

Customers Are Kindly Requested to Carry Small Packages in Order to Relieve Congestion Incidental to the Xmas Rush
Buy Merchandise Bonds for Christmas Gifts—Wells-Fargo Express Co.'s Branch Office, Main Floor—Red Cross Stamps
Delightful Luncheon Served in Our Tea Room, 4th Floor—Special Shoppers' 25c Lunch in Basement—Bakery, 4th Floor

Olds, Wortman & King

The Biggest, Happiest and Best Santa Claus You Ever Saw
Will Be in Toyland Every Afternoon and Evening



Sale of Dolls

\$2.00 Dolls at \$1.35
\$1.25 Dolls at 85c

In the Toy Store, fourth floor, a sale of 22-inch jointed Body Dolls, dressed in stylish little dresses, with picture hats to match; have shoes and stockings, curly hair and sleeping eyes. \$1.35 our regular \$2 dolls; only \$1.35

Won't the little girl's eyes dance when she sees these beautiful Dolls! Daintily dressed in evening shades, with shoes and stockings, large lace trimmed hats; curly hair; our best \$1.25 values. 85c Special for this sale at only, each

50c Dolls for 35c
85c Dolls for 65c

A 14-inch Doll, with papier mache body and bisque head, with sleeping eyes, light and dark hair, dressed in dainty fashion with shoes and stockings. 68c Our regular \$1.00 doll; special at

A Doll 17 inches tall, with papier mache body, bisque head, sleeping eyes, curly hair; dress and hat to match; an 85c beauty; specialized at only

\$1 Dolls 68c

75c Dolls 48c

A 17-inch doll, with papier mache body and bisque head, with sleeping eyes, light and dark hair, dressed in dainty fashion with shoes and stockings. 68c Our regular \$1.00 doll; special at

Our best 16-inch Doll, papier mache body and bisque head, with curly hair and sleeping eyes; neatly dressed with hat to match; also shoes, 48c stockings; 75-cent values; special,

Many Lines of Toys for Children on Sale

Xmas Slippers

\$2.50 Values \$1.69
\$2.00 Values \$1.39

It wouldn't seem like Christmas at all if Dad failed to get his Slippers. Today we offer in the center aisle—north—a big tableful of Men's Everetts, Operas and Romeo styles in black and tans, vic mat kid, seal dongola calf, kid and chamouis lined; all sizes; good \$2-\$2.50 values, sp'l \$1.69 Juliettes for women, very good grades, with hand-turned soles, trimmed in fur or ribbon, \$2.00 values \$1.39



Women's Evening Coats and Wraps 1/2 Price

\$27.50 Coats \$13.75—\$125 Coats \$62.50

An extra special offering of Evening Coats and Wraps, comprising some of the most attractive styles brought out this season. Materials are principally broadcloth and satin in shades of gray, rose, tan, lavender and black or white, fashioned with sailor or round shawl collars and Mandarin sleeves; trimmed in braid and fancy buttons; also excellent selection of Polo Coats in white, 1/2 Price pink and white, lavender and white, tan and white; \$27.50 to \$125

Evening and Street Gowns 1/4 Off

\$20 Gowns \$15—\$75 Gowns \$56.25

An extraordinary sale of beautiful Gowns for evening and street wear. The materials employed are chiffon, nets, messalines, crepe meteor, crepe de chine, velvet, serges, broadcloths, etc.; styled with high or Dutch necks, short or three-quarter length sleeves; all neatly trimmed in laces, fringes, beads, tucks, etc. Prices run \$20, \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50, \$30, \$32.50, \$35, \$38.50, \$42.50, \$45, \$47.50, \$52.50, \$55, \$57.50 and up to \$75; all go in this sale at exactly 1/4 Off

Store Opens at 9:30 A. M.
Closes at 9:30 P. M.

We keep open in the evenings all this week to give those who work until 6 o'clock an opportunity to do their shopping. We open at 9:30 A. M. all this week to give our salespeople added rest, that they may serve you better and more thoroughly enjoy the holiday season. We believe that we ourselves are better served, by serving others best. The change in hours for this week only.

Those Who Want and Would Give Furs Will Benefit by This Great

Christmas Sale of Furs 1/2 Price

Entire Stock at This Reduction
Positively the most extraordinary sale of the year, the best stock of real high grade Furs in Portland. We call Furs by the correct names. We will not deceive you. In buying Furs one must put considerable faith in the seller. Often two different pieces of fur look the same, but lasting quality and the real genuineness will be lacking in one. How are you to tell? Put faith in Olds, Wortman & King and you will never be disappointed. Furs of all kinds, at 1/2 price

25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00
Third Floor Sale Tables Third Floor

A general assortment of all kinds of Christmas novelties such as you find only in the first-class crockery and glassware stores are grouped on this table. Articles worth up to 25c 50c—your choice for only 25c Odd lines of Dishes, Vases, Cups and Saucers, Plates, etc., which are to be closed out, are grouped on this table for easy choosing. Ar 50c

You will find easy choosing on this table. There are hundreds of things you don't think of, yet the very things you want, all grouped on this table. Articles worth up to 75c \$1.50—your choice for only 75c In the Big Crockery Store, 3d floor, we group a broad assortment of dishes and fancy articles of all kinds—worth up to \$2 each, \$1.00 special for your choice

Listen, Santa Dear! Now, Don't You Tell



Our Santa Claus Is a Storehouse for Secrets

Children come by the thousands to tell their little secrets to Santa Claus, and many of the grown-ups can't resist whispering to the good old fellow, just to recall the happy days of youth. "When we were children, Santa Claus didn't come 'til Christmas eve, 'way in the night."

Sale of Fancy Pillows
\$2.50 to \$4 Grades at \$1.69
\$4.50 to \$7 Grades at \$1.98

In the Big Drapery Store on the third floor, a reasonable and really sensational sale of Pillows made up from the cuttings left from high-class drapery work and upholstery. The materials are velours, silks, imported cretonnes, etc., in attractive floral and conventional designs and plain colors. The materials alone in one lot are worth from \$2.50 to \$4.00 each. Remember, in the Big Drapery Store, on the third floor, at only \$1.69 The materials alone in the better lot are worth \$4.50 to \$7.00 each. We price them for this sale—Drapery Store, 3d floor—at \$1.98

Beautiful Gift Kimonos At 1/4 Off

It's doubtful if any Portland store ever attempted to give its customers such splendid, reasonable values as we offer in this sale of our entire stock of women's Kimonos, priced at \$12.50 and up. The materials are French flannels, Japanese silks and beautifully embroidered silks, in the empire styles, shirred in at the waist or loose flowing effects, trimmed with Persian, accordion plaiting, with sailor collars or V necks. The challies are neatly trimmed in laces and embroidery, velvet ribbons, etc. Many have mandarin sleeves, silk sashes, etc. \$12.50, \$15, \$20, \$22.50 up to \$75, all at 1/4 Off



Men's Bath Robes Greatly Reduced

\$3.50 Bath Robes \$1.98
\$6.00 Bath Robes \$3.15
\$6.50-7.50 Robes \$4.65
\$8.00-\$10 Robes \$5.85
\$12.00-\$15 Robes \$9.55
\$18-\$20 Robes at \$11.65

Hundreds of these Bath Robes on the counters and hundreds more in reserve; hardly a wish or a whim which we could not satisfy. Every good grade of material and every kind of a pleasing pattern is here. All well made and cut generously full, neatly trimmed.

Sale Christmas Foods--Purest and Best

Phone Your Orders Ex. 12, or A 6231—Order Here and Serve Your Guests With the Best Foods That Money Can Buy—Note Our Low Prices

Atmore's Mince Meat, in bulk, at, the pound, 16c
Atmore's Mince Meat in jars, 3 pounds for 75c
Atmore's Mince Meat in pail, 5 pound only 95c
Atmore's Plum Pudding, 1-pound cans only 30c
Atmore's Plum Pudding, 2-pound cans, only 55c
Atmore's Plum Pudding, 3-pound cans, only 85c
Atmore's Plum Pudding, 4-pound cans for \$1.15
Olive Oil, Dr. Mook's, in bottles, special at \$1.00
Mammoth Queen Olives, 75c bottles for only 50c

English Nuts, offered special, pound, only 18c
Soft Shell Almonds, special price, a pound, 20c
Filberts, during this sale at only, the pound, 18c
Brazil Nuts, offered special during sale, lb., 18c
Pecan Nuts, on special sale at this price, lb., 18c
Italian Chestnuts, special price, two pounds 25c
Oranges, special during this sale, doz., 25c to 50c
Popcorn, buy all you want at 4 pounds for 25c
Imported Malaga, offered special during sale, 60c

Smyrna Figs, genuine imported, the pound, 20c
Mixed Nuts, the best, 20c pound, or 5 lbs. at 90c
California Shelled Almonds, the pound, only 45c
California Shelled Walnuts, special, a lb., 45c
Jersey Cranberries, best Eastern, 2 quarts at 25c
Mowat's Seeded Raisins, extra fancy, a lb., 10c
Good Seeded Raisins in 1-lb. packages, only 8c
12-ounce package good Seeded Raisins for only 7c
Queen Olives, in bulk, regular 60c a quart for 45c

Fancy Layer Raisins, special price, a pound, 20c
Choice Layer Raisins, special, 2-pound box, 30c
Fancy Layer Raisins, special, 2-pound box at 50c
Extra Fancy Raisins, 2-pound box, special, 60c
Fancy Layer Raisins, 5-pound box, special, \$1.25
Extra Fancy Layer Raisins, 5 pounds only \$1.50
Best Tillamook Cheese, priced, a pound, only 20c
New Golden Dates, 15c lb.; two pounds for 25c
New Imported Dates, 20c pound, two lbs. for 35c

Citron Peel, special during this sale, the lb., 18c
Orange and Lemon Peel, special, the pound, 16c
Mixed Peels, special at two pounds for only 35c
Westphalia Ham, priced per pound at only 75c
Maine Corn, 2 cans for 25c, or per dozen at \$1.40
Peas, Oneida Co., N. Y., 25c can, dozen at \$2.75
Peas, imported French, special price, per can, 23c
Mushrooms, imported French, price, a can, 25c
Tomatoes, Hunt's Solid Pack, two cans for 25c

AD CLUB TO PLAY SANTA

MEMBERS TO ANSWER LETTERS
WRITTEN BY DESTITUTE.

Postmaster Merrick Furnishes List
of 25 Names and Volunteers
Respond Willingly.

Postmaster Merrick yesterday submitted at the weekly luncheon of the Ad Club a list of 25 names of those whose letters to Santa Claus have been received at the Postoffice. Most of the work will be providing food-stuffs for families in a destitute condition. Charles Berg, appointed chairman of the committee to attend to the club's share of the work for the Christmas saint, called for volunteers to take charge of the answering of the letters.

The response was instant and Mr. Berg had checked off the required 25 within less than two minutes and declared the list closed, leaving 40 or more volunteers still standing. Each one of the committee of 25 will have charge of the answering of one of the letters and will follow whatever may be his inclination in properly answering the appeal of those whose faith in Santa Claus was strong enough to lead them to write letters.

do without the traditional adjuncts of the holiday. The movement started yesterday was, however, the most pretentious that had been brought forward. Other letters received will be turned over to the secretary, and further steps will be taken to carry out the Ad Club's Santa idea.

The date for the annual Ad Club dinner was announced for January 1. L. A. Colton, chairman of the committee in charge of the dinner, has called a meeting at the Hotel Portland tomorrow to make further arrangements for the organization of a city club, the idea for which was introduced by Mr. Buchanan at the Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday.

Speakers at the luncheon yesterday were Thomas Hawkes, A. W. Kutsche and Dr. A. A. Morrison, the general theme of whose addresses was the artistic side of civic architecture.

THE LEFT HAND

Plays the accompaniment—the right hand accents the melody or omits it entirely at will. Why not have a player piano that plays exactly the same way. The new Apollo will—this is real music. For sale only by Sherman, Clay & Co., Morrison at Sixth.

AUFLAUF.

Droll little Christmas cakes—spicy, snappy, sweet and delightful. Order them for the Christmas tree and the Christmas feast. Royal Bakery & Confectionery—any branch.

LAWYER TOLD HE LIES

MAYOR DENOUNCES ATTORNEY
J. "HAT" HITCHINGS.

Counsel for ex-Police Sergeant Cole
Hints That Administration Protected Fallen Women.

When Attorney J. "Hat" Hitchings intimated yesterday before the Civil Service Commission that E. W. Cole, ex-police sergeant, was discharged because he interfered with houses of ill fame on the East Side, which were protected by the city administration, he clashed with Mayor Rushlight, who accused him of lying and "four-dash-ing."

Attorney Hitchings attempted to show that Mayor Rushlight had reasons for protecting a woman named Allie Bell, and that the fact that Cole interfered was the cause of his discharge. The Mayor denounced Hitchings and branded his intimations as "foolishness and lies."

Mrs. A. B. Loomis, former wife of "Mysterious Billy" Smith, pugilist, testified before the commission that Allie Bell had made the same statement to her.

the Executive Board, at which Cole was discharged for the good of the service. No evidence was introduced at yesterday's hearing by the city. The commission will hear arguments in the case before deciding. The privilege of arguing was asked by Attorney Hitchings at the conclusion of the hearing yesterday, which continued from 2 P. M. to 6 P. M.

NO HARM

Can come from eating your fill of the dear little German Christmas cakes the Royal Bakery & Confectionery makes. Queer, delightful shapes, odd forms, charming and appreciated by the children and suitable for Christmas tree decorations; wholesome and appetizing. You can get them at any of our Royal Bakery branches.

BUY A PLAYER.

\$275 Player Piano, used but guaranteed. Free music library. Kohler & Chase, 375 Washington street.

\$490 Is our special sale price on a dainty Baby Grand Piano. The regular value is \$750. You can pay as little as \$10 as first payment, and take 5 years to pay the balance. We are exclusive agents for Weber, Steck, Fischer and Vose Pianos. Also Pianola Pianos. 375 Washington. KOHLER & CHASE. Open day and night.

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Other points in proportion. Minimum holiday round-trip fare 50 cents. Eight daily trains to Salem and Forest Grove. Leaving Portland, trains stop at intersections of Tenth and Stark, Tenth and Morrison, Fifth and Salmon, First and Salmon streets, in addition to the North Bank and Jefferson-street stations.

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Jones Drug Co., Tenth and Stark Sts.,
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