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# THE FAMOUS "TOLLMAN" PANORAMA OF PORTLAND

The original full size "Tollman's" Panorama of Portland is displayed in one of our Third-street windows. It measures 142x18 inches. Exact reproductions of this Panorama 9x42 inches, are on sale at 10c each. Postal Card reproductions, multicolored, are on sale at 5c. Collectors of Souvenir Postal Cards in all parts of the United States are writing for these Postal Cards as they are already famous on account of their unusual beauty and fine workmanship.

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## Challies for Spring 1903

Challies made by Koechlin Freres-Imported novelties, made of the finest wool and in the most exquisite 

Also 3000 yards of silk stripe Challies, printed designs and solid colors .....

## Spring 1903 Novelty Dress Goods

Black and white checks, 44 to 50 inches wide, \$2, \$1.65, \$1.50, \$1.25.....\$1.00 Mixed Tweed Sultings, 46 to 56 in-

ches wide, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25.... \$1.00

Silk and wool Poplin de Chines, 15 

New all-wool Crepe Egyptas, 40 to 46 Inches, \$1.00, 75c,

New weaves In Cream Wool Fabrics, 38 to 56 Inches, from \$3 down to ......50c

## Newest **Wool Waistings**

All the new shades in granites and novelty weaves. Prices 50c, 65c, 75c, 90c.

#### Spring Silks

Direct from the leading silk mills. Famous "Crown" Taffetas, in 85c

Spot proof Black Taffeta Habutal \$1.25 Perspiration proof and waterproof Black India Silks, \$1.35

down to ..... New White Waisting Sliks

New White and Cream Figured Taffetas .....

**New Hemstltched Waist** 60c silks ..... Novelty White Silks, \$1.25, \$1.50.

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Many novelties can be procured now that it will be impossible to obtain later on. Here are some of the most eagerly sought after:

White Damask Waisting ..... 50c, 65c White Satin Foulard ...... 50c White Oxford Colored Stripes ... 50c Embroidered Madras ..... 28c figures, stripes; all colors. 25c

Imported Dimity, in flowers,

# Additional Novelties in

Hand-embroidered Shirtwalsts-Mex-Ican Drawnwork Shirtwalsts

\$8, \$10, \$12, \$15

Spring Tailor-made Sults in the new Russian Tab-front effects.

#### White Shirtwaist Linens

Pure Linen Etamines and Linens, suitable for embroidering for embroidered shirtwaists. Prices 65c.

#### Beautiful New Linens

New and beautiful designs in Hemstitched Damask Napkins in 9-inch, 12-Inch, 15-Inch, 17-Inch, 20-Inch, 22-inch. Prices \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$6 per dozen.

New Hemstitched Damask Lunch Cloths In 8-4 and 8-4x10-4 sizes. Prices \$4, \$5 to \$7.

#### Lorgnette Chains

Just received by express from New York an Immense shipment of the latest Coral, Pearl, Amber, Turquoise and Black Lorgnette Chains and Necklaces, all the rage in the Eastern cities.

#### Hosiery 50c

Not 50c Hoslery as the term generally implies but a collection of new Lace Lisle and Embroidered Stripe Fast Black Hoslery, that is the most attractive and unusual kind of hosiery to find at 50c. You would consider 75c and 85c a fair price— 50c

#### Valentines

Charming Novelties—Quaint Conceits lc to \$5.00

Many original ideas in Valentines very moderately priced at

25c, 45c, 50c

THE "LIWO" IS THE BEST \$1.50 KID GLOVE IN THE WORLD.

#### New Embroideries

Beautiful dainty creations in Nainsook and Swiss, all widths, with allovers to match; unequaled in fine quality and dainty refined designs and workmanship.

CONTINUATION OF GREAT SALE OF PETTICOATS.

# ARE SECRET ALLIES

Germany and Italy Closely Bound Together

IN VENEZUELAN AFFAIRS

taly to Be Given Same Treatment as Germany and Britain-All Protocols to Be Identical-Facts of Bowen-Herbert Quarrel,

ezuela have brought to light a secret alliance between Germany and Italy, by which the latter is assured the same terms as the former.

The Ambassadors and Mr. Bowen are arranging the terms of the protocol The Hague. They will be identical. The correct story of the warm disensalon between Minister Bowen and sador Herbert came out yester-

WASHINGTON. Feb. 7 .- Disclosures of secret alliance between Germany and Italy constituted the most important development in the Venezuelan cituation tonight. This fact has been made known to the British Ambassador and it will put all of the negotiators more closely on their guard in the drafting of the protocole which they hope to submit to Minister Bowen during the next few days,

The German-Italian alliance was news to Mr. Bowen, the fact having leaked out in Caracas before he left there. Generally speaking, the alliance is intended to secure to Italy the same treatment in the allies' settlement with Venezuela as that received by Germany and Great Britain. Mr. Bowen has made it plain both to the British Ambaesador and to the German Minister that he canot affix his eignature to any protocols they may present to him which are not substantially of the same character as that to be submitted by the Italian Ambassador. All three of the first set of protocols to

be signed which will contain the conditions precedent to the raising of the blockade and the provisions for referring the question of preferential treatment to The Hague for decision, have been received at the Italian, British and German Embassies. Their contents are not known to Mr. Bowen, nor have the allies' reprecentatives been acquainted as yet with the details of each other's convention Several important conferencer have oc curred throughout the day at the British Embassy in an effort to reach an agreement upon the protocols.

Regarding reference to The Hague, Mr.

Bowen has informed the allies that he will not consent that one man be selected from the personnel of The Hague tribunal to this court shall consist of three and preferably of five members.

Several more or less sensational stories have been in circulation during the last few days, which have caused much annoyance to the British Ambassador and the other negotiators regarding the note Mr. Bowen addressed to the former on last Monday, proposing that the question of preferential treatment go to The Hague That these reports may be corrected, the negotiators are desirous that the facts be stated. On Tuesday, after the sending of his note to the British Ambassador, the latter called on Mr. Bowen and asked that he withdraw the entire note on the ground that it was not diplomatic in character, Mr. Bowen was compelled to refuse to grant his request. The Ambassador then taked that the sentence beginning: "On this side of the water we want peace and not alliances," be withdrawn. Again Mr. Bowen regretted that he could not grant the Ambassador's request. Finally the Ambassador represented that the latter part of the sentence regarding the con tinuance of the alliance of Great Britain and Germany and Italy would cause him embarrassment when submitted to the Italian Ambassador and the German Minister. Mr. Bowen replied that he would be only too glad to do anything that would further the negotiations and at once struck out the objectionable clause, which read as follows:

"And it will occasion great surprise and regret when it becomes known that Great" Britain has even proposed continuing her present alliance with Germany and Italy one moment longer than she must." With this one change, the note was finally transmitted by the British Ambas-

DEFENDS GERMAN ALLIANCE.

sador to the German and Italian Ambae

British Minister Attributes Opposition to Quarrel During Boer War. LONDON, Feb. 7 .- Lord Hamilton, th Indian Secretary, spoke at Bradford tonight. The Secretary was present at the Cabinet meeting this morning. In his speech he said he sincerely hoped that in the course of a very few hours the Venezuelan controversy will be concluded. Defending Great Britain's alliance with Germany, he said the German govern-ment throughout had behaved with per-

fect propriety and tact.
"The objections to this alliance with Germany," said the Indian Secretary, "are in part based upon the recollections of the insults launched against the British army by a certain section of the German press during the South African War, but the effect of Great Britain's action in Venezuela will be to inform the world that she is apt to resent insults."

OPINIONS OF LONDON PAPERS.

American Constitution Will Hampe Diplomacy-Question of Priority. NEW YORK, Feb. 7.-Referring to the arbitration of the Venezuelan difficulty, the Westminster Gazette says, according to the Tribune's London correspondent, it is a pity a serious quarrel between the two great friendly English-speaking powers cannot be amicably settled, and then

"If, as seems likely, the United States selves increasingly hampered by the pow-

er which the Constitution gives the Sen-

CAROL NORTON

PROMINENT CHRISTIAN SCIENCE WORKER.

day, has addressed between 40,000 and 50,000 people in 15 states since leaving New York, September 15, 1992. Mr. Norton is a lecturer at large for the United States

and Canada for a lectureship instituted by the mother church of the denomination

Downing street and apparently formed the and the view of the snow-clad peak ris

subject of exchanges of messages between Berlin, London and Rome, whence the representatives of these powers at Wash-stre to clamber over the mountain when

united front and prevent the recurrence of the publication of news of the nature the novel feature of the adventure. With

Hague court will give the allies at least from there they will travel as far on their some measure of different treatment in skis as possible up the side of the mountain. If the weather conditions are

ake aggressive steps to secure their al- wait at the Yocum ranch until it is safe

Beyond some comparatively slight de-ilberations over the wording of the pro-tocols no further trouble is expected here, where the raising of the blockade will be regarded with almost as much relief

Every member of the party is an ex-

them these ardent mountaineers expect

even say that they can easily work their

that the skis are the most useful, for all

that is required is a firm grasp of the pole, a clear head and the ability to bal

ance on the narrow skis while sliding down hill at a break-neck speed.

at least ten days. The party left Port-land on the Sandy River stage at 7

o'clock yesterday morning, and will start

ing. Yocum's ranch, at the snow line

will be reached in about four days, and

to make the ascent. They will be pre

perienced mountaineer. As they are well acquainted with the surface of Mount

Hood, they anticipate little trouble in

reach the summit, for sudden storms

might make them prisoners for days, and there is the constant danger of losing the

track during a blinding squall. Each man

carries a pair of web snowshoes in case the wooden skis should break. The

web shoes are not so useful in any way as the long exis, for even in the soft-est snow the broad webs will sink while the ten-foot skis will hardly make any

pression on the surface. Colonel Hawkins is the man who de

signed the skis with which the party is

the front to the back. This shape pre

vents them from acting as a wedge,

snow, and will make the pole more

would retard progress materially. ancing pole about nine feet long is a very

scending the mountain for a considerable

extremely unfavorable the

end of the stage line this morn

The trio does not expect to return for

ington were instructed to present a it wears its Winter coat.

The refusal of President Roosevelt to

against Venezuela is regretted, but as

cabled yesterday it was anticipated here.

Foreign Office to have recourse to The

Hague court of arbitration was founded

chiefly on the fear that between now and the rendering of the court's decision new

complications may arise and the decision to refer the matter to The Hague was

only arrived at as a last resort when the

negotiations threatened to drag on indefi-

The officials here are confident that The

orded to the other nations, who did not

Scattered Fishermen Return.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.-Two nights of cold

weather has put the ice on Saginaw Bay n good condition, and many of the shanty ishermen who were driven in all direc-

tions over the bay by the recent terrible

storm, are returning to their shacks, says a dispatch to the Record-Herald, from Bay City, Mich. The leader of a searching

party says that if any of the men died in the storm the fact will not be known until

Meteor Bursts Over New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Many persons in different parts of the city whose view was

mobstructed by high buildings, were star

tled last night by a meteor which burst into a flame immediately over their heads and sped swiftly toward the south. From

a point directly over the center of the city it sped south with marvelous speed, its first white light dimming away to a

Couldn't Agree on Damages

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Feb. 7.-The jury in the action for \$250,000 brought

by the four daughters of Alfred M. Perrin

disaster, failed to agree after I7 hours of deliberation, and was discharged. Eleven

jurors were said to favor a verdict for \$75,000, but the other juror stood out for

Senator Cannon Is Improving. SALT LAKE, City, Feb. 7 .- The condi-

ion of Former United States Senator

who was killed in the Park-av-

as it will be in Venezuela,

City, Mich.

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ne of only \$25,000.

Carol Norton, the Christian Science lecturer, who will speak in Portland to-

afe."

The Daily Telegraph says:

"If the question of preferential claims is referred to The Hague tribunal and a decision is given in favor of equality of treatment. England will accept the judgment with subdued delight, but the principle must be definitely and authoritatively included among the recognized rules of international law wherein at oresent of international law wherein at pre-it has no place known to jurists."

GLAD OF THE AGREEMENT.

ondon Sympathizes With Herbert's Ruffled Feelings-Fear of Delay. LONDON, Feb. 7.—The announcement from Washington that the Venezuelar

protocol is in the course of preparation, confirming the hopeful views of the sit-uation expressed here, has created great satisfaction. During the latter part of the week official circles here evinced quiet confidence that in spite of alarm ing reports a settlement was in sight.

There have been private expressions of intense irritation at Minister Bowen's alleged breach of etiquette, but these have never been allowed to interfere with the determination voiced by both the British and the German diplomats to secure a termination of the difficulty through any termination of the difficulty through any to climb Mount Hood, All of the party to climb Mount Hood, All of the party strictures found sympathetic support in have made the ascent during the Sun

#### TO CLIMB MT. HOOD

Colonel Hawkins Leads a Winter Expedition.

PARTY IS EQUIPPED WITH SKIS

W. Gorman and T. Brook White Are His Companions in the Daring Attempt to Make a Winter Ascent.

in the cold season instead of in the Summer is a question which every member of the "mountain goats" will ask himself if Colonel Hawkins and his companions declare that the only time to climb the

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declare that the only time to climb the mountain is during the Winter.

A few friends of Colonel Hawkins have suggested to the genial father of the City Museum that he would cut a peculiar figure on the long skis, but the Colonel scouts the idea, and says that skees are nothing new to him, and that he will lead the party. He points out that his weight will make him the fastest coaster of the party and any one who has unof the party, and any one who has un-dertaken to keep abreast of the Colonel on a bicycle can testify that his endur-ance should be equal to such a trip.

#### RELIEF FOR FINLAND.

Funds Sent From America Go to Pinnish Relief Committee.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 7.-The correspondent of the Associated Press re-turned yesterday from Helsingfors. He found the measures for the relief of Sie found the measures for the relief of six distress in Finland apparently well or-ganized. The distribution of funds is care-fully supervised. The Finnish national relief committee has received up to the present \$16,000 from American relief or-ganizations. General surprise and gratiganizations. General surprise and gratitude is expressed at the large contributions which the committee has received.
Other foreign countries have contributed
\$3000 and in Russia \$23,000 has been collected including \$14,000 from the RussiaRed Cross Society, of which the Dowager
Czarina is the protectress; \$2000 from the
Czar and \$1000 from the Czarewitch.
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The Finns were agreeably astonished at the fact that the imperial gifts and the Prussian contributions, through the official St. Petersburg committee agreed to by the Interior Minister, Von Plehwe, with Admiral Craemer as chairman, were by the Interior Minister, Von Pienwe, with Admiral Craemer as chairman, were sent to Finnish committees instead of to Governor-General Brobrickoff. The Governor, however, is receiving the funds collected by the Novoe Vremya.

All this is regarded as significant since General Brobrickoff in his official organ declared that Justice demanded that in the distribution of governmental funds.

declared that justice demanded that in the distribution of governmental funds, decided preference must be given to com-munities whose inhabitants obeyed the military service decree. The Finlanders re-gard this as tantamount to an admission that the money passing through General Brobrickoff's hands is used against the Finns' committee.

Brobrickoff's hands is used against the Finns' committee.

Owing to the demoralization caused by the money distribution at the time of the last famine the committee now restricts help, except in extreme cases, to the distribution of foodstuffs, seed and materials for cottage industries, as loans or in return for work. In some cases, on the advice of the agricultural experts who have been throughout the country, small loans of money for farm improvements are granted on the condition that if the improvements were actually made the committee will cancel 50 per cent of the debt if repaid by 1906.

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Needy school children are housed, clothed, boarded and instructed free. The committee's accounts are audited by the Bank of Finland and are regularly pub-Bank of Finland and are regularly published in the newspapers, separate from the provincial funds and the Senate appropriation, that share being used for building roads and canals for drainage

Taking Help From America. NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Among the passengers sailing today on the steamship Blucher, of the Hamburg-American line, is Dr. Louis Klopsch, who will visit the famine-stricken provinces of Finland, Lapland and Sweden, in the interest of the Christian Herald relief fund. A third remittance of \$10,000 has been cabled to the central relief committee at Heisingremittance of \$10,000 ras been caucated the central relief committee at Heisingfors, and \$5000 to the Swedish famine commission, Stockholm, for the relief of suffering Swedes, making a total of \$30,-

#### BIG TOBACCO DEAL.

Large Louisville Rehandling Plant Is Absorbed by Trust.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 7 .- The Courier-Journal this morning says: The enormous plant of W. S. Mathews & Sons, of this city, the largest rehandling tobacco establishment in the world, has been absorbed by the British-American Tobacco Company, the English adjunct to the American Tobacco Company. John V. Mathews, the head of the Mathews plant, will leave today for New York to complete the final details of the deal, which is the biggest of the kind for some time.

All the main terms have been agreed upon, the purchase price being in the neighborhood of \$2,000,000. powers shall receive preferential treat-ment in the settlement of their claims along with an occasional received against Venezuela is

For many years Mathews & Sons have done the bulk of rehandling, their bustness extending through many countries. Negotiations have been in progress for over a year between the firm here and the tobacco company which controls the the tobacco company which controls the British-American Company. It was only a few weeks ago, however, that the ne-gotiations which led directly to the present deal were begun.

The New Orleans rehandling plant, the largest under the control of the American Tobacco Company at the present time, will be transferred here and will be business of a similar nature also will be transferred to Louisville. The new own ers of the plant will incorporate, the capi tal stock being placed at about \$2,000,000.

Ancient Carvings Bring Good Price. NEW YORK, Feb. 7 .- The sale of ancient Japanese and Chinese temple and palace wood carvings at the Fifth-Avenue Art Galleries yesterday brought about \$9600. The highest price paid was \$560 for a lacquer ramma or panel, an elaborate carving of peonies in green, yellow and red. The piece dates to the early part of the 18th century, and for many years was in the library of the Prince of Nagoya. A chest six feet in height, of black lacquer, the front inlaid with mother-of-pearl and the interior a maze of red and golden sugi wood, natural color, date 1650, sold for \$315. Four temple doors, 150 years old, fretwork, finished in gold, sold for \$100. Two old wood carvings of Coreans, from Shinto Temple, for \$300. The old Guardian Saint, Jisc, date 1663, brought

Wyoming Cattle Dying of Disease. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 7.—State Vet-erinarian Seabury has returned from the

northern part of the state, where he has been battling with unknown diseases among cattle and glanders among horses. Near Alladin, in Crook County, 40 head necessary part of the equipment. With of cattle died of an unknown disease, which it is believed has been checked. In Big Horn County, Mr. Seabury killed a climbing a steep place, and on the down grade it is used as a balancing pole and also as a rudder. Colonel Hawkins has number of horses affected with glanders. Twice the officer had started home when added an improvement to the pole as he received telegrams announcing the appearance of the disease at other places than the ones visited, and he returned to

Ings Association, was today given judgment for \$100,000 against S. W. Devore, Edward D. Jiesel, N. A. Sprong, Henry W. Moyer and E. O. Edson, directors of the defunct association. The findings show that the money was fraudulently diverted from the redemption fund to the expense fund for the benefit of the diawaited by the many enthusiastic moun-tain climbers who form the Mazama or-ganization. Whether the beauties of a Frank J. Cannon, who was operated on ganization. Whether the beauties of a more time described by the first state of the description of the description of the description. Whether the beauties of a ganization. Whether the beauties of a show the description of the description of

used in Canada and Norway. On all three of the poles of the Mount Hood party is vooden disc five inches wide, fastened o one end of the pole. This, he says, will stamp out the contagion. be a great help in traveling over sof MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 7.—George P. Flannery, receiver of the Tontine Savfective as a drag in coasting on a down The three Portland men are probably the first to start on a skee expedition in Ore-gon and their success will be eagerly