

COMING for One Week Only

The Grandest Aggregation of Bargains Ever Shown in Pendleton

MAY MUST BE A BANNER MONTH. TO MAKE IT SUCH WE MUST OFFER BANNER PRICES. WHY WE DO AND CAN UNDERSSELL: FIRST—WE ARE A PART OF THE GOLDEN RULE SYNDICATE, A COMMUNITY OF STORES LOCATED IN OREGON, WASHINGTON, IDAHO, MONTANA AND COLORADO. WE BUY TOGETHER, THEREFORE BUY IN LARGE QUANTITIES AND GET BIG DISCOUNTS AND PAY NO COMMISSION. SECOND—WE BUY DIRECT OF THE MANUFACTURERS AND IMPORTERS, SO SAVE THE JOBBERS' COMMISSION. THIRD—WE OPERATE WITH THE LEAST POSSIBLE EXPENSE. FOURTH—WE DO A CASH BUSINESS. YOU DO NOT HAVE TO HELP PAY FOR THE GOODS THE OTHER FELLOW GOT BUT DID NOT PAY FOR. FIFTH—WE ARE SATISFIED WITH GOLDEN RULE PROFITS. THAT IS, WE CHARGE NO MORE PROFITS THAN WE WOULD LIKE TO PAY.

LOOK OVER THE FOLLOWING MATCHLESS PRICES. WE HAVE THE GOODS. WE DO NOT ADVERTISE WHAT WE DO NOT HAVE. COME IN, LOOK OVER OUR STOCK, GET ACQUAINTED WITH OUR METHOD OF DOING BUSINESS. WE GUARANTEE TO SAVE YOU MONEY ON EVERY PURCHASE.

SHOES

Do your shoes give satisfaction? We carry a full line of up-to-date ladies', children's and men's shoes at reasonable prices, which are guaranteed.

We have 100 pairs of odds and ends in ladies' shoes, good widths, regular \$1.50 and \$1.75, sale price, \$1.18.



Children's substantial school shoes, good bargain, size 5 to 8 88c
Same in sizes 8 1/2 to 11 \$1.12
Same in sizes 11 1/2 to 2 \$1.33

MEN'S SUITS EXTRA SPECIAL

To introduce our Suits to the men of Pendleton we make the following offer. We believe we are selling men's suits cheaper than any firm in Pendleton. During this sale we will give as a present \$1.00 in cash with every suit you buy worth \$6.50 or up to \$10.00, and \$1.50 in cash on every suit over \$10.00. Examine these prices. Come in and let us show you.
Men's Light Dressy Suit—Just the thing for summer \$4.95
Dark Grey Mixed Suit—A remarkable, good bargain, only \$6.50
Better grades \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00 and up

Muslin Underwear

Our muslin underwear should not be overlooked or forgotten. We can save you 25 per cent on any article you may desire. Our corset covers range in price from 10c to \$1.75.



Ladies' drawers from 20c to \$1.75
Ladies' white skirts from 48c to \$2.25
Ladies' night gowns from 42c up
Chemise from 78c up
Remember, this is the celebrated Peerless underwear—well made and perfectly satisfactory.
We have an exceptionally strong line of ladies' summer vests and gauze pants, from 5c to 65c.



NOTIONS

We are headquarters for Notions; you have only to look over the following list to be convinced that you have been paying too much for your notions if you have not been buying them here.

- Hair pins, per bunch 1c
- 200 parlor matches, per bunch 1c
- 800e tacks, per package 2c
- Hooks and eyes, two doz 2c
- Pie pans, each 3c
- 2-pint dairy pans, each 3c
- Best brass pins, full count 4c
- Best safety pins, per doz 4c
- Curling irons, each 4c

- 2-quart dairy pans, each 4c
 - 1-pint funnel, each 4c
 - Good pearl buttons, per doz 5c
 - 2 1-pint tin cups 5c
 - Fire shovel, each 5c
 - 2-bladed mincing knife, each 7c
 - Ladies' or gents' shoe polish 10c
 - Best flour sifter, each 12c
 - 10-quart dairy pail, each 15c
 - Extra heavy 12-quart dairy pail, each 25c
 - 14-quart retinned dish pan 28c
 - 17-quart IX retinned dish pan 38c
- Many other things in the notion line too numerous to mention, but at correspondingly low prices.

CALICO.

During this sale we will sell the best calico, per yard 5c
Take all you want.

PERCALES.

All 10c and 12 1/2c Percale will go for 9c
Take all you want.

DRESS GINGHAMS.

We have a nice assortment of dress gingham, regular 19c quality, during this sale, per yard 5c

MUSLINS.

Good 8 1-3c bleached, per yd 5c
A heavy 11c bleached, per yd 9c
All sheetings guaranteed to be cheaper than any other place in town.

CORSETS.

Remember, we have the exclusive agency for Dr. Warner's celebrated Rust-proof Corset. The best fitting and most serviceable corset on the market. Call and see the different styles.
We have them from 50c up.

BLACK AND COLORED SKIRTS.

We carry a full line of the famous Peerless underskirt. None better sold today. A good quality, full deep flounce, 78c.
Better ones, 88c, 98c, \$1.13, \$1.75 and up.

DRESS GOODS.

This is the only place in Pendleton where you can get the celebrated "Broadhead" dress goods.
We buy these goods direct from the factory and we get the special discount to the Golden Rule Syndicate. These goods are recognized by all judges as the very best cream of the market. For wear and finish they are superb. Our line of summer goods in fancy weaves is complete.

LAWNS.

Our new spring lines are in. We bought these lawns, also our spring waistings in New York. We have the right styles and prices. Don't pass these up.

SHIRT WAISTS.

Our line of waists and prices of the same have attracted much attention. We have exceptionally strong values in shirt waists and dressing saques.

HOSIERY.

Our line of hosiery has been recognized as one of the best in the city.
Children's fine ribbed hose, a 15c grade, our price 10c
Heavy ribbed children's hose 13c
Ladies' best fine ribbed 10c stockings in town.
Ladies' fancy hose from 15c up.
Ladies' imported lisle finish hose, 25c.

LACE CURTAINS.

Housecleaning time brings a demand for lace curtains. Notice these prices and sizes:
Nottingham curtains, 39 inches wide, 7 1/2 feet long 48c
Nottingham curtains, 35 inches wide, 7 1/2 feet long 58c
Nottingham curtains, 35 inches wide, 9 feet long 65c
Nottingham curtains, 45 inches wide, 9 feet long \$1.

MEN'S GLOVES.

Our stock of men's gloves is complete.
We have several styles of substantial working gloves for 50c
A calf skin, Saranac glove, good wearers 65c
Genuine horsehide glove—no better on the market \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

A PRIZE FOR THE BOYS

We give 25 cents in cash to each boy buying a suit worth \$1.75 to \$2.50, and 50 cents in cash on suits worth \$2.75 and up.
We have boys' long pants suits, good colors and very reasonable in price, ranging from \$3.50 to \$10.00.
Boys' short pants suits from 75c up.

GOLDEN RULE STORE

Main Street, Opposite Postoffice

THE MANCHURIAN BANDIT AN IMPORTANT FACTOR

One of the factors in the present war between Russia and Japan which may have an important part in determining the result, but which is but little considered as yet is the bandit of Manchuria.

Some call this person "the red-whiskered gentleman"; he is more generally and properly spoken of as "the bandit." Some of those in the Far East have not forgotten him, however, and the reason, doubtless, why the Chinese have sent Yuanshi Kai and his army corps to the great wall at Shan Hal Kwan is to keep these very robbers in Manchuria, seeing that their trade—a well-carried out and lucrative one—will disappear with the large bodies of Japanese and Russian troops in the country.

These bandits are reported to be 200,000 strong. They have plenty of small-arm ammunition, but no artillery or large guns of any description. They are mostly composed of disbanded soldiers of the Chinese army who have been drilled by foreigners. They are much better shots than the Siberian Cossack, for their shooting is their living. There is a probability of the Chinese militia joining them if they have not already done so. They are moderately armed; in fact, they use the weapons captured from the various bands of Manchurian robbers from time to time. The bandits are in a way honest,

for they give passes to the villagers fortunate villages fell between the who bring their produce to Niu Chwang both by water and roadways. Carts and boats holding passes from these robbers carry the flag of the band that issues the passes, and, strange to relate, these flags are always respected by the men of other bands.

So that once having paid his toll to the robber the villager goes on his way rejoicing, well knowing that he has nothing more to fear.

Now, what happened when the Japanese took possession of the country following the Chino-Japanese war? The Japanese, seeing that they could not cope with the bandit, allowed him to carry on a trade which kept the country settled to the satisfaction of both villager and bandit, and did not interfere with this, as it were, legitimate trade.

On the other hand, when the Russians took possession of Manchuria, and particularly Niu Chwang, in 1900, during the "boxer" trouble, the higher Russian authorities endeavored to put down the bandit by force of arms, but those having authority in a lesser degree did not do so; they only tried to put him down when he would or could not meet their demands, which often led to trouble.

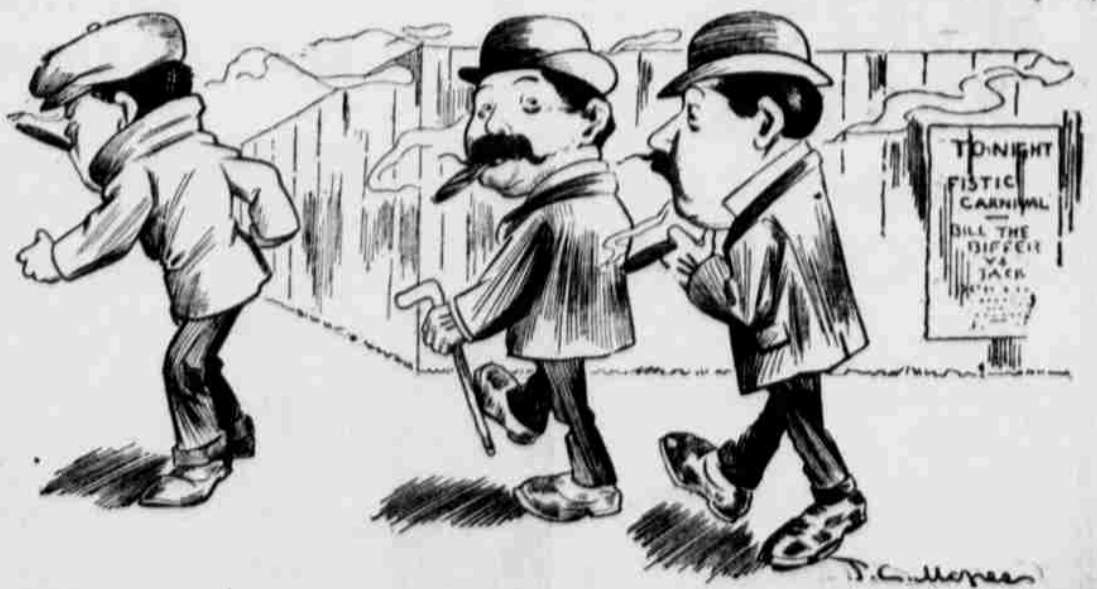
Moreover, the Siberian Cossack is not too well paid, and as he generally was on patrol, if picketed in vil-

lages, all over the country, the unrobber and the Russian troops, but as the troops were always being moved about the country the villager was required to provide himself from each body of troops, in contrast to the bandit's one request and this request was of daily occurrence. The bandit could not get his living, because he could not guarantee a countryman against losses through the Russians.

It was the bandits who destroyed the trans-Siberian railway between Mukden and Port Arthur in the "boxer" trouble, carrying away rails and sleepers for miles, cutting into small pieces the iron bridges—a feat one would think was impossible, but they got the villagers to help them and work like ants.

If the railway is to be protected with any success it will require not only pickets along the line, but strong bodies of troops at close intervals, as these bandits are daring to a degree and have past grievances with the Russians to wipe out.

The bandits are in no way subservient to China, and their action cannot be taken as having in any way the approval of the Chinese government—in fact, the strong force of Chinese troops sent to the great wall plainly shows the Chinese government fears these men and shows their intention to keep them out of China proper and the neutral part thereof.



NO TALK.

"He'll never make a success as a pugilist."
"Why not?"
"He always wants to fight."

A Great Australian Charity.
One of the oldest institutions in Melbourne, Australia, known as the "8 o'clock rush," is in danger of extinction. For half a century a philanthropic restaurant proprietor has given a free meal at 8 o'clock every evening to persons temporarily "down on their luck." No professional loafers or chronically unemployed were

encouraged. The attendance averaged about a hundred. The proprietor of the restaurant is now retiring from business.—Boston Transcript.

Refused to Confirm.
Havana, April 29.—The senate refused to confirm the nominations for vacancies in the supreme court made by Secretary Justice Zaldos, demand-

ing the retention of Chief Justice Cruzperez. Zaldos resigned.

Walter Richardson, a hotel clerk in Seattle, became angered at a discharged porter, Thursday, and fired at him in the lobby of the hotel, which was filled with guests, principally women and children, barely missing a group of small children.