

Oils & King

Are you fully supplied with Thanksgiving linens?

WE'VE GATHERED WITH A LAVISH HAND FOR YOUR NEEDS

Richardson's Famous Linens

Linens that are recognized the world over as THE KING OF ALL LINENS. Linens with more than a century's record back of them. Every housewife who loves dainty linens should see our array of Richardson's TABLE SETS, SEPARATE CLOTHS, LINEN DAMASK BY THE YARD, NAPKINS, DOILIES, TRAY CLOTHS, CARVING CLOTHS, ETC.

We import them direct from the factory in Ireland, making them the cheapest high-grade linens in Portland.

"One Good Thing Calls for Another"

Choice table linen and napery demands equal excellence in china, glassware and silverware, which are

HAVILAND CHINA—We are the largest importers in the Northwest of these goods. LIBBEY'S CUT GLASS—Sole Portland agency for this, the best make. "THE ROGERS BROS." TABLE SILVERWARE—Special Portland depot at our store.

Haviland China Dinner Sets 1847 Roger Bros. Silverware

Three styles of decorations in this, the finest of French China. Your pick of seven patterns in this old reliable make. Tea Spoons \$1.07 set of 6. Table Spoons \$1.13 set of 6. Dessert Spoons \$1.25 set of 6. Knives and Forks \$1.35 set of 6.

Libbey's Cut Glass

Shows the world's most brilliant cutting. Our variety includes Water Bottles, Berry Sets, Butter Dishes, Celery, Creamers, Olives, Nappies and numberless others. Complete line of Carving Sets, with pearl, ivory, stag and celluloid handles. Prices \$1.25 to \$15.00 set.

Just Opened in Art Department

New Duchess, Flemish, Battenberg and Point Lace Brails. NEW SILK EMBROIDERED ANCHORS, navy, red or white, 30 each.

VERY QUIET ELECTION

NOTE IN PORTLAND UNEXPECTEDLY LIGHT.

Chief Interest Centered in General Result and Crowds Lingered Late Before Ballot.

Never has a more quiet election been known in Portland than that of yesterday. Not a single dispute or incident of any kind occurred at any of the polling-places, and the judges and clerks of election found their time hanging heavy on their hands between voters. After the long list of names voted on in June, the small ballot was an easy one for the voters, and only before the polls opened were lines formed at any of the polling places. The Democrats hoped for nothing but to make a showing, and at times almost despairing of that, the only interest seemed to be in the general result, and messengers from the bulletin boards down town were greeted with eager questions from those whose duties compelled them to remain at the polls.

NEW WHOLESALE HOUSE.

Puget Sound Men Will Establish in Business Here.

A. H. Sanford and Thornton A. Edwards have leased from O'Shea Bros. for a term of five years the Hibernia building, at Sixth and Washington. Under the firm name of Sanford & Edwards they will conduct a wholesale and retail millinery business. What is now Hibernia Hall will be occupied by the wholesale department, which will be opened some time in December. Extensive improvements in the way of a plate-glass

Linhardt, James Nicol, David Kerr and J. W. Crutcher. Miss Belle Ainsworth and R. H. Jenkins were the hares and were given a 10-minute start, laying the paper trail over a course across country about five miles long, finishing across a field near the Sandy road. The hares used all kinds of wiles to delude their pursuers, throwing out false scents and circling back on their own trail, and reached the finish about three minutes ahead of the hounds. E. T. Chase came in first of the hounds in an exciting finish, with Mrs. Bufum second. Mr. Chase is a fine rider and finished first in the previous chase. Nearly all the hounds came in together, although there were a few stragglers. The sport is growing popular, and if the fine weather continues until Saturday another chase will be held, with a finish accessible to the public, so that spectators appreciating a pretty finish of about 20 spirited horses may have a chance to be present.

About 5 o'clock the signal that McKinley was elected was flashed from the Oregonian tower, and the flashes were repeated at frequent intervals. The tower was illuminated till it was found that the hullucination of the present era. Interfered with the bulletin, when it was suspended, but was repeated several times during the evening. All through the evening the telephone in the editorial rooms of The Oregonian building singled with the summons from people all over town who were eager to hear the result of the election. The answer: "It's a landslide for McKinley" was almost always greeted with the reply of "good" from the Inquirer.

HARES AND HOUNDS.

Exciting and Pretty Contest by Skilled Equestrians.

The patrons of the Portland Riding Academy gave their second paper chase yesterday afternoon. Early in the morning all the men cast their votes and then cast aside all cares as to the result of the election and entered heartily into the exhilarating sport of riding with the hares and hounds. The start was back of the Irvington race track, and it made a pretty sight when the 20 riders were off in a bunch for the chase across country.

In the party were Miss Belle Ainsworth, Mrs. F. G. Bufum, Miss Burns, Miss Ann Shogren, Miss Kierman, and Messrs. R. H. Jenkins, Dr. Chapman, A. H. Kerr, Roscoe Onks, Sam Kerr, Sidney Cowton, R. M. Lazarus, R. L. Sebin, E. T. Chase, John Letta, A. K. Bentley, W. L.

Lipman Paper Co.

"CLOTH OF GOLD"—A new fabric for yokes, vestings, stocks, girdles, etc. Twenty-four inches wide, \$1.98 yard.

TOMORROW ONLY We will sell Fifty Highest Class

Tan Kersey Jackets

Made in the newest Fall shape, and all lined with finest quality silks, value \$20 and \$22.50, at

\$12.50

Daily Needs in Daily Use in Every Household

We present in this sale, in great variety, those little indispensable household needs, today at

VERY SPECIAL PRICES

- Hardwood Clothespins, well made and shaped, special, per dozen 1c
- Pearline, the best of all cleaners, special, 1-lb. packages 8c
- Rising Sun Stove Polish, the standard, special at 5c
- Gold Dust Washing Powder, 3-lb. package, special per pkg. 14c
- 100-lbs. of Bluing, in 1-lb. packages, special per package 7c
- Bath Brick, for cleaning knives, special per brick 5c
- Shelf Paper, new patterns in all good colors, per package special 3c
- Burnish Metal Polish, special 12c
- Enamel Stove Polish, small, special 3c
- Enamel Stove Polish, 6 for 25c
- Putz Pomade Brass Polish, special 5c
- Machine Oil, per bottle, special 4c
- Peerless Furniture Polish, best on market, special per bottle 17c
- Imperial Silver Polish, special 18c
- Imperial Silver Polish, special 10c
- Electro Silicon, per box, special 6c
- Chinese Ironing Wax, per cake special 2c
- Household Paint Mixed Ready for Use 1/2 pint cans, special per can 10c 1 pint cans, special per can 19c 3/4 gallon cans, special per can 30c
- Quart Cans Floor Paint, special 29c
- Varnish Stains, 1/2 pt cans special 13c
- 5-lb. Feather Dusters, special 8c
- 6-lb. Feather Dusters, special 12c
- 8-lb. Feather Dusters, special 19c
- 9-lb. Feather Dusters, special 25c
- 10-lb. Feather Dusters, special 35c
- 14-lb. Feather Dusters, special 95c
- Paraffin Wax Candles, per dozen, special 25c
- Electric Wax Candles, per dozen, special 22c

successful merchant on Puget Sound, being until recently senior member of Sanford, Stone & Fisher, of Tacoma, and a member of the firm of Stone, Santoni & Lane, of Seattle, large dealers in dry goods and millinery. Mr. Edwards was formerly connected with Olds & King, of this city, and for some time past has been the Western representative of New York wholesale millinery houses. Mr. Sanford yesterday said: "For some time Mr. Edwards and I have been weighing the respective advantages of San Francisco and Portland for our business, and after a most careful study of the two fields we have come to the conclusion that Portland offers the better and more promising territory, covering as it does so thoroughly the wholesale trade of Oregon, Washington and Idaho." Mr. Edwards goes East immediately to buy the new stock, while Mr. Sanford will remain to look after the alterations and organize the business.

ON THE GOLF LINKS.

Miss Flanders Wins the Ladies Contest—Other Events.

On the links yesterday the men's handicap competition was won by W. M. Ladd with a score of 107 gross, 92 net; Dr. H. E. Jones second with 108 gross, 95 net. In the ladies' match the first prize was won by Mrs. Koehler, 63 gross, 57 net; Mrs. Burns second, 67 gross, 53 net. In the knock-out that has been running since yesterday afternoon, O'Connell and Lawrence from Tronson. This leaves the final issue between Young and Lawrence.

BURIED THEIR COMRADE.

Pathetic Scene Enacted by the Italian Marine Band.

There was a pathetic scene at the burial, yesterday afternoon, of Michele Bellantano, the saxophone soloist of the

Yesterdays scores were as follows: W. M. Ladd 107 Gross, 92 Net. H. E. Jones 108 Gross, 95 Net. C. H. Lewis 108 Gross, 95 Net. J. D. Wilcox 109 Gross, 96 Net. R. E. Watson 110 Gross, 97 Net. B. S. Howard 110 Gross, 97 Net. J. W. McFarland 111 Gross, 98 Net. P. B. Gifford 101 Gross, 101 Net. C. E. Ladd 111 Gross, 101 Net. W. H. Bell 111 Gross, 101 Net. W. Minor 109 Gross, 94 Net. Mrs. H. Koehler 63 Gross, 57 Net. Mrs. W. J. Burns 67 Gross, 53 Net. Mrs. H. C. Wilson 61 Gross, 55 Net. Miss King 64 Gross, 58 Net. Miss Myrick 64 Gross, 58 Net. Mrs. E. Campbell 65 Gross, 59 Net. Mrs. N. E. Ayle 60 Gross, 54 Net. Mrs. Lathrop 61 Gross, 55 Net.

LADIES' RELIEF SOCIETY.

Falling Gift Appreciated—Preparation for Thanksgiving.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Relief Society was held yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the First Presbyterian Church. After receiving the usual reports from the various committees, a communication from Dr. T. L. Elliot, secretary of the Board of Trustees, was read, announcing the generous gift by the Misses Felling and Mrs. Cabell, daughters of the late Henry Felling, of \$25.00, to be added to the perpetual endowment fund. This announcement was received with rapturous applause, and a committee was appointed to make suitable acknowledgment on behalf of the society. The matter of the call for the usual Thanksgiving donations was then taken up and discussed, and committees were appointed to receive contributions.

PERSONAL MENTION.

L. Crabill, of Baker City, is a guest at the Perkins. Judge A. S. Bennett, of The Dalles, is at the Imperial Hotel. Senator George W. McBride and his brother-in-law, William H. Dolman, of St. Helena, are at the Imperial. By Ella, of Ellers Piano House, returned yesterday from an extended Southern trip in time to cast his vote. Governor and Mrs. Cieser are at the Imperial. The Governor came in yesterday from Forest Grove, where he made a speech Monday evening. Representative Tongue, of Hillsboro,

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Men's Oregon Cassimere Suits, \$6.00. (Second Floor.) McCall Patterns. John S. Brown & Sons' Table Linens



Judging by the generous response to our Thanksgiving Linen Sale announcement the linen reserve in many homes was running low. Here you find the best qualities at the lowest prices. This is why we have the best linen customers—many of them—and why they stay with us. We preach quality because it is the most essential point about table linens, and in John S. Brown's lines are confined the very best qualities and styles. Reduced prices of interest to every housewife.

Men's Clothing For this week we are offering a great purchase of Men's Oregon Cassimere Suits in brown checks. Three styles of coats round, square or double-breasted, the \$10.00 kind for \$6.60

John S. Brown & Sons' 72-inch damask in many patterns, the regular dollar value at 86¢ yard. 3-4 Napkins to match, \$2.63 dozen.

John S. Brown & Sons' 72-inch table damask, in large variety of patterns, the regular \$1.25 value, at \$1.05 yard. 3-4 Napkins to match, \$3.30 dozen.

John S. Brown & Sons' 22-inch damask, in many of the choicest patterns; the regular \$1.50 quality is offered for the Thanksgiving Sale at \$1.28 yard. 3-4 Napkins to match, at \$4.40 dozen.

Damask Sets

\$11.50 Sets Reduced to \$9.40
14.80 Sets Reduced to 11.80
18.00 Sets Reduced to 14.70
20.00 Sets Reduced to 16.30
22.00 Sets Reduced to 17.80

TEA CLOTHS

33x33 inch at \$.90
36x36 inch at 1.28
45x45 inch at 1.85
54x54 inch at 2.95

Ladies' Enamel Shoes, \$4.00

Just Received—Another shipment of our popular J. & T. Cousins' warranted enamel box calf shoe for ladies, all sizes, \$4.00 pair.

Pay your election bets with a

Flaves \$300 HATS Celebrated 3-HATS Derbys and Alpines \$3.00. We are Portland Agents.

MEIER & FRANK CO.

came up yesterday from Astoria, where he delivered the closing speech of the campaign Monday evening, and is registered at the Perkins.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Miss M. E. Hayes, of Seattle, registered at the Hotel Albert today.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Hoyt's "A Stranger in New York." Somehow there is an unnamable strength in the Hoyt trademark which appeals to the most fastidious as well as the masses. This fact is very forcibly demonstrated by the enormous demand for seats for the return engagement of Hoyt's "A Stranger in New York," at the Marquand Grand next Friday and Saturday evenings. "A Stranger in New York" is reported as being this popular author's greatest work, and as a money-maker it has set records, even surpassing the record of his famous "A Trip to Chinatown."

Equine and Canine Paradox.

One of the special features with Professor Barnes' dog and pony show will



D. M. Watson Trying to Console the Democratic County Central Committee.

SILVERFIELD FURS

EXCLUSIVE MANUFACTURER OF... HEADQUARTERS FOR GENUINE ALASKA SEALSKINS.

EXHIBITION OF LONG COATS

We place an exhibition today of the very latest novelties in Long Coats: The Automobiles The Newport The Box Coat Long Coats, \$20.00 and up.

This really superior comedy probably has more admirers than any other American play. Its friends here are legion, and they will doubtless prove loyal, too, when "Ole" appears at the Metropolitan Theater next Sunday, November 8. Not only has the play been rewritten for this season's production, but the specialists are all entirely new and numerous along with the singing of the National Swedish Ladies' Quartet will no doubt be a most enjoyable feature of the performance. The engagement is for the entire week.

Treatment for Snake Bites.

Forest and Stream. Having spent over a year among the native hunters and farmers of the most primitive mountain region of Southwestern Arkansas, where the number of poisonous snakes was uncountable, including the copperhead, mountain or timber rattlesnake and rock or diamond-back rattlesnake upon the uplands or mountains (and while I write I can lift my eyes to the skin of a diamond-back upon the wall of my office, 4 1/2 feet long, without the head or tail, which, sporting 17 rattles, fell before the muscle of my Winchester just as he was about to spring at me, which speaks for the size of some of the larger specimens of the upland region), the bottom along the streams being plentifully supplied with cottonmouths, water moccasins, and various kinds of adders, it follows as an axiom that many persons are often bitten by a snake, and the native simple way of treating it I learned in this way: One of the natives and I were hunting mineral outcrops on the Bow's Tusk Mountain in June, 1888, when we came upon a huckleberry patch and began gathering and eating the ripe berries. My guide cautioned me to be on the lookout for snakes, saying: "These cursed varmints hide under the huckleberry bushes to catch the birds when they come to feed on the berries," and I was very careful, but he was not for I soon heard a sharp cry from him, and, on looking at him, saw him throw his left hand and arm in the air and shake off and throw to some distance a diamond-back which had struck him midway of his left forearm. While I was scared as badly as if I myself had been bitten, the hunter drew his knife and made two quick cuts on the finger, so that it bled

British Losing Command of the Seas.

London Correspondent. For the first time since 1814 Britain has actually lost the command of the sea—possibly not irreparably, but for the time being the trident has slipped from her hands. In other words, if maritime war were to break out with a possible coalition of powers, for the first time since 1814 foreigners would be able to dispute with us the control of the ocean highways with excellent chances of success. After holding the command of the sea unchallenged for the better part of a century Britain has lost it, with the slight acquiescence of our rulers.

