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In Men's and Boys' Clothing

As an extra special for this season we offer for immediate selling a remarkable clothing opportunity.

Men's Suits

\$2.00 to \$5.00 Less

If you understood the values of these suits as we do you would supply your wants at these prices and know you were getting values that cannot be duplicated in the state. The manufacturers of Clothcraft clothing have advised us of an advance on this sterling line, but we offer you these suits at the old price less a substantial saving. Why shop around when you can get a Clothcraft at these prices? These suits are suited to your needs, whether for dress or service.

All \$8.00 suits now \$6.50
All \$10.00 suits now \$7.98
All \$12.00 suits now \$9.49
All \$15.00 suits now \$12.00
All \$20.00 suits now \$16.00



Boys' Clothing

One hundred suits to select from. The season's most snappy, dressy, mannish suits. Nothing reserved we have too many.

You want your boy well dressed, so take advantage of this opportunity. **DEEP PRICE CUTS ON EVERY SUIT.**

All \$2.00 suits now \$1.49
All \$5.00 Best Ever brand now \$3.98
All \$7.50 Best Ever brand now \$5.98
All \$10.00 Best Ever brand now \$7.98
One SPECIAL LOT of 16 suits for this sale, your choice \$1.98



Young Men's Suits at Less

You know the price of clothing has advanced. You have expected to pay more and will be pleased to know that you can buy suits for your boys at even less. We have the Clothcraft and Belmont suits for young men in sizes from 32 to 37. These are the season's best, belt and pinch backs as well as the plain, conservative back. All bear the marks of first-class tailoring and each has distinctiveness in style. Your boys will be proud to wear them.

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WESTON MERCANTILE CO.

BREVITIES

Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips are visiting here from Washtucna.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith returned Monday from their Portland visit.

Miss Anna O'Sullivan of Portland is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Scrivner of Condon are guests of Mrs. J. W. Hyatt on the Weston uplands.

J. E. Jones is temporary mail carrier on Route No. 1, having relieved Matt Vanderpool.

Carl Knapp, residing on Couse creek near Milton, is under arrest for failing to register for the war census.

John M. Bowman, a Pendleton carpenter, killed his wife in a fit of jealous rage and then committed suicide.

After a pleasant visit with relatives and friends, Mrs. O. C. Turner and children are leaving by auto Sunday for their home at Enterprise.

Jack Chapin has a letter from his brother Elmer, who resides in Indian Valley, Idaho, saying that his house and all its contents were destroyed by fire.

W. L. Robbins responded to a hurry call from Athena this week to help our neighbors erect their handsome new flag pole in time for the Fourth of July. Setting up flag poles is among W. L.'s specialties.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the county of Umatilla to be held July 28 at Pendleton and Hermiston to fill the position of rural carrier at Weston and vacancies that may occur later on rural routes from other postoffices.

The crop outlook around Weston grows more promising as the season advances. In a number of fields where wheat has well headed out it looks as though the yield may be a bumper one, and it will at least be up to the Weston standard. Fields not so well advanced show a good stand and a healthy color. The chief danger now is from hot or drying winds.

Katherine Lieuallen was guest of honor June 28 at a pleasing little party given in observance of her tenth birthday anniversary. Twenty-three of her young schoolmates participated in an afternoon of games and enjoyment and were served with cake and lemonade. The older guests were Mrs. R. Lieuallen, Mrs. H. L. Hedrick and Miss Anna Lavender. Many lovely presents were received by Miss Katherine, and it was a day that will long be remembered by herself and little friends. A drawing was held, in which the lucky numbers fell to Ora Webb and Joe Lucas.

Three sons of Porter Graham—all of them small boys—were seen Monday by two witnesses while ransacking the house of Mrs. Letha King during her absence from town. They are said to have broken open trunks, torn clothing from hooks on the walls and committed other depredations. When Mrs. King came home, she found her rooms in great disorder. As this is not the only mischief of which the Graham boys have been accused, their case was submitted to Truant Officer John Hailey by the local authorities.

Arthur Wright died Monday at Pendleton, following an operation for appendicitis. The remains were brought to Weston and funeral services were conducted Thursday at the L. Nolte residence by Elder John Bonowitz. Interment was had in I. O. O. F. cemetery. Mr. Wright was 36 years old, and is survived by his widow and one daughter. He was an industrious and respected citizen and his untimely death is greatly regretted. In recent years he had been engaged in farming near Helix.

Nearly all of Weston's people celebrated the Fourth of July at Athena and had a grand good time. The program of exercises at the Athena park, directed by Mayor Homer I. Watts, was complimented by many as the best they had ever witnessed at a celebration in this part of the state. It had that quality best described as "class." The address was given in his inimitable and pleasing way by Will M. Peterson of Pendleton. The afternoon sports were novel and diverting.

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Here on a Furlough

Floyd Corporan, soldier boy, is visiting relatives here while on a short furlough from duty. Together with members of Company K, Second Washington, he has been guarding bridges in Eagle gorge in the Cascades. Floyd is delighted with the life and vicissitudes of a soldier.

ADVANCE IN GALICIA BEGUN BY RUSSIANS

16,000 Teutonic Prisoners Are Taken in Big New Offensive.

Petrograd.—Russia has resumed the offensive. More than 16,000 prisoners, many guns and other articles of war, material and several strongly fortified Austro-German positions in Galicia were taken in the mighty smash delivered July 1, the precise time set for an offensive by War Minister Kerensky several weeks ago in a communication to the United States government.

The brilliant Russian advance, the news of which has sent a wave of rejoicing through the entire country, was led by War Minister Kerensky in person.

According to news received by the government the offensive is developing in an absolutely favorable manner. For several days the war minister had been continuously at the front, spending every effort to urge the troops to advance. He finally rode to the front line trenches, and, placing himself at the head of the troops, gave the order to advance.

The spectacle of the popular war minister on the firing line accomplished what oratory had failed to do, and the Russian line swept forward into the German trenches.

In the assault the Russians occupied the strongly fortified position southwest of Brezany, and also Konluchy, on the river of the same name.

Black Hair Means Vigor.

The most pugnacious of all animals known in nature is the black panther. The most difficult of all horses to control is a black stallion. The one snake which never can be safely handled by a snake-charmer is the black cobra. The only untameable family in the timid species of mice is the black mouse.

15 Die When Tank Drops on Steamer. Milwaukee, Wis.—Nine men and six women were killed and approximately 13 injured, some seriously, when the whaleback steamer Christopher Columbus, in swinging away from her pier for the return trip to Chicago, crashed into a dock on the Milwaukee river, causing a huge water tank to fall from the top of a five-story warehouse onto the deck of the vessel.

Labor Will Not Attend Session. Washington.—The American Federation of Labor has declined to participate in the international conference of trades unions called by the recent Stockholm conference to meet September 17 in Switzerland.

THE MARKETS

Portland.
Wheat—Club \$2.15; bluestem \$2.20; red Russian, \$2.10; forty fold, \$2.15.
Barley—No. 1 feed, \$42 per ton.
Hay—Timothy, \$39 per ton; alfalfa \$18.
Butter—Creamery, 36c.
Eggs—Ranch, 31c.
Wool—Eastern Oregon, 61c; valley, 72c.
Mohair—65c per lb.

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Weston Meat Market

ICE

Meats and Fish

Ham, Lard and Bacon

A. P. Perry

Rich Roumania. Roumania is one of the richest parts of Europe. After the United States and Russia it is the largest grain-growing country in the world. It is one of the world's chief oil fields. Its middle class is probably the richest to be found anywhere.

Not a Botanical Species. The artichoke, which originally came from Barbary, is not a botanical species, but a variety of the thistle, which grows spontaneously all along the African coast of the Mediterranean from Morocco to Palestine.

Administrator's Notice of Filing Final Account

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martin E. Olson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that I, as Administrator of the above named estate, have filed my final account, and report with the Clerk of the above entitled Court, which Court has fixed upon 11 o'clock in the forenoon of July 30, 1917, as the time and the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place, when and where any person having any objection or exception to anything in said final account and report contained, or to anything done by the Administrator at any time, may present the same and they will be heard, and when and where said final account will be by the Court finally settled.

This notice is published pursuant to order of the above entitled County Court made June 26, 1917.

CHAS. H. CARTER, Administrator of the Estate of Martin E. Olson, Deceased.

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