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485TH WEDNESDAY SURPRISE TODAY--WHITE SALE OF FLOSS PILLOWS

Today the Bedding Section (Second Floor) offers a brand new shipment of Floss Pillows as an opening special for the White Sale. Every woman should take advantage of this special offer as they are convenient to take on the vacation or throw two or three around on the porch or in the den. A good pillow has many uses and that is the kind we are offering today.

- Special at 22¢
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Special at 33¢
24-inch size, June White Days
Special at 42¢
26-inch size, June White Days
Special at 46¢

White Sale of Boys' Wash Suits

The styles are Buster Brown, Russian Blouse, Sailor and Middy Combination Suits with extra pair of Knickerbocker pants. This hot weather and these special prices will cause them to move fast, so we advise mothers to bring the boys in as early as possible if you want to make selections while the shoeing is complete.

Boys' White Hats, Caps, Tams, Etc., at White Sale Prices

Make Room Sale Women's Wool Tailored Suits at Bargain Prices

Bargains do not necessarily mean things sold for less than their real worth, a useless or unnecessary article is not a bargain at any price. But these suits are real bargains and every woman who buys one is practicing true economy. Three different lots, as follows:

- Lot No. 1--Suits, values from \$28.50 to \$50.00; our very best models; special Make-Room... \$23.85
Lot No. 2--Suits, values from \$20.00 to \$25.00; perfectly tailored, exclusive styles; to close... \$14.85
Lot No. 3--Suits, values from \$4.50 to \$27.50; grand special Make-Room Sale at only \$ 9.95

Muslinwear at World of White Special Prices, Lingerie and Tailored Waists Reduced in Price, 65,000 yards of Lace and Embroidery Reduced, Grand Sale of Lace Curtains at Special Prices, White Suitings and Waistings Reduced, White Sale of Handkerchiefs at Special Prices. Special Prices, Hammocks at Special Prices.

Get yours before they are gone. We are closing out the entire line at prices that are making them move fast. Don't delay, act at once and save money. (Second Floor.)



ROUTINE BUSINESS OF COUNCIL

HELD LONG SESSION, MOST OF THE TIME BEING DEVOTED TO BRIDGE, STREET AND SIDE-WALK MATTERS

Mayor Rodgers was late in arriving last evening, and the council was in no temper to wait, so it proceeded to organize for the transaction of business by calling Councilman Johnson to the chair. He had not held sway long, however, before the mayor appeared upon the scene, when he surrendered his gavel and took his seat among the aldermen. In addition to a considerable amount of general routine business, the councilmen permitted themselves to indulge in considerable discussion, and the hour hand of the clock was near 11 when an adjournment was taken.

The ordinance committee made a favorable report upon a petition for the repeal of an ordinance licensing real estate dealers and also recommended that an ordinance licensing steamboats and wharves be repealed. An ordinance was submitted for their repeal, but it was committed at its second reading.

The committee on streets reported that the bid of the Capital Improvement Company was the lowest for the improvement of Saginaw street, and that the contract had been awarded. It also reported in favor of awarding the contract for the improvement of a block on Trade street to the Warren Construction Company, and this was done.

The sewer committee submitted an amendment to the plumbing ordinance, and this was adopted.

A petition for the transference of the liquor license of Cooper & McDonald to John Grønnells was granted.

A petition was submitted by residents living near Seventeenth street and Asylum avenue, asking that the religious meetings being held there be regulated. The petitioners complained that there was too much noise being made, that the services were carried into late hours of the night, and that generally it was a nuisance. The matter was referred to the chief of police and Councilman Eldridge.

Enlivened by Tilt.

Councilman Lachmund, on behalf of the committee on lights, reported upon the petition of a Mr. Wasson, in relation to the transference of a sign from his present place of business to a new stand he will soon occupy. He stated that it was his understanding that Wasson desired to have a post erected to sustain the sign, and that he was not in favor of it, as it would not add to the artistic side of the city; might obstruct the sidewalk and also interfere with the cluster lights which it is proposed to install at some future time. He asked the council to take action on the matter.

ELDRIDGE WILL SPEAK.

Is An Authority on Good Roads and Is Sent Out by Agricultural Department.

The people of Salem will be given an opportunity tomorrow afternoon and evening of listening to addresses by M. O. Eldridge, of the United States Department of Agriculture, on the subject of good roads, and it will be an opportunity which those interested in the good road movement cannot afford to miss.

Mr. Eldridge is thoroughly conversant with the subject upon which he will speak, and will be able to impart information which will be of inestimable value to the people of the city and county. He attended the recent good roads convention in France, and has been in attendance at every convention of any consequence held on the American continent, and his association with men who are experts on good roads in these conventions, together with his study and experience in the subject has made him an authority in the United States.

His address will be confined, not alone as to what enters into the composition of good roads, but it will cover the various procedures to be followed in the raising of the necessary funds for their construction—a problem which now confronts the good road enthusiasts of the state, and which they are anxious to solve. The subject of good roads is one that has been uppermost in the minds of the people of the city, and the county, for some time, but because of the lack of knowledge upon the subject they have so far been unable to launch an intelligent campaign—that is as intelligent as desired—and they should welcome an opportunity to secure data, and information of all kinds tomorrow from Mr. Eldridge.

The petition for the sprinkling of North Winter street was referred to Councilman Greenbaum.

A petition to improve Turner street was referred to the committee on streets.

A communication was received from the Oregon Electric Railroad Company, stating that it would assist as far as possible in every respect in the improvement of High street.

A resolution was submitted fixing the width of the improvement of Capitol street at 40 feet, and also instructing the engineers to proceed with the work, and it was passed.

A resolution was submitted by Councilman Greenbaum providing for the installation of cement walks on the north and south side of State street east of the Mill Creek bridge. This means about 11 blocks of sidewalk.

The city attorney was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the improvement of North Commercial street.

Plans and specifications were ordered prepared for the construction

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of a concrete bridge over North Mill creek on North Capitol street. Bids were submitted by the Salem Construction Company, and also by another firm who had no signature attached either to the bid or check, but they were both rejected because of being too high.

ELDRIDGE TRIED TO RESIGN.

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we have always worked harmoniously, and while he is engaged in business he has as much time to spare as the rest of us," and some more to the same general tenor and effect.

"I am sorry to have him quit, but hope he will do less talking," interposed Councilman Manning, and then Councilman Johnson leaped to his feet and submitted a motion that the matter be referred to the mayor with instruction that he use his influence to prevail upon him to reconsider.

Councilman Greenbaum then gained the floor long enough to say: "I hope he will reconsider; I would hate to lose him," and after Councilman Eldridge had stated that he had not expected "all those bouquets," and assigned as his reason for resigning that "old age was creeping on and also infirmities," the question came to a vote.

The vote was not unanimous, but the mayor announced that "the eyes seem to have it, and the eyes have it, and it is so ordered," and so ended the first chapter in the resignation of Councilman Eldridge, and the second is now in process of construction.

FILE SUITS TO ENJOIN.

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roads might persuade the judge that no injunction was necessary.

To Rush the Cases.

St. Louis, Mo., June 1.—The government today filed an "expediting certificate" in the federal court here asking that the issues in the suit to restrain the 25 western railroads from increasing freight rates be given precedence over other cases on the court calendar. It was announced after the filing of the suit that this action would be taken.

The filing of the expediting certificate, according to Special Agent Johnson, of the department of justice, is the last action that will be taken by the government until the July term begins.

To Cure Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c TTS

TAKES UP THE WATER QUESTION

CITY COUNCIL WILL GIVE COMPANY A CHANCE TO REDUCE PRICE OF PLANT BEFORE SUBMITTING PROPOSITION TO A VOTE.

Because it desires to submit to the people the best offer that the Salem Water company can make in relation to the sale of its water plant to the city, the city council last evening after considering the proposition of a mountain water system for the city as outlined in a report on the subject submitted by Engineer Whistler instructed the water committee to again wait upon the water company and learn if it is not desirous of making a better price on its plant.

The question was the last matter to be considered by the council and it resolved itself into a committee of the whole, with Alderman Greenbaum in the chair for its consideration. Mayor Rodgers then gained the floor and proceeded to give an outline and history of the work done in an endeavor to secure for the city a mountain water system. He stated that three propositions were now open to the city—that of purchasing the plant belonging to the Salem Water company—that of securing a gravity system either from Breitenbush Springs or from the North Fork of the Santiam river, and that the subject had now resolved itself down to a matter of procedure.

Submit But One Question.

He had advocated the submission to the voters of but one question—and that was as to whether they desired to purchase the plant of the Salem Water company as to submit any alternatives with it would probably result in confusion and such a division of the vote that the whole subject might go down in defeat. Under the charter he explained, it was mandatory to submit to the people the proposition of the purchase of the present plant before action could be taken looking to the installation of an independent plant, and that should the people vote down the proposed purchase of the Salem water plant, the council would then be in a position to submit to the voters the considerations of other systems.

He stated he was not satisfied with the price submitted with relation to the plant, and that he believed that the regular water committee should wait on the company, and ascertain whether it would not make a better offer before the question was submitted to the people for their vote. After considerable discussion of the subject the council voted to do so, and a report will be submitted by the committee at the next meeting of the council.

PICTURE SHOW WILL BE FREE

The good roads illustrated lectures Thursday (tomorrow) will be held in the Mascot theatre on State street at 2:30 and 8:00 o'clock p. m. It is free and everybody should see the wonderful pictures.

Mrs. M. Montgomery, of Junction city, who has been visiting Mrs. John M. Throne, returned to her home today.

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Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society
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WANTED—At once, large acreage tracts near Salem to subdivide, by one of the oldest and most reliable real estate firms in Salem. Send amount and description of land in an envelope marked, "Acreage," care Journal Office, Salem, Oregon. 5-31-2t--

WANTED—20 men for town work: strawberry pickers; men to saw wood, \$1.25 per cord; girl for general housework; housekeepers for town and country. A. C. Smith & Co., 444 State St. Phone 1507.

HELP WANTED. WANTED—75 more women and girls at once to work in cannery. Mutual Canning Co.

Lot, Miller and Saginaw; \$650; excellent buy. Lot 50x200 on 24th st.; \$10 down, balance \$5 per month. New bungalow on southeast corner of 17th and Court sts.; \$3750; terms.

Lot in Highland ave; \$10 down, \$5 per month. Lot, 40x160, half block of state house \$2500.

Lot, 13th and Center streets, \$1050; a good buy. Excellent lot on 23d street, \$190; \$10 down, \$5 per month. Terms can be had on all of the above.

See SMITH-GILLINGHAM CO., Room 5, McCormack Bldg. Phone 96 or 1023.

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Wrappers, big line...75c to \$4.50
\$4.00 Silk Waists, sale...\$2.75
White Waists, 25 per cent discount.
Union Suits 75c, 85c and \$1.00
65c yard Wash Silk, sale, 45c
12c yard Embroidery... 8c
Summer Goods, all kinds—big sale.
Men's Pants...\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00
\$3.75 Heavy Shoes, sale \$2.90
45c Good Undershirts...30c
Men's Overshirts...25c, 50c, 75c to \$1.00
325 N. Commercial Street SALEM, OREGON

CITY NEWS.

The children tonight at the Grand. Their scenes with The Merry Cobbler are very pretty.

Strawberry Crates—And boxes for sale at Salem Fruit Union. 5-19 to 6-1

Gleeson's barber shop
Gleeson's cigar store
Gleeson's baths open all day Sunday 12-4-w-s-tf

Annual June Play—At the Grand tonight. Be sure to be there. It will do you as much good as a month's vacation.

McNary Delivered Address—Deputy District Attorney McNary left this morning for Amity, where today he delivered the principal address at the annual meeting of the Yamhill Pioneer association.

New Partnership—Harry Ralph has resigned his position with Collins and Hamilton, after seven years with them, to enter into partnership with Lefe Hill. The firm name will still remain Lefe Hill.

The Merry Cobbler—Tonight at the Grand. You can't afford to miss it. The play that will make you laugh till your sides ache.

Leaped from Car Window—O. Peterson, a laboring man, while enroute to Lebanon from Portland on the Southern Pacific train yesterday afternoon, leaped from the window in the smoking car while the train was nearing New Era, and in addition to sustaining a broken leg, he also sustained severe bruises about the chest. He was picked up and placed under the care of Dr. Dedmond of Canby. He declined to talk about the matter, but it is believed that the leap was made with suicidal intent.

Lice soon eat up your profits. Kill this pest quickly with Conkey's Lice Powder, Lice Liquid, and Head Lice Ointment. H. W. Thelsson.

See Miss Ethel Thomas—

Tonight as the wronged wife of Holmes, the villain. Your heart will go out to her in her hour of sadness, and you will rejoice with her in her triumph.

Is Elected Queen—

Miss Lila Hayes, daughter of Homer Hayes, has been elected queen of the Modern Woodmen picnic to be held in the city Saturday. Miss Hayes is popular, attractive, and accomplished, and well fitted to grace the position to which she has been elected.

Ayer Appointed to Commission—

Hon. W. B. Ayer, of Multnomah county, was today appointed to membership on the State Library Commission.

To Deliver Graduating Address—

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Ackerman left today for Cottage Grove, where this evening he will deliver an address to the graduating class of the high school of that city.

Mr. Bush Improving—

Banker A. Bush was affected by the heat day before yesterday and had several fainting spells. Cooler weather today has helped him and he is much improved.

Awarded Preliminary Contract—

The State Desert Land Board held a session yesterday afternoon, and besides transacting considerable business of a routine character, it also entered into a preliminary contract with an irrigation company for the reclamation of 90,000 acres of arid land, in Lake county.

SMITH WANTS VEAL
We will pay as follows for first-class produce. Ship by express:
Veal...10c
Pork...12c
Live Hens...18c
Live spring chickens...23c
pound...20c to 22 1/2c
EGGS...23c
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"Fightin' the Beef Trust."
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Sore Nipples. Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by all good druggists.