



MEN!

Only Ten Days More of This Mammoth Clothing Sale

WE propose to make them the greatest, busiest ten days we have had. Special inducements will be offered to all buyers. Clothing, furnishings, underwear, hats and shoes will be offered at less than "before-the-War" prices. No man who lives within a day's journey from Grants Pass can afford to miss these last days, for they will demonstrate the powerful economies we offer to all.

In these days of high prices on every thing we eat or wear, a sale like this is a mighty factor in keeping down your growing expenses, for we are offering merchandise at genuine, incisive reductions from normal prices—in many cases at less than we, ourselves, would have to pay at the mill or factory today. Let us urge you, then, to come. We guarantee that you will save on every article you buy. Come now—don't delay until the last days!

Our Great Sale Ends Thursday, May 31

Ten more days of wonder-working economy. Every article in our store at less than its regular price—less than you can buy it for elsewhere. We are ready to serve you promptly and courteously. Join with the throngs of satisfied buyers.

Announcement

I am glad to announce to the people of Grants Pass and Southern Oregon that I have purchased this business from the former owners and that I intend to conduct it hereafter under the name of THE WONDER STORE. I like this city and her people. I have brought my family here and I expect to make my home here. I hope to merit and to receive a share of your patronage and I expect to do my full part in contributing to the growth and the prosperity of our city.

J. SWARTZ.

Read, Buy and Save! Read Buy and Save!

\$3.00 Mallory Hats **\$1.85** \$2.50 Wonder Special Hats **\$1.35**
 \$6.50 Genuine Panama Hats **\$3.90** \$4.50
 Dress Shoes **\$3.45** \$5.00 Work Shoes **\$3.45** \$3.50
 Dress Shoes **\$2.45** \$1.00 Union Suits **65c** \$1.50
 Shirts **95c** \$1.50 Flannel Shirts **95c** 65c Work Shirts
 40c Pants at Cut Prices.

WONDER STORES CO.

One Price—GRANTS PASS—The Lowest

Suit Special

Any new \$15 Wonder Suit, new fabrics and models **\$9.85**

Suit Special

Any new \$20 Wonder Suit—latest style **\$14.80**

M'ADOO WANTS MONEY TO WIN WORLD'S WAR

St. Paul, May 19.—Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo urged the northwest to throw its money as well as its grain into the scales for democracy in the world war at a mammoth luncheon attended by 1,000 bankers, public officials and business men of the northwest today.

Greeted at the union station by a committee of 500, including Governor Burnquist, representatives of governors of Wisconsin, the Dakotas, Montana and Iowa, McAdoo plunged into a whirlwind program expected to boom the sale of Liberty loan bonds throughout the northwest.

"Our allies have been fighting nearly three years for a cause that is as much ours as theirs. They have built up the most wonderful fighting machines that the world ever has known, but their food productions have suffered at the expense of greater military efficiency."

ROASTS WEALTHY FOR PALTRY GIFTS

New York, May 19.—Nathan Straus' blistering arraignment of Gotham's ultra wealthy for "their paltry war relief donations," hurled at a meeting of high society charity workers in the home of Miss Anne Morgan, left New York's exclusive set gasping.

"Let me speak," demanded Straus, interrupting at the meeting of the National League for Women's Service, at the Morgan home. "The rich people have acted shamefully. The few, paltry donations of \$1,000 each have come from men who have made millions out of this war."

Straus denounced "that man who recently gave \$200,000 for a picture." Charles M. Schwab did that not long ago.

ROOSEVELT SILENT ON SIDE-TRACKING

New York, May 19.—Colonel Roosevelt was silent today on President Wilson's declaration of his volunteer army. Nor did the colonel comment upon the president's selection of General Pershing to lead the initial American expeditionary force to the European trenches.

Pershing was one of Roosevelt's favorite army officers when Roosevelt was president. He was promoted over 862 other officers from a captaincy to become a brigadier-general. Roosevelt made public the text of a telegram he sent to President Wilson yesterday before his offer had been refused.

"I respectfully ask permission to raise two divisions for immediate service at the front under the bill which has just become a law," said the telegram, "and I hold myself ready to raise four divisions if you desire. I respectfully refer for details to my last letter to the secretary of war. If granted permission, I earnestly ask that Captain Frank McCoy be directed to report to me at once. Minister Fletcher wrote that he is willing. Also if permission is granted, I would like to come to Washington as soon as the war department is willing to ascertain what supplies are available and to direct the regimental officers chosen for my command how to get to work."

BRAZIL STANDS BY THE UNITED STATES

Rio de Janeiro, May 19.—Brazil has informed all her South American neighbors that she is unable to participate in the Buenos Aires Latin-American neutrality conference, according to reliable information today. It was stated President Braz advised other republics that Brazil was "unofficially allied with the United States and, therefore, did not consider herself entirely neutral."

The Buenos Aires conference was announced last week by Argentine. It being stated that practically all Latin-American nations had accepted invitations to meet.

GERMANS FLING TWO ASSAULTS ON FRENCH

Paris, May 18.—Renewal of Germany's concerted counter-offensive in a formidable drive west of Braye was announced by the French official statement today. The attack was over a wide front. It was smashed by the French artillery except at one point to the west, where a few German groups succeeded in gaining French advanced positions.

The Braye attack was one of two assaults in force which the Germans flung against the French along the Soissons-Rheims front. The other was northwest of Rheims. There the enemy utilized liquid fire and preceded the attack by a tremendous storm of artillery. For three days now the Germans have striven vainly around the Braye and Craonne sectors to force relinquishment by the French of some of the ground gained by General Nivelle's offensive. Their losses have been heavy in these struggles.

SPAIN MAKES STRONG DEMANDS ON GERMANY

Madrid, May 19.—Immediate satisfaction for the sinking of the Spanish steamer *Patricio* and guarantees for future exemption of Spanish shipping from U boats, are demanded in a note dispatched to Berlin by the Spanish government today.

CONVICT CONFESSES TO BOOTH MURDER

Salem, May 19.—William Riggan, a convict, confessed to Sheriff Applegate, of Washington county, at the state penitentiary this afternoon that he murdered William Booth October 8, 1915.

Mrs. Booth, widow of the dead man, and William Branson were convicted of Booth's murder and are now serving their sentences in the state prison. Authorities are carefully checking over Riggan's story.

A classified ad will give results.

GIGANTIC CONFLICT ON ITALIAN FRONT

Rome, May 19.—Austrian casualties to Tuesday in General Cadorna's great offensive drive were estimated today at 12,000 dead, wounded and missing. Since that date sweeping further successes have probably inflicted almost as great casualties on the enemy. Rome is afire with enthusiasm over the progress of the Italian troops.

Front dispatches today related an almost unceasing battle along the entire front, attacks and counter-attacks from the enemy melting into a gigantic conflict. Much of the fighting is hand-to-hand. Gorizia is suffering severely from Austrian bombardment.

DANGER NOT PASSED IN COLUMBIA FLOODS

Portland, May 19.—The Willamette and Columbia rivers began to fall slightly today and reports from up the Columbia indicate that a drop of several feet is likely. However, the real high water of the spring is yet to come, and river men fear it will do much damage because of the amount of snow in the mountains.

NOTED WOMAN LEADER DIES IN WASHINGTON

Washington, May 19.—Belva Lockwood, noted woman publicist and one of the first women to urge woman suffrage, died here today, after a long illness. Mrs. Lockwood was the first woman admitted to practice before the United States supreme court and the only woman candidate for president.

CHICAGO STAGES FATAL DAY-LIGHT HOLD-UP

Chicago, May 19.—Three men were shot and two others badly beaten by five auto bandits today, who held up three men at the Racine street exit of the Metropolitan elevated and escaped with a \$7,000 payroll of the Stein Garter company.

SUPPLIES FOR VILLA CAUGHT NEAR EL PASO

El Paso, May 19.—George Holmes, an American cattleman, Juan Almazan, private secretary to Francisco Villa, and 14 Mexican adherents of the bandit chief, were arrested today near Fabens, Texas, by members of the 16th cavalry. A large quantity of arms and ammunition and a new automobile, which, it is alleged, was being transported from American soil to the bandit chief-tain's headquarters, were seized. The prisoners are being held incommunicado by the military authorities.

NICARAUGUA JOINS IN ALLIANCE AGAINST KAISER

Washington, May 19.—Nicaragua has broken relations with Germany, the state department announced today.

DEADLOCKED ALONG THE BRITISH FRONT

London, May 19.—The British offensive apparently was deadlocked again, with Hindenburg's massed reserve forces. Field Marshal Haig reported merely a number of raiding encounters and no actions of major importance.

"Northeast of Gouzeaucourt we carried out a successful raid last night and brought back prisoners and a machine gun," the statement said. "East of Loos, northwest of Armentieres and east of Ypres, hostile raids were repulsed."

A Use For It. Young Hardfax—But, dad, there can't be any real harm in sowing a few wild oats. Old Hardfax—Mebbe not, 'cause if you're as much of a donkey as I think you are, you can eat the crop.—Chicago News

Graduation Books and Booklets

Demaray's Drug and Stationery Store

1915 3-speed Twin Indian and Sidecar **\$175**

McIntyre's Garage
506 So. 6th St.