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Prices on All Our Summer Lines

Have Been Reduced Again.

We are "Store Cleaning" with a vengeance for the reception of our fall lines of goods which will begin to arrive about August 1st. Here is five lines which will lessen the three lines at nearly half and less than half their real value.

Ladies' Shirt Waists...

Good choosing is still here at prices that please all who see them.

Lawns, Dainties and all Thin Goods...

Take another drop in price this week; all our 20c and 25c grades go down to 10c.

Crash Skirts...

One-third goes off the price this week.

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For men—cool and porous; \$2.00 a suit.

Summer Underwear...

Many choice lines for men and women, reduced to 25c and 50c.

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GENERAL NEWS.

Emperor William has accepted from the manufacturers three automobiles in which he intends to ride during the August maneuvers.

The resignation of Perry S. Heath, as assistant postmaster-general, reached the department Monday. It is to take effect July 31.

Mrs. Fannie Janasek, the tragic actress, is a patient in St. Mary's hospital, Brooklyn, suffering from almost total paralysis of the left side, due in part to the recent excessive heat.

Chairman Babcock of the republican congressional committee says the republicans will have great difficulty to prevent the democrats from capturing the next congress, but he thinks McKinley is sure of re-election.

Yellow fever has broken out in the barracks of the Seventh United States Cavalry and the First United States Infantry in Pinar del Rio, Cuba, last month, and 11 cases are now under treatment in the hospitals.

A courier arrived in Rawlins, Wyoming, from the southern part of Carbon county with the report that a party of mountain cattlemen from Routt county, Colorado, had visited the sheep camp of Martin Johnson, just across the Wyoming line, and had slaughtered over 1500 head of sheep. The animals were shot down, but the herders were not molested, but were warned to bring no more sheep across the Wyoming line.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

Mrs. Lucy Rodgers died at Walla Walla Tuesday, aged 68 years, of pneumonia.

Paul Kraft, a well known citizen of The Dalles, died Monday, aged 52 years. He was a painter by trade and had lived in The Dalles 20 years.

Martin Payne, one of Linn county's best known pioneer citizens, died at Albany Sunday night after a lingering illness, at the age of 83 years.

A 15-year-old lad from Spokane named George H. Lowe, is winning much praise for his singing in a New York church. He is said to have the most wonderful boy's voice ever heard in New York.

Judge Sears, in the state circuit court, in Portland, rendered a decision holding that the law passed at the last legislature, placing a tax of \$1.25 on bicycles in certain counties of the state is unconstitutional.

William Small, Charles Olds, Lee Vincent, George Hayden and Joseph Leonard, of Baker City, have gone to Fort Vancouver, Wash., to report duty as jacks for the government in the Philippine service.

Joseph Rapley, wanted in Williamsburg, Va., for robbing the Peninsula bank on May 21 last, was arrested in Portland Monday. Three men robbed the bank of \$5000 and escaped after a desperate fight with the officers.

"Aunt Mary" Walling, as she was familiarly known, died at Anity, Or., Sunday morning, July 22, at the age of 82 years, 3 months and 13 days. Mary Long was born in Ohio. She came to Oregon with her husband in 1854.

George W. Gray, one of Salem's wealthiest and most highly respected citizens, died at the family home in that city Monday night, aged 79 years, 11 months and 13 days. He was a Mason and Odd Fellow. He was born in Pennsylvania.

Thomas Watson, of Fossil, was stricken with blindness while on top of his windmill a few days ago. A neighbor helped him down. He is 75 years old, and the exertion of climbing ladders caused a small hemorrhage of the brain. It is thought he will regain his sight.

J. E. Kelley died in Cove, Union county, July 21, 1900, aged 42 years. He was one of Cove's prosperous merchants and had been a resident of that place for a number of years and was highly respected in that community. He leaves a wife and six children.

The condition of Mrs. Holmes, who was shot by accident along with her husband, at Island City, is still reported favorable by Dr. Molitor, the attending physician. Under favorable circumstances the lady's early recovery from the frightful accident is considered a matter of certainty.

THE SITUATION IN CHINA

Viceroy Gives Assurance That Foreigners in Peking are Safe.

A WRITTEN MESSAGE FROM CONGER

Consul Goodnow Has Nothing New to Report; Li Hung Chang at Shanghai; Chinese Soldiers are Killing Boxers.

Washington, July 25.—The state department has received a telegram from Consul Goodnow, at Canton, saying Viceroy Tak gives strong assurance that all foreign envoys at Peking were alive and well on July 21.

Written Message from Conger. The following has been received at the navy department: "The Foo.—A written message signed by Conger, dated July 4, was received at Tien Tsin under date of the 21st. It says: 'Been besieged for two weeks at the British legation. There is grave danger of a general massacre by Chinese soldiers. Relief must come soon, if at all. The city is without government, except the Chinese army. They seem determined to massacre all foreigners at Peking.'"

Nothing New from Goodnow. Washington, July 25.—The state department has received a dispatch from Consul General Goodnow, but it contains nothing to clear up the situation at Peking. Goodnow says, Li Hung Chang will remain a Shanghai for the present and conduct negotiations from that city. There is an intimation that Earl Li is detained at the request of the foreign officials, although this is not so stated.

Chinese Killing Boxers. Tien Tsin, July 25.—The Chinese coming here from the country report the Chinese soldiers are killing Boxers wherever the latter are seen, giving as a reason that the Boxers deceived them into embarking on a hopeless struggle. Intelligent Chinamen say it is only a matter of a short time before the same state of affairs would exist in Peking, when, in all probability, Jung Lu and Prince Ching would be able to regain sufficient influence to make peace, especially if the foreigners in the capital were safe.

Kemp's Righteous Action. Washington, July 25.—The navy department today made public a mail report from Rear Admiral Kempf, explaining his reasons for refusing to join with the ships of the other powers in the attack on the Taku forts. Kempf's explanation of his refusal to participate in the attack on the Chinese fortifications, a power with which we were at peace, is warmly commended by Secretary Long.

The Grant at Nagasaki. Washington, July 25.—General Chaffee, on the transport Grant, arrived at Nagasaki today. As soon as the Grant is coaled she will proceed to Taku.

Conger Was Safe July 4. Washington, July 25.—The message from Minister Conger, which came this morning, was the first communication of unquestionable authenticity received from the American minister since his urgent appeal for help received on July 12. This message establishes clearly the fact that the American minister, and probably the other legation, were alive July 4. Therefore it completely disposes of the story from Shanghai of a massacre on June 2. It is true it does not negative the subsequent reports of a massacre on July 6, but officials here feel that there is as much reason to believe the second report was false as in the case of the first report.

Troops Arrive at Taku. Shanghai, July 25.—Two thousand American troops have arrived at Taku as well as eight transports loaded with British troops.

Big Building Burned. Chicago, July 25.—An explosion occurred in a five-story building at 125 Dearborn street, this city, this morning. In a few minutes the building was a mass of flames. It is feared several lives are lost.

The Michigan Democrats. Detroit, July 25.—The democratic state convention was called to order this morning. Alfred Locking, the law partner of Mayor Maybury, is temporary chairman.

Fusion in Kansas. Fort Scott, Kans., July 25.—Democratic, populist and silver republican conventions completed the fusion agreement today and nominated a mixed state ticket.

E. L. MIMS GETS NO NEW TRIAL. Supreme Court Affirms Judge Lowell's Refusal to Grant a Re-hearing. The supreme court's decision in the case of E. L. Mims, convicted for murder, is affirmed. A new trial, and affirms the judgment of the lower court, Judge Lowell sitting. The opinion is by Wolverton, J. The sentence was for five years in the penitentiary. He has been in the county jail here since the trial, which resulted in his conviction, last fall, in the hope that a new trial would be granted by the supreme court. Being convicted of manslaughter although charged with murder in the first degree in killing J. Henry Miller. If a new trial had been given, he would have been tried only for manslaughter, and could not again have been tried for murder.

J. P. McManus, respondent, vs. D. G. Smith et al., appellants, appeal from Umatilla county; S. A. Lowell, judge; opinion by Moore, J.; modified.

Christ Breeding, appellant, vs. James Williams, respondent, appeal from Umatilla county; S. A. Lowell, judge; opinion by Moore, J.; affirmed.

John Wheeler, respondent, vs. E. S. Lock and P. A. Conde, appellants, appeal from Baker county; Robert Eakin, judge; opinion by Bean, C. J.; reversed and remanded.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

Telegraph and Railway Communication Restored.

London, July 25.—The following dispatch has been received from Lord Roberts: "Vandermerwe Station.—We made a general advance yesterday from our position east of Pretoria. The enemy has abandoned his strong position in front of General Polke-Carew. The telegraph and railway communication was restored last night. In the supply train, captured at Roodeval, were 200 Welsh Fusiliers, most of whom had been prisoners."

THE GOLD DEMOCRATS.

They Will Not Name Candidates for the Presidential Offices.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 25.—If matters were left to the national committee of gold democrats, which meets here this afternoon, there will be no gold democratic ticket in the field this year. There is a feeling among the gold democrats here that the anti-imperialists or the independents can put a ticket in the field, if they wish, and it will be independent of the gold democrats. The national democratic committee will issue an address, which will be in the form of a platform, reaffirming the position taken in 1896. The members will be permitted to vote as they please.

IN THE PRIZE RING.

Eagan Defeated Forbes and Ryan and Root Fought a Draw.

New York, July 25.—John R. Eagan of Brooklyn last night defeated Clarence Forbes of Chicago in the twentieth round, before the Seaside Sporting club of Coney Island.

A Fake Fight in Chicago.

Chicago, July 25.—Tommy Ryan of Syracuse and Jack Root of Chicago, fought a draw at Tattersall's last night. In the first two rounds some fast work was done. After that 6000 people gave vent to their disapproval in cries of "fake" and "take them off." Several hundred left the hall as disgusted had they become.

THE ST. LOUIS STRIKE.

Comptroller of the American Federation of Labor, Gives It His Endorsement.

St. Louis, July 25.—President Comptroller of the American Federation of Labor, has left for Chicago, W. D. Mahon, the president of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees, said that Comptroller endorsed the strike and said the movement would have the support of the American Federation.

Witnesses Excused.

Georgetown, Ky., July 25.—A dozen or more witnesses summoned on behalf of the commonwealth of Kentucky in the trial of Caleb Powers, charged with complicity in the shooting of Governor Goebel, were excused today on motion of the prosecution. As the same thing has occurred each morning of this week the total list of witnesses for the prosecution has been reduced materially.

A Train Wreck.

St. Louis, July 25.—A special to the Post-Dispatch, from Benton, Ill., says: A southbound passenger train on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad was wrecked near here today. Otto Neimel was killed and 25 other passengers injured, some of them fatally.

Washington Press Association.

New Whitson, Wash., July 25.—The Washington State Press Association was called to order here this morning with the largest attendance at the initial meeting in its history. President Moore delivered the annual address.

Peace at Stevenson.

Vancouver, B. C., July 25.—The trouble at Stevenson with the striking fishermen is probably settled. The presence of the militia has taken all the fight out of the strikers.

The Wheat Markets.

Chicago, July 25.—September wheat, 75 5/8 cents per bushel.

San Francisco, July 25.—Cash wheat, \$1.00 1/2 per cental.

CHICAGO MARKET.

Reported by L. L. Ray & Co., Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers.

July 5.—Wheat was weak again today and for a time was under the 76c mark for September. The opening was 75 1/2, but there was considerable wheat for sale and the market sagged to 74 5/8. Numerous stop loss orders were caught at 75. The local crowd were good buyers and prices advanced to 75 5/8. Corn close, 57 1/2.

Stocks lower. Money 1 1/2 per cent.

Cash yesterday, 75 1/2.

Open today, 75 1/2.

Range today, 74 5/8 to 75 5/8.

Close today, 75 1/2 to 75 5/8.

Tacoma Boy Killed in China.

Dewey Rogers, a Tacoma boy, was killed in the battle at Tien Tsin. He died fighting in the ranks of the Ninth United States Infantry. He enlisted in Portland. His mother lives in Tacoma and the young man was her only son.

PENDLETON MAN IN LUCK

Wesley Matlock Owns Half Interest in Great Find in Alaska.

BACKED MEN WHO MADE DISCOVERY

The Claims are Located on Nugget Creek and From Glacier to Glacier are Exceedingly Rich in Gold.

Juneau, Alaska, July 18.—The rich placer strike eight miles from here was made by Sam Butte and Jesse Crawford, who were aided by Wesley N. Matlock, formerly of Pendleton. They have formed a company, and own it claims in the new district. Matlock holding one-half of them all. It is on Nugget creek, which proves to be rich from glacier to glacier. Mr. Matlock has advised that the new district is extensive, and hundreds left today for these diggings. The Daily Alaska Dispatch today said:

"W. N. Matlock, who was the financial backer of the enterprise, and who for a time withheld information of the strike, says he did so for the reason that his party had not made all the locations they desired, including water rights."

Sam Butte and Jesse Crawford left Juneau on July 1st and reached the creek which has now been named Nugget creek on July 2. After carefully looking over the three basins through which the creek runs, they decided to prospect the middle basin after finding good surface colors on each. Fifteen pans were taken from the creek with the result that 30 cents worth of fine gold was secured, it being more in fact like very heavy color, this gave them an average of four cents to the pan. They then returned to Juneau without making any locations to report to Mr. Matlock, and he not being satisfied with their report returned with them, leaving Juneau on July 7, in a row boat and going by water as far as the bar, where a team was secured from Tom Knudson and their outfit hauled to the foot of the glacier. Here they met George Lodge and partner who had just returned from a prospecting trip to the same district, and he reported that their trip was a useless one as they had sunk holes in the basin and had not secured a color.

When they struck bedrock. "When they arrived at the creek they found that this was true, but on investigating the holes they ascertained that the Lodge party had struck a false bedrock, which they supposed was the real one, and on going 25 feet further down they struck the real bedrock and secured their first pan of coarse gold. Next morning Sam Butte made a careful investigation and found a place where the bedrock cropped out and by scaling along the side a nugget weighing about \$5 was secured. This satisfied the entire party that the basin contained coarse gold in the real bedrock, and they, false one, and five locations were made, including the Lucky Salmon claim which was discovered. They found that the creek came from two glaciers running through their basins in under the big glacier near the bar. The creek runs east and west and about twice the size of gold creek. The middle basin contains about 15 acres and it was there that the discovery claim was located. The upper basin contains about 100 acres and lower one 550 acres. This discovery made the numerous basins claims as the country is rolling, and in Mr. Matlock's opinion there is room for all of Juneau to locate.

Formed a Company. The party returned to Juneau. Monday and a company was formed to take up 100 acres of the lower basin, and it was in order to let his two partners have a chance to return, also that the exact location was kept a secret until given exclusively to the Daily Dispatch.

On last evening's tide several boatloads of prospectors left, among whom were many old-time miners, who, after investigating the rumors, were satisfied that a coarse gold discovery had been made.

The diggings are eight miles back of Mt. Juneau in a direct line, but by reason of these mountains those going to the strike will have to go to the bar, where a wagon can be secured from Knudson to transport their outfit to the foot of the glacier. Turning up the first canyon to the right for about five miles will land the prospector at the lower basin.

Senator Daniel Visits the Coast. Hon. John W. Daniel, United States senator from Virginia, and author of "Daniel on Negotiable Instruments," a law work which is found in all well-stocked attorneys' libraries, spent Monday in Portland, in company with his son, Edward. He arrived from California in the morning, and left over the O. R. & N. for Quana Monday evening. He is making a pleasure trip of the coast, and will journey to the shrine of Bryan at Lincoln on his way home.

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25 Turkish Towels, worth 12 1/2c, for..... 7 1/2c	Ladies' Tan or Black Oxfords, worth \$1.75, for..... 50c
3 Wrappers (Percale and Lawn), worth \$1 and \$2..... 50c	Men's Shoes, worth \$1.50, now..... \$1.00
All our line of Ladies' Summer Neckwear at half price.	Men's Shoes, worth \$2, for..... 50c
Ladies' Covert Outing Suits, worth \$2.50..... \$1.50	
White Duck and Pique Skirts at little prices.	
Dark Golf and Covert Suits, worth 20c..... 10c	
San Bonnets, worth 35c..... 19c	
Children's Percale, worth 35c to 45c..... 19c	
Ladies' Summer Vests..... 2 for 5c	
Remnants of Lawns, Dimity, Organdy, Swiss, Tissue, Ginghams, etc., at less than half what you'd have to pay ordinarily.	
Lawns and Challies..... 3c	
Long Gingham, worth 12 1/2c..... 5c	
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