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## OUR BIG MONTH

November is going to be our banner month of the year in volume of business and low prices.

## LADIES JACKETS

Are now on sale as also are Jackets and Capes for Misses and Children We can please you in the very latest style and colors. Don't fail to see and examine them,



We are now handling more Merchandise than ever before in the history of our store. We shall endeavor to make prices as lew as is consistent with good values and have added to our list of clerks so that we will be ready to serve you more promptly than ever. Trusting we shall receive your patronage we are respectfully yours

### WORLD'S NEWS.

FROM FAR AND NEAR.

Clipped and Cepied From Our Exchanges.

Mrs. Eveline Triplett, whose body near her house at Hugo, 10 miles north of this city, and who was sup posed to have committed suicide, came to her death by accident, or at least found did not contain more than one fir of despondeny. Late developments meet their own obligations. show that she took carbolic acid. The We will further state that various noting her mistake she hurried out of the room and across her yard toward the neighbors. As she was in the act wo sons and three daughters.

ing a life sentence for the murder of service. Campbell went to the house one night ent session of the legislature. where his wife and daughter resided, he found Swearengen there. Trouble ensued and Crmpbell claims that he shot Swearengen in self-defense, the latter having drawn a gun on him.

San Francisco, Nov. 24 .- The gunboat Ranger, which has arrived here from Panama, will go to the Marc with white ashes.

York station, near Seattle, was shot the subscribers under Section 2324. and instantly killed shortly before 6 o'clock tonight by the accidental discharge of a 22 calibre revolver, with which he and a party of boy friends had been shooting at a tin can. They had used all the cartridges but one, 

#### Ask if e State to Fay

The following petition is being widely circulated over the state in behalf of the Indian War Veterans, many signatures being received in

Portland, Ore, Nov. 7, 1902. Hon, Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Oregon. Gentlemen:

The undersigned retitioners would set forth the following facts:

The Territorial Legislature of the State of Oregon passed an act in the session of '55-56 agreeing to pay all veterans who served in the wars of was found in a shallow pool of water 1855-56 the sum of \$2 per day for their service. The United States paid of this amount about 55 cents per day for such service. The total number of days' service rendered by said vollate developments seem to plove such unteers was 371,449 days. Cf this a conclusion. The hole of water in time each volunteer lost about \$1.45 which the body of Mrs. Triplett was per day, which would make an aggrefoot of water and from all appearances course, at least two-fifths (2-5) of this gate sum of about \$520,028.60. Of seemed that the woman threw her- number have died, without leaving a self into the shallow water and delib- widow or children. Of the above sum erately drowned herself. It was the state of Oregon has not paid one known that she was partially insane cent, and has not redeemed its pledge by her daughter having been committed to those aged veterans, who have tid to the asylum from here a few waited forty-seven years auxiously exweeks ago, and it was supposed that pecting the state either to secure this she committed the rash deed during a pay from the United States, or to

poison was taken by mistake, evident- territories have heretofore paid their ly. There were two bottles on the volunteers in State Bonds, and the kitchen shelf of the Triplett home. United States has invariably redeemed One contained medicine, the other these bonds, together with the interest carbolic acid. By mistake the woman prior to their maturity, and there is took a quantity of the daudly acid; ne reason why the United States will not redeem any bonds that your bonorable body may issue, or cause to be of crossing the pool of water her feet of their service, but whether they do, slipped and she fell, unable to rise or not, does not lessen the legal or It was here her body was found. Mrs. moral responsibility of the State of Triplett was a widow. Her husband Oregon, to pay these gray-headed verdied by drowning in the Rogne several erans, or their widows, and in the years ago. She leaves five children, event of the death of both, then their children, the sum of money which the Gov, Geer today commuted the sen. Territory of Oregon agreed by an act tence of John Campbell, who is serv- of legislature to pay them for their

L. Swearengen, in Crook county, in | We therefor petition your honor-1896. Campbell has already served able body to appropriate \$300,000 in six years and his sentence has been twenty (20) year bonds, drawing (4 commuted to twelve years. The Dis- per cent) interest per annum to be trict Judge and ten trial jurors rec- used in paying off these veterans the mmended the commutation, as also difference between that what the Terdid a large number of citizens of ritory of Oregon agreed to pay them Crook county. The facts were that and what the United States did pay Campbell and his wife were not living them for their service, and inasmuch together and Swearrngen was keeping as this matter has been neglected so company with one Campbell's daugh many years, until the majority of ters. Campbell ordered Swearengen them are in their graves, we as citito stay away from the house, but he zens of Oregon, pray your honorable persisted in going. Because of some body as honorable men to promptly insulting remarks made by Swearengen meet the obligations of this State of the two had some trouble, and when Oregon to these Veterans at the pres-

#### Notice.

WALLOWA COUNTY, OREGON, July 11, 1902 TO SAMUEL BROWN:

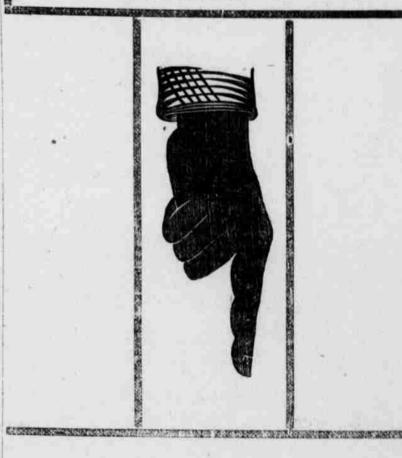
You are here-Island navy yard, where she will re- by notified that we have expended main two months undergoing repairs, one hundred dollars in labor and imaptain Potter and the officers of the provements on the Cold Spring min-Ranger witnessed some of the effects eral claim located in the Imnaha of the eruption of the volcano Santa Mining district, in which claim you Maris while passing up the Central were owner of one-third interest and as American coast, but at the time were will appear by certificate filed July 26. aware of the disaster that had fallen 1901, in the office of County Clerk of apon Guatemala. In the Gulf of Wallows county, Oregon, in order to Cehuanterec the Ranger was for two hold said premises under the provislays in a thick atmosphere with ions of Section 2324 Revised statutes numice stone and ashes covering the of the United States, being amount reorface of the ses in all directions, quired to hold same for year ending The shore, which was many miles dis- December 31, 1901, and if within tant from Santa Maria, was covered 90 days after this notice by publication you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of such expenditure Scattle, Nov. 24.-Leslie Leroy as co-owner your interest in said Hoghes, a 9-year-old boy living at claims will become the property of

> J. F. CUTLER. J. M. KELLY.

Millinery Stock.

Mrs. D. Rrusha has opened up ber when young Hughes looked down the stock of millinery in the building barrell. In some way the trigger east of the telephone office and is sell; caught and the gun exploded, wound- ing fall styles at prices lower than ... other place in the county.

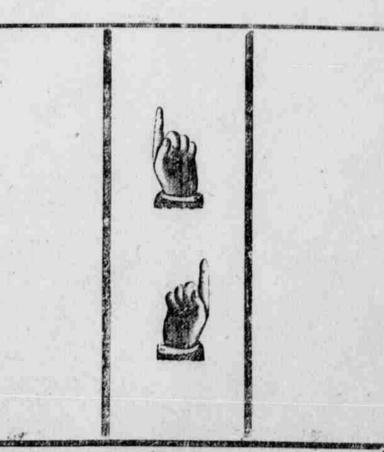
## MILLINERY SALE CALVINS



Commencing Saturday. Nov. 9th, a beautiful line of Pattern hats and walking hats to be sold at greatly reduced prices,

#### ITS A MATTER OF TASTE

And if we haven't what you want in trimmed hats our Milliner can suit the most fastidious. Come in and examine our stock.



JOHN CALVIN. E NTERPRISE, REGN.