

They Cost More  
They're Worth More  
BUT EVERY PIECE GOES  
at 5c a Yard.

25c Organdies,  
20c Organdies,  
15c Dimities,  
12 1/2c Dimities,  
10c Lawns,

All for  
5c  
a yard.

We don't intend to carry over a single piece of summer dress goods if price will sell them.

CASH STORE **HOLVERSON'S** CASH STORE

## OUR BIG REMNANT SALE

lasts until every remnant in the house is gone. To make it a quick clearing affair

All Remnant Prices Are Cut One-Half

Some four and five yard lengths, enough for a skirt, at one-half cost. Don't wait until they are all picked over, but get some of the plums of this sale.

All Summer Goods Less Than Cost.

**J. J. DALRYMPLE & CO.**

## GREAT REDUCTIONS!

Strong's famous New York Ice Cream reduced to 25c a quart. Ice Cream with cake served at 10c. At Strong's restaurant.

CALL A MESSENGER  
and have your notes and packages delivered, to collect a bill, to go on errands for you. Ask for special rates on merchants' packages. Charges reasonable. Bicycle service. Ring Blue boxes or telephone 49.  
Lockwood Messenger System, Central office No. 288 Commercial street.

**GEO C. WILL**  
has removed his music store to 23 1/2 Commercial street, opposite Bush's bank.

Salem Local.

Tonight and Thursday fair—cloudy, cooler.  
Postmaster Tuzee of Woodburn, was a Salem visitor today.  
Rick Dearborn returned from Portland today after a short visit.  
James Nell, of the Asylum farm, left today for a ten day's visit at Newport.  
E. R. Anson was a passenger to Portland on this morning's overland.

249  
★  
249

**BEFORE YOU GO**  
TO THE HOP YARDS

Be sure and get all of your supplies. We can supply your wants and not empty your purse. Here's some examples of how it's done. Good hop pickers' gloves, 25c. Good, honest shoes, \$1 to \$1.50. Underwear, 5c to 25c. Towels, 10c, 15c to 25c a pair. Hosiery at all prices. Best table oil-cloth, 15c a yd. Alarm clocks, 50c. Men's working shirts, 25c.

**Osburn's Racket!**  
The Laboring Man's Store.  
244 Commercial street.

249  
249

William Miller of the White Corner, returned on the local from a visit at Oregon City and Astoria.

Miss Genevieve Hughes is reported quite sick at Newport, where the family is taking an outing.

Fred Freeman, the popular young employe at the Chemewa training school, was Salem visitor today.

Miss O. Ballou, of the Lincoln school, who has been visiting friends in Southern California for some time, returned this morning.

W. H. Hall, of Woodburn, has accepted a position at the penitentiary, and came up from his home yesterday to begin work this morning.

Gov-elect T. T. Geer came in from his Wald Hills farm today, and although it was a quiet day in Salem, his excellency had not a few callers.

Wm. Wallace, late florist at the Portland parks, has brought a large collection of rare plants to the city and will open a floral office at the Hotel Willamette.

Mr. and Mrs. Adna Phelps and daughter Miss Mary, of Sacramento California, cousins of Sol Durbin are visiting with the family at the "Red Barn" farm.

Will Allin leaves tonight for San Francisco, where he will attend Dental Department of the University of California. At the end of this school year Mr. Allin will receive his diploma as a dentist.

James Allison who has been sub-carrier on the Salem postal force for some time has resigned his position at the postoffice having secured a position in the county assessor's office.

J. T. Burgham left for Palo Alto, Cal., on last evening's overland, where

### Hop Picking Time.

Is at hand—you will need some things. We can supply them. Blankets 50c to \$2 a pair. Quilts 75c to \$2.50 each. Gloves 25c to \$1 a pair. Hats 25c to \$3 each. Dark prints—new patterns 5c the yard.

### Shoe Bargains.

100 pairs children's shoes, all sizes, 50c a pair.  
200 pairs ladies shoes all sizes, 75c a pair.  
Just the thing to wear hop picking.

R. & G. CORSETS,  
STANDARD PATTERNS.

**WILLIS BROS. & CO.**

CASH DRY GOODS AND SHOES.

he has accepted a position as instructor in the Palo Alto High school. Mr. Burgham has completed his studies at Stanford, and last year took post graduate work at law.

Thos. McNary, who has been visiting his parents in the east, for some time, returned to the city the first of this week; and he did not return alone but brought back with him as his wife, Miss Mary Lew his old sweetheart who had remained true to him during his long years of absence. Mr. and Mrs. McNary are at the home of Mrs. Rose Bernardi, on High street for the present where the many friends of Tom may find him to offer congratulations.

### A PLEASANT AFFAIR.

Reception Tendered Mrs. Persis L. Christian.  
Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Coffey, corner Fourteenth and Center streets, was thrown open to a reception in honor of Mrs. Persis L. Christian of Arkansas, National Organizer for the Christian Woman's Board of Missions of the Christian church. The parlors were tastefully decorated with cut flowers and blooming plants. Mrs. Coffey was assisted in receiving by Mrs. J. J. Evans and Mrs. Woodrum. The affair was entirely informal. After a brief but fervent prayer by Mrs. Laura E. Osborne, of this city state secretary and treasurer of the C. W. B. M. of Oregon, Mrs. Christian gave an informal talk on the work of the auxiliaries to the C. W. B. M. Many fine points were brought out in her talk and much benefit was gained by all present, many of whom were from other missionary societies of the city who had been invited to meet Mrs. Christian.

Following this Mrs. Albyn Esson of Monmouth, the State President of the C. W. B. M. of Oregon, was introduced and made a few pleasant remarks. Mrs. Esson considers the outlook for the cause this year in Oregon very hopeful and especially so, since the good fortune of having The National Organizer in the state. Immediately after the discussion, delicious refreshments were served, the dining room being presided over by Mrs. Eugene Gillingham assisted by Miss Alice Perrine, Lulu Coffey, Della Osborne, Regina Lundie. The guests departed feeling that the occasion was one of the pleasantest in life and wishing Mrs. Christian a pleasant and profitable journey as she resumes her way on Thursday, being announced to speak in Portland Thursday night. While in the city Mrs. Christian is the guest of Mrs. L. E. Osborne, Cor 18th and Chemeketa streets.

Two Aged Sufferers.  
Judge J. J. Shaw who has been stricken with paralysis for two years past was reported much worse last evening and during the night the family thought he was dying. This morning however he has rallied and is resting easy. That he is slowly sinking though is a fact apparent to all his friends. He is gradually becoming weaker and weaker.

Father P. H. Hatch is resting easily today. He has ceased making any attempt, to talk simply saying yes or no to any question asked him. He is slowly growing weaker appearing very low at times after which he rallies and seems some better. His condition is critical.

### HOTEL WILLAMETTE.

Among arrivals today were the following:  
Henry Long, W. C. Wallace, W. A. Smith, T. V. Frimpe, R. H. Frimpe, D. Ellany, F. R. Savage, A. F. Rogers, W. E. Jeffers, Portland; Mariani Dawson, Vancouver; Dr. R. Campbell, City; James Elder, Harry E. Lewis, W. A. Banks, A. W. Scott, San Francisco; Geo. W. Jinks, Detroit; Gov. T. T. Geer, Macleay; Walter L. Tozoe.

### Hay for California.

Sheriff F. W. Durbin today sold his crop of 120 tons of clover hay to Brewster & White for shipment to California. The hay is to be baled and shipped to San Jose, California.

Hop gloves in abundance at the New York Racket, at prices from 25c upward and all kinds of horsehide and buck gloves for threshers and other heavy work. We also have a splendid buck one fingered mitten suitable for handling lumber or rock. Wear prepared for the whole neighborhood. We have a fine ladies' bicycle glove.

### Mustered Out.

A large number of Oregon troops will shortly be mustered out of service so that they can return to Salem and get some of those 5c meals at George Bros.

### Hop Pickers' ; ; ; ; Our Shoes ; ; ; ;

We have big lines of hop pickers' gloves to fit small or big folks. We have lines of granite ware for campers' use. 25 per cent off regular prices. We have all sorts of tin ware in plates, cups, coffee pots, etc. Iron knives and forks, tin spoons, vegetable knives, butcher knives, bread knives, in fact everything in small ware line you need for camping or light house keeping. All at lowest racket prices. The gray steel enameled ware at 25 per cent off from racket prices is creating a sensation.

### Checked Overalls

and jumpers, black and blue overalls, overshirts, harvest gloves, socks and suspenders. Racket prices on everything.

### Silk Bargains

A man's \$40 '98 wheel used sixty six days, \$25. A Crescent used two weeks, \$30.  
Goodrich Jiffy tools and cement for single tube tires.

### WIGGINS' BAZAAR!

RACKET PRICES.

### TERRIFIC HEAT.

People Dying in Chicago. Prostrations Increasing Each Day.  
CHICAGO, 24.—The official maximum temperature in Chicago Wednesday—92 degrees in mid afternoon on the Auditorium tower—was within a degree of the hottest day of the year. The thunder storm which broke over the city at 8 p. m. caused a drop of 20 degrees from the maximum, but before this relief came the heat had claimed many victims. The cases of prostrations reported to the police included four dead, 10 seriously overcome, and nine whose recovery was expected. The dead are:

Richard Anderson, prostrated on the street, died after being taken home.  
Annie Barnett, prostrated yesterday, died today.  
John H. Clothier, found dead in bed.  
Patrick Kennedy, laborer in lumber yard.

### Small Hopes for Early Return.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The following dispatch has been sent to General Merritt at Manila.  
"Merritt, Manila: The president is glad to know you have ample force. Keep only such ships as you may require for transportation purposes. Every provision will be made for the health of your command and the comfort of your sick. You are authorized to use any of the transport ships for hospital purposes. The naval hospital at Hong Kong can be utilized for the soldiers in case of necessity. The troops of your entire command should be quartered as you decide."

"The question of returning any troops can only be decided on after the ratification of the report of the peace commission, which cannot be for some weeks, even months. All transports not needed for the immediate use of your command should be ordered to San Francisco as soon as possible. The Scandia has been furnished as a hospital ship. The Arizona is the property of the government, and may be retained by you as long as needed."

### Missouri Republicans.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 24.—The Republican state convention elected T. J. Aikin, Hannamsville, chairman of the Republican state central committee.

### The Hop Crop.

For the best hop tickets and the east cost, see Ottover the business printer at Dearborn's book store.

One deed was filed today as follows: Williams Lymerore to D. C. Sherman land in East Salem, wd \$500.

## CAMPERS!

### GET

Canned Meats,  
Canned Vegetables,  
Pork and Beans,  
Condensed Milk,  
Condensed Soups,  
and in fact everything for comfort in camp life.

## SONNEMANN

The Grocer,  
124 State at Telephone 51

### SAMPSON INTERVIEWED.

He Talks Intelligently About the New Navy.  
BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 24.—A Boston Journal reporter interviewed Rear-Admiral Sampson on the train for Washington.

Admiral Sampson was reminded that Admiral Colomb, the English naval authority, had said that this war had taught no lessons in naval architecture or naval strategy.

"If he said that," was the comment "he does not know what he is talking about, for the war has taught a great many things. For one thing it has shown the necessity of making ships of war fireproof. It won't suffice merely to make the wood fireproof, in my opinion, for there are objections to the process, as it involves unnecessary expense. Ships ought to be built practically without woodwork at all, and there is no good reason why this cannot be done. After the way in which the woodwork of the Spanish ships caught fire, causing the destruction of the ships, there can be no question about the importance of this change."

"The trouble with Colomb may be he has always been an advocate of torpedo boats as we used to hear before the war," it was suggested.  
"Probably not. At the same time, it must be remembered, that torpedo boats have never had a really fair test. They have always been faulty in construction, necessary qualities having been sacrificed to speed. There is no good reason why a torpedo boat should have a speed of more than 24 or 25 miles an hour, but it has been thought so important to have them speedy that they have been made too light and in some instances they are a little better than egg shells."

"It won't do, either, to draw too hasty a conclusion from the way in which the Gloucester, which was a converted yacht, did up the Furor and the Pluton. The Gloucester was hastily transformed into a torpedo-boat destroyer, it is true, but it is not a small boat by any means."  
"How about the big guns? A great many people seem to think the guns of higher caliber are not of so much account in battle."

"The big guns will always be needed. There is work which they can do and which is out of the question for the smaller calibers. It happened at Santiago that the 8-inch guns and the rapid-fire guns did great execution, but this was because they could strike the Spanish below the belt, as it were. When it comes to piercing heavy armor the high caliber guns must be brought into action."

"Then there is the question of smokeless powder. Our ships ought to be supplied with smokeless powder for several reasons. First, the most important is the great advantage in velocity. With ordinary powder the velocity is something like 2100, with smokeless powder it is nearly 2500."  
Admiral Sampson expressed doubt as to whether it would be advisable to raise the Cristobal Colon. He was afraid it was now too late to accomplish anything in that direction.

### Porto Rican Guerrilla.

PONCE, Porto Rico, Aug. 24.—Yesterday the famous guerrilla, Figaro, was captured near Coamo and brought to jail here. He is accused of burning the village of Colo. He denies his guilt emphatically, but admits having slain several Spanish soldiers while skirmishing in the mountains. General Macias announced his intention to detect and punish the perpetrators of the Ciales massacre.

### Change of Time.

The O. C. & Co. steamer Pomona will hereafter leave for Portland daily except Sunday at 7 a. m. 8-23-34

## I WANT TO

## G-U-B-A

CUSTOMER OF MINE.

When Johnnie comes marching home again you will want a pair of my spectacles or eye glasses to see him from afar off, so as to get your throat ready to welcome him. I have the kind Dewey used at Manila and Sampson at Santiago.

Your eyes tested free.

## C. H. Hinges, D.R.

Expert optician and watchmaker.  
New location 26 Commercial street, three doors south of postoffice.

# \$35,000

WORTH OF  
DRY GOODS TO BE SLAUGHTERED  
NO RESERVE.

Having decided to close out our business in Salem, we will offer the entire stock

At and Less Than Cost.

This is a bona fide sale. We mean business. Call before assortments are broken. We had placed large orders for fall goods that could not be cancelled. These goods go with the rest at cost.

## Now Is the Time to Buy!

257  
Commercial St.  
The Bargain House of Salem

### BIDS OPENED.

The First New Navy Bids Have Been Opened.  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The navy department opened bids yesterday for sixteen torpedo-boat destroyers and twelve torpedo-boats, the cost in the aggregate not to exceed \$16,900,000, as provided in the last naval appropriation act.

These twenty-eight destroyers and torpedo-boats constitute the largest single addition ever made to the navy. The destroyers are to be completed within eighteen months and the torpedo-boats within twelve months. According to the requirements of the department, the destroyers are to have a guaranteed speed of twenty-eight knots, and the torpedo-boats of twenty-six knots. The destroyers are to be of about 400 tons, and are to cost no more than \$250,000 each.

The call was for two classes of propositions, one based strictly on the department's plans and specifications, and the others based on the ideas of the individual builders, all essential requirements being made.

The first bid was that of the Bath Iron Works, Bath, Maine, for one torpedo boat, speed 29.5 knots, at \$161,000; four, \$169,000 each; one destroyer of twenty-nine knots at \$292,000; two at \$281,000, or three at \$280,500.

R. P. Payton, of Williamsport, Pa., bid on destroyers, speed 40 knots, at \$265,000; four, \$295,000 each; one torpedo, speed 30 knots, \$230,000, one to four, speed 35 knots, \$275,000.

The foregoing bid caused considerable comment, as a 40-knot vessel is certainly a bold innovation.

Union Iron works, of San Francisco, bid on destroyers, 29 knots, one, \$291,000; two or three, \$285,000 each; also destroyers under the second class, one, \$284,000; two, \$282,000; three, \$281,000 each.

Wolf & Zwicker, Portland, Or., torpedo-boats, one, \$170,000; two, \$165,000; three, \$163,400, and four, \$162,500 each; also destroyers, one, \$255,000; two, \$291,000; three, \$289,000 each.

Neither Cramps nor the Herreshoffs bid. It will take some time to decide which are the most advantageous bids.

### Paul Kruger's Defeat.

CAPE TOWN, South Africa, Aug. 24.—The Cape Colony assembly general elections, are now in progress, and Mr. Oats, candidate for the progressive party, which is opposed to the Afrikanerbond, which is composed largely of representatives of President Kruger's interests in South Africa, has been elected by an overwhelming majority.



**We Have Moved!**  
From our old hampered quarters, to the large, commodious building formerly occupied by Brown & Smith's hardware store. Now that we are better prepared to handle our business as it should be, we intend increasing our stock and carrying everything possible coming in our line of business.  
A large room and low rent means low prices. See what we are doing in wall paper.

## BUREN & HAMILTON.

248 Commercial street, near State.

### Instructions to Merritt.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The following dispatch has been sent to General Merritt at Manila:  
"Merritt, Manila—The president is glad to know that you have an ample force. Keep only such ships as you may require for transportation purposes. Every provision will be made for the health of your command, and the comfort of your sick. You are authorized to use any of the transport ships for hospital purposes."

"The naval hospital at Hong Kong can be utilized for soldiers in case of necessity. The troops of your entire command should be quartered as you decide. The question of returning any troops can only be decided upon after the ratification of the report of the peace commission, which cannot be for some weeks even months. All transports not needed for the immediate use of your command should be ordered to San Francisco as soon as possible. The Scandia has been furnished as a hospital ship. The Arizona is the property of the government, and may be retained by you as long as needed."

### Canadian Prohibited.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Aug. 24.—A number of Canadian agriculturists who were going to North Dakota and who have been returned home by the United States customs officers at Port Huron, have had their case before Dominion government and applied for compensation. The reason for their being returned was that they had an arrangement with the Grand Trunk railway for a cheap return fare providing they worked with a farmer in Dakota for less than 30 days. The certificate of service in Dakota which was to be signed by a farmer, was held by the customs officers to be a contract, and a violation of the alien labor law.

### BORN.

TAYLOR—On Sunday August 14, 1898, to Mr and Mrs. E. E. Taylor, of Silverton, a daughter.

### He Was Homesick.

One of Salem's estimable citizens returned Tuesday from a visit east. He grew homesick for one of Huckenstein's 10c La Corona cigars and had to return.

### WANTED—Girl to do general house work.

Enquire at depot machine shop between 7 and 6 o'clock. 8-24-34

## Spices!

FOR PICKLING

or any other eatable purpose try our fresh ground or whole pure spices.  
Fresh Bay leaves already in for pickling purposes.

YOKOHAMA TEA STORE.

### Our New Building.

COME AND SEE US  
Shingles,  
Shingles,  
Lath, Lath,  
Fire Clay,  
Fire Brick,  
Lime and Cement.  
Etc., Etc.  
Terms reasonable. Now is the time for dryers.

D. S. BENTLEY & CO.  
314 Front st.  
Successors to Salem Improvement Co. 7-23-34