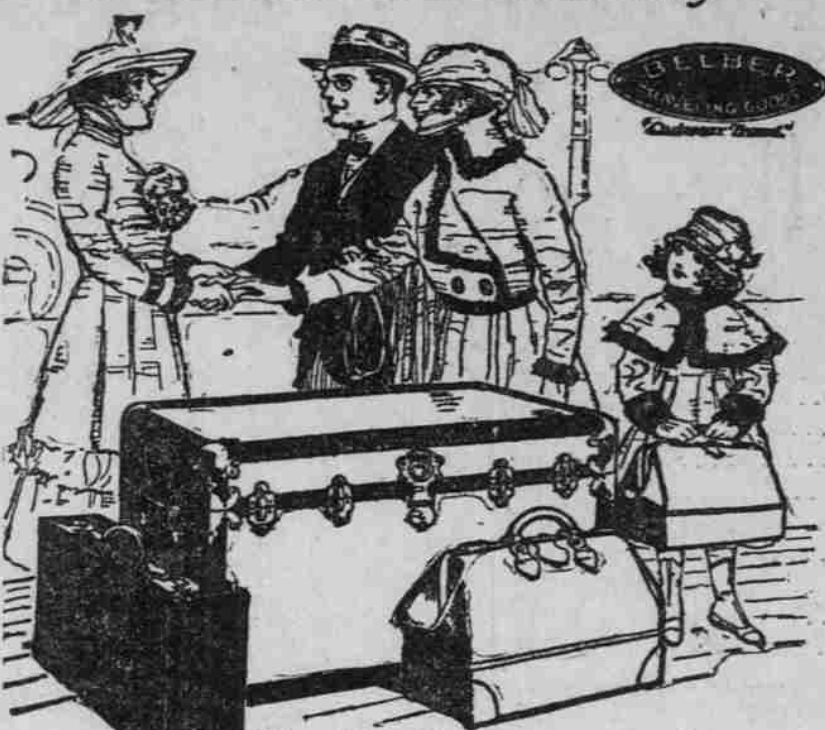


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Made by the Frank Shobel Co.

In Alpine, Fedora and Telescope shapes; pearl, green, tan, brown and all other popular colors—LESS THAN PRESENT WHOLESALE COST.



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Scores and scores of these attractive bits of needlework were sold at half price yesterday and today—for women realize what attractive gifts can be obtained here for very little outlay.

SCARFS, PILLOW COVERS, COMBING JACKETS, LONG KIMONOS, BED SPREADS, CURTAINS, GOWNS, COMBINATIONS, CHILDREN'S DRESSES—AND MANY OTHER ARTICLES AT JUST HALF PRICE!

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Beautiful hand embroidered articles—LUNCHEON SETS, NOV-ELTIES, WAISTS, GOWNS, COMBINATIONS, PILLOW COVERS, ETC.—AT HALF PRICE!

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JUST IN! Women's New

STOCKS

Special 95c

Dainty new stocks with jabots—all prettily lace trimmed. Fine for practical Xmas gifts!

NEW MARABOU CAPES AND STOLÉS

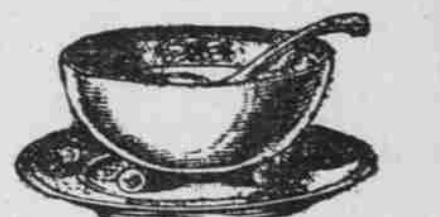
In black and natural shades; fine heavy quality—lovely for Christmas gifts.

\$7.50 to \$19.50

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SPECIAL! 300 Lovely HAND PAINTED CHINA

Whipped Cream Sets at 29c

Dainty sets with hand painted bowl, ladle and stand. IN SIX DIFFERENT DECORATIONS—extra special for Thursday only!—Limit two sets to customer—no phone orders and none sent C. O. D. Sixth Fl.—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

The HOLIDAY SALE of Men's and Women's and Children's HANDKERCHIEFS

Brings Good, Dainty Gift Handkerchiefs to You at Last Year's Prices. Buy Now—the Savings Are Extraordinary! Many in Dainty Gift Boxes.

Men's Handkerchiefs

MEN'S IMPORTED IRISH LINEN H'DK'CHIEFS, 6 for \$2.00

—With new long style initial—white or colored—6 in box.

MEN'S PLAIN WHITE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS SPECIAL 17c

—3 for 50c. Regular size with neat quarter-inch hems.

MEN'S PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS SPECIAL 20c

—Hemstitched hems. Regulation sized handkerchiefs—excellent quality.

MEN'S FINE QUALITY LINEN INITIALED KERCHIEFS, box of 6 \$1.50

—Good handkerchiefs with a new, long, block or pretty script initial. Exceptional quality.

MEN'S IMPORTED IRISH LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—INITIALED, 3 95c

—Fine linen handkerchiefs initialed in the special, long letter. Three in Christmas box—special for 95c.

Main Floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Women's and Children's Handkerchiefs

WOMEN'S PURE IRISH LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS SPECIAL AT 17c

—Very dainty Irish linen handkerchiefs with hand-drawn hems. Special at 17c.

LINWEAVE HANDKERCHIEFS DAINTLY EMBROIDERED, AT 15c

—A special price for the famous Linweave handkerchiefs, with pretty embroidered corners and hemstitched hems.

SHAMROCK LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS WITH EMBROIDERED CORNERS, AT 8c

—A special price for sheer Shamrock lawn handkerchiefs, with corners embroidered in white or colors.

WOMEN'S SHEER LAWN KERCHIEFS WITH TAPED BORDERS, SPECIAL AT 6c

—Dainty lawn handkerchiefs with hemstitched hems or taped borders.

PURE WHITE OR COLORED BORDER 5c

—Good, durable handkerchiefs in regulation size. Some are all white and others with colored borders.

HOLIDAY HANDKERCHIEFS IN \$1.00 FANCY GIFT BOX—3 FOR ONLY

—Pure linen handkerchiefs—some with colored embroidery in corners and all with hemstitched hems.

AND SCORES OF HANDKERCHIEFS NOT ADVERTISED

Sale of Women's Cotton PETTICOATS

Ever so many particular women are wearing these attractive cotton skirts, because they last so well. They make practical holiday gifts, too.

COTTON TAFFETA PETTICOATS \$1.00

—Fancy striped or black tops with fancy flounces. All have elastic waistbands and deep flounces.

COTTON TAFFETA PETTICOATS \$1.35

—Black cotton taffeta tops with Fifth avenue flounces; in flowered and striped designs; the flounces are corded and finished with narrow ruffles; plain colors, too; all with elastic tops.

FIFTH AVENUE TAFFETA PETTICOATS, \$1.79

—Fancy striped and fancy flowered petticoats of Fifth avenue taffeta; in pretty greens, purple, and blue; all have corded flounces and elastic waistbands; in lengths 34 to 40 inches.

Fourth Floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

PROBLEM HARD ONE

Status of Austrians in U. S. Army Is Questioned.

Leaders are in dilemma

Latest War Declaration Brings Embarrassing Complication for Heads of War and Navy Departments and Others.

N. C. WALL ELECTED MAYOR

Ridgefield Voters Manifest Little Interest in Election.

RIDGEFIELD, Wash., Dec. 5.—(Special.)—At the city election held here yesterday the following officers were elected: Mayor, N. C. Wall; Councilman for Central District, G. H. Mallock; Councilman for South District, John Anderson; Treasurer, Isaac Hughes.

Little interest was taken in the election and a light vote was polled.

Phoned your vote to the Oregonian, call, please 6924.

PRO-GERMAN PUNISHED

TEUTON IS COMPELLED TO KISS AMERICAN FLAG.

People of Colorado Town Resent Disloyal Talk—Offender Is Arrested.

DENVER, Dec. 5.—Violation of the espionage act was charged against Henry W. Deutch, who was roughly handled by a crowd at Hugo, Colo., last night, following alleged unpatriotic utterances, by Harry B. Tedrow, United States District Attorney today.

Tedrow, with other Federal officers, interrogated Deutch at length today soon after he arrived here in company with Gottlieb Kaiser and Al Fitch, Deutch is of Austrian birth, but is naturalized. Deutch was not tarred and feathered, as reported last night, the inquiry by Federal officers developed.

The account of last night's events, as told by the officers, was substantially as follows:

People in Hugo took umbrage at alleged remarks by Deutch and searched him out in an apartment-house. A rope was placed about his neck and he was taken to a railroad trestle near there. The rope was tightened and Deutch was made to kneel and kiss the American flag. He declared if he ever had said anything against the interests of the United States he didn't mean it. A dark coat, bearing on the back the words "On to Berlin," was placed on Deutch and he was marched down the main street to the jail. The

put, released him, that he might be brought to Denver by Kaiser and Fitch.

Portland Man Buys Ranch. RIDGEFIELD, Wash., Dec. 5.—(Special.)—George Morris, who lives near

Sara, has sold his 75-acre ranch to O. M. Crouch, of Portland. Mr. Crouch will take possession at once. Mr. Morris will leave soon for Eckkita County, where he has purchased wheat land.

An Established Selling Organization—for Hire

C. J. Van Houten & Zoon—the largest makers of Cocoa in the world, with branches in Chicago and New York and a selling organization covering the entire United States—find it impossible, owing to conditions in Europe, to import their product, and in order to maintain their existing sales and office organizations, they desire to handle the entire marketing of several high-grade specialty products of merit which can be sold to the grocery, drug and confectionery trade.

They have thousands of current customers in the lines mentioned throughout the United States; can employ their own capital in the exploitation work, and make permanent any present arrangement even after conditions become normal.

In answering give fullest particulars, which will be treated in strict confidence. Address all replies to

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140 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill.

MORE PORK NEEDED

American Farmers Urged to Increase Hog Production.

SERIOUS SHORTAGE FEARED

Department of Agriculture Pleads for Heavier Output in 1918. Remunerative Prices for Product Assured.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Fifteen per cent increase in the production of pork in 1918 will be required for domestic consumption and export to the allies, the Department of Agriculture today announced, in urging every farmer to do his share toward remedying the shortage of pork products.

"If the farmer-breeder of the various states do not reach the quotas set for them," says the Department, "a more acute shortage of pork products will result than now prevails, extremely high prices for hams, bacon and lard will prevail, and only a few will benefit, the consumer suffering from extremely high prices and a shortage of necessary animal fats. On the other hand, if the program is carried out, a market is provided for about one-third of the 1917 corn crop, the demands of the country for pork products can be met without strain, prices to the producer will be remunerative and those paid by the consumer should be reasonable.

"The Food Administration already has announced that prices of hogs will be kept at a point which will assure remunerative returns to producers, so far as it has power to do so, through its purchases for the Government and for the allies.

"The duty of American farmers to themselves and to the Nation is clear. Livestock production, especially hog-raising, must be increased. It there should be a serious shortage of hogs in the country in 1918 there will be more corn on hand than the market can absorb. The very extensive campaign now in progress to replace as much wheat as possible with corn should be encouraged in every possible way."

\$10,000 SUIT IS STARTED

Molalla Farmer Defendant in Personal Injury Action.

OREGON CITY, Or., Dec. 5.—(Special.)—Mrs. Catherine Palmer, of Molalla, has brought a \$10,000 personal injury suit against C. F. Jackson, also of the Molalla country, in the local Circuit Court.

Mrs. Palmer alleges that while driving from her home to Molalla in October the defendant negligently drove his automobile into her carriage. She alleges she suffered three broken ribs, a crushed hip and received permanent injuries.

HIGHWAY BEING REPAIRED

River Road, Vancouver to Camas, Is Badly Cut Up.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 5.—(Special.)—The river road between Vancouver and Camas, one of the heaviest

traveled highways in the county, is undergoing repairs, which were greatly expedited by commencing at the end of the pavement in Vancouver a road roller and scarifier has been placed at work and the macadam through the Vancouver Barracks military reservation is being torn up and regraded. The entire 14 miles of road is full of chasms and the heavy traffic over it, is hard to keep in repair.

ARTILLERY SEEKS MEN

Recruiting Party Going to Hood River Saturday.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 5.—(Special.)—The company's commanding officer, Captain George R. Wilbur, has written to Hood River friends that a recruiting party will spend Saturday and Monday here in an effort to secure 12 new men to bring the 12th Company, Oregon Coast Artillery, stationed at Fort Canby, Wash., to the strength of 100. Indications point to a Hood River Christmas void of young men. Men who have recently enlisted as who will go today to Portland to take examinations are Edgar Franz, Willard Young, William Dehman, Paul Blowers, Hubert Hasbrouck, Carl and Paul Mohr, Edwin Eberly, Eric Gordon, Albert and Hebert Krussow.

SUPPOSED CONVICT TAKEN

Man Believed to Be John Henion, Murderer's Companion, Arrested.

A man believed to be John Henion, who sawed the bars of the Modesto, Cal., County Jail and escaped three weeks ago with Maurice Goff, under sentence for murder, is under detention at the County Jail awaiting the arrival of the Sheriff from Modesto to identify him. Henion was arrested at the Postoffice when he went to inquire for mail.

Goff, who is also being sought, shot and killed Earl J. Freley, a bank clerk at Keyes, Stanislaus County, Cal., June 20 last, during a bank robbery. He was convicted of first-degree murder and was awaiting removal to the State Prison when he made his escape from the Modesto jail.

LEWIS FARMERS ORGANIZE

Local Unit of State Protective League Headed by J. C. Bush.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Dec. 5.—(Special.)—A county unit of the Farmers' Protective League of Washington was organized here yesterday for Lewis County. The following officers were chosen: President, J. C. Bush; vice-president, V. L. Bevington; secretary-treasurer, F. M. Svinth.

It is proposed to appoint an advisory board of nine and the work of organizing the county will be taken up at once. Donald McInnis, state president, and E. E. Vruet, a well-known farmer of Grays Harbor County, addressed the meeting.

Cropped Potato Tops Poor. Indianapolis News.

Attempts at removing the green tops of potatoes on the assumption that they detract from tuber development have proved it a poor plan. In the majority of cases where records were kept the topped potatoes produced the poorest tuber crop weight, though in some instances the potatoes were larger.

Be patriotic, buy Holsum Liberty Bread. It is the new bread, composed partly of oat meal. It saves wheat, but is more nutritious.—Adv.

A butcher of Bath, England, was fined \$16. He sold a profit of \$1 sheep which the meat order required him to slaughter.