

Handkerchiefs

Make good Christmas gifts. We have lots of Handkerchiefs; had them imported specially for us last summer. We have them at 25c each and for \$2.00 each and at about twenty prices between.

We have initial Handkerchiefs, all linen, at 25c and at 30c each. Embroidered Handkerchiefs by the hundred, 10c, 20c, 25c, 30c and a very fine embroidered, hemstitched Handkerchief at 50c. Handkerchiefs of sheer linen with lace trim at 60c; look like they would cost more. With better lace at \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 each.

Kid Gloves

Come to the front this time of year and we are ready for trade. We have nearly one hundred dozen of the new cheap gloves. We have them at \$1.00, at \$1.25 and at \$1.50 per pair. Almost any shade, any size. Then we have a better line at \$1.75 in colors and \$2.00 in black. They are all right.

S. E. Young & Son.

At the Bazaar.

For Christmas Fancy Work

Stamped Embroider Linens and the silks, hoops and thread.

Battenburg Work

the Patterns, Braids, Buttons and Thread.

Crochet and Knitting Yarns

Fancy Canvas, Down Cushions, New Cushion Cords, Pin Cushions.

A variety of ART CUSHION COVERS.

Handkerchief Linen and Laces

Plain linen hemstitched, embroidered and Battenburg and Renaissance lace, dollies and centerpieces ready made.

L. E. & H. J. HAMILTON.

Tin and Granite ware at OHLING & HULBERT'S.

WEDNESDAY.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr. Frimble is reported better this afternoon.

I. H. Van Winkle came up from Salem this noon.

Mr. J. L. Matlock, of Holley, was in the city today.

John Galbraith has returned home from Washington.

G. A. Westgate last night left for San Francisco on a holiday trip.

Mrs. I. R. Borum and son went to Lebanon this afternoon on a visit with friends.

C. E. Roife, a prominent business man of Albany, is at Emmond—Portland Telegram.

L. E. Hollenbeck and Miss Edna Spoor, prominent Eugene people were married yesterday.

Mrs. Jay Blain and children left on the noon train for their new home at Oakland, Calif.

The Western division of the Oregon State Teachers Association began a session in Salem today. Several are attending from Albany.

Licenses have been issued for the marriage of W. A. Amon and Amelia A. Haveland, and Andrew J. Dougherty and Lettie Pearl Thompson.

Prof. Hyram Tyree, principal of the Dillon, Montana, public schools, is in Eugene, spending the holidays with his family. He reports pleasant weather in that state.—Guard.

Hon. G. E. Chamberlain and J. C. Black, administrator of the estate of the late Hon. T. J. Black, were in the city on business connected with the settlement of the estate.

Mrs. J. K. Haight left last night for Memphis, Tenn., to join her husband who is selling wagons through the South. She will spend the winter with him.

Miss Fannie Edwards of Brownsville is the guest of her sister Mrs. Troutman, while Merle Troutman is at Sheed the guest of his grand father Mr. Frank Troutman.

Fred Blount and John Warner left this morning with their boat in a wagon for several miles up the river to come down stream this afternoon after ducks. They were loaded for a big killing.

A large crowd of people boarded the Ruth this morning on her trip down stream among others, Rev. and Mrs. Rufus Thompson, John Poshay and John Johnson for Independence, Rev. Parker and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bowerson, Mrs. Florence Hamner, Miss Gertrude O'Brien and Prof. McDonald, for Salem.

At the office of President Lee, in the college, last evening, a reception was tendered the trustees of the college by the faculty, and only the faculty and trustees and their wives were present. It was a very fine affair, a choice holiday exchange of compliments. A program was rendered and refreshments served. The faculty and trustees are working harmoniously and energetically for the upbuilding of this splendid educational institution.

REBEKAH'S CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT.—The Christmas entertainment given under the auspices of Albany Lodge No. 4, I. O. O. F. and Ben'ah Rebekah Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F. at the Odd Fellows Hall last evening was emphatically the leading social event of the season. The preparations under the efficient joint committee were elaborate and complete in every detail. Presents were found on the two heavily laden trees for all present and joyous Christmas delight held undisputed sway. The committee deserve much credit for the great success of the season. The following is part of the program that was rendered which had to be seen to be duly appreciated. They were all novel and artistic in design.

Music—Violin and piano.

Tableau—Ella and Bertha Lamb.

Recitation—Ara Martin.

Tableau—Evening prayer.

Tableau—Christmas morning.

Music—Violin and piano.

Recitation—Mamie Marinan.

Tableau—Under the Mistletoe.

Select reading—(Odd Fellowship) Miss Minnie Merrill.

Song and tableau.

MCGEE AGAIN.—At Brownsville last Monday night Charles McGee, who has been ostracized from Albany, was on one of his tears at a dance and made things very tropical for awhile, but the marshal assisted by others was equal to the occasion and handled him by knocking him senseless and then placing him in the city jail. He started in to clean out the city, but this was the way it ended.

DO NOT FORGET Mrs. Bailey's lecture tonight at the 1st Presbyterian church. She is an entertaining and forcible speaker. A collection will be taken at the close of the lecture.

STOP AT WILL & STARK'S For Holiday Goods.

They have a large and elegant line of jewelry, silverware, watches, clocks and many novelties, suitable for Christmas remembrances.

See their souvenir spoons.

See their diamonds.

See their beautiful rings.

See their many silver novelties.

See their pretty chalms.

See their cut glass.

See their gold and silver watches.

See their cases.

And many other choice lines of goods of superior quality at reasonable prices.

Annual Oregonian.

The annual number of the Oregonian which will be issued on January 1st will surpass even the great number of last year. It will contain over five hundred illustrations, printed on the finest book paper. The views will embrace many Linn county scenes. Price 10 cents per copy. Leave orders at Ross Bros., or at French's jewelry store.

See F M French, the Jeweler, for Holiday Goods

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 26.

Present—Mayor, recorder, chief of police, street superintendent and Councilmen Whitney, Dannals, Pfeiffer and Graham.

Bills allowed:

P. W. Spinks, \$41.38; O. P. Dannals \$5.25; S. Conn, \$8.00; J. Cumming \$2.05; M. Sterberg, \$5.00; J. A. Warner, \$2.50; C. M. Westbrook, \$5.00; N. J. Hentou, \$40.50; John Giblin, \$2.50; Chas Pfeiffer, \$2.50; W. W. Rowell, \$2.50; Elec Light Co., \$9.00; P. Cohen, \$9.00; Parker Bros, \$1.75; A. H. Martin, \$4.50; E. Crosby, \$2.25; Huston & Troutman, \$3.00; Glass & Prudhomme, \$40.08; Dr. W. H. Davis, \$100.

Continued bills of E. B. Davison and J. W. White.

Bill of F. P. French and M. Lunde of \$10 each for assisting in placing B. L. Pickens, who died at Mrs. Moon's, in a coffin, was rejected.

Licenses to sell liquor were granted Paul Schmidt, John Giblin, Emil Etter, Collins & McAlpine and Daniel Marx.

The bill of W. E. Baker of \$175 for building the cistern at First and Montgomery was continued until Monday evening, the cistern in the mean time be given a thorough test.

Bills for cleaning mud from the streets were presented and allowed.

Total amount of bills: \$176.50.

Farm Residence Robbed.

One night recently the residence of Mr. G. W. Cline, west of this city, was entered by burglars and robbed of a diamond ring belonging to Miss Nina Cline, and of sheets, towels, a roll of butter and several other things. The indications are that it was by some one who resides in this part of the United States.

GO OUT TO THE lecture to-night at the Presbyterian church. It will be worth hearing.

The Weather.

Tonight fair, Thursday fair and cooler. River 6.5 feet.

F. M. FRENCH Displayman

Notice.

The Portland Evening Telegram will be delivered at your door each morning before six o'clock for 50 cents per month. Kindly leave your orders at my office. E. L. KING, Mgr. Postal Telegraph Co.

Messenger System.

Leave your Christmas packages at Postal Telegraph Office, or call Phone No. 5 and a messenger will promptly deliver your notes, packages, or go on any errand. All messengers mounted on bicycles and perfectly reliable.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-Tobac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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MARRIED.

FLORY—BOYLES.—In Salem on Dec. 26, by Rev. John Parsons, Mr. D. E. Flory of Seaside, Linn county, and Miss Dennis Boyles, of Marion county.

COUNTY BUSINESS.

Probate record: In estate of Fortmiller & Irving re. estate of Wm Fortmiller for \$1207.21 and proof publication filed.

In estate of Lowell Ames, notice of appeal from decision of county judge rejecting the will, filed.

In guardianship of Chas F Swank, in case, petition for sale of real estate filed.

Recorder's office:

Deed, L. C. Callaway to Artilla Chance, 1.20 acres, \$ 250

Dued, I Roberts to Orpha Templeton, 14.07 acres, 175

U S to John T Spawan, 100 acres. Patent Mortgages for \$350 and \$200.

Chattel mortgages for \$180 and \$100. Satisfaction of mortgage.

ORDER OF PENDE.—All members of this order are requested to be present at the meeting in the G. A. R. Hall, this evening, to meet Supreme Secretary Ernest Duden, of San Francisco, and J. P. A. MacPherson, Supreme Organizing Deputy for Oregon. JOHN R. TALT, Secretary.

Go to Verick's shaving and hair cutting parlors for first class work. Hot and cold baths. Clean towels to every customer.

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THE FAIR

We have had a very satisfactory Holiday trade and are ready to begin work for 1900 by announcing our determination to greatly enlarge our line of Shoes and Dry Goods—we will not be undersold and will guarantee every item leaving our store.

Respectfully,

J. A. WEAVER.

HOLIDAY GOODS

To Please Everyone.

We have just received a nice selected line of Holiday Goods, that we consider strictly up-to-date, and should please almost everyone. Our line is composed of Albums, Toilet Cases, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Necktie Cases, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, Comb, Brush and Tray Sets, Madillions, Bonbon Boxes, Jewel Cases, a fine line of Ladies Purses and the most complete line of new Perfumery ever brought to Albany. We guarantee every thing we sell. Call and look our line over, you can't have to buy. We want you to see the goods.

Burkhart & Lee.

What is Home Without a Cook

or a Cook " a Stove
or a Stove " Utensils
or Utensils " Groceries
or Groceries " Dishes
or Dishes " Spoons
or Spoons " Knives and Forks

Let us supply all except the Cook, any good HUSBAND can get a cook.

F. E. Allen & Co.



New Goods in All Lines.



For Christmas.

There are no more suitable Christmas presents than those kept in a first class clothing store. The Blain Clothing Co. is this year particularly well equipped to meet the demands of the public. What is more appreciated by a gentleman than

- A fine necktie,
- A pretty handkerchief,
- A pair of slippers,
- A pair of gloves, dress, driving or walking,
- A well made shirt,
- A muffler,
- An artistic pair of suspenders,
- Or a suit of up-to-date clothes.

They have them.

THE LABEL OF THE FAMOUS

GUARANTEED CLOTHING

Thoughtful

Careful clothing buyers never consider quality alone, or price alone. Its the happy union so fully met with right here that strikes home to our consciousness like a bullet from a rifle. You know this make!



At the BLAIN CLOTHING Company's

Try Parker Bros.

For the best Groceries, Baked Goods, and Fresh Produce and Fruits.

Our Specials.

Good for stock on hand.

We have a special High Grade Coffee that cups as well as many 40c grades. Our special price 25c lb. Try it.

Our Vinegar cannot be equalled, and we still hold the price 15c gallon.

We will give you 3c pks. Extra Choice Mush for only 25c.

We have a full line of Groceries and Provisions at reasonable prices. Call and examine our goods.

Albany Trading Co.

Vance Building, Second St.