



#### PORTLAND'S LARGEST FOREMOST STORE



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#### "THE DIFFERENT STORE"

THE CHRISTMAS POSTOFFICE

Santa Claus has placed mailboxes at the entrance to all the elevators on each floor for the reception of letters from his little friends. Write and he'll try hard to get it for you. Place your letter in any of the boxes.

FIFTH, SIXTH AND WASHINGTON STREETS

Visit the New Tea Rooms, Second See the real live Santa Claus every Floor. Open 11 A. M. to 5 P. M., day on Fourth Floor, 10 to 12 A. M. under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. Grandma Munra in charge.

GOODS STORED UNTIL CHRISTMAS Patrons vishing goods kept and sent out later may select now. We will pack the purchase securely, mark it plainly and store until notified, when it will be sent promptly in time for Christmas use.

THE HOME OF CHRISTMAS Patrons are invited to use the rest

rooms on second floor. This is YOUR

store-make it 'Liberty Hall'' while

doing the Christmas shopping. Free phones, lavatories, toilet and dress-

ing-rooms all at your service. The art room, on third floor, opens this week, and, if possible to arrange, the new day nursery on fifth floor of

# A Monster Collection of Gift Things

# AT PRICES RIDICULOUSLY INFINITESIMAL

A SAVING OF FROM ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF IN YOUR CHRISTMAS APPROPRIATION! THE "MANAGERS' SALE" AN INCALCULABLE BOON TO HOLIDAY SHOPPERS! CHRISTMAS YET 12 DAYS AWAY AND FOLK ARE STANDING THREE AND FOUR DEEP IN FRONT OF THE CHRISTMAS COUNTERS. Everybody who postpones buying now will wish he or she hadn'tlater on. Throngs are good-naturedly elbowing their way to the bargains, and it's the jolliest, happiest lot of Xmas shoppers that ever happened. Shop in the morning now-it's easier. Our delivery system-the largest and best in the city-is able to cope with any amount of business, but, remember, the drivers are human, like us; let's divide the work evenly as possible, so as not to weave any growl into the Christmas spirit. Don't postpone Christmas buying longer-DO IT NOW. The assortments are immense, larger than in any other two Portland stores combined. To choose from this great collection therefore is to have the advantage of selecting from a stock comprising the best articles obtainable elsewhere and also those exclusive things for which this house is noted. On every floor something new and beautiful is to be seen, and everything is placed to allow easy and thorough inspection. We invite attention not only to the quality and assortment in this exhibition but to the range of prices and the values offered. These form an ample demonstration of our position as pacemakers in price setting-and this month we've set prices lower than the makers themselves marked them. It's a losing game now, but "there's method in our madness"-and you benefit.

#### Rousing Bargains in Ladies' **Furnishings**



VALUES THAT WILL CAUSE
THESE XMAS STORES TO
BE THE TALK OF ALL
THE TOWN. A LIST OF
SPILE NO ID CHRISTMAS
GIFTS AT ABSURDLY LOW
PRICES—FIRST FLOOR.
Handkerchief Special—A lot
of pure linen Handkerchiefs, Regular price is 75c
for 6. Special, box of 6...50e
Dainty Laces at Half Price—
Elegant Oriental Laces in
cream and white, so popular
just now for the trimming of
evening dresses and street
costumes—All the designs
are new and pretty—Also
Oriental lace bands to
our 35c, 35c, 56c, 60c, 73c,
our 35c, 35c, 56c, 60c, 73c,
te, 17c, 25c, 30c, 37½c, 45c, 50c, 62½c, 75c, 80e, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25

Mouslin De Sole for 48c-Mouslin De Sole, 45 inches wide, in all colors and black and white. Regular \$1.00 value, for the yard. 48c Swell Black Braid Trimmings and Cream and Ecry Laces. Net Top Oriental Luces and Bands at Enormous Reductions.

Present stocks will be sold at about half their real value. Our 25c, 35c, 40c, 59c, 69c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$1.200 values for 12½c, 17c, 29c, 25c, 39c, 38c, 59c, 63c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.13, \$1.25 and \$1.50 the yard.

Handsome Luce and Spangled Robes—These exquisite Robes are of white and cream Lere Luce, full patterns for waist and skirt. Every robe is reduced in price for this sale: Every robe is reduced in price for this sale:
Our \$14.00 value for....\$10.00 Our \$17.50 value for....\$12.50
Our \$20.00 value for...\$15.50 Our \$25.00 value for...\$17.50
Our \$40.00 value for...\$30.00
Princess Lace Robes—Our \$60.00 value for \$40.00. Our \$75.00 value.

Gorgeous Spangled Robes in black or white, very swell, and spangles are the newest, smartest decoration upon evening gowns.
Our \$14.00 value for \$12.50 Our \$20.00 values for \$15.00 Our \$25.00 value for \$19.50 Our \$40.00 value for \$30.00 Our \$75.00 value for \$375.00 Our \$10.00 Value for \$375.00 Our \$375.00 value for \$375.00 Our \$375.00 value for \$375.00

DAINTY STOCK COLLARS. Embroidered Collars Worth 75c to \$1.00 for 48c-Ladies' new 

THERE'S WISDOM IN SELECTING THESE.

### Rare Values in Rich Rugs and Winter Blankets



As Christmas gifts to your friends, or for your home—the savings were never so great—Fourth Floor—Annex.

Handsome Oriental Rugs, Khivas, Bokharas, Mossouls, Kazaks, Shirvans, Daghestans, Anatolias and small Kiskelines are included in the sale.

Our \$ 10.00 values for... \$ 6.65 Our \$ 15.00 values for... \$10.00 Our \$ 25.00 values for... \$10.75 Our \$ 25.00 values for... \$20.00 Our \$ 25.00 values for... \$20.00 Our \$ 65.00 values for... \$20.00 Our \$ 65.00 values for... \$30.00 Our \$ 50.00 values for... \$30.00 Our \$ 100.00 Our

Axminster Rugs for \$1.85—Axminster Rugs, in beautiful Oriental designs. Our \$2.75 value: special for, each. \$1.85

49c for Smyrns Rugs Worth \$1.00—All-wool, double-faced Smyrns Rugs, fringed ends, size 18x36 in. Regular \$1 value; special at, each. 49c

Dainty Lace Curtains—White ruffled Net Curtains, with lace edge and insertion, very pretty dising-room or bedroom curtains. Our \$2.75 value for, pair. \$1.68 | Our \$3.25 value for, pair. \$1.98 Our \$2.00 value for, pair. \$1.59 | Our \$2.5) value for, pair. \$2.15

WARM, COMFORTABLE WOOL AND COTTON BLANKETS. \$1.18 for Cotton Blankets Worth \$1.75—Gray fleece Blankets, henvy weight, full size: pink, red or yellow borders, the best \$1.76 value for, the pair... \$1.18
\$1.36 for Cotton Blankets Worth \$2.00—Plain gray heavy union Blankets, full size, Our regular \$2.00 value for, the pair... \$1.30

\$1.63 for Cotton and Wool Blankets Worth \$2.50-Plain gray cotton and wool Mixed Blankets, full size. Our \$2.50 value for th \$10.75 for Fine Wool Blankets Worth \$15.00—White all fine fleece Wool Blankets, extra large size, pink or blue borders. Our \$15.00 value for the pair, only \$16.75

# Santa Himself Is Up in Playland Park

There's a

America. Buy best furs of a best house.

OF ALL THE YEAR IN

Women's

Suits

Wraps

and Furs

This Week



DOLLIES.

19c for Dressed Dolls Worth 35c—Dressed Dolls, with bonnet, shoes, stockings, assorted colored dresses. Regular 35c value for, each.

Se for Dell Worth 15c—A beautiful line of dolls with bisque heads and jointed bodies, dressed as nurses, shopping girls, sailor lasses, etc. Our 15c value; special at, each.

Se for Dressed Dolls Worth 75c—Prettilly dressed Dolls; dresses of pink, blue or blue material and trimmed with lace and black velvet ribbon, bonnet trimmed with ribbon and lace, wear shoes and stockings, Regular 75c value for, each.

45c

35c for Canoe Worth 75c—Birch Bark Canoes, manned with three Indians, complete with oars, all ballasted so will not upset; can be used in stream, lake or bathtub; our 75c value for, each....35c

**Nothing Short of Diamonds** 

EVERY VELVET STREET SUIT IN THE HOUSE AT HALF PRICE.

\$18.50 TO \$125 REGULAR VALUES AT \$8.25 TO \$62.50-SPECIAL.

Above are in shirtwaist, jacket, blouse and Eton styles. Blacks, navies, cadets, browns, tans, grays, greens and "Dregs o' Wine" colorings. Plain and crushed effects. Among them several of the famous Schroeder creations.

EVERY WALKING SKIRT IN THE HOUSE AT EXTRA SPECIAL VALUES.

All in the new round lengths. Materials of Cheviot, Venetian broadcloths, mannish worsteds and Tweedish mixtures. Plain tail-ored or in various trimmed effects.

. \$3.50 WOOL WAISTS \$1.29.

Less than half price. These splendid Waists are adapted for every-day wear in every vocation of life. Special this week at about actual cost of materials.

ALL THE CHRISTMAS NECK FURS REDUCED. Last Week's Sale Prices Remain in Force,

BEAUTIFUL NECKPIECES. Electric seals, black coney, sable and Isabella 'possum and black martens, lined with rich Siberian squirrel, sliken tassels, cords and talls. Values from \$2.50 to \$38.50, and reduced this way:

And Other In-Between Prices Proportionately Reduced. ALL ABOVE SPECIALS FOR TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY ONLY.

EVERY RAINCOAT IN THE HOUSE REDUCED.

A Special Line of Newmarket Coats Radically Reduced.
Raincoats in Cravenettes and waterproofed materials. Newmarkets in coverts and English and Scotch Tweedish, mannish mixtures. In plain tailored and trimmed effects. Values from \$12.50 to \$55.00, reduced this way:

In-Between Qualities Reduced Similarly.

EVERY SUIT AND COSTUME IN THE HOUSE

(Wool and Silk Shirtwaist Suits Alone Excepted.)

ALL THE BEAUTIPUL HAND-MADE FANCY EVENING WAISTS REDUCED TO HALF PRICE.

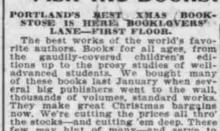
Men's Umbrellas

98c for Umbrellas Worth \$1.75.—Today we place on sale 200 Men's Umbrellas, 28-inch size, steel rods and Paragon frames, covered with black taffeta; natural wood handles; extra good value at the regular price, \$1.75. Special for today and while they last at.

Ladies' Umbrellas

TOYLAND-FOURTH FLOOR.

# Visit the Bookstore Today



Special on Copyright Books ......43e Following is a partial list—"With Edged Tools," by Henry Seton Merriman; The Sowers, by Henry Seton Merriman; "Saracenesca," by Marion Crawford; "For the Freedom of the Ses." by Cyrus Townsend Brady; "John March, Southerner," by George W. Cable; "Pastime Stories," by Thomas Neison Page; "Jezebel," by Lafayette McLaws; "The Rogues' March," by Horning: "The Islander," by Harrison Roberts, and many others. Special at, each

Special Sale on Books of Biography—Large 8 vo. cloth bound, with nicely ornamental covers—"Life of Washington," "Life of Lincoln," "Life of McKiniey," "Life of W. T. Sherman," "Life of P. T. Barnum." All with illustrations. Regular price is 50c; special at, each. 39c

Some Great Specials for Two Days' Selling-Today and Tomorrow 13c for Standard Classics Worth 25c—Gilt top edition of Standard Classics, beautiful little volumes, bound in white and gold, with floral designs in colors on covers. The list embraces the gems of Standard Classic Literature. Publisher's price is 55c. Our regular price is 25c. For these two days only, our special price will be

Humorous Series for 44c—Large size, cloth bound volumes, from 500 to 600 pages, numerous illustrations—The list includes—"Library of Wit and Humor," by Eli Perkins and others: "Twenty Years of Hustling," by J. P. Johnson; "Peck's Bad Boy and His Pa," by George W. Peck, "Peck's Uncle Ike and the Red-Headed Boy," by Peck; "Shams, or Uncle Ben's Experiences With Hypocrites;" "Remarks by Bill Nye," by Bill Nye....

# 200 Hats, \$4 to \$10 Values, \$2

Daylight Millinery Salons-Second-Floor Annex.



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Here's an exceptional bargain for to day in the new Millinery Salons. Exceptional even for this great valuegiving store's big "Store Managers" Sale," that is so crammed full of val-These offerings will surely ues. crowd the salons to repletion today. A radical clearance of every Bendel and Gage Hat in the store. Trimmed Dress Hats, Turbans and fancy dress shapes. Every style and coloring represented. We're bound to clear the department from floor to ceiling. The millinery stocks must go-and will quickly at such a price as this. \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 and up to \$10.00 Hats-Choice today only at ...... \$2.00

HATS TRIMMED FREE.

In order to keep our force of trimmers intact-this is an allyear-'round millinery store-and to keep things lively in the making and trimming rooms, we will trim all orders brought in to-

## The Beautiful in Art

IS MAGNIFICENTLY SET OFF TODAY AT THE OPENING OF THE THIRD-FLOOR ART SALONS.

Beautiful cut glass, handsome and unique bric-a-brac, superb Chinaware, magnificent statuary and bronzes form an art exhibit under electric light effects worth coming miles to see. There's a splendid Christmas selection here, Visitors to the store today should not miss this treat. The only artfoom of the kind in the West. Other attractions on third floor are as follows;

1	BIG SALE OF SILVERWARE—THIRD FLOOR—ALL SILVER- WARE AT SPECIAL PRICES.
	Ten Sets—3 pieces. Our \$8.65 value for, set
	Salts and Peppers—Our \$1.50 value for, the pair. \$1.68 Salts and Peppers—Our \$1.55 value for, the pair. \$1.08 Shaving Sets—Our \$1.56 value for, set. \$1.07 Shaving Sets—Our \$2.75 value for, set. \$2.20 Toothpick Holders—Our Ide value for, each 39e
	Toothpick Holders   Our 20c value for, each
	Cake Baskets—Our \$4.00 value for, each         \$3.26           Smoking Sets—Our \$5.00 value for, the set         \$3.00           Smoking Sets—Our \$5.50 value for, the set         \$4.40           Fern Pots—Our \$3.31 value for, each         \$2.70           Fern Pots—Our \$4.00 value for, each         \$3.21           \$3.20         \$3.20
	Fern Pots—Our \$8.00 value for, each
	Butters—Our \$3.65 value for, each   \$2.96
	Children's Mugs—Our \$1.50 value for, each
	Bread and Butter Pintes—Our \$1.75 value for, dozen

Children's Mugs-Our \$1.00 value for, each
HANDSOME DECORATED CHINA.
Bread and Butter Pintes—Our \$1.75 value for, dozen.   \$1.20     Ten Pintes—Our \$1.90 value for, dozen.   \$1.35     Fruit Saucers—Our \$1.75 value for, dozen.   90c     Ontmenls—Our \$1.75 value for, dozen.   \$1.20     Creamers—Our \$1.75 value for, each.   17c     Tenpots, Sugars and Creamers—Our 75 value for, set.   55c     Chocolate Pots—Our 75c value for, each.   25c     Cake Pintes—Our 55c value for, each.   25c     Salads—Our 25c value for, each.   27c     Salads—Our 25c value for, each.   25c     Salads—Our 35c value for, e
ENGLISH DECURATED DINNER SETS.
50-piece Sets—Our \$5.20 value for, the set
50-piece Sets—Our \$7.52 value for, the set

## Sheets and Stores

A Tale of the Domestic Aisles-First Floor. SUNDAY WE ADVERTISED

A careless store, within gunshot of the "Fair-Way," following their usual custom of waiting for us to lay out their week's work, came crawling along on their marrows Monday and advertised 

A shopper brought one in and laid it side of ours for comparison. What was the result? The careless store lost a customer—we won one. Why? Because WE told the trouth! Our "cheap" competitor's sheet was NOT "best quality"—did not conform at all to the statement of their to-be-pitied ad-man. That's the sort of competition that's building our store larger every day—The kind that has made this PORTLAND'S BEST AND LARGEST STORE FOR TODAY we again offer these matchless specials. You'll find these goods JUST AS ADVERTISED. SHEETS-PILLOW CASES-TABLE LINENS.

50c for Sheets Worth 75c—Full size, best quality, Sheets, size 2½ x2½ yards; our best 75c grade; special for today at, each....50c for Pillow Cases Worth 15c—1000 dozen heavy linen finish Pillow Cases, 45x36 inches in size; regular 15c value; special at, each ench

7e for Satecas, Ginghams and Flaunciettes Worth 15c-20,000 yards
of figured Dreas Saicens, Ginghams and Flaunciettes, all choice
selected styles, and our regular 15c value; all day they are on
saic at, the yard 

Stirring Bargains in Xmas Table Linens Great specials in high-grade Linen Damask Cloths and Napkins-About 30 odd cloths and 50 dozen napkins in the lot—that's all—

Choice, exclusive patterns. Note the prices:
CLOTHS—SIZE 2X2 YARDS.  Regular \$ 3.50 value. \$2.25  Regular \$ 3.57 value. \$2.50  Regular \$ 5.00 value. \$2.65  Regular \$ 5.00 value. \$3.25  Regular \$ 5.00 value. \$4.75
CI OTHER SITE SYS VADDS
Our \$9.50 value for\$7.00   Our \$12.00 value for \$8.50
SIND OF ASIC ANDS
Our \$ 7.00 value for\$4.75 Our \$ 9.00 value for\$6.75 Our \$18.00 value for\$7.25 Our \$11.00 value for\$7.75
grow or vol.
Our \$11.00 value for \$7.75   Our \$12.00 value for \$8.50
WARRING DIVINA LARGE DINNER SIZE.
\$4.50 value, domen. \$2.63 \$ 8.60 value, domen. \$6.00 \$5.00 value, domen. \$3.25 \$ 9.00 value, domen. \$4.75 \$16.00 value, domen. \$4.75 \$16.00 value, domen. \$7.25 \$7.00 value, domen. \$7.25 \$16.00 value, domen.

# Another Sensational Sale of **America's Best Corset**

"ROYAL WORCESTERS"-TODAY.

Discontinued Lines.

Royal Worcester Sapphire Corseis, the finest of the Royal Worcester make. We mention following style numbers of the discontinued lines, as many who are wearing them know them by their numbers. Styles—94, 56, 47, 50, 31, 55, 44, 74, 48, 32 These Sapphires include the long, medium and snort hip, full gored, medium, low and high bust, suitable for a large range of figures, made of French Coulile, Black Italian cloth and silk batists. Colors, white, black, pink and blue. Full range of sizes from 18 to 30,



