

SPECIAL SALE... OF LADIES' UNDER MUSLINS

Beginning today and continuing until Saturday, May 27th, 1899. We recently purchased a big lot of these goods, consisting of gowns, drawers, shirts and corset covers, from one of the largest factories in the country, and which during this sale will be sold at from 25 to 50 per cent less than they have ever been sold for in Astoria.

A glance at the display in our window will fully substantiate our claims. We have not the space to enumerate the different items, but remember "Prices speak louder than words," so come and see for yourself.

Remember Sale lasts only till Saturday, May 27.

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THIS WEEK! FISHER'S OPERA HOUSE

Monday, May 22d, '99

Miss Jessie Shirley...

Supported by her own company In a repertoire of plays new to Astoria.

Change of Program Every Evening

Uniform Band Parade and Concert Daily at 11.30 a.m.

Tickets for sale at Griffin & Reed's

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Highest Cash Price Paid for Fur Skins.

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Fresh supply Gutter's chocolates and bonbons just received at the Parlor.

Those who have tried the ice cream served at the Parlor say it is the best in the city.

Best California wine 20 cents per gallon. Alex Gilbert, sole agent for Astoria. Telephone 81.

Cream Pure Rye. America's finest whiskey. The only pure goods, guaranteed rich and mellow. John L. Carlson, sole agent.

Rambler and Ideal bicycles for sale or rent. Repairs and sundries at lowest rates. Call at cyclery, 633 Bond street, Columbia Electric and Repair Company.

Gold medals to HARPER whiskey at New Orleans and World's Fair, Chicago. Try it, you will endorse the Judge's verdict. Sold by Foad & Stokes Co., Astoria, Oregon.

After May 5 the Astoria Wood Yard Company will deliver Knappan Mills slab wood at your door, sawed, for \$2.50 per cord. Leave orders with F. L. Parker or at the Astoria Wood Yard.

Kelly's transfer wagons deliver box wood to any part of the city on short notice. All orders left at Zap's furniture store, 630 Commercial street, will receive prompt attention. Telephone 314.

Fredericksburg Musk Hall, corner of Seventh and Alder streets, Portland, Or. High class entertainments every evening. The only family resort in that city. All kinds of refreshments. All delicacies in season. Admission free. Louis Dammasch, proprietor.

Notice—Piano owners can have their instruments thoroughly cleaned (preventive of moth used) for \$1.00. Other repairing and tuning at moderate charges. Call at Griffin & Reed's or at Spenner's store, 636 Commercial street. T. Fredrickson.

W. A. Galmer's private stock whiskey, handled exclusively in Astoria by John L. Carlson, is one of the most popular beverages sold. Its purity and quality are guaranteed, and it is especially recommended for family use. It is sold in any quantity at the corner of Twelfth and Bond streets.

THE OIL FACTORY CASE AGAIN

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C. S. WRIGHT, WILLIAM EDGAR, HENRY SHERMAN, G. O. MOEN, J. A. MANSSELL.

That these men who had signed the above annex to their verdict might give each their personal reasons for declaring the oil factory not a public nuisance, a representative of the Astorian secured interviews from all the gentlemen except Mr. Manssell, who is out of the city. These are given below without comment and just as dictated.

C. S. Wright said: "I regret that I signed the verdict, as I now find that the oil factory is proving a greater nuisance than it was shown to be at the time of the trial. I know that it was a pretty bad nuisance, but I felt that should the factory be compelled to close down, the managers might decide to not rebuild and Astoria would thus lose an industry. As it has been the constant effort of our people to get more industries in our midst, I thought I was acting for the best interests of Astoria in signing the verdict, especially as the oil factory would only be in operation a couple of months and then there would be ample time to move to another location. I will admit that it was business expediency and not law that governed me in voting to acquit the manager of the oil factory. I do not think business men should all as jurors in such cases as this, in fact there should be no jury, but let the Judge hear the case and he would give a verdict according to the law and evidence submitted, and would not be governed by business or personal motives."

Henry Sherman said: "I know at the time I signed the verdict that the oil factory was being run in violation of the city ordinances, but as other oil works located within the city limits had been allowed to run until the close of the season before being made to move, I felt that the time to have stopped this nuisance was before it got started, especially as the people of Astoria knew by postally as the people of Astoria knew by word of mouth that the factory was in violation of the law. I would not have signed the verdict if I had known that the factory was in violation of the law. I did what I thought was right and gave my verdict according to the law and evidence. When the jury visited the ship Wallacetown and cold storage works I could smell no bad odor from the oil factory, and when we visited the factory itself I did not find the smell bad at all. Of course there was some smell in the factory, but it was not bad enough to make even a delicate person sick. I stand by the verdict and would sign it again if called upon. I hear that it is reported that C. W. Fulton prepared the verdict for the jury to sign. I know that he did not write it, for Mr. Manssell did most of the writing and we did the dictating. While I live as near to the factory as many of you who are complaining, yet I have never smelled a bad odor from it. Yet, we smell the gas works as much as others do the oil factory."

G. O. Moen said he was out of the case, was going to keep out and had no statement to make.

Chief of Police Hallock said: "The charges made against me in an editorial in the Astorian of yesterday are absolutely false. I did my duty when I made the arrest of the manager of the oil factory. I have done my duty in not arresting him since. The man was given a fair trial and was acquitted by a jury composed of the best men of Astoria and to arrest him again with no better chances of conviction, I felt would be useless trouble to the man and to the court, and needless expense to the city. When the complaints began to come in after the trial I told the parties that if they would notify me of a time when they were being annoyed and injured by odors from the oil factory, I would come at once so that I could have personal knowledge that the city ordinances were being violated, so that I could swear to the complaint upon which an arrest could be made. None of those kicking about the bad smell have offered to swear out a warrant for the arrest of the manager of the oil works. In fact two of the biggest kickers when summoned as witnesses at the trial failed to appear in court. One was subpoenaed twice, yet failed to show up. Should there be another trial the witnesses will all appear or furnish a good reason for their absence."

Mayor Bergman said: "I do not approve of any establishment being located within the city limits that is injurious to the comfort and health of the people of Astoria, and that will prevent his attendance to their business. I encourage the passage of the ordinance against such nuisances as this oil factory appears to be, and signed the ordinance so soon as the council passed it. That there was no conviction in the arrest of the manager of the oil factory was the fault of the jury, and not of the city officials or of the ordinance. Chief Hallock did his duty at the time of the arrest and has done his duty since."

There may be further developments in the oil factory matter in the near future.

...SPECIAL TIPS...

To Prudent Buyers, as you will find every item a Bargain.

- Men's Fedora hats, of good quality felt, never sold less than \$1.00, our special price, each \$1.75
Men's all wool sack suit, all tailor made, neat brown checks, worth \$16.00, per suit 6.95
Men's heavy all wool sweater, made of three-ply yarn, worth \$2.00, special price 1.50
Men's percale fancy laundried dress shirts, slightly soiled, regular price \$6.00, special price 3.25
Men's heavy fleeced undershirts or drawers, special price45
A large lot of men's jean pants, but odd sizes, never sold for less than \$1.00, special price to close them out, per pair25
10x4 heavy cotton blankets, good quality, gray or white, regular price the special price40
36 inches wide bleached muslin, a very good muslin, special price, per yard30
60 inches wide Nottingham lace curtains, new pattern, worth \$5.00, special price, per yard25
Full size comforters, filled with pure white cotton, creton covered, worth \$2.00, special price 1.25
Good quality mattress ticking, new style patterns, worth 10c a yard special price, per yard07
Alapaca Dress Skirts, full bell skirts all taffeta lined, new rubber hems, big, worth \$5, special price each \$2.00
Boys Heavy Ribbed Underwear, sizes 8 to 12 years, worth 25c, special price15
Boys Strong Knee Patts, well made and strong sewed, worth 25c, special price15
Boys all wool reffer suits, large sailor collar, braid trimmed, worth \$3.00, special price 1.50
Young Man's suit, good casimer, tailor made, color navy blue, ages 13 to 19 years, regular price \$6.00, special price 3.00
Boys Oiling Flannel Overalls, good colors, regular price 25 cents, special price each15
Boys Fast Black Heavy Ribbed Hose, double knee, wear like 1908, worth 25c, special price15

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PERSONAL MENTION.

John J. Gorman, of Portland, is in the city. Malcolm Macfarlane, who is conducting a large logging camp near Westport, was in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Kuestner went up last evening to Portland to spend Sunday with friends in that city. J. E. Macfarlane, manager of the Gots man salmon oil works, went to Portland last evening on a brief business trip. H. R. Robertson, the lumber raft builder, was a passenger on the train from Portland last night. Lieutenant H. E. Coke, E. O. Sarratt and D. S. H. Story post surgeon, Port Canby, are spending Sunday in Astoria, guests at the Occident. W. E. McAfee, pharmacist in the Eagle Drug Store, went up to Portland last evening to stay over Sunday with his wife, who is visiting relatives in that city. Martin Ford returned yesterday from the Sound, where he had been on an extended business trip with his partner, P. R. Stokes. Mr. Stokes did not return, but will arrive home during the next four days. Mrs. J. E. Parker, who has been spending a month in Astoria with her husband, guests at the Holden home, returned to Portland yesterday. Mr. Parker, who is on the editorial staff of the Pacific Monthly, the magazine lately started in Portland, will remain a few days longer in this city in the interests of his paper.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

- Formation of Societies Attending the Funeral of Edward C. Young Today.
1—Police.
2—Hall will report at headquarters at 12:30 sharp.
3—Naval reserves form on Commercial street, right on Eleventh.
4—Grand Army and Women's Relief Corps on left of naval reserves.
5—Native Sons on Commercial street, on left of Relief Corps.
6—A. O. U. W. lodge No. 12 Commercial street, right on Eleventh street.
7—A. O. U. W. Lodge No. 50, Commercial street, on left of No. 12.
8—Degree of Honor Lodges Nos. 51 and 60, on left of No. 50, A. O. U. W.
9—Order of Red Men on Commercial street, right on Twelfth street.
10—Katah Council, Commercial street, on left of Red Men.
11—Order of Elks on Commercial street, right on Twelfth.
12—Order of Eagles on Commercial street, on left of Elks.
13—Woodmen of the World, on Commercial street, on left of Eagles.
14—Modern Woodmen on Commercial street, on left of Woodmen of the World.
15—Knights of Pythias lodge on Commercial street, on left of Katah Council.
16—Finnish Brotherhood on Commercial street, on left of K. P.
17—Teachers and children of the public schools on Eleventh street, right on Eleventh street.
18—And all other persons are requested to form in rear of schools. All societies are requested to be in line at 12:45 sharp.

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That can be had in the city? If not, It is Because you have not visited Jeff's Restaurant.

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