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Our Clearance Sale has now commenced, and prices are cut on many lines all over the store. Do you need an Overcoat? Buy it here, where you can save 40 per cent over others' prices. All clothing is now reduced 20 per cent to reduce stock.

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THE FAIR

GENERAL NEWS.

A powder magazine 16 miles from Uskub, blew up January 12, killing 30 Turkish soldiers.

Of 4,790 children under 16 years of age brought into the police court of New York city during 1903, only 430 were girls.

A committee of the National G. A. R. is drafting a new pension law, or rather a much-amended revision of the present law.

Rumors that the Salvation Army colony in Colorado is badly embarrassed financially are stoutly denied by army officials.

The Pennsylvania coke industry is reviving. Four thousand nine hundred and sixty-three new ovens have been opened lately.

The Harriman lines have contracted for 100,000 tons of heavy steel rails to be delivered during 1904, at a cost of \$2,800,000.

E. H. McCutcheon, of Holstein, Iowa, died January 14. He was very wealthy and a famous importer and breeder of Holstein cattle.

Tacoma's fire losses for 1903, amounted to \$309,556.15. The insurance involved was \$1,501,100, upon which \$230,996.15 was paid.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway has been called for March 21, at which they will be asked by the officials to approve a new bond issue of \$163,000,000.

Wong Lee Qui, a Tacoma Chinaman, quite old and a miser, shipped at Tacoma for China and died at San Francisco en route. Twenty-five thousand dollars in cash was found upon his person.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Fire which started in a saloon at Havre, Mont., Thursday, destroyed property worth \$190,000.

A total of 350 persons were admitted to the Multnomah county poor farm during the year 1903.

Charles Stewart, an aged miner of Boise, committed suicide at Pearl, Thursday, by shooting himself.

The managers of the Marquam theater, Portland, have decided to provide an additional exit to that building.

Georgianna Hewitson, of Victoria, B. C., is now on trial for attempting to murder her mother by putting carbolic acid in the teapot.

The Oregon City land office has decided that in case of the death of a homesteader, the widow, alone, can prove up on the claim.

Petitions are now being speedily circulated by the members of the Direct Primary League to get the amendment on the official ballot at the June election.

Two loan robbers held up a prominent house in the tenderloin district at Chico, Cal., and secured over \$200, Thursday. They made their escape and have not been found.

The fire inspection committee of Portland will now turn its attention to the dozens of churches in that city to ascertain if they are properly equipped with safety devices.

J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern, says the differential tariff imposed by Joseph Chamberlain on foreign wheat will create a surplus of at least 20,000,000 bushels annually in the Northwest states.

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HELIX HAPPENINGS

MRS. HUSON WILL VISIT FIVE MONTHS IN CALIFORNIA.

New Proprietor of the Helix Hotel is From Missouri—Revival Meetings Will Begin Sunday at the Christian Church—Albee Brothers Have Opened Branch Meat Market at Adams.

Helix, Jan. 14.—The recent rains have done considerable damage to the roads in Helix and vicinity.

Mrs. L. M. Huson will leave for California on Saturday. Her son Arch will accompany her and will return to Helix in about two weeks. Mrs. Huson will return to Helix some time in June.

Mrs. Earl Tessie, lately of Colorado Springs, arrived at the home of her aunt, Mrs. B. L. Leland, Monday evening.

T. Wimpey, lately from Missouri, has rented the Helix hotel, and will take possession Friday morning.

Chester Able of Dayton, is visiting at the home of Chas. Stanton. Guy Smith came up from Wallula Monday morning where he had been visiting friends the past week.

Miss Myrtle Hill came out from Pendleton Monday and returned Tuesday.

Miss Iva Hill is visiting with friends in Pendleton this week.

Mrs. B. L. Leland was a Pendleton visitor Monday.

The Albee Brothers, who are in the butcher business in Helix, have started a branch shop in Adams.

Revival at Christian Church. Mr. Wood will begin a series of protracted meetings at the Christian church on next Sunday evening.

FUNERAL ARTISTS.

Strange Occupation of Party of Spokane Girls.

There is a small band of young women in the city who make a very comfortable living singing at the burial service of the departed, says the Spokesman-Review. Professional mourners for funerals form a calling which as yet has no devotees here, but this one profession of which Spokane has not boasted has been living and thriving in her midst for some years past.

In former years it was the custom for the singers to go as attaches of the minister officiating and he would divide his fees—when he got any—with the songsters. About two years ago one preacher forgot to divide with his fair assistants, and though their natural modesty forbade asking him for it, they have never ceased to long and wait for it.

Times have changed since then, and now the young women of whom there are three in the profession, go, not as the assistant of the pastor, but as the assistant of the undertaker, and he collects the fees for them. They receive from \$1 to \$5 apiece for each service at which they sing, when the friends of the deceased are able to pay it. On many occasions, however, the service is rendered to poor people free of charge.

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Working Christianity.

The people turned out and sawed wood for Rev. Hawkins last Thursday. Among those present were Mr. Adkins, Mr. Humphreys, Dave, Will and Everett Pinkston, Jess Cantrell, Clinton Fellows, Henry Adkins, Henry Westfall, O. W. Coughman and Mr. Rowland. About 20 cords of wood were sawed. Mrs. Hawkins served a bounteous dinner for them, and also an oyster supper to the boys and their best girls on the Wednesday night following.—Alpha, Idaho, Cor. in Capital News.

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Sensible Safety.

The mothers and fathers of Spokane may rejoice in the far-sightedness of the school officials, who have introduced the "fire drill." In case of fire the children would probably all escape. The Spokane fire drill is practiced at unexpected times. The gong sounds, the children rise and march out, in an orderly way. Panic is prevented by cool-headedness.—Spokane Press.

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Spokane Woman Seeks Redress for Her Injured Feelings.

Spokane, Jan. 25.—R. T. Daniel, Cuban sugar planter of Spokane, is painted in the light of a gay and frisky lothario by charming Mrs. Louise Wright, his tenant, who is suing him for defamation of character. In an amended complaint filed in the superior court yesterday Mrs. Wright charges that Mr. Daniel "entered said lodging apartment and provoked and grossly insulted plaintiff, Louise Wright, by attempting to embrace and kiss her."

In this tale of woe, however, there is one gleam of sunshine. The complaint contains the comforting assurance that Daniel's attempt at love-making "was instantly resented and rebuked" by Mrs. Wright. What she did to stave off Daniel's caresses dependent sayeth not.

In Mrs. Wright's first complaint she merely alleged the defamation of character and intimated that about \$10,000 would soothe her ruffled feelings and restore her standing in the community. Now, however, that she has recalled Daniel's attempt to spoon with her, Mrs. Wright doubles her figure and demands \$20,000.

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