

Christmas Cards

WHILE THE STOCKS AND ASSORTMENT ARE LARGE

Our card assortment is unusually complete this year—beautiful designs—and steel engraving—and at moderate prices.

Hundreds of designs in Post Cards at 1c each.

An almost endless array of Cards at 5c.

At 10c we have dozens of new snappy designs and old sentiments written in a new way.

15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 Cards are real works of art, made by artists in their line. In justice to yourself see our line before you buy your Xmas Cards.

The Roseburg Book Store

ies for Xmas Gifts

MEN'S FOUR-IN-HAND TIES

In fancy and plain patterns of all silk

50c

MEN'S FOUR-IN-HAND TIES

fancy and plain patterns, with extra large stripes

75c

MEN'S SILK KNIT

Extra large assortment

65c

NOVELTY CATHEDRAL STITCH

A most wonderful value at

\$1.15

's narrow open and heavy Silk Twill effects, in all

colors

95c

C. J. BREIER CO.

TY GIRLS WANT MORE CONTESTS

(By United Press.)

FILE, Dec. 20.—The "Prettiest

most craze has hit Seattle

little does not like to boast

ape the large numbers of fair

all walks of life here are re-

no time a Seattle newspaper

conducting a "prettiest wait-

ant, the photographs of the

lies" being run daily. Be-

contest ends the judges will

awarded personally those

whose photographs they

aded are worthy of consid-

er highest honors. After the

winner will be picked.

Waiting to be left out of the

three "Penny-Arcade Girls"

ed that a contest be started

"Prettiest Penny-Arcade Girl."

test is promised for the near

soon as the waitresses can

and tipped.

Prettiest-contests suggested

Telephone girls, manufactur-

ers, stenographers, and elevators

the case of the "hello girls"

teatly may be encountered

extended that their voices,

faces, are their fortunes.

KETTLES KEPT BOILING

The people of this city are grasping the Christmas spirit of remembering others, for many dimes nickles and large coins, are being dropped into the Christmas Cheer kettles, stationed on the street by the Salvation Army. The needy families are being listed, and at Christmas time will be provided with food, clothing, and gifts. Donations of clothing, canned fruits, vegetables and cooked foods, will be gladly accepted. Call the Salvation Army headquarters, and some one will call for them.

NOTICE—We will keep open store every evening this week. C. A. Lockwood Motor Co.

At The Douglas

Among the guests registered at the Douglas Hotel last evening were Mabel Eakin, Glendale; Julia Eakin, Glendale; B. A. Dowell, Roseburg; George Bailey and son, Portland; C. E. Grandy and wife, Wichita; Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Grandy, Wichita; Roy Kennedy, Medford; R. C. Sant, Boise, Idaho; Ernest Farrell, Boise; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Cox, Portland; W. H. Maher, Hood River; W. C. Alderson, San Francisco; O. Wilsey, Butte Montana.

GIFTS IN THE

ouse wares Section

Smoking Stands \$3.25
Glass Ash Receiver
Incense Burners
Smoking Sets
Electric Percolators 12.50 to \$16
Electric Irons \$5.00
Electric Toasters 7.00 to \$8.00
adgley - Zigler Hdw. Co.
PHONE 25
1847 SILVERWARE

Imported Trays \$2.50 to \$4
Fancy Decorated
Stem Ware
Goblets, High and Low
Footed Sherbets
Waffle Irons \$11.50 to \$14.00
Curling Irons \$2.50 to \$6.00

Local News

Smile beside a fire of Page's coal.

A big coal special at Marksburg Co. \$15.

For cut glass and hand painted china go to the Fern.

In from Dillard—
J. F. Culver, of Dillard was in town on business today.

Flash lights for Xmas 75c up. Hudson Electric Store.

Painless extraction of teeth at room 9, Masonic Temple. Dr. Nerbas.

Why wait? Page's have it in stock now. Good stock and good prices. Page Lumber and Fuel Company.

Hot Point Irons make an ideal Xmas gift \$5.00 up. Hudson Electric Store.

Miss McKay Ill—
Miss Vera McKay, secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce is reported to be quite ill at her home and as a result the office is closed for a few days.

Xmas tree lights, safe and last for years. \$3.00 set up. Hudson Electric Store.

When you are thinking of Christmas gifts, remember that the Fern has a fine line of hand painted china and cut glass.

To San Francisco—
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harth will leave here Sunday for San Francisco and other California points where they will spend the next few weeks. They expect to make the trip by automobile.

Insure in the Bankers' Life Company of Des Moines, Iowa. D. E. Hendrickson, Agent, 503 Winchester St.

Divorces Granted
Divorces were granted yesterday to Elsie A. Hanks from William M. Hanks, and Della May Nibler from Ralph M. Nibler. Cruelty and inhuman treatment was alleged in both cases. Attorney John T. Long represented the plaintiffs in each action.

Father Time may go barefoot but Grandpa would enjoy a pair of those slippers at Kilders' Shoe Store. Successor to R. L. Stephens.

Will Organize Team

An independent basket ball team will be organized in this city by a number of former stars of the game. A meeting will be held tonight at the Hudson Shining parlors at 7:30 o'clock. Rudie Ritzman is lining up a number of the old time basket shooters and expects to put a winning team in the field.

Gentlemen—You can lighten the heart of that lady of yours by buying her a Vaseline. No electricity. No more dust to breathe into the lungs. Inquire at McKean, Darby & Baldwin.

At The Umpqua

Among the guests registered at the Umpqua Hotel last evening were R. W. Long, Yoncalla; Mrs. Harry C. Boyle, Glider; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hart, Glendale; D. M. Anderson, Medford; G. O. Melby, Eugene; J. F. Culver, Dillard; V. M. Hillyar, Portland; M. C. Gray, Medford; F. W. Parsons, Portland; L. E. Merrill, Eugene; Mollie Rader, Oakland; J. N. Weaver, Burns; George P. Frost, Portland; Hattie Wood, Heppner.

GARDEN VALLEY RESIDENT DIES

Edna B. Knapp, wife of Harding M. Knapp, prominent residents of Garden Valley, passed away at the Mercy hospital last evening following a long period of illness. Mrs. Knapp had been confined to the hospital six days, when death came. She was 32 years of age, and was born in Indianapolis, Indiana.

She leaves to survive here a bereaved husband, and five children between the ages of two and ten, whose names are Robert, Todd, Charlotte, Mary and Clellan; three sisters, Mrs. John Burkhardt, of this city; Mrs. Robert Lyle, Franklin, Indiana; Mrs. Charles Kephart, Franklin, Indiana; two brothers, Clarence Bailey, Noav, Utah; Walter Bailey, Long Beach, California.

The many friends of the family wish to extend to them during this sad hour, their heart-felt sympathy.

EASTERN STAR TO HOLD INSTALLATION

The members of the Eastern Star will hold their installation of officers, at their meeting on Thursday evening, in the lodge rooms. Following the regular session, a banquet will be served, and the ladies are urged to bring their husbands.

The following are the new members to be installed to serve the coming year: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Mary Huber; Worthy Patron, Russell Lintott; Assistant Matron, Mrs. Hazel French; Conductress, Mrs. A. F. Sether; Treasurer, Mrs. E. T. Singleton; Sec-Treas, Free Johnson; Chaplain, Mrs. William Bell; Marshall, Miss Ethel Webb; Wardens, Mrs. M. O. Wallace; Alder, Mrs. Ethel Burt; Ruth, Mrs. F. L. Bond; Esther, Mrs. R. D. Williams; Martha, Mrs. Shaduck; Elector, Miss Ethel Webb; Sentinel, Mr. M. Ghehey.

Every night the Roseburg News-Review is read by 20,000 people. You can't beat it for an advertising medium.

Davis Wants a Million For Conciliation

(By United Press.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—A million-dollar Federal commission to "depropagandize" the statements of contending sides in industrial disputes was proposed to Congress as an aid to quick and effective settlement of strikes by Secretary of Labor Davis in his annual report.

Davis based his plea for such a body on the principal that public opinion settles strikes and without full possession of all the facts, public opinion cannot be formed.

"The public knows that often alleged facts are presented in public speech or announcement which are not the true facts and therefore the public often hesitates in reaching a conclusion," the Secretary wrote.

"With the proper sort of an organization in the Department of Labor, it would be possible not only to bring contending elements together before a break in most cases, but also in every instance to give the public the true facts from unprejudiced sources which would bring about a speedy crystallization of public opinion as to the merits of the dispute.

"The very fact that the contending sides realize that the public would get the true facts would make them hesitate to come to a break.

"I believe with the creation of an organization such as I have in mind and with an appropriation of approximately \$1,000,000 a year this gradually to be increased with the growth of industry, practically every labor controversy can be adjusted and nearly every strike can be avoided."

This "Almon-pure news agency" proposed by Davis would be an adjunct of the conciliation service, whose work during the past year Davis lauded and extension of which he urged.

Conciliation a Factor

"The conciliation work of the department," Davis wrote, "has gradually become more and more a recognized factor in America's industrial life, as experienced has demonstrated the effectiveness of its mediation in avoiding strikes or in bringing a quick settlement of disputes where work has already been suspended. Labor has discovered that it has a standing recognized by the Government whenever its demands are based on industrial and constitutional rights.

"Employers on the other hand have found that the department will protect them from unjust and unreasonable exactness.

"Provided with sufficient funds, our experiences demonstrate that through this service machinery can be set up in various industries that will reduce to a minimum interruptions due to strikes and lockouts. With co-operation from employers and employees, conciliation points the way to industrial peace.

"When the conciliation service began its work, 70 per cent of the disputes in which its intervention was sought had already reached the strike stage. Recently conditions have so improved and the services of the department have been so generally recognized that less than 30 per cent of the cases before the service have reached the point where work was suspended."

Settlement of industrial disputes has recently been more difficult than usual because of the period of industrial re-adjustment through which the country is passing, Davis declared. The success of the conciliation service, however, he said, has undoubtedly done much to aid in the stabilizing of the general disturbed industrial situation.

With a Vaseline, your drudgery of sweeping is ended. For free demonstration on your own rugs and carpets, call for Vaseline man at McKean, Darby & Baldwin.

Forest Fires Cost Almost Half Million

SALEM, Dec. 19.—Although a total of 1,407 fires occurred in the forests of Oregon, outside the national forest boundaries, during 1922, the total damage to timber, logging equipment and all other property amounted to only \$425,317 for the season, according to the annual report of F. A. Elliott, state forester. A total of 178,530 acres of forest land was burned over, 116,908 acres of this being cutover land, burns and brush. Of the 1,407 fires reported during the year 353 were of incendiary origin, 55 were caused by lightning, 174 were started from slash burnings, 138 were started by careless campers, 91 by careless hunters, 133 by smokers, 62 by stockmen, 42 by railroads, 73 originated in logging operations, 13 from sawmills, and 27 from road construction.

Cost of protecting the state's timbered area amounted to \$437,252.47, of this amount 50 per cent being contributed by private owners of timber land, 14 per cent by the federal government, 1 per cent by counties, and 5 per cent by the state.

Improvements carried on by the state forestry department during the year included the construction of 99.75 miles of new trail, construction of 63.75 miles of telephone line, brushing out of 2,482 miles of old trail and the construction and repairing of 21 exhibits, booklets, etc., all at a total cost of \$22,065.58.



When it Comes to Buying a Christmas Gift

For the man of the family or for any man friend, it's pretty hard to decide just what he will want.

Here is a Reminder List

NECKTIES—50c to \$2.50. The most beautiful patterns you ever saw, in the finest materials.

SHIRTS—Every man welcomes a gift of a Silk Shirt, or even a less expensive grade.

SOCKS—Silk and wool, silk and lisle, plain silk, plain lisle; everything in Socks, 35c to \$2.25.

GLOVES—Dress Gloves and Driving Gloves.

Bath Robes—\$6.00 to \$12.50. In plaids and fancy patterns.

Come in and look over our stock. We know what men like and probably can help you.

DUDS FOR MEN, Inc.

disposal law.

Seventeen co-operative forest protective associations operated in the state during the year, patrolling a total of 6,662, 618 acres.

Convictions were secured against 146 violators of the forest fire laws, with fines and costs imposed aggregating \$1,837.54.

The report recommends legislation looking to the acquisition by the state, through purchase, gift, bequest or acceptance in trust of logged-off or other absolute forest lands; an aggressive campaign of education to the end that the general public shall be informed of the extent of the state's timber resources and the necessity of its protection from fire; creation of a commission to investigate the taxation of forest lands devoted to the reproduction of forest crops; continued investigation and control of insect depredations and white pine blister rust; encouragement in the establishment of municipal forests for the protection of watersheds valuable to towns and cities in maintaining their water supply; continuation of the airplane forest patrol.

NOTICE

Oregon Rose lodge invited the members of B. of L. P. and E. and their families to a Xmas tree, Friday evening, Dec. 22nd. Each lady bring a gift not to exceed 25c.

ATTENTION NOBLES L. O. M.

The Bear is getting hungry. All members of Krenlin Baku are ordered to appear at the L. O. O. F. Hall Wednesday at 8 o'clock. His talk and lots of noise.

By Order of the DUKE.

Here From Corvallis—
Misses Maude and Helen Jennings, who are attending Oregon Agricultural College, are spending Christmas holidays visiting with relatives in this city.

Say it with Flowers

Flowers, let Heaven this one rich gift withhold, how soon we find it is better than gold. And flowers, I say, have a right to claim the Angels' song and a title of Fame.

GO TO THE FERN

IT'S A BEAR

One of the finest specimens ever killed in this country was brought into our shop Tuesday from Sam's Pine Mountain.

LARGE AND FAT.

Bear Meat

will be on sale Saturday only. Steaks, roasts and chops. Order early.

North Side Market

Gift Suggestions Galore

CARR'S STORE

206 North Jackson

Between Churchill's and Fisher's

"Where the Crowds are there will you find Values"