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THE OLD WHITE CORNER

Greatest Clearance Sale Begins Tuesday Morning

It gets to be a habit with some stores to advertise special sales all the time. What do you think of a store claiming to cut prices on Christmas goods on the first of December? Don't you think such stores have their prices fixed especially for a price-cutting sale? Our Clearance Sale, if you notice, always comes at the proper time of the year, when merchants throughout the land are taking stock and preparing for the arrival of new goods. Our sales are bona fide and prices are cut to the quick.



Petticoats
\$2.50

We have an immense stock coming, and for that reason only do we offer \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 values for \$2.50. Made of silk, lustral moresen, alpaca and mercerized cotton.



Big drive in men's colored dress shirts, 50c. All sizes and plenty to select from.
\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 Shirts Reduced to 50c

LADIES' READY-MADE GOODS

Reduced far below your expectations. \$5.00 suits that did sell at \$10.00 to \$20.00. Other lines of late style reduced to

THIRD OR HALF

the former price.



YOUTHS' SUITS
\$3.65

Values up to \$7.50 and reduced to \$3.65. See display in Commercial St. window.

MEN'S SUITS
\$6.75

A big collection of \$10.00 to \$15.00 values in men's suits of all kinds of cloths. The line is large and comprehensive and worthy of your inspection.

GREAT SALE THROUGHOUT THE STORE—PREMIUMS GIVEN TO CASH CUSTOMERS. NO FREIGHT OR PACKING CHARGES TO PAY.

TURNER TRIES TO SNEAK

Tells All He Knows, and Then Probably Some More

The case of the state of Oregon vs. Kelliher and Turner, indicted for land frauds, came up the first thing this morning in the circuit court, having been carried over from yesterday's session.

Oswald West, state land agent, was the first witness on the stand. His testimony was objected to on the ground that his knowledge was only hearsay. Turner, who has always had his feet in the refrigerator, turned against Kelliher in order to save himself. There was a warm argument concerning the admission of his testimony, he being an accomplice and co-defendant, and, in order to have his testimony admitted, the district attorney dismissed all charges against him.

Of course the question still remains, "was he an accomplice?" and can the district attorney by dismissing the complaint against an individual also get rid of the fact that certain things were done. Turner's testimony would and will convict Kelliher, if it is supported, otherwise it is worth nothing.

Turner swears that he signed all the papers in question fraudulently, knowingly, and that as far as possible he disguised his writing in doing so. He says there are no such persons in existence as the ones whose names are signed. He gave a full history of his dealings with Kelliher, and says that he received \$7 for each 320 acres of land for which he made application and secured assignments to Kelliher, and that he was paid in the same proportion for smaller amounts. To get the names which were forged he went to the directory and used real names, but was careful to change the initials.

On cross-examination he stated that there had been no understanding between himself and the district attorney whereby it was agreed that if he should testify against Kelliher that the indictment against him would be dismissed. He admitted having made certain statements to Prescott, of the Oregonian, and Davis, of the Telegram, but said that the facts in those statements were false, or in plain words he had lied to the reporters.

In an interview with Davis, he had said that he knew nothing of any fraudulent transactions, and to Prescott he stated he had never had any dealings with Kelliher except what were perfectly right.

West was recalled to the stand and testified as to the fact that subpoenas had been issued on all the persons whose names had been signed to the 30 or more applications and assignments which the state wished to introduce as testimony, and that none of them could be located. The applications were finally all admitted as evidence.

Nearly all of yesterday afternoon was consumed in the selection of a jury, but this was finally accomplished and the following are the twelve men who are now listening to the evidence, and who will finally pass upon the guilt or innocence of Kelliher.

Adm. Mishler, U. G. Longworth, A. G. Steelhammer, J. W. Gamble, Thos. Noet, O. I. Morris, Albert Mize, Henry Becke, Frank Yergen, A. McGill, J. G. Voget, W. H. Egan.

After the jury had been selected the attorneys for each side made a brief statement of their sides of the case, but there was no intimation given by the prosecution that they were going to spring any such surprise as they did this morning when Turner was put on the stand.

West was called as the first witness for the state, but before they had progressed very far in the taking of testimony an argument arose over an objection to the admission of some of his statements, and court was adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.

Homee Roland Dead

Homer Roland, an inmate of the Oregon insane asylum, died at that place today. He was a resident of Baker City, and a member of the Old Fellows' lodge there. The funeral will be in this city tomorrow, under the auspices of the Old Fellows' lodge of this city. All Old Fellows are requested to attend.

Greatly in Demand

Nothing is more in demand than a medicine which meets modern requirements for a blood and system cleanser, such as Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are just what you need to cure stomach and liver troubles. Try them at J. C. Perry's drug store. 25c, guaranteed.

INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS IN JAPAN

The weaving looms in operation in the various spinning mills of Japan at the end of September numbered 6923, showing an increase of 1212 as compared with the end of the half year ending March last. The Ooka and Mio spinning mills are working on the largest scale, the Ooka mill having 1605 looms in operation and the Mio mills 2069 looms. The output of cotton during September amounted to 9,688,050 yards showing an increase of 963,760 yards over the monthly average for the first half of this year, or 3,772,495 yards over the output for September, 1904. The consumption of raw cotton in September for weaving purposes amounted to 3,318,191 pounds, an increase of 493,077 pounds over the monthly consumption during the first half of this year, and of 1,398,517 pounds over that for September last year.

The same paper contains the following:

The demand for belting in Japan is rapidly increasing, owing to the constant growth in the number of factories, but the leather industry in this country is unable to meet the demand, not only as regards quantity, but quality as well. Japanese belting is inferior to the imported article and also higher in price, so that, although spinning mills would willingly place their orders in Ooka, the center of the leather industry, they cannot yet do so. Time will probably bring improvements in its train. The business of leather-making is at present quiet in Ooka, though it enjoyed great prosperity during the war.—Japan Chronicle.

It invigorates, strengthens and builds up. It keeps you in condition physically, mentally and morally. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

JERRY FROM KERRY

"Jerry from Kerry" was here, and Jerry has gone. It was a bright, amusing combination, not rising to the dignity of a play, not descending to the level of common vaudeville, but putting up a couple of hours' entertainment that was out of the usual lines, and, therefore, that much more entertaining. Josh Higgins said of a monkey: "He is such an amusing creature, because you never can tell what he is going to do next," and it is about that way with the "Jerry from Kerry" company. The outfit surely keeps you guessing. From the time the curtain goes up until the train whistle, that calls all good Salemites home, blows there is something doing, and something strenuous. It is unnecessary to go into details. If you were there, you saw, and if you were not there the reportorial pencil cannot tell you. You must go, see, realize and then—tell it if you can.

Imperfect Digestion

Means less nutrition and in consequence less vitality. When the liver fails to secrete bile, the blood becomes loaded with bilious properties, the digestion becomes impaired and the bowels constipated. Herbine will rectify this; it gives tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys, strengthens the appetite, clears and improves the complexion, infuses new life and vigor to the whole system. 50c a bottle. Sold by D. J. Fry.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hirsch and Mr. and Mrs. Myer Hirsch and baby spent New Years with Hon. and Mrs. Ed. Hirsch, of this city. They returned home yesterday afternoon.

New Time Card on the C. & E.

Taking effect January 1, 1907, the new time card of the C. & E. will be issued, changing the leaving time of trains between Albany and Corvallis as follows:

Leave Albany for Corvallis at 5 a. m., 12:45 p. m. and 7:35 p. m. Leave Corvallis for Albany at 6:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m. and 5 p. m. Sunday trains, leave Albany for Corvallis at 7:35 p. m. Leave Corvallis for Albany at 6:30 a. m. The afternoon train leaving Albany at 8:40 p. m. will be discontinued.

FIGHT EACH OTHER

Russian Generals and Admirals at Each Other's Throats

St. Petersburg, Jan. 3.—The generals and admirals are fighting amongst themselves. General Zayonhayed is arrayed against Kuropatkin, General Batanzoff against Kaulbars, and Brestvenky against Birleff. Letters denouncing each others fill columns. Birleff is charged with having disposed of all his Russian holdings, and of having bought German securities. Kuropatkin is charged with having demanded gold when he drew over a million and a quarter from the banks, hurting the national credit. Revolutionists demand to know where Kuropatkin got a much, when his salary was only ten thousand per year. The czar is glad the dignitaries are fighting, because it shows the truth, but it strengthens the revolutionists.

INTO YERKES SHOES

London, Jan. 3.—Edgar Speyer has been appointed to succeed Yerkes as chairman of the London underground railways. Sir George Gibbs will succeed him as chairman of the district railway.

GOVERNOR TALKS SENSE

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 3.—Higgins' message says the problem of the state regulation is how to cure, not to kill, how to preserve, not how to tear down. He told the legislators that they were called upon to make radical revision of law for the benefit of investors in life insurance, and for the regulation and constraint of companies, he says policies should be of standard form, to eradicate abuses arising from ambiguity, complexity and incompleteness of contract, demands full publicity be assured.

In concluding his address Governor Higgins declared if the legislature failed to pass an insurance law drastic but practicable, radical but sane, in a spirit courageous but not hysterical it will fail to meet the expectations of those who have confidence in the ability of the popular government to solve its own problems.

Boys Arrested

Ole Cardwell, Archie Narin and Albert Ashley were arrested this morning for having broken into a tool chest belonging to the crew working on the Portland-Salem electric railway last night, and stealing three axes and other tools. When arrested they had the tools in their possession, and admitted their guilt. They range in age from 16 to 20.

Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society.

Frank Meredith, Resident Agent. Office with Wm. Brown & Co., No. 19 Commercial Street.

NEW TODAY

For Sale—No. 1 dry wood, \$3.65 per cord, all ready sawed. This week only. Phone 1419, or call at 2nd and 19th streets. M. P. Dennis. 1-3-07

Capital Bakery.—Fresh bread, pies and cakes daily, candies, nuts, etc. Delivery made to any part of the city.—Ulloa & Rutherford, 439 Court Street. Phone 389 Main. 1-3-07

Found.—Black, curly pup, tan colored paws. Owner can secure by calling at 606 Commercial street and paying for this ad. 1-3-07

Taken Up.—Estray black pig. Owner can have same by calling on F. L. George, 1723 North Summer street near fair ground car line. 1-3-07

Found.—Gold bracelet with photo of a young man and lock of hair. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this ad. 1-3-07

Pittsburg Expects Crisis

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 3.—The Federation of Independent Window Glass Manufacturers, organized to make war on the American Window Glass company, which stands for the glass trust, met here today and it is expected that this meeting will bear far-reaching results. The American Window Glass company has recently made a big cut in the prices of window glass which was felt severely by the independent manufacturers, who felt that they could not compete with the trust without sacrificing every bit of their profit. The trust is in a much better position, because in the works of the American Window Glass company labor saving machinery is used, while the independent concerns manufacture exclusively hand blown glass, which requires a great many more skilled workmen.

President A. L. Paulkner has sought to interest the Amalgamated Window Glass Workers of America in a movement to compel the glass trust either to give up the machine or raise the price of glass to an amount which would enable all manufacturers to make glass at a profit and at the same time pay their workmen adequate wages. It is expected that the meeting of the independent manufacturers

called for today will bring the matter to a point.

It is believed that the Amalgamated Window Glass Workers of America will have a representative at the meeting and that the situation will be carefully discussed with a view of reaching some definite decision. It is stated that the independent manufacturers will be compelled to make a straight reduction in the wage scale, unless some pressure can be brought upon the trust to raise the price of window glass.

Virginia Bonifaces in Convention

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 3.—Nearly all the prominent hotel men of this state are in attendance at the third annual convention of the Virginia hotel men's association, which opened here today for a two days' session. Last year the convention was held in Richmond, Va. The present session is of considerable importance, as an attempt will be made to organize a movement in favor of the passage of certain laws for the protection of hotel owners. The local hotel men have made great efforts to make things as pleasant as possible for the visiting members of the association, and the program for the two days' session includes a number of social features in honor of the visitors.

Laying Dust in Switzerland

Oswald Keene, of Geneva, makes the following report regarding efforts that have been made at Geneva and other points in Switzerland to suppress the annoyance from dust raised on roads traveled by motor cars. The consul says:

"Motor car dust is a personal pest, which renders living in suburban and country houses situated on important roads most unhealthful and uncomfortable. I am informed that it has been

found impossible of late to either lease or sell certain villas in the French Riviera, and that the paradise of the motorist has become the inferno of the inhabitant. Public opinion in Switzerland, desiring to put a stop to a state of affairs so objectionable, founded in 1904 the Swiss league against road dust and already good results are shown. After several trials on different roads and streets in Geneva, both the cantonal and municipal authorities applied anti-dust preparations on 36,000 square metres of road (110,610 square feet). The spring was most unfavorable for anti-dust applications, and the materials and preparations were not obtained by the authorities until the middle of August last.

The preparations mostly used have been hot coal tar, and in a less quantity hot "Lambert asphaltum" (manufactured in Geneva), which is found efficient, but expensive, and gas tar with water. Westrumite and asphaltite have not given the good results which were expected. In general, however, the results have been satisfactory, and the treatment will be continued next year. Private proprietors have also applied anti-dust preparations on the busy roads passing their country houses.

KARPER VAN DRAN BURIED

Going Chapter in the Sad Tragedy—Elks Conduct the Funeral Service.

The funeral of the late Karper Van Dran as held from the Elks' hall in the A. O. U. W. building on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the ritualistic services of the Elks' order being read. The large hall was filled with the members of the order and the friends of the family when the casket was brought in and placed before the principal chair. The beautiful casket was hidden under a mass of floral pieces sent by friends and relatives, showing in what esteem deceased had been held.

After the opening ritualistic services Mrs. Marvin Brandberry and Miss Julia Dorgan sang very effectively "Face to Face," and this was followed by Hon. W. R. Blythe, who delivered the oration. He spoke of deceased as a dear friend, whom he had known from boyhood, paid a due tribute to his virtues, touched tenderly on the troubles that led up to the end, and in a fine burst of eloquence the speaker expressed the hope of meeting his deceased brother after this life. Following the close of the address the ritualistic services of the lodge were concluded, and the remains were conveyed to the Masonic cemetery, where interment was had in a grave by the side of that of Mrs. Van Dran, who was buried in August. The grave was covered with the beautiful floral pieces after the concluding services at the cemetery.—Albany Herald.

Money to Loan

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