

June Clearance Sale

**Sale Closes
Next Sat.
June 28**

Have you paid this great sale a visit yet? If not do not put it off longer to do so. The end of it is rapidly hovering in sight and the chances to secure some of the splendid bargains it has to offer are growing slimmer every hour. **F**airly complete assortments are still on hand to pick from despite the heavy selling which has prevailed along all lines.

Therefore an excellent variety of choice is assured you on the things you desire most. Our advice is that you should hurry

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COTTONWOOD AND VICINITY

Personal Mention and Local Happenings of the Week

Thursday was the hottest day so far recorded in Cottonwood, the thermometer registering 94.

The city rock crusher is again being put in operation. The rock to be crushed will be used at the convent.

Mrs. Seth Jones is spending a few days in Cottonwood from her home in the Whitebird country visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rooke.

W. J. Clausen finished painting the big barn for Geo. Gehring, 9 miles from Cottonwood. This is one of the largest barns on the point.

M. G. Gillespie of the Joseph section was a Cottonwood business visitor this week from his ranch. Mr. Gillespie stated that the weather on the river has been dry and hot but that the crops were standing up fine under these conditions.

Miss Mary Miller accompanied by her daughter, Margaret, who for the past nine months has been engaged as domestic science teacher in the Cottonwood schools departed Wednesday morning for Rose Lake, Idaho where they will spend the summer with W. Triplett.

A number of railroad officials passed through Cottonwood Wednesday evening in a special car attached to the regular train on a trip of inspection. Those in the party were. Manager of the Western Division of the N. P., Mr. Blanchard and Supt. R. E. Hanarhan, superintendent of the Camas Prairie.

Miss Vivian Baker left Saturday morning for Lewiston where she visited with friends for a day on Sunday was joined by her mother, and departed the same day for Pullman, Wash. Miss Vivian will take music at the summer school of the Pullman State College. They will be gone practically all summer.

"Tip Top" the flower of flours. 23-2f
Senator Nate Pettibone and family were in the city Thursday and while here took in a number of the chautauqua and pronounced it as first class.

Zola Giezanner was a passenger for Ilo Thursday where she attended the funeral of a relative, Zell Elliott, a 19-year old boy who was killed in an automobile accident there Monday.

LOST—Suitcase between the slaughter house and Cottonwood. Suitcase contained children's and woman's clothes. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward. 24-2

Joe Kinzer, of Uniontown, Wash., an oversea soldier who recently was discharged from the service arrived in Cottonwood the first of the week to spend a few days at the home of sister, Mrs. Henry Bosse.

Two bands of sheep consisting of some 5000 head passed through Cottonwood Wednesday enroute to their summer range near Buffalo Hump. It is a mystery why sheep men insist on driving their bands through the town when it is just as near and much less work to drive them around the city. Several persons complained of their gardens being ruined after the woolly tribe had passed through the city.

No message have been sent or received over the Western Union since Tuesday, Geo. Poler the operator having been called out by the strike recently declared by the operator's union.

Their chief contention is recognition of the union and the reinstatement of employees let out on account of being members of the union. The only messages handled over the wire from here being those of the railroad.

A pleasant surprise party was given at the Charles Bittner home seven miles northeast of Cottonwood last Friday evening. The affair was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Bittner's 4-year-old son whose fourth anniversary was celebrated on this date. Everyone present reported a good time. As one of the participants expressed it "It sure was a surprise and good things to eat galore."

"Tip Top" as good as the best, and better than the rest. 23-2f
STRAYED—Small black hog, about two months old. Finder please notify Dr. Sommers. 1*

Mrs. Tom Randall and little son returned Tuesday evening from Lewiston where they have been for the past three weeks.

Mrs. H. H. Nuxoll and little son departed Wednesday morning for Lewiston where they will visit for a few days with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Addie Fisk, a sister of Mrs. L. F. Manwaring arrived last week from her home at Prariecity, Oregon to spend a few days at the home of her sister.

Alois Wagner and Harold Simon who were students at the University of Idaho the past winter arrived home last week to spend their summer vacation with relatives here.

Mrs. J. H. Ring and children former residents of Cottonwood some four years ago arrived in the city Monday evening from Hickory, N. C. to again make their home in Cottonwood.

L. M. Harris and son Basil of Grangeville passed through Cottonwood Wednesday enroute to their home with a Script-Booth and Chevrolet car for which cars L. M. has accepted the agency. Norville Johnston accompanied them to Lewiston and helped bring them up the hill.

The approaching marriage of Miss Amalia Seubert and Mr. Paul H. Schurmann was announced for the second time at the local Catholic church Sunday. The wedding will take place in the Catholic church here Tuesday, June 2th with the Rev. Father Willibrord officiating after which a private wedding dinner will be served at the J. F. Jenny home.

George McPherson and family returned Saturday from the Pomeroy country where they spent several days last week visiting. Mr. McPherson stated the crops on Camas Prairie were far ahead of anything he saw in that section. The return trip from Pomeroy to Cottonwood was made in 6 hours which is considered very good time.

"Idaho Gold" costs less than other flour not half as good. 23-2f
Joe Eresch, cigar manufacturer of Grangeville was a Cottonwood business visitor Wednesday.

STRAYED—Three head of milk cows, red and white spotted from my ranch. Finder please notify Emil Shoot. 25-4

Postmaster L. A. Wisener of Grangeville and Auctioneer I. E. Zuber were visitors in Cottonwood the first of the week on business.

Geo. Hoene and John Jentges, who were students at a college in Mt. Angel, Oregon the past winter arrived home last week to spend their vacation here.

Deputy Game Warden Don C. Fisher of Grangeville was a business visitor in Cottonwood the first of the week on business connected with his official duties.

The first sprinkling of the season was done by Marshal Funke Wednesday morning. The weather has been somewhat hot the past few days and sprinkling was almost a necessity.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephenson returned Monday evening from Spokane where they spent the past week visiting. While in the city Mr. Stephenson attended a meeting of millers.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Dye returned Sunday from their honeymoon trip of a week to Spoane and other points. Mr. Dye brought home with him a Case car for the Cottonwood Hardware.

Fred White, of Helena, Mont. who is connected with the revenue department of the U. S. government in the income tax department was a Cottonwood visitor Wednesday. Mr. White is visiting with relatives at Grangeville.

H. C. Matthiesen departed Monday morning for Twin Falls where he will attend the grand lodge meeting of the Knights of Pythias. Mr. Matthiesen is an officer of the lodge, holding the position of grand trustee. He is expected home Sunday or Monday evening.

"BACK TO THE WOODS"

Mabel Norman led her supporting players a merry pace near Grafton, W. Va., where several scenes were taken for the latest Goldwyn Picture, "Back to the Woods," which comes to the Orpheum Theatre, Thursday, June 26. Herbert Rawlinson, her leading man, is six pounds lighter, he says, due to the Goldwyn star's determination to keep the company "on the go" after the director had called it a day for scene-taking and in the morning before work was started.

"A three-mile hike after breakfast was just one of the many stunts Miss Normand mapped out for us," Mr. Rawlinson told an interviewer between scenes at the Fort Lee studios. "And, of course, there had to be dancing every night at the hotel. We couldn't utter a complaint, for she was the only woman in the party, and it would have seemed cowardly to balk at anything she ordered for what she called amusement and diversion.

"Miss Normand made herself a great favorite among the children at Grafton. They recognized her the first day we arrived and all during our stay they gathered around her. But for her constant association with the kiddies the rest of us wouldn't have had a moment to ourselves. Her strenuous program cost me about six pounds, but I can't say I didn't enjoy it." Mr. Rawlinson, prominently identified as leading man with big screen productions, is making his first appearance in "Back to the Woods."

C. W. and E. J. Ellenson and R. S. Richards were in Cottonwood Thursday posting bills for the coming 4th of July celebration at their home town of Kamiah. The Clearwater city is contemplating to have one of the best celebrations in this neck of the woods. They will have aeroplane exhibitions and many other drawing cards. Residents of this section have already signified their intention of attending the celebration at Kamiah.

NOTICE.

Persons desiring to do some hauling of material to be used for the building to be erected for Ven. Sisters O. S. B., St. Gertrude's convent, may mail sealed bids to them, stating how much they could deliver daily and for how long a period. Material is to be hauled as needed or as received at station here, excepting sand, of which approximately 2500 yards are to be hauled from Felix Martzen's sand pit about four miles from town.

Other material to be hauled about as follows: About 300 yards of crushed rock, for concrete floors, from crusher near Parker Store, about 8 carloads of lime, in bulk, from cars weighed over scale near mill, or possibly equal amount of cement, if proper stones can not be located near convent. Quote your lowest price per 100 pounds on material located near convent. Quote your lowest price per 100 pounds on any material to be weighed, and yard prices on any material to be measured in wagons. For information see John Meyer.

St. Gertrude's Convent.

O'pheum Theatre

Follow the Crowds
Saturday JUNE 21
Afternoon JUNE 21

The Thoroughbred

featuring

Frank Keenan

Christie Comedy

Monday Afternoon
June 23

The Pretender

Featuring

Wm. Desmond

"She Loved a Sailor"
Keystone Comedy

Tuesday, June 24

How Could You Caroline

Featuring

Bessie Love

Thursday
June 26

Back to the Woods

Featuring

Mable Normand

"Watch Your Neighbor"

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