

PUBLIC INTEREST in our MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

Increases daily. We are turning the usually quiet summer months into a busy season by reducing the prices on good, seasonable merchandise to a point which demands the attention and satisfies the instincts of every economical buyer.

Men's Suits.

Men's Suits, summer cloths and patterns; no exceptions made, but every summer suit included at following reductions:

Table with 2 columns: Price and Reduction. Items include \$10.00 suits, 12.50 suits, etc.

We guarantee every reduction genuine.

Boys' Suits.

No disappointment for our Boys' Suit customers. We please any and all who call in answer to our advertisements.

Table with 2 columns: Price and Reduction. Items include \$1.50 knee pant suits, 2.00 suits, etc.

Boys' Long Pant Suits.

Table with 2 columns: Price and Reduction. Items include \$4.00 suits, 5.00 suits, etc.

Only exception to above reductions—Black Clay Worsteds.

Men's Shirts.

We have selected a lot of ten dozen men's negligee shirts, ranging in price from 60c to \$1.00 and have marked them—choice 50c.

Another attractive lot of men's white shirts with colored bosoms, colored laundered shirts, golf shirts and persic shirts worth \$1.00 and \$1.25. Your choice 75c.

Men's Neckwear.

Missing our neckwear sale is just like passing silver dollars on the street. Exceptional offerings. Desirable patterns in puffs, tecks, handbows, clubs and four-in-hands. Values from 35c to 65c—your choice 25c.

Our regular 25c Tecks and Handbows are reduced to 15c.

Everything mentioned here is conveniently displayed.

Handkerchiefs.

See our two specials. Ladies' white lawn handkerchiefs with openwork corners, hemstitched. Good value at 10c. Sale price 5c.

Men's hemstitched fine cambric handkerchiefs, 3/8 and 1/2 inch hems, ready for use. Good value at \$2.00 a dozen—Sale price 10c, or \$1.00 a dozen.

Try our men's summer underwear at 25c a garment. You'll say it's the best you ever saw at the price.

Suspenders.

Special values in Suspenders. Men's suspenders at 10c, 15c and 25c. When buying your next pair consider the merits of the "Chester" Improved Suspenders. We also sell the "Crown."

Leather Belts.

Our regular 50c leather belt now 39c. Our regular 75c leather belt now 59c. Our regular \$1.00 leather belt now 79c. All metal Belts at 1/2 price.

Roller Window Shades complete. Special at 18c, 25c, and 45c each.

Straw Hats.

In our Hat department (upper floor) we are showing a lot of men's, boys' and misses' straw hats, worth from 35c to 50c. Your choice 25c.

Wash Goods.

All summer wash goods reduced. Dimities, lawns, mulls and organdies. No reserve, all styles and patterns included.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include 6 1/2c reduced now to 4c, 8 1/2c reduced now to 5c, etc.

Silks.

General clearance sale of Silks now in progress. With but one or two exceptions our entire line is being offered at prices to close. Truly the silk opportunity of the season. A hint on prices, past and present.

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits.

What few numbers in Ladies' Blouse Suits we still have can be bought at prices greatly below their respective values. Suits which were \$11.95 now \$ 7.95. Suits which were \$16.00 now \$10.95. Suits which were \$18.00 now \$13.90. No trouble to show these.

Calicoes.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Columbia Indigoes, Kenwood Greys, Lawrence Black and White, etc.

Percales.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include 32-inch Black-ground Polka Dots, 32-inch Louisiana Percale, 36-inch Percale.

Shirtings.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include 25-inch Paramount Shirting, 27-inch Riverside Shirting.

Muslins.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include 36-inch Bleached Muslin, 31-inch Unbleached Muslin, 36-inch Unbleached Muslin.

Make a Note of These.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Cotton Towelling, Bleached Towels, Ladies' Black Hose, Apron Gingham, etc.

Wrappers.

We can truthfully say that we show the largest and best assortment of wrappers to be seen in this territory. Wrappers at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50, made up in the newest and most becoming way, form part of the attractions. Others up to \$3.50. No trouble to show you, whether you wish to buy or not.

Blankets.

Blanket selling in July is made profitable by our extra special prices. We have sold a hundred pair or more in the past two weeks and still have a few pairs left to accommodate late customers. White or Colored; Cotton or Wool Blankets. See our 11-4 Tornado, all-wool Blanket at \$3.75. The regular price is \$5.

Dress Skirts.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Checked Skirts, Figured Black Skirts, Plain Black Skirts.

The above are priced to meet the demand for a low priced Summer article, and we can recommend them as special values at prices quoted.

SHOES. SHOES.

We've just a few too many of the following, that's why we make such offerings:

Ladies' Lace or Button shoe, Dongola kid, patent tips, Goodyear Welt, Coin toe, C and D widths, from 2 1/2 to 6. This is our regular \$2.75 shoe. Clearance sale price \$1.89.

Ladies' Turn-sole, Dongola Kid, Lace or Button shoe, patent tip and a stylish Coin toe, sizes 3 to 6, D and E widths. Our regular price \$2.50. Clearance sale price \$1.78.

Extra Special.

Our golden brown chrome Kid Lace Shoe, worth \$4.00 for \$3.15. This shoe has a fancy silk vesting top, soft pliable soles, the correct Coin toe, and has been one of the season's favorite styles. Only about a dozen pair left. Clearance sale price \$3.15.

Our 95c Counter

Holds some extra good things in Ladies' Black Kid Oxfords, in opera and narrow square toes, assorted sizes and widths—the balance of our regular \$1.85 line. Clearance sale price, 95c.

Our 98c Counter

Of Tan Oxfords has been well patronized the past week. About two dozen pairs left. Some in needle, others narrow square toes. Were worth from \$2.25 to \$2.75 per pair; clearance sale price only 98c.

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MANILA SAID TO HAVE SURRENDERED

It is Believed that the City Has Capitulated and is Now in the Hands of the Americans.

PARIS, July 28.—Definite information, which is confirmed by the Madrid advices, has reached here stating that Manila has fallen and that a formal surrender to Admiral Dewey has taken place.

NEW KLONDIKES MAY BE DISCOVERED

It is Thought to be Only the Beginning of the Golden Harvest—Rich Discoveries on Stewart River.

TACOMA, July 28.—Important developments today give new and even more dazzling aspect to the Klondike situation. Information brought by persons of unquestioned reliability seem to show that the world has seen only the beginning of the golden harvest in the frozen north. A new Klondike has been discovered and it is believed that in the vast territory of Alaska and the British northwest many more Klondikes are to be uncovered by the prospector's pick. Fully 5000 prospectors and miners are already tearing up the banks of the

streams, sinking shafts and cross-cutting with great success. On Coal creek the deposits of coal will be of great value in working the diggings, and will expedite work by melting the frozen earth. Edwin F. Lang, of Haverhill, Mass., one of the returned miners, says that the coal deposits found are scarcely less valuable than the gold mines. The scene of the greatest excitement at present is in the Stewart river country. This includes a large territory drained by Stewart river and many tributary streams, among the latter being Clear creek and Coal creek. The developments in this region tend to indicate that the yield of Dawson City district may be duplicated, and perhaps exceeded.

Mine Explosion Kills Two Men. SEATTLE, Wash., July 28.—Meager particulars were received here today of an explosion at the Coney mine, near Skykomish. Two men were killed, Charles Walters and R. W. Robinson. Two others were slightly wounded. The explosion was caused by the premature discharge of dynamite.

DEWEY'S WARSHIPS AFTER SOME SPANISH CRAFT

The Raleigh and Concord Sent to Gather up Eleven Vessels, Including Seven Gunboats, at Various Points.

NEW YORK, July 28.—A cablegram from Hong Kong to the Journal says: Admiral Dewey, at Manila, has dispatched the Raleigh and Concord to gather up eleven Spanish craft, which according to information sent him by Consul-General Williams, are at various places in the Philippines. Among these vessels are three gunboats at San Miguel, Luzon island, and four at Port Royal, Palawan island. Four merchantmen with cargoes of tobacco are reported at Caysagan, Luzon.

The same dispatch reports that the English traders at the coal mines at Batan, Luzon island, have been imprisoned and subjected to ill treatment otherwise by the Spaniards there.

VOLUNTEERS REFUSE TO FIGHT

Spanish Volunteers Would Not Enter Battle Against Miles' Army—Revolt Caused by Unpopularity of the Spanish Commander.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., July 29.—A mutiny is reported in the Spanish forces at Ponce. The Spanish volunteers have refused to enter battle against Miles' invading army. This accounts for the successful advance the Americans are said to be making. The revolt is said to be caused by the Spanish commander at Ponce being very unpopular with the volunteers.

ARRIVED WITH MORE GOLD

The Portland Reaches San Francisco With \$200,000—Reports Said to Have Been Greatly Exaggerated.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—The steamer City of Portland arrived last night from St. Michaels with seven Klondikers and about \$200,000 in treasure. Only one of the Klondikers had any gold. E. H. Lewis, from Circle City, with \$25,000; the balance belonging to the Alaska Commercial Co.

REBELLION IS ABOUT ENDED

New Dynasty Proclaimed in the Province of Kwang Si by Li Yap Yan, The Rebel Leader.

LONDON, July 28.—The Hong Kong correspondent of the Daily Mail cabled the following:

The viceroy of Canton has announced to the foreign office the complete suppression of the rebellion in those districts. He has announced also that four cities have also been recaptured by the imperial troops.

The Hong Kong correspondent of the Times says: Li Lap Yan, the leader of the rebellion in the province of Kwang Si, has proclaimed a new dynasty styled, "Vast Progress." His proclamation, he says, was issued because a great and pure dynasty is weak, because the mandarins are oppressive and the foreigners are taking Chinese territory. He has rebelled, and heaven has signified its approval by causing several cities to fall into his hands.

PEACE PROPOSITION IS NOW READY

They are in the Hands of Secretary Day, and Will Be Submitted Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—It is said that the president's answer to the peace proposition to Spain is in the hands of Secretary Day, and will be handed to the French ambassador tomorrow. The latest is that it contains unlimited freedom to Cuba, the cession of Porto Rico, and the disposal of the Philippine question by negotiations.

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Cromartyshire Men Blameless.

HALIFAX, July 28.—A decision by the court of inquiry given here today exonerates Captain Henderson and the officers of the ship Cromartyshire from all blame in the matter of La Bourgoigne disaster. The report was made by Captain Smith, of the British royal naval reserve, with whom was associated in the investigation Captain Bloomfield Douglas and Captain Lewis Anderson, nautical assessor.

McKinley's Terms Anxiously Awaited.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—A London special says that to be secure of future peace negotiations, Moret or Barabe will, from that city, deal with the

United States. President McKinley's terms are awaited, and if they demand too much, Correa may resign.

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