

GRAND Clearance Sale

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and everything in the Millinery Line at 25 per cent less than cost for the next ten days.

Miss Celia Goldsmith.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

PERSONAL MENTION.

Porter Howard was down from Canby Wednesday.

A. C. Brown, recently of Bridal Veil, has become a resident here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Casler, from the East, are visiting Mrs. H. Nemyre.

Joel Elmer and Fred Lundau were visitors from Clarks Wednesday.

Mrs. M. A. Stratton, of Portland, was visiting friends here Wednesday.

John Heft, a well known citizen of Highland, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

Mrs. T. J. Cocking and children left Wednesday for a visit to relatives at Silverton.

August Staehley, a prominent resident of New Era, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

T. R. A. Sellwood, one of the best known citizens of Milwaukie, was in town Wednesday.

Dub Alldredge and family, of Lincoln, Polk county, arrived Tuesday, and are visiting his brother.

Mrs. Eli Williams and two sons left Tuesday night for a six week's visit to her mother at Ashland.

Cundiff B. Rowland, a Company I veteran, who has been working near Spokane, has returned home.

Charles Meserve, who is now sojourning on his homestead in Pacific county, Wash., was in town Tuesday.

J. J. Leabo, who resides near The Dalles, is visiting friends in this county. He formerly resided at Marquam.

C. E. Hawkins, an attorney of Toledo, Lincoln county, was in the city for a couple of days during the week.

Sol J. Garrison, J. E. Engar, J. A. Graham, J. J. Smith, C. W. Druschel and Morley Mack, of Canby, were in town Monday.

Road Supervisor R. H. Tabor states that he will have 80 rods of new plank laid this week on the road leading to Mount Pleasant.

C. E. Young and son started Tuesday for Eastern Oregon, where they will remain during the winter for the benefit of the latter's health.

Mrs. H. Anderson, Mrs. M. J. Farnsworth and Misses Phila Farnsworth and Maggie A. Johnson, of Milwaukie, were in the city Tuesday.

F. M. Ammen, a prominent resident of Kingsley, Wasco county, was visiting friends and relatives here during the past week. Mr. Ammen was a former well known citizen of this county.

E. Schubert, an enterprising resident of Elwood, who handles the preparations of the Illinois Medicine Company, was in town several days during the week.

Miss Ina Chase, who is officiating as assistant in the county clerk's office, during the circuit court, keeps the journal written up to date, besides attending to other work.

J. R. Marks, of the firm of J. R. Marks & Co., which has just organized with a capital stock of \$25,000, was in town during the week. The headquarters of the firm is at Canby, and they will buy wheat, oats, potatoes, wool, dried fruit, etc.

Daniel S. Holman, of Yamhill county, a pioneer of 1843, was visiting Judge William Galloway and his son, R. L. Holman, during the week. On Tuesday he met William Barlow, of Barlow, and Thomas P. Jackson, of Molalla, both pioneers of 1845. In 1849 Jackson and Holman came up from California on the steamer Huntress and parted at Portland. This was 50 years ago. During all this time they have only lived about 40 miles apart, and had not seen each other since parting until Tuesday.

Scott Bozorth, of Salem, was a visitor in the city Monday.

Ben Gregerson left yesterday to join his father at Sacramento, Calif.

A. C. Thomas, a prominent citizen of Sandy, was in Oregon City yesterday.

Mrs. A. C. Willey and child are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson White, in Portland.

Mrs. G. C. Richey and Mrs. Saunders, of Macksburg, will leave in a few days for Sumpter, where they expect to locate.

H. J. Miller, the Aurora hop buyer, was in town Wednesday, and reports sales slow at six and seven cents per pound.

Jack Blount, who is working with the Southern Pacific bridge gang, came down from Goshen Wednesday, for a few days vacation.

E. N. Foster, a prominent citizen of Eagle creek, was a visitor in town yesterday. He states that there will be a Thanksgiving ball at Eagle creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moehtke, accompanied by their grandson, Erol Graham, left Monday night for Seattle to visit their daughters, Mrs. I. A. L. Bean and Mrs. A. V. Dickey, for a few weeks.

G. W. Scramlin, a Macksburg merchant, was in the city yesterday, and reports the yield of potatoes as immense this season. He shipped 1200 bushel off four acres, after discarding 500 or 600 bushels of worthless potatoes. The general average yield is from 200 to 300 bushel per acre this season. The potato crop will bring in thousands of dollars into Clackamas county.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Ask for Kuerten's bread, cookies, doughnuts, etc.

Everybody likes Kuerten's pumpernickel, the bread of health.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a turkey dinner on thanksgiving day.

Remember that the ladies of the M. E. church will serve turkey dinner on Thanksgiving day.

The most complete assortment of pipes in Oregon City. Prices from 10c to \$7.00. P. G. Shark, the barber.

H. Hoskins, recently of Monmouth, has opened a grocery store in the Shively block, on upper Seventh street.

Phillip Henneman, of Milwaukie, on Tuesday renounced allegiance to the emperor of Germany, and received his final citizenship papers. His witnesses were Jacob Ernestberger and August Kanne.

Twenty-seven new members were taken into the Congregational church last Sunday. The topic at the Congregational church next Sunday morning will be "The Kingdom of Heaven as Leaven." In the evening the topic will be "Some Reasons Why Men are Not in the Church."

An elaborate program has been prepared for the teachers' institute at West Oregon City next Saturday afternoon, to be followed by an evening session. Luncheon will be served to country teachers at 1 o'clock, and to all teachers at 5 o'clock. Professor Gary always sees that the teachers are royally entertained, and some of them have expressed a desire to see him run for school superintendent—but he is not a candidate.

On the 21st, County Clerk Dixon issued a marriage license to Hattie Welty, of Clackamas county, and M. L. Hershberger, of Lane county. On the 22nd, licenses were issued to Sarah B. Kanne and Edward O. Baker, and Matilda H. Kanne and Walter Baker. Both of the brides are sisters and daughters of A. Kanne, who resides near Harmony. The grooms are not blood relations, only brother-in-laws.

Colone! Jackson, O. N. G., made the annual inspection of Separate Company F Tuesday night. The result was satisfactory.

The ladies of St. Paul's Guild will hold a bazaar on Friday evening, Dec. 8th, at the armory. Program and particulars next week.

Wanted—By a young lady, a place to work for her board, not far from the business part of the city. Address, Ida Snow, Oregon City, Ore.

Herbert Poppleton, a well known employe of the paper mills, was married in Independence last Sunday to Miss Sadie Huntley. Mr. and Mrs. Poppleton will reside here.

A deed was filed in the county clerk's office last Saturday, conveying 147 acres of land near Canby to Peter Kraft. The maker of the deed was Mrs. Lucy J. Kraft, and the consideration was \$6,000.

Mrs. Chet Van Maer, died at Independence Monday night. It is presumed that death was caused by a fall from roller skates, that occurred at the auditorium on the previous Saturday night. She collided with another skater and fell. The deceased was a former resident here. She left a husband and two children.

Christian Science services are held in Willamette Hall every Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Subject for Sunday, Nov. 26, "God The Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school at 12:10. Wednesday evening meeting at eight o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all who desire to attend these services.

The news was received here Saturday night that William Humphrey, of the Fourteenth Infantry, died at Manila of dysentery on October 8th. He had been ill for about two months. The deceased was a cousin of George Warner, and formerly resided here. Only a few days previous relatives here had forwarded two Christmas boxes to his address.

Charles Charles, a well known resident of this city, was killed Monday at the Libby mine, near Marshfield by a cave-in of top coal. The deceased left a widow and eight children here. The body was embalmed and shipped here for burial, and is expected to arrive here today or tomorrow. He was a member of Oregon Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F., and that lodge will have charge of the funeral.

The Independent Citizens convention will be held next Tuesday evening at Weinhard's hall. The call is printed in another column. This convention will no doubt renominate Mavor C. D. Laurette for mayor. The non-partisan central committee will probably call a convention to meet on the same date. The chairman of the committee could not be seen before the paper went to press. The city election will be held one week from next Monday.

Chief Burns arrested Will Gathrow Wednesday afternoon by request of Portland authorities. The prisoner was delivered to Officers Barry and DuBois, of the Portland police department. He is charged with committing the recent hold-ups in Portland and Oregon City. Gathrow worked in the paper mills for awhile but left town several days ago. When he returned Wednesday, he said that he had been working on the railroad near Milwaukie. He had lived at Silverton for three years, where he has a wife and two children. Later: After Gathrow was taken to Portland, it was ascertained that he was innocent of any complicity in the hold-ups.

Go to the M. E. church for dinner Thanksgiving day. Dinner 25c.

A Sad, Fatal Accident.

Monday afternoon, John Ivan Strickler, an oiler in the brick flouing mill, met with an awful accident that proved fatal on the following day. He was oiling the machinery on the upper floor, and his clothing caught in the gearing, mangling his body in a fearful manner. His right arm was terribly mangled from the wrist almost to the shoulder, the left was broken and his back and one leg was bruised and lacerated and the left torn from the bone in one spot. He died at 10 a. m., Tuesday. After the accident young Strickler said that he had lost his oil can, which is conclusive evidence that he was caught in the gearing while reaching for his oil can. The deceased was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Strickler, and was 19 years, 11 months and 23 days old. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. S. Bollinger, Wednesday afternoon. The services were largely attended. The employes of the flouing mills attended in a body, and the West Oregon City school closed in deference to the death of a former pupil. The floral offerings were numerous and tasty. The funeral services were held at the residence of J. G. Pillsbury.

21 Women Wanted

For 10 days suffering from irregular, painful or stoppage of periods; leucorrhoea (whites) and all female diseases cured by old Dr. Kessler, cor. Second and Yamhill streets. All on hand we can treat properly for 10 days; then 28 will be well and discharged. Consultation free, and private rooms for ladies. If can't call, write, inclosing 10-cent stamps.

Nothing Second-Rate

Will do at the quality store. Anything of an inferior sort will not answer here. What is bought or sold under our name must be Full First-Class in every way. We try to do large things well, and at the same time insist on attention to little things. Nothing is too small to attend to the satisfaction of our customers.

Gentlemen's Business Suits
\$15.00

Bright, handsomely tailored, latest fashion Scotch chevots and tweeds; striped worsted and fast blue serges.

Coats are single and double breasted—as are also the vests. These suits are considerably better than we usually show at the price, and are

**Intrinsically the best suits
For the money
Shown in the city**

You are sure of a perfect fit here, and "your money back, if you say so"

Men's New Hosiery

25c Per Pair

The "mercerized" cottons in blue and red, are getting their share of popular liking. They look and feel just like silk; but that's a trick in the making. 25c is a smallish price—our price.

**Fast Black Cotton Hose
Black and Natural Cashmere
Fancy Stripped Cashmeres**

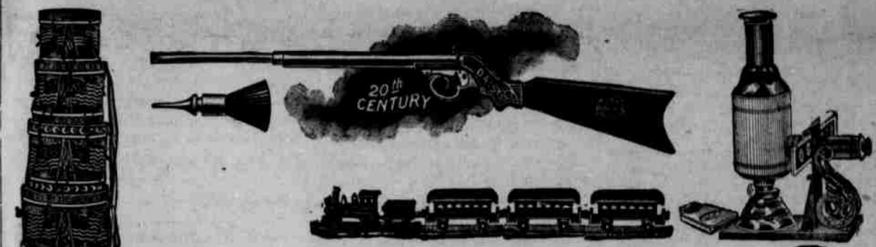
Excellent value, heavy black wool and camel's hair hose. Winter underwear is ripe.

New Location
4th & Morrison
Streets



Largest
Clothiers in
the Northwest

Grand Gift Sale



Appreciating the liberal patronage bestowed upon us this fall we will distribute to the public the following articles:

- Twentieth Century Daisy Air Rifles.
- Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, 1,281 quarto pages. Full sheep.
- Toy Pianos, 15 keys.
- 21 Piece High-grade China Tea Set.
- Footballs, heavy on canvas. 10-inch diameter.
- Magic Lantern, 12-inches. 12 slides.
- Toy Trunks, barrel top Saratogas.
- Doll Carriages, trimmed with fancy figured cloth, embossed cane bottoms, folding parasols.
- Blackboards, size of frame 17 1/2 by 24 1/2 inches.
- Dolls, washableisque, kid body, fancy dressed.
- Tool Chests, size 3 1/2 x 5 x 11 inches, contains ten large tools.
- Safes, full nickel plated, reliable combination lock.
- Drums, embossed metal, American flags in colors around drum.
- Engine, Tender and 3 Cars, length 28 inches.
- Wash Sets, washboard, wringer, clothes dryer, table 11 1/2 by 18 1/2 inches.
- Dangerless Popguns, 26 inches long.
- Tin Kitchen Set, 36 pieces.
- Embossed Blocks, 15 pieces.
- Animal Wagons.
- Iron Toys.
- Toy Horses, etc., etc.

**A rare Chance to secure
CHRISTMAS GIFTS absolutely FREE**

Coupons will be issued; 10 per cent rebate given with each sale

Sale Closes December 25, 1899

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Seventh and Main Streets, Suspension Bridge Corner



The Royal Sweep

The latest in Ladies' winter water-proof wraps—two colors—Seal Brown and Sycamore Green. Green wraps \$5.00 each; Seal Brown \$6.00 each. Gentlemen's warranted box-coats—last winter was \$10, this winter \$8, latest colors—grey and plaid. Only a limited number of them in stock. Get your pick before numbers are broken. They are all the latest styles and the very best material.

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