

RELIEF SOCIETY IS ORGANIZED

Committee Consisting of Mayor Canon, W. W. Eflert and Rev. A. A. Holmes Meet to Form Plans for Organized Charity.

The city charity committee composed of Mayor Canon, W. W. Eflert and Rev. A. A. Holmes met Tuesday morning for the purpose of outlining plans for directing city charity, and organized the city relief society. Rev. Holmes was elected treasurer of the organization.

The new society asks contributions of clothing with which to carry on relief work. Gifts may be left at 208 North Central avenue with Miss Minnie Kimball. All persons in the city desiring to work with the society are referred to Mayor Canon. The cooperation of lodges, city, churches and other organizations is sought. It is desired that all destitute families be aided at Christmas time.

An entertainment is to be arranged to raise funds for the work. This entertainment will be under the direction of Ed M. Andrews.

TAKING TESTIMONY OF CHAMBERLAIN ASSAULT

LINCOLN CENTER, Kan., Nov. 21.—Taking of testimony began today in the trial of Sheriff Clark A. N. Sims and John Schmidt, charged with assault and battery on Miss Mary Chamberlain, the pretty young school teacher whom they are accused of flogging and feathering. Miss Chamberlain was expected to testify today. She took a long walk before court opened, appearing in the court room with a large bouquet of flowers, and apparently in excellent spirits.

FIRST VISIT IN CITY IN YEARS

F. B. Higgenbotham of Upper Rogue River, Who Knew Medford Well in the '80s, Is Astounded at Growth of the City.

Visit in Medford for the first time in eight years, it being his second visit in the past twenty-eight years. F. B. Higgenbotham of Upper Rogue river is today in Medford marveling at the great growth the city has made since his last visit. Mr. Higgenbotham knew Medford when age brush stood in place of business blocks and, in fact, when there was nothing to Medford at all.

Mr. Higgenbotham is here to visit his mother, who is the eldest lady resident of this city.

PRESIDENT RIPLEY ON COAST FOR WINTER

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Nov. 21.—Suffering from a slight affection of the throat, President E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fe railroad is here today with his family, where he will spend three or four days before going to Santa Barbara for the winter. Although his physician had ordered him to do little talking, Ripley talked freely of Santa Fe plans.

"The board of directors," he said "has authorized the issuance of \$100,000,000 of bonds which will be used in building up the lines of the company, but it is not at all probable that any part of the money will be realized before the end of another year."

Ripley also says that the new train de luxe to be put on between Chicago and Los Angeles will be the greatest scheme for luxurious travel in the world.

JAMES R. KEENE HOME.



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Pale and weak, James R. Keene returned to New York after having been absent from the United States for more than ten months, during which time he underwent a serious operation, from the effects of which he has not yet recovered.

CHICKEN THIEVES ARE GETTING BUSY

Whether it is caused by the approach of Thanksgiving or not, the fact remains that the theft of chickens in the city has assumed far larger proportions during the past few days than has prevailed throughout the summer. A large number of complaints have been made and in a few instances shotguns have been taken down and fixed up preparatory to a warm reception for some light-fingered gent in search of a Thanksgiving meal.

Drank Chloride of Lime.
TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 21.—Mary Smith, regular prisoner at the city jail for drunkenness and who was prevented from hanging herself when locked up a month ago, made a second attempt to die last night by drinking the chloride of lime disinfectant. She will recover.

PEACE ON EARTH SUNDAY TOPIC

Local Ministers Will Aid in Movement to Secure Ratification of Arbitration Treaty by Senate—Will Speak on Peace Sunday.

Medford ministers are preparing to aid in arousing sentiment in favor of the proposed arbitration treaties between the United States and England and the United States and France by advocating the peace movement from their pulpits next Sunday.

The American Peace and Arbitration League of New York has designated Sunday as "unity Sunday," and has requested clergymen throughout the nation to hold special services to urge the senate to ratify the now pending treaties.

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Banishes Dandruff
It quickly kills the dandruff germs that's why dandruff vanishes so promptly when PARISIAN SAGE is used.

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Is Guaranteed by Chas. Strang to eradicate dandruff, to stop falling hair and itching scalp, or money back.

Get a fifty cent bottle today and become acquainted at once with the most delightful hair dressing in the world.

"I gladly recommend it as the best hair tonic I have ever known. I find it the only hair tonic that will cure dandruff, cleanse the scalp, and make the hair grow long and beautiful." Miss Signa Ahl, 2 Farwell St., Worcester, Mass.

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The Really One Great Play of This Day and Age



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Perfect Supporting Company
Prices 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50
Seats now on sale at Haskins'

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We carry a very complete line of draperies, lace curtains, fixtures, etc., and do all classes of upholstering. A special man to look after this work exclusively and will give as good service as is possible to get in even the largest cities.

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The undersigned having just completed a large new livery stable in Eagle Point, we invite the traveling public to call and examine our rigs, teams, etc., all being in first-class condition. Our motto is to Live and Let Live. Phone at stable and residence. Call central.

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If your ordinary Glasses act as a mirror and reflect objects from behind. If your eyelashes touch the lens or the rim of your glasses come between the eye and the object only TORIC lenses, conforming to the shape of the eye, can overcome the difficulty.

I will be pleased to fit your eyes with TORIC lenses today.
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THE JEWELER
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At the men you most esteem. Do they not all have spotless linen? Have you ever met a successful man yet who was careless about his collar and cuffs, to say nothing about the rest of his linen? The wise man sends his linen where he knows without a doubt it is going to be returned whole, and with a snow white finish. That's here. Phone for our wagon.

THE STAR
Steam Laundry
Medford, Oregon

MIDSEASON CLEARANCE SALE

This sale of all sales of ready-to-wear garments opened Monday morning at 9 o'clock with a good attendance, not a jam, a crush, but customers that appreciate bargains such as Ahrens is giving to reduce the stock. Not once, but dozens of times during the day, did we hear that this is the place for real bargains, even greater values than advertised, no exaggerated values here. Do not take our word for it, but come see for yourself. When we say \$35.00 tailored suits at \$19.50 we mean every word of it; newest fall models.

Here is Just a Partial List of Prices That Should Prove an Irresistible Appeal to the Keenest of Buyers:

\$35.00 Tailored Suits \$19.50

We will itemize a few at this price merely to give you an idea what to expect.

A handsome Oxford Grey Cheviot Suit, close-fitting jacket, 30 inches long, skinner satin lined, panel back and front skirt, kilt pleat at bottom, sizes 36-40, value \$35.00, at this sale\$19.50
Another is a pretty model made of Grey Golfing Cloth, self-trimmed collar, Copenhagen, skeleton lined, skirt is made with high waist line, stitched bottom, size 18, value \$35.00, at this sale\$19.50

\$25.00 Tailored Suits \$14.75

Others in grey, tweeds, brown tweeds, mixtures, navy blue, pebble cheviot, brown cheviot, actual values \$27.50 to \$35.00, at this sale\$19.50
Tailored Suits in men's wear suitings, wide wale serges, mixtures and cheviots, all faultlessly tailored, good line of sizes and colors, actual values \$22.50 to \$25.00, at this sale\$14.75

\$20.00 Tailored Suits \$9.75

Tailored Suits in pretty mixtures, serges, etc., strictly tailored and sailor collar effects, junior, misses' and ladies' sizes, actual value \$15.00 to \$20.00, at this sale\$9.75

Higher Priced Tailored Suits Reduced Accordingly.

Long Coats Included in this Sale

\$35.00 Plush Caracul and Pony Coats, lined throughout with yarn dyed satin, "Style Craft" models, at this sale\$28.50
Long Black Broadcloth Coats, \$30.00 and \$35.00 values, at this sale\$22.50
\$45.00 and \$50.00 Black Broadcloth Coats, at this sale\$32.50

Foulard and Serge Dresses \$9.75

Nifty styles in Foulard and Serge Dresses, kimona and set-in kimona sleeves, colors navy, brown, Copenhagen and red, regular values \$12.50 and \$15.00, at this sale\$9.75

Dresses, Special \$15.00

One very extensive line of Silk and Wool Dresses, paquin foulards, French serges, wool challies, this season's newest styles, actual values to \$25.00, at this sale\$15.00
A very pretty Brown Satin Dress, tunic effect, high waist line, lace yoke, size 36, regular value \$29.50, at this sale\$22.00
A Tan Dress, minstrel cloth, high-neck trimmed with a Battenburg braid, round yoke effect, plaited skirt, exclusive style, size 36, regular value \$32.50, at this sale\$24.50

Evening Dresses are reduced one-fourth, one-third and one-half.

Evening Capes are reduced one-fourth.



MILLINERY

All Trimmed Millinery reduced to a price where you cannot resist buying Trimmed Hats.
About 40 Trimmed Hats, velvets, velvet and braid combinations, etc., a complete color range, values to \$8.50, at this sale\$1.95
Another line of Trimmed Hats, including Pattern Hats, this season's newest and best shapes, actual values to \$10.00, at this sale\$5.00
All Pattern Hats very materially reduced.
About 120 Untrimmed Shapes, velvets and felts, large and small shapes, actual values to \$5.00, at this sale\$1.00
A very handsome large French shape, black silk velvet, something to use up those willow plumes, a regular \$6.50 value, at this sale\$2.95



One lot of Black Broadcloth and Kersey Coats, actual values to \$25.00, at this sale\$10.00
Mixture Coats, Golfing Coats, all reduced for this sale.

Children's Coats

All are reduced, some as much as one-half, as low as \$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95, \$5.00 up.

At \$5-00, Dresses, Coats and Raincoats

About 25 garments in this lot—Taffeta Silk Dresses, Serge Dresses, and about a dozen Silk Raincoats; actual values three, four and five times the price asked; at this sale\$5.00

Rubberized Moire Raincoats, \$8.75

Rubberized Moire Raincoats, a good assortment of sizes, actual values to \$27.50, at this sale\$8.75

Small Wares

Hair Nets 3c
Hair Rolls 50c
Umbrellas \$1.00 to \$3.50
Phoenix Mufflers, 50c quality 39c
Phoenix Mufflers, 75c quality 55c
Armor Plate Hose, to introduce the line 21c
Mercerized Lisle Ribbed Top Hose, 50c values 39c

SWEATERS

Are included in this Mid-Season Clearance Sale.

HAND BAGS

Your choice from our very extensive showing of high-grade Hand Bags; velvets, suedes, seal, Morocco and mesh bags, 20 per cent discount.

French and Willow Plumes

Reduced one-fourth, one-third, one-half.

Silk Petticoats

About 6 dozen Taffeta and Messaline Silk Petticoats, most every wanted color and black, at this sale\$2.89
Another line of Taffeta and Messaline Petticoats, actual values to \$10.00, at this sale\$4.50

FURS

Entire stock of Furs at reduced prices—pretty Jap mink sets, Kolinsky sets, southern lynx sets, assian mink sets, Iceland fox sets, many at a saving of about one-fourth.