Tabernacle choir from Salt Lake, which is to make its first appearance in Portland at the Baker theatre, Tuesday, August 24, will contain 225 picked voices from the Mormon state, under the direction of Evan Stephens, who has been the conductor of this celebrated organization for many years. Seat sale opens Monday morning 10 a. m.

The Oaks.

Sunday's record crowd at the Oaks seems to have had its effect in taking people out to the beautiful park on the Willamette. Mrs. Schell and her performing lions, Prince and Babe, have made a distinct hit with the host of visitors that throng the beautiful park afternoons and evenings.

CENTRALIA SOON TO BE LINKED WITH U. P.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Centralia, Wash., Aug. 19.—Work on the 12 mile link of railroad connecting Centralia with the Union Pacific's Grays Harbor line at Rochester began today when Samuel B. James, who has a contract to clear the right of way from Rochester, five miles toward Centralia, began work. As fast as he can clear the right of way he will be followed by graders. Materials and a large force of men have been assembled. The contract for the clearing of all the right of way has been let. The contract to do the grading was let some time ago. There is very little grading

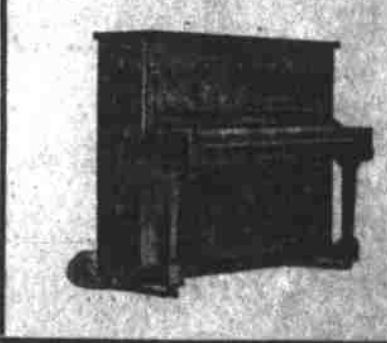
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or clearing of right of way to be done, as the country between Centralia and Rochester is very level. According to contract this strip of road must be completed by the time the Union Pacific's new line to Grays Harbor is completed. The indications are that Centralia will be the center of much railroad work in the near future. Within the last two days camps for railroad graders have been established, one just south of the city, and another about two miles north of the city. In the south camp are 15 horses. They are here to work on the double tracking of the Northern Pacific. Tomorrow (Friday) is positively the last day for discount on east side gas bills. Read "Gas Tips."