

FENDER BROKEN ON WAY TO TEST TRACK

Streetcar Device of American Fender Co. Strikes Projection; Another Tested.

The best looking fender that has been seen in Portland yet is that of the American Fender Company, F. A. Nelson, vice-president of the company, journeyed out from Brooklyn to demonstrate the device, which he says is successful use in Brooklyn, Cleveland, Eau Claire, Wis., and a number of other cities.

Unfortunately the fender came in contact with a projection on its way to the testing track at Twenty-sixth and Upshur streets yesterday and was broken. Another fender of the same type will be shipped over from Seattle this week and it will be given a trial next Tuesday afternoon.

Mayor Simon, Councilmen Lombard, Conannon, Rushlight, Belding, Kubli, Ellis and Wallace, and a large number of interested spectators were present at the demonstration trials.

Mr. Nelson brought the pieces of his fender down anyway and explained the principle on which it is supposed to work. The fender consists of a flat iron-framed wire screen, which projects forward, parallel to and a few inches above the rails, and another screen at right angles to this and parallel to the front of the car. An automatic tripper projects beyond the fender, and when this strikes an object the projecting part of the fender is thrown down on the rails and held there with a 700-pound pressure from the compressed air tank on the car. This action of the fender prevents the object struck from being thrown under the wheels.

Those who saw the fender were much impressed with its possibilities and regret was expressed by many that the accident should have happened at such an inopportune time.

The only fender actually tried yesterday afternoon was that of the Eugene Fender company, of Eugene, Or. This is a simple device, which operated very satisfactorily when standing or being dummies were struck, but was ineffective for objects in a reclining position.

DAVENPORT TALKS ON FINE ARABIAN HORSES

The story of the noble horse, man's most faithful friend, has a new meaning to an Oregonian after he listens to Homer Davenport's "Travels in Arabia." The story of a poor boy's dream of the perfect Arabian horse, of a life-long purpose to go to the desert beyond the plain where the Christ taught the brotherhood of man, of the ultimate success of the tremendous undertaking, is interlined in the narrative of travel in a land among the strangest of strange people.

Davenport's love for the horse overshadows his descriptive powers, but adds interest to a tale full of pathos and human interest.

Arabian Horses Finest.
Strange, indeed, is the fact that far out in the Arabian desert, with its scorching heat, its desolate barrenness, its wild tribes of ebony-hued men, are to be found the finest horses in all the world. Yet when one considers that for thousands of years the Arabians have studied the horse as no other people have, it is not to be considered unlikely. The commercial spirit has not attacked the wild tribes on the Arabian desert.

Homer Davenport tells the story of the long journey to interior Arabia, of the trials of life among people 1000 years behind American civilization, in an interesting manner, illustrating the principal features with views taken where the camera is unknown, and where the religious ban is placed on pictures. The pictures of the great tent settlements among the nomadic tribes have intense interest for the student of human progress.

Little Known of Interior.
Interior Arabia is a country of which but little is known because travelers fear the tortures of the climate and the isolation of the desert. The country comprises over 1,000,000 square miles in area, with no forests and in many places no vegetation to speak of. Coffee, aloes, gum arabic and myrrh are the principal exports. Ostriches and gazelles range in large numbers on the open country. Camels are as common in ports of Arabia as horses are in Oregon, and sell for less money.

In order that high school students may have opportunity to hear Mr. Davenport's lecture it will be repeated Friday night at the White Temple, to which school children will be admitted for 25c each.

BRITISH COLUMBIA TO STOP LOG EXPORTING

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Victoria, B. C., March 23.—Arrangements are being perfected by the attorney general's department for a much more stringent and effective enforcement of the law prohibiting the export of unmanufactured British Columbia logs. In the past steamers found with booms in tow suspected of being bound for a foreign port, have merely given bonds and escaped, it being impossible as a general thing for identification to follow the logs, and convictions as a rule being attended with the utmost difficulty. Hereafter the government proposes to accept no more bonds, but to seize both steamer and tow where infraction of the law can be brought home, selling both logs and vessel as equally guilty principals.

No High Heels in This School.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Pittsburg, March 23.—French heels are tabooed at the girls' high school here. This action was taken by the school authorities after a number of students in the physical culture class appeared in the gymnasium wearing the slim-heeled shoes. The superintendent of the schools says the edict will be enforced.

FINGER MARKS LEAD TO ARREST OF YEGG

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, March 23.—The authorities are scouring San Francisco for two well known eastern yeggmasters when the Guemesville post-office Saturday night and escaped with \$700 of the government's money. They left no clew except finger marks on the door of the safe. Copies were taken of the finger prints and sent to Frank H. De Pue of the state bureau of identification. A short time later De Pue gave

the officials the name of one of the burglars and he expects soon to learn the identity of the other, by comparing the prints with his record book of finger prints.

During the past few weeks De Pue has been successful in landing three gangs of safecrackers by his finger print methods.

WOULD-BE AFFINITY REPULSED KILLS HIMSELF

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, March 23.—After being refused a kiss by Mrs. Joseph Borno of 2208 Buchanan street, at whose head he held a revolver to enforce his re-

quest, Alfred Peterson of 1169 Vermont street went to his home and shot himself through the head while the police were searching for him. Peterson died at the Lane hospital. He leaves a wife and two children.

Peterson had been married several years. Until a month ago his wife and he were contented. Then he met Mrs. Borno. He became infatuated with her and called frequently, when her husband was at home. He neglected his work and his own family.

He gave no intimation of his affection for Mrs. Borno, until he found her at home alone. Then he pressed a revolver to her head and demanded that she kiss him. She refused and in the

ensuing struggle he dropped the revolver. He then hastened home and shot himself.

GIRLS DON MALE ATTIRE TO SEE CITY; ARRESTED

San Francisco, March 23.—Margaret McCarthy and May Sullivan, two pretty girls from Los Angeles, are in the city jail today because they donned male attire and started to explore Chinatown.

Miss Sullivan is the daughter of Michael Sullivan, superintendent of streets in Los Angeles. The young women, who are 18 years

old, have been guests at the Hotel Piedmont. They borrowed the necessary clothes from male friends.

The girls had reached California and Stockton streets, the heart of the Chinese quarter, when they were noticed by Policeman Curtis. He observed that they took unusually short steps. A hurried investigation was made, and then two tearful young women were bundled into a patrol wagon.

Operator Enriched by Stock Tips.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, March 23.—The foundation of a fortune of \$30,000 was laid from stock report tips sent out by telegraph, according to the testimony of

Alfred Wood Wehe, whose examination in bankruptcy proceedings is pending today before Referee Green. Wehe said that he and his wife had been sending operators on a stock wire several years and made discreet investments on tips received. Wehe did not explain how he worked the plan. The bankruptcy investigation is to determine whether Wehe, who is a real estate man, transferred property to his wife and friends to place it beyond the reach of creditors.

Japan Land Ownership Regulated.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Tokyo, March 23.—The house of peers today passed the bill regulating the ownership of land in Japan by foreigners. The bill was so amended in the

house of representatives that only foreigners resident in Japan might own land. Preparations were made today for the formal adjournment of the diet tomorrow.

Jesse Cummins.
Walla Walla, Wash., March 23.—Jesse Cummins, who came to the Walla Walla valley in 1862, died Monday at St. Mary's hospital of typhoid fever. Old age had weakened him until he could not withstand the ravages of the disease. He leaves two sons and four brothers.

An airship which is being built for the British navy is planned to have a carrying capacity of 20 tons.

FORCED BY CIRCUMSTANCES OUT INTO THE STREET

OVER WHICH THEY HAVE NO CONTROL

LANDLORD GIVES NO WARNING, BUT LEAVES THIS CONCERN IN THE LURCH. DAVIDSON CLOTHING CO., 47 THIRD STREET, MUST FACE THE PUBLIC WITH A TALE OF WOE.

Fully expecting to retain the present location, heavy purchases were made for Spring business. New goods arriving daily, and without the slightest warning they find they must move, and move immediately.

New locations are scarce, and, in fact, at this time of year desirable storerooms are not to be found. For this reason, the DAVIDSON CLOTHING COMPANY have decided to take the time provided by law to remain in the present quarters and throw the stock out to the people at prices which will startle Portland purchasers for some time to come.

Former Efforts Will Not Be a Circumstance to This Action

INVENTORY GIVES \$27,314.62 WORTH OF NEW AND HIGH-GRADE MERCHANDISE, CONSISTING OF MEN'S HAND-TAILORED CLOTHING, FINE SHOES, HIGH-GRADE HATS, SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, HANDKERCHIEFS, NECKTIES, JEWELRY, ETC., INCLUDING THE NEW SPRING GOODS PURCHASED FOR EASTER TRADE, MUST BE SOLD REGARDLESS OF COST OR LOSS, AS THEY CANNOT AFFORD TO PACK AND STORE AWAY THIS FINE STOCK.

ALL RECORDS WILL BE BROKEN IN THE ANNALS OF BARGAIN-GIVING OPPORTUNITIES

Easter Is Almost Here

Right in the heart of the busy season, when merchants are reaping their heaviest of profits, this thunderbolt falls upon the Davidson Clothing Company, and they are forced to sacrifice their entire stock in order to give up possession of the building they now occupy.

Time is limited; but prepare yourselves for the event which must come. Thousands of dollars' worth of goods will go out of this store before you know what you're about, as the price, which will be plain on every garment, will be assurance of a speedy sale.

REMEMBER THE PLACE AND DATE

47 Third Street, Bet. Ash and Pine TOMORROW, THURSDAY, MAR. 24 1910, 9 O'CLOCK

Every Man Who

Intends buying a Spring Suit would do himself an injustice not to wait for this opportunity, which will come. You can fit yourself with the best Suit in the market, and Hat, Shoes, Furnishing Goods thrown in, for the price you would have to pay for the ordinary suit elsewhere.

THE STORE WAS CLOSED UP TIGHT MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 22 AND 23, IN ORDER TO ARRANGE, MARK STOCK AND MAKE READY FOR THE GREATEST SACRIFICE SALE THIS CITY HAS EVER KNOWN, WHICH WILL POSITIVELY OPEN

Tomorrow, Thursday, March 24, at 9 o'Clock

Photograph These Prices in Your Mind and Come to the Store and See Yourself Buying the Goods

Men's Clothing	Men's Trousers	Men's Hats	Men's Underwear	Men's Neckwear
The Clothing Department speaks for itself, with some of the best lines in the city. Strictly hand-tailored clothing, new spring styles and beautiful patterns, at positively less than cost price.	\$2.00 Corduroys95c \$2.50 Corduroys1.45 \$2.50 Worsted Pants1.45 \$3.00 Worsted Pants1.85 \$3.50 Wool Trousers2.15 \$4.00 Wool Trousers2.85 \$5.00 Dress Trousers3.15	One lot of Hats, all shapes and kinds, worth up to \$2, while they last. 95c The very best \$3.00 Hats, all kinds 1.85 Regular \$3.50 Hat, staple lines are included2.15	The very best lines of high grade Underwear, silk and woolen mixtures. French flannels, lisle thread, pure woolen garments, etc., at following prices: 50c Summer Weight, garment 24c 75c Underwear, garment39c Regular \$1.50 Fancy Worsted Wool, garment95c Regular \$5.00 Silk and Wool Underwear, garment1.35	15c Bow Ties, a few dozen only 3c 35c Four-in-hand Ties15c 50c Silk Four-in-Hand Ties19c 75c Silk Ties39c \$1.00 Heavy Silk Ties55c
Now is the time to buy your Easter Suit.				
\$10.00 Suits4.65 \$12.50 Suits6.35 \$15.00 Suits8.65 \$18.00 Suits10.95 \$20.00 Suits12.35 \$25.00 Suits and Overcoats 14.65 \$30.00 Suits and Overcoats 15.85	Men's Shoes The very best Shoes made in America are found in this store, including W. L. Douglas, Sharood makes, etc., at prices which will startle the most critical buyers.	Furnishing Goods The very best lines of Shirts, Underwear, Sox, Suspenders, Neckties, Gloves, etc., all new spring goods of the season's most popular colorings and made by the best manufacturers, must go at the following prices: Men's 50c Golf Shirts29c Men's 75c Golf Shirts39c Men's \$1.00 Dress Shirts57c Men's \$1.25 Dress Shirts78c \$1.50 and \$2.00 Dress Shirts1.15	Regular 10c Sox, fancy colors3c Reg. 15c Sox, black and tan8 1/2c Reg. 25c Heavy Cotton Hose 12 1/2c Regular 35c Lisle Hose19c Reg. 50c Silk Lisle Hose25c Reg. 50c and 65c Heavy Wool Hose27c	Men's Handkerchiefs Reg. 10c Handkerchiefs3c Reg. 12 1/2c Handkerchiefs6 1/4c Reg. 25c Cotton Kerchiefs12 1/2c Reg. 35c Irish Linen Handkerchiefs at19c Reg. 50c Silk Handkerchiefs29c Reg. 75c and \$1.00 Silk Handkerchiefs35c
Men's Work Shirts 75c Heavy Cotton Shirts39c 1.00 Madras Shirts65c 1.50 Pongee Shirts85c 2.50 Flannel Shirts1.35 \$3 and \$3.50 Fancy Flannel Shirts at1.65	\$2.50 Work Shoes1.65 \$3.00 Work Shoes1.95 \$3.50 Work Shoes2.35 \$4.00 Dress Shoes2.85 \$5.00 and \$6.00 Dress Shoes 3.35 Reg. \$6.00 High Cut Boots3.45 Reg. \$7.50 Waterproof Boots4.35	Men's Gloves Carson's \$1.50 Guaranteed Gloves95c Reg. \$2 Riding and Dress Gloves 1.15 Regular 75c Hogskin Gloves35c	Men's Hose Regular 10c Sox, fancy colors3c Reg. 15c Sox, black and tan8 1/2c Reg. 25c Heavy Cotton Hose 12 1/2c Regular 35c Lisle Hose19c Reg. 50c Silk Lisle Hose25c Reg. 50c and 65c Heavy Wool Hose27c	Suspenders Reg. 50c Police and Firemen's Suspenders23c Reg. 35c President Suspenders 19c \$1.00 Fancy Silk Suspenders55c
			Sweater Coats \$2.00 Sweater Coats1.15 \$4.00 Sweater Coats1.95	

Now is the time to stock up from one of the best stores in the city at your own price. Every garment and article in the house will be priced with the cost tag or less, and you will have all new stock from which to choose. Be on hand early and secure the choicest patterns. Crowds will attend this great sale, so you cannot afford to be late. Remember the place and the day—47 THIRD STREET, BETWEEN ASH AND PINE, TOMORROW, THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1910.

TWENTY EXTRA CLOTHING MEN WANTED AT ONCE. APPLY TO MANAGER
DAVIDSON CLOTHING CO. 47 THIRD STREET
Look for the Big Red Sign on the Building Between Ash and Pine