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MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

Wash Dress Goods

We have just placed on our Bargain counter all strictly Summer Dress goods, consisting of Mercerized Foullards, Satinettes, Percales Batistes, etc, at greatly reduced prices, namely:

All regular	25c	values at	16 3/4c
"	20c	"	12 1/2c
"	15c	"	10c
"	12 1/2c	"	8 1/2c
"	10c	"	6 1/2c

These are all nice patterns and genuine bargains.

Straw Hats

We offer a nice new stock of men's and youths' Straw Hats at 50c on the dollar. This price is made regardless of cost in order to close them out.

Shoes

We have some odds and ends in this line at just half price. These are good quality, but price is made low because we haven't a full line of sizes in the latest styles. Buying these at price offered is genuine economy.

Hosiery

We offer as a special drive in this line 25 dozen pairs of men's and children's black Hose in sizes from 5 to 9 at 50c per pair. These values will surprise you.

Ladies' Shirt Waists

These are in Mercerized cotton and Percale at one-half price.

Ladies' silk waists	regular	\$5	value	\$3.75
"	"	3.50	"	2.50
"	"	4	"	3
"	"	4.50	"	3.25
"	"	3	"	2.25

These silk waists are the best quality we have ever had and now is the time to get bargains in them.

We have a few of the Champion mowers yet on hand. Remember this mower took first premium at the Paris Exposition. Call and see them if you are interested in buying a mower.

We are Headquarters for Mitchell wagons in this county and have a good supply of them on hand.

Our stock of General Merchandise is quite complete. We would be glad to figure with you on anything you desire.

Respectfully yours,

E. M. & M. CO.

WORLD'S NEWS.

FROM FAR AND NEAR.

Clipped and Copied From Our Exchanges.

Bessie Mills, a young girl of Forest Grove fell off a raft in Gales Creek near Forest Grove, Oregon, last Saturday. She sank and was under the water twenty minutes before rescued. After a short time she was revived and is all right.

Victor Williams, an Indian of the Umatilla reservation on his death bed confessed to having murdered Mrs. Tessant in 1889 for which another Indian named Pilyen was tried, found guilty and hanged.

Chas. M. Schwab, the well known promoter of the largest trusts in the world is now reported to be in delicate health and will retire from active business. The duties of such a life are too strenuous for an ordinary constitution.

Two of Ringling Bros. elephant cars containing 12 elephants were derailed last week between Seattle and Portland. Four of the trainers and keepers were hurt but the animals escaped injury.

The city of New York contains 584,788 Hebrews or Jews which is equal to about one-fourth or fifth of the population.

A posse is in search of two men who held up the Freewater saloon last week and it is supposed committed various other robberies. When a deputy sheriff attempted to arrest them they shot him and escaped. The deputy's wound however is not dangerous.

"The Note and Comment" man of the Oregonian has the following to say about the state school fund: The last Legislature of Oregon ordered the State Land Board to lend out the irreducible school land fund at 6 per cent interest. The law is inoperative because 6 per cent is not obtainable on safe security. Here is a lesson with 99 full treatises on fiat. Cannot the sovereign will of the State of Oregon lend money at 6 per cent; or, in commerce, is the sovereign law the law of commerce?"

W. W. McCreary, a prominent railroad contractor of Spokane, says he looks for a large amount of railroad building in Oregon and Washington in the next few years. "Surveying parties are now out in all directions," he said, "and money is flowing in constantly from the East in enormous quantities. The development in timber alone will cause many miles of railroad to be built, and I look for good times to keep up for the next 10 years at least."

Time-expired South African soldiers have been the victims of a curious delusion which is causing the officials of the United States Embassy considerable annoyance. Former British soldiers who have served against the Boers have been applying in numbers at the Embassy for enlistment in the American Army in the Philippines. They all say a report was in circulation at Cape Town and Durban that the United States was enlisting ex-British soldiers for service in these islands. At the London Embassy scores of applicants have already been turned away greatly disappointed.

The Boer leaders and generals who paid a visit to the King of England are now contemplating a visit to the United States. One of the generals says that altogether about 500 Americans and 500 Irishmen were with the Boer forces during the war.

Hop pickers of Willamette Valley will this year receive fifty cents per box.

A special government agent has arrived in the state and will investigate the alleged timber land frauds of Tillamook county.

Frank C. Andrews, the Detroit bank wrecker who misappropriated the funds of the City Savings Bank was recently sentenced to serve 15 years at hard labor in the Jackson prison.

Harvesting is now at full swing in the Columbia River counties of this state, and from this district alone, approximately 25 per cent more wheat will be available than was handled last year. There was some damage by Spring frosts and some loss by shattering at harvest, but the crop as a whole is very satisfactory in its dimensions, with the quality unusually good.

While Oregon will celebrate September 1 as Labor day, the farmers of the Walla Walla Valley will observe it as Straw day. That is, they will spread newly harvested straw on the country roads so as to enable the grain teams to haul large loads, the dust, at this season of the year being uncomfortably deep. Between 200 and 300 miles of those roads will be treated in that manner. This exhibits a commendable public spirit, and is a wholesome move to make the best of things.

Willamette Valley farmers are sowing large acreages to clover of late on account of the falling off in the returns from wheat. It furnishes clover seed, clover hay and clover pasture which is all that could be desired by a web footer for successful farming and stock raising.

Oscar Gorrell, of Eugene, has been elected to a professorship in the Tung Wea Institute, at Amoy, China. His salary will be \$900 annually.

H. E. Dosch has been commissioned by the Lewis & Clark exposition management to go to Japan and make arrangements to have a display of Oregon products at the Osaka Fair in 1903, thus promoting friendly feeling between Japan and the 1905 Fair.

Certificates Granted.

At the recent teachers examinations in this county the following received certificates: First Grade: Geo. Gaily and Lillie Beach, Second Grade: Mrs. Rose Tully Schneider, Mrs. J. N. Fletcher, Miss Alethea Gift and A. S. Davis. M. F. Ghormely took the examination for state certificate.

Teachers Institute.

Notice is hereby given that the annual Teachers Institute for Wallowa county will be held at Joseph, Sept. 3, 4 and 5. The program will be announced later. J. C. CONLEY, Sept.

Notice.

Mrs. Clara Montgomery, who has recently assumed charge of the Enterprise House wishes to inform the public that the building has received a thorough cleaning and fumigation, and that it will be open to the public today, and she solicits a share of your patronage.



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