

Santa Claus Says:

Next year-if this keeps up-I'll have to hire a stenographer an da private secretary, and a few things like that. I wish somebody could help me any way, we've been working hard getting ready one of the finest Xmas displays we have ever shown. Come and pick out the many pleasant gifts you want Santa to tuck into your friends' stockings one Christmas

Fine Silk Wash Ribbon, No. 1, the colors are White, Light Blue and Pink. A grand Holiday offer, special -

10 yards for ... 25C

500 pieces all silk Taffeta and Mousseline Ribbons, all colors to choose from; an ideal Xmas gift, 51/2 and 6 in. wide, the best value ever offered. These Ribbons usually sold for 40c and 50c a yard, from now until sold, the special price is

Yard 23C

All silk Taffeta Ribbons, in all colors, Nos. 16 to 40 width, very special-

Grand Fur Bargains

The large pieces of Opossum and Fox, Boas, Four-in-Hands, Scarfs, Stoles, etc. This is a timely Xmas offer and you have the largest assortment here to choose from in the Willamette Valley.

Special \$5.00 values, now\$4.19
\$7.50 and \$8.00 values, now\$5.95
\$10.00 values, now\$7.95
\$12.50 values, now\$9.85
\$20.00 values, now\$14.85

SHOP IN THE MORNINGS; the store is not so crowded and you get better servce.

HANDKERCHIEFS

We've spread ourselves this year, as to quality and quantity and are now ready to show you the best line of Handkerchiefs at the low-

HANDKERCHIEF

H.W.&M.L.Meyers

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pretty patterns. make a pleasing gift.

BOOTH See Court Street Window

Holiday Footery

We are now ready with the swellest line of Shoes, Slippers, Moccasins, etc., ever shown in Salem for men, women and children. New shipments just received including advance spring styles.

Today Only

We offer Dressed Dolls, regular 50c values for 28c, on sale at 8:30. No telephone orders received.

TOY SECTION.

Second Floor

Kimonas

Long and short. The materials e beautifully colored in many

We've gathered together a mighty lot of wearings that will make pleasing presents for men. A visit to the men's section will be appreciated by us, and may be a help to you in selecting gifts. Hart, Schaffner and Marx fine clothes.

Holiday Smoking Jackets Holiday Fancy Hosiery.

Holiday Fancy Suspenders

Holiday Fancy Neckwear.

Holiday Fancy Shirts.

Holiday Faney Bath Robes.

Pajamas, Underwear, Hats, etc., Top Coats, Overcoats and Umbrellas, Handkerchiefs and Neck Mufflers. If there isn't anything in this list,

Buy a Glove Certificate and let Him Choose his own present.

Mechanical Toys Real Electric Cars Steam Engines Fire Engines, Etc. (Second Floor)

CITY NEWS

Heminway's Spool Silk

spool of 100 yards

5c

All Colors

Weather Forecast-Fair tonight and Thursday.

When in Portland-Visit Hall's restaurant, 330 Washington street.

W. T. Rigdon, Undertaker-Always progressive, up-to-date Full equipment, largest stock. 10-21-eod-tf.

Gilson's Place—Eleven barber chairs.

Everything Electrical— Can be had at 484 Court St. Cap-ital Electrical Supply Co., E. W. -17-eod-4f. Sarce, Prop.

Three reasons for buying Cleveland's Baking Powder:

Superior Quality (Pure Cream of Tartar). Neatest Package (Screw top can).

Best Price (3 lbs. \$1; 5 lbs. \$1.65)

After January 1, 1909-The home of Wm. Brown, 578

State street, will be for rent. For particulars inquire at residence, 578 For State street, or at office, 129 Com- Home-Made Candy-12-5-1 w mercial street.

A bargain day at Farrington's grocery and market. Today smoked shoulders 11c; potatoes, fine flavor, \$1.00 per 100 pounds.

Fine Country Inn-

G. W. Paulson and wife are running the Monmouth hotel, and giving the public a very good service. Paulson is chef, and his wife is in charge of the dining room.

Griffith Child Buriedwere laid to rest this morning at 11 Lewis," from the Multnoman county o'clock in the I. O. O. F. cemetery, jail to the penitentiary, where he He died at the Salem Hospital Mon-day. December 7, 1908, at the age of 3 years, 6 months. Deceased was

O O O O O O O O O the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Griffith, of Salem

> Get your lots in Fairport now, You can save \$50 by buying before Xmas. Mr. Clarke, the Fairport man, will be the Willamette hotel for two days. He

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Working aprons and hand-bags of every description at St. Paul's bozaar, December 10, afternoon and to pull an overloaded wagon through

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And plum pudding, December 10, at St. Paul's bazaar, afternoon and evening.

Board of Trade Meeting-The Board of Trade will hold meeting at 8 o'clock tonight. All members should be present.

Very nice comforts for grown folks and habys at St. Paul's bazaar. December 10.

Another Boarder-Sheriff Robert Stevens, of Multaoyesterday morning mah county. The remains of Courtney Griffith brought Harry Clark, alias "Pluney

TO PROSECUTE **BRUTAL DRIVER**

Judge Moores received information yesterday to the effect that a teamster in charge of a span of mules, O. J. Gould, the local agent, states hauling gravel out of a pit near the Southern Pacific depot, unmercifully beat the animals for a half hour, A woman observed the outrageous act, while in her home near by.

It cannot be learned as yet the name of the brutal driver, but the city officials have been instructed to locate him if possible, after which Judge Moores will issue a warrant for his arrest. From the testimony of several persons who witnessed the outrageous proceedings, the driver was attempting to force the animals the mire, and upon their inability to continued to beat them in a manner O disgusting and beyond even common decency, until they were hardly able o o o o o o o o o o o to move.

In giving his view on the matter the Willamette hotel for two days. He this morning, Judge Moores state I will tell you about the great peninsu- that he would punish the driver to the fullest extent of the law, if he can be brought before him.

In order that the unfeeling person alleged to have taken undue advantage of his team can be informed of the state law covering this crime, the following insertions are taken from section 1943, laws of Oregon, as follows:

Whoever overdrives, overloads drives when overloaded, overworks. torments or deprives of necessary sustenance, cruelly beats, mutilate, either as owner or have in his custody, a dumb animal, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county iall not exceeding 60 days or a fine of \$100, or both fine and imprison-

M. W. A. Take Notice-Important business and election of officers. Thursday evening. By order of manager. 12-9-2t

SALEM EXPRESS **BUSINESS GROWS**

One of the substantial evidences of the city's continual growth is show . in the increasing express business. that for the past two months the business has been larger than for any corresponding month in previous years. A new additional wagon has just been received from Los Angeles, and the two old wagons are in local repair shops being repainted and undergoing general repairs, and will place. probably be out for the holiday rush, which is expected to be unusually

Mr. Gould moved his family here about a month ago and has located in one of the new Babcock cottages on South Commercial street.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Another divorce suit, charging cruelty and non-support, has been filed in the county clerk's office by

Josephine Landru against her husband, Conrad Landru. The first marriage license issued Miller.

for one week was handed out today by County Clerk Allen to Geo. W. Ramsden, aged 23, and Maud Wil-son, aged 23. Both parties reside in the town of Macleay, where they days are well known.

DIED. Mrs. Olive Henderson, wife of Rev. H. O. Henderson, pastor of the

Evange ical Chemeketa street church, of this city, died of heart failure at the parsonage, Wednesday morning at 12:50 o'clock. deceased leaves a husband, one daugh ter, her father, two brothers, two sisters and many other relatives and The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. E. Maurer at the church, corner of Chemeketa and Thursday. The body will then be taken to Lents, Oregon, for burial. Burn. Burn

DE SAGAN GETS A NEW LAWYER

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Paris, Dec. 9 .- Prince Helle de Sagan, who recently married Anna Gould-De Castellane, angered at the alleged clumsy manner in which his case was presented today practically withdrew the case from the hands of Maitre Clemenceau at the resymption of the suit of Count Bon! de Castellane for the custody of his

M. Julie Mier appeared as chief counsel for de Sagan.

Mier followed the tactics of themenceau, in reviewing the details of the divorce trial of Boni and the then Countess Anna. He contended that de Sagan was too gentlemanly to drag into the case the names of women dishonorably involved with the count.

Mier averred that there had benothing morally wrong in the life of de Sagan prior to his marrlage. One of the letters referred to was

read by Mier. It was addressed to Dear Zizzie," de Sagan's alleged mistress and said: 'I know nothing positive let. She s a hard harted belle. I need money

at once and want you to go to the notary who lent me money before on the Vincennes house. I will be encouraged by the thought of the bag of gold I will get." Another letter seeking a loan of

100,00 francs on ten per cent inter- ing that he will liest contained the words: "After the marriage with Anna. A third missive declared "every-

thing progressing satisfactorily at III," of the "Holy the Avenue Malakoff." referring to he residents of the countess.

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J. H. Merryman left last night for Mrs. E. M. LaFore is spending the

day in Turner. k. H. Rutherford is in Marion on business for the day. A. G. Magers was in Woodburn

yesterday on business. W. M. Welch, of the firm of Welca Bros., is in Portland on business.

J. F. McDonald left today for Marion for a two days' business trip.

C. S. Darling left last night for

Portland after transacting business Mrs. T. Tryfena of Eugene is the guest of Mrs. Robert Eakin for a ew days.

Mrs. Lee Hyde is in Newport, at the bedside of her father, W. A. Bridges, who is Ill. J. W. Blackburn, who has been

here on business, has returned to his home in Albany. Mrs. J. T. Smith, who has been in the city shopping, has returned to

her home in Gervals. M. Hanson and T. O. Gronback,

pusiness yesterday. Mrs. Frank Ware left last night for Portland where she will visit

friends for a few days. D. J. Copper, of The Dailes, who

has been here on business, returned to his home yesterday. Roy Alexander returned today to

his home in Florence, after visiting at the home of B. F. Nye. Mrs. J. T. Brooks, who has been in the city visiting friends, has returned to her home in Wauconda.

Mr. and Mrs. J R. Harning, of Kelly. Medford, who were in the city on business, left yesterday for Portland, Mrs. Van Martyr left yesterday for Oregon City after visiting with Mr. S. O. Long and family for a few

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smart left thir morning for Detroit, Oregon, to be the guests of relatives for a few

days Mr. and Mrs. H R. Crawford, who have been in the city on business. left this morning for their home in

Turner. W. H. Wilson, of The Dalles, who was arguing a case in the supreme court yesterday, returned to his home last night.

Josie Morris, who has been visiting Mrs. C. M. Anderson for the past several months, has gone to her home in Corvallis.

Mrs. M. E. Ryder left today for Scio, to take care of her daughter. Mrs. C. A. Bates, who is ill at that Mrs. Mary E. Thomas, of Portland, who was here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gibson, left this

morning for Turner to visit her mother, Mrs. C. G. Henline. Judge H. H. Northup, of the firm of Northup & Northup, of Portland, who had business in the supreme O O O O O O O O O O O Court yesterday, returned home last

night Mrs. L. Moore and Mrs. V. Cornel'us, who were spending the afternoon in the city yesterday, have reterrned to their homes.

Mrs. Sherman Miles, of Portland. ho was spending the day with Miss Kittle Moores, left last night for Leb anon to visit her father, Hon. M. A.

Miss Ina Maynard has returned to the mute school, where she is a stu-tent, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Maynard, for a few

J. H. Brewer, Jr., the druggist of Stayton, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Brewer, for a few He then leaves for Portland and Seattle on a business trip.

Leffer and Jim Hunt, of Woodburn, were the guests of Miss Morrow and Mrs. Leffler's sister, Mrs. Monte Teslie, yesterday, after attending the fuseral of Ruby Helmekle, in Turner C. W Yannke was in Turner yesterdey where he took charge of the

funeral of Ruby Helmieke, daughter of Harry Helmieke, of Woodburn. Burial took place in Turner cemetery, J. A. Wilson also attended

HALE MADE

(United Press Lew Washington, D. C the senate caucus of day, Senator Hale was man which virtually jority leader.

Money of Mississ the credentials of

Kansas City, Ma. licemen, and de him, in spite of the he sustained, Louis P today, as the result ast night in which p killed and three

John Sharp, the sal God," has not been peared, and it is b oined Sharp, who is sist stubbornly, if There in recovery of Patrol Sergeant Clark. The when Probation Office orded to take charge d dren in possession of the era" who were

(United Press Leased

San Francisco De \$ Heney, unscarred but pair was escorted to the on Judge Murnsky tolsky on the witness stand against Attorney Frank of Abe Ruel's counsi. alleged bribery of a pre

Hency testified to the atances surrounder, the in Judge Lawler's roun is bribery had been attended today that Attorney Bittl Ruef, whispered the a. when Tale man John X prouched the court is utta empte 1 bribery

Judge Lawler was live supplement Hener laft,

Several other unit nesses were examined and to was adjourned until tens

PRESIDENT N HIS APPO

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Washington, Dec 8ident today sent the cintments to the sen Vice Governor of the Cameron Forbes of

Members of the Pa mission Newton Gilbert Rafael Palma of the Pa

Sullivan Files and

(United Press Lesse chicago, Dec. 9.—John van, the former chamba, the world, today field a m superior court for a ng statutory misconduct st In his con alleges that he is now his wife. Recently Mrs. Salling a divorce but the pepta missed by the coart. Se Centerville, R. L

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Office with Wm. Bross 29, Commercial street.

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NEW TODAY 0.0000 For Sale Ose 5 re one2-year-old In

spring wagos and norca chickens. Morningside.