

# Gents' Furnishings.

This is the one sale of the year when cost price and original selling figures are entirely eliminated from our vocabulary; they do not affect us in the least. Now is the time, and it must be done quickly, too, when we clean up all fall and winter goods at almost any price.

## Some Startling Discoveries

Have been made by the head of the house. Dormant stocks have been found here and there in odd lines, in such quantities as to make the ordinary merchant stagger. But we've called a halt now. We're going to have a reckoning. All profits are declared off till these several lines are disposed of; there'll be no let-up and this will be the greatest money-saving sale inaugurated in the history of The Dalles.

### READ THESE PRICES.

A line of Men's all wool Cheviot Suits, usual price from \$5 to \$7.50, reduced to \$3.85  
 A line of Men's all wool Cheviots and Cassimeres, latest styles; the usual price \$8.50 reduced to \$4.65  
 A line of Men's all wool Worsted Suits in black and blue round cut and frocks; \$10.50 reduced to \$6.85  
 A line of Men's Fancy Check and Stripe Worsted Suits, single and double breasted; \$12.50 reduced to \$7.85  
 A line of Men's Black Cheviot Suits, single or double breasted vest, new styles; usual price \$13.50 reduced to \$9.85  
 A line of Men's Black Clay Worsted Suits, sack, frock and double breasted; usual price \$15 reduced to \$10.85  
 A line of Men's Black all wool Worsted Suits in all the latest styles; goods that are equal to custom-made in every respect; usual price \$17.50 to \$20 reduced to \$11.85  
 Odd Suits at half price

## Overcoats, Overcoats.

Enormous reductions at prices ranging from \$3.85 to \$15. See the little "Red Tag." It stands for all!

# Shoe Department.

Still deeper cuts on seasonable goods.

## Special Lines of Shoes Slaughtered

We do not want them for stock-taking.

Men's Cordovan Congress and Bals .....  
 \$5.00 and \$6.00 Shoes ..... now \$2.45  
 Men's Calf Congress and Bals., \$3.00 Shoes, now 2.00  
 Men's Calf Congress and Bals., 2.60 Shoes, now 1.65  
 Ladies Box Calf Button, \$2.50 Shoes, ..... now 1.65  
 Ladies' Heavy Sole Kid Button, \$2.50 Shoes, now 1.65  
 Ladies' Heavy Calf Lace, \$2.00 Shoes ..... now 1.45  
 Ladies' Kid Coin Toe, Lace, \$1.50 Shoes ..... now 1.15  
 Children's Peb. Grain Button, \$1.50 Shoes, now .85  
 Children's Kid Button, \$1.50 Shoes ..... now .85  
 Children's Kid Button, \$2.00 Shoes ..... now 1.45

# PEASE & MAYS

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

# Dress Goods Department.

A few prices from our Silk and Dress Goods Department by way of introduction to our sale that commenced Monday morning, Dec. 11th:

20 inch India Silk ..... 40c, for ..... 31c  
 24 inch India Silk ..... 50c, for ..... 43c  
 27-inch India Silk ..... 75c, for ..... 63c  
 19 inch Changeable Taffeta Silk ..... 90c, for ..... 77c  
 19 inch Changeable and Plain Taffeta Silk, best, \$1, for ..... 85c  
 38-inch Plain and Fancy Dress Goods ..... 50c, for ..... 37c  
 46-inch Plain and Fancy Dress Goods ..... 75c, for ..... 63c  
 48 inch Plain and Fancy Dress Goods ..... \$1, for ..... 79c  
 All other goods throughout this department correspondingly low.

## Wholesale Price-Cutting

In our Suit Room of Suits, Dress Skirts, Jackets, Furs and Petticoats. Owing to continued warm weather our stock of Ladies' Ready-to-wear Goods is large, and the warm weather has retarded sales very materially. We are thus compelled, whether or no, to make a great sacrifice. No other reason could have influenced us to resort to such radical reductions on stylish, faultless women's dress. If you have in mind goods of this kind for Christmas presents, you here have a magnificent opportunity to purchase them.

Jacket ..... \$ 5.50 for \$ 3.65  
 Jacket ..... 6.50 for 4.75  
 Jacket ..... 8.00 for 5.85  
 Suit ..... 7.00 for 4.25  
 Suit ..... 8.00 for 5.00  
 Suit ..... 10.00 for 12.00  
 Suit ..... 18.75 for 15.00  
 Silk-lined Separate Skirt ..... 4.00 for 3.00  
 Silk-lined Separate Skirt ..... 7.25 for 5.00

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# Oysters

Served in every style by A. KELLER.

## WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

The operation performed by Drs. Geisendorffer and Logan on Earl Swain, for appendicitis, was most successful and the patient is improving rapidly.

A nearly total eclipse of the moon will take place December 16th, wholly or partly visible in all parts of North America. There will be no shooting star take about this unless it is cloudy.

The gentleman who reported a horse and buggy lost this morning, as he supposed, stolen, is advised to drag the streets for the same. 'Tis not unlikely they would bob up serenely from below.

H. S. Soule, the piano tuner, will be in The Dalles on Dec. 14th and 15th. Any desiring pianos tuned may leave word at I. C. Nickelsen's or the Jacobsen Book and Music Company's. 13 td

The controller of the currency has declared a fifth dividend, 10 per cent, in favor of the creditors of The Dalles National bank, of The Dalles, making 95 per cent in all on claims proved, amounting to \$126,318. So says a dispatch from Washington.

A number of professional linemen came up from Portland last night and, in company with several workmen engaged here, left this morning to take down the aluminum wires and put in copper on the Oregon Telephone Company's line between Dufur and Antelope.

Columbia Chapter, No. 33, O. E. S., elected the following officers at its meeting last night: Mrs. W. B. Clifton, W. M.; Dr. J. Hudson, W. P.; Mrs. A. S. McAllister, Associate Matron; Mrs. W. S. Myers, Secretary; Mrs. J. B. Crossen, treasurer; Miss Erhart, conductress; Mrs. C. W. Dietzel, associate conductress.

The Walla Walla Statesman has just come to the conclusion that The Dalles isn't dead yet, and all because we are to establish a fire alarm system here. That's right, Brother Parker, The Dalles is still very much alive, as aforesaid, and we intend putting in the fire alarm system before death. We'd advise Walla Walla to do the same thing. It might come handy later on.

The artes'ian water struck on the Seuffert Bros' land, above the city, is as pure as crystal and perfectly free from all alkali. It has no suggestion of a foreign substance such as has water brought through ditches which it is impossible to keep thoroughly purged of everything objectionable. The city should make some definite steps to as-

certain if such water can be obtained for city supply. While the water seems all right at this time of the year, there are months when it is anything but acceptable.

The next attraction in The Dalles will be the fair given by the Lutheran ladies in the Baldwin tomorrow and Friday nights. The fact that Prof. Birgfeld has charge of the musical programs will assure all that they will be excellent. Beside, the ladies are to have on sale everything desirable for Christmas presents and many articles for daily use. They will also be prepared to sell pastry of all kinds.

The examination of Harvey Koltzman, charged with forgery, came up in Justice Bayard's court yesterday afternoon and he was bound over in the sum of \$500 to appear for a hearing on Dec. 27th, at which time H. L. Kuck, who is one of the prosecuting witnesses, is expected to be here. Koltzman's case is attracting no little attention from the fact that he is so young and came from a very respectable family. He is stubborn, however, and flatly denies the charge against him.

Fifteen inches of snow fell at Kamela during the twenty-four hours ending this morning, and eight inches has fallen during the preceding twenty-four hours. Twenty-three inches lies on the ground, with the prospect bright for additional fall in the immediate future. At Baker City over a foot of snow lies on the ground, several inches at La Grande, and snow also at all the stations on the O. R. & N. along the main line across the summit of the Blue mountains. Pendleton has none.—E. O.

Wasco county is welcome to "send up" the two ex-convict highwaymen, who lately did a lively business in Portland, if the authorities there will do the job up properly, as presumably they will, having sent the same men over the road once before. Judge Bradshaw ought to give them the limit of the law this time, and Warden Paine should see that they have no picnic in his hostelry.—Telegram. Be assured if Wasco county takes them in hand they'll be done up Brown (and Wilson too). It has, however, not been decided what disposition will be made of them. Little mercy will be shown them by either county.

The National Editorial Association will convene in New Orleans March 1st, 1900. An interesting program has been arranged. At the close of the convention the delegates will be taken for a trip through Florida, then to Cuba. The delegates from the Oregon State Press Association and Portland Press Club are planning for a special car. Should this be properly carried out it will give our state another opportunity to advertise herself. Albert Tozier, secretary of the state association, has received many communications from Southern editors asking to entertain the Oregon delegates while en route to New Orleans.

The University of Oregon Glee Club will give an entertainment in The

Dalles on the evening of December 28th. It is said by those who have heard them that we are to be especially favored in having them with us and the Chronicle would suggest that the High School pupils take the initiatory steps toward making their visit successful, not only as regards the audience which greets them, but the entertainment they receive. Many places are preparing banquets in their honor. Can we not do something of that sort? The young ladies now have a splendid opportunity to show their appreciation of Oregon's young men who are determined to make the most of their advantage and have some of them in life.

### Portland Detectives Playing Even.

Monday a man by the name of J. W. Collins was arrested at Portland by detectives for passing a bogus check on a storekeeper at Rainier. He was then proven to be the same fellow who passed like checks in Salem and Portland.

It now appears that Wasco county officials were first to apprehend this fellow. On or about the 25th of November Collins passed a bogus check for \$23.50 on August Buchler's bar-tender here. The matter was placed in Sheriff Kelly's hands, who immediately saw that the blank was taken from the check book of C. T. Bonney, of Hood River. Calling up Deputy Olinger, of that place, and giving him a full description of the man, he informed him that from the clue obtained he ought to locate the man at once. After careful investigation he informed the sheriff that on that certain date about midnight a man entered the store of Mr. Bonney, while another man waited outside. He procured two blanks from the clerk. Further investigation resulted in the deputy sheriff informing Mr. Kelly that he felt positive he had located his man in a logging camp on the Washington side of the river and his name was J. W. Collins. As there was no certainty as to his identity, and not desiring to put the county to unnecessary expense in transporting him, the sheriff did not order his arrest, but charged Olinger to arrest him as soon as he put foot on Oregon soil and bring him to The Dalles.

It now appears that the Multnomah officials are evening up on the Brown and Wilson case and captured our prisoner there.

### Musical Program.

The following program will be rendered at the Lutheran bazaar tomorrow night. Admission 25 cents:  
 March—"Stars and Stripes".....Orchestra  
 Medley Selection.....Orchestra  
 Song—Selected.....Miss Myrtle Mitchell  
 "Españita".....C. A. White  
 Quartet—"Native Isle".....C. A. White  
 Messrs. Landers, Poling, Doane and Lundell  
 Song—Selected.....Mrs. Taylor  
 Quartet—"Fishing".....J. A. Parks  
 Messrs. Landers, Poling, Doane and Lundell  
 Selection—"Cluster of Peaches".....Orchestra

One dozen of Gifford's photos will make you twelve fine presents. What would be appreciated more for the holidays?  
 nov17-1m

### BUSINESS MENS' CARNIVAL.

Seventy-five Characters Represented the Business Houses in a Novel Manner.

Seventy-five young ladies, attired in all sorts of costumes, from the most beautiful to the most unique imaginable, representing almost as many Dalles business houses, filed down from the stage at the Vogt last night as the Birgfeld orchestra played one of its inspiring marches. The effect was very taking as they marched down the aisles, and if ever the business houses were brought before the public in a novel manner, it was on this occasion.

At the close of the march the curtain rose on a pretty scene, with Miss Rich seated on a throne as queen of the carnival, and attired in an elaborate costume. She presided with a becoming dignity. Little Lela Kelsay made a cute little page and gave her address in a distinct manner, which at once pleased the audience. At a command from Lizzie McArthur, who represented the electric light company, she was flooded in light, which illuminated the entire stage.

Two by two the characters made their appearance and in well chosen recitations or songs advertised the firm which they represented. Though in some instances the effect would have been more pleasing had they spoken in clearer tones, the entire program was splendid and is deserving of a more extended mention than can well be given in the columns of a paper whose space is limited. Were we to mention each character separately and dilate on the excellent manner of representation, the over-abundance of news(?) which The Dalles furnishes these days would suffer thereby, and therefore are we compelled to refrain from even mentioning the names of the three children to whom we are indebted for a splendid representation. Suffice to say the entertainment, which required much ingenuity and hard work to stage, was a great success and reflects much credit on those who managed it.

The performance closed with several tableaux, representing the physicians, dentists and lawyers of the city.

The orchestra added much to the general success of the evening, preventing any noticeable delays which necessarily must occur in such an entertainment; while the splendid accompaniments of Mrs. E. J. Collins assisted in a great measure the singers.

### They Are Grateful.

The Ladies Good Intent desire to most heartily thank all who so ably assisted in the Business Men's Carnival. Much thought and labor was given the costumes, and all should feel paid, for it was a complete success in every way. They would not forget the orchestra, whose delightful music added so much to the pleasure of the evening, nor the kindness of Mrs. Collins in so ably accompanying the singers.

### The Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are im-

proved more by the pleasant Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy, than by any other. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

### The Supply Limited.

Sunrise on Mt. Hood from Lost Lake. Place your orders now for Christmas or you may get left. Gifford. n17-1m

### House to Rent.

A six-room house, on Eighth street, opposite S. Bolton's residence; four rooms furnished, including piano. For further particulars apply to Robert Teague, at W. A. Johnston's hardware store. 12-1f

Latest thing in cameras are Improved Magazine cyclones at Donnell's drug store.

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Thursday	Wednesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Wednesday	Thursday
Saturday	Friday	Friday	Saturday	Friday	Saturday
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