

# JOYS of Christmas

Gifts for grandfather, grandmother, father, mother, brother, sister, uncle, aunt, cousin, sweetheart her.

## THERMOS BOTTLES AND LUNCH KITS

For the man who carries his lunch or lurching autoists—practical and necessary.

## FOUNTAIN PENS

Self Fillers—A gift that any one would like.

## CUT GLASS

Beautiful gifts with a large assortment to select from in cut glass and the new Japanese hand cut woods.

## DOLLS

It won't be a Christmas to the Kiddies without a doll. We have just what will please.

## CAMERAS

A joy the year 'round. Come in and let us show you our Ansco—you'll want to go Ansoeing.

## MUSIC

Come in and choose your Christmas Grafonola today.

## CIGARS

Ladies—We have a complete stock of cigars that make a nice Christmas package. All popular brands. You can get just what your friend or relative smokes.

Pipes—Many, many kinds and dandy smokers.

## FRENCH IVORY

The favorite gift of the nation. It brings real pleasure because its service is lasting.

Combs—Each price a good value.

Bonnet Mirrors—Extra heavy plate with beveled edge. Large and small sizes.

Hair Brushes—Various styles and sizes. Fine quality bristles.

Clocks in Ivory Cases—An ornament as well as a necessity.

## OTHER IVORY FEATURES

Jewel Boxes Bonnet Brushes  
Pin Cushions Military  
Pin Boxes Brushes  
Trinket Boxes Nail Files  
Cream Jars Buffers  
Salve Jars Hair  
Perfume bottles Receivers  
Puff Boxes Cuticle Knives  
Soap Boxes Infant Brushes

## HOT WATER BOTTLES

(Metal and Rubber)

First Aid—A gift that will be the source of comfort in health or sickness.

## GIFT STATIONERY

(Handsomely Boxed)

High Grade Stationery—Combination note paper and correspondence cards in white and dainty tints.

# WILLIAMS DRUG CO.

PERFECT SERVICE PURE DRUGS

## HOW TO TREAT A FRIEND OR RELATIVE WHO HAS GONE AWAY

Have THE POST send to them one year as a Christmas gift. Expense \$1.50. They will enjoy reading about you and everybody else in the old home town. Then for you it saves the trouble of writing so often, paper, envelopes, postage.

IT WOULD BE MOST SATISFACTORY  
AND PLEASANT ALL AROUND

## GIVE W. S. S. FOR CHRISTMAS IS U. S. APPEAL

Governor Calkins Urges Government Securities for Presents Instead of Luxuries

Governor John U. Calkins of the San Francisco Federal Reserve Bank has written a letter to all banks and trust companies in the Twelfth Federal Reserve District urging them to promote, wherever possible, the sale of War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates for Christmas presents this year.

The increased demand for these Government securities, the Treasury Savings Certificates being similar to War Savings Stamps in denominations of \$100 and \$1000, is apparent from the fact that the Federal Reserve Bank supplied \$60,200 worth of Treasury Savings Certificates to eighteen banks in the district on November 20, which is the largest amount sold in one day since the close of the war. On the face of the demand of these eighteen banks and the increased call for the securities from all postoffices throughout the Twelfth Federal Reserve District, it would seem that the Government's holiday slogan, "Give a War Savings Stamp or a Treasury Savings Certificate for Christmas," is being followed out, and the Government is hoping that by giving War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates for Christmas gifts the district will closely approximate its War Savings quota for the year.

A portion of Governor Calkins' letter follows:

"The Christmas holidays are almost upon us. Everything points to a tremendous outlay of money in the purchase of holiday gifts, the greater portion of which I think I am safe in saying will be luxuries. The present situation demands not that more money be spent in the purchase of luxuries, but that we curtail as much as possible, with the consequent beneficial contraction of credit.

"Therefore, I appeal to you as a fellow banker to do everything within your power to stimulate the purchase and giving of War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates as Christmas presents in place of the usual needless and expensive gifts. It seems to me that the responsibility of leading men's minds along the ways of thrift and simple living rests to a great extent upon the bankers of the country and in asking you to push the sales of Treasury securities during the Christmas holidays, I am asking you only to take advantage of an opportunity to meet this responsibility."

In addition, Christmas posters carrying an appeal to give War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates for Christmas presents will be distributed throughout the Twelfth Federal Reserve District, and all banks have been asked to include a similar appeal in their advertising.

## CITY AND COUNTRY

One can of asparagus, one bottle of olives, one bottle of salad oil, one can of ripe olives and one can of corn all for one dollar is McIntosh's Christmas special. On sale beginning Dec. 20.

Mrs. Susan Jones celebrated her eightieth birthday at her home in Corvallis Wednesday. Mrs. Jones is so active and full of life's interests, no one would ever think of her as an octogenarian.

Independence young people now enrolled at the O. A. C. include Orin H. Dadman, Gladys Reynolds, Wendell H. Denlinger, Madeline Kreamer, Charles G. Davis, Opal E. Hewett, Rollie McKinney, Harry C. Miller, Delos Eldridge, Frank B. Smiley and Pete A. Stoltenberg.

There has been no school since Tuesday. So many pupils were marooned by the storm that the teachers and more ambitious pupils have kept at home the remainder of the week. Some of the kiddies didn't mind the biting weather and had the time of their lives, sleighing, coasting and skating. However, there were not enough sleighs and bob sleds in town to convey all the pupils to the buildings, consequently school was abandoned until the weather is more favorable. It is hoped conditions will be so school may be resumed Monday.

Local news on every page of this Post.

A photograph makes a most excellent Christmas gift.

## EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO IN WEST SIDE OF SEPT. 4, 1891

J. D. Stevens turned in a copy of the Independence West Side of Sept. 4, 1891, and a perusal of its columns reveals many incidents in the life of the city eighteen years ago. It is rather odd that not one of the city officials or members of the school board at that time are now residents of Independence. Of course some of them are dead. The

## Only 12 More Days to Shop

DID YOU KNOW THAT CHRISTMAS WAS VERY NEAR, AND HAVE YOU SELECTED THOSE GIFTS?

ADD OVER THE LIST BELOW AND SEE IF THERE IS SOME ARTICLE THAT YOU HAD NOT THOUGHT OF FOR A CHRISTMAS PRESENT.

- Universal Coffee Percolators
- Universal Lunch Kits
- Pyrex Glass Baking Dishes
- Pyrex Casseroles
- Community Silver Ware—Berry Spoons, Cold Meat Forks, Knives, Forks and Spoons.
- Hot Point Electric Irons.
- Hot Point Percolators
- Keen Kutter Karvers
- Keen Kutter Shears
- Keen Kutter Pocket Knives
- Keen Kutter Safety Razors
- Gillette Safety Razor Sets
- Keen Kutter Hand Saws, Hammers and Chisels.
- Crescent Wrenches, 6 inch \$1.00; 8 inch \$1.25; 10 inch \$1.50.
- Auto Accessories—Tires, Tubes, Spotlights, Jacks, Tire Testers, Spark Plugs and Flashlights

There are many other articles that I have not mentioned and the best way for you to do is to call at my store and look them over. I know you will find a suitable gift.

Make My Store your headquarters while in the City.

## WILLARD E. CRAVEN, HDW.

Successor to  
CRAVEN & HUFF HDW. CO.  
INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.

"Do Your Christmas Shopping in Independence"

## THE STORM. (Continued from Page 1.)

To guard our necks and ears from snow,  
We cut the solid whiteness through,  
And, where the drift was deepest, made  
A tunnel walled and overlaid  
With dazzling crystal: we had read  
Of rare Aladdin's wondrous cave,  
And to our own his name we gave,  
With many a wish the luck were ours  
To test his lamp's supernal powers.

city officials were: W. P. Conaway, mayor; J. T. Ford, recorder; Tom Fennell, marshal; E. T. Henkle, treasurer; councilmen, J. A. Wheeler, E. E. Kregel, E. C. Pentland, James Gibson, M. Merwin, G. W. Shinn. School board, L. C. Gilmore, G. W. Shinn and W. E. Cressy; clerk, M. L. White. A survey of the advertising columns shows that H. Hirschberg was president of the Independence National Bank, J. S. Cooper was president of the First National Bank, Beamer & Craven run the harness shop, Damon & Hubbard were draymen, Mitchell & Bohannon manufactured sash and doors, and Henkle & Walker conducted a general store. J. R. N. Bell & Son were the publishers of the West Side. The principal news item in paper was an account of the drowning and funeral of Eita Lee and Majel Skinner.

## AT THE ISIS NEXT WEEK.

For Tuesday night, Mary MacLaren is at her best in "The Weaker Vessel."

To see Wallace Reid in any photo play is a delight, but to see him as a society idler of wealth who impersonates a crook is a revelation. This he does Wednesday night in "The Love Burglar." When he finds his brother carousing in a dive and being mistaken for a crook, readily admits it to a girl—and such a girl! There is a surprise finish to the picture which will be found to be highly dramatic. The film also makes a plea for the sale of Red Cross Christmas Seals. There is a Bennett comedy on the same night entitled "Among Those Present." What friend wife does to friend husband doubles you up with laughter.

Hedda Nova comes on Thursday night in "The Spitfire of Seville." Do you enjoy gripping suspense

dramas? Do you enjoy love stories filled to overflowing with action? Can you imagine, then the result of a ravishing Spanish beauty falling in love with a dashing young American and that love turning to hate? Can't you actually see in your mind's eye the thrills of such a play? If we told you more about the plot, you'd hardly be able to wait till the picture was shown.

We needn't tell you anything about Kate Douglas Wiggin, we know. For some twenty-five years, she has been writing some of the most popular of our stories. You've read her fiction in the magazines and you've read it in novel form. So that when we tell you that the Paramount picture which comes here Friday night is called "Rose o' the River" and is based on Kate Douglas Wiggin's book of the same name, you know, whether or not you've read the story that it is a fine one. And when we tell you further that the star is dainty Lila Lee—well, we don't have to add anything to that, do we?

"The Gray Horizon," starring Sessue Hayakawa is remarkable for its artistic photography. Aside from the story, which is intensely dramatic, the unusual lighting effects, rich interiors and the splendor of the mountain shots will hold the observer with their beauty and artistry. The mountain stuff was taken far up in the Sierra-Nevada mountains. The vista of mountain ranges and the beautiful cloud effects taken at this location are gems of artistry and photography. Saturday night only.

For Sunday afternoon and evening Catherine Calvert appears in "The Career of Katherine Bush," the famous novel by Elinor Glyn. In the story, Mrs. Glyn paints the portrait of a young woman who carves out her own career successfully, but before she reaches her goal, that of marriage, with a cele-

brated nobleman she suffers many a bitter pang occasioned by her recollection of imprudences of her early life. She is a woman of high ideals and she risks the loss of the love of the man she yearns for by telling him of her career, but instead of sacrificing her future, he takes her to him lovingly, and both are rendered happy.

## TELL US WHAT YOU WANT IN JEWELRY

We will try our best to please you. If you cannot find exactly what you want in our magnificent stock, we will be glad to secure it for you. Or if you have ideas of your own for making up something original, let us help you. We can manufacture it for you in our own shop. We specialize in fine diamonds and diamond jewelry and carry a beautiful assortment at popular prices.

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