

New Columbia December Records Now on Sale—Sixth Floor

OREGON TROOPS TO GET KNITTED WEAR

No Soldier Will Face Winter Without Complete Outfit, Cheering Assurance.

GENERAL MANAGER VISITS

C. D. Stimson, of Seattle, Confers With Officials of Portland Red Cross and Emphasizes Need of Increasing Knitted Supplies.

No soldier of the Oregon troops will face the winter without a complete outfit of the knitted wear that American mothers are knitting for their sons. It is probable that these needed supplies already have been issued to them at Long Island, where they are awaiting embarkation.

Such is the assurance given by C. D. Stimson, general manager of the Northwest division of the American Red Cross, with headquarters at Seattle, who was in this city yesterday in conference with officials of the Portland chapter.

Knitted Goods Needed.
"I have not yet received reply to my telegram, recently sent to Washington, urging immediate attention for the Oregon troops in this regard," said Mr. Stimson, "but am confident that the knitted supplies either have been issued to them or will be shortly."

"The sweaters, socks and other knitted goods supplied by the American Red Cross are considered by some men in high authority, that at least one troop ship was detained from sailing until the knitted outfits had been received for her complement of troops."

Oregon Boys Will Be Cared For.
"We have been behind with our supply, so much so that it recently became necessary to purchase 500,000 additional sets for troops. There was never a time when the constant increase of this valuable supply of knitted wear was so urgent as at the present."

"I have the positive assurance of Red Cross officials at Washington, in general charge of the National work, that no soldier of America will leave this country without his outfit of knitted wear supplied by the American Red Cross through the industry of American women. You need have no cause for worry concerning the Oregon boys. I am certain that every effort is being made in their behalf."

Membership Drive Leader Here.
"I wish to express, however, my gratitude to Julius Meier, of this city, who telegraphed word of their necessity back to Portland and who brought the need of the Oregon troops more definitely to the fore."

Accompanying Mr. Stimson was Harvey Lindley, of Seattle, chairman of the membership drive committee. They conferred with officials and members of the Portland chapter regarding the big Red Cross membership drive campaign, which has been set for Christmas week.

WORK WILL BE SPEEDED UP
Red Cross Volunteers to Operate on Six-Day Schedule.

Beginning Saturday morning the Red Cross workroom in the Lipman-Wells building will be run to full capacity, when for the first time the workers will assemble in the morning for active work. Up to the present the workroom has operated only five days a week. It will now inaugurate a six-day schedule.

The volume of work carried on in the workroom has surpassed all expectations. An average of 200 women daily now do a tremendous amount of work in the preparation of surgical dressings, hospital supplies, etc.

G. R. PERCIVAL IS MAYOR

NEW EXECUTIVE TO SUCCEED MILTON EVANS, WHO RESIGNED.

Mayor Percival is an Attorney and Has Been Active in Securing Industries for Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 20.—(Special)—G. R. Percival, member of the City Council, who was elected Mayor of Vancouver last night to succeed Milton Evans, who has resigned, entered a bank at Drasin, Or., in which he has acquired an interest, was re-elected Councilman from the Fifth Ward last year, to serve two years. He will serve out Mr. Evans' term, which would have expired January 1, 1919.

Mr. Percival is an attorney and owns considerable real estate in this city. Since becoming a member of the Council he has been active in securing industries for Vancouver, and had much to do with securing the G. M. Standifer Construction Corporation for this city. He also helped to locate and carry on the work of extending Eleventh street to the industrial sites below the North Bank bridge.

A petition signed by more than 200 business and professional men was presented to the Council, asking that Mr. Percival be chosen Mayor to succeed Mr. Evans.

Charles W. Davis, a local grocer, and Councilman-at-Large, was the opposing candidate. Mr. Davis nominated Mr. Percival and he was chosen unanimously.

PORTERHOUSE STEAK 15c

At Frank L. Smith's.
Did you ever believe the day would come when you could buy the choicest steaks in the land at 15c? Come down to 228 Alder street for these great bargains!

Veal roasts, 15c. Veal sausage, 15c.
Breast veal, 12 1/2c. Veal stew, 10c.
T-bone steak, 15c. Sirloin steak, 15c.
Tenderloin steak, 15c. Porterhouse, 15c.
Prime rib beef, 15c. Round steak, 15c.
Rib steak, 15c. Hamburg, 15c.
Pot roasts, 12 1/2c. Soup bones, 5c.
Beef necks, 10c. Beef to boil, 10c.
Beef stew, 10c. Liver, 10c.

And remember, Smith sells a big sack of his own home-grown potatoes for \$1.75 and delivers them to your home.—Adv.

Japanese merchants are using cans in which American oil has been shipped to that country. Vegetable oils are sent back to the United States in these containers, and they are then returned to Japan, empty, to be used in the making of toys, things for cases, bottle caps and dusters.

TOYTOWN has countless delights in store for every little boy and girl. Parents should bring the children to this section as often as they visit the store. Toys—dolls—games—everything the kiddies would like for Christmas.—Fifth Floor.

Meier & Frank Co.
Established 1857
THE QUALITY STORE OF PORTLAND
1234 1/2, 1235, 1236, 1237, 1238, 1239, 1240, 1241, 1242, 1243, 1244, 1245, 1246, 1247, 1248, 1249, 1250, 1251, 1252, 1253, 1254, 1255, 1256, 1257, 1258, 1259, 1260, 1261, 1262, 1263, 1264, 1265, 1266, 1267, 1268, 1269, 1270, 1271, 1272, 1273, 1274, 1275, 1276, 1277, 1278, 1279, 1280, 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, 1290, 1291, 1292, 1293, 1294, 1295, 1296, 1297, 1298, 1299, 1300

OUR BEAUTY SHOP appeals to women because of its handsome appointments and superior service. Manicuring, hairdressing, facial treatments, etc. Children's haircutting a specialty. A skilled chiropodist in constant attendance.—Fifth Floor.

This Is Only Part of Today's Good Offerings

The Vogue of These Smart Accessories for Men and Women Will Be Intensified by This

Sale of Scarfs and Reefers

In Which They Are Offered at Extraordinary Reductions

Smart dressers of both sexes will welcome this sale of throw scarfs that begins today. The popularity of these scarfs for wear with Winter coats is assured. The fine qualities, designs and colorings of these will commend them to the most fastidious. Their warmth and service qualities are no less evident than the style features. Choose from any of these groups—the savings are exceptionally good on all—on some prices are less than present wholesale—because we anticipated the demand and bought heavily before the serious advances in price.

\$4.00 Tussah Silk Scarfs \$2.65
Handsome scarfs of pure Tussah silk in fancy crocheted weaves with fringed ends. Beautiful shades of pearl, navy, golden brown, pink, champagne, green and black.

Tubular Silk Scarfs \$1.98
Plain and fancy striped designs in purple, wine, navy, gray, green, black, white and two-color effects.

\$5-\$6 Values \$2.98
Men's and women's reefers and throw scarfs in plain and fancy effects. Heavy knitted scarfs of all pure silk in beautiful solid colors and striped designs. Also black and fancy crochets. A few slightly imperfect or soiled.

Special at 89c
Men's reefers with fringed ends, ideal for cold-weather wear. Plain black, white, pearl and black and white stripes.
—Center Aisle, Main Floor.

AGAIN TODAY!
We Will Sell Women's and Misses'

High Grade Plain and Fancy Tailored SUITS

At Great Reductions

Suits of gabardine, tricotine, broadcloth, velours, velvet and other fashionable fabrics. Long straight line effects and flared models. Belted and Norfolk styles. Many with big enveloping collars of fur in taupe wolf, Hudson seal and natural muskrat, etc. Taupe, plum, Burgundy, brown, gray, green, navy—the season's leading colors.

\$25.00 Suits... \$18.75 **\$47.50 Suits... \$35.65**
\$42.50 Suits... \$28.45 **\$55.00 Suits... \$39.50**
\$45.00 Suits... \$33.50 **\$65.00 Suits... \$45.00**

\$75 suits for \$50. The \$98.50 suits for \$65. And \$125 suits for \$85.
Greatest sale of the season in point of qualities, assortments, styles and savings.—Apparel Shop, 4th Floor.



New Stocks and Jabots 49c
300 of these crisp new neckpieces in white and cream. Assorted styles.
Plain net, net combined with filet lace or net combined with Oriental edges.
The stocks are both plain and in crushed effects. Very appropriate for wear with tailored suits. The price is very special—49c.
—Neckwear Shop, Main Floor.

Our \$1.25 Table Cloths Special 98c
Fringed table cloths with either red or blue borders. 58x70-inch size. Fine for breakfast cloths or kitchen tables. Will launder well.
—Linen Shop, Second Floor.

Sale Stamped Needlework 1/2
A special sale today only of stamped needlework in packages—famous Royal Society, Pacific and Wurtzburg makes. All half price.
—Center Aisle, Main Floor.

Soldiers' Mess Kits at \$1
Soldiers' three-piece silver-plated mess kits consisting of knife, fork and spoon.
Good quality silver-plated ware made by the Oneida Community, Ltd.
These have just been received by express and are to be purchased at this store only in Portland.
Here is a gift that your soldier will appreciate.
—Silverware Shop, Main Floor.

Today—10c Notion Day

Charter Oak Darning Cotton, 4 spools.....	10c
20c Weighted Tape, white only, yard.....	10c
Conqueror Basting Thread, sizes 40 to 70, three 200-yard spools.....	10c
10c Charter Oak Crochet Cotton, white, linen and ecru colors, two spools.....	10c
Two-in-One Hair Nets, fine mesh with elastic, six envelopes for.....	10c
Black Cotton Belting, 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 inches, two yards, special at.....	10c
15c Princess Curling Irons for.....	10c
Nainsook Covered Dress Shields, pair.....	10c
5c Queen City Spool Silk, black and white, three 50-yard spools.....	10c
Crimped Celluloid Hair Pins, large size, six in package, for.....	10c
15c Jet Wire Hair Pins, cabinet.....	10c
5c Washington Steel Pins, three papers.....	10c
5c Frank Hooks and Eyes, three cards.....	10c
15c Sanitary Aprons, special at.....	10c
Children's Hose Supporters.....	10c
Silk Taffeta Seam Binding, white and colors, narrow width, 8-yard piece.....	10c

—Notion Shop, Main Floor.

Good Cretonne Yard Special 55c
Suitable for hangings, furniture coverings, utility box covers, bags, pillows, etc. A great assortment of desirable patterns and colors.
—Curtain Shop, Seventh Floor.

20c Yard-Wide Outings Today 17c
Good variety of stripes included in this sale of mill lengths of outing—pinks, blues, tans. Lengths range from 2 1/4 to 7 1/4 yards.
—Second Floor, Fifth Street.

An Important Sale of High-Grade Dresses for Misses
Divided Into Two Special Groups

Lot 1 Splendid qualities of misses' navy serge dresses. Jacket effect, one-piece styles, also fancy two-piece dresses. Pleated, plain, flare and overskirt models. With satin or linen collars, braid and button trimming. Sizes 15 and 17 years. Exceptional values at \$16.50 to \$21.95.

Lot 2 Misses' fancy dresses of fine serges and silks. Some in combination with velvets, Georgette crepes and voiles. Elaborately trimmed with braid, embroidery, satin and buttons. Fancy waist and pleated skirt effects. Sizes 15 and 17 years. They're very specially priced at \$26.95 to \$29.
—Children's Shop, Second Floor.

Our Christmas Phonograph Club

Join now if you would enjoy the world's best music in your own home this Christmas. We have all standard makes of phonographs and our record stock is 99% complete. See the different makes side by side. Free demonstrations in our sound-proof parlors.
—Phonograph Shop, Sixth Floor.

Good \$6.50 Tan Leather Traveling Bags \$5.19
Tan leather traveling bags in 16, 17 and 18-inch sizes. Sewed corners. Good strong linings in linen and pegamoid. Here is a good opportunity to get a durable, inexpensive traveling bag for every-day use at a saving—regular \$6.50 bags for \$5.19.

\$21.50-\$25.00 Traveling Bags \$16.25
Black traveling bags in finest leathers of seal, calf and cowhide. Beautifully lined. Handsome styles. Regularly \$21.50 to \$25—today \$16.25.
—Luggage Shop, Sixth Floor.

IMPORTED CHINESE Basket \$5.50

The Chinese decorated basket as pictured is but one of the many we have on display in our Ninth Floor Furniture Gift Shop. Others in larger sizes priced up to \$11.50.

Various combinations of colors—red, blue, lavender, green, black, gold—no two in the entire assortment quite alike. Each handle is trimmed with a tassel to match the body of the basket. These make suitable gifts.
—Furniture Gift Shop, Ninth Floor.

The UNIVERSAL COMBINATION
The Universal Combination—the range of today—a combination range that burns wood, coal, coke, briquets.
A range that requires less space than an ordinary kitchen range.
A range that has the cooking capacity of a coal range and a gas range.
A perfect device under all conditions for any cooking purposes with any kind of fuel.
A range that gives you a warm kitchen in Winter and a cool kitchen in Summer.
A range that is simple to operate—has nothing to remove or put in when changing fuels.
The oven is always ready for instant use for either gas or coal or for both.
A range in today and let us show you the many advantages of this most modern of ranges.
MAKE YOUR OWN TERMS IN REASON
—Sixth Floor, Fifth Street.

Groceries

Tomatoes, case \$2.85, dozen \$1.45, two large cans at 25c only.....	25c
Tomatoes, Del Monte, solid pack, case \$3.45, dozen \$1.75, large can.....	15c
Coffee, M. J. B., Dependable, Golden West or Royal Club, 3-lb. can.....	\$1
Evaporated Apricots, good size, fine meaty fruit, lb. for 22c only.....	22c
Pimentoes, Del Monte, new pack, just received, doz. \$1.25, 11c can.....	11c
Jiffy Jell, any flavor, dz. \$1.25, package.....	11c
Naptha Soap, Victor brand, one of the best, 10 large bars 48c at.....	48c

—Ninth Floor, Fifth Street.

Holiday Laces

BEAD TOP POINTS
Dainty Val. bead top points for camisoles. Yard 15c and 25c.

NEW VAL LACES
New round mesh Val. laces with edges and insertions to match. Yard 5c to 25c.

EDGES, INSERTIONS
New French Val. edges and insertions. Yard 5c to 50c.

VAL BEADINGS
New Val. beadings that range in width from 1/4 to 1 inch. Yard 3c to 25c.

NEW VAL LACES
Calais Val. laces for dainty lingerie. Yard 15c to 50c.

"REAL" LACES
Real Filet, Cluny and Irish laces for neckwear, blouses and art work. 1 to 5 inches wide. Yard 40c to \$3.50.
—Lace Shop, Main Floor.

Beginning Today in Our Housewares Section—A Practical Demonstration of Wear-Ever Aluminum Roasters

Beginning today an expert from the factory will be in our Housewares Section and she will give a practical demonstration of "Wear-Ever" Aluminum Roasters.
Think of being able to prepare an entire meal in oven or on top of stove, all at one time—a delicious roast, baked potatoes, macaroni, and even a desert such as baked apples, rice pudding, etc., and think of the economy in time and fuel. This convenience and saving will be yours if you use a "Wear-Ever" aluminum roaster.
Every day in the year you can use the Wear-Ever roaster—on top of the stove, over one burner or in the oven. The Wear-Ever roaster serves so many purposes that it saves the cost of other utensils—and it will outlast several ordinary roasters. It saves fuel because it absorbs heat so readily and retains it so long.

IN THREE SIZES—LARGE, MEDIUM AND SMALL
The large-size roasters, 17 1/2 x 12 1/2 inches, are priced at \$6.75. Medium-size roasters, size 16 x 11 1/2, priced \$5.90. Small roasters, 14 x 10, priced \$4.85.
We carry at all times a complete stock of Wear-Ever cooking utensils—they are guaranteed to give enduring satisfaction. Wear-Ever cannot chip, scale or rust. It is made in one piece, from thick, hard sheet aluminum.
—Housewares Section, Basement.

CUT OUT KISS—MOTORMEN
Osculatory Farewell Too Often Upsets Streetcar Schedule.
Portland motormen agree that one of the most frequent causes of "late" cars is the osculatory farewell. The tendency to cling in a goodbye clinch is held to have upset many a street railway schedule. For the most part women are the offenders, but men have been known to dwell over-long at partings.
According to the motormen, two women, or several, will pause at the corner, their car a block away. They embrace, watching the approaching car. As it halts the departing friend starts for the steps; hesitates, is lost, and rushes back for another kiss. The going clangs. They separate. At the steps the loved one is grabbed, again. When the car rolls away the motorman is shy a minute or more on his schedule.

A Pennsylvania coal company reached all the way to the trenches in France to get a witness in a compensation case. Dr. James Thomas, who went with the Canadian forces to the front nearly a year ago, treated Dominic Ambrosia, an Onondaga laborer whose widow claims compensation.

EARLY COOS SETTLER DEAD
Jerry C. Haynes Companion of John D. Rockefeller in Young Days.
MARSHFIELD, Or., Nov. 20.—(Special)—The death of Jerry C. Haynes, of Myrtle Point, removed one of Coos County's oldest settlers and a pioneer who came to the Pacific Coast in 1852. He was 87 and had been practically the entire development of the Southwestern Oregon coast. Mr. Haynes engaged in many followings in the early history of the county.
The deceased came to Coos County in 1859, six years after the first white

settler came from Jacksonville, Oregon. He was married to Lois Hall, in California, and the wife died in Marshfield in 1888. Ten children were born to the union.
It was while engaged in driving horses and mules on an Ohio canal that he met John D. Rockefeller, then a young man clerking in a Cleveland store that supplied canal men and others with clothing and other goods. Mr. Haynes and Mr. Rockefeller were companions in many enterprises and he spoke very highly of John D. Rockefeller as a young man. Although Mr. Haynes could not see the future that Mr. Rockefeller was to develop, he considered the oil magnate a man of more than ordinary attainments in the early

days, and was not surprised in after life to see the companion of his youth attain the greatest financial success in the history of the world.

Frank Stamps Appear.
CENTRALIA, Wash., Nov. 20.—(Special)—I. S. Turner and H. L. Bras, of this city, found among 2-cent stamps purchased at the local postoffice stamps marked "5 cents" that were of the same design as the 2-cent stamps, with the exception of the figure. Mr. Turner has refused an offer of \$25 from a stamp collector for his freak. It is understood that the error was the result of carelessness on the part of an

engraver in repairing one of the stamp dies.
Bifuminous coal production in the United States was reduced approximately 2,000,000 tons last week by car shortage and railroad congestion.

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