

PRESIDENT CALLS FARM CONFERENCE

(By United News)
Washington, Jan. 5.—The national agricultural conference summoned by President Harding through Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, to discuss measures by which the purchasing power of the farmer will be raised to a parity with that of other industrial men, opens here January 23.

In making this announcement Wallace expressed the belief that the president personally will deliver an address of welcome outlining the purposes and hopes vested in the meeting.

The list of those who will attend the conference has not been completed as yet, because invitations are still going out and acceptances are not all received, but Secretary Wallace anticipates completing the list within the next few days, it is understood.

In accordance with the president's wishes, as set forth in his letter to Secretary Wallace, the delegates to the conference will represent, not only the agricultural interests of the nation, but also the various interests which are intimately associated with agriculture—in the transportation, marketing and distribution of farm products.

A small number of men, who will be generally accepted as representing the public, will be invited, it is understood. The limit of attendance has not been fixed by Secretary Wallace, because he has indicated that his chief interest lies in making sure that the conference will be thoroughly representative.

Strahorn Decision To Expedite Work In Klamath Region

Klamath Falls, Jan. 5.—Early resumption of work on the Strahorn railroad north and east of this city, tapping one of the finest pine timber belts in the west, is seen in the report received here Wednesday from Portland that Robert E. Strahorn had won his suit against the Oregon, California & Eastern for recovery of \$472,000 in capital stock, and an amendment to transportation act which clears certain technicalities heretofore standing in the way of approval by the interstate commerce commission to floating a \$58,000 bond issue.

It has been known here for some time that Strahorn had succeeded in marketing the bonds and it is understood the suit was initiated to remove obstacles. It is believed the approval of the interstate commerce commission will be given when necessary formalities have been complied with.

Host of Initiative Measures Planned

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 5.—Repeal of the poll tax law, changing the public service commission from an appointive to an elective body, and the "home rule," or a bill giving cities of the first class right to regulate public utilities operating in them, will be among initiative measures presented to the public of the state through petitions in the near future, according to announcement made at the city hall.

Wallace Reid,
Gloria Swanson
and Elliott Dexter
in
'Don't Tell Everything!'

Now—TODAY
COLUMBIN

U. S. Compensation To Soldiers Not Subject to Tax

Seattle, Jan. 5.—Government compensation to disabled war veterans during the past year will not be taxed in the income returns which must be made before March 15, according to information given the United States veterans' bureau here by the internal revenue office. Veterans receiving government pay during vocational training are included in the new ruling as well as those receiving straight compensation for disability.

This means that many wounded veterans receiving more than \$1000 a year will not be touched by the federal income tax, while disabled veterans with families receiving as high as \$150 a month are exempt from paying tax.

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The Miller Rubber
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At, Each \$1.19
A guaranteed chocolate color Rubber Bottle with hard rubber fittings. Comes in 2 qt. size.

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Hundreds of Pairs of Men's Shoes, Women's Shoes and Oxfords In the Best Styles and Makes

At **\$4.35 Pr.**
Broken Lines From Regular Stock in This Season's Models Selling Regularly to More Than Double This Price

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Every good style for every occasion in fashionable black or brown leathers, some with light single sole and others with full double sole—models with English, medium and wide toe—all at one price, **\$4.35.**

Clearance Sale Price, **\$2.65**
1500 pr. Boys' Shoes, **\$2.65**
Both button and lace styles in reliable makes for boys and little girls. They come with narrow or wide toe in black and brown leathers—all sizes 9 to 5½, at **\$2.65** pair.

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Shoes and Oxfords in well known makes in black and brown calf and vicil kid leathers. Models with low and high heels in the Good-year, well or McKay flexible sole. The most extraordinary values at **\$4.35** pair.

Clearance Sale Price, **\$2.65**
1200 pr. Girls' Shoes, **\$2.65**
Neat, well appearing and splendid wearing shoes for misses and children. They come in black and brown leathers and in all sizes from 8½ to 11 and from 1½ to 2, at **\$2.65** pair.

All Our Knit Underwear for Women and Children At Clearance Prices

EXTRA!
Special for Friday
Women's Fleeced Cotton Vests and Tights At **25c Gar.**

Just about one-third actual value for the limited lot of Women's heavy fleeced Cotton Vests in high neck, long sleeve styles in sizes 34, 36 and 38, and Tights to match in ankle length in size 36 only. While Any Remain Friday the Price Will Be 25c Garment.

With Renewed Lots and Additional Lines Added You Can Again Profit Extraordinarily by Our

JANUARY CLEARANCE
DAINTY CREPE MUSLIN AND OUTING FLANNEL GARMENTS

at **95c**

many of which formerly sold at more than twice this price. Without reserve, we will close out our entire line of "Isersons" famous Blue Bird—Windsor Crepe—Pajamas—also the famous "Brighton" Pajamas in fancy Madras—Envelope Chemise of fine batiste with five-inch satin yoke insert with Calais lace—Gowns in heavy muslin with hand-embroidery leather stitching on yoke; also pink batiste Envelopes with French knots or in floral designs. Extra heavy outing Flannel Gowns; sizes to 50; a wonderful value—all these and many other extraordinary offerings at **95c.**

EXTRA!

About 1000 Yards
OUTING FLANNEL
Friday's Sale
At, Yard.... **15c**
A good standard quality shown in white and fancy stripe and check styles.

The Most in Value

Phenomenal Savings

The Best in Quality

BECAUSE IT SELLS FOR CASH

CONTRACT GOODS ALONE EXCEPTED
OUR WINDOWS TELL PART OF THE STORY.

Our Advertisements in the Daily Papers Tell Only of a Few of the
PHENOMENAL SAVINGS
That Abound Throughout Every Section of Every Department of This Great Store During This, Our Greatest

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Everything at a Reduced Price in Our Ready-to-Wear Section
THOSE HANDSOME LUSTROUS BLACK
PLUSH COATS
You Have Admired Are in Friday's Sale at **\$13.95**
Or If You Prefer You Have Choice From Several Attractive Styles in Velour and Rivola Cloth Coats at the Same Low Price.
Coats That Have Sold Regularly This Season Up to Twice This Figure

To the woman or young lady who would replenish her wardrobe with a fashionable Coat this will indeed be a splendid opportunity to do so at an unusual saving. The season is past with us and we now make this sacrifice in order to clear stock before inventory.

In Friday's sale you have choice from handsome lustrous black Plush Coats, others in Velours and Rivola Cloths in navy, brown and Reindeer at an astonishing price reduction—Only **\$13.95.**

Odd Lot SERGE SKIRTS in Navy and Black to Close **\$1.95** Odd Lot WOMEN'S SUITS in Brown and Navy to Close at **\$15.00**

ALL OUR GLOVES AT CLEARANCE PRICES
With This Extraordinary Offering Friday

A Great Clean-up Broken Lines of
Real Kid and Suede
GLOVES
In One and Two Clasp Styles
At **\$1.49 Pr.**
Some in Gauntlet Styles

In the Assortment Are All Sizes From 5¼ to 7½—In Black, White, Tan, Grey, Mode or Brown

Few women can well afford to miss this unusual opportunity to purchase well known and reliable makes of Real Kid and Suede Gloves at the extraordinarily low price quoted for this sale. It is a great clean-up of all broken lines and discontinued numbers, including both one and two clasp styles—and a limited number in Gauntlet style. Real

Kid Gloves with overseams in black, white, tan and grey—Suede Gloves with P. K. seams in grey, mode and brown. Fashionable, perfect fitting Gloves that will prove satisfactory in every way in Friday's Sale While Any Remain at.....

Owing to the magnitude of this sale and the extraordinary low prices at which these Gloves are sold, none will be fitted, exchanged or sent C. O. D. and no phone or mail orders filled. Each sale must be final.

EXTRA!

Fine All Wool
AUTO ROBES
Friday's Sale
At, Each.... **\$2.95**

An excellent opportunity for you to secure a fine all wool Auto Robe at little cost. Choice from plain colors and plaid styles.

EXTRA!

Ocean Blue
ENAMELED WARE
Choice **89c**
Friday, Ea. **89c**
14 and 17 Qt. Dish Pans
With Rolled Rim
10 Quart Dish Pans
With Handles
10 Quart Dish Pans
Deep Rolled Rim Pans

CLEARANCE SALE REDUCTIONS THROUGHOUT
OUR MEN'S SECTION
With These Three Specials for Friday

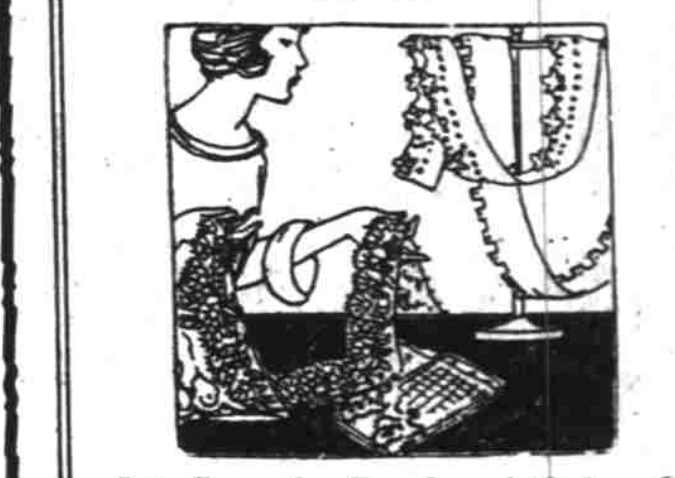
Worsted Mixed UNION SUITS At \$2.05 One of the best known makes of Men's Worsted mixed, lightweight Union Suits in regulation, perfect fitting styles in all sizes from 34 to 46.	Four-in-Hand TIES 2 for 25c A closing out of a discontinued line of Men's Four-in-Hand Ties made with open end and slip-easy band, at only a fraction of cost to us.	Wool Mixed UNION SUITS At \$1.49 Men's heavyweight, wool mixed Union Suits in natural grey, sizes 38, 42 and 44 only. A great bargain for you if you can wear any of these sizes.
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EXTRA!

Fine Household
BROOMS
2 Styles
At, Ea. **69c**
The "Tommy Tucker" Broom with metal shoulder; also the "Favorite" four sewed Broom.

All Our Fancy Goods at Clearance Sale Prices—These Offerings on Special Display Friday

All Styles, Colors and Widths in Trimming Bands



Jet, Spangle, Bead and Colored Silk Bands in This Clearance at

1/2 PRICE!

Regardless of worth or former price, we are closing out all broken lines, short bolts and surplus stock at a uniform reduction of exactly one-half price. Included are Jet, Spangle, Bead, Colored Silk and Imported Novelty Bands in desirable colorings and all widths. Although the assortment is very extensive an early selection will prove most advantageous.

At Ridiculously Low Price Friday We Will Close Out Discontinued Styles, Short Lines, Mussed Goods, Etc.,

LACES

NECKWEAR

SLIPON VEILS

RIBBONS

Embroideries, Trimmings

At **10c for Choice**

Don't Let This Low Price Deceive You. It is a Sale Worthy of Your Best Attention—Values Are Positively Sensational!

The Laces include Beading Top English Bands and Insertions, 3 to 5-inch widths in Platt Vals, Imitation Carrickmacross, Dutchess and other popular meshes; also 4 and 5-inch Bands and Insertions in Imitation Crochet, Fillet, Cluny, Brassier and others. All to Go in Friday's Sale at, yard **10c**

The Neckwear consists of all pieces or sets in Organdie, Net and Lace. Just one trip to the laundry will restore their original beauty.

The Ribbons include broken color lines in Taffetas, Moires, light and dark warp prints in 3 to 5-inch widths. Also narrow Novelty Ribbons in various colorings and styles.

The Embroideries are most exceptional values at this low price, consisting of both imported and Domestic goods in fine Baby Sets, convent edges, heading edges and Skirtings in Swiss and Cambric; also 17-inch Flouncings. All at **10c** yard.

The Trimmings include narrow Silk Braids in solid colors and novelties in quite an extensive variety of styles. Also separate Silk and Metal Medallions.

The Slip-on Veils are the imported French sort, in black, brown, navy, taupe and purple. They come in large or small hexagon meshes with handsome scroll or motif design. No Phone or Mail Order—None Sent C. O. D. or Exchanged

EXTRA!

The Dominion
ELECTRIC STOVES
Friday
Only, Ea. **\$3.39**
A fine black enameled Electric Stove or Toaster at a special price reduction.

480 **580**

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