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The half price cash Sales on Wash Goods that we were conducting Thursday, Friday and Saturday will be continued until further notice. The quantities of Dress Stuffs carried away from our store the last three days goes to show that our advertisements are relied upon. If you see an article advertised and signed by us you can depend upon its being reliable.

The Prices on Wash Goods the Same

Lawns and Dimities.....	5c	25c Silks, Mulls and Organdies.....	12 1/2c
" " ".....	6 1/2c	30c " " ".....	15c
" " ".....	8c	35c " " ".....	18c
" " ".....	10c	40c " " ".....	20c

Summer Dresses

Some Good Numbers Left in This Department

100 Dresses for.....	\$2.00	\$3.75 Dresses for.....	\$2.75
200 " ".....	3.00	6.00 " ".....	5.00

Kimonas

Now is the time a KIMONA is appreciated when the days are long and hot, you can buy them at a big saving on Monday and Tuesday.

10c Short Kimonas..... 45c
 20 Long Silk Kimonas..... \$1.80

White Skirts

We are anxious to close out the stock in this department and have made most liberal reductions on White WASH SKIRTS.

\$1.25 and \$1.35 Garments for..... \$1.00
 Other White Skirts reduced in proportion.

SPECIAL

We have just received 100 new embroidered Waist Patterns, a Pattern that should sell at \$1.25 and \$1.50 each, owing to the lateness of their arrival we will place them on special sale Monday and Tuesday at 85 cents.

FOR MEN'S WEAR

Just at the height of the season, and we are all ready for you with just those little fixings that mark the well-dressed men. Buy here though, at a dry goods profit.

The DUTCHES TROUSERS, the kind that does not rip, \$1.00 and up.

Men's Fancy and Work Pants 50c.

The largest assortment of Leather Belts in the city.

The GORDON HAT, the only hat worthy of a name, \$3.00.

Men's and Boys' Work Gloves.

Cool Underwear for warm days.

LAMPTON BROS.

GREAT FLOODS DESTROY CROPS IN CALIFORNIA

Most Disastrous in History of State - Breaking of Levee Causes Inundation of Vast Tract and Many Work Horses Will Be Drowned

Stockton, Cal., July 11.—Over forty thousand acres of the richest lands in this country are now inundated from the San Joaquin river. Last night the levee on the old Jones tract broke, overflowing six thousand acres of barley, potatoes and asparagus. Charles Worthing with his men and thirty horses have been caught in the flood and while the men will escape the horses are penned in and must drown.

JUDGE EMORY SLAIN BY YOUTH MADLY IN LOVE

Seattle, July 9.—Judge Gordon Emory, shot Saturday night by young Chester Thompson, died at 1:30 this morning. He leaves a wife and two small children. It is believed Thompson was seeking to kill Charlotte Whittlesey, with whom he was in love, when he shot her uncle. Thompson's coat and hat were found this morning and the pockets contained a box of cartridges from which 15 were missing. Physicians say the boy's mind has been unbalanced by overstudy. He nervously paces his cell. "Yes, I regret it," he said this morning, as tears filled his eyes. "It was terrible."

At Seattle, Wash., Saturday night Judge G. Meade Emory, a distinguished lawyer of that city, was shot at his residence by Chester Thompson, a university student and son of a well known attorney. The cause was the student's infatuation for Charlotte Whittlesey, a niece of the stricken man, who had asked her uncle to deny Thompson admittance to his home if he sought to see her. Thompson barricaded himself in a room in the house and resisted arrest until his father appeared on the scene, when he surrendered.

AFFECTS MITCHELL TRIAL. Seattle, July 9.—The jury in the George Mitchell case is being kept from all knowledge of Emory's murder. Aliens have testified that Mitchell was insane at the time of his shooting of Creffield, and it is thought this late crime of an apparently insane man might influence their verdict.

STANDARD OIL WILL WIN IN OHIO

Cleveland, July 11.—Baffled by its failure to secure the presence for the purpose of testifying of M. G. Vilas, treasurer of the Standard Oil Co., of Ohio, and surprised by the developments which may remove the investigation from its jurisdiction, the grand jury adjourned today until Monday. The only chance for securing indictments here is that based on the cancellation of charges made in the Lake Shore railroad offices in this city.

E. E. McEwan furnished the Lake Shore records to prove discrimination in charges and disputed with H. Dodd, a Lake Shore clerk. "You're a thief," said Dodd; "you stole those records from Lake Shore." McEwan answered: "You're a liar. If I did steal them it would not be as dirty as the things done to us." The men were separated as blows were about to be struck.

According to a dispatch from St. Petersburg the American syndicate of civil engineers, of which Licoq de Lebel is president, has almost succeeded in arranging with the Russian government for the construction of a tunnel under the Bering strait, connecting Siberia with Alaska.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY FRANCHISE GRANTED BY CITY COUNCIL

Ordinance Unanimously Passed at Last Night's Meeting of the City Dads--With One Minor Exception Franchise Is Satisfactory to Company and Will No Doubt Be Accepted ---Franchise Drafted By Committee of Business Men

The city council at its meeting last night unanimously passed the ordinance granting to the Willamette Valley Co. a franchise for the construction of an electric street railway in Eugene.

The matter has been under discussion for a long time and there have been many delays, but the members of the council are very conservative and no doubt acted upon their best judgment and waited until a franchise entirely satisfactory to the people was presented before granting it. When the vote was taken last night there appeared to be a unanimity of spirit, and when the franchise was at last disposed of all heaved a sigh of relief and the spectators applauded. Every part of the franchise as granted has been agreed to by the company except that portion which provides for the construction of the line from the depot to Villard avenue in Fairmount by October 1, 1907. In the conference with the company's representatives a few days ago it was agreed to construct the line as far as the southeast corner of the university campus on East Thirteenth street by that date. Attorney A. C. Woodcock, who represents the company, went to Portland today to confer with the company officials in regard to the matter and it is probable that the extension will be agreeable and the franchise accepted as passed by the council. The extension of the line to Villard avenue calls for the construction of four blocks of additional track.

SECTION-BY SECTION. R. B. Henderson, president of the council, called the meeting to order, Mayor Wilkins arriving a few minutes later. A full board of aldermen was present. Members of the committee from the Merchants' Protective Association and the Commercial Club, who had drawn the proposed ordinance, were also present. The ordinance was read by sections, and at the end of each section if there were any objections to any of its provisions or suggestions for changes they were made. No changes of particular note were suggested until section 8, which provided for the construction of the line to the corner of the university campus by October 1, 1907, was read. Councilmen Calkins and Garrett held out for the extension to Villard avenue and after considerable discussion a vote on the matter was taken, resulting in the amendment of that section that the line must be extended as aforesaid.

BRYAN SAYS HE'S WILLING TO RUN

Washington, July 7.—Ex-United States Senator James K. Jones, of Arkansas, who was chairman of the Democratic National Committee, when William J. Bryan made his campaign for the presidency in 1896 and 1900, has received a letter from Mr. Bryan, in which he announces that he will accept the nomination for President for the third time if it is tendered to him. The letter is dated June 18, at Stockholm, and is as follows: "I have been watching political developments and have noted with gratification the vindication of Democratic principles. You have correctly stated my position. As I wrote to Colonel Wetmore, I shall do nothing to secure another nomination, and do not want it unless the conditions seem to demand it. I may add that I enjoy the freedom of private life and feel that I can do some good without holding any office. I need not assure you that I am more interested in seeing our principles triumphant than I am in the personnel of the ticket. The country needs to have Jeffersonian Democracy applied to all the departments of the Government, state and National, and I am content to help make this application. "W. J. BRYAN."

MELDRUM WILL FIGHT FOR LIBERTY

Portland, July 9.—Henry Meldrum, former surveyor-general of Oregon, today petitioned the federal court for a writ of review. He will carry his case to the Supreme court.

Sections 14 and 16, in regard to the operation of freight cars on the streets, were objected to with the final result that the company won a point in that regard. The franchise as drawn up restricted the running of freight cars on Willamette and Eleventh street between the hours of 7 a. m. and 6 p. m. Councilman Henderson objected to the restriction on Eleventh street if not placed on other residence streets, and finally it was voted to remove the restriction from Eleventh street entirely. All other sections, with minor and unimportant changes, were unanimously agreed upon.

During the discussion of these sections S. H. Friendly, who was present, addressed the council and earnestly urged that the council place no obstruction in the way of a competing freight line, as that is what Eugene and the upper Willamette valley has long needed. His remarks had the effect of practically stopping all arguments on the question and of bringing the matter to a point where it was agreed to allow the unrestricted use of freight cars on all streets except Willamette and on that street during the night time.

LAND FRAUD TRIALS BEGIN NEXT MONDAY

Portland, July 10.—Prosecutor F. J. Heney announces today that the first land fraud trials will be those of Charles Nickell, Henry W. Miller, Frank E. Kinsart and Martin Hoge, indicted for conspiracy in connection with the filing of timber land applications. Their trial is set for next Monday. The court today accepted the bill of exceptions in Congressman Williamson's case, and the appeal will be perfected.

BIG DRY DOCK ARRIVES SAFELY IN PHILIPPINES

Washington, July 10.—Admiral Train, commander of the vessels in Philippine waters, wasted no cable tolls in announcing the arrival of the big drydock. His dispatch, received today, reads: "Dewey arrived."

CROP ESTIMATE IS PUBLISHED

Washington, July 10.—The government crop report gives the average of corn at 87.5; winter wheat, 85.6; spring wheat, 91.4; oats, 81 per cent. The thermometer reached as high as 109 in the shade in some Eastern Oregon towns, with the sand thrown in.