

### BOTTOM DROPS OUT OF STOCKS ON WALL STREET

NEW YORK, July 30.—Another flood of liquidation swept over today's stock market. Declines ran from 5 to 11 points in such speculative issues as Reading and Lehigh Valley, Amalgamated Copper and the Hill and Harriman shares, while numerous industrials and specialties were proportionately affected. Apprehension here was heightened by numerous new gold exports, which helped to swell the already enormously large total. Foreign exchange was again demoralized and definite quotations were almost unobtainable, but the fact that many of today's engagements were in small amounts was accepted as further proof of the urgent demand for gold abroad. The market was thrown into a state of convulsion in the final hour on announcement that Germany had served an ultimatum on Russia. Declines in speculative leaders ran from six to seventeen points.

### EVANS WINNER OF CHAMPIONSHIP

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 30.—With a medal card of 70, one less than par for the eighteen holes, Chas. Evans of Edgewater led Albert Seckel of Riverside, 5 up when they completed today the forenoon half of the third round of match play for the western amateur golf championship. Seckel's medal score was 76. He played much better gold coming than he did going out. D. E. Sawyer of Wheaton led W. H. Gardner of Buffalo 4 up. The other two matches were hard fought. The forenoon round ended with Jas. D. Standish, Jr., of Detroit, leading E. P. Allis III of Milwaukee, 1 up, and the other Michigan survivor, Phil Stanton of Kent, was 2 holes ahead of Robert E. Hunter of Pasadena.

### SUFFRAGISTS SEEK MONARCH IN VAIN

LONDON, July 30.—Mrs. Daere Fox and another militant suffragette today raided Buckingham palace in a further effort to present a petition to King George. They were both arrested before they had got far within the precincts of the palace. A third woman meantime had chained herself to the dealings round the grounds and was in the middle of a speech when she was arrested.

### PAVING PRICES SHOW CUT RATE WAR RAGING

PORTLAND, July 30.—Prices for hard-surface paving took another drop this morning when bids for improving several streets were opened by the city council. The low bid for standard bitulithic on crushed rock base was \$1.42 a square yard, or two cents lower than the lowest price of a week ago and 43 cents lower than prevailing prices of last season. Gravel bitulithic was bid today as low as \$1.38 a yard. Today's low price for asphaltic concrete paving was \$1.10, compared with \$1.15 a week ago and \$1.30 in 1913. The price of \$1.10 is for this type of pavement on crushed rock base and \$1.15 for bitulithic base. Cement concrete paving was bid at \$1.20 or 7 cents lower than a year ago. Figures were not available for comparison with last year's prices for hessam, stone block, wood block and macadam type of paving, but the prices for these a yard were \$1.40 for class A for stone block, \$2.90 for wood block and \$2.35 for macadam. The aggregate of the low bids for the paving contemplated in the proposals opened this morning is nearly \$100,000. "Nearly all the bids ought to be rejected," remarked Commissioner Dieck when a motion was offered to refer them to his department. "Paving prices are too low and it costs double for inspection to assure compliance with specifications when we are up against a cut-throat game of the paving contractors."

### WOMAN PRESIDES OVER COLORADO DEMOCRACY

DENVER, Colo., July 30.—Issues growing out of the Colorado coal miners' strike were prominent when the democratic state assembly met today to select candidates for the party's ballot at the statewide primaries of September 8. The contest centered about the endorsement of candidates for governor. For the first time in the history of Colorado, a woman called a state assembly to order. Mrs. Gertrude A. Lee, chairman of the state central committee, welcomed the delegates and presided until the election of a temporary chairman. There were 1,037 delegates accredited to the assembly.

### HOLLAND CALLS ALL RESERVISTS TO COLOR

THE HAGUE, Holland, July 30.—Holland today called all army reservists, frontier guards and coast guards to the colors.

### SPRINGFIELD'S RUNNER TO MEET ENGLISH SPRINTER.



H.P. DREW  
Howard Drew, Springfield's negro runner, is to compete against England's premier sprinter, W. R. Applegarth, in the Canadian track and field championships at Toronto, Canada. He will wear the colors of the Los Angeles Athletic Club. He will also compete in the Pacific coast championships at Fresno on October 2 and 3.

### IRRIGATION WORK UNDER CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, July 30.—An amendment revolutionizing the conduct of the government reclamation service was written into the irrigation bill in the house today by a vote of 178 to 49. Proposed by Majority Leader Underwood, it provides that all expenditures for irrigation work must be by annual appropriations by congress from the reclamation fund, now entirely at the discretion of the interior department. Representatives from the public land states opposed the amendment, declaring it would lead to "pork barrel" tactics. The bill, which extends from 10 to 20 years the time in which settlers may repay the government for irrigation improvements on their lands, then was passed without a rollcall.

### OPTIMISTIC VIEW OF WAR CRISIS TAKEN BY FRANCE

PARIS, July 30.—Louis J. Malvy, the French minister of the interior, made the following announcement tonight to a number of deputies who had gathered in the lobbies of the Chamber: "We have received from Germany news which we did not dare to hope. The situation is now better than has been generally supposed. It is permissible to foresee a moment when negotiations may enter into a way leading to a favorable solution." On the receipt of news that Germany had asked for explanation from Russia and set a time limit Premier Viviani and the French ministers of war and marine went to the Elysee to consult with President Poincare. The Temps says the sole object of this meeting was to study the measures that France should take in case Germany has actually mobilized. No decision was taken but the Temps adds: "We are able to declare that France will not mobilize unless Germany does."

### RUSSIAN MOBILIZATION CANNOT BE STOPPED

LONDON, July 30.—An Exchange Telegraph company's dispatch from St. Petersburg says that Sergius Sazonoff, Russian foreign minister, replied to the German note, stating that the mobilization of the Russian army was only partial and could not be stopped.

### Baby of Future is Considered

Much thought has been given in late years to the subject of maternity. In the cities there are maternity hospitals equipped with modern methods. But most women prefer their own homes and in the towns and villages most prefer them. And since this is true we know from the great many splendid letters written and a copy will be mailed to anyone who will send us their name and address. "Mother's Friend" is a great help to expectant mothers. They write of the wonderful relief, how it seemed to allow the muscles to expand without undue strain and what a splendid influence it was on the nervous system. Such helps as "Mother's Friend" and the broader knowledge of them should have a helpful influence upon babies of the future. In a little book for such women these points are more thoroughly brought out and a copy will be mailed to anyone who will send us their name and address. "Mother's Friend" is sold in all drug stores and highly recommended for its timely usefulness. Its usefulness and the real help it affords. Ask for it at the store and write us for the book. Bradfield Register Co., 211 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

### DOLLAR WHEAT CAUSES COLLAPSE CHICAGO MARKET

CHICAGO, July 30.—After a sensational advance today, on account of the imminence of Russia and Germany entering the Austro-Serbian war, the wheat market closed almost in a state of collapse. Seemingly complete paralysis of export demand was responsible for the weakness of prices at the close, when values were down 3 cents a bushel from earlier high figures. The rise in war risks on the ocean, making shipments unprofitable, seemed to be what put a stop to buying on foreign accounts. Junks in prices at one time today were fully 9 cents. Many of the largest traders withdrew from the wheat pit altogether. Withdrawal of firms from active business operations on 'change increased as the day wore on and as news by cable became more and more ominous. Several houses went so far as to give numbers of their employees a complete furlough. First transactions in the May delivery today were either at the dollar mark or anywhere from 1 to 2 cents' advance. By noon May was 104½ and the December option which last night was worth only 91 cents, had jumped to \$1 even.

### CHANGE OF LOCATION ON SEPTEMBER FIRST

Owing to increased business and lack of room the Medford pharmacy and Martin J. Reddy, jewelry store, will be moved to the Angle opera

#### CHICHESTER'S PILLS

Medical Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. They are sold in Blue wrapper. Chichester's Pills are sold in Blue wrapper. Chichester's Pills are sold in Blue wrapper. Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

### TO CRATER LAKE

Auto Stage leaves at 8 a. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Round-trip \$18 tickets honored until September 30. Special rates to Crater Lake for parties of five or more. Four, five and seven-passenger touring cars. Reasonable rates to all cities and points. Special rates for all-day service and large touring parties.

Hall Taxi Co.  
Phone 100.  
Seely and Court Hall, Mgrs.

house building, the room now occupied by the 1st theatre, September 1. Remodeling the building, putting in a new front, shelving, painting, etc., will begin next week and when completed it will be one of the most up-to-date stores in southern Oregon and will be much larger than the present quarters, which have been occupied by these firms for about six years. Both will carry larger stocks in the new quarters. Mr. Whipple will close the 1st theatre Monday and has not decided just what he will do but will probably open the 1st in another location about September 1.

## PAGE THEATRE

ONE NIGHT ONLY,  
Saturday, August 1st

# GUY BATES POST

In  
Omar The Tentmaker

Greatest and Grandest Theatrical Production on the Stage Today

Company Travels in Private Train of Nine Cars, Having Four Cars of  
SPECIAL SCENERY

For Magnificent Stage Settings

Tickets now on sale at theater box office. Phone 418  
Nine o'clock curtain, benefit of Medford merchants.

# GREAT OPPORTUNITY SALE

## OUR BIG SALE OF \$15,000 STOCK OF MEN'S GOODS AND SHOES STILL CONTINUES

- #### MEN'S SUITS
- Our entire line of Men's \$15.00 Suits, in serges, worsteds, cashmeres, etc., will go in this sale at, per suit... **\$9.90**  
\$17.50 to \$20.00 Suits all go at, per suit... **\$12.90**  
\$10.00 Boys' Cashmere Long Pants Suits per suit... **\$6.25**  
\$12.50 Boys' Serge Long Pants Suits now... **\$7.25**
- #### MEN'S HATS
- Men's Hats below cost. Table after table are loaded down with Men's Felt Hats all styles, colors and prices.  
Any \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2 Hat in the store, your choice... **98c**  
Any \$2.25, \$2.50 Hat in the store, your choice now... **\$1.29**  
Any \$3 to \$3.50 Hat in the store, your choice now... **\$1.98**  
John B. Stetson \$4 to \$5 Hats, your choice... **\$2.98**
- #### MEN'S SHIRTS
- All on tables. Take a look, wait on yourself if you choose. The cut price on every shirt.  
50c Shirts now... **34c**  
50c to 75c Military Collar Shirts, choice... **41c**  
All \$1 and \$1.25 Golf and Negligee Shirts cut to... **73c**  
All \$1.50 and \$2 Shirts cut to... **\$1.10**
- Come a-running.  
Men's regular two pair for 25c Hose now cut to, pair... **9c**  
Men's 25c Silk Lisle Hose, all colors, now, per pair... **19c**  
Men's 25c Cashmere and Wool Hose, now, per pair... **19c**  
Men's Linen Collars, now, each... **10c**  
25c Boston and Paris Garters now, per pair... **18c**  
25c Suspenders now, per pair... **17c**  
35c Suspenders now, per pair... **21c**  
50c Suspenders, new stock, now, per pair... **35c**  
Our 25c Four-in-Hand Neckwear, usually sold at 35c... **19c**  
50c and 75c Four-in-Hand Neckwear now cut to... **35c**

- ### We Are Sure to Lose Money You Are Sure to Save It
- #### SUIT CASES AND HAND BAGS
- \$3.00 Leather Hand Bags, sale price... **\$1.98**  
\$5.00 Leather Hand Bags, sale... **\$3.65**  
\$6.00 Leather Hand Bags, sale... **\$3.98**  
\$1.75 Caratol Suit Cases, sale... **\$1.20**  
\$2.00 Caratol Suit Cases, sale... **\$1.29**  
\$2.50 Fiber Cases, sale... **\$1.45**  
\$3.00 Fiber Cases, strapped with shirt fold... **\$2.19**  
\$3.75 Swedish Fiber Cases, strapped and fold... **\$2.63**  
\$5.00 All-Leather Strapped and Fold Cases now... **\$3.68**
- #### KENTUCKY PANTS
- \$1.75 Pants now... **\$1.35**  
\$2.00 Pants now... **\$1.41**  
\$2.50 Pants now... **\$1.53**  
\$3.00 Pants now... **\$1.89**  
\$3.50 Pants now... **\$2.69**  
\$4.00 Pants now... **\$2.98**  
\$5.00 Pants now... **\$3.34**  
\$6.00 Pants now... **\$4.20**  
Men's Bib Overalls in blue and white stripe, gray, plain blue, the best \$1.00 values on the market, sale price, per pair... **74c**  
Levi Strauss No. 2 Overalls, sale price, per pair... **73c**

- #### BOYS' SHIRTS AND BLOUSES
- Boys' fine quality Blouses and Military Collar Dress Shirts, the 50c and 75c grades, close out price on this lot at... **35c**  
Boys' Porosknit Union Suit Underwear per suit... **35c**
- #### ENTIRE SHOE DEPARTMENT ALL ON SALE
- During this sale all shoes will be taken from cartons and placed on tables, each pair marked in plain figures, the size and cut price. It is our aim to give you a sale in reality on shoes. If we sell out we will get more—they are still making shoes.  
Men's \$2.50 Shoes now... **\$2.12**  
Men's \$3.00 Shoes now... **\$2.39**  
Men's \$3.50 Shoes now... **\$2.98**  
Men's \$4.00 Shoes now... **\$3.29**  
Men's \$4.50 and \$5.00 Shoes... **\$3.59**
- #### BUY WINTER WEIGHT SHOES NOW and Save Money
- \$5.50 12-inch top welt Hunkidori Chippewa Shoes... **\$4.39**  
\$7.00 12-inch top double Monarch sole extra heavy vamp, a high quality Hunkidori Chippewa Shoe, now... **\$5.43**  
\$8.00 16-inch top double sole, fine quality, always the pride of this store, Hunkidori Chippewa Shoe, now... **\$6.52**  
\$6.50 12-inch top, black, plain toe, light weight pack, now for... **\$5.43**  
\$7.50 12-inch top black plain toe, heavy outside counter-very heavy French vamp, waterproof wood-pegged sole, now at... **\$5.79**
- #### WE WILL QUIT THE LADIES' SHOES
- All Ladies' Shoes will be sold below cost. Stock consists of mostly high-top winter weight shoes. Arranged on tables. Take a look—you'll buy.

West Main Street

## THE WARDROBE

FRANK BRANDON, Manager