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MEN!

Here Is Your Chance

- Good Quality Work Sox 5c
- Extra Heavy Quality Work Sox, sold everywhere for 12 1-2c, our price 8 1-3c
- Men's B. V. D. Union Suits, now 79c
- Men's Porosknit Union Suits now 79c
- Men's 25c Garters now 14c
- Men's 25c Suspenders, now 19c
- Men's Balbriggan Union Suits, now 59c
- Men's Dress Shirts 49c and 98c
- Hats for hop pickers, now 9c and 17c
- Men's Work Sox, now 5c
- Men's Dress Sox, in black and tan 9c
- Men's Four-in-Hand Ties, now 9c
- Boys' Shirts and Drawers, each 15c

Gorgeous, Richest Silks and Dress Goods for Less Than Present Manufacturers' Prices

- 27-inch wide Silk Poplin, white ground, with black dots, regular 65c 39c
- Rich Wash Goods of Silk and Mohair, cream ground with large embroidered dots in colors of blue, lavender and pink; formerly sold for 65c yard, now only 29c
- Jap Silk, all colors, per yard 19c
- \$1.25 Fine Quality Messaline, now 68c
- 40-in. wide Crepe de Chine, flesh color only, yd \$1.48 48c
- 36-inch wide Storm and French Serges 23c
- 36-inch wide Scotch Plaids, suitable for children's school dresses 23c
- 56-inch wide Fine Flannel Cloth, reg. \$1.25, now 88c
- 56-inch wide Panama Cloth, regular \$2.00, now 88c
- Genuine Oregon City Wool Flannel, in colors of navy, red and grey, very special 49c

Opportunity

Wonderfully Expressed in this Sale of Fine Domestic

- Siam Twill Outing Flannel, extra heavy quality. Comes in colors of pearl grey, old rose, lavender and blue; regular price 15c, now only 10c
- Lace Cloth, regular 15c, now only 9c
- 36-inch wide Passaic, soft finish chables in a beautiful assortment of dainty patterns, just the thing for quilt coverings, special 12 1-2c
- 27-inch Fine Comfort Cloth, in pretty floral designs, special 8 1-3c
- Fine Dress Ginghams, regular 15c, now only 11c
- Duckling Fleece, regular 18c, now only 11c
- 36-inch wide Frolic Cloth, regular 20c, now only 14c
- 36-inch wide Peralce, in dark and light patterns 11c
- Heavy quality Unbleached Muslin, 36 inches wide 9c
- Heavy White Outing Flannel, 12 1/2c quality for 9 1/2c
- 15c quality for 11c
- Heavy White Domet Flannel, special 7 1/2c
- Heavy Turkish Towels, 18x36 16c
- Heavy Turkish Towels, 22x42 23c

New Fall Apparel

Distinctive and refined—those words best give you an idea of the new Fall Suits, Coats and Separate Skirts we are now showing in our big store. The styles are chic and pretty, yet conservative. The suits show a slight tendency toward snugness—the coats are fitted at the waist line. Some show a natural incurve while others are belted. The skirts are quite full, many being pleated. The straight line, plain effect, seems to gain favor. The new Fall Coats—light weight, soft Bolivia cloth and soft velour are exceedingly popular, as well as fancy mixtures, fancy plaids, velvet, plush, fur cloth, Matalam, Uralam and velveteen. Fur trimmings are used extensively.

- Suits Specially Priced .. \$6.65 to \$24.45
- Coats Specially priced .. \$4.90 to \$22.45
- Skirts Specially Priced .. \$2.45 to \$4.95

CLOSING OUT

- Entire Lot of Black Silk Waists, made of Taffeta, Crepe de Chine, and Duchess Satin, values to \$5.00, while they last only 98c
- \$1.50 Voile Waists, to close out 49c
- Fine Dress Skirts, very special \$2.45 to \$4.95
- Outing and Street Skirts, made of silk corduroy, in colors of torpedo grey and seal brown indeed a bargain \$3.95
- Khaki Skirts, special \$1.29
- Khaki Riding Skirts \$2.29

New Wash Skirts

- Made of fine Raffle Linen, Gabardine and Hydegrade Striped Skirt Cloth. Come in plain white and in the newest waving stripes, in navy, pink and black, also checks.
- Regular \$1.50 Skirts for 98c
- Regular \$1.75 Skirts for \$1.29
- Regular \$2.00 Skirts for \$1.39
- Regular \$2.25 Skirts for \$1.49
- Regular \$3.50 Skirts for \$1.98

NOTIONS

- Dress Combs 2 for 25c
- Dress Fasteners, per dozen 4c
- Safety Pins, per dozen 2 1-2c
- O. N. T. Thread, per spool 4c
- Wire Hair Pins, per box 4c
- Diamond Dye, per package 8c
- 25c and 30c Extra Wide Hair Ribbon, yard 19c
- Crepe de Chine Windsor Ties in novelty shapes 25c
- Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, neatly embroidered 10c or 3 for 55c
- Soft Finish Swiss Handkerchiefs 4c
- Fine Quality Rubber Bathing Caps, in colors of red and green, 25c

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SALEM - OREGON

NOTIONS

- Ribbon Remnants, values to 20c, for 5c
- H. M. C. and Star Mercerized Crochet Thread, all sizes and colors 8c
- Fine Mesh Silk Hair Nets with elastic 4c
- 5c Pearl Buttons 3c
- 5c Pearl Buttons 5c
- Children's Supporters of extra wide elastic, all sizes 10c
- Boat Hair Pins, per box only 5c
- Sticker Edging, all colors, per belt 4c
- Luster Cotton, all the newest shades 6 for 25c

DRAMATIC CLIMAX

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by the favorable judgment of society" they have declined to accept this means of settlement, he said.

Want to Be Coerced.

The railroads fear the influence of hostile shippers and they apparently feel no confidence that the interstate commerce commission could withstand the objections that would be made, the president said.

"They do not care to rely upon the friendly assurances of congress or the president. They have thought it best that they should be forced to yield, if they must yield, not by counsel but by the suffering of the country."

The president tonight at 8 o'clock will go to the capitol again to confer with Speaker Clark, Representative Kitchin, floor leader of the house, Representative Mann, republicans leader in the house and Chairman Adamson of the house interstate commerce committee and will urge early action on his proposal.

Republicans manifested opposition early today and indicated they would need considerable time for debate. Nevertheless, administration officials feel that the entire program will go through within 10 days.

Neither Side Will Yield.

Washington, Aug. 28.—The end of President Wilson's efforts to negotiate peace between the railroads and the railroad brotherhoods was expected today.

Having exhausted every means of bringing the two parties together on some common ground and prevent a nation-wide strike, the president was prepared to seek through legislation what apparently cannot be accomplished by persuasion.

The situation goes to congress. Conference last night with both the railroad brotherhoods and the railroad executives developed only that neither side would yield anything. The president then began work at once on the message he will deliver before a joint

session of congress today or tomorrow. He recommended legislation designed to delay the impending strike or bring it to a quick end—if it is in full swing before congress passes the laws in question.

Both Sides Refuse.

Danger of the strike again became acute today. The brotherhoods at the White House last night refused the president's urgent request, that the strike be called for a walkout of 400,000 trainmen at 7 a. m. Labor day, he recalled. The railroad executives informed of this later announced a defiant air.

"There's going to be a strike. That's certain. Let's have it. It will clear the air. And that is the only thing to do now," one prominent railroad president declared. "It will show the people of the country what is really going on in the industrial world."

Holding out to the last, the railway president today tendered President Wilson their refusal to accept the final proposal for settlement he submitted yesterday—concession of the eight hour day—with all the time necessary for a commission of five to investigate its

application to railroad operation. At the same time they met with him the concrete proposal was made and been trying to submit since May's wonderful remedy. One dose will convince you. It usually gives complete and permanent results—even in the most stubborn cases. One dose will convince you. May's Wonderful Remedy is sold by leading druggists everywhere with the positive understanding that your money will be refunded without question or quibble if ONE bottle fails to give you absolute satisfaction.

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So many stomach sufferers have been benefited by a simple prescription of vegetable oils which cured a Chicago druggist of chronic stomach, liver and intestinal trouble of years' standing that we want you surely to try this remedy. It is known as May's Wonderful Remedy. One dose will convince you. It usually gives complete and permanent results—even in the most stubborn cases. One dose will convince you. May's Wonderful Remedy is sold by leading druggists everywhere with the positive understanding that your money will be refunded without question or quibble if ONE bottle fails to give you absolute satisfaction.

For Sale by J. G. PERRY, Druggist

BOARD FIXES TUITION

NON-RESIDENTS \$72.57

Books Audited Found Correct
--Several Changes of Teachers Made

Pupils attending the Salem high school living in districts outside of Salem will be asked to pay \$72.57 a year tuition, half of this amount to be paid at the beginning of each semester.

After discussing the school tuition problem from various angles, the following, introduced by director H. O. White, was passed: "Resolved, That the tuition of students attending the high school from Polk county and other counties operating under the old county high school law be placed at \$72.57. This is with the understanding that Polk county and other counties under the high school law pay \$40 of this amount for each student and that the student pay the balance, half at the beginning of each semester."

There is a difference as to what it costs to educate a student. The board of directors figured interest on investment and depreciation, while the state department of education contends that the investment in grounds, buildings and depreciation should not be considered in figuring the cost of doing business. Chairman Lee reported that the board's attorney Geo. G. Bingham was working on the problem.

W. L. Staley who had been secured by the board to audit the books from Sept. 8, 1915, to July 19, 1916, reported that he found the records as kept by W. H. Burghardt, Jr., to be correct that the amount handled by Mr. Burghardt during the year approximated \$140,000.

Several changes were made in the teaching force on account of teachers leaving, including the resignations of Mrs. Mary Meador of the Grant school, E. E. Horning of the commercial department and Miss Charlotte Blaazza of the high school teacher of art.

Mrs. J. J. Winchell elected to a grade position, resigned as the salary was not satisfactory and her position filled by Miss Vivian Heck will be assistant librarian for ten months at \$20 a month. Vacancies made by resignations will be filled at a meeting called for Friday September 1. In the educational world it appears to be the custom for teachers to apply and be elected to the position held the preceding year and to sign contracts and then during the summer, if something better shows up, to resign. According to the state law, after a contract has been signed by a teacher, she may resign and the board is obliged to accept the resignation within 30 days.

Nun Killed by Auto

Two Others Badly Hurt

Lewiston, Idaho, Aug. 29.—Sister Rose, a woman of Benedictine order is dead today and two other nuns suffering from serious injuries as the result of an automobile runaway down a steep hill near St. Gertrude convent.

William Hoordsman, driver, clung to the wheel until his car rolled over several times. He was probably fatally hurt.

Claxtar News

(Capital Journal Special Service)
Claxtar, Aug. 29.—Mrs. S. Wirt Browning has returned from several weeks spent with her mother in Kansas. Mrs. Browning was called east by the illness of her mother, whom she left somewhat improved in health.

Dr. Martha J. Allen of La Grande, Ore. was a Salem visitor this week. Prune trees in this portion of the county are so heavily laden with fruit that much propping is necessary to prevent breaking valuable branches. Everybody possesses a big prune crop and big prices owing to the demand for this staple in war countries.

Dairymen here allege that never within recollection have flies been so troublesome to stock as the present season. Many dairymen are using different preparations to spray their cattle, who claim that without this precaution, the fly nuisance reduces an output of cream in spite of succulent food.

A peculiar blue bean has made its appearance this season, which threatens to reduce other varieties to "has-beens." Mrs. Frank Holtzclaw of this neighborhood secured 3 beans from relatives in Tennessee. From this small beginning several hundred plants were secured, after 3 years sowing all seed.

The bean, which attains 10 inches in length is a brilliant blue in color. The bean is being used here for home canning, and is not only tender and delicious, long after other varieties are gone but also yields double the quantity of any bean experimented with in this bean belt.

Mrs. Thomas Larson, Miss Edith Larson and Mrs. Monroe Sturgis were Salem visitors Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Sturgis are pleasantly located at Lakebrook.

Dogwood trees here are taking their semi-annual bloom. These exquisite blossoms appeared twice last season and are repeating the phenomenon again this year.

Edward A. Matthes spent Sunday at his home here.

Threshing work which occupies farmers at this time, is being pushed rapidly forward to avoid probable rain, and also to complete the work as early as possible before hop season begins. The Matthes threshing is in the Colford neighborhood and is having a successful run.

The Ed T. Hall family of this place attended the funeral of Mrs. Hall's uncle, John L. Johnson of Woodburn last week. Mr. Johnson's funeral was largely attended by relatives and pioneers, a very large crowd assembling to pay final respects to this pioneer who had turned wild land into productive gardens and who had been one of Oregon's truest sons for the last 50 years.

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SAYS CEMENT TRUST RUINING BUSINESS

Oswego Cement Company Sues Alleged Trust for \$1,500,000 Damages

Portland, Ore., Aug. 29.—In a \$1,500,000 suit on file in the United States court here today, 14 big western and Canadian cement companies are charged with illegally combining in violation of the Sherman and Clayton anti-trust acts. The action was instituted by Amos Moore, vice-president and treasurer of the Oregon Portland Cement company of Oregon.

He asserts the alleged international seeks to absolutely control or ruin his concern, that it arbitrarily confines his production of cement to one-sixth the capacity of his plant, dictates the exact territory he may do business in and has attempted several times to ruin him by methods known in the world of high finance. It is further alleged that the combine makes coast states pay \$1,200,000 more for cement annually than they should pay.

The following defendants are named: Pacific Portland Cement company, Portland, Ore.; Santa Cruz Portland Cement company, San Francisco; Standard Portland Cement company, San Francisco; Henry Cowell Lime and Cement company, San Francisco; Washington Portland Cement company, Seattle; Superior Portland Cement company, Seattle; Olympic Portland Cement company, Seattle; Colorado Portland Cement company, Denver; International Portland Cement company, Spokane; Lehigh Portland Cement company, Allentown, Pa.; Three Forks Portland Cement company, Butte, Mont.; Cement Securities company, Denver; Union Portland Cement company, Ogden, Utah; Vancouver Portland Cement company, Limited, of Vancouver, B. C., and a number of individuals.

ophers are the owners of new Ford automobiles. This does the crowd of good roads boosters increase.

Miss Pauline Denny is the guest of Mrs. Edith Hinshaw of Corvallis, Oregon.

The second annual Siletz fair, in progress at Siletz, Oregon, on the 23, 24 and 25 of this month, is being largely attended by people from Chemawa school, Clatsop county, and Gen. Pratt, founder of Carlisle, are among the celebrities present in addition to many lesser lights.

Soudan grass is not the only tall plant to be seen this year as a cottage in this vicinity has chrysantheums 9 feet tall, growing along its western wall. The plants are the product of good soil, and favorable location, but the same plants last year attained a height of only 4 feet. It will be remembered that Hayesville and Claxtar are the banner chrysantheum neighborhoods. Many fine flowers will be exhibited at the autumn 'mum show which meets the second week of November at Hayesville and is under the auspices of the progressive aid society of that place.

Safe Blowers Made Good Haul from Bank

Homer, Ill., Aug. 29.—Safe blowers early today broke into the Citizens and Raynor and Babbs banks here, blew the doors off the vaults and safes and escaped in an automobile with \$8,000, after cutting telephone wires from the banks and the sheriff's home. The robbers fled toward Stickeen, Ill., with Sheriff Gus Evans and a citizens posse in pursuit.

INDOOR LIFE MAKES FAT

TRY OIL OF KOREIN TO KEEP WEIGHT DOWN, OR TO REDUCE SUPERFLUOUS FAT.

People who are confined within doors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air and exercise must take precaution to guard against over-stress, as fat acquired by indoor life is unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body. Lack of exercise in the fresh air is said to weaken the oxygen carrying power of the blood, so that it is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality and the formation of unsightly and unhealthy fat is the result.

If you are 15 or 20 pounds above normal weight you are daily drawing on your reserve strength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden. Any persons who are satisfied in their own mind that they are too stout are advised to go to Central Pharmacy or a good druggist and get a box of oil of korein capsules, and take one after each meal and one just before retiring at night.

Even a few days treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight, improved digestion and a return of the old energy; footsteps become lighter and the skin less flabby in appearance as superfluous fat disappears.

Oil of korein is inexpensive, cannot injure, and helps the digestion. Any person who wants to reduce 15 or 20 pounds is advised to give this treatment a trial.

STRAW VOTE FOR WILSON

A straw vote taken on the incoming Willamette Pacific train by Vernon Gies and Lloyd Brooks, of the Atlas club ball team, yesterday stood 80 for Wilson and 54 for Hughes. One woman voted for Roosevelt and 15 refused to vote, nine not having decided and six not caring to express their political leaning. The vote in the smoker stood 33 for Wilson and 26 for Hughes. The women voted two to one for Wilson, said Brooks last night, the ratio of women to men on the train being 50-50.—Eugene Daily Register, Rep.

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