

Our Mid-Summer Sale

WILL SOON BE HERE in full force.—Just one month earlier than usual.

We started with an \$8.95 Suit Sale, which now develops into a general clearance—a full-fledged bargain event. Not through any special effort on our part; not through unusual advertising. It seems as though each customer told a dozen others, and so the sale has grown to a Christmas crowd looking for July bargains. Rest assured there shall be no disappointment. The most pronounced bargain fiend shall be more than satisfied. It has come to us unsolicited, and we shall accept it with good grace.

\$8.95

Few custom tailors could surpass these suits, though they were to charge \$12 or \$15; doubtless \$20 would please you better at the to-order stores.

Remember that it is not for profit this sale was started—a

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at a loss if necessary. It is an established feature of our business; some of the broken lots have been placed on separate counters, including values up to \$12, your choice at 46.95.

We have started a Hat Sale....

A lot of Men's Straw Hats, in either yacht or soft finish, rough or plain straw, plain or fancy bands; as good as any and better than many shown elsewhere at \$1.00—

Sale price, 50c.

Two lots of Fedora Hats.
Two lots of Alpine Hats.

The first lot gathered from such as sold all season at \$1.50 and \$1.75, your choice at \$1.10.

The second lot, gathered from such as sold at \$2 to \$2.50; your choice, \$1.85.

Here's a chance for swell dressers surpassing any offer we have yet made, and surely better values than you've ever seen before.

Boys' Clothing Clearance....

A lot of Boys' Summer Coats we bought to sell for 75c—a fair price; half takes them now—

Only 39c.

Lots of good 25c Knee Pants in a variety of patterns; well made, in fact best 25c values you ever bought; your choice for 15c.

BOYS' SUITS. Regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values (slightly soiled); your pick for 59c each.

A list of Men's Furnishings.

Men's Silk Front Shirts in fancy stripes and checks; you will admit they are good 75c values—

Going at 45c.

ONE LOT of Silk Front Shirts which were good sellers at \$1.25 and \$1.50, have been reduced to \$1.00.

Special lot of Men's Bike and Golf Hose....

Good values at 90c and \$1.00; your choice for 69c

WHAT WE SAY WE DO, WE DO DO.

MID-SUMMER SALE

Commencing Monday, July 2nd, 1900.

A few days ago we announced to you through this paper that we would greet you with a Mid-Summer Sale. The goods we offer you do not show the rust of by-gone seasons, but are all new, bright and attractive patterns.

Silk Department.

This is a great silk year, and we are prepared for it. 500 yards of high class silks in a variety of designs and colorings. For instance there are Warp Printed Taffetas, Liberty Satins, Crinkled Taffetas, Lace Stripe Taffetas.

When we assure you of the beauty and every high character of the silks, our prices will tell the rest.

Prices at the Silk Counter.

Suit and Skirt Dept.

The values in this department has surpassed anything heretofore offered.

Suits ranging from \$4.00 to \$23.00.

Skirts from \$1.35 up.

...WASH FABRICS...

Dimity Cords, a beautiful wash fabric, in some 30 colorings, 4 3-4 Cents, worth 8 Cents.

Domestic Department.

Unbleached Muslins.

Albany C. 4 1/2c
Albany LL. 5c
Cabot W. 5 1/2c
Cabot A. 6c
Indian Head. 7 1/2c

Bleached Muslins.

Hollywood. 5c
Rutledge. 5c
Bric-a-brac. 5c
Hope. 7 1/2c
Lonsdale. 7 1/2c
Fruit of Loom. 7 1/2c

Prints.

Ceylon-Blues. 4 1/2c
Skirting Prints. 4 1/2c
Light Color Dress Prints. 4c
A 1 3/4 Standard Prints. 5 1/2c

Ginghams.

Amoskeag. 5 1/2c
Lancaster. 4 1/2c

Embroideries and Laces

Everyone knows that Embroideries and Laces are higher than they were a year ago, yet on the face of an advancing market we have reduced our prices one-fifth from old price.

The Shirt Waist Season

Is now at its best, and as soon as our stock is pretty well cleaned up we are willing to sacrifice the balance at any old price.

MONDAY

Will be a gala day with us in all departments. We want this sale to overlap all previous records

Big Sales and No Profits...

This is our object in this great sacrifice sale of Men's, Women's, Misses' and Children's Shoes.

If you know a good thing when you see it, buy now.

Men's Tan Lace Shoes \$2.00
Men's Calf Congress (elastic side) 1.00
Men's Calf Lace (narrow toes) 1.00

Here are the best values on earth.

Ladies' Kid Button, sizes 2 1/2 to 4, .85
Ladies' Kid Button, sizes 3 to 5, 1.00
Ladies' Tan Oxfords, all sizes 1.00

Children always want SHOES

Buying at these prices is like finding money.

Misses' Kid, spring heel, button, sizes 2 1/2 to 6 \$1.00

Missis' Kid, spring heel, lace, sizes 2 1/2 to 6 1.00

Misses' Kid, spring heel, button, sizes 11 1/2 to 285

Childs' Kid, spring heel, button, sizes 8 1/2 to 1175

Childs' Kid, spring heel, button, sizes 6 to 860

We do not quote the former prices for these goods, but simply request you to see for yourself if they are not the best values ever offered.

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THE DALLES

The Dalles Daily Chronicle.

Telephone No. 1.

TUESDAY - - - - JULY 3, 1900

ICE CREAM and ICE CREAM SODA

At Andrew Keller's.

WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

The Sunday school board meeting at the M. E. church will be held Thursday instead of Wednesday evening, as announced.

The new county officers assumed their duties yesterday and on Thursday the first meeting of the county commissioners, with Judge Blakeley presiding, will be held.

A fire tomorrow would be doubly unfortunate with so many absent from the city, so we would advise the small boy (and large boy as well) to take heed to the whereabouts of the diminutive fire cracker, which may prove enormous in its results.

Do you want the prettiest white blouse waist in the city for your boy? A nice white blouse waist with deep sailor collar of three rows of insertion and open work embroidery edge, insertion trimmed front, pleated sleeves and cuffs; from 3 to 7 years. Our price only \$1.45. The New York Cash Store.

The Astoria boys better look well to their honors when our band boys come marching in tomorrow, for they looked decidedly nobby this morning in their linen dusters and white caps. The leader, however, failed to don the regulation costume, and it was evident there were not enough ulsters in town to go around—him. But the girls will see him just the same.

A change took place in the management of Blakeley & Houghton's drug store on the first of this month, F. L. Houghton having sold his interest to G. C. Blakeley, who is now sole owner. These gentlemen have been connected in the drug business for over ten years, and have conducted one of the most popular places of business in the city. So far as we have learned Mr. Houghton has no intention of leaving The Dalles.

While the partnership was a pleasant one, enjoyed by both proprietors and patrons, we bespeak for Mr. Blakeley the same generous patronage they have always held.

The professors and former pupils of Mt. Angel college, are arranging to hold a mass meeting of all former students in the near future, which bids fair to be one of the most enjoyable affairs imaginable. This college has for years been doing a splendid work in educating Oregon's young people, and a meeting of this kind will be greatly appreciated by those who love their alma mater and those connected therewith.

Hood River has shown the good judgment to again choose one of The Dalles teachers to fill a vacancy in her school, and last evening Miss Anna Thompson received notice of her appointment. Miss Thompson is a graduate of Monmouth normal school and has had remarkable success in the positions she has held near The Dalles. Hood River may therefore congratulate herself on her good luck in securing her services.

In another column we publish our new mayor's message, which is truly interesting reading to those who have the good of the city at heart. True to the principles under which he was elected, the tone of the message indicates that those who honored him with an office which was not sought by him, have made no mistake in their choice. Mayor Dufar evidently intends to use in the city affairs the same good common sense for which he has always been noted.

Almost a week has passed and still Mrs. Spink and family await further news concerning the drowning of her only son, Robert E. Kintoul, in the Snake river on the 27th. The merest news of his death was received and as yet no word as to the finding of the body has been heard. He leaves a wife and two children. The suspense is terrible to those who mourn his untimely loss and they have the sympathy of all.

Among the passengers on the excursion boat this morning was Mr. Hugh Gourlay, editor of THE CHRONICLE, who, having laid aside his editorial mantle, will don his bathing suit and paddle in the waters of the Pacific for the next fortnight. Having also left the official pencil and scissors behind, he evidently has no intention of favoring our readers with poetic effusions on "old ocean," but will confine his writing to the burning sands. His

"summer girl" (who, by the way is also his winter girl) will meet him in Astoria, where they will enjoy the celebration and he will return with her to their cottage at Ocean Park.

While to a casual observer Dalles people do not seem to be in an overly patriotic mood this year, yet when we consider the number of miles many of them are traveling for the privilege of pulling the eagle's tail, one must necessarily change his mind on the subject. However, while the city will be almost deserted, we should at least leave a reminder of the day behind in the form of decorations on our homes and business houses.

Sunday afternoon S. Kelley and family came in from the Seth Morgan place to attend the Salvation army and latched their horse just back of Hugh Gourlay's residence on the bluff. Upon returning Mrs. Kelley and the two little ones got in the wagon, when the horse became frightened and started to kick. In some manner the children were gotten out before the animal tore up the road and around the corner toward L. E. Crowe's residence, with Mrs. Kelley holding on to the front seat, the back seat having fallen out. The horse turned and ran up over the rocky road in front of Crowe's and finally was stopped in the alley near Robt. Mays'. Frightened almost to death, Mrs. Kelley fainted away and was some little time in coming to; but fortunately no permanent injury was done, as seemed inevitable to those who watched the runaway.

The Dalles is soon to have another neat church edifice added to the list of which she is already justly proud, and next Monday morning workmen will begin tearing down the building which has for the past six years served the purpose of a place of worship for the members of the Calvary Baptist church, preparatory to the erection of a new church. While the present quarters have been fitted up neatly and served their purpose well up till the present, they are certainly not adequate to the requirements of the growing congregation. Beside this, the building has not been an ornament to that portion of the city, and not only the members of that church but all will be pleased to learn that a building will be erected which will greatly improve this street which is used so continuously. For that reason alone, laying aside the broader and more deserving one, they should receive the assistance of the entire community in their work.

The Excursion.

Save for the absence of fire crackers and lemonade stands, one might have thought the Fourth was already here and the D. P. & A. N. dock the scene of a celebration this morning. A goodly number had gathered to see the excursionists set sail for Astoria, while as many more were boarding the Dalles City, which, with the Reliance, were lined up awaiting their cargo. Had the number of excursionists not been a sufficient load for the Dalles City, it was the intention to let her carry the Reliance passengers, or in case she was overcrowded, the latter would come to her assistance; but when all was told, 171 were found to be bound for Astoria, and all was in shape.

As they started out, to the music of the D. C. & A. C. band, the little Reliance seemed to have a slight difficulty in moving off, so that the Dalles City was quite a ways ahead; but soon showing that she meant business, the little craft gained on her, and when they turned Crate's Point they were almost abreast, although the larger boat still took the lead.

It is the intention to reach Portland at 2:30, but as excursionists will be taken on down the river, undoubtedly it will be later in arriving. Remaining in Portland a few hours, they will take the train for Astoria and reach there about 10:30 tonight. Returning on the 5th, they will get into Portland in time to take the boat that morning, arriving here in the evening.

Those of us who perform must remain behind wish them a glorious time.

The Sick.

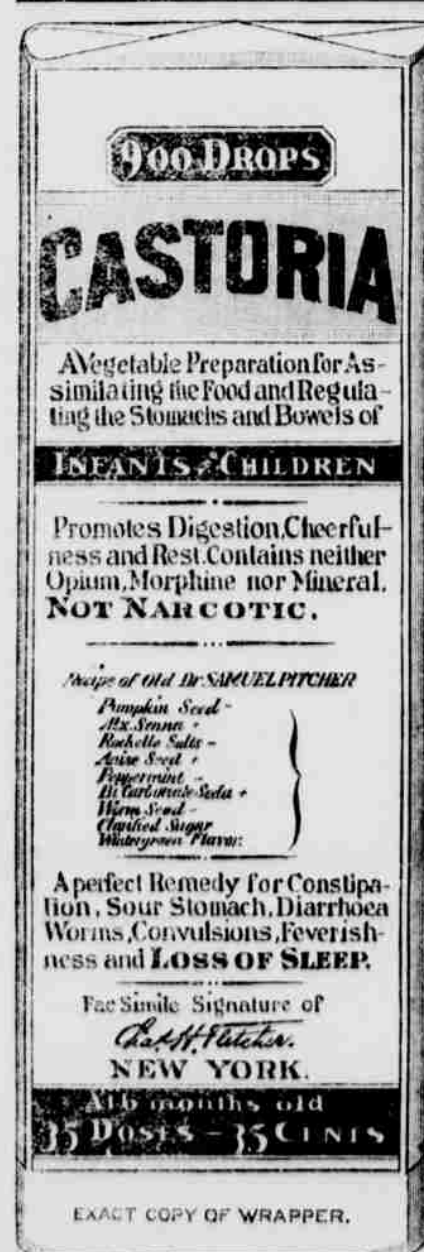
Mrs. H. W. French, who has been very ill for the past ten days, is somewhat better today.

Mr. J. A. McIntosh, whose condition has been critical for some weeks past, was very bad yesterday. His trouble is heart failure.

Ed Hostettler was taken sick Saturday, since which time his desk has been vacant in French & Co.'s bank. He is able to be out today.

Professor J. T. Neff has been confined to the house since last Thursday, but is improving from his illness and was on the street this morning.

Carey Ballard, who has been confined to his room for several days, attempted to resume his duties in Johnston's store yesterday, but took to his bed again today.



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