

Stupendous Sacrifice SALE

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THE PAST TWO WEEKS HAS BEEN BY FAR THE BIGGEST IN THE HISTORY OF THIS STORE. NO WONDER, THE WAY WE ARE CUTTING PRICES ON EVERY ARTICLE IN THE STORE. MANY NEW GOODS HAVE FOUND THEIR WAY TO THE SHELVES AND BARGAIN TABLES, ALL GO AT SACRIFICE PRICES. ABSOLUTELY NO RESERVE. SALE CONTINUES ALL THIS AND NEXT WEEK.

A shipment of Corset Cover Embroidery just in—Goes at Sale Prices.

11.00 Swiss Corset Cover Embroidery... 79c
75c Swiss Corset Cover Embroidery... 60c
65c Nainsook Corset Cover Embroidery... 49c
60c Nainsook Corset Cover Embroidery... 45c
50c Nainsook Corset Cover Embroidery... 39c
45c Nainsook Corset Cover Embroidery... 35c
40c Nainsook Corset Cover Embroidery... 29c
35c Nainsook Corset Cover Embroidery... 25c

DRESS GOODS.

Fancy Mohairs are still in the lead. We have a big Assortment.
52-inch fancy English Mohair in black, brown and navy, \$1.00 kind... 79c
50-inch fancy Mohair, THE BEST VALUE ever offered at \$1.50... sale price... \$1.19
25-inch fancy Mohair in exclusive Suit Patterns; good value at \$1.00... 79c
42-inch fancy Mohair Sicilian; regular \$1.25... 95c
38-inch fancy Mohair in all the wanted shades, 55c and 75c kind... 49c
45-inch French Suiting, very swell; in Oxford, brown and navy; regular \$1.50... \$1.19
Shepherd Checks in black and white, blue and white, brown and white; 65c kind... 49c

BLACK AND COLORED SILK PETTICOATS SPECIAL.

\$16.50 Silk Petticoats... \$12.45
\$15.00 Silk Petticoats... \$10.95
\$13.50 Silk Petticoats... \$9.95
\$12.00 Silk Petticoats... \$8.95
\$10.00 Silk Petticoats... \$7.95
\$8.50 Silk Petticoats... \$6.49
\$7.50 Silk Petticoats... \$5.95

An Immense Line of Children's Straw and White Duck Hats.

75c Children's Hats... 50c
50c and 65c Children's Hats... 39c
75c Tapestry, all colors... 39c
500 yards Embroidery, the regular 15c and 20c kind... 7 1/2c
1000 yards Torchon Lace, regular 8c and 10c kind... 5c
1500 yards fine Wash Fabrics; value up to 85c... 39c
1500 yards Wash Fabrics, some very choice patterns; values up to 40c; all go at... 19c
1200 yards Dress Trimmings; value up to \$1.75... 10c

Watch This Space For Further Announcements

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.

Bids Wanted.

Sealed bids will be received until 7:30 p. m., June 13, by J. R. Means, of Echo, Ore., for the following privileges upon the occasion of the first annual picnic of Echo Aerie of Eagles, June 21, in the beautiful grove south of the city. Restaurant, ice cream, lemonade and soda water. Other games and amusements upon the grounds in the city. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 30 per cent of the amount of bid as an evidence of good faith.

AFTER PEDDLERS

MEDICINE VENDERS

MUST PAY THE TAX.

Attorney General Crawford Passes Upon the Validity of the Law and Declares That It Will Stand—Vendors of Patent Nostrums Object to Paying a License of \$100 Per Year.

Salem, June 8.—It appears that the vendors of drugs, medicines, etc., who registered vociferous objections to the operation of the new drug vendors' license law, have about come to the conclusion that it is useless for them to contest the validity of the act and decided to pay the amount of license due, \$100 each per annum.

Secretary Riggs, of the state board of pharmacy states that three or four of them did so under protest. Believing that some serious defects had been discovered in the act it was their first intention of putting the act to test, but they appear to have abandoned this idea and will now submit to the inevitable.

There are about 20 itinerant vendors who do business in the state, and if all continue it will amount to an annual revenue of at least \$2000, not counting such traveling vendors and hawkers as the Wizard Oil, Quaker medicines, etc., which pass through the state every year.

The board of pharmacy is in receipt of a copy of the annual report of the treasurer of the Iowa board of pharmacy, which shows that a total of \$35,300 had been collected from itinerant vendors of drugs, nostrums, etc., alone during the past two years, of which amount \$22,864 was turned into the state treasury. The Oregon law is almost an exact copy of the Iowa itinerant law and the local board entertained no fears of its standing the tests of the courts.

When in the city last week making inquiries concerning the legality and constitutionality of the vendors' act, E. C. Case, of Canby, asked Attorney General Crawford for an opinion. The attorney general granted this request yesterday in the form of a letter in which he holds that the law is not unconstitutional on the ground of discriminative license or tax and that it is not in contravention of the federal interstate commerce act.

The principal point which Mr. Chase dwelled upon in his contention of the validity of the act was that the licensing of the vendors of drugs shipped in from another state was not permissible, since it was an attempt to regulate interstate commerce. In passing upon this point, it being understood that Mr. Case received the goods in bulk and then peddled them out in separate packages.

Attorney General Crawford cites several authorities bearing upon the question, and holds that goods ship-

ped in from another state and sold afterwards were classed as domestic merchandise and subject to license and taxation under the state laws. There were other points raised, but none of any particular significance in that the act is upheld in every particular.

JAPAN'S BIG CONTRACTS.

Preparing for Extensive Operations in Manchuria.

New York, June 8.—That the Japanese intend to carry on military operations in Manchuria on an extensive scale is illustrated by their placing large contracts for various railroad equipment in this market. Hundreds of cars, locomotives, etc., are to be rushed to the far east with all possible dispatch. All the shipments will go overland to the Pacific coast. Forty thousand tons of freight have already been booked with the transcontinental roads, which will mean an expenditure of upward of \$700,000 for this item alone.

An eastern car company has just obtained a contract from the Japanese government for 1800 steel cars, varying in capacity from seven to 20 tons. Another contract which was placed last week, calls for 1000 gondola type, steel underframe cars. A further contract has also been awarded by the Japanese government to the Baldwin Locomotive Works, which concern recently was allotted one for 120 locomotives through the same source. One hundred additional locomotives have just been ordered.

It is estimated that within the last few months the contracts placed in this country on Japanese account for structural material, electrical equipment and machinery for arsenals and ship yards and for railroad material for Japanese, Korean and Manchurian railroads exceed \$15,000,000.

FIFTY-YEAR SENTENCE.

Bearmouth Would Be Train Robber Pleaded Guilty.

Butte, Mont., June 8.—A Phillipsburg, Mont., dispatch says Clarence Young, the wood chopper who held up the North Coast Limited on the Northern Pacific, at Bearmouth, on the night of May 27, pleaded guilty last night and was sentenced to 50 years in the Montana state penitentiary, by Judge G. B. Winston.

Young had no money and the court appointed counsel for him. He made no defense. The limit fixed by the last legislature was given him. He received the sentence without flinching. He will be more than 80 years old should he live to serve out the sentence.

Beef Investigation Resumed.

Chicago, June 7.—Interest in the beef trust inquiry revived today with the reconvening of the federal grand jury which adjourned three weeks ago after devoting several months to the investigation of the packers' combine and its operations. The next step expected is the voting of the indictments which have been prepared by the United States district attorney.

WOOL SALES CLOSE

SANIKO PRICES RANGE

FROM 21 TO 24 CENTS.

One and a Half Million Pounds Sold in Three Days—Sealed Bid Wool Sales Have Saved Oregon Growers \$100,000 This Year—Sales Made Early Caused a Loss of \$160,000 to the State.

One and a half million pounds of wool was sold at Shaniko Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, at prices ranging from 21 to 24 1/2 cents, one choice lot of special wool bringing 26 1/4 cents per pound.

The sales were conducted by a sealed bid system, as at Pendleton and Heppner and the following sales were made:

Baldwin Sheep & Land company, 200,000 pounds at 23 1/2 cents; Pineville Land & Livestock company, 125,000 pounds at 23 1/2 cents; Morrow & Keenan, 90,000 pounds at 22 5/8 cents; R. R. Hinton, 100,000 pounds at 22 1/2 cents; T. Brogan, 80,000 pounds at 22 1/2 cents; Charles Hilton, 70,000 pounds at 22 5/8 cents.

Other small clips were sold at from 22 to 24 cents, the entire sales of three days aggregating 1,605,000 pounds, all of which will be shipped out immediately, over the Columbia Southern from Shaniko.

All this amount will go east excepting 20,000 pounds bought by the Salem Woolen Mills.

This closes the wool sales of Oregon for this year and the sealed bid sales days have saved to the wool-growers this season about \$100,000. It is estimated that 2,500,000 pounds have been sold by the sealed bid system, at an average advance of four cents per pound over the prices received by those who sold early, outside of the sealed bid sales, making the total saving on the amount sold under bids about \$100,000.

It is estimated that 4,000,000 pounds were sold in Wallawa, Baker, Union, Harney, Morrow and Grant counties early in the year at prices ranging from 16 to 16 1/2 cents per pound, these early sales causing a loss of over \$160,000 to the growers of those counties, or an average loss of four cents per pound on 4,000,000 pounds.

For Sale.

A three-acre tract of rich Umatilla bottom land, covered with a fine variety of large, healthy 10-year-old fruit trees, about 1 1/2 miles east of Main street, Pendleton, Ore. Joining R. M. O'Brien on the east line, and Nathan Moore on the north and south lines, and the county road on the west. Said tract is fenced separately from all other land. Price \$11,500. Address Jade Switzer, Umatilla, Oregon.

....Pendleton Pilsener Beer....

A BEVERAGE OF THE HIGHEST QUALITY. PURE, WHOLESOME AND SATISFYING. RECOMMENDED BY JUDGES OF GOOD BEER AND PHYSICIANS.

THE PENDLETON BREWERY ANNOUNCES THAT IT HAS ITS PILSENER UP TO THE HIGHEST STANDARD POSSIBLE IN BEER.

Pilsener Is Perfection in Beer Making

SINCE TAKING CHARGE OF THE PENDLETON BREWERY SCHULTZ & STRICKER HAVE BEEN DEVOTING THEIR ATTENTION TO BRINGING THEIR BEER UP TO THE STANDARD WHICH IT NOW IS, AND WILL CONTINUE TO MAKE BUT THIS ONE HIGH GRADE. THE BEER IS NOW PROPERLY RIPPENED AND AGED AND STANDS OUT AS A BEVERAGE AT THE HEAD, FOR ITS REAL GOODNESS.

IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR ANY ONE TO PRODUCE A BETTER ARTICLE THAN THE PERFECTED PILSENER BEER, MADE BY SCHULTZ & STRICKER, AND IT WILL ALWAYS BE KEPT UP TO THIS STANDARD. DON'T CONFUSE THIS IMPROVED PILSENER WITH ANY THAT HAS BEEN MADE HERETOFORE, FOR IT IS ABSOLUTELY THE HIGHEST DEGREE OF GOODNESS.

WE ASK ALL LOVERS AND JUDGES OF BEER TO TRY AND PASS JUDGMENT UPON OUR

PILSENER BEER

PENDLETON PILSENER BEER IS NOW ON SALE IN ALL THE LEADING SALOONS. ALWAYS ASK FOR AND INSIST ON HAVING PENDLETON PILSENER BEER, THE BEER THAT'S ALL GOOD. SOLD IN KEGS AND BOTTLED FOR FAMILY USE. DELIVERED ANYWHERE IN THE CITY. PENDLETON BEER HAS THE ADVANTAGE OF OUT-OF-TOWN PRODUCTS IN THAT IT IS MADE HERE, KEPT AT THE SAME TEMPERATURE ALL THE TIME AND NOT SUBJECT TO CHANGES WHILE BEING SHIPPED.

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