

# Saturday Night Sale

FROM 7 TO 9 O'CLOCK, AT  
**ALEXANDER'S DEPT. STORE**

THESE SALES HAVE BECOME SO POPULAR THAT THEY ARE LOOKED FORWARD TO BY OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS, AND ARE ALREADY A FEATURE OF OUR EVER INCREASING BUSINESS. WE HAVE DETERMINED NOT ONLY TO CONTINUE THESE

## SPECIAL SATURDAY NIGHT SALES

BUT WILL ENDEAVOR TO MAKE THEM EVEN MORE INTERESTING.

OUR SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK'S TWO HOURS

### Saturday Night Offerings

WILL BE

#### 50 doz Ladies' Hose

EITHER BLACK OR TAN, PLAIN, LACE DROP STITCH, OR EMBROIDERED.

Regular Value 35c, Saturday Night Sale Price

**23c**

#### 60 Doz. Ladies' Fine Hemstitched and Drawn Open Work Handkerchiefs

Regular 15c, 2 for 25c Values, Saturday Night Sale Price

**5c**

#### 20 DOZEN LADIES' Summer Vests

DERBY OR RICHELIEU RIBBED

Regular 15c Values, Saturday Night Sale Price

**8 1/2c**

#### One Gross, 7-inch India Rubber Dressing Combs

Regular 15c Values, Saturday Night Special Price

**7c**

# ALEXANDER'S DEPARTMENT STORE

SEE ABOVE ARTICLES DISPLAYED IN STORE, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

## I. O. O. F. ANNALS

### STATISTICAL HISTORY FROM YEAR OF ITS ORIGIN.

The Order Was Organized in America at Baltimore, in 1819—Its Inception Was in London, England, Just One Hundred and Sixty Years Ago. Objects of the Organization Are Outlined, and Record of Membership.

The following historical sketch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was read by Rev. T. R. Egerton, preceding his address on Odd Fellowship at the anniversary celebration in this city Wednesday night:

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows had its origin in London, England, in 1745. The assemblages were mainly for social purposes, a collection being taken to aid needy members.

About the year 1800 the lodges in London and Liverpool were known as the London Order.

In 1809 a member of a London lodge moved to Manchester, England, and introduced the order into that city, where being favorably received several lodges were speedily organized.

In 1814 the lodges in Manchester and vicinity were consolidated under the title of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the Manchester Unity.

A grand lodge composed of those who had filled the chair of noble grand, a regular term in a subordinate lodge, was organized and assumed supervision of the subordinates.

The London associations and other lodges throughout the kingdom refused to acknowledge the authority of the Manchester organization and several other unties sprang into existence.

The Manchester unity attained greater prosperity than any of the others, and the increase of lodges in Great Britain determined the Manchester authorities to organize an annual movable committee to take the place of the local grand lodge, the first meeting of which was held at Hanley, Staffordshire, May 19-20, 1823, and was attended by 98 deputies representing the subordinate lodges.

The early laws were crude and imperfect and the income was not sufficient to meet the expenses. The annual movable committee eventually established a system of rates, based on experience, which enabled the subordinates to meet relief requirements and accumulate a reserve fund.

The Manchester unity, the most important body of Odd Fellows in Europe, has organized lodges in the United Kingdom of Great Britain, France, Turkey, Africa, North and South America, East and West Indies and Australia.

Societies or lodges of Odd Fellows were organized in New York and other cities of the United States as early as 1806. They, however, had only a brief existence.

#### At Baltimore in 1819.

On April 26, 1819, Thomas Wildey and four others, who had been members of Odd Fellows' lodges in England, organized a lodge in Baltimore, Md., calling it Washington lodge No. 1. A member of a lodge at Preston, England, visited this self-instituted lodge in the latter part of the year 1819, and on his return home procured from the Duke of York lodge, of the Manchester unity, located at Preston, a document dated February 1, 1820, clothing the Baltimore organization with the powers of a grand as well as of a subordinate lodge under the title of "No. 1 Washington Lodge, the Grand Lodge of Maryland, and of the United States."

On February 22, 1821, Washington lodge surrendered the English charter to "the body of past guards, and the Grand Lodge of Maryland and the United States" was organized, the members of Washington lodge receiving a subordinate charter from the new grand lodge.

In 1823 the self-instituted lodges in New York, Philadelphia and Boston, were induced to recognize the Maryland organization, and that body immediately forwarded charters to the subordinates, as well as grand lodge charters for Pennsylvania, New York and Massachusetts.

On April 15, 1824, it was thought best to separate the powers of the national from the state organization, and the plan was perfected February 22, 1825, when the first meeting of the grand lodge of the United States was held. On September 17, 1878, the name of the supreme body was changed to the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, and on September 18, 1879, the present title, "The Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows" was adopted.

#### Objects of I. O. O. F.

The objects of Odd Fellowship are "to visit the sick, relieve the distressed, bury the dead and educate the orphan." It seeks to improve and elevate the character of man, imbue him with proper conception of his capabilities for good, enlighten his mind, enlarge the sphere of his affections, and lead him to the cultivation of the true fraternal relation designed by the great Author of his being.

The motto, "Friendship, Love, and Truth," was known and used in connection with the order in 1775.

The degree of Rebekah was adopted in 1851. The female membership in 1893 was 108,732.

In 1832 a degree for uniformed Patriarchs was adopted, and this was revised and became what is now termed "The Degree of Patriarchs Militant," a military side of the encampment branch of the order.

The statistics from 1830 (previous to which they are incomplete) to December 31, 1893, are as follows:

Initiations, 1,947,711; members relieved, 1,809,045; widowed families

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of washable material can be kept in perfect order—"as good as new"—if it is left in our hands to be laundered often enough to keep it clean and to retain its shape and style. We make a specialty of this class of summer work, and ask you to try our facilities once—you'll be here again.

## ROBINSON'S

DOMESTIC LAUNDRY.

## THE ALTA HOUSE

S. C. BITTNER, Proprietor.

Enlarged and refitted. Thirty clean, well-kept rooms with good beds.

Commodious dining room, where meals are served in family style. All white help.

FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATIONS AT REASONABLE PRICES. FEED YARD IN CONNECTION.

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If they water or burn and your head aches, don't put off having them examined. The longer you wait the more trouble you will have.

We have every instrument necessary to make a complete examination. If glasses will help you we can supply them. If they will not, we will tell you so.

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of lumber is our side. We don't believe in "gouging" any customer, whether his purchase runs into a thousand or a million feet. These few lines simply invite an investigation of the sort of lumber we sell, the price we ask for, how and when we deliver it and our general method of doing business. If you will investigate you'll order lumber here.

#### Pendleton Planing Mills

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## BYERS' BEST FLOUR

Is made from the choicest wheat that grows. Good bread is assured when Byers' Best Flour is used. Bran, shorts, steam rolled barley always on hand.

## PENDLETON ROLLER MILLS

W. S. BYERS, Proprietor.

relieved, 209,302; members buried, 176,320; receipts, \$168,056,257.65; paid for sick and funeral benefits and the care of widows and orphans, \$64,376,265.92.

The returns for 1892 show the following condition of the order in the United States: Grand lodges, 55; subordinate lodges, 10,259; members, 780,192; grand encampments, 50; subordinate encampments, 2567; encampment members, 156,090; Rebekah lodges, 3292; members of Rebekah lodges, male and female, 202,442; cantons in 51 departments, 648; canton members, 23,112; value of canton equipment, \$1,265,856.15; receipts, \$5,291,020.48; members relieved, 90,610; paid for relief, \$3,170,121.17.

There are two lodges in this city: Eureka lodge No. 30, organized on March 28, 1871, and having a present membership of 103; and Integrity lodge No. 92, organized in August, 1888, and having a present membership of 152.

The Rebekahs were organized here in 1894, and have 103 members at present.

Notice to Debtors. All persons indebted to me will please call and settle at once, as I have sold my butcher business and need the money.

CONRAD PLATZOEDEER.

The shoe trade at Roosevelt's Boston store is increasing very rapidly.

#### Sugar Beets in Ireland.

The department of English agriculture, in reply to an inquiry by a Clonmel correspondent, states that Irish farmers can not profitably undertake the growing of sugar beets, and that the circumstances do not warrant the starting of the industry in Ireland with any prospect of profit. It points out that a sugar factory would require a minimum production of 40,000 tons per year. This would require 2500 acres to be devoted to the crop yearly, and because of the necessity for a four years' rotation of crops 10,000 acres in all would be necessary. The reply points out to the farmers that the cost of tillage would be heavy, as very deep plowing or sub-soiling must be employed, while much more hard labor is required for sugar beets than for other root crops. In the department's opinion a yield of 15 tons of beets per acre, at even as high a price as \$4.33 a ton, would be less profitable to the farmer than the cultivation of turnips or mangolds.—S. S. Knabenshue, consul, Belfast, Ireland.

#### New Warehouse at Centerville.

U. F. Ashler and William Neva have staked out the site for a 64x100 foot warehouse, about 150 feet west of the Klickitat warehouse, and will begin construction immediately. It will be an independent concern, where farmers or others may store their wheat and other crops.—Centerville News.

## Men's Oxford Sale

EXTRA SPECIAL AT THE

## Great Closing Out Sale

OF DINDINGER, WILSON & CO.

### GRAB THESE SNAPS

\$5.00 VICI OXFORDS	\$3.90
\$4.50 PATENT COLT OXFORDS	\$3.50
\$4.00 TAN RUSSIAN OXFORDS	\$3.35
\$3.50 PATENT COLT OXFORDS	\$2.85
\$3.50 VICI OXFORDS	\$2.95
\$3.00 VICI VELOUR OXFORDS	\$2.50
\$2.75 VICI WELT SOLES	\$2.40
\$2.00 VICI OXFORDS, SIZES 15 1/2 TO 2	\$1.65
\$1.75 LITTLE GENTS' VICI OXFORDS	\$1.35

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS, SO GET IN LINE NOW. EVERYTHING IN STOCK MUST GO.

## Dindinger, Wilson & Co.

GOOD SHOES BEING SLAUGHTERED.

## Graniteware

Come and see the new stock of graniteware we have just placed in stock.

Pudding Pans	15c to 20c
Stew Kettles	20c to \$1.00
Good Granite Iron Tea Kettles for	75c to \$1.50
Coffee Pots	35c to \$1.50

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EXTRA GOOD CEDAR POSTS, WHICH ARE FREE FROM DEFECTS AND WILL STAND THE WEATHER. COAL TAR, THAT PRESERVES THE POSTS, \$8.50 A BARREL.

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## ARE YOU BILIOUS? ARE YOU CONSTIPATED? DOES YOUR HEAD ACHIE?

## Atwood's Cascara Compound

CURES ALL DISORDERS CAUSED BY A TORPID LIVER OR IRREGULAR ACTION OF THE BOWELS. A SURE AND SAFE REMEDY.

MADE BITTER OR SWEET.

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#### COMING EVENTS.

May 1—Supreme court convenes in Pendleton.

May 6—May Day picnic at Echo.

May 9-14—Convention of Order of Railway Conductors, Portland.

May 12—Inland Empire field meet and declamatory contest, Walla Walla.

May 20—Eastern Oregon interscholastic contest, Baker City.

June 1, 1895—Opening Lewis and Clark exposition.

June 2-3—Eleventh annual pioneers' reunion, Weston.

June 22, 23 and 24—Tournament Northwest Sportsmen's association, Portland.

June 22-28—National Woman's Suffrage Association, Portland.

July 6—Dedication Sacajawea monument, Lewis and Clark fair, Portland.

July 11-14—American Medical Association, Portland.

Wool Sale Dates.

Pendleton—May 22, June 13, June 24.

Heppner—May 25, June 9, June 30, June 29.

Shaniko—June 6, June 21, July 6.

#### Cheated Death.

Kidney trouble often ends fatally, but by choosing the right medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: "Two years ago I had kidney trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." Tallman & Co., druggists, guarantee them at 50c.

#### Trailing Horse Thieves.

A dispatch from Weiser to the Boise Capital News, says: Sheriff Brown of Baker county, Sheriff Lawrence of Malheur county, and Deputy Sheriff Hannan of Baker County, Or., were in the city yesterday. The officers are on the trail of a band of horse thieves who have been operating in Eastern Oregon and Western Idaho. A few days ago they were in the vicinity of Huntington with a band of horses which they were endeavoring to dispose of, but suddenly disappeared with the stock. It is supposed they learned that they were being watched and pulled out. The Oregon officials came to Weiser as it was thought they came in this direction. They conferred with Deputy Sheriff Pence, but no one in this locality had seen them.

#### Frightful Suffering Relieved.

Suffering frightfully from the virulent poisons of undigested food, C. G. Grayson, of Lula, Miss., took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes, "that I was cured." All stomach and bowel disorders give way to their tonic, laxative properties. 25c at Tallman & Co.'s drug store, guaranteed.

#### Alabama Christian Endeavorers.

Decatur, Ala., April 28.—Many delegates are in the city attending the fifteenth annual convention of the Alabama Christian Endeavor Union. The reports of the various officers and committees show gratifying gains in the number of Sabbath schools and membership throughout the state. Among the noted Christian workers who will be heard are William Shaw of Boston, Judge Paul of Huntsville, Professor George White, Jr., of Prattville, and E. C. Hill of Mobile.

U C Rader. Get sunny.