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Dress
Goods
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For One Week we place our
entire stock of DRESS GOODS
at your disposal at greatly re-
duced prices. We quote a few
numbers for your consideration

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Don't come after the sale is over and expect to get goods at

SALE PRICES

Quotations are for this week only

60c Albatrosses for 42c

8 Pieces 38-inch Albatross—colors light blue, navy blue, pink, red, light green, white, cream and black; usually sold at 60 cents the yard.

Sale Price 42c

85c Serges for 62½c

3 Pieces 42-inch Serge—colors navy blue, brown and dark green; regular price 85 cents a yd.

Sale Price 62½c

\$1.50 Broadcloths \$1.20

4 Pieces 52-inch Broadcloth—colors brown, navy blue, dark red and black; regular \$1.50 the yard.

Sale Price \$1.20

\$1.75 Broadcloths \$1.40

10 Pieces 54 inches wide fancy Broadcloth; plain and checks; latest novelty suitings; Regular price \$1.75 per yard.

Sale Price \$1.40

Fancy Black Dress Goods

Of all descriptions this week at a reduction of 20 per cent.

60c Mohairs for 42c

10 Pieces plain and fancy Mohair; 38 inches wide; regular 50c and 60c goods.

Sale Price 42c

60c Fancy Dress Goods 42c

About 50 pieces 38 to 42 inch fancy Dress Goods Plaids, etc; regular 50c and 60c goods.

Sale Price 42c

\$1.25 Serges for 95c

2 Pieces 42 inches wide; cream and wine color; very pretty pieces; regular \$1.25 per yard.

Sale Price 95c

\$2.50 Chiffon Broadcloths \$1.85

Positively the very latest material out for swell dresses; no fabric will be so popular for early spring and next fall wear as Chiffon Broadcloth; 54 inches wide; colors, golden brown, navy blue, medium green, dark red and black; regular price, \$2.50 the yard.

Sale Price \$1.85

WE DO AS WE ADVERTISE

The Place
To Trade

Nicklin & Neal

SWEPT OVERBOARD FROM ALLIANCE ON ROUGH BAR

Portland, Dec. 3.—A long distance Telegram reports the arrival of the Alliance at Astoria in tow of the tug Tattooosh today. The passenger drownd at sea was D. F. Pyott, of Coos Bay. He attempted to enter the stateroom of the vessel while crossing the Coos Bay bar and was struck by a heavy sea and swept overboard. His wife, who was standing in the door of the stateroom, was knocked back into the room and badly hurt. The steamer lost her rudder and rudder post and three blades of her propeller in crossing Coos Bay bar.

DIED

In Portland, November 24, 1907, Mrs. Blanche Rickman, of abscess of the brain. She was aged 37 years. The remains were brought to Eugene and the funeral was held yesterday afternoon with interment in the Mulkey cemetery. Rev. D. H. Trimble conducting the services. Mrs. Rickman leaves a husband and two children. She was a member of the Methodist church.

At the home of her mother at West First and Washington streets, Eugene, November 22, 1907, Mary Howell, aged 12 years, of membranous croup. She leaves a mother and several brothers and sisters. The funeral was held today, with interment in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Here's Good Advice.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of LeRayville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good twenty years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns or abrasions. 25 cents at W. L. DeLano's drug store.

JUDGE FRAZER DIES OF OPERATION IN PORTLAND

Portland, Dec. 3.—Judge Arthur L. Frazer died early today as a result of an operation for appendicitis. Judge Frazer was born in Polk county, Oregon, and was forty-seven years old. He is the second state circuit court judge to pass away in the past three months. He was especially well known by his labors in connection with the juvenile court, which was patterned after the Denver idea. Governor Chamberlain announces that he will make no immediate appointment of a successor to Judge Frazer.

BORN.

At Elmira, November 17, 1907, to William Clayton Inman and wife, a son.

At the Danish settlement west of Eugene, November 28, 1907, to the wife of Jens Jensen, a son.

Badly Mixed Up.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience. He says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth blood poison and the fifth stomach trouble; but none of them helped me. My wife advised me to try Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints by W. L. DeLano, druggist. 50c.

CHARRED BODIES OF DEAD MINERS IN NAOMI MINE

Pittsburg, Dec. 3.—Twenty-five of the miners caught by the explosion of fire damp in the Naomi mine Sunday night were reached by the rescuers at 4 o'clock this morning. All dead bodies were charred almost beyond recognition. The total number of victims is between forty and fifty.

Scores of frenzied women surround the pit mouth constantly and the officers have much trouble keeping them from interfering with the work of the rescuers. It is feared that many bodies will never be identified.

Early to Bed

and early to rise makes one healthy, happy and wise—especially if you take Herbine before retiring. A positive cure for constipation, dyspepsia and all liver complaints. Mrs. S. Columbia, Tenn., writes: "I always keep a supply of Herbine on hand. Am so pleased with the relief it gives in constipation and all liver complaints that words can't express my appreciation." Sold by Linn Drug Company.

SCORE INJURED BY RUNAWAY CAR

Dayton, Dec. 3.—A score of persons, mostly women, were more or less seriously injured by a runaway street car accident today.

WHAT'S

worth doing is worth doing well. If you wish to be cured of rheumatism, use Ballard's Snow Liniment and you will be "well cured." A positive cure for sprains, neuralgia, bruises, contracted muscles and all the ills that flesh is heir to. A. G. M. Williams, Navasota, Texas, writes: "I have used Snow Liniment for sprained ankle and it gave me the best of satisfaction. I always keep it in the house." Sold by Linn Drug Company.

OPPOSED TO SPECIAL SESSION OF LEGISLATURE

Portland, Nov. 2.—With expressions of confidence in the financial stability of Portland and the entire state, a convention attended by delegates from the commercial organiza-



MRS. MARY S. HARTJE.

This is the latest portrait of Mrs. Mary Scott Hartje of Pittsburg, whose millionaire husband has gone before the Pennsylvania superior court with sensational testimony, demanding that his divorce suit be reopened.

tions of Oregon, yesterday decided not to petition Governor Chamberlain to call an extra session of the legislature at this time. After a spirited discussion of the bank situation and the need of resuming judicial business, resolutions were adopted requesting the governor to continue the legal holidays for a period not to exceed ten days after the banks of Chicago and New York resume specie payments.

If the necessity for the legal holidays is prolonged more than 30 days, the resolutions adopted suggest that a special session be called at the expiration of that time to relieve the courts; otherwise it was recommended that no special session be held. The resolutions will be presented to Governor Chamberlain today.

The convention met in the rooms of the Portland Commercial club, and was attended by about forty representative business men. In addition to the accredited delegates there were present a number of prominent Portland citizens, the gathering being representative of the banking, commercial and manufacturing interests of the state.

RURAL MAIL CARRIERS MEET AT JUNCTION

(From Thursday's Guard.)

The regular business meeting of the Lane County Association of Rural Free Mail Carriers was held at Junction City this forenoon. There were seven carriers present, as follows: Wooley and Maxwell, of Eugene; Curtis, Pitney and the two Towers, of Junction. The Junction carriers gave the visitors a splendid turkey dinner at the hotel, for which they wish The Guard to extend them thanks.

A Real Wonderland.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by W. L. DeLano, druggist. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

JUNCTION CITY NOTES

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Botker, November 24, 1907, a son. Miss Edith Gore, of Eugene, spent Thanksgiving as the guest of friends in this city.

The Brownsville football team played the high school of this place Thursday and carried off the honors by a score of 11 to 0. This is the second game of the series.

Floyd Howard has sold 80 acres of his Lancaster farm to Mads and Edward Andraeson, late arrivals from the East. These men are brothers of Carl Andraeson, who was formerly a resident of this place.

Rev. A. D. Skaggs and wife, of Centralia, Wash., arrived here on Thursday and spent a few days as guests of relatives. Rev. Skaggs was for several years a resident of this city, and his many friends were glad to see him.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Miller returned from Nebraska Friday evening. They report a very enjoyable visit, but are more in love with the Oregon article of climate than ever. Mr. Miller says the cold wind just went through him, and had he remained until the real cold weather set in he would hardly have dared to leave the fire. They have rented the Moorhead dwelling opposite the C. P. church and are now residents of this city.—Times.

A Dangerous Deadlock
that sometimes terminates fatally, is the stoppage of liver and bowel functions. To quickly end this condition without disagreeable sensations, Dr. King's New Life Pills should be your remedy. Guaranteed absolutely satisfactory in every case or money back at W. L. DeLano's drug store.

FOUR PERSONS MURDERED IN MARION COUNTY

Salem, Or., Dec. 2.—Four persons were murdered last night at the Hurst farm, near Macleay. Mrs. Casteel, her daughter, her son and the foreman of the farm, Mr. Montgomery, were killed by an unknown person or persons. After the murders were committed the farm house was set on fire in the hope that evidence of the awful crime might be obliterated or that the deaths could have been construed to have been caused by being caught in the flames.

A blood stained hatchet was found near the scene of the murders, also a loaded shotgun. Sheriff Culver and Deputy Sheriff Minto have gone to the scene of the murder. The Casteel family came here recently from Myrtle Creek, and were said to have considerable money.

Mrs. Casteel was aged about 60 years. Her son was aged 19 and the daughter 24, and the foreman on the place, who came with them from Douglas county, was a man about 55 years old. Their nearest neighbor is a farmer named Wilson. They had been there such a short time and met so few people there is little known of them. The bodies are almost completely burned up. The residence was as fine a one as any in that part of the county.

One theory is that tramps who have been infesting the country attacked the farm, and when the foreman and boy resisted shot them and then killed the women. Posses are out looking for clues. The entire country is aroused.

Steve Strawn is having a cement walk built in front of his East Fifth street residence property.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Or., Oct. 23, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, Frank H. Holland, of Crow, county of Lane, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 8524 for the purchase of lot number 20 (2) of section No. 4, in township No. 18, south, range No. 6 west, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Eugene, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Church A. Stephens, of Crow, Oregon; George W. Holland, of Crow, Oregon; Walter J. Holland, of Crow, Oregon; Nesmith Owen, of Eugene, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of January, 1908.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY,
Register.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Or., Oct. 21, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, George W. Layne, of Mound, county of Lane, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 8522 for the purchase of the N½ of NE¼ of section No. 20, in township No. 19, south, range No. 6 west, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Eugene, Oregon, on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Scott Gillespie, of Panther, Oregon; George Prescott, of Panther, Oregon; Hazen Johnson, of Panther, Oregon; Harry Layne, of Mound, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 6th day of January, 1908.

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He names as witnesses: William E. Russell, of Eugene, Oregon; Geo. Canady, of Crow, Oregon; J. W. Canady, of Crow, Oregon; Clarence V. Canady, of Crow, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 6th day of January, 1908.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY,
Register.

FARMERS' HIGH MARK FOR PROSPERITY, SAYS SECRETARY WILSON



JAMES WILSON.

Secretary of agriculture in the cabinets of William McKinley and Theodore Roosevelt. Called "Tamam Jim."

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—The annual report of the secretary of agriculture, James Wilson, was released for publication today. The report says in part:

"In the production of crops the year 1907 has been a good one to all of the people as well as to the farmers. It has averaged with the previous five years after a general balancing of gains and losses. A great fall in oats below the average and much smaller declines in wheat, tobacco and hops, flaxseed and buckwheat, have been counterbalanced, and more than that, by increases above the average in cotton, hay, barley, rye, rice and potatoes. This means material commodities and not the value placed upon them.

"No such high aggregate of crop values has ever before been reached by farmers as for the crops of 1907. In estimating these, little if any use is made of the high prices before the break in the latter part of October. The present indication is that every crop except hogs will considerably, if not very much, exceed in value the average gain of the previous five years. Extremely large rates of gain are observed for corn, oats, barley, rye, hay, tobacco, potatoes, cotton seed and the rates of gain would be notable in any ordinary year in the case of wheat, cotton lint and buckwheat.

In the grand total income from his crops this year the farmer finds himself in better financial condition than before. He reckons his income in ten figures and he is still improving his farm, buying bonds, lending to his neighbors, and putting his money into the vaults of the banks.

Highest Record.
"Wealth productions on farms in 1907, as expressed in value, transcended the high record of 1906, which was itself much above the highest amount before reached. In arriving at the total the farm products of the year are estimated in value for every detail presented by the census, and at that point in production at which they acquire commercial value.

Exports.
"Food and fibre were provided in such enormous quantities in 1906 that a great national surplus went abroad to feed and clothe millions in foreign countries. High prices helped to swell these exports as expressed in money, and for the first time in the history of the world a country exported agricultural commodities of home production to a value greater than \$1,000,000,000.

"In the year ending June 30, 1907,

the domestic exports of farm products were valued at \$1,055,000,000, or \$79,000,000 above the high record of the previous year. Four-fifths of these were plant products, and chief among these was cotton, with a port value of \$382,000,000, an amount much above the highest value of any year.

"The exported grain and grain products were valued at \$184,000,000, the unmanufactured tobacco at \$23,000,000, the oil cake and oil-cake meal at \$26,000,000, the vegetable oils at \$20,000,000, and the fruits at \$17,000,000. All were gains over 1906, except the item of grain and grain products.

"Animal and animal products were exported to the value of \$255,000,000, mostly composed of packing house products, worth \$203,000,000, or only \$4,000,000 under the high watermark of 1906. Exported live animals were valued at \$41,000,000, and dairy products at \$6,000,000.

Imports.
"Agricultural products valued at \$627,000,000 were imported in the fiscal year 1907, of which the plant products were \$403,000,000, chief among these being sugar and molasses, valued at \$94,000,000; coffee, \$78,000,000; vegetable fibres, \$32,000,000; fruits and tobacco, each valued at \$26,000,000, and vegetable oils, with a value of \$15,000,000.

Balance of Trade.
"The farmer is concerned in the nation's balance of international trade, inasmuch as he provides the great bulk of the foreign draw upon which other classes of persons draw upon in the contrary movement of credit against this country.

"The balance of trade in farm products of this country in 1907 was \$444,000,000, an amount that has been exceeded in only four years—1898, 1899, 1901 and 1902. In all other products the trade of 1907 produced a balance of only \$2,500,000 in favor of this country.

The Farmer's Thanksgiving.
"The farmer has received much for which to be thankful. During the first half of the year he was threatened with general crop failure throughout the length and breadth of the country east of the Rocky Mountains. The very last day was exhausted that could be withheld from crop growth and still leave a harvest worth taking.

"Every necessary day for the development of the corn crop was 20,000,000 bushels of corn. Cotton needed a longer time and offered to pay 30,000,000 pounds of line for the favor of each day of growth during the full term. Wheat offered over 6,000,000 bushels a day, tobacco 7,000,000 pounds, cotton 1,000,000 bushels, and beets 6,000,000 pounds of sugar.

"The entire wealth production of the farms was at stake and was dependent upon a crop-growing season of sufficient length, and every one of its days was worth \$50,000,000 to the farmer and to the nation.

"At the end of the harvest the farmer has provided the country with commodities that are equal to the average of recent years, in quantity, and vastly more than are needed for national consumption. His labor and knowledge have been rewarded with products the sum of whose value is \$7,412,000,000.

"The miner cannot restore mineral to the mine. With the farmer it is different. The primal forces and atoms of the universe are his. The sun shines and the rain falls and the farmer applies his art and science to the country's wealth, capital, credit and welfare."

CONGRESS LISTENS TO READING OF ANNUAL MESSAGE

Washington, Dec. 3.—The joint committee on the senate and house appointed to notify the president that congress is in session reached the White House shortly after 10 o'clock today. The committee consisted of Senators Allison and Teller, and Representatives Williams and Tawney, accompanied by Sergeant-at-Arms Ramsdell, of the senate.

The president told the committee he would communicate in writing with congress.

The annual message was read in both houses beginning at 12:30, with little demonstration other than occasional applause in the galleries.

After a short executive session the senate adjourned.

At yesterday's session when the adoption of the rules for the government of the house during the sixth congress came up, the rules of the last congress were opposed by Williams, and he was joined in the

SENATORS PAY RESPECTS TO WILLIAM J. BRYAN

Washington, Dec. 3.—W. J. Bryan spent an hour in the marble room of the senate today exchanging courtesies with the senators. Most of the members called to pay their respects, including a number of Republicans, among the latter being Senator Burkett, of Nebraska.

Governor Vardaman, of Mississippi, was also among the callers, and remained some time in conversation with Mr. Bryan. Bryan declared his visit was without political significance.

THREE KILLED AND A DOZEN MORE INJURED

Baltimore, Dec. 2.—Three were killed and a dozen injured in a wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio at Shenandoah Junction today. It is not believed any of the injured are fatally hurt.

RECEIVER ASKED FOR INSURANCE CONCERN

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 2.—Attorney General Thompson today prepared a petition asking for a receiver for the National Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Omaha.

John H. Hartog's household effects arrived here last night from Columbia, Cal.