

Money Saving Opportunities

There's many money saving opportunities on all kinds of seasonable and wanted merchandise, broken lines, short lengths, during our great

MOVING SALE

Make out your lists for future needs and procure them during this sale

<p>Silk Waists REDUCED ONE-THIRD.</p> <p>Tailor Suits REDUCED ONE-THIRD.</p> <p>Tailored Suits REDUCED ONE-HALF.</p> <p>Skirts REDUCED ONE-THIRD.</p> <p>Bath Robes REDUCED ONE-THIRD.</p> <p>Kimonas REDUCED ONE-HALF.</p> <p>Muslin Wear REDUCED ONE-THIRD.</p> <p>Children's Coats REDUCED ONE-HALF.</p> <p>Furs REDUCED ONE-THIRD.</p>	<p>Dress Goods All this season's newest dress goods in plaids, checks and over-plaids in a wide range of color combinations in medium and dark shades—36 to 54 inches wide.</p> <p>50c values, Moving Sale 35c</p> <p>75c values, Moving Sale 50c</p> <p>\$1.00 values, Moving Sale 67c</p> <p>\$1.25 values, Moving Sale 84c</p> <p>\$1.50 values, Moving Sale \$1.00</p> <p>\$2.00 values, Moving Sale \$1.34</p> <p>\$2.50 values, Moving Sale \$1.67</p> <p>Organdies Fancy Silk Organdies in light, medium and dark shades; values up to 65c yard. Moving Sale 18c</p> <p>Hosiery Hosiery bargains worth investigating; all are of the best make, material and finish.</p> <p>50c embroidered Black Hose in full range of sizes 39c</p> <p>65c and 75c embroidered Black Hose. Moving Sale 48c</p>	<p>Cleanup on Footwear Broken lines of men's and women's high grade shoes at greatly reduced prices— \$3.00 and \$3.50 kid, patent and demi-bright shoes for women's wear \$2.29</p> <p>\$3.50 famous Pingree shoes made for women, readjustment sale \$3.15</p> <p>\$3.50 values in men's shoes in a fine variety. Sale price \$2.65</p> <p>25c shoe polish; sold everywhere at the uniform price. 2¢ Re-adjustment sale 15c</p> <p>Knit Underwear Women's knit underwear, consisting of vests and pants, long sleeves, ankle lengths; natural grey color; fine finish. Regular \$1.00 value. Special 75c</p> <p>Saxony Yarn and Spanish Floss—worth up to 18c skeel Extra special 5c</p>	<p>\$12.50 Raincoats Reduced to \$7.50</p> <p>15.00 Rain Coats Reduced to 9.00</p> <p>18.00 Rain Coats Reduced to 12.00</p> <p>5.00 Bath Robes Reduced to 3.50</p> <p>6.00 Bath Robes Reduced to 4.00</p> <p>7.50 Bath Robes Reduced to 5.00</p> <p>25c and 35c Fancy Sox Reduced to 19c</p> <p>1.25 Fancy Shirts Reduced to 78c</p> <p>1.50 Fancy Shirts Reduced to 75c</p> <p>2.50 Fancy Shirts Reduced to 1.55</p>
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Jos. Meyers & Sons
INCORPORATED
GOOD GOODS

Walker Is Discharged.
San Francisco, Jan. 17.—The case of David F. Walker, the ex-president of the California Safe Deposit & Trust Company, charged with complicity in the embezzlement of the Colton securities, was this morning dismissed by Judge Dunne, at the request of the prosecution. Although it has been known for some time that Walker was to secure immunity for the testimony he is to give against his former partner, it was not expected that the charge against him would be dismissed at this time and intent," declared the prosecutor. "That there was culpable negligence there is no doubt. He was not the man to be president of this bank or any other bank."

"I wish to state to the court that after a thorough examination of the charges against Walker we have found no evidence showing criminal intent," declared the prosecutor. "That there was culpable negligence there is no doubt. He was not the man to be president of this bank or any other bank."

Walker's attorney took exception to these remarks, claiming that the attorneys for the Colton estate had admitted that there was no culpability on the part of Walker. A warm debate followed, and was interrupted by Judge Dunne's terse statement to the effect that the indictment would be dismissed.

Poverty in the Transvaal.
And really the case is so hopeless. There is no prospect of an immediate revival. What caused the collapse matters little. Perhaps it was the liberal government in England. Perhaps it was Chinese labor—or the lack of Chinese labor. Perhaps it was swindling flotations. Perhaps it was simply the fact that we built for a population that a country which lives upon imported goods could never support.

Whatever was the cause, the effect is clear enough. There are men here today whose salaries have been cut down by 50 per cent. There are others who have no salaries at all, and whose children live on bread and tea bought with borrowed money. They may be outwardly prosperous-looking, like the town. I met two men the other day, well dressed, apparently well-to-do.

"It's the clothes that last," one of them confided to me. "That's all. If we get one meal in two days we consider ourselves lucky. Yesterday we dined—perhaps we shall be able to again tomorrow. Today we don't."

It is the shrinking process. Some financial geniuses manage to live fairly comfortably on nothing—how they do it nobody knows. The majority of the retrenched who had not enough money to get out of the subcontinent altogether are slowly starving. Their positions is hopeless.

Perhaps you think the state of the Golden City cannot be so bad as this—that the story is exaggerated. There is poverty in other lands; distress in other towns. They do not make these wailations. But the Rand has not been used to poverty like this. Its bad times have never lasted so long or sunk so deep. And the trouble is the people cannot get away. It is useless to go to Kimberley or Durban, or Cape Town or Port Elizabeth. They are just as badly off. They, too, are shrinking. The out-of-work clerk or accountant might as well starve on the Rand as at the coast. To leave the country altogether is too expensive. So he stays, a misery to himself and a burden to his friends, a living example of the shrinkage of Johannesburg.

The European shareholder need not feel nervous. The poverty of the Rand will not hurt him. Rather will it bring him bigger dividends. It will force down wages and working costs, and thus send up profits. His dividends will not shrink, whatever is the fate of the center from which the gold is produced. But the only thing for the out-of-works to do is to go away—perhaps the government will expropriate them. There will be no boom on the Rand; no sudden revival. Steady, patient work throughout the country will gradually restore prosperity. But the shrinking process will continue for some time.

Do not come to the Transvaal for at least five years—and then stay away if you can. In five years it may have settled down as a small but prosperous commercial center—the commercial capital of a small colony. But today it is shrinking.

By the way, the gold output is still rather more than £25,000,000 a year. But if it were twice that amount it would not help us much. It nearly all flows out of the country, either as dividends or in payment for imported goods.—Correspondence of the London Mail.

CASTORIA.
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TELL US HOW TO MAKE IT

Directions to Make the Best Kidney Remedy Right at Home

To make up enough of the "Dandelion treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore, weak bladder and rheumatism; get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties almost instantly. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

A well known local druggist, who is in a position to know, asserts that this prescription, wherever it becomes known, always ruins the sale of the numerous patent medicine rheumatism cures, kidney cures, etc. It is a recipe which the majority of patent medicine manufacturers, and even certain physicians dislike to see published. Few cases, indeed, which will fail to fully yield to its peculiarly soothing and healing influence.

- SUNDAY DINNER.**
- Soup.
 - Clam.
 - Fish.
 - Fried Smelt.
 - Boll.
 - Chicken With Country Gravy.
 - Entrées.
 - Chicken Potpie.
 - Roast.
 - Chicken With Dressing; Leg of Lamb With Dressing; Pork.
 - Prime Ribs of Beef.
 - Vegetables.
 - Mashed Potatoes. Corn.
 - Dessert.
 - Lemon Pudding or Brandy Sauce.
 - Pies.
 - Peach, Apple, and Mince.
 - Coffee, Tea or Milk.
 - Chicken 35c.
 - ELITE HOTEL.**
 - E. ECKERLEN, Prop.

High School Skating Party.
The first of a series of high school skating parties was given at the Auditorium rink last night. About 80 students and their friends were present. The music was for couples only, and was furnished by McElroy's orchestra. During the party the basketball game at Eugene was announced.

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For Sale—Several houses in Salem and farm lands at a bargain. Capital National Bank. 6-1-eod*

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For Sale and Wanted—75 tons of baled hay, also some fresh cows. An experienced farm hand wanted. Phone Farmers' 21. 1-17-3t

Wanted—A competent girl for general housework. Call mornings at Mrs. Louis Lachmund, 254 North Church. 1-18-3t*

Carnations—Plenty of them, at Avenue green house, and will be all the time. 1-18-3t*

For Sale—34 acres adjoining state fair grounds, 10 acres east and 24 acres west of the fair grounds road. Can be sold separately or in bulk. Good improvements and all kinds of fruits. A bargain for the right party. Call on S. S. Cole, 570 Liberty street, Salem. 1-18-1m*

Back From the Philippines.
(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Jan. 17.—The army transport Buford arrived this morning after a 25-day's voyage from the Philippines. Aside from 63 regular passengers there were on board over 200 enlisted men from the army, navy and marine corps, 25 discharged soldiers, seven military convicts and several insane men.

Expect Torpedo Fleet.
(United Press Leased Wire.)
Rio Janeiro, Jan. 17.—The American torpedo flotilla is expected to arrive here momentarily, having passed Cape Frio, northwest of here, this morning.

Mulai Hañd Is Whipped.
Tangier, Morocco, Jan. 17.—A terrific engagement in the ravine near Bettat between a French column and a number of men commanded by Mulai Hañd's forces occurred Wednesday, according to a dispatch just received here. The news is to the effect that the French gained a marked victory, although they were outnumbered. Twenty French soldiers and three officers were wounded. Many of the Arabs were killed.

SAVED THE GEMS.

But May Die From Wounds Received at Hands of Robbers.
New York, Jan. 17.—Through the bravery of the nightwatchman an attempt to steal the famous Kunz-Morgan collection of precious stones in the American Museum of Natural History was frustrated at an early hour this morning. The watchman, John Kenny, was shot and probably fatally wounded by the would-be robber, who escaped. Kenny was making his rounds when suddenly a man jumped from behind a door, and struck him with a blunt instrument. Although partially stunned, Kenny grappled with the intruder, whereupon the latter drew a revolver, shot Kenny through the hand and again struck him over the head, knocking him down. The man fled. When Kenny recovered he called the police, but no trace of the robber could be found. It is feared Kenney suffered concussion of the brain.

Lano's Family Medicine cannot save all doctor bills, but can save a good share of them. One two-shilling package has kept a whole family in good health for a year.

FIFTY-SIX MURDERS

Oregon's Record for Killing During the Year 1907.
During the year 1907 the criminal records of the various counties of the state of Oregon record 56 murders. Of this number, and in spite of the fact that only ten murderers escaped the meshes of the police officials, not a single case is recorded where capital punishment was administered in explanation of the offense. In fact, only three of the 56 murderers were convicted on being tried. Two of these are serving terms on second degree verdicts, while the other who was convicted of murder in the third degree has appealed to the superior court and his case is now pending.

In addition to the ten unapprehended murderers, a similar number rendered further investigation useless by committing suicide immediately after committing their crime. Eight murderers entered a plea of self-defense and succeeded in convincing a jury that such was the case, while in only one instance was the unwritten law plea resorted to in justification of the act. Three alleged murderers were discharged for lack of evidence, and 18 cases are still awaiting trial.

Fifteen sacrifices of human life occurred while one or the other of the parties were under the influence of liquor. Forty-three of the murders were perpetrated by means of firearms seven by the use of the knife or a blunt instrument and one, the murder of ex-Sheriff Harvey K. Brown at Baker City, by use of a bomb.

In the entire state there are no murderers awaiting execution. Geo. Blodgett, murderer of his paramour in the city of Portland in 1906, and convicted of murder in the first degree, is still enjoying life, although in prison while awaiting a new trial.

To Raise the Price of Beer.
New York, Jan. 17.—A protest against the proposal of the brewers to raise the price of beer \$1 per barrel was made at a largely attended mass meeting of saloon keepers last night. Many advocated closing their saloons rather than meet the increase

The Race Problem.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 17.—Legislative investigation of the great race problem confronting the South is invited in a set of resolutions introduced today by Representative Dees in the Mississippi legislature and adopted by that body.

The resolutions ask every state in the Union to send a commission of fair-minded men to investigate the question on the spot, as a movement favoring such action is growing throughout the South. A fair and impartial inquiry is asked by the legislature.

Admiral Coming West.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Jan. 17.—Henceforth California will be the home of Rear-Admiral Brownson, who recently resigned as chief of the bureau of navigation, after his unpleasant controversy with President Roosevelt. He will reside at Oxnard with his son, Charles. The latter owns one of the largest ranches near Oxnard. The rear-admiral will be accompanied to the coast by his entire family.

Awaits Action of Supreme Court.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Attorney-General Bonaparte announced this afternoon that, pending a decision of the United States supreme court regarding the province of the Hepburn law, requiring railroads to dispose of their coal mine holdings the government will not prosecute the roads for failure to obey the law.

As soon after May 1 as it is possible to take action the government will institute proceedings through which a prompt termination of the question may be obtained.

Dependable Shoes

If you want sensible shoes, we are prepared to fit you. If you want stylish shoes you may depend upon finding them here. Whether stylish or no, you may rely upon one thing—they are worthy, dependable, and we do such a large business that our prices are unquestionably "right." Here are a few specially inviting sorts of new shoes. Dr. Duan's cushion for ladies at \$3.50. D. Reed's cushion shoes for men, vic, bluchers, light or heavy sole. The R. P. Smith shoes for men, women and children. Also the celebrated Walkover shoes in all styles, from \$3.50 up, medium or heavy soles. Ladies' gun metal shoes, just arrived, at \$2.25. Our repairing department always in full blast. Best of leather and workmanship. All work guaranteed, or no pay.

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