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Newest blacks in all the fashionable shade at prices ranging from \$1 and up.

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A complete line of puffs, tecks, bows, and Club House ties in new effects at 25c and 50c.

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A large assortment of link buttons, collar buttons, scarf pins, etc., in all the latest novelties are among the new things shown by

G. W. JOHNSON & CO.

120 State street.

Since the arrival of

Mr. Steinenhausenberger

of New York at the bankrupt sale at Friedman's store, corner State and Commercial st., crowds of people were eager to shake hands with him, while the salesmen in the store are kept on the jump waiting on customers, and it is no wonder. It pays to trade there at the prices they are selling, and to see the way Mr. Steinenhausenberger smiles as he bids them all welcome.

THE MARKETS.

Portland, Sept 16 Wheat valley, 88c; Alta Walla, 85c.
Flour—Portland, 4.40 Superfine, 2.50 per 50 lbs.
Oats—White, 37.
Potatoes—New 4045c per sack.
Hay—Good, 10@12.50 per ton.
Hops—10c.
Wool, Valley, 14@15c; Eastern Oregon 16@17c.
Mohair, 20c.
Millstuffs—Bran, 14.00; shorts 15.50.
Poultry—Chickens, mixed 2.50@2.75
Hens, 1.50@1.75; turkeys, live 10c
Eggs—Oregon, 17 1/2@20c per doz
Hides, green, salted 60 lbs 7c; under 60 lbs 6 1/2c; sheep pelts, 10@70c
Tallow—2 1/2c@3c.
Onions—80@1 per sack.
Wheat Bags—Calcuttas 25 per 100
Beans—small white, 1 1/2@1 1/4 c; Lima 3 1/2@4c
Hops—Heavy, 4.50
Butter, Best dairy, 30@35; fancy creamery 50c per roll.
Cheese—11 1/2c.
Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated, bleached 3 1/2@4c; unbleached 3 1/4@4c; sundried, 3 1/2c.
Plums—5c@6c.
Prunes—4 1/2c@5c.
Veal—small 3@3 1/2c per lb.
Mutton—Weathers 2 1/2@3c; dressed in suit 4 1/2@5c; spring lambs 5 1/2c per lb.
Beef—Steers 3; cows 2.25.
Hams—Best, 10 1/2@11c; fancy 12@13c.
Lard—in pails, 7 1/2c.

Farm Smoked Meats Pa-07, 8c; hams 10c; shoulders, 9c.
Potatoes 25c trade.
Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated bleached, 70-8c; unbleached 40@5c.
Plums—4c.
Butter—Dairy 15@20c; creamery 22

Police Court.

The jail at the city hall contains a number of prisoners held on various charges.

Ross McCormick, of whom it was thought the city was fortunately rid, returned last night from Spokane, after a two months' absence from the city. He proceeded to ratify the event of his return and was this morning landed in the city jail badly intoxicated.

Officer George Townsend made the arrest and saw fit to knock McCormick down and strike him with a police "billy" a number of times before sending him in jail.

W. H. Dawson waived examination on the charge of larceny from a shop and was bound over to the grand jury. Failing to furnish the required bond he languishes in the county jail.

Kid Henderson and Geo. Fitzsimmons, the two itinerant pugilists who recently gave a sparring exhibition in this city, plead "not guilty" to vagrancy with which they were charged and their trials were set for Friday afternoon. Verily, unpleasant is the lot of an unrecognized member of the roped arena.

Other entries made on Recorder Ede's docket today were: J. Craig, vagrancy, five days; James Watson, ditto; A. Williams, ditto; J. Burton, ditto.

IS BEYOND CONTROL.

Yellow Jack Is Spreading Rapidly.

FORTY CASES NOW AT EDWARDS

Panic in Jackson--Shotgun Quarantine Established.

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 16.—All fears of the citizen of Jackson in regard to the sickness prevalent at Edwards have been realized. Dr. Guiteras, the expert, has confirmed seven cases of yellow fever, and says there are many suspects.

First, the cases were reported as malarial fever, and then after a time they became dengue fever. Another wait, and they were pronounced suspicious, and finally declared to be the genuine yellow jack.

During all this time the disease has been spreading rapidly at the rate of five or six new cases daily, until there are now 40 cases in existence at Edwards. The evolution of the disease from malarial to yellow fever was such that the people now regard dengue as simply a more convenient term than yellow fever.

Dr. Guiteras arrived at Edwards on a special train, and proceeded at once to work. After Dr. Guiteras made his diagnosis of the suspected cases, confirming Dr. Furnell, the board instructed Dr. Furnell to place a cordon of guards around Edwards at once.

Report says that the disease has also appeared at Clinton and Smiths, towns near Edwards. The state board has also ordered the discontinuance of trains on the Woodville, Miss., branch of the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley road.

The following order was promulgated by the state board of health:

"Vicksburg Sept. 16.—To All Citizens of the State of Mississippi, Railroads and Other Lines, and All Newspapers: On account of yellow fever at several places along the coast of the state and several cases of yellow fever at Edwards, Miss., and reported suspicious cases at various points throughout the state, until further orders by this board no persons will be allowed to get off trains or boats at any station or point in the state of Mississippi, and no freight, baggage, mail or express is to be handled by the railroads or other transportation companies from infected places. No trains will be allowed to stop at infected places. Any person from noninfected communities, whose destination is beyond the state of Mississippi, will be allowed to board trains at all points not infected with yellow fever. Train crews running to or from places that are not infected by yellow fever will be allowed to get off at the terminus.

"J. F. HUNTER, M. D.,
"W. J. KIGER, M. D.,
"Mississippi State Board of Health."

It is stated that an expert had been ordered to proceed to Natyuma, Miss., to investigate the case of Malcolm Cameron, who came from Edwards, and to completely isolate the case.

Yazoo City has issued orders for a shotgun quarantine to be enforced. No trains are allowed to stop except to exchange mails at quarantine stations. No passengers are allowed to leave the train at all, and all mail and express matter must be fumigated.

Guards armed to the teeth are placed all along the county boundaries, but in spite of these rigid rules several have managed to get in, some even coming from infected districts. Two drummers who came down were taken yesterday and put in close quarantine.

A picnic has prevailed in Jackson all day. Everybody has left town that could do so. Business houses

have closed and all papers have suspended publication and closed their offices.

Jackson has a population of 10,000, and two-thirds of these have deserted the city.

Mayor Wharton received the following from Dr. Hunter, from the city of Vicksburg.

"I have had a message for you. Drs. Guiteras and Furnell agree that there are seven cases of genuine yellow fever at Edwards, and many suspicious cases. Captain Montgomery's condition is about the same. The board of health recommends that you get all the people who want to go out of town on the trains. The Alabama & Vicksburg road will not stop trains at any infected point, and will not allow any passengers to get off their trains in the state of Mississippi. We have extra orders on train No. 2."

Upon the receipt of this information, Mayor Wharton posted a bulletin recommending that all persons leave the city at once who desire to go at all.

MINERS STRIKE.

Many Diggers Have Gone to Work in the Pittsburg District.

PITTSBURG Sept. 16.—The coal miners' strike. So far as the Pittsburg district is concerned, is off, and the 2000 diggers will resume work at the 65 cent rate. The decision to ignore the 10-day clause, which was a condition of the Columbus settlement and who arrived at a delegate convention of the miners, representing the entire district. There were only four dissenting votes.

Calm at Hazelton.

HAZELTON, Pa., Sept. 16.—A calm pervaded Hazelton and its environs. The strikers maintain silence and good order. An extra guard was placed about the company store at Latimar, in consequence of a current rumor that the foreigners were plotting to blow up the building. They have ceased dealing there, and now will buy all their provisions in Hazelton. Some are going so far as to move into town. Large groups of miners constantly hoyer about the stores.

Bryan and Anarchy

SEDALIA, Mo. Sept. 16.—W. J. Bryan spoke to nearly 25,000 people at the fair grounds today. Mr. Bryan said among other things:

"Those who have suggested the burning of property or the destruction of life as a means of settling labor disputes do not understand the genius of our institutions. The American people are a law abiding people. When laws are bad, they will change the laws. Lincoln was right when he said that no one could better be entrusted with the enforcement of the law than those who toll. The injunction has been called to aid suppression of the strikes, and since the strike is at present the only weapon of employes, the injunction becomes the most useful means by which the employers make their own terms on employes. Legislation alone can remedy this evil.

Silver Senator in Japan.

SALT LAKE, Sept. 16.—A private letter from Tokio, Japan, announces the arrival in that city of Senators Cannon and Pettibone, and ex-Senator Duda. The letter states that arrangements have been made for an interview with the emperor on the silver question—the principle purpose of the senatorial visit to the Orient.

Cheap Railroad Rates.

The low rate of one fare for round trip will be given by the Southern Pacific from any point on their lines in Oregon, to enable all to attend. The people's state institution for the improvement of agriculture and the mechanical and household arts. Represented in district departments, and divisions for the intelligent exhibition of the various types of horses, cattle, sheep, swine, and poultry, and many classes of machinery and implements, manufactures, and merchandise, musical instruments, domestic manufacture, women's work, science and art. The people of the state are especially invited to participate. Let us demonstrate the capabilities of Oregon and Oregon people. One fare for the round trip. Popular admission of 25 cents.

THE KLONDIKE GOLD.

Overdue Steamer Excelsior Has Arrived.

BROUGHT A QUARTER MILLION.

A Gritty Salem Klondiker Attempts to Shoot a Purser.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Steamer Excelsior, which left St. Michaels, Alaska, for this port six weeks ago, but was compelled to put back to Ounalaska for repairs, after having broken two blades of her propeller, arrived with sixty-four passengers and about \$1,000,000 in gold.

The Alaska Commercial Co. alone had on board about \$300,000 worth of gold dust and nuggets, while the passengers as a rule were very reticent as to their wealth. Following is a list of those who brought down \$10,000 or more:

Ben Wold, \$60,000; A. Harper, \$60,000; Mike Knasten, \$50,000; Hank Peterson, \$35,000; A. Andrews, \$50,000; H. Summers, \$50,000; Will Hayes, \$35,000; F. Denesmore, \$30,000; J. McQuestin, \$30,000; Charles Balsom, \$30,000; John Thorn, \$25,000; O. Rapp, \$20,000; W. A. Sherman, \$15,000; E. P. Legget, \$12,000; H. Schafer, \$10,000; At least twenty-five more brought from \$2,000 to \$10,000 each.

All unite in confirming stories already told of impending danger of famine at Dawson City during the coming winter. They say that there are at least 7000 people now at Dawson City, and that more are swarming in every day, but that provisions are already running short, and the prospects of getting more very remote.

The Excelsior's passengers are united in saying that the Klondike region is richer than at first supposed.

Lucky Miners.

PORT TOWNSEND, Sept. 15.—The schooner Volante, Captain Hansen, arrived from St. Michaels. She had on board eight passengers from the gold fields.

The men all left Dawson City on August 18th. They brought down with them an average of 150 ounces of dust each. The greatest amount being 184 ounces and brought out by J. S. Wall, of Milwaukee, Wis. The smallest amount, 82 ounces was by R. W. Schreiber, of Crookston, Minn. The entire eight are jubilant at getting to a land where there is no danger of starvation. They say that gold will not buy food sufficient to sustain life at Dawson this winter as there is no food there to buy.

Robt. Monerick writes the following from Lake Lindenman, Aug. 12, to the Winnepeg Tribune, concerning the Salem lady who left for Klondike: Mrs. Josie Jory made a desperate attempt to shoot Purser A. L. Parker, of the steamer Utopia, at Skaguay on Sunday, Aug. 22, and was only overcome, after a struggle in which two revolvers played an important part. At the time Mrs. Jory produced her revolver, her husband, Edward Jory, had Parker in a vice-like grip about the neck, and was intent upon choking him to death. Pierre Chiroax, a French-Canadian, who witnessed the attack, drew a second revolver and interfered in behalf of Parker. Jory had 3,000 pounds of freight, and claimed the steamer had promised to deliver it at high water mark, and he should not be called upon to pay the excess lighterage charges. He went to Parker, who represents the charter parties, but he gave him no satisfaction. A dispute ensued, resulting in the personal encounter, during which Mrs. Jory tried to kill Parker.

Eugene's Passengers.

VICTORIA, Sept. 16.—The transportation companies which failed in their contracts to carry passengers by the steamers Bristol and Eugene to Dawson City, have arrived at a settlement with their passengers. The charterers of the Bristol have agreed to take the passengers to Wrangell, and the Eugene will take them to Telegraph creek. Each company will contribute \$1,000 for the men's overland journey to Teslin lake. Those who do not wish to make the trip will receive their per centage in cash.

MURDER

In a Polk County Hop Yard.

Quarrel Results in Death of Enoch Sylvester, of Lebanon.

A quarrel in D. L. Hedges, hop yard two miles north of Independence, about 7.30 o'clock Tuesday evening, resulted in the death of Enoch Sylvester, of Lebanon, at 11.30 a. m. Wednesday and the subsequent arrest of Allen Logan, of Toledo, on a charge of murder.

The circumstances of the case are about as follows: Four boys named Logan, Burns, Chambers and Van Cleve, from Lincoln county, were camped and picking hops. In a party from Lebanon were the deceased, Green Fitzwater and Huston Taylor, the latter also a mere boy. The Toledo boys had been "guying" the Lebanon boys about a white horse, which was in rather a poor condition. Tuesday night the Lebanon boys came down to the Toledo boys' camp to "settle" the boys for "guying" and words came to blows, and three of the Toledo boys pitched into two from Lebanon.

As the fight proceeded, Sylvester started to step in and see fair play, his wife trying to prevent him taking any part. Young Logan, who had taken no part heretofore, it is said, then rushed up and dealt Sylvester a heavy blow on the head with a piece of the hop pole and knocked him senseless. Seeing what he had done, Logan ran, and was pursued and caught, and dragged back to the crowd which had assembled. The excitement was intense, the boy screaming for mercy. He was arrested, taken to Independence and placed in jail.

The coroner's jury was summoned Wednesday afternoon, and the doctors opened the skull of the dead man and found that death resulted from a blow on the right temple.

The jury is composed of fair men, although still in session the afternoon will no doubt bring in a verdict of murder. District Attorney S. L. Hayden is conducting the prosecution, while Butler, Townsend and Potter are retained for the defence.

Sylvester was a farmer, aged about 45 years, and resided near Lebanon. He leaves a wife and five children; one son and two daughters grown and two young children. Logan is a mere boy, but 16 years of age. He is the son of a well-to-do merchant of Toledo, Lincoln county. He avers that he did not intend to kill Sylvester, but sought to prevent him from harming his friends.

STATE HOUSE NEWS.

Alex Lafollett Appointed on the Board of Agriculture.

Hon. A. M. Lafollett, of Mission Bottom, Marion county was today appointed a member of the State Board of Agriculture in place of Hon. Van B. Delashmut, resigned. His term of office will expire December 1, 1899.

The H. C. Albee company, engaged in the manufacture of machinery at Portland, today filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state.

Sheriff Creek, of Chehalis county, Washington, has made return to state departments here stating that he successfully arrived home with the criminal F. Schriver, captured by Sheriff Plummer, at Dallas Oregon, recently and returned to the state of Washington on a requisition from the governor of that state.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

FLAX.

The Willamette Valley Crop Yield is Greater and Quality Finer Than Anticipated.

The initial Oregon flax crop is going to far surpass the most sanguine expectations both in quantity and in quality. Those who launched the industry in this section of the Northwest are more than pleased with the result of their labors. While this year's crop is largely experimental, there is everything to indicate that there will be an increased acreage of this crop next year with a corresponding increase in revenue to those growing the same.

A JOURNAL reporter called at the Willamette Valley Co.'s Mills on North Front street this morning and found W. E. Mitchell engaged storing this year's crop preparatory for the scutching mill. Asked as to the yield in the Willamette Valley, Mr. Mitchell stated it would far surpass all expectations. The yield in the vicinity of Salem will amount to about 75 tons. Mr. Mitchell and a force of about fifteen men are gathering the crop and storing it before the wet weather begins.

The machinery for the scutching mill is ready for shipment from Portland and those superintending the gathering of the crop in Salem will probably be ready for the machinery by October 1, when it will be shipped to this city and immediately placed in operation. The machinery will be placed in the building of the "City of Salem's Capital Mills," just north of the large brick mills, and will be operated exclusively by water power.

Among the choice lots of flax being harvested is that grown on Minto's island. It amounts to about twenty tons, and is of superior quality and is an excellent yield.

The local managers have reserved about 250 bushels of flax seed, but this is considered inadequate to supply the demand next spring and several hundred bushels will be imported.

The rainy weather did not injure the flax in the least but on the contrary proved beneficial as it assisted materially in the bleaching of a large per cent of the crop.

The flax raiser has no mold nor lice to contend with, which cannot be said of the hop grower.

COURT HOUSE NOTES.

Thomas O. Strang was today appointed administrator of the estate of Rosetta L. Strang who died December 16, 1896 leaving property valued at \$3500. The heirs of the estate are: Thos. O. Strang, husband, aged 56 years, of Woodburn; Earl Strang, aged 19; Ella Strang, aged 18; and Thos. O. Strang, Jr., aged 15 years, all of Woodburn. The administrator today filed a bond in the sum of \$7000 with A. L. Cornwall and W. E. Finzer as sureties.

County Clerk L. V. Eblen issued marriage licenses today as follows: J. J. Jorgenson and Randle Indergaard; Solomon W. Zehner and Hattie Vredenberg.

Bounty warrants were issued today as follows: Joshua Morley, \$5.80 [and Lapier Ballinger \$1.

TAKEN TO ASTORIA.—Upon the request of Sheriff Hare, of Astoria, who was in Salem Wednesday, the local police officers last night arrested "Jack" Hillsberry. Constable Vickman arrived in the city this morning and returned to Astoria with his man on the afternoon train. Hillsberry is wanted at Astoria to answer to the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Hillsberry formerly conducted a lunch counter in this city.

Musical Work.

Prof. Parvin will begin his class in music on Monday the 20th at the parlors of the Christian church. A thorough course in piano, voice, harmony, violin and counterpoint. Singing class instruction, etc. Diplomas will be given at the completion of the course. A limited number of pupils solicited. 9 14 11