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16 Small size ladies' coats. These have richly furled collars and fine material throughout. While they last **\$5.98**

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\$9.75 Ladies' heavy crepe Dresses in the newest styles and shades. Sizes 16 to 42. Now **\$5.88**

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Men's Work Shoes, all leather with rubber soles **\$1.79**

Children's Leather Shoes or Oxfords in tan or black **\$1.00**

Ladies' Shoes formerly priced to \$4.98 now **\$1.79**

CLOTHING

Men's Suits. Hard finish worsteds in gray, brown and beige **\$11.95**

All Men's Overcoats now **\$9.90**

Boys' Suits with two pants now **\$1.98**

All Boys' Overcoats now **\$1.98**

Continued Weakness In The Egg Market

PORTLAND, Dec. 24 (P) — There was continued weakness in the egg market situation here during the day as a result of the depressed undertone in the big eastern centers. While there was no change noted in the price list locally, general idea of the trade was that lower values would be forced within the immediate future. Receipts of eggs are holding up better than had been expected and are in some instances more liberal than had been expected and are in some instances more liberal than a week ago in the local territory while generally increased offerings over the normal are shown in the entire territory east of the Rockies.

GRIGSBY-GRUNOW — mkt page
NEW YORK, Dec. 24 (P) — The Columbia Graphophone company of North and South America will be merged into the Grigsby-Grunow company. It was announced today. Voting trustees of the Columbia Graphophone company issued a statement saying they had decided to sell the Grigsby-Grunow company all shares of Columbia Graphophone company. Inc., deposited with the Federal voting trust agreement last June.

SILVER
NEW YORK, Dec. 24 (P) — Bar silver quiet and unchanged at 30 1/2c.

POST OFFICE IN SEATTLE ROBBED OF LARGE SUM

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The car was found wrecked a short distance away within a few minutes. The man, wounded in the abdomen, died on his way to the hospital. His companion had taken all the money. The postoffice bandit entered the cashier's room while O. P. Hyle, chief stamp clerk, and E. A. Chitwood, an assistant, were counting the day's stamp receipts. Training two revolvers on the men, he swept a large stack of currency on the table into a leather brief case he carried. The payroll clerk, W. H. Hay, approached the desk, but was in turn covered by the man, who compelled the three to enter the cage. In another part of the room, H. J. Lott, a clerk, sat within a short distance of a gun hanging on the wall but he said later he believed he was being covered by a man at a window. The man then ran to the large safe, which was open, and swept several large stacks of currency into his brief case. "Stay where you are for 10 minutes," he then ordered, and calmly walked out of the room into the business office, where dozens of clerks were working. He then walked into the lobby and disappeared. Later postal authorities announced a \$2,000 reward for his arrest and conviction.

DOUBT BLANKETS FUTURE OF DEBTS

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lution so as to register unalterable opposition to further revision, thus acquired a controlling importance. If as the debtors of the United States can do nothing to justify non-payment, there is ample possibility of default by several at least of the debtor nations, a critical blow to world credit structure. Some, who have the privilege under existing agreements, doubtless will invoke the right to withhold certain payments of principal and interest amounting to about \$88,000,000 of the \$250,000,000 which will be due in the next year. From the Washington angle it was clear the next step in the situation is up to the European nations. Some expectation has been shown of general conference on reparations, possibly on war debts also, but prospect of American participation was dim. Suggestions advanced that the debts to the United States be paid in territory have met with no official notice.



GREETINGS
WE hope that Santa Claus is as kind to you as you, our loyal patrons, have been to us during the past year.

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A Merry Christmas to All

New York Store

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	52 1/2	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
Mar.	53 1/2 @ 3/4	54 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
May	55 1/2 @ 1/4	56 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2 @ 26
July	54 1/2 @ 1/2	55 1/2	54 1/2	55 @ 55 1/2

PORTLAND WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	.60	.60	.60	.60
May	.61 1/2	.61 1/2	.61 1/2	.61 1/2
July	.61	.61	.59	.59

CHICAGO CORN				
	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	.35	.35 1/4 @ 3/4	.35	.35 1/4 @ 3/4
Mar.	.40	.40 3/4	.39 3/4	.38 3/4
May	.41 1/2	.41 1/2	.41 1/4	.40 3/4 @ 3/4
July	.41 1/2	.41 1/2	.41 1/4	.41 1/4

PORTLAND CASH
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 24 (P) — Cash wheat: Big Bend bluestem 73 1/2c. Soft white 58 1/2c. Hard winter 58 1/2c. Northern spring 58 1/2c. Western red 58 1/2c. Oats: No. 2 white \$24.50. Today's car receipts: wheat 62; flour 30; corn 5; oats 2.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK
CHICAGO, Dec. 24 (P) — (U. S. D. A.)
—Hogs 20,000; 170-230 lbs. \$4.50 @ \$4.60; sows \$3.55 @ \$3.75.
Cattle 5,000; steers \$5.75 @ \$5.80; cows \$3.25 @ \$4.25; vealers \$7.00 @ \$7.50.
Sheep 9,000; native and fed western lambs \$5.50 @ \$6.00 to packers; fat ewes \$2.00 @ \$2.75.

WOOL REPORT
BOSTON, Dec. 24 (P) — The approach of the Christmas holiday, was attended by general slackening of trade in the wool market today. New business was confined almost entirely to a few sampling orders. Wool prices, however, were unchanged and fairly firm.

SUGAR AND FLOUR
PORTLAND, Dec. 24 (P) — Sugar — cane, granulated \$4.45 per 100 lbs., beet \$4.30.
Domestic flour — Selling price delivered: patent 48s \$5.60; do 98s \$5.40; bakers' bluestem \$5.20; soft white flour \$5.10 @ \$5.30; whole wheat \$4.80 @ \$5.00; graham \$4.50 @ \$4.80; rye \$5.70 @ \$5.90.

BUTTERFAT
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24 (P) — Butterfat f. o. b. San Francisco 30 1/2c.

OMAHA SHEEP
OMAHA, Dec. 24 (P) — (U. S. D. A.)
—Sheep 7,000; fed woolled lambs \$5.50 @ \$5.60; fed clipped lambs \$5.25.

EAST SIDE MARKET
PORTLAND, Dec. 24 (P) — Offerings during today's session of the east side farmers' wholesale market were surprisingly limited and some improvement was noted in prices on seasonable stock.
Celery hearts were in big demand and sold around \$1.20 @ \$1.25 dozen bunches generally.
Cabbage was fully steady at 90c @ \$1.00 crate for best.
Cauliflower sold at a spread of 35 to 75c crate.
Brussels sprouts were in active call at 80c for 15 and 50c box for 25.
Apples sold better but at late low prices.
Root vegetables held practically unchanged.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK
PORTLAND, Dec. 24 (P) — Cattle 25, calves 5; steady, dull. Steers 600-900 pounds good \$5.75 @ \$5.25, medium \$4.50 @ \$5.75, common \$3.00 @ \$4.50; 900-1100 lbs. good \$5.75 @ \$5.25, medium \$4.50 @ \$5.75, common \$3.00 @ \$4.50; 1100-1300 lbs. good \$5.50 @ \$5.25, medium \$3.50 @ \$5.50. Heifers 550-850 lbs. good \$5.00 @ \$5.00, medium \$4.00 @ \$5.00, common \$2.75 @ \$4.00. Cows good \$4.00 @ \$4.50, common and medium \$2.75 @ \$4.00, low cutter and cutter \$1.00 @ \$2.75. Bulls yearlings excluded good and choice (beef) \$3.00 @ \$3.50, cutter, common and medium \$2.00 @ \$3.00. Vealers milk fed good and choice \$7.00 @ \$7.50, medium \$5.50 @ \$7.00, cull and common \$3.50 @ \$5.50, calves 250-500 lbs. good and choice \$3.50 @ \$7.00, common and medium \$3.50 @ \$5.50.
Hogs 350; about steady. Light lights 140 to 180 pounds good and choice \$4.50 @ \$5.15; lightweights 180-180 lbs. good and choice \$5.00 @ \$5.15; 180-200 lbs. good and choice \$5.00 @ \$5.15, medium weight 200-220 lbs. good and choice \$4.50 @ \$5.15, 220-250 lbs. good and choice \$4.25 @ \$5.00; heavyweights 250-290 lbs. good and choice \$4.15 @ \$4.65, 290-350 lbs. good and choice \$4.00 @ \$4.75. Packing sows 275-500 lbs. medium and good \$3.75 @ \$4.50. Slaughter pigs 100-130 lbs. good and choice \$4.00 @ \$4.25, 130-150 lbs. good and choice \$3.50 @ \$4.25.
Sheep and lambs 25, nominally steady. Lambs 90 pounds down good and choice \$4.00 @ \$4.50, medium \$3.00 @ \$4.00, all weights common \$2.00 @ \$3.00. Yearling wethers 90-110 lbs. medium to choice \$2.75 @ \$3.50. Ewes 120 lbs. medium to choice \$1.75 @ \$2.00, 120-150 lbs. medium to choice \$1.50 @ \$1.75, all weights, cull to common \$1.00 @ \$1.50.

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LAST MINUTE SHOPPERS! Say it with flowers from Clarks Florists. 12-24-1 t.

KNIGHTS' TEMPLAR ATTENTION
By order of the Grand Master of Knights Templar of America and the Grand Commander of Oregon there will be a special convocation of the Knights Templar of Eastern Oregon Commandery No. 6 at their asylum at 10 o'clock Friday morning, Christmas day. 12-24-1 t.

BRING IN YOUR PICTURES
If you have a picture to be framed it will be done for you in an hour's time if you will take it to Richardson's Art and Gift Shop, "The Christmas Shop." 12-22-3 t.

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