

TODAY is Remnant Day at the Big Store. All odds and ends and short length goods. Choose today from the large assortment HALF PRICE



Coats

For street and every-day wear in this season's newest weaves and colorings of fabrics. All reduced ONE-THIRD and ONE-HALF during our October special sales.

Take Advantage

Ladies' Tailored Suits

This fall styles. The assortment is large and varied. Some are trimmed handsomely with braid and others are plain tailored. Our specials are recognized as money savers.

- \$50.00 Suits—Now..... \$39.85
\$45.00 Suits—Now..... \$38.50
\$57.00 Suits—Now..... \$45.00
and many others with equal price reductions.

Ladies' and Children's Underwear in broken lines and sizes HALF PRICE

Boys' Fancy Jerseys and Sweaters at Reduced Prices

Shoe Special

Don't fail to take advantage of this "Clean Up." It's a money saver. Advance fall style we cannot re-order. All are cut to Clean-Up prices. In this large showing are all sizes and widths of snappy, up-to-date lasts, for men, women and children.

NEW

"Solite" Rubbers, just received. Each pair in a waterproof purse. New Idea. Largest assortment of shoe sundries in the Willamette Valley. Try the new shoe polish—"Two in One," for all kinds of leather.

Economy Savings In Dress Goods

2000 yards of Plain and Mixed Suitings in a very large assortment of styles and colorings, for Women and Children's apparel of all kinds. Best values up to

\$1.50 a yard Now on sale at the yard 50c

YOU

need in order to be a well-dressed man, more than one suit of Clothes and more than one Overcoat. Too many men buy one suit, and wear it constantly until it's gone; it's the same way with overcoats; it's a mistake, both from the point of looks and of economy. We'll show you our Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes; Suits and Overcoats; will see that you have the right clothes and enough of them, if you'll let us. Suits of all kinds, fancy weaves, black, blue; Overcoats, Rafacots, Top Coats; all sorts of good clothes.

This store is the home of HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX Clothes



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Joe Meyers & Sons GOOD-GOODS

TODAY AND TOMORROW

Our Modern Men's Section offers as a special inducement to men and young men the Celebrated "Arrow" Brand Collars at— 10c each

City News

Weather Forecast— Fair this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. When in Portland— Visit Hall's restaurant, 330 Washington street. Gilson's Place—Elever barber chairs. TROVER'S getting busy. W. T. Higdon, Undertaker— Always progressive, up-to-date. Herodias Danced— Before King Herod. Eden Suit— A complaint has been filed in the circuit court by Attorneys John Bayne and J. G. Helzel for one Bernard against Sarah A. Hassan and Wm. R. Allin to recover payment on a labor and material furnished on a dwelling in this city. W. O. W. Dance— Tomorrow night at Woodman hall, corner of State and Liberty streets. Save Your Apples— We buy all kinds of apples, suitable for cider and vinegar. Dance— To your dady, my sweet little lady, and come to the W. O. W. dance on next Friday evening. Johnson & Stege— Is the place to get that suit pressed and cleaned. Take the Children— To see the pictures at the Midway Clean and instructive. Particular— Buyers can always find what they want in the meat line at Steusloff's. The Housewife— Who cannot find time to do her shopping personally. The New Market— At 379 Court street is giving great satisfaction. Did You Know— That the finest line of meats, fish, poultry, groceries, etc., that money can buy are found at Farrington's, the Grocer and Marketman.

PERSONAL MENTION

Time McCulloch returned to Portland today after a short visit here. Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Goulet, of Goulet Inn, are in the city visiting friends. Mrs. J. T. Walsh and Mrs. W. H. Hogan, of Albany, are visiting here for a few days. John Wirth, of Portland, is looking after his business interests in this city. Frank Waters went to Portland this morning to transact business for a short time. Mrs. Edwin Weller returned from Portland last night after visiting in that city for a few days. Mrs. Carey F. Martin returned last night from an extended visit in Washington and Idaho. Mrs. R. F. Sommers, of Stayton, was in the city today shopping and visiting friends. George W. Meyers, of Polk county, was looking after business matters here yesterday. F. M. Henline has returned to Stayton after attending court here for a few days. Rolly Burns returned last night from Portland where he transacted business for a day. J. K. Weatherford, an attorney from Albany, was looking after business matters here yesterday. T. L. Marshall and family left yesterday for Springfield where they will make their future home. Grant Holt and wife left yesterday for Boise and other Idaho points to visit for a number of weeks. Mrs. T. A. Clarke left for Silverton this morning to visit friends for the remainder of the week. Miss Ruth Cummins returned this morning from a week's visit with friends and relatives in Albany. Fred La Grange has returned to his home in Everett, Wash., after a week's visit here with his parents. Mrs. E. J. Peebles, of Turner, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. L. H. Shirley, in this city for a few days. Mrs. Elmer White returned last evening from Portland, to which place she accompanied her son Dolph, who went on to Spokane. Miss Joy Rafferty returned to her home in Woodburn this morning after visiting here with friends for a short time. John Mills, of Gervais, spent yesterday in this city transacting business and shaking hands with old friends. To Stop Quarrying— The rock quarry south of the city will discontinue operations for the winter next Saturday evening, and no more crushed material will be taken from that plant until next summer. General Manager Smart will leave for Portland about Monday. An offer it has been said, has been made by the city for the plant of \$3000, but the contracting company will not consider the price.

R. G. HUNTER IS UNDER ARREST

Sheriff Harry Minto arrived today from Spokane with R. G. Hunter, who is wanted in this city on several charges. Hunter was located in Spokane some time ago by Deputy Sheriff Esch, who at once sent a photo to the Spokane police, and Wednesday the officers of that city wired the local office to come and secure their man. The charge upon which Hunter was arrested is larceny by baillee. Hunter is well known in Salem, he having been agent for a correspondence school here for a few months. It is rumored the school for which he acted as agent has claims against him and several prominent business men in this city are desirous of an "interview" with him.

THE STANDARDS OF LIVING COMPARED

The standard of living among the common laborers about the four mills of Great Britain is decidedly below that of the same class of labor in the United States. It is not otherwise with wages at half or less than that of American standards, with meats, bread, potatoes and rents on practically the same basis as have prevailed in the United States in recent years. Clothing and shoes cost slightly less, though ordinary cotton goods cost as much in England as in the United States. As a rule the common laborer pays out nearly half his wages in rent. None of them own homes, though in small towns the laborers' houses may be part of the mill property, and in such cases the rent is nominal, \$40 to \$50 per year and the condition is further relieved by the use of small garden patches which, however, with the favoring climate, are far more productive than in America. The disposition is toward thrift and close money economy arising from necessity, and not because of any possibility of saving. So great is the rent drain upon the common laborer in the cities that some managers have arranged for homes for the men and their families upon property owned by the milling concerns and leased to the employees at \$1.50 per week, which is said to pay about 5 per cent on the investment. Where provision of this kind is not made rents of \$2 to \$4 per week must be paid. Frequently 50 cents per week is paid out for accident and death insurance very generally carried by the better class of common and skilled labor. Often provision to the extent of 50 to 75 cents per week must be made for aged relatives. To the man earning when employed but \$5 to \$7 per week, with fixed expenses seldom less than \$3 per week for rents and necessities other than food, it may be assumed that the food supply for the two to six people constituting the average family is far from adequate in the American sense of the term. With the skilled mill employees earn-

ing \$7.50 to \$9 per week the case is improved only to the point of placing such mechanics on about the level of the very ordinary grades of laborers in the United States. Superintendents and foremen are well paid and their standard of living is quite equal to similar occupations in America. Positions requiring administrative or executive ability seem generally to be filled by men as well qualified and as well paid as we would expect to find in our own country, but with all minor places in office or mill it is quite different. No matter how intricate the work or how skillful the man who does it is "work," and the workman must take the consequences of his position, including the low wage his humble place in society calls for.—Consular Report on Flour Milling Industry in United Kingdom.

Utilization of Farm Waste.

Dr. Wiley, the chemist of the department of agriculture, is making some interesting experiments at Washington in turning farm waste into wood alcohol, for use as fuel and for manufacturing purposes. As far as the experiment has yet gone, it has dealt with corn and potatoes, which were only useful as animal food. The making of alcohol from "fodder" would tend to stimulate one of the worst tendencies of farming at present, which is to sell the crops instead of feeding them on the farm. All through the hill country of the east we hear about abandoned farms, and complaint is widespread

that our lands have deteriorated so that farmers are unable to make their living. Part of this is due to stripping the forests from the hillsides, thus decreasing the water supply, leaving fields to run dry which formerly had abundant moisture. But more of it is due to the failure to feed out on the farm as much of the crop as possible, thus securing the needed fertilizer in the natural way, and of the best possible quality. If as the result of Dr. Wiley's experiments mills are set up in farming communities and the farmers sell to the stills corn and small potatoes on which they might raise pigs, the farmers will have to invest their profits from the stills in commercial fertilizers, which will be inferior to that which they could have secured from their own barnyards. There is talk of using watermelons and muskmelons which fall to come to maturity, and no doubt there is a good deal of waste which could be turned into alcohol with greater profit than any use to which it is now put. But as a general principle, the greatest enemy of good farming is the man who interferes with the natural cycle by which vegetable products are returned to the soil. The greatest waste in this country is that by which the sewage from our towns is allowed to poison streams or to be carried into the sea, instead of being returned to the soil. The man who will prevent a process by which that waste can be restored to its proper place in the economy of nature, without danger to health, will be a public benefactor of most far-reaching usefulness. If the department of agriculture can solve that problem, the secretary under whom the work is done will become a historical figure to rank with our greatest statesmen.—Brooklyn Eagle.

BARR'S Jewelers

GIFTS

The selection of a birthday or a wedding gift here at this time can only be welcomed charmingly by the recipient. The store is full of new things, remember, and you know, that everything we sell possesses all the taste, skill and grace in their making that the modern master of jewel craft knows how to lavish on an artistic production. You know, too, that our prices are always reasonable.

BARR'S Jewelers

Ah! Another hit for lovers of good amusement at

THE STAR HOME OF HIGH CLASS FUN

Have a big new bill that is bound to please the public. LOOK at this lot of feature subjects. The Motor Boat Races at Monaco 1908 the greatest boat races ever witnessed. Most interesting and instructive. "THE MAGIC DICE"—Comic "MAKING ARABIAN POTTERY" "THE MAGIC MIRROR"—Comic SONGS T. L. WILLIAMS, "No One Knows" "You Cannot Stop Your Heart from Beating" DON'T forget the Magnificent prize to be given every day.

CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL FRANCHISE DEFENSE (United Press Special Wire) Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 22.—Following the defeat in a referendum vote yesterday of the franchise order which the Municipal Trust company is operating its three-cent fare system, Secretary Davis of the Cleveland Railway company formally demanded that the Dupont of the Municipal company turn over immediately the franchise in the city to the Cleveland company for operation. Mayor Tom L. Johnson, had the three-cent fare scheme, today declared that he favors a new grant stipulating that seven cents must be sold for 35 cents and making possible the retention of the three-cent fare. CALRERA PLAYS U. S. FOR A GOOD TIME (United Press Special Wire) San Francisco, Oct. 22.—The States Immigration inspectors have been investigating naturalization frauds in the city and in Washington today revealing the fact that Diego Estru Cabrera, son of the Guatemalan president, is a naturalized citizen of the United States. The report reveals that Cabrera took this step at the instance of his father. It is alleged that the president of Guatemala took this step of safeguarding his property in a southern republic under the American citizenship of his son. After young Cabrera became a citizen his father began the transfer of large property holdings to this country and Guatemala to the United States still continue to protect the action, and in the event of a revolution in Guatemala could be called to protect young Cabrera's interests, say the officials.

STARR PIANO HIGH CLASS GOODS GEO. C. WILL

MONEY TO LOAN THOR K. PUL Over Ladd & Bush's Bank, Salem.

Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society Frank Meredith, Resident Agent, Office with Wm. Brown & Co., 28 Commercial street.

NEW TODAY For Sale—Several houses in city and farm lands at a bargain. Ital National Bank.

Wanted—Bay mare, age 4 to 5 years; weight about 1250 lbs. and not afraid of autos. C. Teeple, Salem, Route No. 1, Box Farm 726.

Lost—White and liver pointer, months old; collar on. Price 675, or write to L. H. McMillan, 791 N. Front street.

For Sale—By owner, good barn, shed, cow, horse, wagon and buggy; ten lots fenced and cultivated; fruit trees; corner Twenty-second and Turner Road.