



A Timely Review of Choice



Summer Dress Goods

It is high time that you order that new dress of yours if you expect to wear it on the Fourth. Dress makers all over town are getting more busy every day and unless you make arrangements soon for the gown you expect to wear on that great day of dress and fashion you are liable to meet with disappointment. We are, this season, better prepared than ever to furnish the world's newest and choicest summer dress goods assortments, not only equaling, but surpassing any similar showing ever made by us here, and at prices that will once more, and very emphatically, prove our supremacy in retail business. The Sale of Summer Dress Goods should have closed Tuesday but owing to the unusual stormy weather there were many who could not attend and through their regrets we will continue the sale for a few days longer.

8c Summer Goods for	25c Summer Goods for	20c
10c Summer Goods for	30c Summer Goods for	25c
12 1/2c Summer Goods for	35c Summer Goods for	30c
15c Summer Goods for	40c Summer Goods for	35c

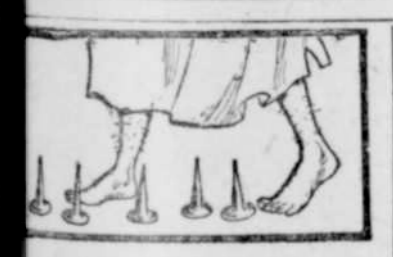
Ladies' Shirt Waist Suits of Blue, Brown, Gray, Black and Plaid Mohair and Suitings



\$9.00 Grade for	\$ 4.00
\$15.00 Grade for	9.50
\$22.50 Grade for	14.00
\$20.00 Grade for	12.75
\$16.00 Grade for	10.00

PERFECT SILK COATS made of black Pou de soie Silk, satin lined, trimmed in Perle bands and applique; \$18.00 and \$20.00 values, your choice of the lot **\$5.00**

\$25.00 THREE QUARTER LENGTH SILK COATS REDUCED TO **\$15.00**



Five Big Points
 DUTCHESS TROUSERS are made with this warranty on every pair: 10 cents a Button; \$1.00 a Rip.
 DUTCHESS TROUSERS are made of the best cloths, carefully selected from the most reliable mills.
 DUTCHESS TROUSERS are made in a large, sanitary factory, by well paid and expert operatives.
 DUTCHESS TROUSERS are made for durability; one pair will outwear two of any other make.
 DUTCHESS TROUSERS' sales are like the new wave motion—constantly increasing in circuit.

We are Eugene's sole agents and distributors for the Famous

Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothing

The Strongest and Best Line of Clothing in the World

Prices:

\$10	\$12.50
\$15	\$20

HAMPTON BROS

EUGENE'S LEADING STORE.

PRESIDENT IS ORATOR OF THE DAY

Portsmouth Navy Yard, May 30.—President Roosevelt delivered the Memorial day address here, the exercises being elaborate. Roosevelt was greeted with enthusiasm and said in part:

"This day is hallowed and sacred in our history, for this day throughout the land we meet to pay homage to the memory of the valiant dead who fell in the great civil war. No other men deserve so well of this country as those to whom we owe it that we now have a country. Moreover, the men to whose valor we owe it that the Union was preserved have left us a country reunited in fact as well as in name. They have left us the memory of the great deeds and the self devotion alike of the men who wore the blue and of the men who wore the gray in the contest where brother fought brother with equal courage, with equal sincerity of conviction, with equal fidelity to a high ideal, as it was given to each to see that ideal."

"We cannot too highly honor the memory of the leaders in the civil war—of Grant and Lee, of Sherman and Johnson, of Stonewall Jackson and Sheridan, of Farragut and of the captains who fought under and against him. But after all the man upon whom chief credit must rest was the plain man in the ranks, the man in blue or gray who went in to see the war through, and who did see it through. He had the courage to stand without flinching the bickering of the skirmishes and the hammering of the great fights; he had the steadfast endurance to bear with uncomplaining resignation the hunger and the heat and the cold, the scorching days and the freezing nights, the grinding, heartbreaking fatigue of the marches, the wearisome monotony of the camps, and the slow suffering of the field hospitals. So in the army and the navy today, in the last analysis we must depend upon having the right stuff in the enlisted man and then upon having that stuff put into proper shape. So again in our republic as a whole it is just as true in peace now as it was forty-five years ago in war that it is the character of the average man that must be the determining factor in achieving national success or going down to national disaster. Leadership is necessary in order that we may get really good results out of a high average of individual character; but without the high character in the average individual the leadership by itself can avail but little."

"Now it is easy to say this in words which shall imply merely flattery of the average voter or of the average enlisted man. I certainly do not intend my words to be so taken. It is a sure sign of weakness in any man if he is always wanting to be flattered, and especially if he lets his head be turned by flattery. The average voter needs to learn and to keep steadily in mind the fact that if in the last resort the real power is his, so in the last resort the real responsibility is his. He can not cast off on any one else the responsibility for our governmental shortcomings. Nothing is cheaper than to say that the people are all right but that the politicians are all wrong. As a matter of fact politics, and therefore politicians, will in the long run represent faithfully either the wishes or the indifference of the people; and if the people are indifferent the results are just about as bad as if they deliberately choose to go wrong."

The president in closing referred feelingly to the recent San Francisco disaster and spoke of the splendid exhibition of American liberality in the ready response to calls for assistance.

SAN FRANCISCO PATRIOTIC.
 San Francisco, May 30.—Despite the disorganized conditions in the city Memorial day was observed in San Francisco and the bay cities with the usual ceremonies. Mayor Schmitz headed a procession of veterans and troops from Union street to the National cemetery, where an address was delivered by Samuel Shortridge and prayer by Rev. Father Sherman. Veterans of the navy held services on the tug Slocum outside the Golden Gate.

A feature was the decoration of monuments in Golden Gate Park by

WALLA WALLA FLOODED PENDLETON UNDER WATER

Worst Rain Storm In Years Still Continues in Northeastern Oregon and Southwestern Washington—Immense Damage Has Been Done to Farm Property, Growing Crops—Railroads Also Lose Heavily

Walla Walla, Wash., May 30.—Bridges have been washed out, houses wrecked and streets flooded, electric and telephone stations out of commission and thousands of dollars damage to the growing crops and hayfields in the low land districts as the result of the worst rain in the history of Walla Walla valley, which has steadily fallen since noon Monday and is still falling at the rate of .05 of an inch an hour.

Mill Creek and Walla Walla river are bursting over their banks and in the low land districts whole farms are under water.

Business is suspended in the city. The Clanton Park and Sixth street bridges went out early this morning. At the rear end of Ross street a house was swept away and its inmates had a narrow escape from drowning.

Mill Creek has overflowed its banks at Merriam street and a big stream is flowing down Alder street through the business district. The spreading waters flooded many residences and people have been compelled to seek safety.

Water surrounds St. Mary's Hospital and the Northwestern Gas & Electric Company has closed down their plant, cutting off electric power from Walla Walla, Weston, Athena and Pendleton.

All newspapers and many manufacturing flour mills have been forced to close down from lack of power. Trees are being swept down the Walla Walla river. A message from

Milton states that the railroad bridge there is in great danger.

Reports from Dayton state that the Touchet is flooding the low land country and causing considerable damage to alfalfa fields and garden tracts. Several bridges below Prescott have been washed out and others damaged.

Noon—The situation is much improved, the rain having partly ceased, a total of 4.10 inches for the storm. There is tremendous damage to crops. A crew at the powder plant on the Walla Walla river is hemmed in by the flood without food. Many farmers have been compelled to flee and their buildings were swept away.

FLOOD AT PENDLETON.
 Pendleton, Or., May 30.—People in many parts of the city are fleeing on account of the high water and the Umatilla river still continues to rise. An unknown man was seen floating down the stream this morning and houses have been washed away at Bingham's Springs. Bridges are out and all traffic is suspended.

Several streets in Pendleton are under water a foot deep, the worst flood since 1882. This morning one-third of the town is covered with water. Basements of business houses are flooded and the entire section west of Main street, between Alta street and the river, an area of thirty blocks, is flooded and deserted. Early this morning the levee at the west end gave away, and the baseball grounds and adjoining district is a raging torrent. A further rise would cause the entire town to be flooded.

a large gathering of refugee children from the vacation schools in the park. The weather was fine.

DAY IS OBSERVED.
 Washington, May 30.—Memorial day is being observed throughout the country and an effort is being made to decorate the grave of every dead soldier. Military organizations in every city paraded this forenoon. The principal services here were at Arlington, where twenty thousand soldiers are buried.

MONUMENT DEDICATED.
 Portland, May 30.—Memorial day was observed by a parade of veterans, decoration of graves and the dedication of the monument on the Plaza to the Second Oregon Volunteers of the Spanish-American war. Governor Chamberlain was one of the speakers.

NEW YORK PACKING HOUSE INVESTIGATION

New York, May 30.—It has just been learned that O'Neill and Reynolds spent a few days investigating the slaughtering industry of this city and found many conditions duplicating those of Chicago. George Christian, secretary of the butchers' union, says there is no great difference in the conditions at Chicago and New York.

KING AND QUEEN SIGN CONTRACT

Madrid, May 30.—Princess Ena and King Alfonso signed the marriage contract today in the presence of the members of their families, foreign ambassadors and few distinguished dignitaries. The public made the day a gala occasion.

The University of Oregon baseball team left this morning for The Dalles to play a return game with the Columbia Athletic Club team of that place tomorrow. The team will play against Multnomah in Portland Friday.

MINERS MAY ESCAPE TRIAL FOR MURDER

Boise, May 30.—There is a possibility that the officials of the Western Federation may never be tried for the murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg. According to a theory advanced by the prosecution the district court of Canyon county has no authority to take any action in the cases, pending the final decision of the supreme court of the United States in the habeas corpus case appealed from the circuit court, yet there seems to be no way to make a record justifying the continuance of the trial of the defendants. Their lawyers say the prisoners have the constitutional right of trial at the present term or a discharge from custody, unless the prosecution can furnish a good case for again continuing the case.

The greatest fears are entertained that they may escape trial on a technicality and much excitement prevails in Boise and Caldwell.

BOMB THROWN AT GOVERNOR GENERAL

Kutais, May 30.—Two bombs were thrown today at Former Governor General Aikhanoff and the general was wounded in the thigh. A bystander was killed and three others injured.

SIXTY-FIVE DROWNED.
 Riga, May 30. Sixty-five persons were drowned when an unknown steamer sunk in the Gulf of Riga today.

Peace Conference
 Lake Mohawk, N. Y., May 30.—The Lake Mohawk peace conference which is endeavoring to establish universal peace, met here today, John W. Foster presiding.