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 Latest veerings,
 New trimming buckles,
 Everything to make the new Easter gowns most attractive.

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THE WEATHER.—Fine clear days and nights, just about right for fruit, crops and gardens. Forecast for Wednesday fair.

PERSONALS
 E. C. Patton has returned from Eugene.
 Dr. W. H. Byrd was in Woodburn today.
 Miss Pearl Skiff is visiting Portland friends.
 Rev. P. C. Heltzer left today for Seattle.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Wagner, are in Portland.
 Rev. G. F. West went to Portland today.
 Mrs. A. O. Condit is visiting Portland friends.
 G. A. Rockwell was a Portland visitor today.
 Miss Lydia Schneider went to Eugene today.
 Lloyd T. Reynolds returned today from Portland.
 Fred Dose, of Woodburn, was in the city today.
 J. M. Woodruff has returned from Southern Oregon.
 Prof. E. A. Heritage returned today from Portland.
 County Superintendent Geo. W. Jones is in Portland.
 Miss Minnie Gaine returned to her home at Woodburn today.
 Hon. and Mrs. Claude Gatch left for Astoria this afternoon.
 Rev. J. Dowersox, of La Fayette, is visiting relatives in this city.
 W. B. Lawler, the mixing man, comes down from Albany today.
 Banker A. Bush and daughter Miss Sally, were in Portland today.
 Mrs. A. C. Lawrence, of Portland, is visiting relatives in this city.
 Attorney John McCourt left today for business trip to Detroit, Mich. He will be gone about three weeks.

Thirty Salem Ladies who have thoroughly tested the famous

White House Coffee declare it superior to any ever used by them.

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 124 State St. Telephone 51.

Muslin Underwear,
 Just opened new lines of gowns, chemises, skirts, drawers and corset covers, elegant goods at our low prices.

New Dress Goods,
 See our hand-our novelties at 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c a yard. Elegant suit patterns and black dress goods 75c to \$1.25 a yard.

New Footwear,
 Many new things now arriving in ladies' and men's fine shoes. Our value in lace goods in blacks and browns from \$2 to \$3 are the best in the city.

Shoe Repairing,
 Fine shoe repairing done at lowest prices for good work. Bring you repairing here and get good work. Mr. Wm. Armstrong has charge of this department.

Standard Patterns,
 Gain steadily in popularity. May designs now in.

WILLIS BROS. & CO
 202 Commercial street. The cash dry goods and shoe house.

4 O'CLOCK EDITION

General Lee Has Arrived in Washington.

House Has Failed to Agree On Message.

Senate Will Recommend Armed Intervention.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.—Cousin General Lee arrived here today from Havana, and he is looked upon as the hero of the hour. Everybody endorses his work.

IN CONGRESS.
 WASHINGTON, April 12.—The house foreign relations committee, to whom was referred the president's resolution regarding the Cuban question, has failed to agree upon the matter. The senate committee on foreign relations has agreed upon the resolution favoring intervention without recognizing the Cuban insurgents, and will recommend the same.

SENATOR'S COMMENT.
 WASHINGTON, April 12.—The president's message did not, after the first reading, receive the indorsement of a majority of the senators, and many excused themselves from speaking until they could have time for careful perusal. In a general way, the objections were based on the ground that it did not go far enough in recognizing the rights of the Cubans. A large number of the Democratic senators refused to express themselves at all, as did several Republicans, on the ground that as they could not speak in complimentary terms, they would say nothing at all. Senator Allison—It is a very good message.

Senator Hale—The message is admirable in all respects, and especially so in that it points out the way whereby Cuba can get a good government and be free, and without bringing us into awkward international complications.

Senator White (Cal.)—The administration appears to be getting all balled up.

Senator Tillman—Though logical, the president's recommendation of means was not adequate to accomplish what he wants to do.

Senator Pettigrew—It is the weakest yet. The contract, which was let for \$23,000 per annum, is for a period of four years from July 1, 1898.

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Simpson (Pop. Kan.)—The message is a reflection of the man—weak and vacillating. The message will go down to posterity as one that puts the great republic in a most humiliating attitude—that of having lost our manhood and the love of liberty.

Catchings (Miss.)—The message in my opinion means war. I wish it were otherwise.

Cooper (Dem., Tex.)—The president requests that congress authorize its constitutional war-declaring function and turn the whole matter over to the president.

Senate Resolution.
 NEW YORK, April 12.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: A conference of leading Republican and Democratic senators was held last night at the residence of Senator Allison to discuss the form of resolution to be adopted.

Among the senators were Messrs. Aldrich, Spooner, Gorman, Gray and Jones of Arkansas. After the conference broke up one of the senators said it had been decided the resolution should be substantially in these words:

"Resolved, by the senate and house of representatives, That the president is and is hereby empowered and directed to take such action as will bring to an immediate termination the hostilities in Cuba, and to establish stable government there by and for the people of that island, and that he is hereby empowered and directed to use the land and naval forces of the United States if necessary to bring about this result."

Agitated.
 LONDON, April 12.—A Madrid dispatch says that the latest reports from the provinces show that the country is greatly excited. Enthusiastic national manifestations are universal, and the antagonism to the United States is growing.

Twenty-Round Contest.
 SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—The National Club completed arrangements for a 20-round contest between Sharkey and Jeffries at the Mechanics' pavilion on May 6. The match is to be for 65 per cent of the gross receipts.

The men's share will be divided in the proportions of 75 per cent to the winner, and 25 per cent to the loser. Both men agreed to accept James Cassidy of Alex. Greig as referee. If either consents to act, his name will be inserted in the articles of agreement, which are to be signed tomorrow.

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WIGGINS' BAZAAR

Brave and Efficient Officer, D. W. Gibson

Who Has Been Many Years Connected With the Police Force at Salem.

Who on many occasions has proved his bravery and efficiency in guarding the peace and safety of its citizens. Mr. Gibson has a host of friends, gained by his courteous and gentlemanly manner.

Unfortunately Officer Gibson like many of our citizens suffer occasionally from sick headache. He visited the office of the Mexican Medicine Company with a severe headache which he had endured for two days and nights. In just 15 minutes he was relieved by Mexican King of Pain. He is now also using Ko-De Mexican blood tonic and ointment for eczema with good result. Don't fail to remember The Mexican Medicine Company will remain only a few days longer. Office, 253 Commercial street, Murphy Block.

A Small Fire.
 At 9:30 a. m. today the fire department was called to the Riley Boarding house, No. 347 High street, to put out a small fire. The blaze originated in a small closet on the second floor in the rear of the residence, through which a stove-pipe passes. Mrs. Davis, who conducts the boarding house, and Fay Sheppard, a young servant girl lost every particle of clothing they owned except what they were wearing, all their garments being kept in the closet in which the fire originated. The loss will not exceed \$100. This is the sixth fire at the boarding house during the past six months. The members of the fire department were subjected to not a little unfavorable criticism for their slow work in getting water onto the fire. One gentleman was heard to remark, "That is politics in the fire department for you."

REMOVING.—C. H. Luce, the Capital tailor, is removing his place of business to State street opposite Patton Bros., where he will be pleased to see all who desire first-class work in his line.

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 Seats now selling.

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 One Night Only!
 Friday, April 15.

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 Under auspices of:
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 20 Soloists 20
 Grand Street Parade at Noon.
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Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

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Prices shall be at least as low here as anywhere else in town. How much over they may depend. Holding up here and there a bargain article is one thing, keeping an entire stock of clothing of the highest level of quality and assortment, and the lower level of prices is another.

Men's Business Suits
 \$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$8, \$10, \$12.50, \$15.

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