

THE BEST TIME OF ALL THE YEAR TO BUY WHITE GOODS

We announce this sale as a "whirlwind of white wear." We pride ourselves that the title was aptly chosen. The success of the sale has even exceeded our expectations, and how all are selling--faster than in any previous event, for this promises to be the most popular of all white merchandising endeavors.

Dress Goods

Of most every variety known in white for afternoon and evening wear.

At White Sale Prices

India Linon

An unusual good value for 40c yard during our White Sale.

25c yd.

Dotted Swisses

In a large assortment.

23 to 46c yd.

White Waists

Here's another opportunity that you should not ordinarily expect until later, when assortments were very much broken. It is a piece of good fortune of which thrifty shoppers will take advantage. White waists in lace, taffeta and Jap silks at White Sale prices.



Such a rush
And such a crush,
Prices almost
Make us blush!

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Corset Covers, Gowns, Drawers, Skirts, etc., less one-third. We are showing a full assortment of bright, new white undermuslins to select your spring outfit from. Remember this all means dollars and cents to you. Secure them now at White Sale prices. Children's White Bear Skin Coats at HALF PRICE.

We offer large, full White Skirts in plain and lace effect. Sale starts at 8:30. No telephone orders received. **93c each**

Jos. Meyers & Sons
INCORPORATED
GOOD GOODS

Embroideries

Special—Embroidery edges, bands, beading and all-overs.

Less One-third

Round Mesh and Val Laces.

Less One-third

Lace Applique and fancy trimming

Half-price

Stamped Linens

In English eyelet embroidery, Chemise and Corset Covers. Stamped Dresser Scarfs and Pillow Tops in shadow or embroidery

all less one-third

Stiff Shirts, MONARCH.

Stiff Shirts, PERFECTION.

Full Sleeves, CLUETT.

In all sizes open in front or back, or both, at White Sale prices

Walters' Coats, Barbers' Coats and Bar Vests, finest showing in the city; all sizes in a large assortment of styles at White Sale prices. Walters' Aprons in French or Bib at White Sale prices.

ARGUED FROM THE GROUND UP

Two Salemites Indulge in the Exchange of Ideas in Which They Accumulate Many Bruises and Much Mud.

Last night, about 9:30, John Yates and Homer Townsend got into an argument across the street from the Spa, in which muscle instead of logic was depended on for a decision. Just how the row started or why is unknown to the writer, nor does it matter for the purpose of this story, which is simply a record of the fact without going into ancient history.

As gathered from those who witnessed the affair, it seems that Yates was angry at Townsend, and was hunting him for the purpose of talking him so. They came together as stated, and it was only a moment until there was something doing. Who struck the first blow seems to be in doubt, the stories, as is usual in such cases, conflicting. Anyway, the parties became tangled, and, having plenty of time at their disposal, laid down in the street to argue the matter out in comfort. Each man represented his side of the case to the best of his ability, first one and then the other seeming to have the better of the argument, while the crowd grew rapidly in size and numbers, and resolved itself into a sort of informal jury. It was first one on top and then the other, until they finally arrived on the street car track where Townsend got the long end, and, sitting astride Yates, used him for a punching bag.

In the meanwhile the street cars came along, and, of course, stopped. The employees of the General Electric are nothing if not accommodating, having a reputation of looking after the convenience and comfort of the public as well as the interests of the company. They simply switched off the juice, and waited for the obstructions to traffic to remove themselves. As told the reporter, Yates finally became satisfied that it was better to give than receive, and as he was receiving more than his share, called the attention of his opponent to the fact by insinuating that he had a sufficiency.

The parties got on their feet, when, it is stated, Yates changed his mind, and patted Townsend, and the argument began over again. They were finally separated, each going his individual way, considerably wiser, much sorer and a great deal dirtier. Just how much of the city soil was removed from State street on their clothing would be hard to say, but each of them had enough to make a goodly starter for a town lot and a happy home, if they had had a place to dump it.

It was a real, genuine six-days-goes-you-please, fought on its merits, and with no attempt to throw down the spectators or divide the gate receipts, and was most thoroughly enjoyed by the audience, who pronounced it "one of the finest." The row happened when the police force was off the street, and when Larry Murphy came around a few minutes after the fight was over all there was to arrest was two hats and a large hole in the mud. Larry captured the hats, but the chances are that if either of the owners tried to put them on this morning he would have to use a shoe horn. As a final result the debate seems to have been about a tie.

Final Account—The final account of the administrator of the estate of G. P. S. Riches, deceased, filed in probate yesterday shows that the assets of the estate were \$33,197.86 and that disbursements were made to the amount of \$30,153.92, which left a cash balance of \$2443.94.

School Superintendent Files—County School Superintendent W. M. Smith has filed a petition for the nomination of superintendent of school for Marion county, to succeed himself.

P. O. Grounds Improvements—C. F. Lansing, of this city, has been awarded the contract for the planting of shrubbery, plants and trees on the Salem postoffice grounds and work will commence at the proper season.

Forger Arrested—Deputy Sheriff Minto this afternoon arrested Hugh McLean, upon telegraphic information from Chicago. McLean is wanted in Chicago to answer to a charge of forging a check for \$90. The arrest was made at the postoffice shortly after 2 o'clock today, while McLean was getting his mail.

Personal Mention

J. H. Ackerman, superintendent of public instruction, left today for a month's visit in the East. He will visit various universities, and will reach Washington by February 25 at which time a convention which has been called by United States School Commissioner Brown will convene.

J. T. Gill and Earl Race, of Salem, have had their pensions increased to \$12 per month.

Dance at the Armory—After inspection tonight.

Inspection Tonight—The annual government inspection upon which is based the company standing will be held at the armory tonight, when Col. Jackson, of Portland, puts the members of Company M through various intricate drills. The local military organization has been training hard for several weeks and will make a fine showing. Major Baker, of Portland, will also be present in the interest of target practice and inspector-general. After the inspection a grand military ball will be held. The boys will appear in full uniform, and they invite the citizens of Salem to attend both the inspection and the social dance, which will be free.

DIED.
HICKS.—At the family home in Silverton, Tuesday, February 4, 1908, John Hicks, aged 55 years, of heart failure.

Mr. Hicks was among the pioneer business men of Silverton, and was quite well known here. For many years he has conducted one of the leading hardware stores in Silverton and besides his family, leaves a wide circle of friends throughout the Willamette valley.

STARR PIANO
HIGH CLASS GOODS
GEO. C. WILL

Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society
Frank Meredith, Resident Agent.
Office with Wm. Brown & Co., No. 29 Commercial street.

MONEY TO LOAN
THOS. K. FORD,
Over Ladd & Bush's Bank, Salem, Or.

NEW TODAY
For Sale—Several houses in Salem and farm lands at a bargain. Capital National Bank. 6-1-100-

For Rent—Furnished and unfurnished rooms, and home board by the day or week or meals. 250 N. Cottage St., between Chemeketa and Court Sts., Mrs. A. M. Clemens. 2-5-10*

Wanted—A good work horse, not less than 1300 pounds. Call on Walt Low, at stables corner of Perry and High streets. 2-5-31

For Rent—A modern 7-room house. Phone 1071 Main. 2-5-31

For Rent—Eight-room house in North Salem. Good woodshed and barn. Inquire at 255 North Commercial street, D. A. White & Son. 2-5-31

Wanted—A young college man wishes some work after school or on Saturdays. Address "A." Capital Journal. 2-5-31*

The Safest Way—To buy New York stocks and bonds is the periodical payment plan. Stock is yours upon payment of first installment. No margin dealing. Write for particulars. G. J. Murray & Co., 311-12 Union Trust Bldg. Los Angeles, Cal. 1-30-21

Have You Anything for Sale?—We can sell it for you. Do you want to buy anything? Then try us. Realizing the necessity for a cleaning house, where all manner of property may be bought, sold and exchanged at a moderate cost, we have established an office for this purpose. Not only will we handle city and farm, timber and mining properties, but livestock and other personal property as well; serving as a medium through which you may sell or exchange any property no longer of use to you, or purchase at a minimum figure that of which you stand in need. No transaction will be considered too large or too small to insure our best personal attention. Make your wants known—we do the rest. Get in touch with us at room 2, No. 222 North Commercial street. 2-5-31

Lost—A bracelet Monday, February 3. Finder please bring to Journal office and receive reward. 2-5-31*

CITY NEWS

A Collection of Important Paragraphs for Your Consideration

Weather—Rain tonight and Thursday.

We Want—Two tons of chickens next week. Capital Commission Company. Phone 179.

The Boosters' Banquet—The Board of Trade will hold an important meeting in the trade rooms this evening, at which arrangements will be completed for the big banquet that will entertain the Portland business men. The various committees will be appointed tonight and the work taken up with enthusiasm. It is planned to make this banquet one of the best and most profitable meetings of its kind ever held in the Capital City, and it is requested that all citizens who are interested in the success of the affair be present at the Board of Trade rooms this evening at 7:30.

Will Make Salem His Home

John Bewley, formerly of this city, who has made Dallas his home for the past two years, and recently been in the employ of the Oregon Electric as an engineer, has been assigned a run whereby he can make his residence in Salem. He will move to this city immediately. Mr. Bewley is well known here, being a former member of the Salem Military Band, and the engineer of the Spaulding Logging Company.

A Reduction in Price

Of slab wood has been made by the Spaulding Logging Company. Price \$2 and \$2.25 a load. A discount of 25c per load on 10-load orders. 1-21-1f

Bring Us Your Chickens

We want all you have, Capital Commission Co. Phone 179. 1f

To Build Bridge

In speaking to a Journal reporter last evening, Manager Page, of the Portland General, said: "We will immediately take definite steps toward the building of the car bridge across North Mill creek, just west of the concrete structure as per the wishes of the council. Our engineers

will at once prepare plans for the bridge, and I think in about a week we will be prepared to advertise for bids on the specifications. The work will probably go to a local contractor, if the bids are reasonable."

Dr. R. Cartwright

Has resumed his practice in Salem and has opened an office in rooms 0 and 2, over Fry's drug store. Office hours, 12m to 4 p. m. 2-1-1m

Administrator Appointed

J. T. Jones was yesterday appointed administrator of the estate of Wm. Jellison, deceased. The estate is valued at \$200. Michael Donahue, Bert Miller and E. N. Thomas were appointed appraisers.

The Highest

Market price paid for chickens Capital Commission Company, Phone 179. 1f

Marriage License

A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon to Robert Addison and Francis Clymer, Geo. W. Clymer witness.

Plowing the Fields

John Hoss and Chas. Archbald, N. D. Stewart, of the John Deere Plow Company, and J. M. Woods, of the Dain Mfg Co., of Ottumwa, Ia., were in the city today, the guests of John Manning, the farming implement man, who is an old friend of the John Deere Company.

Repairing Floor and Stalls

The floor and stalls at the city fire department are being repaired and remodeled, as per the order given at the council meeting last Monday evening.

Continued for Argument

The testimony in the Lassell Bernard vs. George W. Moore and Kate Moore foreclosure of mechanic's lien suit was yesterday taken, and the suit continued for argument.

We Want

You to give Wild Rose flour a fair trial, and compare it with other valley flour. We feel sure of a customer if you will do this.

Elks to Portland

The Salem Elks will go to Port-

land Thursday, February 13, where they will be entertained by the herd of the metropolis. The local Elks' orchestra will accompany the Capital City antlers, and will furnish music for the evening. Arrangements are being made to charter at least one car, and, from the interest which is being taken, the affair will be a success were the Salem Elks the only members present. The Portland herd visited Salem at the time of the dedication of the new Elk hall, and from their enthusiasm at this and other meetings it can be assured that it will take care of its guests in a royal manner.

Come and Call

On us, and let us show you what an up-to-date meat market we have. Phone an order to Main 321, and see what prompt service you receive. Steusloff Bros.

Lower River Bill

H. M. Lornsen, secretary of the Fishermen's Union, filed arguments for lower river initiative bill, prohibiting all fishing for salmon, except with hook and line, above tide water.

Candidates File Petitions

Clyde B. Althison, of Portland, Republican, for railroad commissioner, second district; W. H. Brook, of Ontario, Republican, for legislature, making no statement; J. W. Bailey, of Portland, for dairy and food commissioner, and W. P. Myers, of Laidlaw, Republican, for district attorney seventh district, all Republicans, filed petitions today.

Are You Particular

What you eat? If you are, and use only the best groceries, go to the J. M. Lawrence grocery, corner of Perry and Commercial streets, Phone 311.

Many New Homes

Are in course of construction in the Capital City, and in nearly all some of A. M. Hansen's mill work is to be seen. If you contemplate building, or are making repairs call and see him, corner of Mill and Church streets.

You Are Invited

Dance after the inspection tonight at the armory.



Surpassing Beauty

Makes this Oxford apart from the common lot. Its outlines are extremely graceful. It is characterized by style that will win it well-deserved favor in any woman's eyes. A shoe that can be worn with confidence in its absolute correctness. Just one of the many popular styles of

LEADING LADY SHOES

Custom-Made by C. P. Ford Shoe Co.

The trade mark identifies their worth. They are shoes that wear long and well—comfortable from the first and stylish to the finish. We have them in tan, patent kid and gun metal. Also the R. P. Smith shoes. A very trim and smart shoe—slightly mannish in effect. Men's tan, patent, colt and gun metal Oxfords, all sizes, all widths. Also boys' and misses' oxfords.

SALEM SHOE STORE

REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

G. W. Eyer

F. Maplethorpe