

Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

**PRACTICAL GIFTS
ON SALE TOMORROW**

One Thousand Dress Patterns
\$5.50 to \$12.50 each

Both in black and colors. Only the very best and most serviceable and up-to-date fabrics. All the newest weaves and shades. A present that every lady will appreciate.

Two Hundred Silk Waist Patterns
\$3.50 to \$7.50 each

Embracing all the most stylish fancy silk fabrics in the newest colorings. A most desirable gift.

Three Great Bargains in Ladies' Waists

Ladies' Waists of fine French flannel, in red, black and lavender, made with tucked front and back lined throughout, regular price \$4.25, special \$3.45

Ladies' Waists of fine French flannel, front and back of narrow tucking and piped with taffeta silk. In tan, rose, helle, pink and cream. Regular price \$5.00, special \$3.75

Ladies' Waists of best quality French flannel in all the newest pastel shades, with fancy silk embroidered fronts; also in taffeta trimmed sailor collar styles, regular price \$7.50, special \$4.35

Cloak Room Xmas Sale

Taffeta Silk Petticoats, red, pink, blue, cerise, turquoise and green, made with double crinkle ruffles. Regular price, \$12 and \$12.50; Special \$6.75

20 dozen fine all-wool eiderdown dressing sarques; pink, light blue, lavender and red. Silk applique and fancy trimmed effects. Regular prices, \$3.50 and \$4; Special \$2.08

THE BEST
that is made and at the lowest possible prices.

For Baby's Xmas

Infants' long and short dresses daintily trimmed with fine embroidery and cluster tucking. Prices 98c to \$6.49.

Infants' long and short coats trimmed with ribbon and silk cord, prices \$1.75 to \$8.50.

Infants' silk and worsted caps, prices 50c to \$2.50.

Infants' rattles, booties, bibs, feeders, sashes, shawls and wrappers at prices within the reach of all.

THE LIPMAN-WOLFE ASSORTMENT

Pictures, Xmas Calendars, Dolls, Stationery, Ladies' Watches, Men's Watches, Children's Watches, Games, Opera Glasses, Leather Goods, Atomizers, Celluloid Sets, Umbrellas, Manicure Sets, Gloves, Mirrors, Silk Dressing Gowns, Sterling Silver Watches, Dress Patterns in Silk and Wool, Silk Eiderdown Comforts, Ladies' Fine Neckwear, Tortoise Shell Combs.

MEN'S GOODS

Neckwear, Suits, Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes, Underwear, Hosiery, Fountain Pens.

IN JEWELRY STORE

Fine Pottery from Paris Exposition, Finest Cut Glass, Watches and Diamonds, Old Dutch Silver, Bohemian Glass, Clocks, Sterling Silver Novelties.

All at most attractive prices

**SALE OF DOLLS
SALE OF GAMES**

LEATHER GOODS

The latest fad in chain purses, oxidized and bright silver finish, with gate tops and clasps. Special at 45c.

Gold and silver burnished chatelaine side-bags, in new chain designs; will not tarnish or discolor. \$1.25, \$1.75, \$1.90 and \$3.50.

Silk beaded side-bags, with beautifully oxidized frames. \$3.90 and \$4.50.

Genuine seal and alligator combination pocket-books, with beautiful engraved silver mountings, \$1.25.

Real Alligator Purses, gold burnished frames \$1.50

Genuine Seal and Alligator Purses, with inside pockets, fine nickel frames \$2.50

Real Alligator Side-bags, with gold burnished chains and frames \$2.50

New style Shopping Bags, in fine grain leather, all the new shades, with chains \$1.50

Combination Pocketbooks in seal and alligator, with gold burnished sterling mountings \$3.95

Two New Mt. Hoods

We show TWO NEW copyrighted Mount Hood Pictures, our own, mounted on burnt wood board mats; also two excellent views of Portland; price \$1.75

INDIAN BANNERS

The hit of the season in Indian Novelties; pretty, neat gifts \$1.50

Trefousse Kid Gloves

The finest and best that money can buy. All sizes. All shades.

Meier & Frank Co. Meier & Frank Co. Meier & Frank Co. Meier & Frank Co.

The Eleventh Hour Shoppers will be Well Taken Care of Here Tomorrow.
We Promise you that All Christmas Wares will be Delivered Promptly.

The Day Before Christmas

Final Christmas shopping must be done tomorrow. Store opens at 8 o'clock in the morning and will remain open until all your wants are supplied. Christmas wares will be delivered promptly. We are bound that no one shall be disappointed on our account. Assortments remain good in spite of wonderful selling. Prices are reasonable, and there's the fairest and most liberal of store management. Gift giving time is rapidly approaching and there are many remembrances yet to be selected. We'll help you.

Handkerchiefs



If all our Christmas gifts were as practical and sensible as handkerchiefs, Christmas would be a source of even greater pleasure than it is. Our assortments are the best ever placed at your command, and the selling, well—we never sold so many.

Swiss embroidered handkerchiefs All-linen handkerchiefs Real lace handkerchiefs Handkerchiefs in boxes, great variety Prices to suit every purse.

Toy Land

Assortments of toys and games remain in good condition. We bought liberally that you might have good variety to choose from at the eleventh hour.

Wagons of all kinds—Hook and ladders, Police patrol, Express wagons, Sulkies.

Iron and wooden toys in immense variety. Air guns, drums, etc., etc.

== DOLLS ==

The largest stock in the city and considerably lower priced than other stores.

Fancy baskets of all kinds. (Third Floor.)

For Men

Busier than ever, this men's store—you want to trade in a busy place. It's evidence that there is something worth your while to note.

Men's Suspenders in immense variety, handsome sterling buckles, 98c up to \$5 pair.

Engraving done free. Men's Silk Hose, \$1.50 to \$2.50 pair.

Men's Neckwear, 50c to \$3.

Smoking Jackets Lounging Robes Night Shirts Umbrellas Canes, Etc., Etc.

Basement Store

Gifts ornamental, gifts useful—both here—in the basement. Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, rich Cut Glass, fine Dresden and Haviland Ware, Solid Silver, Lamps, etc.



Lamps In great variety, every size and pretty style for all purposes, 95c to \$15.

Cut Glass In all the new cuttings. Best stock in the city to choose from.

Chafing Dishes, \$3.75 to \$18. 5-O'clock Teas, \$1.65 to \$8. Pudding Dishes, \$4.50 to \$9. Silver-Plated Tea Sets, \$6.75 to \$38. Candelabras, \$4 to \$8.50.

Bowls, 35c to \$10. Nappies, \$1.85 to \$6.75. Celery Trays, \$5 to \$8. Sugars and Creamers, \$5.50 to \$12. Vases, \$3 to \$10. Fruit Dishes, \$6 to \$17. Butter Dishes, \$1.50 to \$4.

Fancy China, Glassware, Punch Bowls, and Brio-a-Brac of all kinds. (Basement.)

\$3 Storm Shoes \$2.35



Ladies' Storm Shoes, high-cut, box calf, vici kid or oxblood, all sizes. A pair would be appreciated for a holiday gift. The regular \$3 values for tomorrow at

\$2.35

Slippers

Men's, Boys' and Youths' Velvet Embroidered Slippers, all sizes, special 63c

Bannister's Famous Slippers, in all the best leathers and styles, \$2.50 to \$4

Hosiery

Ladies' Silk Hosiery. The newest creations—black, white, and all the leading shades, \$1.75 to \$4.50 pr

"Perrins" Gloves for ladies. All the new shades, all sizes. We are Portland agents. \$1.50 to \$2.50 pr

Umbrellas

The finest showing of rich novelty umbrellas that it has ever been your pleasure to choose from. Pearl handles, natural handles, horn handles, sterling trimmed or plain, \$1.69 to \$15

Traveling Bags and Suit Cases, best styles. Makes a splendid gift for a man. (3d floor.)

Pictures Reduced

All our Medallions and Framed Pictures at greatly reduced prices. There's a great variety of the best subjects, all sizes. An opportunity to buy an acceptable holiday gift at a great saving. (Third Floor.)

Store Directory

Main Floor

Handkerchiefs, Calendars, Ladies' Goods, Men's Ties, Children's Books, Suspenders, Perfumes, Solid Silver, Water Sets, Brio-a-Brac, Fancy China, Smoking Jackets, Dressing Sacks, Boys' Clothing, Pillows, Toys, Sofa Pillows, Curtains, Games

Basement

Cut Glass, Lamps, Plated Silver, Carving Sets, Dinner Sets, Chafing Dishes, 5 o'clock Teas, Groceries, etc.

Second Floor

Lounging Robes, Silk Petticoats, Silk Waists, Jacket, Art Goods, Aprons, Fans, Etc., etc.

Third Floor

Dolls, Statuary, Rugs, Sulf Cases, Pictures, Trunks.

MEIER & FRANK COMPANY

EAST SIDE AFFAIRS.

Inspection of Grand Army Posts Completed—News Notes.

J. B. Hartness, department inspector of G. A. R. posts, concluded the work of inspecting the posts of the city last evening at Summer Post. He says he finds the city posts generally in a flourishing condition. Membership has increased, and more are in good standing than at the close of former years. The city posts are enterprising, he says, and a fraternal spirit is being promoted through campfires, public gatherings and discussions of live topics.

East Side Notes.

Mrs. J. B. Hutchinson and daughter, who have been visiting at Altona, Pa., will be at home December 31.

A large case of oysters was stolen from the front of the meat market of Gellinsky & Sons, Grand avenue and East Pine streets, last evening.

The many friends of Mrs. Webb, wife of A. T. Webb, will be glad to hear that she has about recovered from her long illness. She has been at their country home, near Terry, on the Base Line road, for some time.

The funeral of Mrs. Ruth Conser, wife of Conductor W. S. Conser, will take place this afternoon from the Westminster Presbyterian Church. Her daughter, Mrs. Lillian G. Gault, of Moscow, Idaho, came yesterday.

The Woodstock Postoffice will be a money order office after the first of the year. Postmistress Collins filed the necessary bonds with the department, which were accepted, and she has on hand the necessary supply of blanks for making out money orders.

The City & Suburban Railway Company has kept a force of men at work on the Mount Tabor branch, east of Sunnyside, for several weeks, taking up the light and putting down 60-pound rails. That branch will be provided with these heavy rails through to the summit.

fly reported him better yesterday, but not able to return to his home on Williams avenue. If his improvement continues, he may be able to go home the last of the week.

The residents of Woodstock gave a social Friday evening at the public hall to help out a neighbor who was injured several years ago by an accident. A substantial sum was raised for his benefit. The people of Woodstock never fail to respond liberally whenever a neighbor is in want.

The steamer Inland Flyer has been pulled out on the ways at Supple's boat-yard for a general overhauling. She has been purchased by Seattle men, and when repairs on her are finished she will be sent to the Sound. Machinery for the craft has been shipped from Seattle by her new owners, and will be here this week.

The switch from the Oregon City Railway to the crematory grounds, just north of Sellwood, is partly finished. Ties have been laid and the rails are on the ground. A machine for bending rails for the curve at the south end is on hand. The switch would have been finished but for the storm. It is understood work on the crematory buildings will be begun when the spur is finished. It is needed to get material to the site.

Xmas candies, McKinney's, The Tent, Grand avenue and East Morrison. Free mistletoe with every sale.

CROOK COUNTY PLACERS.

Good Opportunity for Prospectors East of Prineville.

The eastern portion of Crook County is coming to the front as an important mining center, according to J. S. Patterson, who is interested in the Eldorado quartz mine, on Lookout Mountain. Mr. Patterson, who was at the Perkins yesterday, said the Eldorado showed a solid ledge of quartz 50 feet thick, at a depth of 200 feet, and this mass of ore assays from \$2 50 to \$7 per ton in free gold. A stamp mill will be put up on the property next Summer, and arrangements will be made to run the mine night and day. The district lies east of Prineville some

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GEN. ARTHUR
CIGARS
IN HOLIDAY PACKAGES
AT ALL DEALERS**

30 miles, and is about 20 miles square in area, and the bedrock is neither basalt nor granite. A kind of decomposed quartz and limestone underlie a considerable portion of the region, which is a spur of the Blue Mountains. Quite a number of promising ledges were worked on in the vicinity last Summer, and there are good opportunities for energetic prospectors to make valuable strikes yet, as the district has been overlooked, while rushes were being made to less promising fields.

Piscer mining has been carried on successfully for years in the northern portion of the district, and a great deal of gold has been taken out with very little noise. If the locality were 300 miles away and hard to get at, Mr. Patterson thinks there would have been a good deal said about it, but it is too close to civilization.

He mentions one man, Bob Cannon, who last Summer took out \$20,000 in 18 days by a single process of ground sluicing, obtaining water from Birch Creek, a tributary of the John Day River. The gold was mostly coarse, very little attention being paid to the finer particles, Cannon being a stockraiser and not posted in the details of mining. "If this episode had occurred in Alaska," Mr. Patterson said, "the news would have been heralded far and wide by telegraph, but as it only happened within 70 miles of Shasta, the terminus of a railroad in Central Oregon, very little has been said about it. Cannon now has a system of pipes and a sluiceway monitor in position on the property, and will work it to better advantage next year. The bank is shallow and the distance to bedrock is not more than three or four feet, so that a proper system of giants will uncover a great deal of surface in a season.

A Cape Times correspondent has interviewed Mrs. Dewet, wife of the Boer General. She said: "You Englishmen will never catch my husband. He is going to win back for the Free-States what they have lost. He has enough food and ammunition to last for three years, and that is just how long the war is going to last."

Christmas but a Day Away

The great holiday trade that has swept through this popular store during the past week has been enormous. Still our assortment of Christmas goods remains unbroken. You will find variety and value in the many articles suggestive of suitable Christmas presents.



SMOKING JACKETS.....

In spite of the great number that have been sold there still remains a choice showing of elegant garments. A house coat is an always suitable, always pleasing present, and we guarantee our prices to be lower than you'll find at any other store in Portland.

Fancy Chevot Mixtures, with corded edges, at \$4.00.
Fancy Golf effects, in Chevot, with corded edges and pockets, \$4.50.
Two side Golf effects, plain on one side and plaid insides, corded edges and pockets, \$5.00 to \$7.50.

STORE OPEN TOMORROW EVENING

..Holiday Neckwear..
We always make a special effort on 50c neckwear. Placing large orders with leading tie makers gives us better values than the average. Our 50c line for the holidays is in all the newest fancy silks in all the latest shapes. Special line of imported silks at \$1.

**SILK SUSPENDERS
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS
BATH ROBES PAJAMAS
NIGHT ROBES UMBRELLAS
SUIT CASES
CUFF BUTTONS STUDS
SCARF PINS
HATS AND CAPS**

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