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Porousknit and other open mesh underwear, two piece and union suits, light summer weight, the kind that will keep you comfortable. Our every day price, per suit

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WEDNESDAY SPECIAL for THIS WEEK

OUR WEDNESDAY SPECIALS EACH WEEK ARE WORTH WHILE—Seasonable merchandise is specially priced at real bargain. This week, for Wednesday only Table Linens will be on sale at great reductions. See window 9 for prices.

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Our
Wednesday
Specials

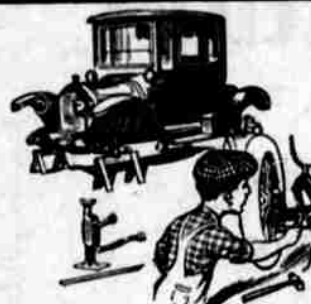
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VALUES for CASH WORTH WHILE

Remnants Are
HALF-PRICE
Wednesdays

Charles Fortmiller left yesterday morning for Newport and will spend a few days with friends at the Nye Beach resort.

Mrs. N. H. Fair and daughter Stella, returned to their home in Gates this morning after visiting in Washington.



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RIVERSIDE ITEMS AND PERSONALS OF INTEREST

Mrs. Dr. Davis and children were visitors at the home of Henry Stewart a few days the early part of the week, leaving little Jane for a more extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Freerksen, of Albany, and Rev. Stephenson, wife and daughter of Chicago, were visitors at the home of Alfred Freerksen Wednesday.

The Millers went blackberrying in Benton county Wednesday, calling at the home of Gibson Myers a former resident of Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis School and children were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stellmacher the past week.

The Thursday club was entertained by Mrs. Archie Miller. The ladies enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon, with fancy work and lively conversation. Five new members were added to the original membership. An appetizing lunch was served. The following ladies were present: Mesdames Geo. Atkeson, Wm. Caldwell, H. F. Lee, Geo. L. Burbank, H. H. Eastman, Jas. Dodge, Gourley-Wills, McMahan, Henry Stewart, Ad. Shew, Misses Olivine Eastman, Bertha Beck, Golden Miller, Mildred McMahon and Mrs. Alfred Freerksen.

Geo. Atkeson was in town Friday.

Mrs. Lindstrom was in Albany on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee returned from Newport Tuesday afternoon. They report some pretty bad roads over the mountains.

Master Harold Church drove to Albany on business Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Beck spent Friday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Majors.

Golden Miller spent Friday afternoon with Edna Price.

Mrs. F. E. Church has been quite ill the past week. Lena Lindstrom has been assisting with the work part of the time during her illness.

The Barker Hardware Co. are putting in a water system at the resi-

dence of Mrs. Gourley-Wills.

Mrs. Cleve Stearns and her aunt, Mrs. Brown were callers at the home of Wm. Stellmacher Thursday.

Miss Florence Eastman spent Thursday afternoon at the home of her sister, Mrs. Leslie Stellmacher.

The Country club held the usual semi-monthly meeting at the school house Saturday evening. A good time is reported.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

This is the 41st birthday of Herbert C. Hoyer, who has made a great name as the head of the Belgium relief commission. He is a mining engineer and a genius.

Admiral Howard, of the U. S. navy is 61 years of age today. Justice Jos. McKenna, of the supreme court, is 72 years old today. Horace Fletcher, famous as the originator of the Fletcher system of mastication of goods 66 today, and Admiral Chas. E. Clark, who commanded the Oregon is 72 today.

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HAITI FOR YEARS IN GRASP OF GRAFTERS

In One Hundred Years of Independence Only One President Completes Term of Office.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Among those who are acquainted with conditions in Haiti, which led up to the recent murder of political prisoners and the disruption of the recent government there, it is believed that the United States must take over the affairs of the "black republic." For not only is the island bankrupt from graft and revolution, but its commercial interests are in the hands of German and French traders, and its magnificent harbor at Mole St. Nicholas is the key to the Panama Canal trade and a menace to the defense of the canal in event of war.

While the efforts of Admiral Caperton to bring the armed leaders into peace and order is lauded, it is pointed out that the trouble lies deeper. It is said here that the only way possible to end the deplorable grafting and the horrible murders of that beleaguered land is by intervention. That this intervention should include the taking over of the finances of the island and their readjustment is generally thought by those in touch with affairs in Haiti to be the main necessity.

In the hundred years and more of Haiti's independence, only one president has completed the term of office for which he was elected, the others leaving office always by being shot, stabbed or poisoned or driven out.

It is probably because the unspeakable abuses in Haiti have been committed in the name of liberty that the United States has been loath to interfere. Discussing the sore of free and democratic government maintained in Haiti, one of the oldest officials of the state department remarked: "In a century of independence the sole right which these people have saved for themselves is the right to go to the devil in the way they choose. And they hold this to be their dearest right. Any other right can be taken without protest, but let it be insisted that they behave themselves and they become worse than a nest of hornets."

Apart from the humanitarian phases of the Haitian problem, there are considerations demanding action by the United States which are of deep if not vital importance to this government. Since the birth of the German imperialistic policy in 1900 the activities of the Germans in Haiti have made it more and more evident that it was essential for the United States to protect its interests in this little island of the Caribbean.

The harbor of Mole St. Nicholas is the key to the Haitian problem. There the Germans have for years been strengthening their grip, and now control practically all the trade. Many Germans have married native Haitian women in order to enable them to own property in the island. It is charged that they have financed one revolution after another, when the government in power refused to abide by their will. In this way huge debts have been piled on the republic at high rates of interest, which have steadily weakened the government and brought it further and further into the clutches of those who sought control.

When a government is in such a deplorable condition as have been the last 20-odd governments of Haiti, the money lender naturally owns the body and soul. Whatever the government possesses that the creditor wants he can take. And the United States has begun to find it very disagreeable to its interests to have the Germans in such relationship to the harbor of Mole St. Nicholas, particularly since the Panama Canal was built.

In 1911 the United States first insisted upon obtaining a representation in the financial operation sustaining Haitian government. This was done on the same theory that it was attempted in China, namely, that if the United States had a direct interest in loans, it could check any move on the part of the other creditors that were inimical to American interests. The United States obtained a minority interest. The European interests, German and French, prevailed.

When the 1911 measure proved unsuccessful by reason of a succession of revolutions financed largely by Haitian merchants, the United States contemplated consolidating the entire debt of the republic, refunding it through a loan from a first class American house, reducing the rate of interest so that would be less burdensome to the Haitian people, and handling through American agents

the collection and disbursement of the customs, in order to end the grafting which was ruining the country.

The fact that such a scheme would have ended the grafting was enough to earn the opposition of all the Haitian politicians. Efforts were repeatedly made to carry the scheme through. Finally the European war

put a temporary end to European opposition and now the French interests are willing to sell out. But the Haitians are still opposed to the plan.

T. J. Pettit returned this morning to his home in Seio after spending a few days here on business.

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