

PRICE ATTRACTS.

QUALITY DECIDES.

A DOUBLE EVENT

Two important events are slated for this week's business... One that will benefit you and one that will benefit others. You will be very much interested in both movements, so please read on.

LAST YEAR'S SHIRT WAISTS

Shirt Waists that were 85c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2, NOW 69c	Shirt Waists that were \$1.50, \$2 and \$3, NOW 98c
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IT WILL PAY YOU TO SEE THEM.

Alexander Dept. Store

The John Barrett Company

NEW STORES

Corner Sixth and Alder—Opposite the Oregonian
Phone Main 122. PORTLAND, ORE.

ASSESSMENT IS COMPLETED

VALUATION THIS YEAR IS HIGHER THAN LAST.

More Property Listed This Year and Many Changes made in the Valuations of Land.

The assessment for Umatilla county and Pendleton for the year 1902, has been completed and the field deputies have turned in their books to County Assessor George Buzan. It will be weeks before the exact amount of the assessment is known, but it is said the amount will total quite a little more than the assessment of last year.

Mr. Buzan has been working ever since being placed in office to get an equal assessment on all property according to its exact value. Of course this is quite a task and considering the fact that all values have been taken heretofore at what the owner saw fit to place upon his property, it involves more or less care to get things equal. Some values have been lowered, where the assessor thought it was placing the value on one man's property a little above what the property adjoining him was valued at, but in few cases has anything been taken off but almost everything saw a raise.

Again, the assessing has been gone at in a more systematic way than ever before. Blanks were prepared in advance for every piece of property in the county and every man who had land registered as deeded was found. The increased assessment on values will cause a general voice of approval from almost all taxpayers, and while it will raise some individual taxes a little it will be better for them in the long run, for the money paid into the county this way will go toward paying off the indebtedness of the county and stop the large interests the taxpayers are paying.

The assessment this year was several weeks later than usual, which was owing to the preparing of the blanks spoken of above and it makes a little more work in transferring the assessment to the rolls, but one satisfaction in doing it is in knowing that every man owning property got it assessed. It will be several weeks before this work is completed in the office, but several deputies will be

busy at this after the 26th and it is expected that they will have it completed by the time for the sitting of the equalization board in August, when all errors are supposed to be adjusted by the board.

Saved From an Awful Fate.

"Everybody said I had consumption," writes Mrs. A. M. Shields, of Chambersburg, Pa. "I was so low after six months of severe sickness caused by hay fever and asthma, that few thought I could get well, but I learned of the marvelous merit of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, used it and was completely cured." For desperate throat and lung diseases it is the safest cure in the world, and is infallible for coughs, colds and bronchial affections. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at Tallman & Co.'s.

EARLY CLOSING MOVEMENT.

Merchants Generally Favor It, But There Are a Few Opposed.

The early closing movement is again being agitated, and the question is occupying the minds of the clerks as well as the merchants. Thursday afternoon a committee from the local Clerks' Union, consisting of Mrs. A. M. Clark, J. C. Allen and W. H. Harrison, waited upon all the merchants of the town and asked them to sign a petition agreeing to close at 6 o'clock. This was signed by most of the merchants, but a few refused. The clerks' committee will endeavor to get all to sign the agreement. If these few who are opposed to closing, continue to refuse to sign the petition, what the outcome will be is hard to determine. The clerks think they are working too many hours and are asking for a chance to have a little time from behind the counter.

This is their idea, and while they ask for the shorter hours, they are not attempting anything that will intentionally injure the merchants, as they contend that just as many goods will be sold from 8 o'clock in the morning to 6 in the evening as will if the stores stay open day and night. A great many of the business men look at the thing in the same light, and are anxious to close, but a few cannot close without loss to themselves, if some stay open.

GOING LIKE HOT CAKES!

Is the Kemler Stock at the Great Closing-Out Sale. People are anxiously seizing on to the goods while the opportunity is here.

DOLLARS ARE BEING SAVED

Don't let the chance go by

LOOK AT . . . THESE PRICES

10-pound box Crackers, per box	65c
All kinds of Tea, per pound	40c
Lamp Chimneys less than cost	
French Sardines, per box	10c
Galvanized Tubs	70c to 90c
Wash Boards	20c to 40c

SYRUPS

Kemler's best 2-gal jackets cut fr'm	\$1.15 to 90c
Kemler's best 3-gal " " "	1.65 to \$1.25
Kemler's best 4-gal " " "	2.15 to 1.75
Choc'late Cream 2-gal " " "	1.25 to 1.00
Choc'late Cream 3-gal " " "	1.85 to 1.45
Choc'late Cream 4-gal " " "	2.40 to 1.90

CANNED GOODS

Tomatoes, corn, beans, peas, regular price	
2 for 25c	per can 10c
Monopole fruit, high grade, cut fr'm 25c can to	20c
Standard table fruits, 7 cans for	1.00
Salmon, 4 cans for	25c
Hams and Bacon, per pound	14c
Oatmeal, per pound	4c
Rope, per pound, from	8 1/2 to 12c
Schilling's baking powder, per pound	40c
Schilling's Typical blend coffee, per pound	20c
Cane sugar, per sack	4.90
Beet sugar, per sack	4.80
Potatoes, per hundred	1.50
Best cream cheese, per pound	16c
Silk soap, 6 bars for	25c
Golden Star soap, 6 bars for	25c
Dairy salt, 50 pound sacks, per sack	90c
Flour, per sack	75c
Dairy butter, per roll	25c
Creamery butter, per roll	50c
Macaroni, 1-pound package	10c
All kinds of lye, per can	10c
Sea Foam, large packages, 6 for	25c
All kinds of axle grease, per can	5c and 10c
Arbuckle's and Lion Coffee	8 pkcks \$1.00
Mason Fruit Jars, Qts. 75c, Half-gals 90c Doz	

Everything else in Our Grocery Cut Accordingly.

Cash Only Goes at this Sale. No Credit Given Anyone.

All parties knowing themselves to be indebted to me will please call and settle in cash or by bankable paper before July 1. All unsettled accounts July 1 will be put in the hands of my attorney for collection.

D. KEMLER
Closing Out Sale

It Pays to Trade at the Peoples Warehouse

JUNE SELLING

AND

This Saturday's Bill of Fare

Ladies' colored shirt waists, \$2.50, \$1.50, \$1.00, down to	25c	3000 yards Scotch lawn, warm weather dress goods, per yard	3c
Ladies' colored petticoats, immense assortment, \$5.00, \$2.00, \$1.00, down to	50c	Best lady's shoe on earth for the price	\$2.50
Needles, card of 32, including darners and bodkin	1c	400 dozen spool cotton, none better	2 1/2c
Wrappers, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25, 98c and	48c	Ladies' linen collars, each	5c
Curling irons, 5c, 4c and	3c	Corset stays, per set	5c
Ladies' dress skirts, black and colors, \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00 and	98c	Pearl buttons, all sizes, per dozen	5c
Clothes Brushes, regular worth 15c	8c	Try one pair of our Boys' hose for	22c
Ladies' tailor made suits just received, drummers' samples; line of suits no two alike that we will sell at	25 per cent off regular price	Bat and Ball Free with boy's suit.	
Ladies' silk mitts, others sell them for 25c, our price	15c	Firecrackers and Pistol and caps free with boy's suit	
5000 yards best calico, much as you want, per yard	4c	Try one of our All Wool Men's Suits	\$5.00
Children's handkerchiefs, each	1c	Our 50c overalls, best on earth for the price	50c
		Men's cotton Sox, 5c per pair, per dozen	50c
		Working gloves, \$1.50, \$1.35, \$1.00, 75c, 50c and	25c
		Purchase of one pair invariably makes a customer	
		Our men's shoe, best on earth for the price	2.50

You can find everything that ought to be in an Up to Date Dry Goods Store

Plenty Clerks And It Is No Trouble to Show Goods

BIG REDUCTION ON BOYS' CLOTHING

THE PEOPLES WAREHOUSE

AGENTS BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS

Call and Get a Fashion Sheet Free

GRAND FREE PICNIC

EVERY SUNDAY at KINE'S GROVE

Dancing Begins at 2 o'clock each Sunday. Busses to and from the grounds day and Night.

RESTAURANT ON GROUNDS. The grove can be engaged for picnic parties by applying to PETER SMITH, at Hotel St. George.

E. H. Grove
This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.