

NEW PROJECTS AT PUGET SOUND YARD

Additional Drydock Recommended by Chief Constructor of Navy.

DRILL FOR SUBMARINES

Water Depths and Weather Conditions Are Very Favorable for Experiments With This Craft Throughout the Year.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Dec. 10.—The annual report of Rear-Admiral Capps, Chief Constructor of the Navy, made public today, refers to his recent visit to the Puget Sound Navy-yard, and recommends many new projects. Among other things, he says: The northeastern portion of the Navy-yard at Puget Sound is now being well built up with shops and storehouses, so that further expansion in that part of the yard must necessarily be limited. The shops for the performance of work under the cognizance of the bureau construction and repair are in general commodious and well located, and the yard is now in a condition to perform all classes of work under this bureau. As this station will naturally be the principal naval station at the northern extremity of our western coast line, it is recommended that an additional drydock of ample capacity to dock the largest battleships, under damaged conditions, should be provided in the near future. While that portion of Puget Sound adjacent to the Navy-yard is unusually well adapted to naval purposes, insofar as concerns deep water, good and spacious anchorage ground, and possibilities of defense, the yard itself is placed at a disadvantage by reason of its isolation from the centers of supply of labor and material, this disadvantage being accentuated through lack of efficient transportation service, the only present means of communication with the nearest large city being by water. The time consumed in going to Seattle from Bremerton, however, is little more than an hour under normal conditions, and should the growth of the station in the future warrant it, a more speedy ferry service could easily be established, thus making it possible to draw readily from Seattle supplies of both labor and material.

"Since it is quite impracticable to maintain a uniform quantity of building and repair work at any navy-yard, such work being necessarily dependent upon the requirements of the fleet, the necessity for efficient and speedy communication between navy-yards and large shipbuilding and manufacturing centers, is otherwise a large increase in the force of skilled mechanics at the navy-yards at short notice would be very difficult, as any material reduction of the force through lack of work would involve a direct hardship to those so discharged, since it would probably necessitate the removal of residences from the vicinity of the navy-yard in order to obtain employment in private yards.

"The Chief Constructor was also impressed with the nature of the work at the waters adjacent to this station for drill and experimental works with submarine boats. The bottom is hard, any depth of water desirable, and the conditions can be obtained, and weather conditions are favorable throughout the year. As the bureau is of the opinion that such of these boats as are now completed should be thoroughly tried out to determine their defects, as well as their good points, it is suggested that consideration be given to the advisability of sending to the Puget Sound navy-yard such submarines as are now on the Pacific Coast.

Pensacola Needs a Drydock.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Provisions for construction of a drydock at Pensacola, Fla., comprising the building of the largest ships in the Navy, is urged by Rear-Admiral W. L. Capps, Chief Constructor of the Navy, in his annual report made public today. The necessity arises, it is pointed out, from the strategic importance of Pensacola.

"The report calls attention to the expediency of sending the ship on the Asiatic station home in divisions or squadrons to navy-yards on the Pacific Coast for repairs when in need of repairs.

MUTINY IN PENITENTIARY

HAVANA, Dec. 10.—The convicts in the penitentiary mutinied tonight and a fierce fight between them and the guards followed, in which two of the prisoners were mortally wounded, 16 more, or less seriously wounded and three of the guards slightly injured.

The convicts to the number of 360 were proceeding from their quarters to supper in charge of an officer who was armed with a revolver and three guards who were armed with machettes. The convicts overpowered the guards when the officer fired, wounding several of the prisoners. He was then roughly handled by the convicts.

Four more guards, armed with guns, came to the scene and fired into the crowd of convicts, driving them back. The arrival of a platoon of artillerymen completely cowed the convicts.

GRAY HAIR QUICKLY RESTORED To its natural color by using Alfredrud's Egyptian Henna. Sure, harmless. At First-class druggists.

Gold in an exhibition in the mining department, Melbourne, Australia, found in the New Chain mine, Bonanza, at depth of 4200 feet, the record depth of gold discovery.

1-30th
of the entire Quinine production of the World is consumed every year by the makers of **Laxative Bromo Quinine**
"Cure a Cold in One Day"
E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c

Christmas Tree Ornaments

The reason for buying now is that later, just before Christmas, many things will be sold out entirely. This is our experience every year, no matter how carefully we plan.

Nearly all of these "tinselly" things come from Sonneberg, Germany; they were chosen from many, many thousands of other bedazzling, joyous, charming trifles of glass, tinsel and paper. Of course we can't reorder at will from that far-away place.

Such a variety of things that we can mention only a few.
Bright colorings in glass, tinsel, isinglass, candles and candle-holders.
Artificial snow tinsel, in silver, gold, copper, green and red, and fancy paper and tinsel ornaments. Second Floor Annex.

Timely Suggestions

- Fourth Floor.
Eiderdown Filled Comforters—Covered with fine French Satin and silk, at, each, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$9.50, \$11.00, \$13.50, \$15.00 to.....**\$25.00**
- White Wool Blankets**—At, pair, \$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$8, \$9 to.....**\$25.00**

THE OLDS, WORTMAN & KING STORE

"THE DIFFERENT STORE" GOOD MORNING FIFTH, SIXTH AND WASH. STS. STORE OPENS AT 8 A. M. STORE CLOSSES AT 6 P. M.

PORTLAND'S HEADQUARTERS

For Christmas Goods of Every Good Sort

12 Buying Days to Christmas

Two Weeks to Christmas

Monday's Supplement To Sunday's Overflowing Page of Christmas News

Good Taste Relative to Gift Things

Our shop holds itself charged with a defined mission. It is this, to provide gift things that are worthy, rather than ostentatious; that express good taste as the discerning understand it.

Within the precincts of our shop you will find a mighty and exhaustive collection of things useful and beautiful to which the arts and crafts have contributed all that legend and the masters have taught.

We have spent our all to serve those who offer a gift with an intent and purpose—who would have the thing they offer express not merely a sentiment, not merely a tribute, but that dignity and refinement which have their source in elegance rather than in luxury. Leave aside all that and still would we have a logical reason to invite your interest—our prices, which are materially lower than those of our contemporaries.

A GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE OF Lace Curtains

- Fourth Floor.
What housewife wouldn't appreciate a pair, or several pairs of these handsome curtains as a Christmas gift? Few, we mean.
- Will you share the values? All clean, fresh and smart, Brussels, Renaissance and Marie Antoinette effects; white, Arabian and two-tone:
- Regular \$1.00 value—special, the pair.....**78c**
 - Regular \$1.25 value—special, the pair.....**95c**
 - Regular \$1.35 value—special, the pair.....**\$1.05**
 - Regular \$1.50 value—special, the pair.....**\$1.20**
 - Regular \$2.00 value—special, the pair.....**\$1.57**
 - Regular \$2.25 value—special, the pair.....**\$1.78**
 - Regular \$2.50 value—special, the pair.....**\$1.98**
 - Regular \$2.75 value—special, the pair.....**\$2.15**
 - Regular \$3.00 value—special, the pair.....**\$2.35**
 - Regular \$3.25 value—special, the pair.....**\$2.50**
 - Regular \$3.50 value—special, the pair.....**\$2.68**
 - Regular \$3.75 value—special, the pair.....**\$2.89**
 - Regular \$4.00 value—special, the pair.....**\$3.10**
 - Regular \$4.50 value—special, the pair.....**\$3.50**

A Final Wind-up of Millinery

THE SEASON'S MOST SENSATIONAL SALE STARTS TODAY IN 'BIJOU' SALONS—Second Floor Annex.

YOUR CHOICE OF ABSOLUTELY ANY HAT IN THE STORE AT HALF PRICE

The time for drastic, decisive action has arrived. All millinery must go—at once—without quibble or quaver. Our buyer starts East for Spring lines in two weeks. Before that every counter and case must be cleared. No half-way measures will do—but a half-price move will help. So, starting today, and continuing tomorrow, you may take any hat in the stocks, including the beautiful pattern hats, handsome feather hats, superb "Gage" hats and hundreds of other charming styles, many fresh from the workrooms. This offering affords a choosing so vast as to enable every buyer to select a style at once becoming and stylish, at ONE-HALF THE USUAL PRICE.

READY-TO-WEAR HATS AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE.
For today's selling we place on a large center counter 200 neat, ready-to-wear hats, values up to \$2.50, at.....**69c**
200 spick, span new, ready-to-wear Hats, value to \$4.00, at.....**\$1.49**

A Christmas Maze

- Come and we'll guide you through. The trip will be profitable indeed. The Christmas avenues are lined with such suggestions as these:
- Ebonoid Hand Mirrors for 89c**—Ebonoid Hand Mirrors, in round and oval shapes; sterling silver mounted, bevel glass; our \$1.49 value; special sale price, each.....**89c**
 - Shaving Mirrors for 45c**—Shaving Mirrors, with aluminum frames, heavy bevel glass and easel back; our 65c value; special sale price, each.....**45c**
 - Shaving Cases for \$1.25**—Fancy celluloid Shaving Cases, with mirror, shaving mug and brush; our \$1.98 value; special sale price, ea.....**\$1.25**
 - Child's Manicure Sets for 95c**—Child's Manicure Set, with fancy celluloid and plush case and four fittings; our \$1.50 value; special sale price, the set.....**95c**
 - Handkerchief Boxes for 45c**—Handkerchief Boxes, with fancy decorated celluloid tops; our 65c value; special sale price, each.....**45c**
 - Autograph Albums for 39c**—Autograph Albums, large size, with fancy decorated celluloid front cover; our 75c value; special sale price.....**39c**
 - Smoking Sets for 22c**—Smoking Sets on wood stands, with match and cigar-holders; our 35c value; special sale price, each.....**22c**
 - Smoking Tables for 85c**—Smoking Tables, with four-piece fittings; our \$1.25 value; special sale price, each.....**85c**
 - Framed Pictures for 25c**—Special line of pretty framed Pictures, assorted subjects; our 39c value; special sale price, each.....**25c**
 - Children's Perfumery for 12c**—Children's Perfumery, in fancy imported baskets; our 20c value; special sale price, each.....**12c**
 - Children's Perfume for 9c**—Large baskets of children's Perfumery; all odors; our 15c value; special sale price, each.....**9c**
 - Fancy Box Stationery for 25c**—Holly and other fancy holiday boxes of fine stationery, suitable for Christmas gifts; special sale price, the box.....**25c**
 - Art Leather Skins for 85c**—Art Leather Skins, in all colors; for burning and making art leather novelties. Our \$1.00 and \$1.25 values; special sale price, each.....**85c**
 - Clothes Brushes for 95c**—Extra quality imported Cloth Brushes, all black bristles, large size brushes; our \$1.50 value; special sale price, ea.....**95c**

Home-Made Christmas Gifts

It doubles the graciousness of giving, when you've made the gift yourself. So, to help, we've engaged a skillful teacher to be in daily attendance in the Art Needlework Store. She's here to teach you every intricacy of crocheting and knitting. And such a list of pretty gifts as she has at her finger tips to suggest and to teach you to make! She uses only silks and yarns that have a reputation for quality—and the teaching is entirely free to you. Stay as long as you please, ask a dozen questions if you please. Learn how to embroider the pretty things that are so adapted for Christmas giving.

Simply take this as a hint of the readiness of the Art Needlework Store to help Christmas gift creation.

Finished pieces, showing all the newest ideas in cushion tops and stamped and tinted linens; including the white winged "M" cushion, emblem of the M. A. A. C.—"The Winged M."

You'll contract the needlework craze, all right in a ramble thro' the myriads of pretty things in the Art Needlework Shop—2d Floor Annex.

Christmas Novelties in Leather Goods Shops

- First Floor—6th St. Annex.
- Women's \$2.00 Leather Handbags, \$1.29**
A line of women's Handbags, new envelope shapes, with strap handles, very stylish; purse has three inside compartments and one handkerchief pocket outside, in black, brown, blue and green; regular value \$2.00; special, each.....**\$1.29**
 - Women's Suede Leather Belts, 50c**
A new line of women's light-weight suede Leather Belts, center seam stitched; black, blue, green, red, tan, brown and purple; special at, each.....**50c**
- New Christmas Gifts.
We are showing an extensive line of fine Leather Wallets, Card Cases, Cigar Cases, Leather-Covered Flasks, Drinking Cups, etc. Make very acceptable Christmas gifts. SEE THEM.

THE HOUSEKEEPERS' CHRISTMAS SHOPS TEEM WITH ATTRACTIVE BARGAINS.

CHRISTMAS SILVERWARE SALE

- Silver Tea Sets, of 4 pieces, satin finished and engraved; our \$6.75 value, special at, set.....\$5.35**
 - Fern Dishes, French gray finish, raised flowers; our \$6.00 value, special at, each.....\$4.75**
 - Shaving Mugs, with brush, burnished; our \$2.35 value; special at, each.....\$1.85**
 - Ink Stands, with cut-glass bottles; our \$1.70 value, special at, each.....\$1.35**
 - Our \$2.35 value; special at, each.....\$1.85**
 - Handled Bonbons, French gray or burnished; our \$1.85 value; special at, each.....\$1.45**
 - Our \$2.90 value, special at, each.....\$2.30**
 - Salts and Peppers, satin finish; our 40c value; special at, each.....25c**
 - Bread Trays, burnished, large size. Our \$3.35 value; special at, each.....\$2.65**
 - Tall Candlesticks, burnished; our \$1.50 value, special at, each.....\$1.20**
 - Our \$1.85 value; special at, each.....\$1.50**
 - Napkin Rings, French gray finish; our 35c value; special at, each.....30c**
- NEW LINES OF LIBBEY'S CUT GLASS.
Anybody who receives a piece of this brilliantly beautiful cut glass for Christmas may well be proud of it. The name "Libbey," etched on every piece, guarantees the best obtainable in design, cutting, quality and workmanship. Come to the Crystal Grotto, on the Third Floor, and see the thousands of beautiful articles that are there displayed for your choosing. We are exclusive Portland agents for Libbey's Cut Glass.
- Choice selections of Handsome Bronzes, Statuary, Electric Figures and Gas Portables.

FANCY PIECES OF STERLING SILVERWARE.

- Any of these articles make very acceptable Christmas Gifts. Glance thro' the list:
- Sterling Silver Knives, Forks, Spoons, Sugar Spoons, Butter Knives, Bonbons, Olive Forks, Souvenir Spoons, Napkin Rings, Bonbon Stands and many small fancy articles.**
 - An unequalled assortment of beautiful Haviland English China, in both sets and separate pieces.
 - 100-piece Haviland China Dinner Sets, priced at, the set, from \$21.99 to.....\$235.00**
- SPECIAL SALE OF KITCHEN FURNISHINGS.
- Gas Toasters, our 25c value, special at, each.....20c**
 - Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons, set of three with stand; our \$1.00 value, special at, the set.....85c**
 - Windsor Granite Iron Saucepans; our 50c value, special at, each.....40c**
 - Tea Kettles of granite iron, 8-quart size; our 88c value, special at, each.....69c**
 - Granite Iron Kettles, 7-quart size; our 75c value, special at, each.....60c**
 - Kitchen Brooms; our 35c value, special at, each.....25c**
 - Coat and Hat Hooks; our 10c value, special at, the dozen.....7c**
 - Mirrors, size 8x10 inches; our 25c value, special at, each.....20c**

Witchery in Dainty Veils and Veilings

Special Values in Attractive Conceptions for Christmas Giving. First Floor Shops.

The smart and saucy new veils—veils modest and retiring—veils of every wanted sort—and veiling of the sort that dressy women want.

- Fancy Veiling for 25c**—A lot of fine veilings in black or fancy colors—values to 75c; special at, the yard.....**25c**
- Pattern Veils for 47c**—A lot of beautiful pattern veils, all silk, with fine silk chenille dots; our \$1.00 value; special at, each.....**47c**

The Jewelry Shops

ARE FAIRLY ABLAZE WITH THE CHRISTMAS GLOW AND "GO" Sixth Street Annex, First Floor.

- Here are dainty, beautiful luxuries for Christmas giving at the price of every-day necessities. Careful, discriminating buyers, who have a care for saving, will surely do their holiday buying of fascinating, ever pleasing jewelry pieces at this great store, that is satisfied with the modest year-round earning of each link in its long chain of specialty stores, and does not ask or expect more than an ordinary storekeeping profit—even on jewelry—at Christmas time. A few suggestions, selected at random from thousands that hint of Christmas and Christmas giving.
- Boys' \$1.00 Nickel Watches, 89c**—A lot of boys' nickel, open-face watches, back wind and set; regular value \$1.00; special, each.....**89c**
 - Ingersoll Watches—Nickel and gunmetal cases; at, each, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25 and.....\$1.00**
 - Graduated Bead Neck Chains, 35c**—An assortment of large graduated Bead Neck Chains, in a variety of colors—green, red, amber, amethyst, etc.; special at, each.....**35c**
 - Gold-Filled Signet Hatpins, 35c**—A nice assortment of gold-filled Signet Hatpins, rose finish, floral designs, extra long stems; special, ea.....**35c**
 - Men's Gold Link Buttons, \$2.00**—A line of men's solid gold link Buttons, in new designs—Roman, plain and rose gold finish, strong and durable, at, the pair.....**\$2.00**
 - Gold-Filled Beauty Pins, 15c**—A fine assortment of Beauty Pins, good quality, finish and style; wear well—many designs to select from; at, the pair.....**15c**

New Designs in Sterling Silver

- The handsome new designs we are showing in Sterling Silver Toiletware this season are attracting much attention:
- Comb, Mirror and Brush Sets, up to, each.....\$20.00**
 - Comb and Brush Sets, from, each, \$4.00 to.....\$9.00**
 - Manicure Sets, in 3, 6 and 8 pieces, at, each, from \$1.25 to.....\$10.00**
 - Writing Sets, each, from \$4.00 to.....\$10.00**
 - Military Brush and Comb Sets, each, from \$6.00 to.....\$12.00**
 - Baby Comb and Brush Sets, each, from \$1.25 to.....\$4.50**
 - Shaving Sets, at, each.....\$1.25**
 - Bodkin Sets, each, from \$1.00 to.....\$2.50**
- All in neat silk cases; smaller sets in silk-lined boxes.
A line of Nail Files, Cuticle Knives, Ink Erasers, Seals, Letter-Openers, Curling Irons, Tooth Brushes, Nail Brushes, Nail Polishers, Velvet and Hat Brushes, etc., all with sterling silver handles.

Hosiery for Christmas Giving

- A list of Helpful Hints for Holiday Buyers: A glance through the First Floor Hosiery stocks gives a comprehensive idea of the magnitude of the lines and the generous choosing they allow Christmas shoppers. Visit them as you roam thro' the store today.
- Women's Black Lisle Hose**—With all shades of silk, embroidered boots, new imported goods; best finish and make, a large assortment to select from; at, the pair.....**50c**
 - Women's Lisle Hose**—In fancy shades, a large assortment in claret, pastel, royal purple, nut brown, tobacco shades, myrtle, emerald green and assorted blue; most are embroidered in corresponding shades; at, pair, from \$1.50 to.....**50c**
 - Women's Changeable Silk Plated Hose**—Assorted shades, at, the pair.....**\$1.00**
 - Women's Plain White and White Embroidered Hose**—At, pair, 5c, 6c and.....**50c**
 - Women's Black Lace Hose**—Great assortment of styles, fine imported stock, full finished, at, pair.....**50c**
 - Better qualities, at, pair, \$1.50, \$1.00 and.....75c**
 - Women's Black, Plain and Lace Lisle Hose**—Embroidered boots, a large assortment, at, pair, \$2.00, \$1.50 and.....**\$1.00**
 - Women's Black Silk Hose**—Medium, heavy and gauze weights, at, pair, \$1.50 to.....**\$3.00**
 - Women's Black Silk Hose**—With embroidered boots, at, pair.....**\$2.50**
 - Better grade, at, pair, \$3.50 and.....\$3.00**
 - Still better grade at, pair, \$4.50 and.....\$4.00**
 - Women's 50c Cotton Hose, 35c**—Women's black cotton and black lisle Hose, with embroidered boots; a good assortment; regular value 50c, special, the pair.....**35c**