1st Annual January Sale of UNDERMUSLINS

No Undermuslins Sold at Sale Prices After Feb. 1

Months ago we planned a January Muslinwear sale and now the billows of white are on display in our store. We feel confident that we can state without fear of contradiction, that we have the **largest** showing of **new** Muslin Underwear ever shown in Southern Oregon. Every garment is new and clean and unmussed, coming direct to us from one of the largest factories in the world. This factory is clean and well lighted and ventilated, thus assuring our customers of the finest and most perfect workmanship. We invite you to come and see the **White Store** and share in these

Genuine Bargains in Undermuslins

SALE PRICES ON **Drawers**	SALE PRICES ON **Night Gowns**	SALE PRICES ON **Fine Skirts**	SALE PRICES ON **Chemise**	SALE PRICES ON **Corset Covers**
25 cents to $1.69	63 cents to $2.69	73 cents to $7.87	73 cents and 98 cents	19 cents to $1.98

A Hosiery Bargain

About 15 dozen of fine elastic ribbed Cashmere Hose for children, all sizes and about 10 dozen fine Cashmere Hose for women, all sizes; the best value ever offered this year at 25 cents a pair to go on sale while they last at ..... **19 Cents**

Ladies Wool Waists

REDUCED 1-4

We have a limited supply of fine wool Waists for Ladies, mostly of White Baliste. They are all this season's newest styles and guaranteed to wash beautifully; come and choose from the lot at a reduction of **1-4**

New Silk Waists

We ordered a big line of black and colored silk and net waists to come in for the holiday trade. They were delayed and have just arrived. On account of their coming late we have marked them very close and offer them for small prices Prices..... **$4 to $9.50**

Silk Skirts

We were fortunate in securing a sample line of fine silk petticoats which we have added to our present stock add now offer them at actual.

Wholesale Cost

Flannelette Kimonos Reduced 1-4

MEDFORD'S EXCLUSIVE LADIES SHOP

Baker-Hutchason Co

First Room North of Jackson County Bank

Childrens Coats Reduced 1-4

Suits and Coats 1-2

After the 15th of this month the half price Coat and Suit sale will be ancient history. If you want to save just half the regular price on a suit or coat that will be good style for two seasons to come, don't miss a look here. Some people are getting those bargains, you will find out later to your regret.

Suits $7.25 to 17.50

Coats $1 to $25.00

The Medford Furniture Co.

Housefurnishers and Undertakers

Day Phone 353 Night Phone 115

CITY HAPPENINGS.

—The late E. P. Hammond used to contend that events, extraordinary and otherwise, were controlled by atmospheric conditions and occurred in cycles of lesser or greater length, that is, that there would be an epidemic of violence—wars, homicides, etc.—succeeded by one of peace, and the venerable weather prophet would doubtless have found proof for his theory in the events of the past few weeks in Medford, when several of our staid and substantial citizens engaged in personal encounters, to the damage of the "statutes made and provided" and to their own feelings, raiment and visages. The outbreak of the epidemic came when Mayor Reddy fled before Barnum's avenging ax; then Councilman Orenbprrugge swatted Editor Putnam and paid for the privilege. Last Saturday M. G. Hoge was so indiscreet as to call Wallace Woods a disciple of Ananias, and Wallace smote and paid. Monday Ex-Mayor Bradshaw and Capt. Rawlings mixed and the latter was called upon to liquidate. Besides there was that shooting scrape at Jacksonville, the Lawton robbery and other events, showing that there possibly might be something in Prof. Hammond's theory. Since the above was written another unpleasant messes have occurred between ordinarily peaceful citizens. Where will it end?

—Just received two barrels of that famous Huston sorghum at Hutchisons & Lumsden's. 2 2-t.

—The books which were taken from J. W. Lawton, when he was robbed a week ago Sunday, were returned the first of this week. The books were uninjured and were wrapped in the same paper and tied with the same string as when they were stolen, but the package had been opened. The return of the books establishes the truth of the theory that the assault and robbery was committed by some local miscreant, who was acquainted with Mr. Lawton's habits, and who had laid in wait for him.

—Get your house numbers from the Nicholson Hardware Co. We have all kinds.

—A ladies Glee club was organized at the home of Mrs. Kraus, in Medford, on Monday evening of this week. There were fourteen of Medford's lady singers in attendance, and the oganization was perfected, by the election of Miss Minnie Corey, president; Miss Ida Redden, secretary, Mrs. Myrtle Forbes, treasurer, and Mrs. Krause, director. No name has been given the organization at this time, but at the next meeting on Monday next, a name will be given.

—Fresh bread made daily at Vienna Bakery. Call 'phone 496 and have all your bake stuff delivered promptly.

I. A. Armstrong—"You fellows have no idea how this town of Medford is growing. Let me tell you something. I mend umbrellas sometimes for a livelihood—when I am not living on my homestead—which is situated pretty well toward the topmost point of Roxey Ann—but that is not what I started out to tell you. Six years ago made a canvass of this town and did umbrella repairing—visited every house in town, and it took me less than a week to do all of this, and I earned $17. This year I am making a similar canvass, but it's different now. I have been at work five weeks and am not through yet. How much have I made? That question is immaterial to this story and I decline to answer, further than to say that I have made good wages. The point is this:—There are more houses to visit and more people by a whole lot to slam bang their umbrellas around and get them broke and give Dr. Armstrong an opportunity to mend. Verily, Medford is growing."

—For Rent—Nine room, furnished house. For particulars enquire at Miller & Ewbanks grocery store.

—Reames Chaper, O. E. S., , installed officers Wednesday evening and incidentally had one of those good times for which this fraternal organization is noted. W. I. Vawter was the installing officer, and the following officers were placed in office, Mrs. E. B. Pickel, W. M., W. H. McGowan, W. P., Mrs. E. N. Warner, A. M., Mrs. Ralph Woodford, sec., Mrs. Chas. Strang, treas., Miss Gertrude Weeks, Conductress, Mrs. M. L. Alford, A. C., Mrs. H. U. Lumsden, warder, J. E. Watt, sentinel, Mrs. J. E. Watt, chaplain. The incoming and outgoing officers were presented with beautiful bouquets. After the installation the company adjourned to the Nash grill where a toothsome banquet had been spead, which was thoroughly enjoyed.

—White Sewing Machine. Fine condition $10 P. O. Box 44, Medford, Oregon.

—Will Muller has taken a position as salesman in Deuel & Kentner's store. He will have charge of the clothing department, and will also look after the window dressing. Mr. Muller has had years of experience in these lines of work and has proven himself a thorough success in the positions he has occupied. He knows the clothing business in all its details, and coupled with this is the fact that he is a good salesman.

A Baseball Fan—"The coming season doesn't look good to me for baseball, and I'll tell you why. There is too much talk and too little 'puttin' up' among those who go to games. Last year we had a winning team. A team that beat every team that came along from Sisson,, Calif., to Oregon City, and the management came out loser in the end. If it had been an even break there wouldn't have been any kick, but when a team wins most of its games and fails to pay expenses it is rather discouraging to a management. If the fans want baseball this year up to the standard they have been accustomed to, it's about time some body was taking hold of it. And, by the way, the young fellows don't seem to take hold of the game as they ought. There hasn't been a player developed rom the younger boys in this town for several years. They don't seem to want to work hard enough to get into the game."

—Come and get our special prices on Chinaware. Allen & Reagan.

—No more will Postmaster Woodford disturb the morning naps of those who room in the postoffice building with the thump-thump of the cancelling stamp, as on Wednesday of this week an automatic cancelling machine was installed. This is the same machine that the Grants Pass papers swelled up about when one was placed in the office at that place.

—Clarence D. Kellogg, instructor on piano. Lessons 75 cents. tf.

—Floyd O. Johnson, son of Mrs. G. C. Johnson, died at the home of his mother on Saturday, January 4th, aged 18 years, six months and twelve days. He had been in poor health for sometime and on Wednesday underwent a surgical operation, which failed to relieve him. The funeral took place Sunday, Rev. W. C. Reuter officiating. From his second year he has been a resident of this city and his loss is great to his widowed mother and his brothers and sisters.

—$2500 buys 160 acres, well located, buildings, two acres of orchard, 40 acres cleared. Easy terms. See C. H. Pierce & Son

—Klamath Herald: The death of Mrs. Mollie Harnad,' well known in Klamath Falls as Mollie Brooks, occurred at Tacoma Sunday last. She was a daughter of Major Q. A. Brooks, and resided here for a number of years in early days. The news of her death will be painfull to the many friends of the family.

—Silver plated milk tubes for sale at the Rogue River Creamery, Medford. tf.

—A. H. Miller has men at work planting the remainder of his land to fruit. He owns twenty acres of land which he purchased several months ago from Captain Carroll, and of this there are now sixteen acres planted to fruit trees and they are five years old. He is now planting the remaining four acres to pears.

An old subscriber—"Here's a piece of money on subscription account and I want you to know that I don't intend getting in arrears again, and another thing, I want you to keep on sending that paper. I can't get along without it. No, I'm the person to be grateful to you for sending the paper without bothering me for so long, and not you for what is justly your due."

—All kinds of bake stuff—Vienna Bakery. Call 'phone 496 and have goods delivered.

—Miss Bessie Bell has recently completed a term of school at Butte Falls, to the entire satisfaction of both the pupils and parents. On December 24th an entertainment and Christmas tree was given, which was attended by nearly the whole population of the Falls and neighborhood, and was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

—Buy your cigars from Ritter & Dunlap, where you get a valuable coupon with every cigar. 39-tf.

—"Are You Crazy" at the opera house Wednesday night drew a pretty small crowd, principally owing to other social events which attracted some of the regular patrons, and partially, perhaps to the two previous frosts. The show was funny and the actors capable and it was a good one of its class.

—Every lady in Medford should see that Haviland now on "special sale" at Roberts & Reagan.

—E. C. Hubbard and R. J. Sears expect to open up a moving picture show under the name of the Bijou theater in the Moore building on the west side. The equipment will be of the very best and all the latest films will be shown. Part of the program will consist of illustrated songs and they are now negotiating for a first class vocalist. The admission will be 10 cents and the performance continues until 10:30 every evening with a Saturday matinee.

—Ritter & Dunlap's is the only place in town where you get a valuable coupon with every cigar purchased.

—W. Lonsburry, who purchased a tract of land from Mr. Maury, near Jacksonville, has men at work planting an orchard thereon. He is putting out 1450 apple trees, 1250 pear trees 500 peach trees and besides these a family orchard, of which cherry trees form no small part. This family orchard is made up of the selection of Mrs. Lonsburry, and she is said to be coinnoisseur of those varieties of fruit best suited to the table. These people are but recently from North Dakota and the are breaking into Southern Oregon harness with a determination equal to the best of the hustlers from those middle western states.

—F. M. Stewart, of this city is in receipt of the sad news of the death of his oldest brother, John Stewart, which occured at Fowler, Illinois, on December, 21, 1907. Mr. Stewart had been a horticulturist nearly all his life and as such was a great success. He was eighty years of age.

—The road and school funds of Jackson county have been increased $790 21, being the share of this county of the 10 per cent allotment of receipts from the forest reserves for the years 1906 07.

—Wanted—Girl for general housework. Mrs. H. U. Lumsden.

—This week is the week of prayer in the Presbyterian church. Next week evangelistic meetings will be held in the Presbyterian church commencing with Sunday evening. Rev. J. E. Howard, the evangelist will preach.

—A warrant has been sworn out for the arrest of one Montgomery, formerly employed in the Ashland yards as switchman, for stealing a suit case and of purloining freight in transit from cars.

—George W. Hall died at Jacksonville Sunday, aged fifty-four years and two months, of pneumonia. The deceased had been a resident of this county for the past fifteen years or more, and was a deaf mute.

—C. M. Kidd, a gentleman who has been in the employ of A. C. Tayler, the foot fitter, has purchased Mr. Tayler's stock of goods and is now in possession of same.

—J. A. Smith has leased the building formerly occupied by Weeks & McGowan, on West Seventh street and will move his tinshop thereto.

—Lettuce, cut flowers, and decorative plants at Medford Green House, Phone 606.

—Miss Grider, of Hornbrook, Calif., fell from train No. 14 on the Siskiyous Sunday morning and suffered a broken leg and other injuries.

—The annual meeting of the share holders of the First National Bank, will occur on Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1908.

City Election Tuesday.

The annual city election will be held next Tuesday for the election of a councilman for each ward to serve two years, a city recorder and a treasurer.

There will be no election for mayor, although it is the opinion of a number of people, including several attorneys that Mayor Reddy's term expires. However, efforts to bring the matter before the circuit court were abandoned, chiefly because citizens best qualified to fill the office declined to make the race, so that the legal status of the question will have to be settled at some future time.

There has been some criticism of Recoder Collins on account of his refusal to place nominees for Mayor upon the official ballot, but under the call issued by the council he had no choice in the matter. He couldn't override the orders of the council based upon the provisions made for elections in the city charter.

The nominees are as follows:

For Recorder—Ben. M. Collins and Perry Stewart, socialist.

For Teasurer—L. L. Jacobs and J. A. Smith socialist.

For Councilman— st ward—F. E. Merrick, J. H. Fitzgerrald and J. H. Simons, socialist.

2nd ward—H. G. Wortman, Louis Bundy and J. W. Wilson, socialist.

3rd ward—W. W. Eifert, F. A. Bliss and Ernest Walters, socialist.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Christian Science services are held every Sunday morning at eleven o'clock in the Commercial club room. Subject for January 12th, "Sacrament". All are welcome.

STRANGERS' SUNDAY HOME.

First Baptist church: Lost strayed or stolen, a boy. Last seen going in the direction of another Sunday school. A church or Sunday school should not build itself up from other organized bodies of believers.

Last Sunday we were pleased with the congregation and the spirit manifested. It was a good beginning for the new year. We invite you to worship with us.

G. LeRoy Hall, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

"The New Game of Gaining by Losing" will be the subject next Sabbath at 11 a. m. Preaching also at night. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. All are invited.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock with sermon on the Epiphany including a scientific explanation of the appearance of the star to the Magi. Good music, hearty service, helpful worship at St. Mark's church. The regular evening service will be held at 7:30, at which the minister will preach his second sermon on the Lord's Prayer. He has something practical and something helpful to bring to your attention. Come and hear him. Regular, graded Bible school meets at 9:45 every Sunday morning.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

10 a. m. Bible school, lesson "Jesus and John the Baptist" John 1: 25-34. 11 Sermon to the little men and women and young people, subject: "Four kinds of Hearts," this will be an illustated sermon. A large number of boys and girls and others will bear this object sermon. Objects used to illustrate this will be a blackboard and four boxes filled with soil. 6:30 p. m. Young Peoples Meeting, subject "The True Center of Life," 7:30 sermon: "The Man Christ Jesus," The second in the series of popular Sunday evening studies in the life of Jesus of Nazareth. A large and appreciative audience heard the first sermon. You will want to hear all in this line of subjects. Cordial invitation.

Marion F. Horn, Minister.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Preaching next Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. K. Howard will preach in the evening. The pastor preaches at Jacksonville. Evangelistic services all next week. Rev. J. K. Howard, the Evangelist will preach.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

Iowa Lumber & Box Co. vs J. D. Hooker. Judgement for plaintiff in sum of $50 and costs and disbursements amounting to $11.

T. J. Kinney vs Opp Consolidated Mine—dismissed.

T. L. Reynolds vs Opp mine—dismissed.

Benton Bowers vs William Bybee—sale under execution confirmed by court.

State of Oregon vs Geo. Putnam. Demurrer to indictment overrulled, and case set for trial Thursday.

Chas. M. Pheiser vs Rose F. Pheiser—suit for divorce. Decree granted.

J. D. Van Dyke vs Nettie Van Dyke—suit for divorce. Decree granted.

State of Oregon vs John Jones. Plead guilty and fined $10 which was paid.

State of Oregon vs C. A. Simons. Following is the jury: Samuel Mathis, E. C. Boeck, James Owens, R. L. Cook, A. W. Beebe, Geo. Givans, John Owens, C. E. Sheldon, Gus Nichols, Theodore Fish, A. Kleinhamme, S. A. Carlton.

For Sale.

Two ponies, sound, and gentle for ladies or children to handle, four and six years old. Also good driving horse, and about 800 bushels of barley inquire of,

Jas. Taylor & Sons, Medford.

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Tea, Coffee, Spice and Extract specialties. Also a large line of Japanese China Ware, Vases, and Jardiniers

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500 LOTS OR MORE.

Flour.....	$2.40 per	100 lbs
Rolled Barley.	$1.80 per	" lbs
Middlings.....	$1.60 per	" lbs
Mill Feed.....	$1.40 per	" lbs
Bran.....	1.25 per	" lb

LESS THAN 500 LOTS.

Flour.....	$2.60 per	100 lbs
Rolled Barley..	$1.90 per	" lbs
Middlings.....	$1.75 per	" lbs
Mill Feed.....	$1.50 per	" lbs
Bran.....	$1.40 per	" lbs

MEDFORD FLOUR MILLS.

Just a Minute of You Time, Ladies

This season we are showing a wider selection of boot styles from the JOHN KELLY factory than ever before.

We are doing this because our trade likes these shoes and demand more of them.

We have bought the nobbiest styles and can please every woman in this city.

We extend a cordial invitation to call—and look.

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