

WE ARE EXCLUSIVE PORTLAND AGENTS FOR THE FAMOUS "GOSSARD" CORSETS—A MODEL FOR EVERY FIGURE—CORSET DEPT., 2D FLOOR

Annual Inventory Sales in All Depts.

SEE DEMONSTRATION OF OHIO STANDARD ELECTRIC SUCTION CLEANERS IN THE CARPET DEPARTMENT ON THIRD FLOOR.

Double S. & H. Green Trading Stamps Will Be Given With All Charge or Cash Purchases Made TODAY

40c Pound Paper Veiling Lengths At 29c —Extra special offering for Saturday in the Stationery Department, Main Floor. Woodland Lawn Pound Paper of superior quality and finish. The regular 40c 29c grade. The pound for only 29c

At 59c Main Floor—1 1/4 to 1 1/2 yard pieces of excellent quality Veilings, such as ordinarily sell at 65c, 75c to \$1.00 yard. Black, navy, brown, white, gray and purple. Priced very 59c special for Saturday, the piece

Reliable Merchandise TELEPHONES MARSHALL 4800—A 6231 Reliable Methods

Women's \$6 Shoes \$3.79 Main Floor—Women's Shoes of standard makes in patent or gunmetal calf leathers. Button or lace, high or medium heels. Cloth or leather tops. Shoes \$3.79 worth up to \$6.00 at, pair \$3.79

Women's \$5 Shoes at \$3.25 —WOMEN'S SHOES—Special lot, consisting of several short lines of patent, gunmetal calf or tan Russia calf leathers. Various styles in heels and toes. Shoes worth \$3.25 up to \$5.00 the pair priced

The Standard Store of the Northwest

Hundreds of Women's Coats in the Greatest Sale of the Season!

All Winter Millinery At Sacrifice Prices

Millinery Salons, Second Floor—Winter Hats must move out immediately to make room for Spring stock. We have arranged three very special lots for Saturday and priced them so low that any woman who has need for a Winter Hat cannot well afford to overlook this sale. Small, medium and large effects trimmed with flowers, ornaments and fancies. Black and assorted colors in lot.

Lot 1—Hats Worth to \$ 8.50, Special at \$3.00
Lot 2—Hats Worth to \$10.00, Special at \$5.00
Lot 3—Hats Worth to \$18.00, Special at \$7.50
Auto-Satin HATS, Special Saturday at \$2.50

Candy Sale

Bargain Circle on Main Floor

—By all means consider quality and freshness when you are buying Candy. Bite into one of our delicious Bon Bons or Chocolates and you will be thoroughly satisfied as to their high quality, purity and freshness. Take advantage of these special low prices in force here:

- 40c Vanilla Marshmallows, 25c
- special, the pound at only 25c
- 40c Assorted Chocolates, 27c
- Saturday special, the pound 30c
- 30c Chocolate Drops, the old-fashioned kind, the lb. 20c
- 30c Choice Ribbon Candy, 20c
- 30c French Mixed Candy, lb. 25c
- 25c Cream Mixture, pound 15c
- 15c OWK Hard Mix Candy 10c
- 25c Assorted Fudge, a lb. 20c
- 40c Buttermilk Kisses, lb. 25c
- 40c Nut Marshmallows, lb. 30c
- 25c Peanut Croquettes, lb. 20c
- 40c Chocolate Caramels, lb. 27c

Practically Our Entire Stock of Women's and Misses' Coats Divided Into Seven Big Lots

Dainty Waists At \$1

Center Circle, First Floor—Several pretty styles to select from—crisp, fresh new Waists, just out of their boxes, made up in fine, sheer voiles, lawns and organdies; also in madras. Fancy and tailored models with new large collars. Effectively trimmed with \$1.00 laces and embroideries, at

All Fur Trimmings AT HALF-PRICE

Department, Main Floor—Choose any piece of fur trimming in the entire stock Saturday at just half the regular price. Many of the advance Spring garments are trimmed with fur and indications point to extensive use of furs throughout the year. Large variety here to select from, including black and brown opossum, skunk, seal, moline, Coney, raccoon, Australian opossum, reversed Coney, black, brown, gray, white, taupe, mole. Widths range from 1/2 inch up to 8 inches. Fur Trimmings at 1/2.

Toilet Needs & Drugs

—On account of the low prices quoted below, we reserve the right to limit quantities sold to any one customer during this special sale.

Lurline Soap 3 Cakes for 10c

—Limit 3 cakes to a customer and positively no deliveries except with other purchases in Drug Dept.

Resinol Soap, special now at 22c
 Phillips' Milk of Magnesia at 40c
 Double-Distilled Witch Hazel, put up in 16-oz. bottles, special at 18c
 \$1 Laveris Mouth Wash, 2 oz. 80c
 \$1.00 Cuticura Ointment only 79c
 50c Hair Brushes, special now 39c
 1-lb. roll Hospital Cotton now 20c
 25c Creme L'Amie, special only 10c
 25c Colgate's Tooth Paste now 20c
 50c Multisifed Coconut Oil at 45c
 50c On Hair Remover at 33c
 \$1.00 Listerine special, only 79c
 50c Cuticura Resolvent now at 39c
 50c Weyth's Sage and Sulphur 43c
 Dandarine, 3 sizes, 20c, 40c, 80c
 10c Palmolive Soap, special at 7c
 25c Babcock's Corylopsia Talc, 13c
 Java Rice Powder, all colors, 37c
 25c Espey's Face Cream now 20c
 Powder Puffs in 2 sizes, each 5c
 Guaranteed Scissors, all sizes, 25c
 50c Pebecco Tooth Paste now 39c
 Bath and Toilet Soaps 10c, 3 25c
 25c Phillips' Milk of Magnesia on sale Saturday at low price of 20c
 25c Beecham's Pills special at 20c
 25c Orangeine Saturday at only 17c
 50c Antithermoline, a surgical dressing. Special today at 33c
 50c Fluff's Moquet, for hair 28c
 25c L'Odor Moquet, special at 10c



Fancy Waists At \$3.29

Center Circle, First Floor—Beautiful Waists, made up in Georgette crepe, nets, laces, chiffons, crepe de chine, taffeta and messalines. Various styles—some in fancy models, others in tailored effects. New large collars and long \$3.29 sleeves. Saturday special

Sale of Men's Shirts \$1.50 Grades \$1.15

Main Floor—Closing out several broken lines of men's high-grade Shirts. Arrow, Bates Street and Fifth Avenue makes. Assorted patterns in various colors. The sizes range from 14 up to 18 \$1.15 only. \$1.50 Shirts priced special \$1.15

—MEN'S HEAVY Outing Flannel Work Shirts in serviceable-gray color. 79c Regular \$1.00 grade priced special

Other Specials in Men's Store

—MEN'S RIBBED Cotton Union Suits in ecru color. Closed-crotch style. All sizes, 34 to 46. \$2.89

—MEN'S PAJAMAS of \$1.19 good grade flannellette, —MEN'S NIGHT GOWNS of flannellette, sizes 15, 16, 69c —OUT-DOOR Sleeping Garments of good heavy flannellette, \$2. to \$3 values at \$1.69

Coats \$7.95, \$9.95, \$13.95, \$19.95 \$25.95, \$33.95 and \$41.95

Model Grocery Fourth Floor The Following Specials on Sale From 9 to 12

—Order your Groceries early in the day. Experienced telephone clerks at your service 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

- COTTAGE Hams, boneless, special, the pound at 17c
- PICNIC Shoulder Hams 14c
- SATURDAY special, the pound
- PIN MONEY Mixed Pickles, special, the quart only
- Frankfurters, special, lb. at 14c
- Ripe Olives, special, quart 40c
- Large Queen Olives, quart 35c
- Gherkins Pickles, quart for 40c
- California Grapefruit, 6 for 25c
- Florida Grapefruit, each at 10c

Boys' 2-Pant Suits \$4.45 \$7.50 Mackinaws \$5.95

Main Floor—Special sale of Boys' School Suits in the Boys' Store today! Latest Norfolk models, some with loose belts, others with stitched belt. Made up in excellent materials. Boys' 2-pant Suits, special only \$4.45

Main Floor—Don't wait too long, for these splendid heavy Mackinaw Coats are selling rapidly. Made in very latest styles with large collars, belt, patch pockets, etc. Warm and comfortable. \$7.50 Mackinaws \$5.95

Borden's Milk Demonstration

—Ask the demonstrator to explain to you the many superior qualities of this famous malted milk. Special prices during the demonstration.

- 50c size Borden's Milk at 40c
- \$1.00 size priced special at 80c
- \$3.98 Hospital size, each \$2.98

Lot 1—Coats \$7.95 Second Flr.—Women's and Misses' Coats, splendid range of styles, with or without belts. Cheviots, zibelines, tweeds. Stripes, fancy plaid mixtures and various other patterns in attractive colors. Excellent assortment sizes. \$7.95 Priced very special at \$7.95

Lot 2—Coats at \$9.95 Second Flr.—Loose, flaring styles, also novelty belted coats with large collars and deep cuffs. Materials are cheviots, zibelines, velours and mixtures. Many in black, also in brown and navy. Good \$9.95 range of sizes. Sale price \$9.95

Lot 3—Coats \$13.95 Second Flr.—Women's and Misses' Coats in the season's best styles for street and dress wear. Made up in broadcloths, cheviots, zibelines, velours; also rich plaid velvets and figured plushes. They come in assorted colors. \$13.95 and are priced special \$13.95

Lot 4—Coats \$19.95 Second Floor—Belted and flare styles, many are trimmed with fur or plush. Splendid Coats for general wear, made up in fancy mixtures, velveteens and velours. Excellent range of sizes. \$19.95 Priced very special at \$19.95

Lot 5—Coats \$25.95 Second Floor—This lot embraces a wide range of styles—all this season's best models in belted and loose effects; many are trimmed with fur or plush. Good selection of materials. Some are lined throughout. See these \$25.95 beautiful Coats at only \$25.95

Lot 6—Coats \$33.95 Second Floor—Beautiful Coats of high-grade plushes, cheviots, velours and broadcloths; models for street wear and for dress occasions. Belted and loose styles, fur or plush trimmed collars. \$33.95 Special sale price only \$33.95

Lot 7—Women's Coats of Bolivia cloth, velours, plushes and velvets in season's best styles; many with fur collars—special \$41.95

Girls' Coats and Dresses Greatly Underpriced

—GIRLS' COATS in smart new Winter models, with or without belts. Made up in plushes, fancy mixtures and velours. Sizes for girls 2 to 14 years of age. Coats selling at \$7.25 up to \$13.50. \$26.50 in the sale at only 1/3 Off

—GIRLS' DRESSES of wool challies in dainty patterns, piped and trimmed with satin; also silk mixtures and velours. Sizes for girls 2 to 14 years of age. Dresses selling at \$7.25 up to \$11.50. \$26.50 in the sale at only 1/3 Off

—GIRLS' \$8.85 to \$24.50 PARTY DRESSES NOW at 1/2 OFF.

Saturday Specials in Infants' Dept.

- Infants' Hand-made Dresses and Skirts, slightly soiled—1/2 Price.
- Infants' Blankets, special 39c
- Infants' Knit Jackets, Booties, Afghans, Shawls, Silk Quilts and Robes on sale at 20% reduction.

BAR'S DINNER ARRANGED

JUSTICE McCAMANT IS TO BE GUEST OF HONOR TONIGHT.

Frank Branch Riley Is to Be Toastmaster, and Clever Responses Are on Programme.

All arrangements for the complimentary informal dinner to Wallace McCamant, to be given by the members of the bar of Multnomah County in honor of his appointment to the Supreme Court bench, have been completed. The dinner is to be held tonight at the Portland Hotel at 6:30 o'clock.

Judge Kavanaugh, chairman of the arrangement committee, says that all of the Judges of the Supreme Court will be present.

The dinner will be presided over by Judge Kavanaugh, who will introduce the toastmaster, Frank Branch Riley.

The following members of the bar have been asked to respond to toasts: Ernest W. Hardy, "Dressing the Ways"; W. W. Cotton, "Off the Main Line"; Frederick H. Whitfield, "From the Bench to the Bar"; John F. Logan, "Soldiers of the Sea"; Martin L. Pipes, "Experiences of a Politician on and Off the Bench"; and Lionel R. Webster, "Paranoides I Have Met."

The subject of Justice McCamant's toast is: "May There Be No Moaning of the Bar."

W. C. Bristol, in charge of the hotel arrangements, has made plans to accommodate 300. From replies received

ACCUSED MEN DROPPED

Bootlegging Case Causes Dismissal of Captain and Engineer.

On charges of conduct unbecoming firemen, Captain E. H. Hawkins and Engineer J. H. Campbell, of Fire Engine Company No. 2, were discharged from the service yesterday by Mayor Albee. The two were involved in the bootlegging scandal which involved these two and two ex-firemen.

Recommendations of dismissal were made by the Board of Fire Chiefs after a hearing. The two men have been in the service about 10 years. Captain Hawkins was a member of the board of trustees of the firemen's relief and pension fund, and was treasurer of the organization of firemen now campaigning for a two platoon (two shift) system in the fire bureau.

R. F. MAGUIRE GETS PLACE

Attorney Named Master in Chancery Succeeding Mr. McCamant.

Robert F. Maguire, a number of years ago Assistant United States Attorney, has been named the master in chancery for the Federal Court of this district. He takes the place of Wallace McCamant, resigned.

The master in chancery has to do with cases in equity involving the disposal of lands or property foreclosed on mortgages, or with other equity cases. He receives fees according to the size of the cases involved and his tenure has no fixed limit.

BANKS SHOW BIG GAINS

OF 27,000 IN UNITED STATES 274 HAVE DEPOSITS OF \$10,000,000.

In Honor Rank for Greatest Growth Northwestern National of Portland Is Fourth on List.

During the past two years while the world war has been going on the resources of the United States as reflected by the deposits in the banks have increased to a larger extent than at any previous five-year period in the country's history.

Of the 27,000 banking institutions in the United States, there are 274 which have more than \$10,000,000 of deposits each. During the past two years many of the banks have made unprecedented gains in resources.

To a Tulsa, Okla., bank falls first honor in the matter of increase in deposits between November 1, 1914, and November 17, 1916. The Exchange National Bank of that place made a gain of 320.9 per cent. The bank making the next largest gain was the Chatham & Phenix National Bank, of New York City, with 266.7 per cent. The third was the Nassau National Bank, of New York City, with 223.3 per cent.

Fourth in the list was the Northwestern National Bank, of Portland, which made an increase of 219 per cent. The deposits of this institution increased in the two years from \$2,165,000 to \$10,037,000.

Auto Hits Boy's Runabout. PENDELTON, Or., Jan. 12.—(Special)

LAW REVISION FAVORED

CITY CLUB WANTS TINKERING WITH STATUTES TO STOP.

Plan Is to Have Petitions Null Unless Signed by 5 Per Cent of Voters From Many States.

Revision of the laws governing the use of the initiative and referendum in Oregon to make the laws more strongly proof against manipulation by interested and non-representative factions among the people, will be recommended to the Legislature in a resolution from the City Club, which voted at its meeting at the Oregon Hotel yesterday noon to take this work to the Legislature.

The amendment suggested will call for 5 per cent of the voters on the petition and will require that the petition signers must be distributed in a majority of the counties of the state. In this way, it is believed, no measure can be brought up in which there is not a well-defined manifestation of general interest throughout the state. Sidney J. Graham is chairman of the legislative committee of the club.

Dr. E. T. Hedlund was speaker of the day and discussed methods of financing shipbuilding activities.

He declared that the principal reason why difficulties are encountered is that the people here are unfamiliar with investments of this type, having become more accustomed to real estate investments or investments secured by real estate. He urged that an effort be made to educate the people and familiarize them with industrial investment, after which, he said, the move-

CITY'S PROSPERITY SHOWN

Report of Advertising Clubs Says Residents Buy and Pay Better.

A prosperous year for Portland in 1916 is shown in the report issued by the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, on the recent merchandising researches that they have conducted.

Purchases by residents of Portland in 1916 indicated that they had good reserve funds, for although the cost of living rose they bought more of the luxuries of life in the past year. The jewelry purchases were 17 per cent more than in corresponding months in 1915, on the basis of November as an index month.

Sales in all lines increased 11 per cent over those of the preceding year. There was a 28 per cent increase in advertising, 2 per cent in stock and 32 per cent increase in collections.

Toledo Officials Installed. CLEVELAND, Wash., Jan. 12.—(Special).—Fred Williams has been installed to succeed himself as Mayor of Toledo, with D. S. Farrell and L. W. Shultz as new Councilmen. Fred Martin was named Clerk and Dr. C. P. Getzstaff Health Officer. B. Conrad Marshall and E. F. Badger Police Judges. The town starts the new year with a small debt, \$396,721.

CLUB PLEA NOT FAVORED

Mr. Dieck Says Property-Owners Should Protect Vista Avenue.

Requests of the Portland Heights Club for the erection by the city of wooden bulkheads or retaining walls to prevent slides and cave-ins along Vista avenue are to be rejected if the City Council adopts recommendations of Commissioner Dieck. He will report on the subject at the Council meeting Wednesday.

Mr. Dieck says the retaining walls along the street should be of concrete and the cost should be borne by the property owners and not by the city.

TRESTLE TO BE REMOVED

Railway Connecting Link at East Ninetieth Street to Go.

An old trestle over Hassalo street at East Ninetieth street, built several years ago by the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, is to be torn down, according to notice given the city yesterday by the company. Work of

AMUSEMENTS

BAKER THEATER Broadway & Morrison. "Always a Show of Quality" Mat. Today—Last Time Tonight THE ALCAZAR PLAYERS Edgar Selwyn's Thrilling Melodramatic Comedy

Rolling Stones Evenings 25c, 50c, 75c. Sat. Mat. 25c, 50c. Next week, starting tomorrow Mat. "OUTCAST"

Opheum MAIN 6 VAUDEVILLE AT HEILIG THEATER EVERY SUN MON TUES WED MATINEE DAILY, 2:30 The Musical Triumph of 1917. Offering the World's Musical Gems. —OTHER BIG ACTS— Boxes and seats reserved by phone. Curtains 1:20, 1 and 5.