

BIG CLEAN UP SALE

AT THE STRAUSS STORE

Starts Tues., Feb. 27, and Ends Sat., March 17
Just Seventeen Big Bargain Days

This is the sale you have been waiting for, which has been delayed on account of sickness in the family. You all know this is an unusual year, a year of war prices, and the worst of it is next Fall, prices will be much higher. It will pay you to stock up for next winter at these prices. I cannot tell you all the bargains that will be on sale. I will mention a few, come and see the rest. New bargains added as the sale goes on.

Remember My Sales Are Always Real Bargain Sales

CASH ONLY AT SALE PRICES

Grocery Bargains

13 pounds of sugar for **\$1.00** with an order for \$2.00 of other groceries.

Good Canned Peas, either large or small peas, less than wholesale cost; one can or a case **10 cents**

Buy Economy Jars now quarts **79c** Pints **69c** Pint Jelly Glasses **69c**

Olympic Cake and Pastry Flour **25c a package**

Libby Sauerkraut, 2 big cans for **25 cents**

Peanut Butter is up but during the sale 20c grade at **15 cents**

Matches are selling in some stores at 3 for 25c; while they last, limit 6 boxes to a family, 3 boxes for **10 cents**

Toilet Soap, only a small lot left, per bar **3 cents**

Folgers Baking Powder, none better, 30c value, 1 pound tins **38 cents**

Tryphosa Jello, 3 for **25 cents**

25c tin Hershey Cocoa at **15 cents**

Our fancy cheese **25 cents**

Compound at less than wholesale price with lard high and going higher this is a snap. 5's at **79c** 10's at **\$1.59**

Shoe Bargains

You all know the situation regarding shoes. New prices on shoes are from 50c to \$2 a pair higher than ours are now marked. During this sale you can buy for cash shoes at old prices. Right after the sale I must mark them up to conform to new Spring stock and prices. Besides you will find bins of odd lots at less than the cost of the leather. Good shoes and many good styles but broken sizes. I will mention six lots only.

Ladies, child and boys shoes, values \$3.50, at **98 cents**

Men's work shoes, values to \$4.50, at **\$2.98**

Children's and infants shoes, sizes 5 to 8, special at **79 cents**

Men's La Cross high waterproof rubbers, value \$5, our regular price \$4.50, sale prices **\$3.85**

Ladies vici, gun metal, patent and suede button and lace shoes, good styles, values up to \$5.00, at **\$2.45**

Youth high cut strong shoes, special at **\$1.98**

Boys high top shoes at less than cost of leather, two lots **\$1.59 and \$2.85**

Gold Seal Rubber pacs at **\$1.98 and \$2.98**

Don't Miss the Dry Goods Bargains

Ladies Raincoats, values \$6, at **\$3.50**

Odd lot of ladies & misses woolen sweaters, were up to \$3.50, at **49 cents**

Ladies and children's handkerchiefs, 5 limit to family, **1 cent**

Nicely trimmed tea aprons **9 cents**

65c value taffeta silk at **39 cents**

Kimona velours present value 20c **10 cents**

Printed fleeced dress goods cheaper than print at this price **8 cents**

Long cloth best 18c grade at **12 1/2 cents**

Fancy Plates and Dishes worth up to 25c, on Opening Day, limit two to a customer **5c**

Odd lot of ladies waists, values to \$1, at **25 cents**

Values to \$1.50 at **69c**

All our latest sweaters at special prices. Be sure to see them.

Children's rain capes, \$1.50 value **98 cents**

Big lot of double fold dress goods suitable for skirts, etc., at **19 cents**

Here is what you have been waiting for for Spring sewing. 15c and 18c ginghams and wash goods up to 25c, sale price **10 cents**

Children's Rompers; cheaper than present cost of the material. **19 cents and 39 cents**

A big lot of embroidery and insertion, medium and wide, worth 15c on present market, at **9 cents**

SALE IN THE Men's Department

Men's dress shirts, values to \$1 not latest style but price will be **15 cents**

Men's wool underwear, odds and ends, worth \$1 to \$1.25 at **50 cents**

Men's newest style mackinaws, values to \$8.50 at **\$6.50**

Men's reversible leather and corduroy coats, values to \$8.50 at **\$5.95**

Men's slipon raincoats at **\$2.45 and \$2.98**

Men's Stag shirts, our price \$5, present value \$6.50, on sale at **\$3.50**

Men's Stag shirts, value \$4.50, at **\$2.98**

Men's medium weight winter underwear, 65c goods at **39 cents**

Wool Jerseys, latest men's \$2.50, **\$1.89**

Boys \$2.25 at **\$1.69**

Our men's \$4.45 Stag shirt, value \$5.50, at **\$3.29**

Men's flannel overshirts with military collar, our \$2 shirt value at **\$1.39**

Don't let anything keep you away from this big, honest money saving sale. Last year many did not buy as much as they wanted and were sorry. The time to save is when the sale is on. Remember the dates, Tuesday, February 27, to Saturday, March 17. Charge accounts as usual but at the regular prices.

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SHEPARD PROTESTS COLD STORAGE BILL

(From the Hood River Glacier)
 E. H. Shepard, a member of the board of directors of the Apple Growers Association, looks with alarm at the introduction of a cold storage bill in the lower house of congress which would make it unlawful for apples to be stored for a longer period than 90 days.

fruit industry should sit up and take notice," says Mr. Shepard. "They should get in touch with their respective congressmen and senators and point out the menace this bill would be. It would work a hardship on the Northwest as well as the entire consuming public."

"If apples cannot be placed in cold storage for a greater period than 90 days it will mean that the balance of the crop that cannot be sold at harvest time, in the month of October, will have to be placed in cold storage in October and it would be unlawful for them to remain there longer than January. Consequently the crop of apples

of the United States would have to be consumed, if people wanted to eat them in prime condition, in about four months. The result would be an immense supply of good apples a part of the season, with practically none left toward the latter part of the season, a condition that would affect grower and consumer both seriously."

"Apples when placed in cold storage remain at a temperature of about 32 degrees. It affects the condition or quality of the fruit in no way, simply arresting maturity. Winter apples in cold storage will keep with comparatively small loss, commercially, for a period of six months. Apples placed

in ordinary storage lose their flavor, aroma, spiciness and juiciness in from 60 to 90 days, some varieties in a less time. The only way these qualities can be retained through the consuming season is by cold storage."

"I placed eight boxes of Spitzenburgs and Newtowns in cold storage in the plant of the Apple Growers Association about November 1, 1915. Six boxes of these were taken out and consumed in the months of March, April, May and June. They were in absolutely first class condition. Some of the Newtowns are still there in excellent condition, having been there for a year and three months."

NEW RAIL AUTO IS GREETED ON ARRIVAL.

(From Hood River Glacier)
 With a large number of the business and professional men of the city at the O-W-R & N station to greet the passengers aboard the vehicle, the new rail auto which the Mount Hood Co. will put in passenger service between here and Parkdale arrived at 1.40 p. m. Monday. The handsome 30 passenger

motor car, decked with American flags, created a tense interest at stations between here and Portland.

The party aboard the rail auto left Portland at 10.30 Monday morning. The actual running time consumed on the 63 miles was two hours and 15 minutes. Frequent stops, however, were made in order that W. A. Van Scoy, a moving picture photographer, might take pictures of the scenic points en route. Mr. Van Scoy took pictures of scenes incident to the greeting given the party on their arrival here.

The personnel of the new rail auto's passenger list was: Frank J. Miller, of the State Railroad Commission; A.

C. Martin, assistant general passenger agent of the O-W-R & N Co.; Chas. T. Early, A. Wilson, David M. Dunne, T. B. Neuhausen, W. F. Perkins and L. Littlepage, of the White Auto Co. Stanley G. Wershekul and D. C. Barkhart, O. C. McGowan was pilot of the O-W-R & N Co., while the new car was driven by Stanley Shere.

The new rail auto is the second such vehicle to be put into commission by the Mount Hood Railroad Co. The first car, which proved a success from the start, was put in operation last spring.

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