New License Scale to Be Adopted.

BASIC RATE IS \$400

Additional Amount Fixed for Side Entrances.

EXTRA \$300 ON CONCERTHALLS

Liquor License Committee of Council Frames New Ordinance-Clubmen Protest, but No Action Is Taken.

PROPOSED NEW LIQUOR LI-CENSE LAW.

Ordinary salcons, one entrance, per Saloons, with side doors or family entrances and boxes, additional

Saloons, with concert halls, addi-Restaurants, selling liquor, to close

Drug stores selling liquor except by physician's reserved. ry stores selling liquor in original packages 400

The liquor license committee of the Common Council adopted the foregoing scale of licenses yesterday, and seven Councilmen who were present said they would support the measure at the meet-ing of the municipal body tomorrow af-ternoon. As the seven constitute a majority, the ordinance may be considered as good as passed, and if the vote should be favorable it will take effect on the lith of the month. The collection of li-censes under it, however, will not be be-gun until the first of the year.

The amended ordinance brought out a delegation from the commercial and soclubs when it was taken up. President H. M. Cake, of the Commercial Club; Secretary Sanderson Reed, of the Arlington Club, and Julius Silvestone, repre-senting the Concordia Club, were in the list of those present, and each had a complaint to make against the inclusion of his respective club in the license ordi-nance. Mr. Cake thought the city had no legal right to tax his club. The or-ganization had been duly incorporated, was the rendezvous of business men, and conducted for the benefit of the city. was conducted for the benefit of the city.

Liquor was not sold for a profit, and the club could not be held subject to the section of the charter providing for the licensing of retailers. Mr. Cake supported his contention with several citations, all of which tended to show that only clubs organized for the especial purpose of dis-pensing liquor at a profit could be held liable for the license fee. For the Concordis Club, Mr. Silvestone

said the organization was purely a social one, received no profit from the bar, and could not afford to pay the city a license. Mr. Reed said that if the Arlington Club was liable to a tax it would pay, but he doubted whether the club was properly assessable. He was of opinion that the Council's ilcensing powers were for the purpose of regulation, and the club did not peed police regulation. If there year, the club could not pay it.

"Everybody will laugh when they hear the announcement that the club cannot be went on, "but that is the truth of the matter. We have just struggled through years of debt. If the Commercial Club can meet the license of \$100 a quarter, it must be in a prosperous condition. We might not object to a tax

or revenue."
"If the clubs are to be taxed by other than the license ordinance," said City Attorney McNary, "It must be by the occupation tax. Under the state law the minimum liquor license is \$400. I am a member of the Commercial Club, and I do not think it can pay that sum."
"Does the Arlington Club pay any taxes now?" asked Mr. Flegel.

"It pays all taxes on real and personal property, etc.," said Mr. Reed, All Must Have License.

With that the audience ended and the three clubmen departed. The committee then took up the license ordinance. When the first section of the present ordinance was read Mr. Bentley offered a substitute providing that no person, persons, firm or corporation shall sell liquor directly or inectly without first having obtained a

license from the city.
"This will not eliminate the clube," he explained. "My object is to make the or-dinance briefer, and the briefer the bet-

"The whole ordinance is all right as it only trouble is that it is not enforced We need not ask the Chief of Police

to enforce the ordinance, for we can en-force it ourselves," said Mr. Flegel. "Well," said Zimmerman, "we could refuse to grant a license to anybody who does not keep on the right side of the

Chairman Sigler asked if the Councilmen thought the present ordinance should be continued in force, and Flegel said it should, but with a few amend-ments. He favored higher licenses in some cases, but he would not agree to an all-night saloon provision or to licens-ing disreputable houses which now pay no

tax to the city. "Let them sell liquor as at present?" asked Messra Bentley and Sigler at the asked Messra Bentley and Sigler at the same time. "You cannot drive them out of town," added the latter. "Public eentiment is against it. Mayor Williams tried to close them, but he could not." "And the Mayor came near being beaten by this public sentiment." observed Mr. Sharkey. "The business men do not favor the closing of these houses or the gambling-houses."

What Flegel Would Do.

"It would be easy to stop the sale of liquor in these houses, just the same." declared Mr. Flegel. "I am willing to volunteer with others to make a personal inspection of them, weekly if necessary. If three members of this committee will stand by me. I will guarantee to close such places as combination zouses by the first of the year. I am willing to make

the attempt."
"It will be only an attempt," said Mr. Sharkey. "Now." Mr. Flegel went on, "there is

that Owl saloon man who came up to us a short time ago and confessed to us the sort of a house he was keeping. Un-der our oaths as officers we should have revoked his license at once, but we let him off with a warning."

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"I am willing to stand by you if the police will come in." said Mr. Zimmer-them at the Brownsville Woolen Mill man. "I am told that there are 12 or 14 Store, on Washington near Second street.

of those disreputable houses in the city, and that some of them sell more beer and whisky than many of the salcona."

Mr. Bentley's substitute was defeated and the original section was retained. For section 2 he offered as a substitute that the transport of the section of the

For section 2 he offered as a substitute that "all persons, firms and corporations who are subject to the United States Government license shall be subject to the terms of this ordinance."

"The Government is collecting revenue from these disreputable places, and why should not the city?" he asked. "As to the clubs, I believe that if we should exempt them it would invalidate the ordinance."

tions apply to this case," said Fiegel.
"The clubs have been exempted in the past—that is, they never paid."
The substitute was adopted, and section 4 was passed over. Amendments to section 5 were presented by both Mr. Bentiey and City Auditor Devlin. The Bentiey and City Auditor Devlin. The former's named licenses as follows: For restaurants selling liquor and having no private dining-rooms, \$400 per year; saloons having only one entrance and no boxes, \$400; saloons having side entrance and boxes, \$200 additional; saloons having music hall and boxes, \$300 additional, Mr. Devlin's substitute provided: For saloons kept open from 5 M. until 1 A. M., \$400; saloons open all night, \$200 additional; saloons having side doors or family entrances and boxes, \$200 additional; saloons having music halls, \$300 additional.

having music halls, \$300 additional. Devlin's Substitute Adopted. Mr. Bentley moved that Mr. Devlin's substitute be adopted, and the motion was carried after the all-night saloon prorision had been killed by Mr. Flegel.

After so much of the ordinance had been disposed of the breweries were taken untion. While none of them der consideration. While none of them sold beer by the glass, it was understood that they had a big trade in the case goods line, and as the wholesale dealers in spirituous liquors were subject to the tax it was thought that the brewers also should be compelled to pay. No action was taken, but the breweries may find a e in the ordinance. The grocery and drug stores were next in line. It was stated by three of the Councilmen that four of the largest grocery stores in the city were selling liquor in original pack-ages, and another said that one store bought whisky in bulk and bottled it for sale. The drug stores also were selling whisky, and reports had reached the Councilmen that one firm was retailing the fluid by the glass. It was moved to include both lines of business in the ordinance, exempting only druggists who sold which by prescription of physicians. Section 2 was then reconsidered on motion of Mr. Bentley, and the original section was

Saloons Close at 1 A. M.

Section 6, which requires the closing saloons between the hours of 1 and 5 A. M., was adopted. This section will ap-ply to restaurants operating under the ply to restaurants operating under liquor license law as well as to sale liquor license law as well as to saloons.

As a conclusion of the discussion the auditor was intructed to draft an ordi-

nance which will be presented to the Council at the meeting tomorrow.

Mr. Flegel asked if the four other members of the committee-Sigler, Bentley, Zimmerman and Cardwell-would approve the ordinance. All said they would, Council and Sherrott who were also cilmen Albee and Sherrett, who were also present, said they would vote for it, which assures of seven votes.

No New Paris House. Before consideration of the ordinance was begun, Councilman Sharkey said he had been requested by the Chief of Police to inform the committee that Gus Routh, proprietor of the Paris House (formerly the notorious Cosmopolitan) had purchased the St. Paul House from Harry Schoof, and intended to establish a sec-ond Paris. The Chief thought the Paris establishments had about reached their limit. On motion of Mr. Bentley the Chief was instructed to notify the purchaser of the St. Paul House that if he contemplated the establishment of another Paris House a license would not be contemplated to him.

O'RAFFERTY'S ENTERPRISE Gave German Family Drive Because He Couldn't Understand.

did not peed police regulation. If there should be any tax at all, it should be for They had no money with them, only a revenue only. But us to the tax of \$400 a loaf of bread. Mrs. Knippel tried to tell several persons around the depot that she wanted to find her husband, but none of the persons she addressed spoke German, and she gave up the attempt in de-

Now, there is considerable rivalry among hackmen stationed at the depot to get customers at any price, and one O'Rafferty saw in Mrs. Knippel a possible fare. "Sure, I'll drive you," he an-nounced, and Mrs. Knippel and her four charges got into the back.

"Where to, ma'am?" he asked.

Mrs. Knippel said something which
sounded like a street in the neighborhood of Twentieth and East Morrison, proud to own up that he didn't the street she referred to, O'Rafferty whipped up his horses, and when he ar-rived at what he thought was his destination he drove about in the darkness to various small streets and awaited orders. But Mrs. Knippei shook her head, and O'Rafferty drove on until he found himself in Lone Fir cemetery.

"I don't believe you knew where you're

goin', anyhow," growled O'Rafferty, and in depair he drove to the police station and said: "Captain, here's a woman who hired me to drive her somewheres, an' the bill is worth \$10, an' I can't find the place, an' I don't know what to do with

"Sprechen sie Deutsch?" inquired Mrs. Knippel of the Police officials. "Guess that's Italian," said one police man, solemnly.

Jailer Johnson tried his famous Choc taw dialect on the stranger, but she shook her head. Mrs. Knippel then made a long statement, and by luck a German passed who recognized the language of his loved Fatherland. He and Mrs. Knippel had a talk immediately, in which she told her troubles. It was impossible to find her husband last night, as he is a recent arrival in Portland. So the woman and her children were made comfortable for the time being in a near-by lodginghouse. It is understood that her husband le a street-car amploye.

OVER \$9000 IS RAISED. Immigration Bureau Project Makes Hendway.

The Immigration Bureau project is making good progress. The committee that is pushing the enterprise has raised over \$5000 of the \$15,000 fund. "We'll make it all right," say the members of the commit-

In a number of countles sub-bureaus have been organized already. These bodies will supply the Portland bureau with printed matter and with products for ex-

"These exhibits will be second to not on the Coast," remarked a member of the on the Coast, remarked a member of the committee yesterday. "It will be a source of pride to every citizen of Portland. The exhibit is going to be a great educator. The counties are fraternizing with us."

GREAT BLANKET SALE At the Brownsville Woolen Mills Continues All This Week.

one week, even at the half price being asked by the woolen mills. The sale will continue all this week, and

Judge George will announce a decision today in the case of Wells, Fargo & Co. vs. J. P. Christensen, on the merits.

In the suit of Phoebe Dekum against Seneca Smith, to foreclose a mortgage for \$19,000 on 600 acres of land in sections 35 and 36, township 1 north, range 2 cast, a decree was signed by Judge Sears yes-

SHE LIKED MICHIGAN TOO WELL Late Royal Highness.

He Could Not Be Induced to Abandon Lake County-Was Willing to ver today.
"May heaven rejoice him!" said a friend Marry Last September, but

James D. Heryford, of Lake County, has filed his answer in the United States Circuit Court as defendant in the suit of Birdie N. McCarty for \$70,000 on a charge of breach of promise to marry. The young lady, who came from Michigan to teach school in Lake County, alleged that on December 25, 1900, Heryford sked her to marry him, and that she consented, and because of this promise she remained single. As her flance appeared in no hurry, however, she apparently brought up the matter on Christmas day of 1901, exactly a year, from the time of the exactly a year from the time of the pro-posal, for on that date she avers that he refused to marry her, then or at any other time. She afterward returned to Michigan, and early last September she filed in the Unifed States Court an ac-

the Bride Came Not.

D. Heryford's Answer to

Birdie McCarty's Suit.

tion for \$70,000 as damages.

Mr. Heryford tells an entirely different story. He says that it was understood that they were to live together in Lake County: that she afterward refused to marry him unless she could spend half of every year in Michigan, to which he could not agree. She soon left Lake County for Michigan, and Heryford says that on September 15 of this year he wrote to Miss Birdle, saying that he was willing to marry her and inclosing a check for \$200 for her expenses to Reno, Nev., where he would meet her and they could be

Miss McCarty filed her complaint on It is gathered from the answer that the defendant is willing to keep his promise to marry Miss McCarty under the circum-stances contemplated when he made it. He holds her responsible for the break in their relations. He thinks that when she declared her purpose to live half the year in Michigan she made it impossible or undesirable for him to marry her. When the promise was made, neither, it is said, contemplated long-distance, interstate matrimony, and the defendant objects to

TONTINE SAVINGS MIX-UP. Alleged That Portland Agent Has

reading new conditions into the first ten-

Collected Much Money. George P. Flannery, the receiver of the Tontine Savings Company, appointed by the District Court in Minneapolis, filed an answer in the State Circuit Court to the suit of C. F. Stemler to recover \$140. The Stemler suit was filed last May, and the complaint sets forth that the Tontine Savings Association was in Pebruary of Savings Association was in February of this year restrained by the court in Min-nesota from doing further business. It is alleged further that John F. Olsen, the Portland agent, had collected prior to this date over 14000, and the court here was asked to enjoin Oisen from sending the money to the officers of the company in Minneapolis, and to direct that it be held for the benefit of the Portland investors. Judge Sears appointed Ralph W. Hoyt as received in this territory.

receiver in this territory.

Fiannery in his answer and cross-bill vers that Olsen collected as agent for the born competitor, whose great desire is to Tontine Association over \$4000, and about learn his trade or profession in a few months. What follows? That in every Mrs. Henry Knippel and her four children, from Sugar City, Colo., arrived at the Union depot last night from Colorado, hoping to meet the husband and father; but he wasn't there, as the party had arrived one day too soon. Mrs. Knippel and her children are Germans who cannot speak a word of English. They had no money with them, only a court to compel Olsen to bring the books, etc., into court, and for an accounting. C. M. Idleman appears as attorney for Flannery, and Chamberlain & Thomas for Stemler. Since the suit was filed the defendant has endeavored to have it removed to the United States Court, without suc-

Two Condemnation Suits.

A suit of the Oregon Water Power & Rallway Company against C. W. Miller, Sarah A. Kern, Fidelity & Deposit Com-pany et al., to condemn land in Kern's Addition for the Gresham railroad, was heard by Judge Frazer yesterday. The amount of damages, \$300, was agreed upon, and the question was who should receive the money. The Fidelity Company claims to hold the property under a trust, and wants the money. Judge Frazer or-dered the money paid into court, and the funds will be disposed of later on.

In the suit of the Oregon Water Power & Railway Company against P. A. Marquam, T. H. Prince et al., to condemn .63 of an acre of land in the Hamlin dona-tion land claim, the damage was fixed at \$100 and the amount ordered paid to O. M.

Denies Claim for Commission. Margaret A. Ferriss and C. S. Ferriss, her husband, filed an answer in the State Circuit Court to the suit of J. H. Hitchings, denying that he is entitled to \$750 commission, or any other sum, for services in procuring a purchaser for certain property on Davis street. It is denied by the defendants that they agreed to sell the property for \$12,000. They say they agreed to pay Hitchings \$250 if he sold the place for \$15,000, and \$500 if he obtained over \$15,000, and state that he failed to find a buyer under these terms. The property was sold by P. Blyth to Frank Klernan, and the defendants admit that they agreed that Hitchings might get a ion from Kiernan if he could.

Petition for Pardon.

A petition addressed to Governor Geer is being circulated asking for the pardon of George Morey, who shot and killed Gus Barry 10 years ago. Morey was convicted of murder in the first degree, and the Supreme Court, then composed of Justices Lord, Bean and Moore, refused to interfere with the judgment of the lower court, but recommended that Governor Pennoyer commute the sentence to life imprisonment, which was done. The pe-tition for a pardon has been signed by numerous prominent people, including Judges of the State Circuit Court and W. T. Hume, who was District Attorney when Morey was tried.

Criminal Information Filed. Informations were filed by District At-

torney Chamberlain in the State Circuit Court yesterday as follows: John Ardisse, assault with a dangerous weapon in shooting at O. M. Robbins, a street-car conductor, on November 20. Harry Thomas, larceny of a diamond stud from the person of S. P. Hanwalt. A. Jackson and R. Wolf, larceny of two overcoats, two suits of clothing, a coat and vest and a pair of trousers from the store of John Sax. Fred Reed, larceny of billiard balls from the saloon of Blazier & Shapiro at 245

secased, was filed yesterday, showing 346 receipts and \$555 balance on hand. Irs. Frank is the principal beneficiary

NO SIAMESE NEED APPLY Phat Is, if They Are Princes Like His

"I don't care if you never come back," sings Portland after Somditch Chowfa Maha Vajiravudh, etc., Crown Prince of Siam, sired by Chulalingkorn I. His Royal Haughtiness will sall from Vancou-

of Mayor Williams yesterday. "May Papa Chulalongkorn spank him," interposed another friend of his honor. Mayor Williams will return from Seattle today. Everyhody in town commends him for his laconic expression: "There is no love lost between us."

Tongues were wagging all day yesterday affront gave the city a jar. The air is vibrating yet, and the incident will not closed one for some time. His Highness wished to ignore Portland and at the same time to see what was in

it. This was evident from the "first rat-tle out of the box" in the morning. S. M. Mears and General Beebe called upon His Highness in the morning and were sent away without having a chance to present their respects to His Altitudinous Royalty. But the gentlemen were in-formed that His Highness intended to take a carriage drive over the city, and they received assurance that the Prince would notify them before starting, in or-der that he might be provided with con-veyances. Members of the royal retinue promised to telephone to General Beebs. The General waited patiently half an hour, one hour, two hours, but no mes-sage came over the wire. Then he grew measy, and feared that some mistake had been made. The Mayor had informed him that he would call upon His Highness at 1:30 o'clock. About 1 o'clock the General sent a message to the Prince, notifying

him that the Mayor would call to present the respects of the city. His Highness, however, was otherwise engaged. He had had the one hirsute appendage on the southeast corner of his chin amputated by his tonsorial professor and was feeding himself. The outcome of the Mayor's quest was, as print-ed in these colums. The Oregonian and the Telegram were, as usual, the only papers that had the news.

FOR OLD SAINT ANDREW Tonats to Rulers and Fraternal Fe-

licitations at Scotch Banquet. St. Andrew's Society of Oregon appropriately celebrated the day of their patron saint by a banquet at Baum & Brandes' restaurant last evening. The room was decorated with American and English flags, while the huge banner of the society hung across the back of the room. After the banquet and toasts to King Edward, the royal family and President Roosevelt, William Mackenzie, the president, delivered the opening address. He spoke of the field of the society and asked that each member individually work for its extension among the Scotch of

for its extension among the Scotch of William Reid, the first president, spoke on "The Scotsman in America." "I am told," said he, "that the training or apprenticeship of the Scotch youth, coupled with his clearheadedness, grit and practical home education, secure him an ultimate success in America, for whether it has be mechanical law medicine or other mate success in America, for whether it be in mechanics, law, medicine or other skilled labor his period of apprenticeship must be served and experience acquired in Scotland itself. Then when he becomes a Scotch-American, he is better equipped for success than his American, native-

ration or to him (Flannery). It is avenue of American production and skiller

the Scotsmen. The celebration closed with "Auld Lang Syne."

Among the prominent Scotchmen seated ground the two tables were: Dr. James F.

Bell, George J. Cameron, Alex Gavin, K. K. Baxter, James Laidlaw, Dr. K. A. J. Mackenzie, Rev. Thomas M. Wilson, John Latta, W. K. Scott, George Black, William Denholm, A. M. Wright, Thomas Mann and George Fraser.

FIRE HAZARD TO INCREASE If the Oil Tank District Veto Is Not Sustained.

In a telegram to Secretary R. M. Kelley, of the local Board of Underwriters, Alfred Stillman, of San Francisco, secretary of the Executive Board of Under-writers for the Pacific Coast, says that if the oil district ordinance were passed by the Council the insurance rates on waterfront property would euffer a serious advance. The telegram states that in event of an explosion risks below the district on both sides of the river would be in great hazard of fire from burning oil carried by the current. Mr. Stillman said be had seen similar occurrences in

New York.
Two insurance men, in talking about the telegram to several of the Councilmen yesterday, said that Mr. Stillman took a very moderate view of the effects of the ordinance if it became a law. In their opinion it would result in the can-cellation of all the river-front policies below the Madison-street bridge, because the rates would be increased to such a figure that the property-owners would not care to pay it. Asked where the tanks could be placed so that city rates would not be affected, one said any place would not be affected, one said any prace below the city and the city anchorages. Swan Island, he said, would not be a bad place, but the other thought Sauvie's Island would prove a better site. Nearly all the Councilmen are in favor of ap-proving the veto message, which will come un tomography by these may be a ome up tomorrow, but there may be a

After the veto is disposed of the Standard Oil Company will present a petition asking for permission to erect a etorage tank in some part of the district which it asked to have created. Just what site it has selected is not known, but it is said to be in th center of the district.

WHOLESALE TAILORS

Move January 1 to Their New Store on Washington Street.

The firm of J. L. Bowman & Co., whole sale tailors, on First and Oak streets, will move January 1 to their new loca-tion on Washington street, and to reduce the stock as much as possible suits, over-coats and pants will be made up during December at greatly reduced prices. Remember the location, in the wholesa district, First and Oak streets.

Officer Church Resigns.

Police Sergeant Church resigned from the force yesterday afternoon to go into other business. Chief of Police McLauchlan said that he had no comment to make on the matter except to say that the de-Fred Reed, larceny of billiard balls from the saloon of Blazier & Shapiro at 245 First street.

Court Notes.

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The first account of Linda A. Frank, executor of the will of Urlah K. Arnold, in nearly every case the juries gave versex and months of the part of the saloon of Blazier & Shapiro at 245 had been one of its best officers. A friend who knows Church who had been uneasy since the gambling crusade started under the present administration. He has been composite the part of the part

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Bring in your Xmas picture framing orders as soon as possible—Best moldings and workman-

ship-2d floor. Trunks and Traveling Bags-Largest and best stock ever shown in the city-3d floor. Thousands of pieces of sterling novelties at prices less than the cost of manufacturing.

The Christmas Store



While this store greatly facilitates the Christmas buying, you can't poke your head in the door and run right out again and carry away with you a fair impression of the store itself or what it holds. It is only as you begin to wander around, as you go from one part to another, that you come to appreciate its immensity, its Christmas resources, and note the changes for the better which have been made here since you visited the Christmas store of 1901-Almost doubling in size of the fancy goods department on the main floor, enlarging of the basement silverware and cut glass store, doubling in size of the second-floor picture store, book department double in size-A toy, game and doll department on the third floor fully half again as large as ever before and so it goes, almost every fancy goods section has larger quarters than ever before, all to make this Portland's best Christmas

3d floor

Complete with thousands of toys of every description-By far the largest and best display Portland has ever seen-Every toy-making country has contributed its share-Mechanical toys in wondrous variety-Come and don't forget to bring the children.

Leather Novelties for Christmas presents-Hundreds of useful things at all prices. Sterling Silverware in a mammoth variety of new pieces-All very low priced. Holiday Stationery-Superb variety of new papers and boxes, from 10c to \$10.00.

Upholstery Department

Offers some exceptional values in Lace Curtains, Portieres and Materials for this week-Money saving opportunities that don't come every

10,000 yards of handsome new Silkolines, 36 inches wide, floral and Oriental designs, beautiful colorings, choice for one 9c

Bamboo Bead Portieres, 3 yards long and 40 inches wide in large variety of styles, the lowest price

Lace Curtains

Odd pairs-1, 2, 3 pairs of Irish Point, Brussels, Point De Luxe and Novelty Lace Curtains at the fol-

owing surprising reductions:	Mens with
5.00 values, pair 82.10 5.00 values, pair 83.65 5.50 values, pair 83.85	\$7.50 values, pair

Sale of **Umbrellas**

400 ladies' Umbrellas at about half real value-They came from America's largest manufacturer and are a sample number thrown out of the different drummers samples -Plain or trimmed gloria covering, steel rod; princess, horn, pearl, Dresden, natural and metal handles, plain or trimmed - Umbrellas worth \$1.50 to \$2.00, your choice while they 98c last, each

Holiday Umbrellas

Thousands of them in all grades - Magnificent variety of handles at every price-Umbrellas for men, women and children.

1903 Calendars-Thousands of striking new styles and subjects from 1c up. Christmas Book Store complete-Books for young and old at every price. New Pillow Tops, Cushions and Couch Covers at reasonable prices-Third Floor.

The Garment Section



Bargains for this week merit the attention of the shrewdest buyers -This season's newest and best outer apparel at prices far below regular value-Suits, Skirts, Jackets, Wrappers, Dressing Gowns and Golf Vests, all at surprisingly little cost.—Second floor.

\$18.00 suits at \$14.85 \$20, \$22 suits at \$16.85 \$24, \$26 suits at \$19.85 \$28, \$30 suits at \$22.85

\$12.50, \$15 suits at .. \$10.85|| All our finest tailor-made Suits, newest styles and fabrics, regular \$32, \$34, \$35, \$37 values,

for this week \$26.85 Choose from all our magnificent costumes, evening dresses, wraps, etc., at less than actual cost.

Ladies' Peau de Soie Silk Dress Skirts in this season's handsomest styles, beautifully made and trimmed, \$15.00 and \$16.00 line at \$11.85; \$18.00 and \$20.00 line at the low price of,

suit Ladies' Monte Carlo Jackets in Oxford with double \$10.00 cape effect, all sizes, exceptional value......

Ladies' tailor-made Jacket in black, tan and castor, \$7.85 regular \$12.50 and \$14.00 value, for this week

Dressing Sacques 72c

Ladies' eiderdown Dressing, Sacques in assorted colors, silk frogs, best styles, in all sizes, regular \$1.25 value, for this week at, 72c each

Great sale of Tea Gowns, Matinees, Kimonas in French flannel, albatross and cashmere, assorted styles, handsomely made and trimmed.

Wrappers 89c

Ladies' flannelette Wrappers nicely made with wide flounce, braid trimmed, good patterns and colorings, regular \$1.25 value, each

89c

Ladies' Jackets in Oxford and black, half-fitting box back, extraord- \$4.15

Golf Vests Ladies' Golf Vests in plain

colors and figures.

\$1.75, \$2.00 values for \$1.38 \$2.25, \$2.50 values for \$1.68 \$2.75, \$3.00 values for \$1.98 \$3.25, \$3.50 values for \$2.48 \$4.00, \$4.50 values for \$2.98 \$5.00, \$5.50 values for \$3.78

Special in Japanese quilted Robes and Sacques at \$5.15, \$6.25 and, \$11.25

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dicts of acquittal. Then he was blamed for the composition of juries at the Municipal Court, when he did not do a thing in selecting the jurors. He was abused by trade was largely that of ocean freights, the gamblers and reformers, and 'got california offers a market for the prodnore. Church has not talked with me on the subject, but I hear he thought that his position as Sergeant of Police might

ucts of that district, and ships return cargoes. If Portland could use Coos Bay coal, for example, it could employ the

do not wish to make any more changes than can be helped, in view of the pas-sage of the new city charter. A special officer was appointed for the Clinton Kelly School, and Secretary Rau was instructed to prepare estimates for the coming year his position as Sergeant of Police might be affected by the passing of the new charter, and rather than be compelled possibly to walk out in February or March with nothing in view, it was better to go into other business now when the chance is offered him."

To prepare estimates for the coming year of police department expenses. Chief Mc-Lauchian spoke briefly on what he saw with regard to police matters in San transportation committee. Low freights from San Francisco at present shut out in the coming year of police department expenses. Chief Mc-Lauchian spoke briefly on what he saw with regard to police department of police department expenses. Chief Mc-Lauchian spoke briefly on what he saw with regard to police department of police department of police department expenses. Chief Mc-Lauchian spoke briefly on what he saw with regard to police department of police department expenses. Chief Mc-Lauchian spoke briefly on what he saw with regard to police matters in San William M. Ladd, who was present, will leave in a day or two on a three weeks business.