SWID BILM

On Thursday Morning Next, January 2, 1902, We Will Commence Our

24th-Annual Clearance Sale-24th

It will be conducted on the same broad-gauge plans that have made our twenty-three former annual clearance sales so popular with the people of Portland, and will continue as usual for 30 business days. Our annual clearance sales held at the beginning of each year are monuments to our good storekeeping methods. They are the outcome of our determination to close out to the utmost our immense stocks before the flood of Spring goods begins to pour in upon us. Only severe price-reductions will do this quickly.

WE WILL NOT MINCE MATTERS OR DO THEM BY HALVES AND MAKE

Big Price-Reductions on Our Entire Stocks

Of high-class, progressive merchandise, excepting only a few lines the prices of which are made by the manufacturers. All good things have imitations. Our annual clearance sales are not excepted. We originated these sales in Portland, and while clearance sales are now held on all sides, we alone conduct them in the original, thorough manner. Our annual clearance sales are looked forward to by the people of the Northwest as the greatest bargain-event of the year.

A SPECIAL FEATURE OF AND INCLUDED WITH THIS SALE, IS OUR MAMMOTH STOCK OF

Ladies' and Children's Muslin Underwear.....

For years we have made a great specialty of this branch of our business. We have firmly held to the highest standard of quality of make and size. Every garment is strictly "sanitary made," in state-inspected factories. No sweat shop underwear is allowed entrance to our stocks. Our muslin underwear represents the best efforts of skilled American women, aided by the most modern machinery and methods yet invented.

All At Our Reduced Clearance Prices

of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Byrd. Boyd Richardson, of Winlock, spent Christmas visiting his par-

hardt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alder-

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eldridge, of Vancouver, Wash., spent a few days this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Werner Breyman, in this city.

Albert M. Grilley, formerly of this city, but now physical director of the Davenport, Ia., Y. M. C. A., is in the city, and spend the holidays visiting his parents at Silverton,

Miss Anna Burton and Mr. W. F. Van Buren were married in this city on Christ-mas day, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Lucretia Burton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ronald Mc-Killop, of the First Baptist Church. On Wednesday, December 25, 1901, at the

home of Judge and Mrs. F. A. Moore, in this city, Frank J. Moore and Miss Neille Kline were joined in wedlock. The ceremony, performed by Rev. H. A. Ketchum, of the Presbyterian Church, was wit-nessed by only the relatives of the contracting parties. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kline, of Sliverton. The groom is a son of Justice and Mrs. F. A. Moore. The newly married couple will reside in Salem.

McMinnville.

Miss Mattie Patty is visiting Portland Mrs. M. B. Hendrick spent the weel with Monmouth friends. Mr. Charles Redmond, of Eugene,

home to spend the holidays. Harry Woodrum is home from Mount Angel College for the holidays.

Dr. Ed Schenk, of Ilwaco, Wash., in the city on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Martin are visit-ing relatives at Hillsboro and Canby. Miss Pearl Chandler is spending the

holidays with relatives at Forest Grove. J. E. Magers, of Portland, visited friends here a few days the fort part of the week Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller visited Portland relatives and friends this week Mrs. W. G. Henderson left Friday for Spokane to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ester-

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Penton spent the

Miss Hallie Reynolds went to Dallas Tuesday to visit her parents during the Professor Alderman and family are

spending the holidays with Mrs. Alder-man's parents in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Westphal, of Wash., are in the city, the

guests of J. M. Pugh and family. One of the most pleasant dancing parties of the season was given in Campbell's Hall Wednesday evening, about 30 couples The hall was tastefully decorated with evergreen and mistletoe. Misses Marie Irwine and Letha Henry presided at the punch booth. This wa one of the most pleasant features of the

The Dalles.

Dr. Tacle Beal went to Portland Thursday for a few days' visit.

Miss Pitman, of Portland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Liebe, in this city. Miss Martha Whealdon, who is attending school at Monmouth, is home for the holidays.

Mrs. Lena Scott, of Corvallis, is visit-ing her daughter, Miss Grace Scott, in this city.

Christmas in Portland, the guests of Mrs. Cards are out for the wedding of H. D.

Miss Maud Burke, of Independence, is

pending the holidays in this city, with er aunt, Mrs. J. W. French. Mrs. J. B. Huntington, who has been patient at St. Vincent's Hospital in Portand for the past month, has returned

home much improved in health.

Miss Georgia Sampson, who has spent
the past six months at Almota, Wash, is
spending the holidays with her mother,
Mrs. J. C. Crandall, in this city. She expects to return to Almota in a fort-

Oregon City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. McCord returned last Sunday morning from Manila. Miss Dilpha Galloway returned Christ-

Fred J. Ziegler, captain of the University of Oregon football team, was the guest of Oregon City friends on Friday. Field Superintendent J. Nelson Wisner, of the United States Fish Com

spent Christmas with friends in Oregon Professor W. P. Mathews, principal of

the public schools at Wilbur, Wash., is spending the holidays with friends in this Resident Director N. P. Lang, of the Williamette Pulp & Paper Company, is spending the holidays with his family in

San Francisco. Colonel and Mrs. Robert A. Miller, of Gladstone, and Mrs. George Peebles,

Weston, are spending the week with rela-Mr. and Mrs. James Rintoul, of Seattle, and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. DeParcq, of Salem, are spending the holidays with Judge and

Mrs. T. F. Cowing. Mrs. N. J. Beatle and her daughters Misses Laura E. and Jennie B. Beatie, of Pendleton, are spending the holidays with relatives in this city.

Mortimer and Howard Latourette, Chas. and Fred Warner, Rea Norris, A. and H. Paddock, Miss Bessle Kelly and William Hammond, are home from Eugene for their Christmas vacation,

Albert M. Grilley, formerly physical director of the Y. M. C. A., in this city, and at present occupying that position in the Davenport, Ia., association, was in the city Thursday. This is his first visit here since he went East, about 30 months ago. The marriage of Miss Charlotte May Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Andrews, to Chester Allen Muir, was solemnized Christmas night in the Presby-terian Church, Rev. A. J. Montgomery of-ficiating. Over 200 invited guests witnessed the ceremony. The bridesmaid was Miss Lizzie Gilbert, and George Califf, Jr., was best man. Miss Margaret Williams presided at the organ. The ushers were Owen Thomas and Theodore Weed. After the ceremony, the wedding party was driven to Maplewood Farm, where a Christmas dinner was served. Mr. Mui is the junior member of the firm of Muir Bros., and has a host of friends in this

Baker City.

Miss Bell Keilogg entertained the Crokinole Club Thursday evening. Mrs. Bodinson did the honors as hostes of the Ladies' Sewing Club Thursday. The members of the Galaxy Whis Players were entertained Thursday by Miss Myrtie Perkins.

A play entitled "Henry Dunbar" was produced by home talent of South Baker last Saturday evening to a large and ap-

Mrs. Charles Sage entertained a few friends at dinner Christmas day, and the little daughter. Mildred, kept open

Miss Caroline Ketchum returned Thursday to Portland after a Christmas visit at her home near this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fairfowl, of Portland, spent Christmas in this city, the guests of Mrs. J. S. Schenck.

Ing her many gifts.

The Columbia Whist Club, which met at the home of Miss Bulah Bowman, departed from the usual diversion of cards and substituted crokinole. Miss Adah Cleaver and Ned Parker proved most expert, and were awarded the first prizes.

Hartman.

Mrs. Arthur L. Knight has gone to Yakima to pass the holidays with her mother. Mrs. M. A. Murchie.

Robert Potwine is visiting his brother and father, Rev. W. E. Potwine, and N. W. Potwine, in this city.

The pretty home of Mrs. Oakes was the scene of a gay assemblage of the youth and beauty of Baker Wednesday evening. The occreton was an entertainment given in honor of Miss Hazel Cole, who leaves in a few days for Berkeley, Cal., making that place her future home. The three charming hostesses were Misses Teresa Adler, Bessie Oakes and Leja McKinnon. The parious were decked in holiday attire, and there was a dainty souvenir for each guest. An elaborate luncheon was served. The guests were: The Misses Lois Wisdom, Bertha Strauss, Ella Moulton, Bell Kellog, Jennie Weller, Katie Young, Sarah Reid, May Brown, Carmen Stoddard, Myrtle Bratton, Helena Watermann Lavine Butze, Bertie McDanials and Madge Robinson; Messrs. Cariton Bamberger, Sanford Heilner, Frank Mitchell, Herbert Chandler, Guernsy French, Henry Dule, Young, Goodwin, Mitchell, Kennedy,

Prescott, Tice, Donelly, Reeves, Butze, Biswell, Robinson and Wisdom. Albany.

Mrs. Love, of Portland, is visiting Mrs. R. B. Montague is disting friends nd relatives in Salem. Harry Day and family, of Portland, are

siting friends in this city. Bert Brown, of Portland, is spending the holidays with Albany friends.

A. W. Stellmacher, of Portland is visiting friends and relatives in the city. Mr. P. Bither, has returned from a several weeks' visit in the Eastern States. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Titus, of Eugene,

are visiting at the home of John O'Brien, Miss Evelyn Belchee left this sweek for several weeks' visit in Woodlawn, Cal, Miss Etta Wrenn, of The Dailes is visat the home of her sister, Mrs. A.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Klum, of Sodaville, are visiting at the home of their on, H. G. Klum. Mrs. Peter Rich, of Tacoma, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Froman.

Mrs. Lucy Hayes, of Portland, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Westfall. Dr. Joseph Steenberg, of Portland, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sternberg.

Senator C. L. Stewart, of Puyallup, Wash., has been visiting Albany friends for several days this week. Mrs. Dr. Hendrix has returned to her home in Harrisburg, after a several days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Da-

Mr. and Mrs. J. Benson Starr, of Portland, are in the city, the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H.

E, P. Dodd has gone to Boise to visit Miss Julia Hart, of Heppner, is a guest

of Miss Ida Potwine Miss Bess Switzler is home from visiting friends in Bortland. Miss Jessie Hartman is home from St.

Helen's Hall for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Conkling are spending the holidays with relatives at Union. Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Wamsley spent Christmas with relatives in Walla Walla, Allen Slusher, who is a student at the University of Oregon, is home for the olidaya.

Will P. Sturgis is home from the University of California, where he is taking Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hartman ar ing the holidays at the home of Mr. Hart-

to the little folks during the day, display- man's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. ing her many gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Clopton enter-tained Miss M. C. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Judd, at dinner Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roosevelt spent Christmas in Walla Walla with Mrs. Roosevelt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Robinson gave a dinner party at their new home on Jack-son street, on Christmas day. The fol-lowing were guests: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Johnson, Mrs. Susan Welch, Hon. George W. Webb and James B. Welch.

Ernest Redd left Saturday for a visit with his parents at Carlton.

Miss Mayme Cauthorn left Thursday for a visit with Portland friends Miss Ellen Chamberlin left Friday to visit relatives and friends in Scattle, Miss Helen Crawford is spending her Christmas vacation with Albany relatives. Miss Edith Rowell, of Albany, was the guest of Miss Bertha Thrusher, last week. Raymond Lafferty arrived Friday from California to spend the holidays with his

parents. Miss Maud Burton, of Alpha Hall, is visiting her parents at Forest Grove dur-Miss Mary Nolan came home from St.

Mary's Academy, Portland, to spend Christmas with her parents. Roy G. Durham, of Portland, and Rockey E. Mason, of Albany, attended the hop at the Oregon Agricultural College Ar-mory Friday evening.

A reception was given by Miss Pauline Kline, Friday evening, from 8 to 11, at her home, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Eder, of New York. It was an espe-cially enjoyable affair. The pleasure of the guests was greatly added to by the excellent music furnished by Ruthyn Turney, Mordaunt and Miss Mabel Cro-

nise. The rooms were decorated with mistletoe, save in the dining-room, where the prevailing adornments were smilax and carnations. Miss Kline was assisted Kline and Mrs. Selling. In an alcove in the back parlor, punch was served by Mrs. J. F. Fulton, and the dining-room was presided over by Miss Snell and Mrs. Beach, assisted by Miss Carrie Sanneman and Miss Emma Crawford.

Miss Lottle Pracht has returned from Mr. and Mrs. George Crowson left for San Francisco Thursday. Edward Giltner, of Salem, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. D. F. Fox.

The Misses Florence and Ruth Treffren are visiting in San Francisco, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Herndon have returned from a trip to Old Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sherwin have gone

to San Francisco for a short visit. Professor and Mrs. William Clayton are Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thoman and Miss

visit with her daughter, Mrs. Williamson, at Albany. Mrs. John Turner, of Dunsmuir, is

spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. A. P. Hammond. F. W. Sheffield has gone to Chicago for a short trip. On his return Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield will go to Florida for the Winter Mr. and Mrs. H. Judge and their daughters, Misses Anna and Laura, left for

Lipman Wolfer Co.

THURSDAY, JAN. 2 OF THURSDAY, JAN. 2

GREATSALE

_ Will Commence -

THURSDAY, JAN. 2, 1902

Every Article in Our Great Stock of

First-Class, Desirable Merchandise

Will be REDUCED IN PRICE. The many thousand articles are now being marked down. To faithfully and thoroughly handle our entire stock so that not even a single item shall escape price-reduction requires time. By Thursday, January 2, we will be fully prepared to inaugurate a most tremendous, genuine, Clearance Sale.

TOMORROW @ @

Continuation of the -

Greatest Selling of

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

EUER KNOWN IN PORTLAND

Trust the women of Portland for truest discrimination in the quality and tastefulness of garments. No price-temptation can make them sacrifice the standard of beauty and comfort which they require. It was not the very cheap goods that made the success of this sale.

It is the better goods—the fine and handsome garments that are sold as cheaply in proportion as the 22c Corset Covers.

That is the vital point-best goods at lowest prices that secured full and strong-the result of our masterful efforts in the selling of Muslin Un-