

1-4 off Pattern Suits. Tell your friends about it. Our special sale of Ladies' Pattern Suits at 1/4 off regular price will continue this week.

Specials in every Dept. Buying interesting, convenient and advantageous to you. Money back if goods are not as represented.

Boys' Clothing.

Strong Suits for the Boys.

Every stitch and seam is true and firm. The fabric is strong and of a color that won't soil easily. These suits are put together for the roughest kind of wear. You might pay a dollar or so more for them elsewhere; here they are marked



\$2.50

Boys' Reefer Coats.

They are very handsome and much admired by every one—the boys especially. They will not wear an overcoat; these same boys however will not object to a reefer. Colors are red, black and tan.

\$3.75, 4.50 and 6.00.



Boys' Cape Overcoats....

Yes, we have them. The dependable, satisfactory kind. The kind the least number of boys object to. Because the styles are right; neatly braided around Cape.

\$2.00 to \$5.00

A. M. WILLIAMS & COMPANY.

EASTERN OREGON'S GREATEST DRY GOODS STORE.

We credit every one with common sense—improbable stories never find place under our name in these columns. This week's store news is brimful of good things. We might fill this page with a collection of bargains (?), but a strict rule in this house forbids indiscriminate advertising. There must be some good reason for telling the story of an article here. The price and quality is just as good as you wish to have them. The quantity large enough to supply anyone who might ask.

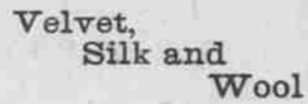
NOTE THE THINGS WE SPEAK OF TODAY.



Ladies' Petticoats

All the new and wanted styles. Made of silk, (plain or changeable) worsteds or yarns. Fine crochet petticoat, made of a fine yarn, in pretty two-color combinations—pink and tan, blue and white, black and red, etc.; made with a specially fitted waistband.

Special prices—40 to 50c.



Velvet, Silk and Wool Waists

\$1.50 to 8.00

Childrens Jackets.

Artistic creations for the little Miss of 4 to 12. Prices not high when quality is considered. Lot 2265, is a beautiful coat, made of a novelty cloth of excellent wearing quality, handsomely trimmed.

at \$4.00

Other styles, plenty of them at \$1.75 and on to \$7.50.



Infant's Cloaks.

75c to \$1.25.

Real choice ones Made of cotton elderdown, in pretty mixtures and fancy patterns, trimmed around collar with white Angora fur.

Our extra buying facilities helped us out again. Ordinarily we would ask from fifty cents to a dollar more for them.

Men's Black Clay Suits

\$8.50

These suits are sold by our competitors at \$10.00. The material is a Black Clay Worsted, full 2 1/2 oz. weight; the style a round cut sack coat. See these before buying elsewhere.

Portieres.

Pretty hangings add much to the pleasantness of your rooms. Our derby cloth portieres from

\$1.90 to \$12.00

offer you all that's new and attractive in this line. Consider these for Xmas giving



Infant's Mittens.

Cream white, pair 10c
Cream, pink or blue 15c
Pure silk mittens, cream, red or black, 25c
Children's mittens, black, 10c



..Ladies' Mittens..

Nice warm cozy ones; any style or kind your heart desires.

10 cents to \$1.75.

Ask to see our 50c special silk mitten. They are double knit, pure silk, satin ribbon bow on back.

Cloaks

Infants All-wool Elderdown Boucle and Cloth

Beautifully Trimmed in Brud and Fur \$3 to \$4.50.

1-4 off on Fancy Silks. To accommodate the many who were unable to take advantage of our special sale of Fancy Silks last week, we will continue the sale during this entire week. All waist patterns of 5 yard lengths reduced 1/4 in price.

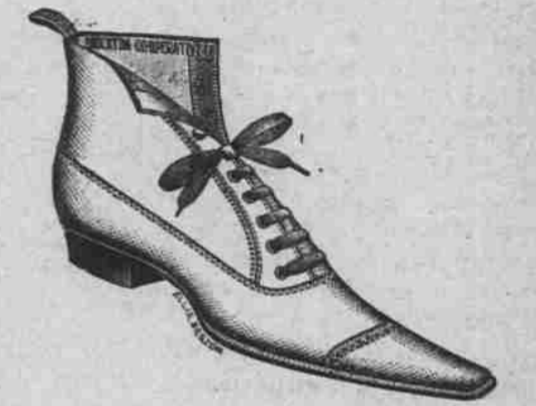
The place to trade. Money saving on every purchase. Money back—always. If goods are not as represented.

Notion Department.

You can buy these little anywhere anywhere, but nowhere at such little prices. Note these and remember them:

- Sperm sewing machine oil, per bottle.....4c
- Whisk brooms, each.....5c
- Toilet soap, per cake.....10c
- 1 package non-twist tape, 5 widths.....4c
- Hand brushes, each.....2c
- 1 box black pins.....1c
- 1 dozen curtain pins.....25c
- 1 key ring.....1c
- 1 leather watch chain.....20c
- 1 bottle ink.....20c

Cut Prices on Shoes....



A clearance sale of odd lines of men's and children's fine shoes is now in progress in our shoe department.

- Men's \$5.50 shoes reduced to.....\$3.00
- Men's \$4.50 shoes reduced to.....2.95
- Men's \$2.50 shoes reduced to.....1.60
- Child's kid shoes, patent tips, worth \$1.50, reduced to.....1.20
- Child's \$1.50, reduced to.....1.05

A. M. Williams & Co.

SHE WANTS PAY FOR SYMPATHY

England Is Looking to America for Her Reward.

HAS GREAT EXPECTATIONS

Expects Our Assistance When the China Question Comes Up for Settlement—Says the United States Will Require a Strong Friend.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The practical conclusion of the peace negotiations at Paris is hailed here with considerable satisfaction, and the newspapers daily discuss the so-called "imperial" future of the United States, coupled with the fervent hope that it will adopt a colonial policy. The Saturday Review is very candid about what it describes as the "slobbering cant and hypocritical blazoning of doubtful affection" between the United States and Great Britain, and says:

"Let us be frank, and say outright that we expect mutual gain in material interests from the rapprochement. The American commissioners at Paris are making their bargain, whether they realize it or not, under the protecting na-

val strength of England, and we shall expect a material quid pro quo for this assistance. We expect the United States to deal generously with Canada in the matter of tariffs, and we expect to be remembered when the United States comes into possession of the Philippines, and, above all, we expect her assistance on the day which is quickly approaching, when China comes up for settlement, for the young imperialistic has entered upon a path where it will require a strong friend, and a lasting friendship between the two nations can be secured not by frothy sentimentality on public platforms, but by reciprocal advantages in solid, material interests."

NO WASTE OF WORDS

Evidence Which is Right to the Point and Reliable.

Judge Frank Ives of District Court of Crookston, Minn., says: For some time I have used Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets with seeming great benefit with few exceptions, I have not been so free from indigestion in twenty-five years.

George W. Roosevelt, U. S. consul to Brussels, Belgium: Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, safe, pleasant to take, convenient to carry, give keen appetite, perfect digestion.

Mr. W. D. Tomlin, mechanical engineer, Duluth, Minn.: One box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets has done its work, and I am again gaining flesh and strength.

O. E. Ransom, Hustonville, Ky.: I was distressed and annoyed for two years with throwing up food often two or three times a day; had no certainty of retaining a meal if I ate one. Four boxes

of the tablets from my druggist have fully cured me. I find them pleasant to take, convenient to carry.

Rev. G. D. Brown, Mondovi, Wis.: The effect of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is simply marvelous; a quite hearty dinner of broiled beefsteak causes no distress since I began their use.

Over six thousand people in the state of Michigan alone in 1894 were cured of stomach troubles by Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Full sized packages may be found at all druggists at 50 cents, or sent by mail on receipt of price from F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

Send for little book on stomach diseases, mailed free.

How to Look Good.

Good looks are really more than skin deep, depending entirely on a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look; if your kidneys be effected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Alternative and Tonic. Acts directly on the stomach liver and kidneys. Purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at Blakeley & Houghton's drug store. 50 cents per bottle. 5

UPRISING IS THREATENED

Game Warden at Sauk Rapids Fights Fourteen of the Indians, Who Say They Will Raise a Rebellion.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 3.—Another uprising of the Chippewa Indians is threatened. The game warden at Sauk Rapids has

ROYAL Baking Powder

Made from pure cream of tartar.

Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menacers to health of the present day.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

had a fight with fourteen of the red men, whom he attempted to arrest, in which he was badly whipped, and State Game Warden Fullerton has ordered that the Indians be taken into custody, be the result what it may. The Indians declare they will resist all attempts to capture them, and will certainly organize a rebellion.

The Sauk Rapids deputy met the Indians in the woods, and as each one was carrying the carcass of a deer he attempted to arrest them on a charge of having violated the game laws. In the fight that followed the deputy was severely punished and his rifle taken from him. The Indians warned him against following them, declaring that they would not be taken alive, and threatened to begin shooting the moment a posse appeared in sight.

Game Warden Fullerton has notified the authorities that he will pursue the Indians with a posse and serious trouble is feared.

The Vive Camera is the best in use. For sale by the Postoffice Pharmacy. tf

A STEAM PIPE WAS BURSTED

Six Men Were Killed on Board the Alamo at Her Pier in the East river at New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Six men of the Mallory line steamship Alamo were killed tonight by the bursting of a steam-pipe while the vessel lay at her pier in the East river.

The Alamo was about to sail for Galveston with thirty passengers, when her boilers gave forth a roar which was heard all through South and water streets, and the force of it sent a shock and shiver throughout the length of the ship. The flooring of the deck immediately over the engine-room was torn into splinters, and steam poured up through the open seams in clouds.

The sound of the escaping steam was mingled with the shrieks of the dying men, who were enveloped in it. The flow of the steam was checked with great difficulty, and not until the lapse of five or six minutes. Then it was found that it had completely filled the engine-room and fire-room, and that all who had been confined had not only been parboiled, but suffocated by it.

There was no sign of life left in any of the bodies, and in several instances the skin had peeled from their hands and faces. The second engineer was found close to the break, in a position which indicates that he had tried to shut off the steam at the boiler when the accident occurred, and had died in the attempt. Two of the firemen were found gripped in each others arms at the bottom of the ladder leading from the fire-hole.

NEGOTIATING FOR PURCHASE

Commissioners Credit the Report to this Effect—Spanish Reluctance to Talk About the Islands Explained.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—There will be no joint session of the peace commission today. The Americans had a three hours' meeting today.

The report from Berlin that Germany is negotiating for the purchase of the Caroline islands is confirmed from several quarters, although Count von Moller-Ladenburg, the German ambassador here, informed a correspondent of the Associated Press that he knew nothing at all about the matter.

The American commissioners are inclined to believe the report, and it is looked upon as explaining the reluctance of the Spaniards to give the Americans an answer in regard to the Carolines, as well as to the question of religious liberty there, and the latest developments confirm the report that the Spaniards have been instructed not to yield on these points until they have made a good bargain.

Are You Interested?

The O. R. & N. Co's New Book on the Resources of Oregon, Washington and Idaho is being distributed. Our readers are requested to forward the addresses of their Eastern friends and acquaintances, and a copy of the work will be sent them free. This is a matter all should be interested in, and we would ask that everyone take an interest and forward such addresses to W. H. HURLBURT, General Passenger Agent, O. R. & N. Co., Portland.